Nadine S. Hardin was installed as President General of The National Huguenot Society on Saturday, April 5, 2003 by the outgoing President General Neoma O’Brien. Mrs. O’Brien then placed the official Badge of Office on Mrs. Hardin.

“May God keep us steadfast as He kept them steadfast, and in joy or in sorrow, may we know, as they knew, that underneath are the Everlasting Arms”.
NOTICES from your PRESIDENT GENERAL

NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS OFFICE

PLEASE NOTE: Our National Headquarters Office, 9033 Lyndale Avenue South, Suite 108
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Archives. Most Membership Files remain there, and are in the process of being re-filed. Society publications
and supplies must be ordered from the Headquarters Office.

Files and an inventory of records are being put in order with the assistance of paid clerical help (a non-
member). Our volunteer members continue to serve.

Any plan to “phase out” this office will be a decision made by the Society. There is much work to be done in
order to determine where our records and supplies could best serve the Society. The process cannot be
rushed at the risk of losing what must be well maintained.

The National Headquarters Office is not the address of the Registrar General. For the first time in many
years these addresses are completely different. All Member (State) Society Registrars should be sure that
Applications for Membership are completed using the Revised (2002) Form, only. Completed applications
must be sent, along with a check made payable to The National Huguenot Society, Inc. in the amount of
$40.00 to the Registrar General.

Let us communicate and try to avoid confusion.

STATE TREASURERS

Please send a complete list of all dues paying members before September 1 to the President General. This
should include member's name, address, phone number, national and state numbers, and email.

STATE REGISTRARS

On a monthly basis, please send a copy of all membership changes to the President General, Registrar Gen-
eral, the Assistant Registrar General, and the National Huguenot office.

ALL STATE and NATIONAL OFFICERS

You must have a copy of the new National Bylaws and Handbook. They are $6.00 each. Order from the
National Headquarters Office in Bloomington, MN. Please do this soon. Thanks.

In Huguenot Faith,
Nadine S. Hardin
**PRESIDENT GENERAL’S MESSAGE**

It was an honor and a privilege to be elected and to take the oath of office, on April 5th, 2003, and to assume the duties as President General of The National Huguenot Society. Ours is a wonderful and unique Society, based on true Christian principles and beliefs for which our forefathers sacrificed so much. I promise you all that I will do my very best. But to do that, I must have the help of you all: the National Officers, the State Presidents, the Committees, and yes, the members everywhere, through your work at the State level, through attending the Annual Assemblies, and your prayers.

And now it is my great pleasure to bring you good news on the financial front. I am very, very pleased to report that we have just recovered what we hope will be the first of more recoveries from the investments made in 1996 through Advent Trust Company of Houston, TX. As reported to you by the outgoing President General, Mrs. O’Brien, the federal bankruptcy court in Houston ordered that the CDs of customers of Advent Trust (when and if found) be placed in the names of the customers. A Trustee was given the duty of carrying out the orders of the Court and a recommendation came on behalf of the Trustee that Southwest Securities of Dallas, TX be chosen as the agent for this and other investors to carry this out. The National Huguenot Society chose to do this in March of 2003.

It appears to have been good advice, indeed, and the actions taken by the last administration were most fortunate. Early in my administration Southwest Securities informed us that one of the accounts had been placed in the name of this Society and we could either hold until the maturity date of 21 September 2020 or to liquidate. My newly-formed Finance Committee recommended unanimously that we liquidate it; I discussed this with the members of the Executive Committee and the order was given to liquidate. We have now received a check in the amount of $26,832 which will be placed in a special interest-bearing account pending further collections (hopefully).

And there is more good news! As you all know, we are one of the beneficiaries of the will of Jacqueline Wells Dickey whose bequest to us was restricted by will for scholarships. During the administration of Rev. Dr. Dixon Barr, we received $180,000 and have been able to make the $5,000 awards (under strict requirements) in each of the two years of Mrs. O’Brien’s administration, using only a part of the interest from the fund. During those two years, she has checked repeatedly with the Florida Trustee on the progress of liquidation of the remainder of Mrs. Dickey’s estate. The additional recovery by our Society was said at one point to be no more than part of a remaining $20,000. During transition of administrations, Mrs. O’Brien made one last attempt to learn the status of this matter from the Florida Trustee with whom she had established an excellent rapport over the last two years. She was told by the Trustee that our Society will receive $80,000 almost immediately. We have received no paperwork on this, of course, at the time of this writing. But this has been, and I pledge that it will continue to be, an “open” Society—one that includes all of us.

We are descendants of Huguenots. We stand for freedom of speech, religion, separation of church and State as did they. Let us conduct ourselves in all of our affairs in that spirit! That is the key to furthering the goals and increasing membership of this great Society. I pledge my best efforts toward those goals.

Nadine S. Hardin
President General
The National Huguenot Society meets today for its 67th Annual Congress. This Organization is a celebration of who we are. We are descendants of Huguenots and we dedicate ourselves to a philosophy held at high price by our ancestors. We descendants of the Huguenots have cause to rejoice and celebrate our freedom or religious choice and to truly honor our ancestors who, in France, sought the simple right to worship according to their own belief and equality under civil law. Our Society serves as guardian of those same principles.

I want to share with you some of the things that have been done in these past two years which, I believe, represent progress in the operation of the Society and true fulfillment of our avowed purposes.

1. The National Huguenot Society Scholarship Award Committee was formed, consisting of five members. Requirements for application were recommended by the General Council of 2001 and adopted by the Annual Congress of 2002. Application Forms were made available and samples were sent to all Member (State) Societies. In addition, the Scholarship Award Application can now be accessed from our Society’s web site.

The Committee’s recommended winner for the year 2002 was approved by the Board of General Officers and the award of $5000 was forwarded to the educational institution where the student was enrolled.

The Scholarship Committee’s recommended winner for the year 2003 was approved by the Board of General Officers at their meeting yesterday. That award of $5000 will be forwarded to the educational institution where that winner is enrolled.

The Annual Scholarship Award is made possible by a generous bequest left to the National Society restricted by will for “Scholarships”. Only the interest from the bequest is used.

2. Our Award for the best published work dealing with any aspect of Huguenot history will be awarded at this Congress. This award is now given every two years, and we have increased the amount of the award from a $500 annual award to a $1,000 award biennially. We are fortunate to have the recipient with us today to receive the award personally.

3. We have a new edition of National Bylaws, Standing Rules and National Handbook (printed under one cover) now available. Please do not go home without one. They can be purchased for $5, at the Credentials desk.

4. There is a new revised Membership Application Form available which can be completed electronically and printed on legal-size paper. Twenty-four pound, acid free paper, is required. The access address is published in the Spring issue of The Cross of Languedoc. The form is also available in printed form from the Headquarters Office. The date of the revised form is October 2002. On the form, itself, there are pertinent instructions. It does represent many months of work and consultation.

5. The Cross of Languedoc in its entirety can now be found on our web site. Those issues begin with the Spring 2002 issue. The Fall 2002 issue and the Spring 2003 issues are also available.

6. The Society has received for the first time a check for royalties from the sale of Volume I of Huguenot Bible Records, after successfully transferring the copyright to The National Huguenot Society.
7. Correspondence from the Court appointed liquidating trustee for the now bankrupt Advent Trust Company informs us that Certificates of Deposit are to be reissued directly to the purchaser. The Society made three unfortunate (not FDIC insured) purchases in February, May, and July of 1996. Because these are book entry accounts, a broker is necessary. The Society will open an account with Southwest Securities, which has been recommended on behalf of the court appointed trustee, in order that we may be registered as owner of what we purchased. It is our understanding that no fees will be required from the Society. Many forms have been filed and we await the outcome. These CD’s are not considered assets of the Society for tax return purposes because their present value cannot be accurately ascertained at this time. However, we have left no stone unturned in our attempt to recover those funds. It is our duty to do so, provided it does not call for unwise financial expenditure.

For the record—An amendment to our National Bylaws passed by the Annual Congress of 2002 provides that all accounts and investments be FDIC insured or invested in U.S. Government Instruments.

8. Our Library has not really been open to the public, as it is supposed to be. It does however take up a great deal of “rented space” at the present National Headquarters Office. It seemed prudent to explore possibilities for placement of the Library where it would be open to the public, well-housed and well-maintained, without expense to our Society. A most fortunate opportunity has been opened to us which would maintain the National Huguenot Society’s Library as a distinct, unified special collection with its own card catalog. Hopefully this Congress will approve this donation, which can greatly benefit our Society by making our book collection truly available for use by the public.

9. Less than two years ago, our unrestricted funds were at a low of $15,000 with mandated expenses of between $1,200 and $1,500 per month. During this administration General Officers have not only covered the expenses of their Office, but many have made cash contributions. With dues increased from $5 to $10, generous donations from individuals and Member Societies, and no paid employee (since 31 December 2001), our present financial status is quite adequate. We have been careful in the management of our funds, and all are FDIC insured.

10. In January 2003, the President General received confirmation of the wish of a most generous member to establish a fund in memory of his parents to be known as: The Ray and Anna Lewis Memorial Fund.

The fund in the amount of $10,000 comes to the Society with only a minimum of conditions:
1. That the full title indicated be used in order to perpetuate the personal identity of his parents.
2. That the fund be administered by the Board of General Officers or others appointed by them and that the fund be invested in only insured savings accounts.
3. That the principal ($10,000) be kept intact in perpetuity, with only the interest being expended for the purposes of The National Huguenot Society.

I have not mentioned the names of any of our dedicated and generous members in this report, for this reason. There are so many and I do not wish to risk failure of giving well deserved credit to any.

When I was elected and installed as President General two years ago I asked of myself and for the Society — “Quo Vadis”. Where are we going? I believe we are going in the right direction. If we continue to believe the ideals and philosophy of our true Huguenot heritage our numbers will grow and our Society will strengthen. But we must not neglect, we must be good stewards carrying with us our “Huguenot Spirit”, sharing it with those of common interest and heritage. I thank you for the privilege of serving this most unique and wonderful organization — The National Huguenot Society!

President General Neoma O’Brien called the 67th Congress to order and welcome all those present. Chaplain General Reverend John C. Davis gave the Invocation. The President of the Washington, D.C. Huguenot Society, David Stringfellow, led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. Barrett McKown, 3rd Vice President General, led the Huguenot Pledge to the Flag of the United States of America.

The first report of the Credentials Committee was given by the Chair, Barrett McKown, as follows: Representatives from 13 states, 8 General Officers, 29 Delegates, voting Members, 37. Two members, 2 alternates, 4 guests, and 4 State Presidents. A quorum was declared, as 12 member societies are required.

Bill Swinford, Counselor General, moved to amend the program as printed to hold the business agenda after the Committee Reports and prior to the Memorial service. Robert Storm of Connecticut seconded the motion. After much discussion, the motion carried by a majority vote.

Standing rules were read by Barrett McKown, Credentials Committee, who moved their adoption. (No second is required). Skip Keats, delegate of the Maryland Society, noted an editorial correction was needed, a capital O to officer in standing rule #16. Motion adopted with editorial change.

Jim Barr, delegate from the Illinois Society, made a motion to combine the General Congress and General Council meetings. Bill Swinford seconded this motion. Motion approved.

Report of General Officers:
President General Neoma O’Brien—given and filed
1st VP General Stephen Gerth—not present; report on file
2nd VP General David Smith—not present; no report
3rd VP General Barrett McKown—given and filed
Chaplain General John Davis—given and filed
Recording Secretary General Nadine Hardin—minutes printed in The Cross
Corresponding Secretary General Roy Smith—not present; no report
Organization Secretary General Grace DeuPree—given (read by Rec. Sec. General, with permission of Congress) and filed
Treasurer General Nancy Harris—given and filed
Registrar General Grace Rice—given and filed
Historian General Sam Greeley—given and filed
Counselor General Bill Swinford—given and filed
Genealogist General Polly Statham—not present; no report
Honorary Presidents General—not present; no report

The President General announced that Jonathan McClellan Beagle is the winner of the 2002-2003 award for the best publication on a Huguenot subject. The Awards Committee Report written by Mrs. Jean Hyde, National Chairman was filed. Mr. Beagle had made plans to attend. Unfortunately, his flight from Portland, Maine was cancelled due to a snowstorm in that area. The award is for $1,000.

Scholarship Committee, Richard Smith, Chair—given and filed
It was announced that the Board of General Officers approved the scholarship committee’s recommendation that the $5,000 scholarship be given to Joel R. Wuthnow, a Princeton University student holding a 3.8 GPA. He has been a member of the New York Huguenot Society since 1997.

Finance Committee, Nancy Harris—given and filed
The proposed budget for 2004 was presented. Motion was made that this budget be accepted (no second was need). Motion approved. The 2004 budget was adopted.
Memorial Service was held immediately following a short break led by Chaplain General, Rev. John Davis. President General, Neoma O’Brien, thanked the Chaplain General.

Lunch Recess

President General called the afternoon session to order and began the Business Agenda with Unfinished Business.

The 2nd Credential Committee report was given by the chair, Barrett McKown is as follows: Representatives from 14 states, 9 General Officers, 29 Delegates, voting Members, 38. Two members, 2 alternates, 4 guests, and 4 State Presidents.

First, the following are recommendations for approval from the Board of General Officers that were read by the Recording Secretary General.

The National Huguenot Society Library be donated for placement as a special collection to the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution Library. Motion carried.

The date of the Annual Congress of 2004 to be held April 2 - 3, 2004. Motion carried.

David Stringfellow, President of the Washington, D.C. Society passed out copies of the proposed bylaw change. This proposal came from the Washington, D.C. Society and met the requirements of being duly printed and mailed in advance for Congress to consider. After much discussion, the proposal was tabled.

Roberta Somach, President of the Florida Society, asked the Congress to name the scholarship The Jacqueline Wells Dickey Scholarship Award. President General O’Brien explained that the Treasurer’s books do reflect the name as such. However, a Bylaws Amendment would be required to give proper name to the Scholarship Award, which is supported entirely from the interest received from the generous bequest of Mrs. Dickey, which is restricted by will, for scholarships. The proposed amendment to the Bylaws, which had just been tabled, did provide for that official naming.

Tom Etter moved that the officers be elected at this point in the agenda, but not installed until the close of the meeting. Nancy Harris seconded this motion.

Mrs. Eleanor Niebell, delegate from the District of Columbia Society, rose to a point of order, calling attention to the reports of the State Presidents as a part of the business session. The motion carried as amended. The reports of the State Presidents followed:

1. Alabama no report
2. Arizona no report
3. Arkansas on file
4. California on file
5. Connecticut to be filed
6. Delaware on file
7. Washington D.C. on file
8. Florida on file
9. Georgia on file
10. Idaho no report
11. Illinois on file
12. Indiana on file
13. Iowa on file
14. Kansas on file
15. Kentucky on file
16. Maryland on file
17. Maine no report
18. Massachusetts no report
19. Michigan no report
20. Minnesota on file
21. Mississippi on file
22. Missouri on file
23. Nebraska on file
24. New Hampshire no report
25. New Mexico on file
26. New York no report
27. North Carolina no report
28. Ohio no report
29. Oklahoma no dues paid; not eligible for delegate
30. Pennsylvania report read and filed
31. Rhode Island no report
32. Tennessee on file
33. Texas given and filed
34. Vermont no report
35. Virginia no report
36. Washington no report
37. West Virginia no dues paid; not eligible for delegate
38. Wisconsin on file
39. Nevada no report
40. Canada
41. M.A.L.
Committee on Nomination Chair, Sam Greeley, read the majority report as follows:

President General  Nadine S. Hardin of the Arkansas Society
1st Vice President General  Robert W. Storm of the Connecticut Society
2nd Vice President General  C. William Swinford, Jr. of the Kentucky Society
3rd Vice President General  MarJo Thornton Dill of the Arkansas Society
Chaplain General  Re. Dr. Arnold Raymond Lewis of the New York Society
Recording Secretary General  James F. McNenny of the Nebraska Society
Organizing Secretary General  Sylvia Frederic McAuliffe of the Florida Society
Treasurer General  (no candidate)
Registrar General  Jeannine Sheldon Kallal of the Illinois Society
Historian General  Samuel E. Greeley of the Wisconsin Society
Counselor General  Davis S. Hope of the Pennsylvania Society
Surgeon General  Charles Dee Tourtellotte, M.D. of the Pennsylvania Society
Genealogist General  Alice Johnson Sweeney of the Virginia Society

The floor was open for nominations for each and every office. Peter Morgan Adams of Pennsylvania was nominated by Richard Dana Smith, Sr. and seconded by Sam Greeley for the Office of Treasurer General. Discussion followed. There were no other nominations and therefore nominations were closed.

The slate was read again in its entirety by the President General, Neoma O’Brien, as above with the exception of the Treasurer General as Peter Morgan Adams. The motion was made and seconded to elect by acclamation. Discussion followed. The entire slate was elected as follows:

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*Not present for election and installation

The President General made impassioned remarks of our common Christian bonds and of our strength in our heritage as Huguenots.

After a 5-minute recess, the President General, Neoma O’Brien, conducted the installation of those elected officers present. Then, Neoma O’Brien asked for Nadine Hardin and Rev. Dr. Arnold R. Lewis to stand by her as she placed the insignia around the neck of the new President General.

Newly elected President General, Nadine S. Hardin, asked if there is any further business to come before the 67th Annual Congress.

Former Chaplain General, Rev. John C. Davis, moved that outgoing President General, Neoma O’Brien, be made an Honorary President General. The motion was seconded and approved by unanimous consent, Rev. John C. Davis then draped Neoma O’Brien with the Sunburst Insignia, a gift to Mrs. O’Brien by her husband, James Dewey O’Brien.

Rev. John C. Davis followed with scripture from the 4th Chapter of Esther and some verses from the Book of Ecclesiastes. Rev. John Davis then had personal remarks based on the scripture for the newest Honorary President General, Neoma O’Brien. “We are born to a very special purpose. You were born for the purpose of seeing the National Huguenot Society through this past administration. You were our Esther.” Then he presented her with a bouquet of flowers, at which time the Congress gave her a standing ovation.
The National Huguenot Society’s Memorial Wreath will be placed at the Vietnam Memorial at 9:00 AM Sunday. All are invited to attend.
The President General’s Tea to be held following the adjournment on the Mezzanine at 5:00 PM.

Congress closed with words of wisdom and prayer by the incoming Chaplain General, Rev. Dr. Arnold R. Lewis.

67th Congress Adjourned

Respectfully submitted,

Nadine S. Hardin
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Mrs. Lee Crandall Park

On October 4, 2003, Alice Mary Crandall Park will be one hundred and two years old. A member of the National Huguenot Society in Maryland, Alice has many Dutch and French Huguenot ancestors. Among them are Roelof Martense Schenck, Stephen Coerte Van Voorhees, Wolfert Gerretse Van Kouwenhoven, Christian Pieterszen Van Doorn, Jan Thomasse Van Dyke, and Willem Adriaense Bennet, a Huguenot.

Alice lives in Washington, D.C., and is the mother of Mrs. Nancy Park Kern of Washington, D.C., and Lee Crandall Park, M.D. of Baltimore, also members of the Huguenot Society of Maryland. She has four grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Alice attended San Diego State Normal School, Redlands College, University of California at Berkeley, and graduated from the University of Chicago. She raised a family in Washington, D.C. and Falls Church, Virginia, and then returned full time to her major intellectual pursuits.

Alice is an expert genealogist and has published four books and a supplement (Gateway Press, Baltimore):

Park/e/s and Bunch on the Trail West, 1974, 1974, 1982
Schenck and Related Families in New Netherlands, 1992
Supplement to One Crandall Family: 1651-1996, Further Information on Descendants of David Sprague Crandall and his Wife Eliza McBride, 1999

In 2002 she completed: Our Immigrant Ancestors From Scotland: George Smith and His Wife, Mary Baird and Their Descendants.

Over the past 15 years, Alice has courageously faced the slow development of severe macular degeneration. She has never been intimidated by change, and now uses the most up-to-date equipment to read and write her books despite extremely limited vision. She then has lunch and many times goes back to work until mid afternoon when she rests for a while. Her mind seems to improve with time, and she is recognized for her accomplishments in her listing in Marquis' Who's Who in America, 1997. She is also active in various patriotic and lineage organizations, including The National Society of the Colonial Dames of America, DAR, Daughters of the American Colonists, Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, and United States Daughters of 1812.

Alice comes from a strong pioneer ancestry, including many ancestors who served in Colonial legislatures, heroic officers in colonial wars, newspaper publishers and editors, suffragists, and Huguenots who struggled for their rights of freedom of thought and belief.

She enjoys traveling to Spain, (most recently in September, 2002), and particularly Granada, where she can "smell the roses" in the gardens of the Generalife, and she remembers with fondness a cabin in Montana where she and her family spent over 30 summers together.

Alice is talking now about writing another book, this one about her mother's ancestry.

Mrs. Lee Crandall Park, (Mary Woodfill Park), daughter-in-law of Alice Crandall Park, is also a member of the National Huguenot Society-Huguenot Society of Maryland. Her Dutch and French ancestors include Riker, Smock, Demarest and Fontaine.
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Thank you!
Arkansas
We presently have 52 members, seven Friends and seven prospective members. The Society continues to give a yearly scholarship to a deserving college student. Last year the student was a Huguenot descendant. We have completed our work on the award in honor of our deceased Organizing President. In June, 2002, Mrs. Helen Chastain Sowa of Chicago, assisted by her daughter, Meg Nagel, presented a program on the book she had written about Louise Moillon. The Society will place copies of the book in several libraries around the state. President General Neoma O’Brien was our special guest in October a few days before the General Council meeting in Little Rock. She presented information about the National Society. Mrs. Margaret Thompson shared information about obtaining oral histories at our March, 2003 meeting. This pertained to the book she had written about a town in the southern part of the state that was once thriving, but no longer exists.

MarJo Thornton Dill, State President

California
The Huguenot Society of California continues to have two Chapters—La Rochelle and San Francisco Bay Area. Our membership is currently 103 including life members. Our annual meeting was held March 9, 2003 at the Irvine Marriott Hotel at which time new officers were elected with Mrs. Nelson Williams conducting the installation ceremony. Courtney Spikes, one of our scholarship recipients presented a paper on early Modern French History. La Rochelle Chapter meets four times a year with diversified programs. San Francisco Bay Area Chapter meets as can be arranged. Both Chapters awarded scholarships again this year—San Francisco Bay Area with several going to Golden Gate University and La Rochelle to graduate students at three different universities.

Lola Robertson, State President

Delaware
The Delaware Society has been very active in this new year. On January 31, 2003 we cosponsored, with the World Trade Center Institute Delaware, the first in a series of foreign affairs receptions. The program, entitled "A Foreign Affair-In France" featured Honorable Giles Montagnier, Consul General of France in the United States.; Norbert Rieth, President of Air Liquide Medal, Delaware; Geoffrey Gamble, DuPont Company; and Nathan Hayward, a descendant of Pierre Samuel du Pont. Approximately 112 people attended this lovely event at the Hotel DuPont, in Wilmington, Delaware.

On February 8, 2003 President Kim Burdick was day chairman for "A Revolutionary Event: 225th Anniversary of the Treaty of French Alliance" at the Robinson House in Claymont, Delaware. Registrar Bill Brown set up a table for membership inquiries and we handed out our new brochure which lists the names of all qualified Huguenot ancestors. Our next meeting, on Sunday May 11, 2003 will also be held at the Robinson House. Huguenot Honor Awards will be presented to Leucia Venable (member DE 44-65) and to Mrs. Warner Naudain, the wife of our founder and long-time president, Warner Naudain. Carolyn Gaumer, is on the slate for election as our new secretary at the spring meeting in May. The Robinson House is an 18th century plantation-style wood frame house that was used throughout the Revolutionary War as a stopping place for the Patriot troops. Both Washington and Lafayette are known to have stayed there. The Robinson House is the first Delaware stop on the Nine-State Washington-Rochambeau Revolutionary War Route. See amrevandfrance.com for more information on this historic route. A colonial tea featuring hearth-cooked desserts at the Historic Houses of Odessa is planned for fall. We invite members from other states to join us at our meetings. Our current paid membership as of 3/27/03 stands at 32 members. We also have 3 pending applications for new membership, and two junior members ready to transfer to adult status.

Kim Burdick, State President

District of Columbia
We are an active society, holding three meetings a year with regular communications to all of our members. The Society held its Day of Remembrance Service on September 21, 2002 at historic St. John’s Church on Lafayette Square with the service conducted by Rev. Dr. Frank MacD. Spindler. A luncheon followed at the Old Ebbitt Grill. The Washington, D.C. Society was represented at the July 4, 2002 ceremony at Congressional Cemetery to honor Elbridge Gerry, a signer of the Declaration of Independence. The Founders Day meeting was held December 7, 2002 at the Westchester Dining Room in Washington, D.C. with a presentation by The National Huguenot Society President General Neoma O’Brien who is a member of the Washington, D.C. Society. At this meeting the 75th anniversary of the

Kim Burdick, State President
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founders of the National Society of Washington, D.C. on December 12, 1927 was noted.
The Annual Meeting was held on March 1, 2003 at the Westchester Dining Room in Washington with reports given by the officers and committee chairs. The election of the 2003-2005 officers also took place.

David J. Stringfellow, State President

Florida
The membership of the Huguenot Society of Florida (which numbers more than 175) is distributed among six and soon to be seen chapters throughout the state. One of our primary goals is to complete the cross-checking and reconciliation of our membership lists on the local, state, and national levels to assure accuracy.

Each of the chapters plans its own meeting in pleasant settings with interesting speakers—sometimes guests or members who share their family stories or their expertise on a wide range of subjects related to our Huguenot heritage. This heritage is also reflected in the names of our chapters: Admiral Gaspard deColigny, Fleur de Lis, Henry of Navarre, Jean Calvin, Ft. Caroline, and Louis DuBois.

Our 2002 annual meeting was hosted by the Coligny chapter at the beautiful historic St. Petersburg Yacht Club. It was there that Sylvia McAuliffe was authorized to reorganize the Ernst d'Erlach chapter that had been disbanded in 2000. The reestablishment of the chapter at Ormond Beach was inspired by the critical need to save a historic Huguenot marker (see The Cross of Languedoc, Spring 2003). The re-dedication of the marker will take place at the time of our annual meeting, Mary 24, 2003. Those who attend may choose to continue up the Florida Coast to visit the Jean Ribault Memorial on the St. John's River where a colony of French Huguenots was established in 1565.

Robert Somach, State President

Georgia
Sarah E. Upshaw, our president since October of 1999, continues to plan interesting programs with an emphasis on French culture. In spring 2002, our speaker was Dr. Robert Good of the Mercer University faculty, whose topic was What to Remember? Commemorating French Protestantism. In the fall of 2002, we met at the Grits Café in Forsyth for a program on the history of French art.

Each fall, the Georgia Society awards a scholarship to one or two undergraduate students, who must be close relatives of members of the society.

We continue to enjoy a special relationship with the Statesboro Regional Library in Statesboro, the site of the Brannen Room, a growing genealogical library named for the late Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Brannen. Mrs. Brannen was the founder and first President of the Georgia Society, and Mr. Brannen was its first Treasurer. Smith C. Banks, the Society's Librarian, has assembled an outstanding collection of Huguenot material in the Brannen Room. The Society and individual members of the Society make donations for the purchase of books relating to Huguenot history and genealogy.

Through the generosity of Dr. Charles B. Upshaw, Jr., a Friend of the Georgia Society, the LeRoy-Upshaw Memorial Endowment Fund was established in 2002 in memory of Dr. Upshaw's mother, Belle Porcher Upshaw (1891-1982), and in honor of his early Huguenot ancestor in this country, Pierre Phillipe LeRoy (1754-1829).

John P. Rabun, Jr., First Vice President

Illinois
The Illinois Society remains at approximately 100 members. We have two General Meetings every year and at least two Board meetings. We were represented at last year's National Congress in Washington, D.C. and at the Mid-Year Council meeting in Little Rock. We boast two nominees for the 2003 National Board, Jeannine Kallal and James Barr.

We are very proud of one of our youngest members, Ryan Worrell, who was the first recipient of the national Society's Scholarship Award. He hopes to attend the Mid-Year Council in October, 2003. In past years our Society has awarded up to three scholarships annually to undergraduate and graduate students and has welcomed academics and post-graduate students as speakers. We have a very diverse membership in age as well as occupation and we remain a vital organization, faithful to our founders.

Carey Myers, State President

Kansas
The eighty-two members of the Kansas Society send warm greetings to the National Society.

The Society holds two luncheon meetings each year. The spring meeting is our Annual Meeting and the fall meeting, we commemorate the Day of Remembrance.

President Carleton White presided at the spring meeting held at the Wichita Country Club. Society members attended services at the Reformed Presbyterian Church before the luncheon meeting held in the private dining room of the Timberline Steak House. Jane Hursh presented an informative and interesting program on colonial currency and barter.

President White has resigned due to ill health and we ask that you share with us our loving concern for him and his wife.

Ruth Keys Clark, Acting State President
**Kentucky**
The Kentucky Branch of the Huguenot Society and the Huguenot Society of the Founders of Manakin in the Colony of Virginia (Kentucky Branch) hold two joint luncheon meetings on an annual basis.
At the present time, Dr. Jack J. Early, is serving as President of the two Huguenot organizations.
The Spring meeting of the two Societies will be held on Saturday, April 19, 2003 at The Spindletop, Lexington, Kentucky. Each of the Societies will conduct a separate business session.

Dr. Ron Bryant of the Kentucky History Center, Frankfort, Kentucky will be the featured speaker at the joint luncheon. His topic will be: “More on Our Huguenot Ancestors.”

Recently Dr. Jack J. Early, who serves as Chaplain General of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution, had an article on “The Religious Faith of Our Founding Fathers” printed in the Winter 2003 issue of the SAR Magazine. The Article featured the life and religious values of John Jay, a Huguenot, who became the first Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

Jack J. Early, State President

Dr. Betty Drake, award-winning genealogist, spoke on “Looking for Huguenot Ancestors” at the Fall Assembly. She recommended a CD which contains most of the available Huguenot genealogical information: CD#600, Family Tree maker’s Family Archives, Immigrant Histories: Huguenot Settlers in North America and Europe, 1600s-1900s. This can be ordered from Genealogical Publishing Company for $12.

State Organizing President, Mrs. Bruce Nicholson, discussed “Revere: Silversmith” at the Spring Assembly, and new officers were elected and installed.

Lynn Meador, State President

**Maryland**
The Maryland Society has gained four new members and one Associate Member, Sylvia Elder, a member of New Hampshire.

President General Neoma O’Brien presented the program, “Who We Are, What We Do and Where We’re Going” in March, 2002. “Letters from a Huguenot Duchess” was presented by Orest Ranum last October. Earlier this year. Mrs. Mary Woodfill Park spoke of her Demarest family

Connie Sparrow, State President

**Mississippi**
The Huguenot Society of Mississippi holds two luncheon meetings each year. The ritual includes the Lord’s Prayer in French. The state president’s theme for the biennium is gardant la foi, keeping (or guarding) the faith, and members enjoy sharing information about historical research and current events as they apply to our Huguenot heritage.

The state society has 43 members, and several Friends are working on their papers. The yearbook and bylaws are updated annually; and the newsletter, *LeFleur’s Bluff Bulletin*, is mailed to all members twice a year. A state society flag is being used for the front cover for our printed programs. The back cover is used for society education.

Connie Sparrow, State President

**Pennsylvania**
The membership in the Pennsylvania Society stands at 330; 129 Life Members and 201 Regular Members, plus five Honorary Members. There were three new members and one transfer this year. Pennsylvania was the first state in the National Huguenot Society and is now the largest.

The two Chapters, Jean Ribault and Languedoc are active with their meetings and programs. The presidents of both Chapters serve on the State Council. Mrs. Donald E. May of Jean Ribault is a Vice President and Mrs. Alfred A. Machenzi of Languedoc is a Counselor.

Last year, the Traditional Annual Reformation Sunday Church Service was replaced with a “Day of Prayer” proclaimed throughout the state by the Pennsylvania Society Chaplain, The Rev. Gregory Forrest Dimick. The Society continued with its 40-year-old College Scholarship Program.

The Pennsylvania Society brochure is being updated and reprinted. Betty Brown Miller, Honorary State President and professional writer has been named Chairman. Honorary State President and current Counselor David S. Hope, Esq. and Council member Joseph H. Pool, V, will also serve on the Committee.

Richard A. Scudder, State President

**Texas**
State President, Grace DeuPree, and Honorary State President, Katherine Hulen, attended the Mid-Year Council Assembly 5 October, 2002, in Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Fiftieth State Assembly was held on 25 January 2003 in San Antonio, hosted by Languedoc Chapter. Delegates from LaRochelle Chapter attended the well planned Assembly where new state officers were elected.

Lynn Meador, State President
The Texas Society was honored with the attendance of the President General, Mrs. J.D. O’Brien, and her husband. Thirty five attended, with delegates included from LaRochelle Chapter.

Each Chapter is holding regularly scheduled meetings, and are having programs. New officers for LaRochelle Chapter will be installed at the next chapter meeting in May. The Board convened on 16 January 2003 and by unanimous vote authorized two checks be sent to the Huguenot Society of Texas Treasurer and two checks to the National Huguenot Society Treasurer, marked “in recognition and in honor” of each of those respective officers’ service, and additionally, for “the work, guidance and loyalty” of the Organizing Secretary General and Texas State President, Grace DeuPree. The State membership now stands as 112 with a number of papers pending.

Grace DeuPree, Honorary State President

Wisconsin

In May, 2002, members gathered in the charming, rustic Cobblestone Inn located on the banks of the Bark River in Hartland for a luncheon meeting. President Carol Chew linked the lives of three Huguenot descendants: Julia Ward Howe, General Francis “Swamp Fox” Marion, and Captain Jack Jouett, “the Paul Revere of the South.” She recounted that Howe, social reformer and author of “The Battle Hymn of the Republic” cherished the memory of her relative Francis Marion, hero of the Revolutionary War. The story of General Marion’s life and the incident of the sweet potato dinner he served his enemy, Colonel Banastre Tarleton can be found at: http://www.members.aol.com/Wstnhouse/marion.htm

A contemporary musical ballad retelling the valiant Jouett’s difficult night ride to warn the Virginia Assembly and Thomas Jefferson of the approach of “Butcher” Tarleton’s troops is located at: http://www.ushistory.com/jouett.htm

Last November, our society met at historic Taylor Hall amidst autumn colors of the wooded DeKoven Center campus in Racine for our second luncheon meeting. Gifted organist and noted author of books on church music, Dr. Marilyn Stulken, presented a program entitled, “The Huguenots in Our Hymnals.” Our chef prepared a special French menu accompanied by a Languedoc wine.

We participated in the Wisconsin Historical Society’s History Fair at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Many visitors stopped to view our exhibit highlighting the heritage of the Huguenots.

We continue searching for Huguenot sites in Wisconsin. This year we discovered that the Old Dutch Cemetery in Fox Point is the final resting place of descendants from some Huguenot families who fled to Holland where they lived for 200 years before immigrating to Wisconsin in 1854. The small cemetery, near Lake Michigan, is located in a village north of Milwaukee.

In response to a request for international support, our chaplain, André Orsina, called the curator of the Huguenot Memorial at the Musée de la Mer on l’île Sainte-Marguerite near Cannes. As a result, we learned the lives of some of those who were imprisoned for the “crime of religion” after the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes.

Historian General Samuel Greeley spoke to a Mequon high school history class and presented a slide program on the history of the Huguenots.

Two delegates attended the 66th Annual Congress in Washington, D.C. We added two new members to our membership rooster. We are planning to co-host the October 2003 Council meeting with the Illinois society.

Carol Chew, State President

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benevolence bespoke a genteel character that eighteenth-century Bostonians admired. This image of Faneuil persisted into the mid-nineteenth century, at which time growing ethnic and religious tensions caused primarily by Irish Catholic immigration prompted Protestant Bostonians to rediscover and appreciate Faneuil’s French Huguenot roots. The once generous gentleman merchant was rapidly recast as the French Huguenot merchant by the 1850’s and thereafter. In contrast to the Catholic “problem”, Faneuil’s contributions, as well as those of his fellow colonial Huguenots, were newly celebrated as essential elements of New England’s heritage and Yankee character, which reinforced the region’s Protestant identity against the Catholic challenge.”

Jonathan McClellan Beagle is a doctoral candidate in early American History at the University of New Hampshire and visiting instructor in history at Colby College.

Our thanks to Mr. Beagle for submitting his most interesting article. The National Society is pleased to present to him the award along with our very best wishes to him as he continues his writing and teaching career.

Other serving on the selection committee were: Chad Christopher Means and The Rev. Dr. Travis Du Priest.
The Illinois and Wisconsin Societies cordially invite all Huguenot members and their guests to attend the Fall 2003 General Council meeting to be held Friday and Saturday, October 17th and 18th at the Hilton Northbrook in Northbrook, Illinois.

A registration fee of $110 includes the Friday night gourmet experience of Allgauer’s five star cuisine, and the Saturday luncheon with the combined membership of the Wisconsin and Illinois societies, who will hold a joint fall meeting. The elegance of the Hilton will not soon be forgotten!

Reservation by September 25th for a special hotel rate of $89 + tax per night.

O’Hare Airport shuttle service is available at $20 door to door.

Members of the Illinois and Wisconsin societies who will not be present on Saturday may attend the Friday night repast for $65. The memorable Saturday luncheon will be $35, where guests are especially welcomed.

Schedule of Events:
FRIDAY 1 p.m. Meeting of the Board of General Officers
         6 p.m. Reception and Dinner (program)

SATURDAY 9 a.m. Meeting of the General Council
          Noon Cocktails and Luncheon with Wisconsin and Illinois societies and Guests (program)

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GOOD NEWS!!

Eric Grundset, Daughters of the American Revolution Library Director, Recently announced that the DAR Library had signed an agreement with The National Huguenot Society to be the custodian of that Society’s important collection of volumes, which catalog the History of the French Huguenots in America.

From the DAR Members’ Web Site June 4, 2002

**Huiguenot Postal Stamp Notecards**

You can purchase these attractive notecards through The Huguenot Society of Wisconsin. Each card has a reproduction of an actual postage stamp issued by France or the U.S. to commemorate some aspect of Huguenot history. Each card has a different postage stamp design.

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These may be ordered by going to the website: http://www.huguenot.netnation.com/store/StampCard.htm

**Questions?**

How many of you have been to our great website? Webmaster Steve Gerth frequently updates the information. It is definitely worth looking at to get the latest about our national and state societies.

**Did you know**—the CA San Francisco Bay Area Chapter offers a scholarship? Look on the website for more information.

**Did you know**—the IL State Society also offers a scholarship? It gives information on the website.

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Annual Congress Activities
April, 2003

L to R-Donald Randolph of Florida; Wayne Rogers of California; President General Nadine S. Hardin

L to R- Mrs. Louise May, 1st Vice President, Pennsylvania; her daughter, Rebecca Salerno; and John Strang, Connecticut, President of Huguenot Heritage

L to R-Recording Secretary General Jim Barr; D.C. President David Stringfellow; and Robert Storm, 1st Vice President General

L to R—Past 3rd Vice President General Barrett McKown and Skip Keats of Maryland

L to R-Betty Brown Miller, Honorary State President, Pennsylvania and Surgeon General, Dr. Charles Tourtellotte

L to R-Honorary President Neoma O’Brien and President General Nadine Hardin placing a wreath at the Vietnam Memorial.
NATIONAL HUGUENOT SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FOR 2003

The Scholarship Award Committee, chaired by Richard Dana Smith, gave its unanimous recommendation for the 2003 winner of the Scholarship Award to the Board of General Officers, which then approved the recommendation at the regular meeting of the Board on 4 April 2003.

The winner of the Scholarship Award for 2003 is Mr. Joel R. Wuthnow, a graduating senior at Princeton University. Mr. Wuthnow has maintained a cumulative GPA of 3.80 during his undergraduate years. He became a member of The National Huguenot Society through the Huguenot Society of New York, by right of descent from Jean Bertrand, in 1997.

Included in Mr. Wuthnow’s application is his personal statement which reads in part:

“I have a strong interest in history, and most of my course work has included some historical component. As pertains to the Huguenot Society, I took a course on the history of Western Europe through 1700 and a course on the English Colonies in America, both of which dealt extensively with the evolution of Christianity and some direct discussion of the Huguenots.

Following graduation, I plan to pursue graduate studies in international relations. My long-term goal is to make a significant contribution to the making and analysis of U.S. foreign policy, perhaps as a public servant. Any financial assistance from the National Huguenot Society will help immensely as I continue my education.

I am a member of The National Huguenot Society and a few other societies. While I have not been active with these societies in college, I remain interested in genealogy and hope to continue to learn about the lives of my ancestors.”

Upon notification by the President General of having won the $5,000 Scholarship Award, Mr. Wuthnow wrote in part:

Dear Mrs. O’Brien,

My personal thanks for your kind letter! I would like to extend my deepest gratitude for my selection as recipient of the Society’s 2003 scholarship. The news comes as a delightful surprise as I finish my bachelor’s degree in international affairs. I plan graduate education at the University of Oxford, where I will read for a master’s degree in modern Chinese studies. The program at Oxford will permit me to study under a world-class faculty and improve my language abilities, and will serve as a stepping-stone on the path to a career in government; specifically, in U.S. foreign policy. Thank you once again for this award. Sincerely, Joel Wuthnow”

The National Huguenot Society takes great pride in this young member and wishes him continued success in his studies. May he always be a worthy representative of his Nation and of his Huguenot heritage. Our prayers will be with him!

Funding for the Scholarship Award is made possible by the bequest of Jacqueline Wells Dickey, who restricted her bequest to be used for Scholarships.

Let us remember the generosity of Mrs. Dickey!
These members were remembered in the Service for the Huguenot Faithful Departed at Annual Congress, 5 April 2003.

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### IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR STATE PRESIDENTS AND CHAPLAINS

Our new Chaplain General, Rev. Dr. Arnold Lewis, has requested that all State Society Presidents and Chaplains keep him informed about members who have passed away. Please send the following information: person's full name, national and state numbers, date of death, next of kin with address, and his or her contributions to the National or State Society.

*Thank you*
HUGUENOTS HAVE BEEN THERE

by

Dr. Arnold R. Lewis

You may have heard about the minister whose Sunday morning pastoral prayer included the following request:

“Dear God, we beseech You to please bless our beloved missionaries on Mauritius which, as Thou mayest know, O Lord, is an island in the Indian Ocean some 500 miles east of Madagascar, which is another 240 miles off the eastern mainland of Africa.”

Yes, there are some places so remote that we’re tempted to think that even God needs reminding as to their location. Yet even if such is the case, let us not be too sure that certain of our Huguenot ancestors didn’t find those places and reside there.

In this connection, a happy surprise came to me recently while reading a book on the Panama Canal and its history. This huge tome is entitled, The Path Between the Seas, by David McCullough, N.Y., Simon and Schuster, 1977.

One of the more interesting chapters tells about the Lesseps family members who figured largely in the historic background of the canal’s construction. At one point, page 55, this tidbit of information jumped out at me:

“The bride was a stunning French girl of twenty, with large, dark eyes and great spirit, Louise Helene Autard de Bragard, the daughter of an old and wealthy friend of de Lesseps’ . . . She had been raised on the island of Mauritius, in the Indian Ocean, where her family, Huguenots, owned large plantations.”

So here we leaped from Panama to Mauritius to the Huguenots and into this issue of “The Cross of Languedoc.” You never know!

REQUEST FROM YOUR PRESIDENT GENERAL:

Your President General is requesting that if you have any special interests for service to the National Society, please contact her. You may have a special talent that would benefit the Society.

What area are you willing to serve?
Can you write a book review, or essay for publication?
Do you want the Society to increase its membership and do you have suggestions?

WHAT IS YOUR SPECIAL TALENT?

Let President General Hardin know. See the back cover for how to contact her.
IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

October 17—18, 2003
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Northbrook, Illinois

November 15, 2003
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