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Subject: Quarterly President Report

Our chapter count's has remained steady at 34, with a possible future merging of two chapters due to chapter membership declining.

Final reconciliation brings our total membership to 2408 active members, continuously growing, with future prospects of reaching a goal of 2600, hopefully this year.

One major ceremony was held for the Senator, Rick Scott of Florida, as a recipient of the National Gold Citizenship Medal, presented to him on the 9th of December 2022. Also, during this time Senator Rick Scott submitted his SAR application.

Keeping in the tradition of keeping good neighbors, attended the Alabama B.O.M. 22nd of October, also in attendance was PG Pickette.

State members participated in many several local events as well as the Wreaths Across America. I have continued visiting chapters all across the state, sharing meals and keeping them informed on other activities.

Florida will be hosting Congress 2023 in Orlando. The time period is now less than 6 months. Two "Zoom" meetings occur each month with future Congress site parties involved. These meeting via Zoom have really strengthened the ability to prepare for site preparations and increasing the participation by other compatriots nationwide.

Upcoming events next quarter:

- George Washington's Birthday 20th February – celebrated by many prior weekend
- Spring Leadership Meeting March 3rd - 4th
- Battle of Thomas Creek, Jacksonville - March 18th
- Last Naval Battle, Merritt Island – March 25th

Respectfully submitted,

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