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ANNOUNCER: Each year the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, makes a detailed report of its activities, and files it with the Smithsonian Institution. The last annual report reveals these facts about DAR services during the past year. The National prize of the DAR Good Citizens Committee was increased to a $1,000 scholarship to a college of the winner's choice. More than 27% of the new members admitted were Juniors. The DAR gave the 9,000,000th Manual for Citizenship to new voters. Student loans or scholarships were made to 498 deserving students in 34 different states. The DAR now sponsors 8,610 Junior American Citizens Clubs, with 339,435 members. During the past year the DAR marked 61 historical sites. The DAR each year sponsors American History Month in February. During the past year the DAR American History contests drew 41,163 entrants in 2,442 schools, a large increase over the previous year. More than 2,100 DAR chapters presented more than 50,000 American Flags during the past year. 22 DAR state societies cooperated with state safety officials and participated in safety conferences. These are just some of the many services provided during the past year by the local chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The DAR Chapter in this community -- and in thousands of communities in the United States -- is on the job 12 months out of every year, promoting patriotic, historical and educational objectives, toward the end that we may pass on to our children the blessings of our great American heritage.

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