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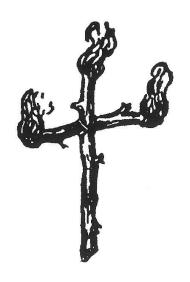


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Herbert Thomas Magruder	
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Frank Cecil Magruder	1941-1947 (Deceased)
Douglas Neil Magruder	1947-1950 (Deceased)
Commodore John Holmes Magruder	1950-1952 (Deceased)
Brig. General Marshall Magruder	1952-1956 (Deceased)
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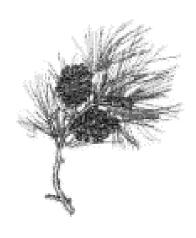
The Council and Gathering Committee wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to our Pipe Band, who, as usual, contributed so much to making this Gathering such a delightful and enjoyable weekend.

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Minutes of Council Meeting

Attendees/Officers

Sir Malcolm MacGregor of MacGregor, Hereditary Chief (via SKYPE) Maj. Ronald A. McGregor, ACGS Chieftain Scott F. MacGregor, Assistant Chieftain Howard R. Grossnickle, Ranking Deputy Chieftain

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Fred Magruder, Member At Large
Peter Gregg, Member At Large
Jim MacGregor, Member At Large/
Web Master
Edward K. Gregor, SDC New York/
Video Recorder
Jane Montmeny, Guest

ACGS Chieftain, Maj. Ronald A. McGregor called the Council Meeting to order at 8:30AM on Friday, September 17, 2010. Lillian Magruder, Historian, then opened the meeting with a prayer.

The Scribe, Randolph Walker asked if all members of Council had received and read the Council Meeting Minutes sent to each person via e-mail prior to the gathering, and did they have any additions or corrections to the minutes as submitted by Donald A. Gregg, ACGS Scribe 2007-2009. There were no additions or corrections. Maj. Ronald McGregor, Chieftain, made a motion that the minutes of council for the 100th Annual Gathering be accepted as submitted. Jim MacGregor made the second. Motion carried.

Sir Malcolm MacGregor, of MacGregor, Hereditary Chief then joined the meeting via SKYPE from Scotland. He sent greetings from himself and Lady MacGregor to all of the attendees at the 101st Annual Gathering of the ACGS. He then discussed his role in a working group in Scotland that was planning a second Gathering of The Clans or Homecoming Scotland in 2014. Additional information will be forthcoming from Sir Malcolm on this project.

An Interim Treasurer's Report, was given by Howard Grossnickle. A final report will be completed as soon as the necessary fiscal reports have been received. All reports presented were believed to be accurate with the exception of the gathering reservation deposits, regular deposits, debits, and checks not cleared until after close of the September 2010 statements of accounts. Total net worth of the Society is \$343,508.42. This was up \$13,419.02 from last years report.

Howard also gave Council an update on the payments to the Court of The Lord Lyon. The Exchequer Dues on the Letters Patent granting Shield and Crest to 1,926.00 pounds, less the lodging fee of 200.00 pounds, leaving a balance of 1,726.00 pounds to Lyon Clerk for HM Exchequer with the equivalent value of \$2,689.63, and a second sum of 1,161.95 pounds, with the equivalent \$1,625.10 for the painting on large vellum of the illustration of Arms granted to the Society. All funds were derived from contributions dedicated to the project with payments of \$4,404.73 of the \$6,000.00 allocated to date.

A motion was made by Lillian Magruder that the Treasurer's Report be accepted as submitted. Carol Spitznagle made the second. Motion carried.

Lois Ann Garlitz submitted the Registrar's Report. There were 101 contacts made this year, resulting in 38 new lineal members, and 10 new junior members, for a total of 48 new members. 38 individuals received membership applications during the year and none have returned the finished applications. She also indicated that she was beginning to get more genealogy queries, and that she had discovered that the early Society Registrars had in fact done a lot of research for individuals, such as a request to find "my entire MacGregor She said that she was willing to do some preliminary search and make suggestions to potential members. She said that she was surprised to find out that for some 60 years it took 4 officers of the Society to approve an application before an individual could become a member. Now it is just the Chieftain and the Registrar. Lois Ann said that the processing and indexing of membership folders is progressing with about 75% being completed. She expects this project to be completed by the end of 2010. She stated that members of the Society who have done additional research on their family line send her addenda documents and sources to put into their membership folders. If there are more than 12 pages involved please call her first. She also extended her thanks to Thomas Hollowak and his staff at the University of Maryland's Langsdale Library's Special Collections for scanning and putting the Society yearbooks on line. She extended a very special thank you to Lillian Magruder for sending her a copy of her Magruder GEDCOM file.

In anticipation that an updated set of bylaws would be voted upon at this Gathering, she submitted suggested documents for the Policy and Procedures Manual as they would pertain to the office of the Registrar: Registrar duties, Procedures for Provisional Members and a DNA Committee Statement.

Lois Ann also had several questions related to digitizing membership records. She stated that since she lived on a fault line she did not want to delay this project. She stated that she had a quote of approximately \$6,000.00 for the entire project. She wanted to know if any records should be digitized this fiscal year or perhaps the Charter Members.

She also had several questions about the redesign of the various forms, applications, certificates, etc. that were used by the ACGS and when it would be possible to use the new Corporate Grant of Arms. She has several suggestions related to this question.

A motion was made by John Grier to accept the report as submitted with the second being made by Peter Gregg. Motion carried.

Lillian Magruder gave the Historian's Report. Since the last Gathering of the Society in Charlottesville, Virginia in 2009 there have been three reported births, four reported marriages, ten deaths of members and three deaths of relatives of members.

A motion was made by Maggie Sanderfield to accept the report as given with the second by John Grier, Motion carried.

The Year Book Editor's Report was not available. Scott MacGregor reported that the Year Book would be late this year due to serious illness in the family of the Year Book Editor. He also stated that the Year Book Editor had asked to step down and that he would assist in the completion of the Year Book.

Steven C. Grier gave the Librarian's Report. Steven stated that the General Marshall Magruder Memorial Library is located in the Langsdale Library at the University of Baltimore. The MML consists of two distinct elements: (1) cataloged books available for circulation or on-site use; and, (2) processed and unprocessed archival materials, e.g. genealogical charts, correspondence, photographs, registration documents, and financial records. A climate controlled unit, located in Kennett Square, Pennsylvania is used to store ACGS artifacts, the surplus supply of Yearbooks, dating from 1909 to present, as well as other duplicate archival materials and books.

He also stated that this had been a great year for the MML. First, Tom Hollowak, the head of Special Collections for the Langsdale Library, arranged for the scanning of ACGS Yearbooks. This scanning was done free of charge to the ACGS. Now, every Yearbook published by the ACGS can be found in PDF form on the Library's website. Second, Mr. Hollowak also made improvements to the MML portion of the Library's website to provide more clarity and improve functionality. Third, although the \$250.00 budget approved for the purchase of books for the MML was not fully utilized this year one new book was purchased, entitled: Glencoe and The Indians by James Hunter. This book is about: "A real life family saga which spans two continents, several centuries and more than thirty generations to link Scotland's clans with the native peoples of the American West.

Steven stated that Mr. Hollowak has asked that ACGS Members not contact Aiden Faust or other Library staff directly. All questions or inquiries should be directed to the ACGS Librarian or to Mr. Hollowak. In addition, ACGS members should not request Library staff to conduct research on their behalf.

Steven stated that in an effort to recover the costs of renting the storage unit and to reduce the inventory of Yearbooks, the ACGS now offers Yearbooks for sale. The cost of a Yearbook is \$13.50 and includes all mailing costs. Not all years are available. Interested buyers should check with the Librarian to determine if a particular Yearbook is in stock. He also stated that it is time to consider a final disposition of the Yearbooks in storage since 100% are available on line.

The Librarian also reminded Council that there is a continued need to locate and collect all relevant ACGS documents that may be in the hands of ACGS members or families. He stated that there are extensive chronological gaps in the ACGS archives. All members should be on the lookout for such material and insure that it gets included in the MML collection.

He also stated that a mechanism needs to be developed and implemented for the contracting of ongoing archivist services. Mr. Hollowak and Mr. Faust are willing to process small amounts of archival material from this point forward. Any large amounts, as deemed by them, would require the services of a qualified archivist. Mr. Hollowak can assist the ACGS on this project. A motion was made by Lois Ann Garlitz to accept the Librarian's report as submitted with the second being made by Joe Tichy. Motion carried.

The Report of The Trustees and the Scholarship Report was given by Joe Tichy. He reported that the 2009-2010 Market Value of ACGS Investments was \$260,202.33 with an Unrealized Gain of \$24,400.87 and estimated annual income of \$24,720.00 for the period October 1, 2009 to September 11, 2010. Performance is down somewhat due to the overall condition of the economy and the market. Joe also gave the Scholarship Report. The Scholarship Committee is composed of Joe Tichy, Susan Tichy and Nolan Sanders. The Harry & Edith Blunt Scholarship Fund awarded ten scholarships with three being for \$1,200.00 each and seven at \$1,000.00 for a total of \$10,600.00. The three first time applicants receiving \$1,200.00 awards were: freshman Randolph Darrow of Poland, NY, and Rebekah Leigh Johnson of Buda, TX, and new MBA student Don Simon of Atlanta, GA. Awards of \$1,000.00 were distributed to the remaining Blunt Scholars: Kelsey Crane of West Jordan, UT, Brett Darrow and Josh Darrow of Poland, NY, Austin Killam of Midland, TX, Michelle McGregor of Ormond Beach, FL, and Zachary Wach and Casey Wach, both of Las Vegas, NV. A motion was made by Howard Grossnickle to accept the reports as submitted with a second made by Maggie Sanderfield. Motion carried.

The Report of The Assistant Chieftain was given by Scott MacGregor. He reported that this past year was back to normal after the very successful 100 Year Gathering and all of the work associated with that major event. Scott reported that the number of newsletters mailed for the latest issue was just over 500. He stated that the Society is still having trouble with members responding in support of the Society. This includes renewing their dues in a timely fashion, providing correct phone numbers, e-mail addresses and occupations (what they did prior to retirement) as well as changes to mailing addresses. He reported that the question was asked as to why we do not use bulk mail and the answer is that our Society does not have enough mailings to meet the requirements for bulk mail. Scott reported that the last membership directory of all members was last published in 2008 and that a new directory would most likely be coming very soon. John King Bellassai made a motion to accept the report as submitted with a second by Lillian Magruder. Motion carried.

The Report of the Ranking Deputy Chieftain was given by Howard Grossnickle. He reported that seven new State Deputy Chieftains had been appointed during the year. He requested that if anyone had items that could be used for clan tents and would assist the new SDCs to get up and running it would be appreciated if they could be donated or loaned for use. John Grier made a motion to accept the report as submitted with a second by Lois Ann Garlitz. Motion carried.

The Report of the Webmaster was made by Jim MacGregor. He stated that he needed additional information from the ACGS Merchandize Manager in order to complete a web page link for the sale of ACGS merchandize on line. Much discussion resulted related to the sale of merchandize and the associated legal and tax ramifications. No decision was made related to this issue at this time. A motion was made by Carol Spitznagle to accept the report as submitted with a second by Lois Ann Garlitz. Motion Carried.

The Report of the Newsletter Editor was given by Carol Spitznagle. She stated that the ACGS News Letter will be published three times a year and that at this time we are limited to eight pages. Ron McGregor added that Sir Malcolm is very excited about the content and quality of our Society News Letter and would like to see more content included if possible. Carol made an appeal to remind everyone to submit articles and photos of any and all ACGS activities that take place around the country. A motion was made by Lillian Magruder to accept the report as submitted with a second by Lois Ann Garlitz. Motion carried.

The Report of The Gathering Committee was given by Scott MacGregor. This year's committee was composed of Mr. John and Mrs. Lillian Grier, Mr. William and Mrs. Elizabeth Cosgrove as Chairpersons; Mr. Scott MacGregor and Mr. Robert F. MacGregor, Jr., Chairmen; Ms. Jane Montmeny was in charge of Registration; Mrs. Lillian Grier did the Centerpieces, Mr. Peter Gregg, Sales and Ms. Lois Ann Garlitz was in charge of Genealogy. The committee hopes all attendees enjoy the gathering. The council gave their sincere thanks to each and every member of the committee for another successful gathering. A motion was made and approved to accept the report of the Gathering Committee.

Unfinished Business:

Whether to accept Subchapter 1, of Chapter 3, of the District of Columbia Code, Title 29 has been under discussion by the ACGS for several years. The Society Chancellor briefed the council on the background of this issue and the pros and cons of deciding to accept the provisions of this part of the DC Code. After much discussion by council it was determined that the acceptance of Subchapter 1, of Chapter 3, of the DC Code, Title 29 is desirable and in the best interests of the Society. A resolution was passed by council (100% in favor) to recommend to the general membership of the Society, that the Society accept the Subchapter, and directs that the question of such acceptance be submitted to a vote at the annual meeting of the Society to be held in 2011.

New Business:

Questions have been raised about the authority given to the Scholarship Committee to award scholarships to members of the Society as well as children of members. After some discussion and advice by the Chancellor, the Council proposed that the Society By-Laws be amended to clarify the requirement relating to eligibility for scholarship assistance under the Harry and Edith Blunt Scholarship Fund to provide payment of a scholarship or scholarships to members and children of members of the Society to read as follows:

Article VII, Section V, Subsection a of the By-Laws be amended and restated in its entirety as follows: Subsection a: Purpose. A Scholarship Fund of the Society shall be maintained for the purposes of using the income there from for the payment of a scholarship or scholarships to members and children of members of the Society.

The proposal to amend the Society By-Laws was approved by 100% of the Council in attendance.

Members of Council had a brief discussion of the use of ACGM Proxy Voting. It was decided that this proposal would be finalized prior to the 2011 Annual Gathering. Randolph Walker made a motion to accept this proposal with a second by John King Bellassai.

Election of Officers:

The Nominating Committee's Report (as amended) was presented by Scott MacGregor.

Hereditary Chief Sir Malcolm MacGregor of MacGregor, Baronet

ACGS Chieftain Maj. Ronald A. McGregor
Ranking Deputy Chieftain Mr. Howard R. Grossnickle
Scribe Mr. Randolph W. Walker
Treasurer Dr. Bruce MacGregor Whyte

Registrar Ms. Lois Ann Garlitz
Historian Ms. Lillian Magruder
Chaplain Mr. Thaddeus G. Osborne
Chancellor Ms. Diana Browne
Librarian Mr. Steven Grier
Yearbook Editor Ms. Carol Spitznagle

Yearbook Editor

Surgeon

Dr. Thomas N. McNish

Piper

Mr. Randal Zimmerman

Mr. Lillian Magruder

The Society Chieftain, Maj. Ronald A. McGregor reappointed Scott F. MacGregor to the position of Assistant Chieftain, Jim MacGregor as Webmaster and Carol Spitznagle as News Letter Editor. He also appointed Ms. Jane Montmeny, Robert Ellington, Gregg Elliot and Dan Magehee as new Members At Large.

The Society Chieftain, Maj. Ronald A. McGregor announced that he would have some additional remarks related to the location of the 2011 Gathering at the Banquet. With no further business from the Council, the Chieftain declared the meeting adjourned at 10:19 AM.

Randolph W. Walker Scribe 2010



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Minutes of General Meeting

The ACGS Chieftain, Maj. Ronald McGregor, called the meeting to order at 9:02AM on Saturday, September 18, 2010. There were sixty-eight Society members present. He then proceeded to welcome the members to the 101st General Meeting of the Society. Maj. McGregor anounced to the members present that the Council meeting held the day prior had approved changes to the by-laws that were the most significant in the 100 year history of the ACGS, and that he would give additional details at the banquet. He then asked Ms. Lillian Magruder to give the invocation.

The Scribe, Randolph Walker, gave an overview of the interim minutes of the council meeting held on Friday morning, September 17, 2010. Fred Magruder made a motion to accept the minutes as read with a second by Dan Megehee. Motion carried.

The Treasurer, Howard Grossnickle, gave a very detailed report to the membership, line item by line item. He also gave a report on the progress associated with our new grant of Arms by the Court of The Lord Lyon, to include the cost, as well as giving a description of the approved design. There were several questions from members about the design which were addressed by Howard. A motion was made by Mike McGregor to accept Howard's report with a second by Dan Megehee. Motion carried.

The Society Chieftain, Maj. Ronald McGregor then gave some brief remarks about the conference call, via SKYPE, that was held with Sir Malcolm MacGregor. He stated that he wanted to insure that everyone was aware that there was a possibility of another Gathering of The Clans to be held in Scotland in 2014 and that he would insure that the membership was kept informed.

The Registrar, Lois Ann Garlitz, gave her report on the work accomplished during the year related to new member recruitment, membership renewals and the ongoing project to index the membership folders. She advised the membership that this project was about 75% completed and that she fully expected it to be finished by the end of 2010. She also gave complimentary remarks to the staff of the University of Maryland's Langsdale Library's Special Collections for their assistance with this project. She gave a specal thank you to Lillian Magruder for sending her a copy of her Magruder GEDCOM file and made an appeal for others who might have the same information available on their family to consider sending it to her. She also announced that the recruiter of the year was Peter Gregg, SDC for Delaware. A motion was made by John King Bellassai to accept the report as given with a second by Maggie Sanderfield. Motion carried.

The Historian, Lillian Magruder, gave a detailed report on the deaths, births, marriages and deaths of relatives of the ACGS membership. There were three reported births, four reported marriages, ten deaths of members, and three deaths of relatives of Society members. A motion was made by Howard Grossnickle to accept the report as given with a second by Maggie Sanderfield. Motion carried.

The Assistant Chieftain, Scott MacGregor gave the Year Book Report. He stated that the Year Book would be late this year due to serious illness in the family of the Year Book Editor and that the Society was now looking for a new Year Book Editor since the current member would not be able to continue. He stated that several members had come forward to assist with the current Year Book effort. A motion was made by Maggie Sanderfield to accept Scott's report with a second by Lillian Magruder. Motion carried.

The Librarian's Report was made by Steven C. Grier. He gave an overview of the work done at the General Marshall Magruder Memorial Library, and what documents were available to members use, as well as how to obtain them. He advised the membership that he had made one new book purchase during the year, entitled: *Glencoe and The Indians* by James Hunter. Steven advised the membership that there were a number of Yearbooks available for past years that could be purchased for \$13.50, to include mailing costs. He also stated that it is time to consider a final dispositon of the Yearbooks in storage since 100% are now available on line. Steven also made an appeal to members who might have ACGS documents that would enhance the the ACGS archives. He stated that there are extensive chronological gaps in this data and requested that members keep and eye out for such material and insure that it gets to the MML. A motion was made by Ron Shankland to accept the minutes report as read with a second by Susan Tichy. Motion carried.

The Trustees Report was given by Joe Tichy. He reported to the membership that the 2009-2010 Market Value of ACGS investments was \$260,202.33 with an unrealized gain of \$24,400.87, and estimated income of \$24,720.00 for the period October 1, 2009 to September 11, 2010. A motion was made by Dan Megehee to accept the Trustees Report as read with a second by Bruce MacGregor Whyte. Motion carried.

The Assistant Chieftain, Scott MacGregor, gave an overview of the duties and responsibilities of the Assistant Chieftain of the Society. He stated that he acts as the business manager for the Society. This also includes the maintaince of the membership data base. He stated that just over half of the members have a current e-mail address and some of the older members have not given an e-mail address. He discussed some of the problems that he faces such as untimely remittance of dues. He advised membership that he had received a complaint about not being able to contact members of Council. He stated that he could not understand this complaint since there was plenty of information available on the ACGS website. He also thanked all of the members of the Gathering committee who once again had performed above and beyond the call of duty. A motion was made by Dan Magehee to accept Scott's report with a second by Lois Ann Garlitz. Motion carried.

There was no report from the Society Webmaster.

Carol Spitznagle gave the report on the Society News Letter. She stated that the ACGS News Letter will be published three times a year. She made an appeal to members to submit articles and photos of any and all AGCS related activities. She also thanked everyone who had sent in articles and photos during the year. She related some of Sir Malcolm's comments

on our News Letter as well. A motion was made by Lois Ann Garglitz to accept the report as given with a second by Lillian Magruder. Motion carried.

Susan Tichy gave the Scholarship Committee Report. The Scholarship Committee is made up of Susan Tichy, Joe Tichy and Nolan Sanders. Ms. Tichy reported that the Society awarded ten scholarships from the Harry and Edith Blunt Scholarship Fund. \$1,200.00 scholarships were given to: Randolph Darrow of Poland, NY, Rebekah Leigh Johnson of Buda, TX and Don Simon of Atlanta, GA. Awards of \$1,000.00 were given to Kelsey Crane of West Jordan, Utah, Brett Darrow and Josh Darrow, of Poland, NY; Austin Killam of Midland, TX; Michelle McGregor of Ormand Beach FL; and Zachary Wach and Casey Wach, both of Las Vegas, NV.

The ACGS Scholarship in Memory of John Kennedy Magruder is awarded each year to a deserving nursing student at the University of Virginia. Jillian Sennet, of Charlottesville, VA, held this scholarship over the last two years.

The Edward May Magruder Medical Scholarship is awarded annually to students at the University of Virginia School of Medicine. This year the scholarship went to Eliza Sonnenberg. However, she had multiple offers and decided to attend the University of Pennsylvania Medical School, in Philadelphia, PA. Last year (2009-10) \$43,679.00 of these scholarship funds were divided among ten medical students, all of whom demonstrated financial need and indicated on the optional information form that they were of Scottish descent. This year's information should arrive in October.

The Scholarship Committed is waiting for information from Randolph College on the award of the ACGS Scholarship in memory of Marion Virginia Magruder.

A motion was made by Jim MacGregor to accept the report as submitted with a second by Maggie Sanderfield. Motion carried.

Howard Grossnickle gave the report from the Ranking Deputy Chieftian. He gave an overview of the successful efforts to recruit new State Deputy Chieftains during the year and also efforts to recruit members in Canada. There was some discussion as to why it might not be possible to recruit in Canada. A motion to accept the RDC's report as submitted was made by John Grier with a second by Jean Simon. Motion carried.

The slate of Officers for the coming year was announced by Maj. Ronald McGregor, ACGS Chieftain. The nominees are:

Sir Malcolm MacGregor of MacGregor, Baronet – Hereditary Chief

Maj. Ronald A. MacGregor – Chieftain

Mr. Howard R. Grossnickle - Ranking Deputy Chieftain

Mr. Randolph W. Walker - Scribe

Dr. Bruce MacGregor Whyte - Treasurer

Ms. Lois Ann Garlitz – Registrar

Mr. Thaddeus G. Osborne - Chaplain

Ms. Diana Browne - Chancellor

Mr. Steen Grier - Librarian

Ms. Carol Spitznagle – Yearbook Editor

Dr. Thomas N. McNish – Surgeon

Mr. Randal Zimmerman – Piper

Ms. Lillian Magruder - Trustee

There were no additional nomminations from the floor.

The Society Chieftain, Maj. Ronald A. MacGregor reappointed Scott F. MacGregor to the position of Assistant Chieftain, Jim MacGregor as Webmasgter and Carol Spitznagle as News Letter Editor. He also appointed Ms. Jane Montemeny, Robert Ellington, Gregg Elliot and Dan Magehee as new Membes At Large.

The Chieftain also expressed his appreciation to these members of the Society for their willingness to serve.

A motion was made by Dan Magehee to approve the slate of officers and was seconded by Helen Tyler. The motion carried with unanimous approval.

Remarks From The Chieftain: Maj. Ronald A. MacGregor gave an update on the Society Members in Colorado who had their homes threatened by the recent forest fires. He also advised members of the possible Gathering of The Clans in Scotland in 2014 as well as other remarks from Sir Malcolm MacGregor. He gave an overview of his duties during the previous year: 2,000 e-mails related to ACGS activities, 5,000 air miles, and 3,000 driving miles. He also announced the location for the 2011 Gathering – Detroit, MI, October 5-9, 2011.

New Business: Maj. Ronald A. MacGregor, Society Chieftain discussed the approval by Council of Amendments to the By-Laws and Proxy Voting. These items will be submitted to the membership for approval at the Gathering in 2011.

With no further business to discuss a motion to adjourn was made by Jim MacGregor and a second by Randolph Walker. Motion carried.

Respectively submitted,

Randolph W. Walker ACGS Scribe 2010





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State Deputy Chieftains Meeting

Howard Grossnickle, Ranking Deputy Chieftain called the meeting to order at 11:30AM. There were sixteen State Deputy Chieftains present for the meeting. Howard started his remarks by thanking the SDCs for their critical work that was so important to the good order of the Society. He then discussed his efforts to insure that there was sufficient funding available to provide as much financial support for their work as possible. He also gave an overview of the supporting materials that were available to the SDCs. It was at this point that he was notified of a personal family emergency and he had to leave the meeting. Society Chieftain, Maj. Ron McGregor filled in as best he was able for the remainder of a short meeting. Randolph Walker suggested that the Society might want to consider having the SDCs take photos of the clan tents that they use at the various games and provide them to the Ranking Deputy Chieftain who could then make a CD or transmit them via e-mail attachments to the newly appointed SDCs to give them ideas that they could implement for their own clan tents. After a short discussion it was felt that this would be a good idea. With no additional business to conduct the meeting was adjourned by Society Chieftain Maj. Ron McGregor at 11:50AM.

Respectively submitted,

Randolph W. Walker ACGS Scribe 2010

Assistant Chieftain's Report

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This past year was back to normal with the daily business of the society; from maintaining the membership database, to handling the printing and mailing, handling the efforts of organizing the upcoming Gathering, and the hardest part writing up this report.

At the height of this year's mailing the newsletter went out to over 650 members that we have addresses for. This included those who have not paid their dues in many years. After providing notice to the members that the newsletter was only going to be mailed to those members whose dues are current or no more than two years past, the number of newsletters mailed for the latest issue was just over 500.

We are still having trouble with members responding in support of the society, this includes renewing their annual dues in a timely fashion, providing phone numbers, e-mail addresses, and occupations (what you did before retiring), and letting us know when their mailing address changes.

Like most society's ours works on the dues obtained each year from its members. We're always working to keep our dues low and to this point we cannot carry members who do not maintain their dues. If your dues have lapsed please don't hesitate to become current. The last thing we want to do is lose you.

Many of you will ask why we don't use bulk mail; the simple answer is we don't do enough mailings to meet the requirements. For the newsletter and yearbook, our printer handles the mailing providing both a discount and quicker delivery time.

Members have suggested why not send the newsletter out via e-mail to members. This option is becoming more desirable, seeing that the post office has once again this year raised the cost of mailing a first class letter. Using the e-mail option would allow the newsletter to be delivered a couple of weeks sooner. The down side is that we have e-mail addresses for only about half our members. Additionally some e-mail providers have restrictions on the size of messages allowed. Then there are the SPAM filters which will often intercept messages.

Others have asked why we don't use all that money reflected in the treasurer's annual report. We are fortunate in that past and current members have provided the society with funds to invest that help offset annual costs, provide scholarships to our members, and preservation of MacGregor Antiquities. The society only uses the interest earned on these investments, never touching the principle. So the amount of money available is determined by the economy.

Everyone may not realize that with each mailing we pay the post office on average five dollars for the change of address notices. Multiple that by seven (three newsletters, yearbook, dues notice, and two Gathering letters) and you have thirty-five dollars in a single year that could have been saved if members would just provide us with their change of address in a timely fashion.

One member recently raised the concern that it is way too hard to contact the officers of our society. To this I have to ask how do you think we can improve on this. The society publishes every few years a membership directory of all members with contact information (last published in 2008); an annual yearbook with both officers and state deputy chieftains contact information; the newsletter is published three times a year and often includes numerous contact information throughout; the dues notice and Gathering letters also reflect contact information for select officers; then there is the society website that also provides contact information. So you see I am at a loss as to how we can improve getting the information out on how to reach the officers of our society.

It takes more than just the council to make our society function in a smooth, economical way. The council is always open to new suggestions on how to handle things. Remember our society is a non-profit, volunteer organization whose officers normally meet once a year. Things don't always progress as fast as one would like.

For all those members who always promptly respond to their dues notices, change of addresses, Gathering registrations, etc. my thanks and appreciation go out to you for making the jobs of myself and the rest of the council that much easier. Your support does not go unnoticed.

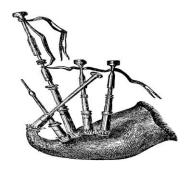
It was wonderful to hear from our librarian this summer that our complete yearbook collection, nearly one hundred volumes, was scanned and is now available on our MML website at the university. If you remember back a couple of years ago I reported that it would take at minimum five years complete this effort ourselves.

It's been a normally busy year but I've enjoyed serving the society and its members. I look forward to continuing my support of the council members and objectives over the next year.

Respectively submitted,

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Scott F. MacGregor, ACGS #2450 mcgregr@verizon.net Assistant Chieftain 2010



REGISTRAR'S REPORT for 2010

Listing new members or other changes in membership status that have occurred between the 2009 Gathering at the 100th anniversary celebration at Charlottesville, Virginia and the 101st Gathering at Annapolis, Maryland. If you should notice a discrepancy, please notify the Registrar.

Readers are reminded that the genealogies presented here are as they were submitted by the member. Any inquiries should be sent to that member.

NEW MEMBERS – includes Associate and Life Members

#2918 ALBIN, Barbara Ann Van Dyke, 7622 Coors Court, Arvada, Colorado 80005; she the daughter of Warren Jerome Van Dyke (Jerry) ACGS#2306 and Patricia Pritchard. See ACGS year book 1990.

#2919 McGREW, Charles Roger, 480 Timber Ridge Dr., Longwood, FL 32779; he the husband of Phyllis Rae Akins; he the son of Jerauld Ellery McGrew and Ruth Henrietta Hoferer; he the son of Guy Ellery McGrew and Ella Bower; he the son of Charles Ellery McGrew and Sarah Ellen MacKey; he the son of Jeremiah McGrew and Louisa Alice Massey; he the son of John Harrison McGrew and Nancy Vance; he the son of John McGrew, Jr. and Johanna Applegate.

#2920 GREGORY, Bascom Alexander, 752 Santa Maria Drive, Winter Haven, FL 33884; he the husband of Brenda Joyce Null; he the son of Wilbur Alexander Gregory and Frances Virginia Boone; he the son of Bascom Albert Gregory and Eula Grace Smith; he the son of James Lafayette Gregory and Frances A. "Fannie" Martin; he the son of John Gregory and Paralee Atkinson.

#2921 SEARLE, Donna Alexis, 9023 Utica St., Westminster, CO 80031; she the daughter of David Harold Searle, Jr. and Merlena Ahlerich; he the son of David Harold Searle, Sr. and Hortense "Daisy" Knowlton; she the daughter of Herbert Allen Knowlton and Minnie Rose Kingsbury; she the daughter of William Kingsbury and Lavisa McGregor; she the daughter of Alpheus McGregory and Mary Cheny.

#2922 DARROW, Randolph Edward II, 282 Plumb Road, Poland, NY 13431; he the son of Randolph Edward Darrow and Carla Marie Skinner ACGS#2834; and grandson of Charles LeRoy Skinner ACGS#2661 and Marian Joan Storandt ACGS#2672A.

#2923LM GARRETT, John MacGregor, 1333 Windsor Point Road, Norfolk, VA 23509-1311; he the son of William John Garrett ACGS#2102LM and Patricia Rennan; he the son of William Garrett ACGS#2101A and Helen MacGregor Garrett ACGS#1973. John has advanced from Junior to a Life Member.

#2924A GREGG, Mary Kate, she the wife of Donald Allen Gregg ACGS#2580.

#2925 GEIST, Betty Jean MacGregor, 4058 Draco Drive, Lompoc, CA 93436; she the wife of Lester Diller Geist, Jr.; she the daughter of George William MacGregor and Frances Katheryn Jenkins; he the son of William James McGregor and Lyna Louise Youngs; he the son of William James McGregor and Cora Belle Walters; he the son of James McGregor and Elizabeth Fanning.

- **#2926 BROWN, Larry Russell**, 375 Depreast Rd., Hartselle, AL 35640; he the son of William Russell Brown and Hazel Louise Self. Larry's brother was Donnie Lamar Brown, ACGS#2763.
- **#2927 WEISNICHT, Catherine Patricia Gregg**, 12424 Hulsey Drive, Chesterfield, VA 23838; she the wife of David B. Weisnicht ACGS#2928A; she the daughter of Charles S. Gregg ACGS#2313 and Patricia Hagerty.
- #2928A WEISNICHT, David B., he the husband of Catherine Patricia Gregg ACGS#2927
- **#2929 COOPER, Brian Allen**, 7889 Allison Way #103, Arvada, CO 80005; he the husband of Michelle Cooper; he the son of Robert K. Cooper and Margaret O'Mahoney; he the son of Floyd Cooper and Betty Conley; she the daughter of Herbert Conley and Beulah Horton; he the son of Harrison Boone Conley and Amanda Roark; he the son of Wallace B. Conley and Amanda Reed; he the son of Edmund Conley, Jr. and Jane Pelphrey; he the son of Edmund Conley, Sr. and Lydia Joynes; he the son of Henry Conley and Ann MacGregor; she the daughter of Archibald MacGregor and Edith MacAlpin.
- **#2930 PROUTY, David Lee**, 315 Barricks Road, Lot #8, Louisville, KY 40229; he the son of David Allen Gregg and Cora Mae Miller. David Prouty is the brother of Donald A. Gregg ACGS#2580.
- **#2931 MANUELIAN, Rebecca Kay Gregg**; 1523 Osceola St., Jacksonville, FL 32204; she the wife of Peter John Manuelian ACGS#2932A; she the daughter of Ross Thomas Gregg ACGS#2090 and Virginia Kay Wright ACGS# 2091A.
- #2932A MANUELIAN, Peter John; husband of Rebecca Kay Gregg ACGS#2931.
- **#2933LM SIMON, Frank Stewart**, 102 Silver Strand Trail, Huntsville, AL 35806; he the husband of Dena Rene Gordon; he the son of Jack Edward Simon and Rosamond Jean MacGregor ACGS#1526.
- **#2934LM SIMON, Donald Standish**, 5400 Roswell Rd. NE, I-5, Atlanta, GA 30342; he the husband of Amy Elizabeth Storey; he the son of Jack Edward Simon and Rosamond Jean MacGregor ACGS#1526.
- **#2935LM SIMON**, Douglas Louis, 70 W. Huron #2404, Chicago, IL 60654; he the son of Jack Edward Simon and Rosamond Jean MacGregor ACGS#1526.
- #2936 WORKMAN, Shawn, 31608 Wekiva River Road, Sorrento, FL 32776; he the husband of Diana L. Weih; he the son of Thomas Workman and Lola J. Hurford; she the daughter of Ray E. Hurford and Florence M. Flager; he the son of Eber J. Hurford and Esadiah J. Pittman; he the son of Lewis Hurford and Catherine Couch; he the son of Joel Hurford and Mary Davis; he the son of Nicholas Hurford and Dinah Gregg; she the daughter of Michael Gregg and Sarah Carpenter; he the son of Thomas Gregg and Dinah Harlan; he the son of John Gregg and Elizabeth Cooke; he the son of William Gregg and Ann Wilkinson; he the son of William Gregg and Mary Grace James; he the son of John Gregg and Ann Palmer; he the son of John James MacGregor and (unknown); he the son of Gregor MacGregor and (unknown).

- **#2937 WACH, Zachary Allen**, 2807 Cresmont Ave., Baltimore, MD 21211; he the son of James Edward Wach and Christine Lynn Magruder; she the daughter of Allen P. Magruder ACGS#2775 and Libbie J. Schuh.
- **#2938 WACH, Casey James**, 10636 Arundel Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89135; he the son of James Edward Wach and Christine Lynn Magruder; she the daughter of Allen P. Magruder ACGS#2775 and Libbie J. Schuh.
- **#2939 OSBORNE, Ardath Rebecca**, 45 Pine Place Drive, Berkely Springs, WV 25411; she the daughter of Robert Sampson Osborne ACGS#2733 and Paula Duncan Franke. Ardath is advancing from a Junior member.
- **#2940 McGREGOR, Thomas Thayer**, 19418 Gran Roble, San Antonio, TX 78258; he the husband of Linda Mae Wangler; he the son of Thomas McGregor and Lucille Collete Thayer; he the son of Thomas McGregor and Freda Treat; he the son of Thomas McGregor and Jennie Wood Burne.
- **#2941 MacGREGOR, Keith Daniel**, 19 Meeker Hill Road, Redding, CT 06896; he the husband of Lynne Louise Leeman; he the son of Daniel Duncan McGregor, Jr. and Ethel Rose Thompson; he the son of Daniel Duncan McGregor, Sr. and Annie Wilson; he the son of Daniel Cameron McGregor and Jane Duncan Spence; he the son of John McGregor and Margaret Graham; he the son of Donald and Janet "Jessie" Irvine Cameron; he the son of John (Malloch) MacGregor and Ann Cowans; he the son of John Malloch and Clementina "Clemy" McGrigor(2nd McGregor line); he the son of Patrick Malloch and Katherine Stewart.
- #2942 CORKERN, Eileen Marie, 2001 Sandalwood Drive, Mobile, AL 36618; she the daughter of Wayne David Corkern and Mary Eileen Gordon; he the son of William Zeno Corkern and Ethel Caaaanova; he the son of Phillip Alonzo Corkern and Margaret M.; he the son of James Pinkney Corkern and Annis S. Fisher; he the son of James Bickham Corkern and Phereba Magee; she the daughter of Phillip Magee and Jemima M. Franklin; he the son of William Magee III and Ann Moore; he the son of William MackGehee, Jr. and Elizabeth McCullough; he the son of William MackGehee, Sr. and Mary Carr; he the son of Thomas MackGehee and Ann Baytop; he the son of James MacGregor and (unknown); he the son of Patrick MacGregor and Marion McDonald; he the son of Duncan McGregor and Christian MacDonald.
- #2943 STEFFEN, Lynn Friestedt, 369 Lincoln Avenue, Lake Bluff, IL 60044; she the wife of David John Steffen; she the daughter of Frederick Bullen Friestedt and Blanche Dahlquist; he the son of Horman Ferdinand Friestedt, Sr. and Mabel LeClaire Bullen; he the son of Luther Peter Friestedt I and Dorothy Maria Houer; he the son of Per Ferdinand Friestedt and Mary Leslie Danford; she the daughter of Elbridge Gerry Danford, Sr. and Mary Dufur; she the daughter of Abel Harrison Dufur and Hannah Hale Whitcomb; he the son of Lt. David Dufur, Sr. and Ruth Gregory; she the daughter of Abraham Gregory and Susanna Whitney; he the son of Daniel MacGregor and Elizabeth Robinson; he the son of Donald [Gha/Gah] MacGregor and Helen McChrofish.

- #2944 BROCK, Richard Wayne, 817 W. Hillcrest Ave., Dayton, OH 45406; he the son of Leonard Eugene Brock and Sarah Anna Winklemen; she the daughter of George Elmer Winkleman and Mary Ella McGregor; she the daughter of Eli Chester McGregor and Anna Eliza Crook; he the son of John Sexton McGregor and Caroline Opal Bartholemew; he the son of Eli McGregor and Maria Sexton; he the son of John C. McGregor and Elizabeth McGregor.
- **#2945A ELLIOTT, Susan Duncan**, 1600 Dockyard Landing, Chesapeake, VA 23321; she the wife of Millard Gregg Elliott ACGS#2655.
- **#2946 FRANTZ, Georgina Dunn**, 20016 Hilltop Ranch Drive, Montgomery, TX 77316; she the wife of Jacob Paul Frantz III, she the daughter of George Endey Dunn and Sarah Stirrat; he the son of John Dunn and Lillian McGregor.
- **#2947 WHITE, Stephen Michael**, 873 West 1090 North, Clinton, UT 84015; he the son of Russell Earl White and Kathie Elaine Menerey; he the son of Robert Earl White and Amo Florence; he the son of Frank White and Flora Cochran; he the son of John Bud White and Sarah Francis Wells.
- **#2948A** MacGREGOR, Patricia Dutton, 7819 Lakeland Valley Dr., Springfield, VA 22153; she the wife of James B. MacGregor ACGS#2354LM.
- **#2949 COLLINSON, Paul Owens**, 229 N. Galveston St., Arlington, VA 22203-1313; he the husband of Julia Nicole Bivens; he the son of John Collinson III and Mary Clagett Magruder, whose sister is Elizabeth Magruder Cosgrove ACGS#1156.
- **#2950 HUGHES, Daniel Bruce**, 304 Hammershire Road, Reisterstown, MD 21136; he the husband of Anne M. Morgan; he the son of Rupert Hughes and Marjorie Fisher; she the daughter of John Franklin Fisher and Dovie Catherine Anders; he the son of Millard Clay Fisher and Mary Boswell; he the son of Everard G. Fisher and Muriel E. Dawes; she the daughter of Benjamin B. Dawes and Rebecca Perry; she the daughter of Erasmus Perry Sr. and Elizabeth Harding; he the son of Benjamin Perry and Elizabeth Magruder; she the daughter of Ninian Magruder and Elizabeth Brewer; he the son of Col. Samuel Magruder and Sarah Bell; he the son of Alexander Magruder, the Immigrant and Margaret Braithwaite.
- **#2951 BLACK, Richard William**, 3115 North 1175 East, Layton, UT 84040; he the son of Edward Ferris Black and Alice Rose Ames; he the son of Daniel Luther Black and Hazle Murrier Tryon; he the son of George Henry Black, Sr. and Margaret Minerva Washburn; he the son of William Morley Black and Margaret Ruth Banks; he the son of John Black and Mary Cline; he the son of William Harold Black and Sarah Stevens; he the son of William Black and (unknown); he the son of Thomas Black and (unknown).
- **#2952** LACKEY, Thomas Ogden, 201 Morning Glory Drive, Scottsboro, AL 35769; he the husband of Mary Phillips; he the son of Fred Thomas Lackey, Jr. and Nancy Zoe Greene; he the son of Fred Thomas Lackey, Sr. and Ruby Louise Essary; he the son of Max Millin Lackey and Mary Ellen Gilbert; he the son of Andrew H. Lackey and Mary F. Autridge; he the son of Moses Monroe Lackey and Lucinda Harvey; he the son of Moses Lackey and Margaret Lusk; he the son of William H. Lackey and Nancy Agnes Stevenson.

#2953 BRUCE, Joyce Elizabeth Orr, 955 Factory Road, Hampstead, NC 28443; she the wife of John Loren Bruce; she the daughter of Vanoy Dudley Orr and Frances Elizabeth Heffner; he the son of Henry (Horace) Dudley Orr and Dora Mathilda Anderson; he the son of James LC Orr and Hannah Malena Shipman; he the son of Jeremiah Orr and Margaret Ann Hamilton; he the son of Lambert Clayton Orr and Ruth Osborn; he the son of John Orr and Jane Brevard Clayton; he the son of Robert Orr and Ann Hogsed; he the son of John Orr and Rachel Alexander.

#2954 KNIGHT, David MacGregor, 1477 Schwarz Meadow Drive, O Fallon IL 62269; he the husband of Melody Anne Eckhardt; he the son of Ervin Harris Knight and Anne MacGregor Moore ACGS#1869.

#2955 KNIGHT, Daniel Michael,1477 Schwartz Meadow Drive, O Fallon, IL 62269; he the son of David MacGregor Knight ACGS#2954 and Melody Anne Eckhardt.

Convert to LIFE MEMBER

#0939LM PUGH, Louise Ewell, Columbia, South Carolina

#2215ALM WOOLEY, Patricia, Charlotte, North Carolina

#2743LM BOSCH, Dr. Milton K. D., Napa, California

#2823LM MacGREGOR, Tobey Allen, Norfolk, Virginia

REINSTATED MEMBERS in 2010

#1548 KNIGHTEN, Wily W., Oro Valley, Arizona

#2460 McGEHEE, Eugene Webb, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

new JUNIOR MEMBERS (their # indicates the year they turn 18 years of age)

#2011J GREGG, Samantha, Etters, PA. Her sponsor is her father Thaddeus B. Gregg #2844.

#2012J WEISNICHT, James David, Chesterfield, VA. His sponsor is his father David B. Weisnicht #2928A.

#2014J WEISNICHT, Patricia M., Chesterfield, VA. Her sponsor is her father David B. Weisnicht #2928A.

#2014J GREGG, Olivia Burr, Etters, PA. Her sponsor is her father Thaddeus B. Gregg #2844.

#2016J COLLINSON, Zephren Bivens, Arlington, VA. His sponsor is his father Paul Owens Collinson #2949.

#2019J COLLINSON, Cordelia Bivens, Arlington, VA. Her sponsor is her father Paul Owens Collinson #2949.

#2019J GREGG, Henry Bartholomew, Etters, PA. His sponsor is his father Thaddeus B. Gregg #2844.

#2021 McGREGOR, Zidane Thomas, Edgewater, FL. His sponsor is his great grandfather John C. McGregor #2379.

#2026J McGREGOR, Eli Iam, Edgewater, FL. His sponsor is his great grandfather John C. McGregor #2379.

#2027J GOWAN, Lynn Anne, Chesapeake, VA. Her sponsor is her grandfather Millard Gregg Elliott #2655.

RECRUITER for the Year 2010 is Peter K. Gregg (ACGS#2686) who assisted seven family members to join ACGS. Congratulations! Runners-up who assisted 3 or more persons to join this year were: Jean Simon (ACGS#1526) - 4 new members and Elizabeth Cosgrove (ACGS#1156) - 3 new members.

Way to go folks!



Annapolis Gathering, Sept 17, 2010

To summarize the membership activity for the year - 101 contacts, resulting in 38 new lineal members, 10 new juniors, meaning 48 new members.

Seven members had a change of status - four converted to life members, one Junior member converted to lineal, and two were reinstated. In addition five letters were sent 1 Sept 2010 to Juniors who have reached their 18th birthday to invite then to become lineal members.

That leaves 38 persons who have received an application from me in the past year and have not as yet returned it.

The names of these new members were read at the General meeting and the individuals present were recognized.

I am beginning to get more genealogy queries since Feb 2010 – about 10 open cases. I really don't want to be like the early Registrars and do peoples' research for them: such as a request to find "my entire MacGregor ancestors", but I will do a preliminary search and make suggestions for them. Until I began to index the membership file folders, I did not realize how much work the early Registrars did for applicants. Much of the early handwriting is the same and sources are listed in the same format – so it is possible the early Registrars prepared the pedigrees on each application for a prospective member. I learned that for at least sixty years that the Bylaws required four officers to approve an application before a person could become a member. Now it is just the Chieftain and the Registrar.

Processing and indexing our membership file folders is progressing – about 75% done now, anticipating completion by end of 2010. Processing includes removing any paper clips and staples, moving all documents from their old file folder to a new acid-free one; orienting all documents the same direction to be "camera-ready" for digitizing, and then folders into an acid-free document case. All are arranged alphabetically. An index is being built using Excel with 20 categories, reflecting the name each member was known as when they joined. Ladies who married later are also indexed with their married name. Not all of the processing

and indexing is straight forward: a bit more research may be necessary to figure out who they are related to, etc.

Remember that you as members who might have done additional research on your pedigree can send me addenda documents and sources to add to your membership file folders. If you have more than twelve pages, call me first.

I would like to extend thanks to Thomas Hollowak and his staff at the University of Maryland's Langsdale Library's Special collections (including our Marshal Magruder Library) for scanning and putting our yearbooks on line. Having all the yearbooks on line is such a big asset; I am always recommending them to people who are looking for more information.

Lois Ann Garlitz



This pencel was presented by Sir Malcolm MacGregor of MacGregor, 24th Chief of Clan Gregor to the American Clan Gregor Society at the Jacksonville, Florida Gathering in 2004. The pencel is flown by our society chieftain at official events in Sir Malcolm's absence.

You'll often see this pencel flown at our annual Gatherings during the meetings and the grand banquet when Sir Malcolm is unable to join us.

REPORT OF THE HISTORIAN

Lillian Magruder

BIRTHS

HARRIS, Gregory Magruder, Jr. born February 22, 2010, son of Gregory Magruder Harris, Sr. (Clan No. 2910LM) and Brooke Mouvain Harris (Clan No. 2911ALM), and grandson of Eleanor Magruder Harris (Clan No. 1566LM) and Henry Pratt Upham Harris, III.

ALLRED, Samuel Zachary, born April 6, 2010, son of Zen and Rebecca Allred, and grandson of Lois Ann Garlitz (Clan No. 2561LM).

SANDERFIELD, Jayden, born April 13, 2010, son of Jenny and Troy Sanderfield (Clan No. 2730), grandson of Maggie Sanderfield (Clan No. 2253), and great grandson of Eileen Pruett (Clan No. 2186LM).



Troy, Jayden, and Jenny Sanderfield

MARRIAGES

DUNCAN - ELLIOT

Susan Kelley Duncan and Millard Gregg Elliott (Clan No. 2655) were married on December 17, 2009, in Suffolk, Virginia. Susan has now joined the American Clan Gregor Society (Clan No. 2945A)

HADFORD -MACGREGOR

Jennifer Joy Hadford and **Ian Douglas MacGregor** were married on October 10, 2008. Ian is the son of John R. MacGregor (Clan No. 2717) and LouAnn MacGregor.



Jennifer and Ian MacGregor

KEETON-McGREGOR

Mellisa Keeton and **Scott S. McGregor** (Clan No. 2813) were married on October 17, 2009 in Denver, Colorado. Scott is the son of ACGS Chieftain Major Ronald A. McGregor (Clan No. 2142LM) and Ann McGregor.

WILLIAMS - MACGREGOR

Patricia D. Williams and **James B. MacGregor** (Clan No. 2354LM) were married on May 8, 2010 at Living Savior Lutheran Church in Fairfax Station, Virginia. Patricia has now joined the American Clan Gregor Society (Clan No. 2948A).

DEATHS OF MEMBERS

HIGGINS, Walter M. Jr., (Clan No. 1144), died on September 3, 2009.

SCHMIEG, Robert E., Jr., (Clan No. 2906), died on October 23, 2009.

BROWN, Dennie Lamar, (Clan No. 2763), died on November 17, 2009.

STRATTON, Dr. J. David, (Clan No. 1627LM), died on December 13, 2009.

CRAIG, Margaret Magruder, (Clan No. 1235LM), died on April 24, 2008.

EWELL, Carrington Waddell, (Clan No. 2292), died on April 2, 2010 (*Grandson of one of the founders of the ACGS*).

MAGRUDER, Don F., (Clan no. 2710), died on June 8, 2010.

BRADSHAW, Leon Sloan (Clan No. 2235LM), died on June 27, 2010, in Salisbury, NC.

MacGREGOR, Malcolm G. (Clan No. 2138LM), former Chieftain of American Clan Gregor Society, died on August 29, 2010.

COLE, Anne Magruder (Clan No. 1107LM), died on September 5, 2010 at the age of 96, Anne was the daughter of BG Marshall Magruder, for whom our library is named.

WREN, Robert Wayne (Clan No. 2332A), died on March 10, 2010.

WREN, Mary McGregor (Clan No. 2331), died on June 11, 2010.



Robert & Mary Wren

DEATHS OF RELATIVES OF MEMBERS

MONROE, Nora (Mrs. Joseph) wife of Joseph Monroe (Clan No. 2425), died on February 27, 2010.

ELLIOTT, Mildred Lynn Andrews, wife of Millard Gregg Elliott, (Clan No. 2655), died on March 11, 2009.

MAGRUDER, Eleanor Ruth Moseley, mother of Eleanor Magruder Harris (Clan No. 1566LM) and widow of Roger Gregory Magruder, M.D., (Clan No. 46), died on April 23, 2009, in Norfolk, Virginia. Eleanor Magruder Harris is the granddaughter of one of our founding fathers, Dr. Edward May Magruder.

TREASURER'S REPORT 2009-2010

AMERICAN CLAN GREGOR SOCIETY, INC.
STATEMENT OF ASSETS & LIABILITIES FOR YEAR END SEPTEMBER 30, 2010

I WOULD LIKE TO PRESENT TO THE COUNCIL AND THE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP THIS ANNUAL TREASURERS REPORT FOR THE NORMAL END OF THE FISCAL YEAR REPORTING PERIOD ENDING ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 2010. I BELIEVE THAT ALL ACCOUNTS PRESENTED ARE ACCURATE WITH THE EXCEPTION FOR THE GATHERING RESERVATION DEPOSITS, REGULAR DEPOSITS, DEBITS, AND CHECKS NOT CLEARED UNTIL AFTER CLOSE OF THE SEPTEMBER STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNTS. I DID NOT ADD ESTIMATED AMOUNTS TO THE REPORT, BUT I HAVE PRESENTED PRESENT ACCOUNT STATEMENTS AS INDICATED BELOW:

Wells Fargo Bank, Consumer Banking Small Business MAC N9829-011

Account Name	Account Number	Acct. B	<u>alance</u>	
		2008-2009	2009-2010	
 General Fund Checking Account 	305-0425796	\$ 65,081.26	\$ 29,684.31	
2. General Fund Savings Account	305-0425812	\$ 2,291.79	\$ 2,292.93	
3. Peg Tichy Memorial Fund	719-3125247	\$ 9,876.98	\$ 9,716.57	
4. Marshall Magruder Library Fund	719-3125239	\$ 2,021.35	\$ 2,024.64	
5. Charity & Education Fund	719-3125254	\$ 27,663.09	\$ 31,032.66	
6. Harry & Edith Blunt Scholarship Fund	719-3125221	\$ 2,426.06	\$ 2,429.71	
Total WF cash Balance 9/30/2008		\$ 109,360.53	\$ 77,180.82	
Total BrokersXpress Portfolio Equity		\$ 161,457.70	\$ 206,245.81	
Total Balance Dividends Interest Money Markets		\$ 59,271.17	\$ 72,514.29	
Total Net worth		\$ 330,089.40	\$355,940.92	
Total BrokersXpress Portfolio (Unrealized Profit/Loss)				

2009-2010 Market Value \$278,760.10, Unrealized Gain/Loss of: \$29,172.32 Est. Annual Income \$8,500.00.00 period Oct 1, 2009 to September 30, 2010

Note:

- 1. An estimated value for tangible assets, such as the collection at the University of Baltimore Library, inventory of tent sale items, inventory of old yearbooks, and other miscellaneous items, is not included in the above net worth figures.
- 2. See addendum of BrokersXpress Investment Account in the appropriate account summary sheets for Interest income to be carried forward.
- 3. The Trustees decided to maintain all accounts with BrokersXpress, El Paso, TX. 79913-0630 to maintain the Investment Management team with BrokersXpress for this reporting period.

Howard R. Grossnickle Treasurer ACGS The following sums were received from BrokersXpress in the sum of \$8,500.00 from which was used to pay out **10** scholarships totaling \$**10,600.00** with \$8,500.00 from the Harry and Edith Blunt Fund, \$1,100.00 for scholarship contributions to the C&E fund, and \$1,000.00 from the funds donated by Ms. Lillian Magruder. The remainder of the funds were kept in the BrokersXpress account to facilitate the covering of the 2009 and 2010 present and pending expenditures, or as directed by Council and the Trustees. Return on invested assets for the period of October 1, 2009 to present have accumulated sums of \$9,100.00 in the Blunt fund, \$5200.00 in the Tichy fund, and \$10,420.00 in the General fund for expenses in the 2010-2011 fiscal year.

DUES from members -- 243 members plus associate responses, resulted in receiving payments totaling \$7,300.00. This is down from last year's 277 responses, and less than last year's \$8,475.00 in dues payments; which is a significant drop both in the numbers and in the revenue received. This could be considered to be a reflection of the economic times; even with this we should still be concentrating some efforts directed toward member retention, as well as, the need to improve recruitment, and processing of new members.

C & E FUND: We received significant contributions to the Dalmally Stones project with pledge receipts of \$2,095.00; in comparison to the previous year's receipts of \$3,407.50. We are now trying to rebuild the funds to be in a position to accommodate grant requests on the Antiquities projects. In 2009 we responded to a grant request from Clan Gregor Society for a continuing grant of funds toward the Dalmally project as part of our Antiquities efforts, and in so doing; we are presented our foreign draft to CGS and Sir Malcolm MacGregor, in the sum of £4,131.74 representing an expenditure of \$7,000.00.

We also have received donations to the Library Archivist fund in the sum of \$2,535.00.00 in this reporting period and when added to the \$21,933.50 raised previously that brings us to \$24,468.50 of the \$26,151.50 we had for the MML Archivist fund.

We had extended \$10,000.00 to this effort from the General fund to facilitate the hiring of the Archivist which has us left with the need to raise \$1,683.00 to fully replace the \$10,000.00 extended from the General Fund.

Both of the fund efforts should be continued and invigorated with efforts to raise funds to complete these projects in a timely manner.

The HARRY & EDITH BLUNT SCHOLARSHIP fund awarded 10 scholarships with 3 for \$1,200.00 each and 7 at \$1,000.00 totaling \$10,600.00 to;

Don Simon of Atlanta, GA Randolph Darrow Joshua Darrow Brett Darrow of Poland, NY Zachary Wach of Las Vegas, NV

Casey Wach of Las Vegas, NV Rebekah Leigh Johnson of Buda, TX Michelle McGregor of Port Orange, FL Austin Killam of Midland, TX Kelsey Crane of Logan, UT

Court of the Lord Lyon;

The Exchequer Dues on the Letters Patent granting Shield and Crest to £1,926.00 less the lodging fee of £200.00 leaving a balance of £1,726.00 to Lyon Clerk for HM Exchequer with the equivalent value of \$2,689.63, and a second sum of £1,161.95, with the equivalent \$

1,625.10 for the painting on large vellum of the illustration of Arms granted to the Society. All funds were derived from contributions dedicated to the project, with payments of \$4,404.73 of the \$6,000.00 allocated to date.

The General Fund checking account disbursements totaled \$46,818.63, and are reflected in the non reoccurring expenses already stated, and with recognition of the efforts of Scott F. MacGregor in containing our annual costs while making plans and presenting expenditures for the 2008 and 2009 AGMs.

I have completed my presentation of this Interim Annual Treasures Report, and await your comments and questions.

This concludes the Treasurer's presentation.

Howard R. Grossnickle Treasurer ACGS October 26, 2010



A proposed depiction, as presented during the Gathering General Meeting, of what our new Corporate Grant of Arms might look.



MALCOLM G. MACGREGOR

September 15, 1926 - August 30, 2010

Malcolm G. MacGregor, died in Cape Coral, FL, August 30, 2010 with his wife, Barbara, and daughters, Martha, Amanda, and Hannah, at his side. He was born to Allan Barker and Katharine (Glover) MacGregor in Haverhill, MA on September 15, 1926. He was a direct descendant of Rev. James McGregor, who, in 1719 founded the town of Nutfield, which was to become the towns of Derry, Londonderry and East Derry, NH.

Malcolm grew up in Haverhill and attended the public schools there. Upon graduating from high school he immediately enlisted in the United States Navy and served in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater. Upon discharge, he attended Northeastern University. When Malcolm left Northeastern, he joined the McGregor-Smith Motor Co., a Desoto-Plymouth dealership in Haverhill, as an active partner. In 1975 he took over management of Timberlane Transportation, in Exeter, NH, a division of McGregor-Smith Motor Co.



He married Pauline Wiley in 1948, and they settled in Sandown, NH, where they raised their five children. He served as Chairman of the School Committee, Chairman of the Planning Board and Fire Chief, and was a charter member of the Lions Club in Sandown. The family moved to Rye, NH in 1970. He was a member of the Abenaki Country Club.

In 1985 he retired to Bokeelia, FL where he met and married Barbara Louise Teuscher, and, as he put it, they "lived there happily ever after." During this time, being very proud of his heritage, he became more actively involved in the affairs of the American Clan Gregor Society. He served as Scribe, and as Deputy Chieftain for Florida, where he and Barbara ran the Clan Tent at six or seven Highland Games each season. They had attended many other Scottish Games throughout the country, as well as the 1992 Reunion in Scotland. He was ranking deputy chieftain from 1993-1996, and chieftain from 1996-2000, an honor that made him very proud. Malcolm will be remembered for setting-up the pledge program in support of the Dalmally Stones and for his encouragement of establishing closer ties with CGS.

Besides being an avid golfer, he enjoyed doing crossword puzzles, and building and flying remote-controlled model airplanes. He loved music, and attended many live "concerts" of local bluegrass bands.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara, his ex-wife, Pauline, and his children, Malcolm and his wife Theresa (Menard), Allan, Martha M. Lardent and her husband Craig, Amanda MacGregor Peirce, and Hannah MacGregor, and by his two granddaughters, Jennifer and Beth Hall. He is survived by his brother, A. Bruce MacGregor, and sisters, Katharine Gove and Janet Smith and her husband Milton, and by many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

ANNE MARSHALL MAGRUDER COLE

February 11, 1914 – September 5, 2010

Anne Marshall Magruder Cole was born on February 11, 1914 in Washington, DC, daughter of Anne Louise Peyton of Bolton, Mississippi and Brigadier General Marshall Magruder Washington, DC. General Magruder's father, George Corbin Washington Magruder, was a descendent of Colonel John Washington. Anne Louise Peyton was the daughter of Harry Peyton, whose ancestors, the Thoroughgoods, moved to Charles County, Maryland from England in the 1600's. Besides having an outstanding career in the field artillery, General Magruder was very active in The American Clan Gregor Society and served as Chieftain from 1952 through 1956.

Anne graduated in 1932 from Western High School in Washington, DC and then attended Florida Women's College in Tallahassee where she graduated with an Education degree in 1934. Anne accompanied her parents during their tour of



duty to Oahu, Hawaii where she taught school. When General Magruder retired and they moved to Atlanta, Georgia in the early 1940's, Anne returned to school and graduated with a B. A. from Duke University in 1944.

On November 4, 1946, Anne married Loren Fletcher Cole (Fletcher) in Marietta, Georgia. They moved to Palm Beach, Florida in 1950, where they remained until 1993. Anne resided at Sandhill Cove in Palm City, Florida until 2007 when she moved to Lourdes-Noreen McKeen Residence in West Palm Beach. Anne's husband of 50 years, predeceased her in 1997.

Anne was active in a number of organizations in Palm Beach including The March of Dimes, The American Red Cross, The St. Mary's Guild, The Society of the Four Arts and The Palm Beach Garden Club. Of particular note, as Chairperson for several ceremonies involving the Bicentennial Committee for the Town of Palm Beach, Anne was instrumental in erecting the Bicentennial Eagle on Royal Poinciana Way. She was a founding member of Chapter XVII of the Colonial Dames of America. While Anne served as President of the Colonial Dames in 1974, her husband was the Governor of the Society of the Colonial Wars. Anne was further active in and belonged to the following genealogical organizations: the National Society of the Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, the American Clan Gregor Society, the Peyton Society, Magna Carta Dames and the National Society of the Washington Family Descendents.

However, the Church of Bethesda-by-the-Sea was the primary focus of Anne's volunteer efforts. She held a number of positions including Treasurer of St. Mary's Guild, Deanery Director for the Diocese of Southeast Florida, a member of the Altar Guild, and a Sunday

school teacher, as well as a Chair of their Home and Garden Tour. In her later years, Anne devoted many hours to growing and showing numerous varieties of orchids.

The Coles were members of The Sailfish Club, The Everglades Club, and The Bath and Tennis Club in Palm Beach, in addition to clubs in Atlanta, New York City, Washington DC, and Cashiers, NC.

Anne is survived by two sons, Loren Fletcher Cole Jr. (Sally) of Seattle, WA; Peyton Magruder Cole (Beth) of Palm Beach, FL; and a daughter, Susanne Cole Wean (John) of Palm Beach, FL and Pittsburgh, PA. In addition, Anne has four grandchildren, Tyler Fletcher Wean, Britton Peyton Wean, Laura Anne Cole, and Peyton Magruder Cole Jr.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to either the Church of Bethesda-by-the-Sea in Palm Beach, Florida, the Church of the Good Shepherd in Cashiers, North Carolina or a charity of one's choice.

Memorial services will be held at Bethesda-by-the-Sea and the Church of the Good Shepherd in the future. Anne will be interred at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Cashiers, North Carolina where the Coles summered for over 50 years.



Our society would like to that this opportunity to thank the following individuals who have made memorial donations to the society, totaling \$1150, in memory of **Anne Marshall Magruder Cole**. These donations will be invested and the ongoing income earned will be used to further the missions and goals of the American Clan Gregor Society for many years to come. The society greatly appreciates the generosity extended by these individuals.

Loren F. Cole, Jr. Robert B. Magruder Susanne C. Wean Catherine Magruder

We extend our apology to any additional members who made memorial contributions and are not reflected in the list above.

CARRINGTON WADDELL EWELL

December 31, 1959 – April 2, 2010

Clan #2292, died April 2, 2010 in Lynchburg, VA of a massive stroke. Carrington was born December 31, 1959 in Charlottesville, VA., youngest son of the late Dr. Nathaniel MacGregor Ewell, Jr. and Mildred Carrington Hart Ewell of Charlottesville, VA. He was the grandson of Dr. Jesse Ewell, co-founder of the American Clan Gregor Society. Surviving aside his mother, are; his sister, Frances Carrington Ewell Honsharuk of Butte, MT. and three brothers, Nathaniel Macgregor Ewell III of Palmyra, VA., Richard Byrd Hart Ewell of Williamsburg, VA., and Richard Stoddert Ewell of Winston-Salem, N.C., two nieces, Mary Byrd Ewell and Anne Carrington Ewell of Winston-Salem, N.C.

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Carrington graduated from the University of Rochester, Rochester, N.Y. excelling in Shakespearian plays and music. He received his



Master of Fine Arts Administration from VA Tech, Blacksburg, VA. He was with the Michigan Opera Theater, the NY City Opera working with Beverly Sills, the Lyric Opera of Chicago, the Pennsylvania Opera Theater and the Settlement Music School in Philadelphia, PA. He was the Executive Director of the William King Regional Arts Center in Abingdon, VA and later the Director of Development and Arts Administration at PVCC in Charlottesville, VA.

Carrington was proud of his Scottish heritage and was very active in the American Clan Gregor. Over the years Carrington variously served as State Deputy Chieftain from Virginia, Trustee, Member at large and Deputy Assistant Chieftain to Assistant Chieftain, Joe Tichy. It was his greatest pleasure bringing in the Haggis or Scotch at the annual Clan banquet. He also loved organizing music for the Ceilidh, which always brought numerous accolades.

Besides being a member of the American Clan Gregor Society, Carrington was a member of the St. Andrews Society, was past president of the Patrick Henry Descendents, branch of the Patrick Henry Memorial foundation and was a member of the Virginia Historical Society.

Carrington was a very talented artist painting historic homes, family coats of arms, pen and ink drawings of men in the operatic world, self-portraits in colored pencil and watercolors with friends and beloved animals.

Carrington is buried in the family graveyard at "Sunny Bank", the ancestral home of the Hart family in Albemarle Co., VA.

The flag of Scotland waved in the gentle breeze as the piper bid farewell.



Our society would like to that this opportunity to thank the following individuals who have made memorial donations to the society, totaling \$800, in memory of Carrington Waddell Ewell. These donations will be invested and the ongoing income earned will be used to further the missions and goals of the American Clan Gregor Society for many years to come. The society greatly appreciates the generosity extended by these individuals.

John F. Ewell Louise Ewell Pugh Ernest Pugh

We extend our apology to any additional members who made memorial contributions and are not reflected in the list above.



Dalmally Kirk

TEA WITH MRS. MAGRUDER IN 1950

By: Frances Lummis Lloyd ACGS# 1052LM, written January 2011

In June of 1949, I started working at the Naval Ordinance Laboratory outside Washington, D.C. In those days the Clan (ACGS) held its annual Gathering at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington, so of course I went as my parents came through from Charlottesville. Along about that time a friend (and distant cousin) Beverly Randolph (daughter of O. Robbins Randolph whose mother was a Magruder) and I decided to tour Europe the next year.

I don't recall how it came about, but I met Susie Mae Geddes van den Berg and Regina Hill (Registrar) and they said we must meet Sir Malcolm's sister and made arrangements for it to happen. After the trip I wound up living only a few blocks from them and frequently went to their apartment and helped stuff envelopes for the clan activities until 1959 when I married and left the area.

Beverly and I set sail on April 15, 1950 from New York on a freighter for a two week ocean crossing to Italy. The picture of us shows Beverly on the left; me on the right – and slightly taller. After about six weeks of touring, we arrived in Scotland and contacted Mrs. Magruder. She and a friend met us with a hired car, picnic tea in hand, in Perth, I believe, on a very rainy day. En route to Blair Athol I remember Mrs. Magruder objecting to the plans to put power lines (I forgot her term) across the country side. At Blair Athol one of the first paintings we saw was of a lovely young lady, Mrs. Magruder remarked that she didn't think Anne was that pretty! We enjoyed our tour and then since it was still raining, had picnic tea in the car! A lovely day in Scotland.



Frances Lloyd, Beverly Randolph

A few days later, thanks to a call from Mrs. Magruder, we stopped in Balquhidder and had tea with Sir Malcolm. Lady MacGregor had to be in Glasgow so we didn't see her. We had tea in the house in the dining room; he showed us around and later we walked in the garden. I remember Sir Malcolm saying that Gregor was in Malaya; he wasn't too happy about that. The weather was much nicer that day, hence the photo of Sir Malcolm and one of his gardens.

** Just another note about Frances' connection with the early history of ACGS... her grandfather was a younger brother of Edward May Magruder, co-founder of ACGS.

WHO WAS MARYEL?

By: Lois Ann Garlitz

If you have done very much family history research at all, you have no doubt run across a small clue of some kind which intrigued you because it explained so little, and at the same time you felt sure it held some meaning for you.

"Mrs. Maryel Alpina (MacGregor) Magruder, member #318, Balquhidder, Scotland, sister of Sir Malcolm MacGregor of MacGregor. Chief prior to 1958. Died 27 Nov 1967. (original application missing, this inserted temporarily)"

Actually that was plenty of clues, but what was it doing in ACGS's membership file folders? How did a resident of Scotland get to be a member of ACGS and why were the names MacGregor and Magruder linked together – other than the ancestor – descendant link or "named for grandpa"?

Genealogical research basics are — who, what, why, when, where... and start at home with what you know already. Who would know (before bothering the current Sir Malcolm just yet)? Of course © - Professor Richard McGregor, who sent me a copy of her marriage license, which occurred in Edinburgh in 1911. Then I could look up her husband - Dr. Ernest Pendleton Magruder, ACGS Charter member #7, Emergency Hospital, Washington, D.C. Then the questions really started coming... where and how did they meet? And there is a file folder among the membership records for Ernest Pendleton Magruder, Jr. And very soon Sir Malcolm was helping with the hunt too, and acknowledged that this lady was his great aunt.

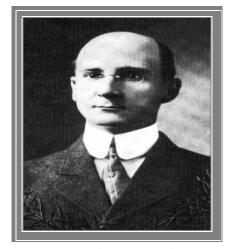
Next - those would be socially prominent names? Yes... so let's search the newspapers. The Washington Post and the Scotsman both had stories of the wedding. And what do the ACGS yearbooks have to say? Plenty - and they are all on line now at http://archives.ubalt.edu/acgs/acgviii.htm. Slowly the story emerged: from some online genealogy web sites, as well as Google, census records, and just following the clues from one date to the next in the newspapers and early yearbooks.

Long story short... Ernest Pendleton Magruder was born 23 October 1871 in Upper Marlboro, Maryland, one of five brothers. He was a graduate of Columbia Union in 1900 and George Washington University in 1902, and took up his medical practice in Washington, D.C., becoming what we would today call a trauma surgeon. Sometime, probably in early summer of 1911, he went on a tour of Europe – or at least to Scotland, and stopped by to pay his respects to his clan Chief, Sir Malcolm MacGregor of MacGregor, grandfather of our current Chief. And who should be there but Sir Malcolm's sister Maryel Alpina. courtship ensued with wedding following on 23 October 1911, the bridegroom's 40th birthday. The couple began their married life in the Washington DC area soon after, and a baby boy, named for his father, arrived in late 1912. Their life together was rudely interrupted by the advent of World War I. The United States was not officially engaged in the war yet, but a call went out to the American Red Cross for volunteers to help combat disease, particularly typhus, in the Balkans. Several groups of volunteer doctors and nurses, as well as Dr. Magruder's group of 2 other doctors and 4 nurses sailed to Serbia in 1914. Eventually this epidemic was suppressed but not before Dr. Magruder had succumbed to typhus on 8 April 1915. They all understood the risk – only one physician survived from Dr.

Magruder's group. His casket was not returned to the US for burial until 1920 because of the war and quarantine issues.

Photographs of each of them were found, but one taken together at their wedding has yet to surface.





Maryel MacGregor

Ernest Pendleton Magruder

Of all the acknowledgements of Dr. Magruder's humanitarian service, this one stands out to me – from the 1915 ACGS yearbook on pg 21 – remarks from the guest speaker at the banquet, the Honorable Henry Stockbridge, Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals of Maryland: this paragraph -

"It is easy to be courageous amid the din of battle's roar, or where clashing claymores beat out a music all their own; the tramp of armed men, the rattle of the musketry's leaden hail fires the blood and leads to deeds of valor. But a different, higher type of courage is that which alone, by night as by day, faces the insidious enemy of mankind, Death, as he stalks abroad bearing disease and pestilence, and carries down before him hundreds and thousands of mankind. No higher, more self-sacrificing exhibition of such dauntless courage was ever shown than that of Dr. Ernest P. Magruder of this city, a member of his society, who was with you one short year ago, and who a few months later laid down his life in plague stricken Serbia, that his fellow men might live. His is the glory of the martyr and of him this Society of the Clan of Gregor may well be proud." Judge Stockbridge served as one of Dr. Magruder's pallbearers in 1920.

A most thoughtful and gracious poem was written for the 1915 yearbook, pg. 58-60, "The lovely Lady – Maryel Alpine (MacGregor) Magruder" acknowledging her grief and how strongly ACGS members felt about her. She had served as an early Historian for the Society.

In the meantime Maryel and Ernest Pendleton, Jr. returned to Scotland to live. When WWII broke out, he volunteered, like his father, but as happened with many members of his flight squadron, was killed in action over Malta in 1942, and his body never found. His memorial was published in the 1945 yearbook, pg.45 and Maryel's in 1968, pg.45. Maryel is buried in the family mausoleum in Balquhidder.

At our memorial service this year, we honored Dr. Magruder with the memorial wreath after our service. He is buried beside his parents and two of his brothers. His name also appears on a WWI war memorial in the town of Upper Marlboro.

Because there is not room in the yearbook to reprint the entire outline for the genealogy session at the Gathering, or if it interests you to know more details about such a search, you could email me for a copy.

TARTAN DAY AT THE ALAMO

By: Randy Walker

Tartan Day at the Alamo was held on March 26, 2010 at 6:00p.m. The weather was perfect and I am guessing there were close to 300 people present. The event started off with the San Antonio Pipes & Drums playing Scotland the Brave as they marched in. The Alamo Rangers Honor Guard then posted the colors and everyone sang the National Anthem, followed by Texas my Texas.

The Invocation was given by BG Reese L. Harrison, USAF Ret, who is Chief, Order of the Knights of St. Andrew, Scottish Rite Masonic Lodge here in San Antonio. Mrs. Virginia Van Cleave, past President of the Daughters of The Republic of Texas, guardians of the Alamo, spoke for about 10 minutes and covered the event to be held on April 8, 2010. Greg Wright, Order of the Knights of St. Andrew read the proclamation of Tartan Day from the Mayor of San Antonio. This was followed by a very nice tribute to the fallen Scottish Americans who died at the Alamo, by Mrs. Wilma MacIntosh Heberling of the San Antonio Scottish Society. BG Harrison then gave a very interesting presentation about the first Scottish Rite Masonic Lodge in Texas meeting at the Long Barracks at the Alamo for ten years. Each year the lodge is allowed to have one meeting in the Shrine Area of the Alamo. The final part of the ceremony was the laying of floral tributes by the representatives of the various Scottish Clan Societies. Mrs. Sue Brannon, piper with the Black Bexar Pipe Band played Flowers of the Forest as the floral tributes were presented at the gates of the Alamo. The following were represented as part of the floral tribute:

Andrew Morrison, Viscount Dunrossil, presented a wreath on behalf of H.R.H. Queen Elizabeth II.

Larry Sears, past President of the San Antonio Highland Games Association presented a wreath on behalf of that organization.

LTC Ellis Buchanan, USAF Ret., President of the Scottish Society of San Antonio, presented a wreath on behalf of that organization. Mr. Buchanan's great uncle was one of the men who died at the Alamo.

Mrs. Steven Hypse of the Pacific NW Chapter of Clan Gregor Scotland and I presented flowers in behalf of our Hereditary Chief, Sir Malcolm MacGregor and our respective Scottish clan societies, in honor of piper John McGregor.

Other clans presenting were: Clan Douglas, Clan MacDonald, Clan MacKay, Clan Maclean, Clan MacLeod, Clan Mackenzie, Clan Morrison and Clan Ross.

HIGHLIGHTS OF GATHERING 2010 IN ANNAPOLIS

By: Lois Ann Garlitz and Scott F. MacGregor

Just as our Assistant Chieftain promised, the first Gathering of our second century proved to be full of fun and fellowship. It was held at the DoubleTree Hotel in Annapolis, the state capitol for Maryland; where attendees were able to visit several of the area's top attractions.

The Registration table manned by Jane Montmeny and Lois Ann Garlitz opened early in the afternoon on Thursday and was a "fountain of knowledge" in assisting members with checking in before the Chieftain's Welcoming Reception that evening in the hotel's Lookout Room within the Ports of Call area. It was not long before the Lookout Room was full and overflowing, with old friends greeting each other and new attendees making friends. Invitations to dinner were soon extended by those with vehicles, and before long, delights of the Chesapeake Bay were being enjoyed in several of the local restaurants. I for one, after re-reading James Mitchener's book "Chesapeake", wanted to try a variety of the local seafood, especially the ones I had never tasted before.

Friday morning, while the Council met to conduct our "once a year" business, the Registration table was again open and MacGregor tartan could be seen in abundance around and about the hotel. We couldn't have asked for a more beautiful day for our local tour of area sites. By 11 AM we all assembled to board buses that would carry us to different venues on both sides of the Chesapeake Bay. We travelled over the Chesapeake Bay Bridge to the Eastern Shore, stopping at the Kentmorr Restaurant on Kent Island for a fabulous lunch consisting of some excellent Maryland crab cakes or fish and chips, either of which waited for us, as well as wonderful views of an active marina with boats /ships coming and going to the wharf just alongside the restaurant.

We next travelled to Stevensville for our Memorial Service in the historic Christ Church (Anglican), built in 1880. Our own Ron Grubbs stepped up filling in for Thad Osborne who was undergoing treatment at home and was unable to attend the Gathering. For a first time effort Ron did an excellent job and his volunteering was very much appreciated.

Following our Memorial Service we travelled back over the Chesapeake Bay to the western shores and a visit to the United States Naval Academy. We were divided into four groups of approximately twenty-five members each with a guide headed out in different direction for a walking tour of the complex. It was amazing to think that much of the land where these massive buildings stand today was recovered from the bay. Even more amazing was the size of the chapel and beneath it was the crypt of the famous naval officer John Paul Jones.

The final stop on our tour was to lay our memorial wreath in an almost forgotten Magruder cemetery near Bowie, Maryland at the grave of Dr. Ernest Pendleton Magruder, the husband of our hereditary Chief Sir Malcolm's great aunt Maryel. Their story can be found elsewhere in this yearbook. Dr. Magruder is buried beside two of his brothers and several other relatives. This nearly forgotten family plot was identified by our Registrar, Lois Ann Garlitz, and fellow local member Peg Cosgrove who has ancestors in the family plot. Many details about the exact location and ownership of the cemetery were provided by Jennifer Stabler, the Archeology Planner Coordinator for The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning

Commission. Our thanks go out to Dr. & Mrs. Power whose home is next door to the family plot and have maintained the grounds for many years. Thanks also go out to Paul Collinson, a new member and descendant of those buried here who has become the caretaker for this small cemetery.

What would one of our local tours be without some excitement with the buses? After an uneventful day travelling between venues with two wonderful drivers, one of our buses broke down on route 50 while returning to the hotel. It took a little longer but our drivers saw to it that we all arrived back at the hotel without too much delay.

Once back at the hotel everyone freshened up and either ventured out for dinner or dined in on some fine local foods. All came together later on the Friday evening for the ceilidh which featured a quite entertaining local band – Maggie Sansone Celtic Trio. They even called several ceilidh dances that allowed our members to dust off their moves. Many more members mingled and socialized while listening to the music.

The evening concluded with our own pipeband and dancers taking the floor and performing a rousing rendition of songs.

Saturday morning really does come early! After such an exciting day like Friday it was back to work and the General Membership meeting, followed by the State Deputy Chieftains meeting. The minutes from these meetings can be found elsewhere in this yearbook. Come noontime everyone broke for a wonderful buffet luncheon of Italian delights that was hosted by the hotel. Following the lunch break everyone assembled for a Genealogy session with Lois Ann Garlitz who provided a report on DNA project. Keith MacGregor also provided an informative update on the Dalmally Stones project which is supported by our donations to the MacGregor antiquities fund.

By mid-afternoon everyone was in the mood for some more Scottish music and dancing. Our pipeband and dancers came to our rescue with an outdoor concert on the grounds of an adjacent office building. Again they amazed and pleased everyone present.

With just enough time for everyone to freshen up and get decked out in their finest highland attire the Daniel Randall Magruder Reception started just outside the banquet hall. As always it was a wonderful time to mingle and take a few photos with your friends and various family groups. Before long the sounds of the bagpipes could be heard and our pipeband marched through the crowd as the doors to the banquet hall swung open. With the pipeband in the lead everyone entered to find their table.

The banquet started with a nice address to the haggis. The society's honored guest for the banquet was Mrs. Nancy Badertscher, president of the Robert Burns Society of Annapolis. Following a wonderful Chicken Chesapeake entrée with a slice of key lime pie desert Ron addressed the membership. A number of exciting donated items were once again raffled off by Steven C. Grier to benefit our Marshall Magruder Library collection. Steven's uncle Donald is quite the salesman and you could always find him near the raffle table with his roll of tickets to sell. Steven and Donald, thanks for all your efforts, each year we all look forward to learning what interesting items you've dug up.

Everyone looks forward to that special time during the banquet when our Chieftain announces where our Gathering will be in the following year. Ron did not disappoint in announcing that the 2011 Gathering will be held at the Marriott Renaissance Center in

Detroit Michigan over the weekend of 6-9 October, with Henry and Kathy Stone as committee chairs. Have your passports ready as we'll be venturing over to Canada on Saturday

Our pipeband and dancers marched out serenading us once again to some wonderful MacGregor tunes on the bagpipes while the dances astonished with their graceful moves. After a splendid performance by the pipeband, John Masterson once again took the floor to sing a few songs and lead us in "MacGregor's Gathering" and "Auld Lang Syne". Being in John's home town of Annapolis he came out of retirement one more time to join us. After thirty plus years of leading us in song John will truly be missed.

A Gathering would not be a Gathering if not for all our members who attend and make it so memorable for all. It was wonderful having so many descendants of Ms Anna Marshall Magruder Cole present for the festivities; some from as far away as Washington state. Sadly Ms Cole passed away earlier in the year. It was her father, General Marshall Magruder, past society Chieftain, of whom our library collection is named after.

Unfortunately long time attendees of the Gatherings, Thaddeus G. Osborne, Bill and Mary Zimmerman, Randal and Marilyn Zimmerman, Mitchell Zimmerman, and Dave and Tess Galloway, were absent due to illnesses in their families. They were truly missed and we wish them the best on their recovery. We are looking forward to seeing them all again in Detroit for the 2011 Gathering.



The Gathering in Pictures

Annapolis, Maryland



Jane Montmeny and Lois Ann Garlitz at the registration table



Pipe Major Matt Kuldell





Lunch at the Kentmorr Restaurant along the banks of the Chesapeake Bay





Historic Christ Church location of our Memorial Service

Ronald Grubbs leads us in our Memorial Service



Nolan Sanders and Lillian Magruder



What a wonderful find an early Magruder family cemetery that was almost lost by most.

Our Memorial wreath was laid at the grave of Dr. Ernest Pendleton Magruder.



Elizabeth "Peg" Cosgrove with nephew Paul Collinson and family along with William "Bill" Magruder.

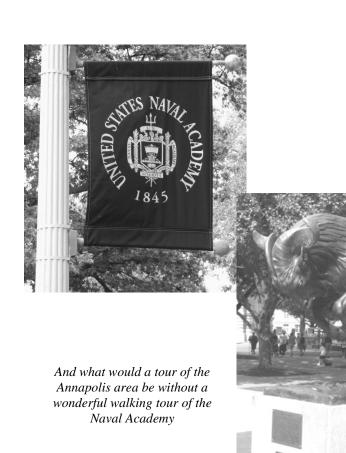
"Peg" Cosgrove and
Mrs Mary Power
(Mary and her husband James own
the cemetery property and have
maintained the grounds)

Paul Collinson, Peg's nephew, has also undertaken maintenance of the stones.













What an elegant Chapel with beautiful stained glass windows



Magnificent bronze and marble sarcophagus of John Paul Jones



Members in front of Bancroft Hall



The Herndon monument, climbed each year by the plebes.

In background is the Naval Academy Chapel







Scenes from around the Naval Academy





Maggie Sansone Celtic Trio

Tearing up the dance floor! John & Lou Ann MacGregor

So much Ceilidh fun, So few pictures!!!

Teresa Walker, Josephine Sit, Bruce Whyte, Howard Grossnickle, Randolph Walker







Another rousing concert provided by our ever spectacular pipeband.





Lillian Magruder, Ron Grubbs



Maggie Sanderfield, Bob Lynn, Eileen Pruett



Robert B. & Angie Magruder with Pipe Major Matt Kuldell

An unexpected stop !!!

After a great uneventful day the bus gave out just five miles from the hotel.





Ian Greig, Ron A. McGregor, Howard R. Grossnickle, Bruce M. Whyte

Our Gatherings are the <u>GREATEST</u> because of our members!

Gavin & Elizabeth MacGregor-Skinner





Dana Grier, John A. Grier, Tara Grier, Lillian Grier, Steven C. Grier



Ron & Alice Shankland

Claude & "DiDi" Mercier



Lois Ann Garlitz, Susan Gundersen, Alan & Adele Shotwell



Jim & Patty MacGregor

Lynn Steffen & Juliette Engel

John & Lou Ann MacGregor, Donald B. & Audrey Gregg



Loren F. Cole, Jr., Margaret Craig, Tyler Wean, Kristi Zecker, Sarah H. Cole, Susie C. Wean



Maggie Sanderfield, Eileen Pruett, Carol M. Spitznagle, Lou Ann MacGregor



Keith MacGregor Randy Walker





Steven Grier Jane Montmeny Donald Grier









Honored Guest Nancy Badertscher, Ronald A. McGregor

Be aware two ladies
with sharp objects!!!
Lois Ann Garlitz, Jane Montmeny



John Masterson leading everyone in song

Special **Thanks** are extended to the following members who have shared their Gathering pictures with us.

Lois Ann Garlitz, Scott F. MacGregor, Ron Shankland, Carol Spitznagle, Randy Walker, Susie Weans, and Bruce M. Whyte

2010 GATHERING ATTENDEES

Annapolis, Maryland

Special GuestCity/CountryBadertscher, NancyAnnapolis, MD

Member	City/State	Number
Boyd, Charlotte	Town & Country, MO	Guest
Boyd, James L.	Town & Country, MO	2399LM
Browne, Diana G.	New York City, NY	1737LM
Browne, Frances A.	Fairfax, VA	1550LM
Cole, Jr. Loren F.	Medina, WA	1694LM
Cole, Sarah H.	Medina, WA	Guest
Collinson, Cordelia	Arlington, VA	2019J
Collinson, Nicole	Arlington, VA	Guest
Collinson, Paul	Arlington, VA	2949
Collinson, Zephren	Arlington, VA	2016J
Cosgrove, Elizabeth	Mitchellville, MD	1156
Cosgrove, William	Mitchellville, MD	Guest
Craig, Margaret	Pittsburgh, PA	Guest
Donnelly, III, Harold I. "Don"	Rapidan, VA	2820LM
Drane, J. Wanzer	Horse Shoe, NC	1868LM
Drane, Linda P.	Horse Shoe, NC	Guest
Easterling, Cynthia	Sanford, NC	Guest
Elliott, Cynthia M.	Virginia Beach, VA	Guest
Elliott, M. Gregg	Chesapeake, VA	2655
Elliott, Richard H.	Virginia Beach, VA	2655
Elliott, Susan D.	Chesapeake, VA	2945A
Engel, Juliette M.	Lake Bluff, IL	Guest
Garlitz, Lois Ann	American Fork, UT	2561LM
Graving, Heather	Arlington, VA	Guest
Graving, Patricia	Arlington, VA	Guest
Gregg, Anahbelle (child)	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Gregg, Audrey R.	Pompano Beach, FL	2414A
Gregg, Brian	Crystal Lake, IL	2779
Gregg, Donald A.	Holiday Hills, IL	2580
Gregg, Donald B.	Pompano Beach, FL	2367
Gregg, Iseabelle	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Gregg, Judith	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Gregg, Keith D.	Wolcott, NY	2618
Gregg, Mary Kate "Katie"	Holiday Hills, IL	Guest
Gregg, Obadiah (child)	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Gregg, Peter K.	Dover, DE	2686
Gregg, Richard T.	Hackensack, NJ	2312
Gregg, Sadie	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Gregg, Sophie	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Gregg, Susan	Mahwah, NJ	2840LM

Member	City/State	Number
Gregor, Jr., Edward	Rochester, NY	933LM
Greig, Alma	Tampa, FL	Guest
Greig, Ian	Tampa, FL	2535
Greig, N. Andrew	Arlington, VA	2161
Grier, Dana	Grasonville, MD	Guest
Grier, Donald A.	Forest Hill, MD	2731
Grier, Elizabeth C.	Forest Hill, MD	Guest
Grier, John A.	Grasonville, MD	2243
Grier, Lillian	Grasonville, MD	2896A
Grier, Lou Ann	Baltimore, MD	Guest
Grier, Marshall V.	Fallston, MD	2432
Grier, Michael	Baltimore, MD	2737
Grier, Rosemarie	Fallston, MD	Guest
Grier, Steven C.	Kenneth Square, PA	2552
Grier, Tara	Grasonville, MD	Guest
Grossnickle, Howard	Oregon, WI	2638
Grubbs, Horance R.	King, NC	2827
Gundersen, Susan	Brooksville, FL	2476
Higgins, Jacqueline N.	Reno, NV	Guest
Higgins III, Walter M.	Reno, NV	1146
Hopkins, Arlene A.	Manhattan, KS	2867
Hopkins, Ted L.	Manhattan, KS	Guest
Hundley, Kathleen G.	Sanford, NC	2803
Kaiser, Bill	Mitchellville, MD	Guest
Kaiser, Catherine	Mitchellville, MD	Guest
Latimer, Juliette G.	Ramsey, NJ	2846
Latimer, Richard	Ramsey, NJ	2847A
Legler, Laura	Mitchellville, MD	Guest
Lloyd, Frances	Washington, DC	1052LM
Lynn, Bob	Baltimore, MD	Guest
MacGregor, James B.	Fairfax, VA	2354LM
MacGregor, John R.	Boulder, CO	2717
MacGregor, Keith	Redding, CT	2941
MacGregor, Lou Ann	Boulder, CO	Guest
MacGregor, Patty	Fairfax, VA	2948A
MacGregor, Robert F., Jr.	Smithfield, VA	2316LM
MacGregor, Scott	Norfolk, VA	2450LM
MacGregor-Skinner, Gavin	Washington, DC	2769
MacGregor-Skinner, Elizabeth	Washington, DC	Guest
Magruder, Allen P.	Las Vegas, NV	2775
Magruder, Angela I.	Reston, VA	Guest
Magruder, Casey	Arlington, VA	Guest
Magruder, Conan M.	Amherst, VA	2798LM
Magruder, Ella M.	Amherst, VA	Guest
Magruder, Fred A.	McCormick, SC	2433
Magruder, Leah	Chicago, IL	Guest

Member	City/State	Number
	Las Vegas, NV	Guest
	Ridgeland, MS	1977ALM
•	Amherst, VA	2797LM
=	Amherst, VA	2799LM
=	Chicago, IL	2692
•	Reston, VA	1528LM
•	Pasadena, MD	872
•	Baltimore, MD	Guest
McDonald, Elizabeth	Sarnia, Ontario, CA	Guest
McGregor, Anna B.	Manhattan, KS	Guest
McGregor, Dale L.	Manhattan, KS	Guest
	Greenville, SC	2883LM
	Aurora, CO	2142LM
McGregor, Stuart W.	Tuscaloosa, AL	2832
	Carriere, MS	2576ALM
	Carriere, MS	2478LM
	Perkasie, PA	Guest
Mercier, Dorothy G.	Perkasie, PA	Guest
Mercier, Michelle	Perkasie, PA	Guest
Monroe, Joe	Ashland, VA	2425
Montfort, Barbara	Arlington, VA	Guest
	Aurora, CO	2808
Moore, Diana	Highlands Ranch, CO	2619
	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Morey, Xaiden	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Morgan, Gene	Pasadena, MD	Guest
Nease, Amy	Rapidan, VA	Guest
Prouty, David	Louisville, KY	2930
Pruett, Eileen	Mason City, IL	2186LM
Rengert, Kathleen	Whispering Pines, NC	Guest
Robinson, Terri	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Sanderfield, Maggie	Athens, IL	2253
Sanders, Nolan S.	Russellville, KY	2240
Shankland, Alice	Jackson, MI	Guest
Shankland, Ronald	Jackson, MI	2471
Shotwell, Adele	Rapidan, VA	Guest
	Rapidan, VA	2375LM
	Chicago, IL	2935LM
	Huntsville, AL	Guest
Simon, R. Jean (MacGregor)	Huntsville, AL	1526
	Oregon, WI	Guest
	Ohio, NY	2661
	Ilion, NY	2671
	Waldorf, MD	2895
,	Ohio, NY	2672A
Skinner, Teresa L.	Waldorf, MD	Guest

Member	City/State	Number
Slowik, Gertrude	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Smith, Sarah "Sally"	Quinton, VA	2183LM
Spitznagle, Carol	Hollywood, FL	2555
Steffen, Lynn	Lake Bluff, IL	2943
Stone, Henry A.	Harrisville, MI	1920LM
Stone, Kathleen	Harrisville, MI	Guest
Stradley III, Leighton P.	Fairfax, VA	1938
Stradley, Mary R.	Fairfax, VA	Guest
Tichy, Joseph C.	Whispering Pines, NC	1321ALM
Tichy, Susan	Fairfax, VA	1577LM
Tipper, Melissa E.	Tuscaloosa, AL	Guest
Trojahn, Miriam	Norfolk, VA	Guest
Turnage, Charlene	Wolcott, NY	Guest
Tyler, Helen	Nellysford, VA	Guest
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We wish to thank the following people for their generous contributions toward the success of the Gathering; these contributions play a large part to help us keep the Gathering within our limited budget and to let us know you are really with us in spirit.

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State Deputy Chieftains in attendance 2010

Sitting (lt.to rt) **Margaret Sanderfield**, SDC for Illinois, **R. Jean Simon**, SDC for Alabama, **Carol Spitznagle**, SCD for Florida

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REPORTS OF STATE DEPUTY CHIEFTAINS

Ranking Deputy Chieftain

We have had a year where we are expanding the ranks of the SDC representation with the following additions:

Dodd Greer for the State of *Utah*Paul Dobkins for the State of *Wyoming*Bruce MacGregor Whyte for the State of *Georgia*Randy Zimmerman for the States of *New Hampshire* and *Vermont*N. Andrew Greig for the greater metro area of *Washington D.C.*Thom MacAdams as a potential representative for *Ontario*, *Canada* and H. Ronald Grubbs for the State of *North Carolina*

Let us all welcome these fine representatives of Clan Gregor and the American Clan Gregor Society. They need your help in establishing their tent as well as manning up for the various Scottish events and games in their respective States. As many of you know, it takes a lot of material items to make a good tent presentation, and if you have items that you think could be an effective to their tent please consider supporting them with your contribution of objects of interest.

I wish all of our SDCs a great year spent in presenting the Clanship and Kinship of Clan Gregor, and the advantages of membership in the American Clan Gregor Society. With the communication provided by our Registrar, Ms. Lois Ann Garlitz, we should see better recruiting and retention of MacGregors to our Society.

Slainte mhath, Howard R. MacGregor Grossnickle RDC

Alabama, Jean Simon SDC

Greetings, All,

This has been a relatively quiet year, 2009 – 2010, for our American Clan Gregor Society in Alabama. The cause is due considerably to the 4 or 5 month, planned postponement this year to October 2010 when we hold our main event, the Scottsboro, Alabama Scottish Games! Thus, no games for over a year. I serve as a member-at-large on the Board of the Tennessee Valley Scottish Society (TVSS), which is responsible for these games. These Scottsboro AL games will take place 1 - 3 October 2010, a month after this writing and after our ACGS annual gathering held in Annapolis, Maryland on 16 – 18 September 2010. We advertise these games as the 2010 North Alabama Scottish Festival, presented by the Tennessee Valley Scottish Society, 1 – 3 October 2010, at a resort on the beautiful Tennessee River called Goose Pond Colony, in Scottsboro AL. It is the 2nd year that our TVSS North Alabama games have been held in Scottsboro, roughly an hour away from the Huntsville AL area, former site for our games.

During the past year, the undersigned has represented our beloved Clan Gregor at the various TVSS functions, such as the St. Andrews celebration and auction, the Robert Burns potluck,

Tartan Day, and the annual August indoor picnic. We avoided the heat and humidity, another reason why the North Alabama Games have been moved to much cooler October!

We have acquired some new ACGS members during the past year, including my husband Jack Simon's and my three sons: Frank Stewart Simon of Huntsville, Alabama; Donald Standish Simon of Sandy Springs, Atlanta, Georgia; and Douglas Louis Simon of Chicago, Illinois. All three sons grew up in Alabama. I am sad to report that In Alabama we lost one member, Donnie Lamar Brown of Hartselle, Alabama, on 17 November 2009, member #2763. On a lighter note, it is my pleasure to have been appointed this past year as a member-at-large on our ACGS Council by our chieftain, Ron McGregor.

Respectfully submitted, Jean (MacGregor) Simon

California, Carolyne McGregor Long SCD

Sorry it's taken me a time to respond to your email. Unfortunately, due to major surgery/recovery and having to move from the home I sold, has taken most of my time since early spring. Thus I was unable to attend most of our games and events here in California. However, I did get the opportunity to go to the Selma (Fresno) Highland Games, and Clan Gregor was well represented. I understand that the overall attendance this year was down a wee bit from previous years, but most appear to be in great spirits and hopes for a better turnout next year. No doubt the downturn of our economy plays a part in those attending the events. Please give my regards to all my kith and kin at this years AGM. Thought for sure this would be the year I would finally make it, however, I wasn't expecting the surgery I had to undergo either. That said, I will look forward to next year's gathering of ACGS. All the best.

Slainte, Carolyne J. McGregor Long DC for CA

Florida, Carol MacGregor Spitznagle SDC

The most frequent comment heard at the January 9th Ft. Lauderdale Scottish Games was "This is just like the weather in Scotland!"

That's probably because the day started bleak, overcast and cool and quickly progressed to raining and really cold. Ever faithful Don and Audrey Gregg helped out at the tent but canny visitors must have decided to stay home and wait for next year as we only had a handful of people to greet. So it was wonderful to travel to Orlando the next weekend to attend the Central Florida Games hosted expertly by Robert Ellington. There the sun shone, the tent was crowded, and the people dry and happy.

Usually I also attend the Games in Sarasota but the organizing committee over there had a major shake-up and postponed the games for first a few weeks, then finally cancelled them until next year.

Back in Ft. Lauderdale, we worked very hard to recoup the money lost by having a ceilidh in May, a golf tournament in June, a Battle of the Bands in September, and serving hotdogs, pretzels, and liquid refreshments at the Florida Panther hockey games during the Fall and Spring. Hopefully all the effort will produce a wonderful festival in 2011.

Kentucky, Nolan Sanders SDC

Marked with beautiful sunny days, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Glasgow Kentucky Highland Games occurred June 3-6, 2010 at Barren River State Park.

To mark this anniversary, along with the regular athletic competitions, we had our first ever Team USA vs. Team Canada athletic competition. As hoped Team USA emerged the victor. Another first was that there were more first time attendees than any year in this decade. That is hopefully a good omen for the continuation of the games for many years to come.

Approximately 50 clan tents and 25 vendor tents participated. Along with Highland Dance and Pipe Band competitions, entertainment seems to be the big draw for attendees, especially for younger generations. Traditional singers and musicians included Skip Clevenger, Father, Son and Friends and Colin-Grant Adams. Also in attendance were the youth oriented, but enjoyed by all groups of Seven Nations and Needfire.

It might also be interesting to note that a potential future member, Barren County Judge Executive, Davie Greer, welcomed all to the games, along with a Celtic festival and parade on the Glasgow, Kentucky City Square.

The American Clan Gregor as one of the 15 Charter Clans was recognized on Sunday, with a plaque in recognition of our initial and ongoing participation to make the Glasgow Highland Games successful.

The approximately ten thousand attendees seemed to enjoy all the food, fun and festivities that the weekend brought.

Respectfully submitted

Michigan, Ronald Shankland SDC

I attended the Alma, Saline, and Livonia Scottish games handling the mcgregor clan tent. Both CG and ACGS personnel helped in the tent. Almo was the busiest followed with Livonia, next.

The Saline games had very hot weather conditions.

I have read three Scottish books this past season which are worth describing. One, "tales of Galloway" book by Alan Temperley, 1979, paperback, found to be most interesting with short stories about Dumfriesshire, Scotland, in the Galloway area. Two, "How the Scots invented the modern world" book by Arthur Herman, 2001, paperback, comments in the book about the Scottish highland men taking jobs as mercenary soldiers. However, I still cannot find my ancestor, It general William Robert Shanklin, who fought for William of orange in the battle of the boyne, 1690, in ireland. He must have used an alias name or his records were lost or misplaced. Many factors enter into his incognito status from mcgregor

proscription or religious persecution, etc. Third, "Tracy W. Mcgregor" book by Philip P. Mason, 2008, hardback, helped people by being a humanitarian, philanthropist, and Detroit, Michigan, civic leader. His record points out many attributes of being a McGregor!

Mississippi/Louisiana, L. Dan Megehee SDC

The 24th Scottish Highland Games and Celtic Music festival on the Mississippi Gulf Coast was held on Saturday and Sunday, November 13 & 14, 2009. The "Knights of Valour" really put on a show this year, and I believe that they will be coming back for the 2010 games - They packed the bleachers both days.

We missed having Games in 2005 (Katrina) and 2006 (no hotels and no place to stay), and when we started back in 2007, the number of Clans was very short, and we didn't have many vendors. In 2008 things improved - both numbers of Clans and venders. We were essentially back to where we had been in 2004, and we expect another good year in 2010.

I haven't found out anything more about the Jackson, LA Games, but if they do hold the games, I'll try to get there.

Texas, Randolph Walker SDC

We hope all is well with you and yours. Here is the report on the Houston Highland Games.

We left San Antonio on Friday morning, May 14th in the middle of a downpour. It started raining about midnight and it was still at it when we woke up. We hit the highway at 9:00a.m. and drove in very heavy rain for the first 45-50 miles before we out ran the squall line. We arrived at the Houston Farm & Ranch Club at about 1:30p.m. to set up the ACGS Clan Tent. We were met by Rusty Mason, the fellow in charge of Scottish clan society participation. He visited with us a bit and he told me that he was sure glad to see us. So far that day he had received telephone calls from six clan societies who had registered to participate to tell him they would not be coming due to the weather that was expected. He also told us that eleven of the merchandise vendors had called to say they would not be coming as well as 5 of the food vendors. There was one clan tent being set up at this time. I asked him where our space was and he said to just pick any spot. So we chose a spot that looked like a "prime" location and reserved the adjoining space for the Pacific NW Chapter of Clan Gregor Scotland. He did not have any problem with this at all. We finished up and left about 3:00p.m. and the rain was just beginning. By the time we got to the host hotel it was coming down hard. We went to dinner at 5:30p.m. and there were lightening strikes very close to the hotel and the rain was coming down even harder. That evening on the local news the weather guy said there had been 5" to 6" of rain already in the Houston area, there were flash flood warnings, and he was warning people about low areas and high water possibilities.

On Saturday morning we were up early and it was still raining hard. The local news reports were grim. There had been several deaths during the night due to high water and flash flooding. We arrived at the games location about 8:30a.m. and the same music stage area that flooded last year was flooded again this year. One would think they might have considered moving it. A few clan societies had arrived early that morning and were setting up.

Everything kicked off at just a little after 9a.m. The bagpipe competition was under way as was the dance competition. They were moving the heavy games inside since there was an inch or so of water on the area where they had set up to have the games. The ship was beginning to list a little. It continued to rain. I counted the clan tents and there were four rows of five clans, twenty in all. No one was coming through the gates. At noon the opening ceremonies were held and I am estimating that there were no more than fifty people in the grandstands. It was still raining hard at 1:30p.m. and three of the clan societies began to pack up and get ready to go home. The rain began to let up about 2:30p.m. We stayed until 5p.m. when the rain started again and we decided to get back to our hotel. I had one visitor to clan tent on Saturday.

On Sunday morning we were up early again to find heavy fog in the area but the rain had stopped. Again the local news was not good. We arrived at the games area at 8:45 to find that two additional clan tents were missing; they had left the previous day after we went to our hotel. The folks running the games were frantic. A lady told us that if it did not get better soon they did not know if they could make the gate expenses. We had no visitors during the morning hours, however the weather did improve, the rain stopped, and the sun was out by noon. The visitor traffic was better during the afternoon, but it began to slack off again about 3:00p.m. I now had a total of three people visit our clan tent over the two days. However, I did give out one ACGS pamphlet along with information on the DNA Testing Project.

In spite of everything, there were a few bright spots. The host hotel was very nice and gave us a \$75.00 per night rate, which included a free breakfast buffet on Sat and Sun mornings. The Houston Highland Games folks had made some really nice nametags for the clan society participants. They were antique brass colored nametags with a magnetic strip to attach to your clothing. Mine said American Clan Gregor Society, my name on the next line, and State Deputy Chieftain-TX on the third line.

This was not a good experience to say the least. The weather was a repeat of last year times three. I did have an opportunity to visit with several of the other clan society representatives and met some really nice folks. I don't know if they were able to pull this thing out of the ditch or not. Mr. Mason stopped several times over the course of the two days to chat. It appeared that he did not know a lot about highland games. For example I asked him who the honored clan was and he said..."what is an honored clan?" So we discussed it and this concept was completely new to him. I know these folks had worked hard to put this event on but as we all know the weather can play some dirty tricks on us when we least expect it.

Randy Walker SDC Southern TX

Virginia, Scott Mac Gregor SDC

It was a mighty honor for us Virginians to host the Centennial Gathering last October in Charlottesville, Virginia the birthplace of our fine society one hundred years prior. While we wish more of our members could have joined us, it was wonderful meeting and greeting the three hundred members and guests who did make it.

On a sad note one of the Centennial Gathering committee members, Carrington W. Ewell of Lynchburg, Virginia suddenly passed away after a bad fall in April 2010 at the young age of fifty. He was one of the many individuals instrumental in making the Centennial Gathering a success. He will be missed by many. Carrington loved the arts and our society; memorial donations can be made to the society.

Unfortunately our Gathering fell on the same weekend as one of our favorite local Games, the Williamsburg Scottish Festival. Enter Tobey MacGregor of Norfolk, Virginia to the rescue. Being unable to make the society festivities in Charlottesville, he volunteered to cover our clan tent. He did a wonderful job greeting visitors and answering questions.

Our last Games of the season, the Richmond Highland Festival, which occurs the end of October has changed location and name. It is now called the Meadows Highland Festival and is located about twenty miles north of Richmond. The Games weekend was very wet and extremely muddy. Our tent stayed lively with the presence of Peter Gregg of Delaware, "Tad" Gregg of Pennsylvania, and "JB" Gregg of Virginia who all helped with the many visitors who stopped by.

We missed the Radford Games this year because they shifted their date to the same weekend as the Williamsburg Scottish Festival. We hate not being able to attend as they are a nice small Games hosted on a college campus nestled among the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains with the fall foliage in bloom. Maybe next year the different event dates will not clash.

I look forward to seeing and chatting with as many of you as possible at the various Scottish events throughout Virginia during the upcoming year. I hope you'll join me at the next annual Gathering of the American Clan Gregor Society wherever it is held in this beautiful country. These Gatherings are a wonderful opportunity to meet fellow MacGregors from across the country, Canada, and occasionally Scotland. I look forward to seeing you at the 2011 Gathering.

Respectfully submitted,

Set Mabayon

Washington DC Metro, Andrew Greig SDC

One would think that after supporting the ACGS tent at the Virginia Highland Games since 1979 with the Tichy's that I would be an expert, but since "going solo" after taking over for Jim MacGregor last year I am still learning. We had 30 visitors sign the register at the 2009 Games including Dave King (Member 2721) and his son who became members in time attend the Centennial Gathering in Charlottesville. We also met Lt Col Sidney Wade, USAF who joined in the Parade of Clans on Sunday.

My "great moment" in winning the Library raffle Grand Prize commemorative sword at the Centennial Banquet was marred by a wardrobe malfunction (no studs for the tuxedo shirt)



forcing me to shake our Chieftain's hand wearing a polo shirt and tie. However, I would not have missed this great event regardless of what I had to wear.

We fielded a small, but merry band of Gregors at Alexandria Scottish Walk in December, one of the first such Christmas Parades I can recall with snow (a presage of blizzards to come). Our locals were supported by the Skinners from New York visiting the MacGregor-Skinners their two recently adopted children, Andre and Katya (only young Andre participated in the parade)



and Scott MacGregor who supplied the banner and drove all the way from Virginia Beach (again!) to join us.

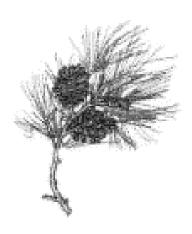
We missed some of the smaller events during the spring and summer and had to repair the tent by replacing two struts broken by an overzealous Samaritan who helped me collapse the tent at the last Virginia Games. The 2010 Virginia Games were greeted by gloriously cool weather at Great Meadow in the Blue Ridge Mountains, especially after such a boiling hot summer in DC. John Metz (1659) kindly helped me set up the tent and display with the assistance of his two huge Labs. We had 28 registered visitors including ALL of the MacGregor-Skinners on Sunday, an Italian-MacGregor from Dayton, OH, and Jim MacGregor (2354LM) and his bride. Non-member visitors were interested in the smart new ACGS tri-folds and will receive follow-up emails.



(ACGS marchers Andy Greig (2161), Jerry Bova, Gavin and Lisa MacGregor-Skinner (2769) and Children's Games winners Andre and Katya)

The DC area will miss Col Wade who is retiring for the second time and will move to Georgia. I met an unknown "cousin" at the games— we share a common ancestor, Alexander Greig, the Principal Lighthouse Keeper at Ailsa Craig in the 1890s. Ailsa Craig is that great island in the Irish Sea frequently highlighted during the 2009 British Open at Turnberry. One of the great possibilities realized at the ACGS tent is finding relatives you never knew you had and filling out branches of the family tree.

N. Andrew Greig, SDC DC Metro ACGS



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