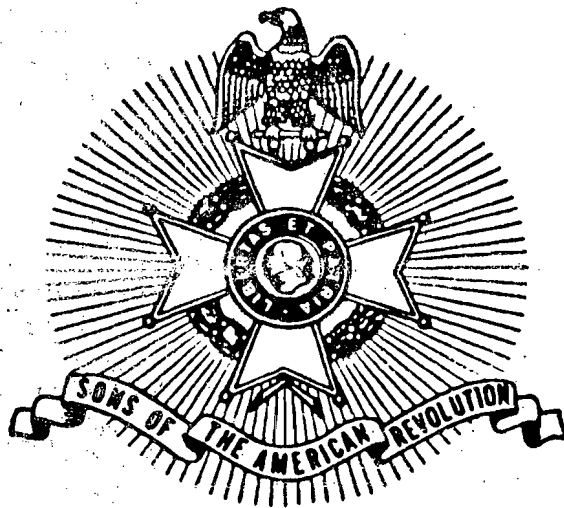


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SEPTEMBER 1992

OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING WILL BE WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 16 AT SHONEY'S MEETING ROOM 1031 FOWLER AVENUE, NEXT TO TOY'S 'R US, AT 6:30 P.M.. AS USUAL EACH PERSON WILL ORDER FROM THE MENU AND BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING FOR THEIR OWN MEAL PLUS THE USUAL 15% GRATUITY.

SEPTEMBER SPEAKER

BERNARD CHAMBERS, *Insightful military historian turned "militaria" shop owner, will bring in his scaled-down tactical terrain and figures to illustrate the science and drama of table-top war gaming. This is not kid stuff! Army officer training schools have long used these kinds of exercises to learn from the combat which killed many an American Patriot. Learn more about the military science which the King's officers believed George Washington lacked! Don't forget to note the new and excellent location: Shoney's on Fowler near I-275.*

Board of Governors meeting will be Thursday September 3 at the Peninsular Library at Henderson & Neptune from 5:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.. Remind you that all members are welcome to attend these meetings and help with the plans for future programs & meetings.

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Compatriot Walter Byers Jr., Won the Embree Marine Points Trophy, presented by the St. Petersburg Sailing Association for sailing the **FLACON** to Pensacola in 6 days.
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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

G. BARRETT RICH IV
ALBERT LEO PROUTY

Compatriot Jack Seymour has been appointed Genealogist/Registrar replacing Compatriot George Brooks, who now is working **PUBLIC RELATIONS** for the Chapter.

SURVEY RESULTS

54% of our members responded to the survey - this considerably more than the 30% to 33% expected from the typical volunteer survey. More surveys are "in route," but Compatriot Brooks is still waiting for replies from: Compatriots' Allison, Arter, Bearss, Carleton, Hatcher, Hill, Mancink, McCallister, McGinnis, McWilliams, Rising, Stoner, White and Wright. Results of the survey will be published when we have every member's survey. Prospective members are strongly encouraged to submit their surveys (if they want to influence the chapter's events in their favor!).

TAMPA CHAPTER PUBLIC RELATIONS

It should be noted that our prospective members were 25% more interested in table-top tactics than our current members. And when we recently publicized and ongoing Friday & Saturday evening tactics session (located

at Mr. Chambers's Modelers Mart, 14815 N. Florida Ave., 813-969-4678), a photographer from the TAMPA TRIBUNE called us to ask when he might snap some photos!

Face it, Compatriots...the more the Tampa Chapter is willing to dabble in "colorful" or "dramatic" activities (like black powder demonstrations and tournaments, or even saber demonstrations?), the more interest we can elicit from the Tampa community. All we have to is locate those groups which are already doing these things, and sponsor an event or two each year!

H-A-P-P-Y B-I-R-T-H-D-A-Y

CYRIL GAMBER	June 1
Robert Hill Sr.	June 9
Walton Byers Jr.	July 11
Ted Dickerson Jr.	July 15
Herbert Haager	July 16
James Lillard Sr.	July 18
James Smith	July 25
Herbert Mason	August 13
Charles Bearss	August 21
Austin Rising	September 11
Robert McWilliams	September 26

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