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The Flag of the Society at the Grave of its Founder Major General Henry Knox

TRIENNIAL PLANS ANNOUNCED

Mr James Denny has announced the following schedule on behalf of the Triennial Organizing Committee. All events will take place in Philadelphia. For nearly two centuries, the triennial meetings were only for the delegates and alternates sent by their Constituent Societies to transact business. New York in 1983 began what seems to be a new tradition of inviting all members to share in the triennial events. Delegates and alternates must still meet to transact the business of the Society, but many events will be for all members attending.

Thursday, May 1, 1986 DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES

3:00 pm to 6:00 pm Registration at The Four Seasons Hotel
6:00 pm to 8:00 Cocktails and Heavy Hors d'oeuvres
Note: Rooms are being held for *Delegates and Alternates* at The Four Seasons Hotel for the nights of May 1, 2, 3, 1986. You will receive specific reservation information in January of 1986

Friday, May 2, 1986

7:30 am to 8:30 am Breakfast at The Four Seasons Hotel
8:45 am to 11:45 am First Triennial Meeting for *Delegates and Alternates* at Independence National Historical Park
12 noon to 4:00 pm Luncheon for *Delegates and Alternates* at Andalusia
6:00 pm to 12:00 am Buffet Supper, Entertainment, and Dancing for *All Members of the Society attending the Triennial*

Saturday, May 3, 1986

7:30 am to 9:30 am Breakfast at The Four Seasons Hotel for *All Members of the Society attending the Triennial*
8:45 am to 11:45 am Second Triennial Meeting for *Delegates and Alternates* at Independence National Historical Park
12 noon to 3:00 pm Reception and Luncheon at The City Tavern for *All Members of the Society attending the Triennial*
3:00 pm to 5:00 pm Tour of Society Hill, Philadelphia
7:00 pm to 11:00 pm Black or White Tie Reception and Banquet for *Delegates and Alternates*

Sunday, May 4, 1986

8:30 am to 10:00 am Hunt Breakfast at The Four Seasons Hotel for *Delegates and Alternates*
11:00 am Special Ecumenical Service for The Society of The Cincinnati at Christ Church

Pennsylvania Society of the Cincinnati

The Pennsylvania Society held its Annual Meeting at City Tavern in Philadelphia on October 4. About 35 members attended the usual festive dinner. The high-light of the evening was a presentation by Jacqueline Thibaut who spoke on the foreign born members of the Pennsylvania Society. She is editing the collection of biographies of Original Members of the Pennsylvania Society. Under the title *What Manner of Men*, the book should be available in May in time for the Triennial Meetings.

The Pennsylvania Society has been very active this year in its preparations for the Triennial Meetings in May. The schedule of events is presented elsewhere in this issue.

Philippus Miller V
Vice President

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Professor James O'Hara Denny, chairman of the Pennsylvania Society's committee on the Triennial Meetings, has announced the triennial schedule.

In addition to those regular events connected with the meetings, Clifford Lewis 3d has helped organize open houses at Revolutionary sites for May first. Currently plans are underway for a six month exhibit at Brandywine centering on Cincinnati participation in the battle. The formal opening of that exhibit will be May first. Members arriving that day will also be able to see other Revolutionary houses and encampments. The Pennsylvania Society will send out a list of places to visit supplemented with restaurant suggestions.

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Clifford Lewis 3d, History Editor of *Cincinnati Fourteen* and Chairman of the Brandywine Battlefield Historic Park State Commission reports that the elaborate Lafayette birthday planned for September 7 had to be cancelled due to the amount of work involved. It has been rescheduled for next year.

He further reports, however, that the annual Associators Muster at Brandywine of Revolutionary Units was held on September 7 and 8. The muster was reviewed by Mr. Lewis and by Pennsylvania member John Cole Tuten, Jr., whose forebear Lt. Andrew Lytle was in the battle.

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At the Anderson House Meetings in October, the History Committee and Standing Committee made further plans for the Cincinnati History Prize announced in the last issue. The \$5,000 prize for the best book on the Revolutionary period will be given first in 1988. Dr. Bartholomew Cox of the Pennsylvania Society is developing details of the administration of the prize, while Clifford Lewis 3d is taking on the task of finding a permanent endowment to support the award.