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TO THE PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY OF SONS OF THE REVOLUTION:

YOUR Board of Management has the honor to submit the following report of the operations of the Society and of the Board for the past year:

The Board has held eight stated and three special meetings. At the annual meeting of the Society held on April 3, 1895, the anniversary of the day on which General Anthony Wayne was made Major-General of the Armies of the United States in 1792, as well as the anniversary of the birth of this Society, the subject of erecting a monument in the city of Philadelphia to this brilliant officer of the Revolutionary War was inaugurated, and a committee was appointed to take charge of the project. This work, begun with vigor, has since progressed slowly, owing to the protracted illness of the chairman of the committee, Mr. Conarroe. The results, however, thus far have been encouraging, several large subscriptions having been obtained.

The usual resolutions in regard to the proper observance of June 14 as Flag Day, were widely circulated under the auspices of this Society, and the observance of the day was more general than upon previous occasions, showing an increased interest in this matter.

On the 18th of June, the Society, with invited guests, made an excursion to the battle ground of Brandywine, on which occasion Dr. Frederick D. Stone, Librarian of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, made an interesting and instructive address within the historic walls of the Old Birmingham Meeting House, upon the battle and incidents connected therewith. He was