General Society of Mayflower Descendants

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To State Chairmen For New Activities:-

One possible activity for your Society would be observance of Constitution Day, September 17th. next. Some Societies have done this by purchasing and distributing among pupils of High Chools in their area copies of "The Key to the Constitution of the United States", put forth by the National Constitution Day Committee and may be obtained in numbers at small cost by applying to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Francis Clay Harley, Copley Plaza Hotel, Boston, Mass. Of course the co-operation of school authorities should be obtained and the number of copies whalch can be profitably used definitely ascertained. This ground work should be laid this Spring and c copies ordered, that distribution be completed by Sept. 17th., which in most states will be shortly after the schools open in the Fall. It is perhaps unnecessary to add you, of course, will not commit yourself financially in such a connection beyond the resources of your Society available for this purpose.

Read your Mayflower Quarterly. Information concerning activities of the various state societies and suggestions which may prove of value to you may be found therein from time to time.

Will those of you who have not done so, please expedite the completion of formulation of a program for your society under the various Activities and advise me thereof at your early convenience?

National Chairman New Activities Committee