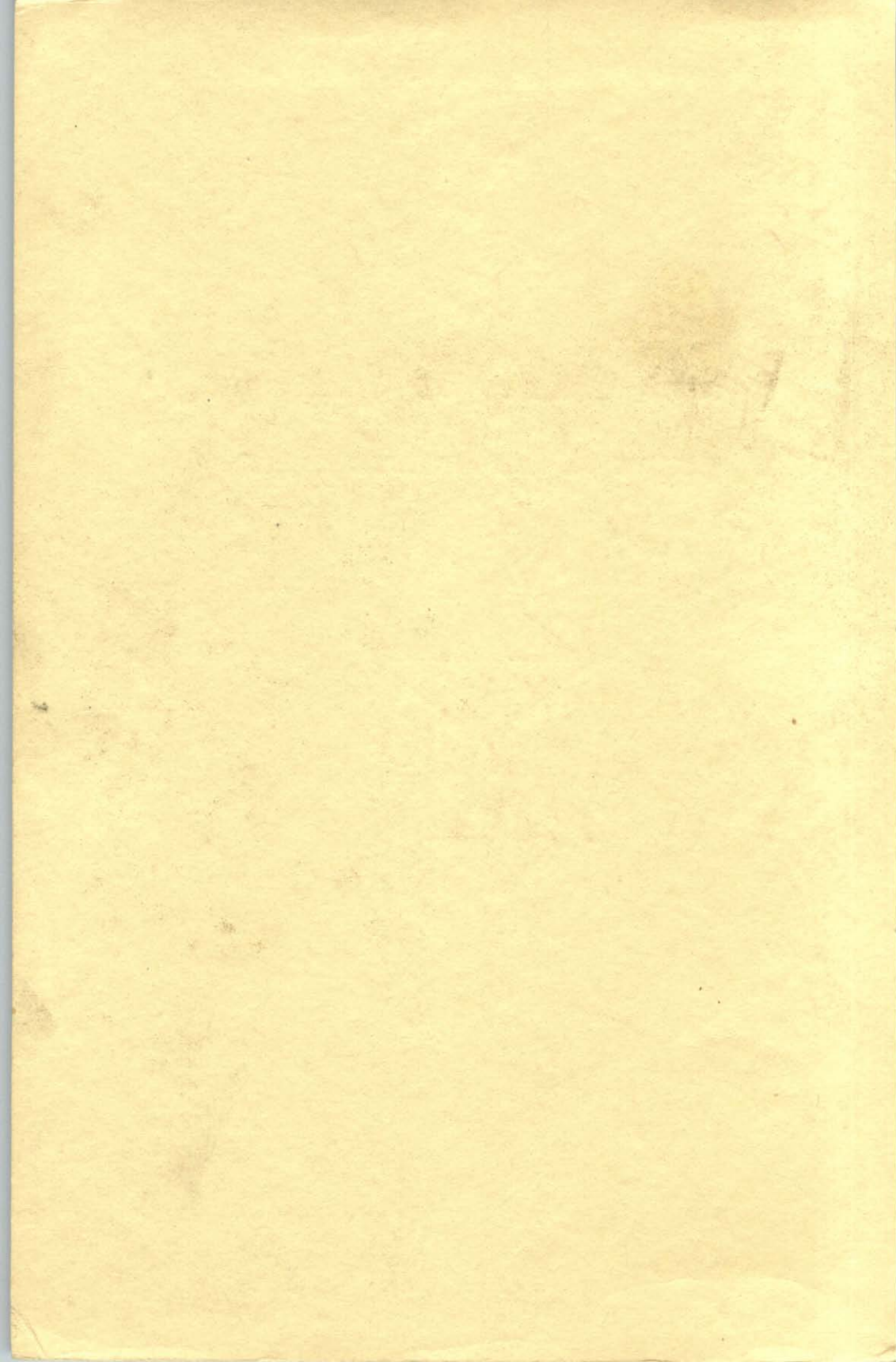


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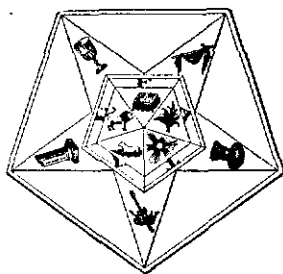


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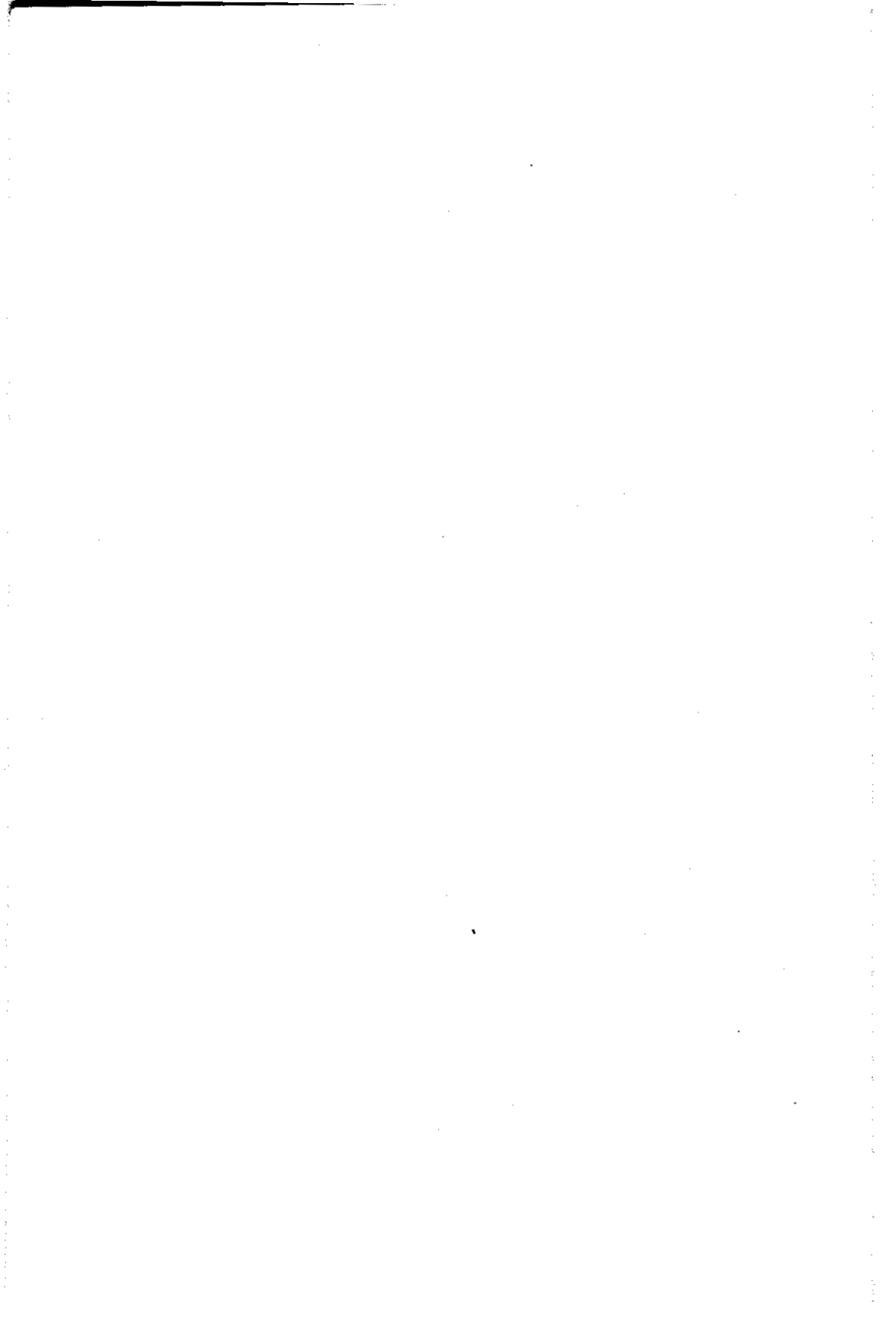


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The fifty-ninth annual session of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, was held in the Exposition Auditorium in the City of San Francisco, October 18th to 21st, 1932.

An unusual feature of this Session was the greeting sent to all members of the Order over the radio by the Worthy Grand Matron and the piano solos given by the Worth Grand Patron over the same station.

In commemoration of the bicentennial of the birth of George Washington, the father of our Country, the huge auditorium was artistically decorated with flags and bunting and four large paintings depicting scenes in the life of Washington hung from the ceiling. A replica of his Mount Vernon home was used as the background on the stage. The illuminated windows, rose garden and white picket fence gave an air of reality to the scene. It was a truly beautiful setting and formed a charming background for the colonial costumes of the Grand Officers, Pages and Deputy Grand Matrons.

At ten o'clock on Tuesday morning, the session was called to order by Sister Clara Abbott Giberson, Past Grand Matron, who greeted the delegates with gracious words of welcome.

Sister Clara Abbott Giberson, P. G. M.:

"Good morning, my Sisters and Brothers. Is everybody happy?

"Time's hurrying stream has run its twelve months' course with smoothness and rhythm. If a few snags appeared to ruffle the current, they were deftly swept aside by our Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin.

"Today the great convention of the Order of the Eastern Star is prepared to enter upon the fifty-ninth epoch in its remarkable history. This is your convention, yours and mine; not ours separately, but ours together.

"It seems quite fitting that the Grand Chapter should convene now and again in San Francisco: for it was here that Golden Gate No. 1, our Mother Chapter, was instituted May 10, 1869, and chartered May 9, 1873. No matter how many endearing names may be spoken, none other is more sacred and full of love than the universal one—mother! And children should come home from time to time, lest they forget!

"It is my pleasant privilege to extend to you the sincere welcome and cordial greeting of Golden Gate Chapter No. 1, and all members of the Order in San Francisco and the Bay districts, together with the citizens of our communities who may not be members of the Eastern Star.

"You have come from far and near. Each town and city is dear to those who have made their homes therein. Scarcely any spot in California where man has builded his stronghold but has the touch in some way of the pioneer days. This favored land is our land in common. And our desire and effort to advance its prosperity should be pronounced. In contributing to the culture, power and progress of California, the Order of the Eastern Star has much responsibility.

"We, who are residents of San Francisco, do not claim that this—one of the pioneer cities of the West—is the best or greatest city in California, but that it is different from any other. Its natural setting is conceded to be among the finest in the world. And in your hours of relaxation, when you play about our city by the Golden Gate, we trust that you will find it to be interesting, hospitable, picturesque, different—a place of beauty and joy forever."

"Sisters Grand Marshal and Grand Conductress, you will invite Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, Junior Past Grand Matron, and Brother Joseph Mayo Argabrite, Junior Past Grand Patron, into the Grand Chapter room."

A Processional, the words written by the Grand Organist, Sister Gertrude R. Rose, was sung during the entrance march. Preceded by the Eastern Star flag, the California State flag and the San Francisco flag, the Matrons and Patrons of California, the Pages, Deputy Grand Matrons, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, and Past Elective Grand Officers entered.

Sister Hellwig extended a welcome on behalf of the Grand Chapter in the following well chosen words:

Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, P. G. M.:

"Sister Clara Giberson, Past Grand Matron, Brother Joseph Mayo Argabrite, Junior Past Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of California, Sisters, Brothers, Friends:

"This hour marks the official opening of the 59th annual session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of California, and gratefully I accept this honor bestowed upon me by Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, Worthy Grand Matron.

"There are few left who will recall the first meeting fifty-nine years ago, at which a group of faithful members met for the purpose of organizing the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of California.

"The fifty-nine mileposts along the highway of our progress do not mark an easy road. Some of the chapters represented at that first meeting found the way too rough and gave up the struggle. However, we have gone on from year to year building stone upon stone, and strengthened our foundation with the cement of unselfish service. Today we rejoice in the success of our achievements and boast of the largest woman's organization in the world, feeling proud of the part our Grand Jurisdiction has been privileged to share.

"As we gather to use these rich opportunities, let us do honor to Robert Morris, the great leader whose wise foresight made our Order a reality. May the memory of his steadfast, noble character and high faith be a daily inspiration to us.

"I am forcibly reminded of the rapidity with which the actions of the present become the story of the past, for it seems but a very brief time since our last convocation held in Coronado one year ago.

"While no word of mine is necessary to convince you that you are welcome, still there is a wealth of meaning which that word possesses. It makes us forget the word 'stranger' and forces us to realize that we are in the presence of loyal, loving and sincere friends. We aim to get all the joy, all the inspiration and all the benefit possible out of this association with you.

"We are here to discuss our problems and legislate for the continued advancement of our Order. May our deliberations result in an ever increasing perfection of those beautiful and ennobling ideals for which we are striving.

"Let us work together, pull together and keep together, for in cooperation and harmony lies the secret of success in every undertaking.

"We are carving a niche in Eastern Star history, the paths ahead of us point to accomplishment and the reward of our harvest to success. We cannot conceive the boundless possibilities which await us in the pathway of the future.

"Our greatest accomplishment this year is the erection and almost completion of our Eastern Star Home, upon which we all look with much pride. We have placed our faith and confidence in the Board of

Trustees, who have shown vital interest in our welfare, and I am sure I voice the sentiment of every member of our Order and with grateful heart exclaim, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant.'

"This year of service has been a wonderful experience for Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother John Lewis McDonald, Worthy Grand Patron. They have added to their Crowns hundreds of shining stars.

"They have endeavored to prove their gratitude by giving freely of their time and best efforts. Surely this has all been worth while, because of the love and understanding of the members of this great Order.

"We are happy in the privilege of meeting in San Francisco, the most cosmopolitan city in California. When we think of the beauty and the progress of this State, in which we live, we should all rejoice, give thanks and sing praise.

"By the blessing of God, may the Order of the Eastern Star become a vast and lasting monument of wisdom, peace, liberty and love upon which the world may gaze with admiration forever."

Sister Hellwig then invited the Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter room. While the Grand Officers awaited orders to assume their station, Past Grand Patron, Brother Waldo F. Postel, delivered the following tribute to George Washington and address of welcome:

Brother Waldo F. Postel, P. G. P.:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin, Worthy Grand Patron, John Lewis McDonald, Grand Officers elected and appointed, we, your sisters and brothers by sacred oath and obligation bound to a great and lofty sisterhood and brotherhood, extend to you a hearty welcome to this, the Fifty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star.

"Through the years you have proven your loyalty and devotion to our beloved Order by patient toil and unceasing effort and service, a most eloquent expression of your regard and love for the lofty ideals of the Eastern Star, and now in this hour, after the conclusion of another year's service, we, in our humble and simple way, say to you that we appreciate all that you have done, that we glory in the success which has crowned your intelligent and unceasing efforts in our behalf, and that we, and each and every one of us, love you for yourselves, as well as for what you have done.

"We are glad that we are privileged to witness this Session and we hope that it will bring to you a real knowledge and understanding of our appreciation and that full measure of joy, pleasure and happiness to which you are so justly entitled. The Order of the Eastern Star is rightfully proud of you.

"To you, Elsie Mae McGiffin, must be given the credit and the distinction for, as it were, dedicating this Session to the memory of George Washington, the Father of our country, Masonry's and America's proudest heritage. It was you who called our attention to the fact that this year we celebrate the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington, that we should commemorate that event at this time in this manner, and have provided for us this splendid spectacle, reminiscent of the days that surrounded the birth of our country as a nation, free and independent. You have suggested this splendid colonial setting, atmosphere and color that will live forever in our memory and for all times shall we, with pleasant and inspiring thoughts, designate this as the George Washington Session of our Grand Chapter.

"It is indeed fitting and proper that we, particularly at this time, should reflect upon the character of him, without whom the revolution would never have been won, aye, perhaps not even commenced. I have said that Washington is our greatest heritage. He is more! He ranks with the greatest and noblest of any age in all the world. In truth and in fact, in the cause of liberty, justice, freedom and equality, he rightfully belongs to the ages.

"George Washington was Commander-in-Chief of the American Revolutionary Forces during the entire war, was President of the Constitutional Convention, which drafted our present Constitution, which has stood not only the test of time, but even the acid test of a great civil war, was the first President of the United States of America, the first Charter Master of Alexandria Lodge No. 22, Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Virginia, and is ranked as the first American.

"A man of splendid physique and great strength, he was withal kindly and courteous, a gentleman in every sense of the word, a lover of country, a firm believer in absolute righteousness, truth, justice and equality for all, absolutely fearless, and above all, a profound respecter of womanhood and of motherhood. He was a man!

"Washington neither demanded nor received any pay for his priceless service to our country. The fact that he was fighting for the right was to him a good and sufficient reward. Would that we had men of such spirit today, men whose devotion to country and country's cause was equally as inspiring. Washington put country above party, not merely in promise but in fact. For his own personal cabinet he selected Thomas Jefferson as Secretary of State and Alexander Hamilton as Secretary of the Treasury, both of political faiths as wide apart as the poles themselves. All that concerned Washington was that these two men were best fitted for the honorable positions to which they were appointed. It seems a far call from such a spirit of devotion to country to the methods of the present day.

"This Session is dedicated, nay, consecrated, to the memory of George Washington. What can I say that will add to such a tribute: one thing and one thing only, and I rise and swell with pride and pleasure of nativity in saying that from the lips of this great man came the finest line in poetry, prose or song. Consider what George Washington did, consider the heights to which he rose, consider the positions which he occupied and the greatness which he accomplished, and yet he said, 'All that I am I owe to my mother.' 'All that I am I owe to my mother.' Oh, the beauty, the simplicity, profound generosity and the self-effacement and utter humility of that saying: 'All that I am I owe to my mother.' This, in itself, bespeaks the greatness of the man. If I had my way I would have that line inscribed and emblazoned upon every structure, building or temple occupied by man. 'All that I am I owe to my mother.' You and I can say the same. In that knowledge and in honor and respect to her who gave us birth, let us so regulate our lives, our thoughts and our hearts so that that which we are will be a credit to her.

" 'Washington, a nobility to try for,

A name to live and die for.'

" 'Oh, Washington, hero, patriot, sage,

Friend of all climes and pride of every age.'

"Two hundred years after thy birth, through the kindly and patriotic thought of our Worthy Grand Matron, we consecrate this Session of the Grand Chapter State of California, Order of the Eastern Star to thy memory, and may it be said that in this Grand Chapter, as in the hearts of those to whom you gave liberty and nationality, your memory is enshrined forever.

"Worthy Grand Patron, in greeting you we extend to you our heartfelt appreciation for what you have done in your years of service to our Order. I will not say more and you would not have it otherwise. You and I and all of us desire at this time to do the utmost honor to her upon whose shoulders have rested, and now rests, the greatest responsibilities in our Order of the Eastern Star.

"Worthy Grand Matron, we wish you joy, we wish you happiness, we wish for you all that you could wish and desire for yourself and for your own. You have served us well, you have labored in our behalf with unflinching zeal. What you have done speaks more eloquently than words of your faith in our established institutions. Arduous as it has been, for you it has been a labor of love. After your year as Worthy Grand Matron you have returned to the bosom of this Grand Chapter, whence you sprang, with a record of accomplishment and of peace and harmony that has never been excelled. You have governed us wisely

and well. You have done all that in such a kindly spirit and with such grace and personal charm, that it all seemed without effort on your part. The sunshine of your golden smile has ever been with us and shall always be one of our most pleasant remembrances. Through the State of California you have mingled with the members of our Order with that rare combination of womanhood and girlhood that your very appearance has been an inspiration on all sides. Truly, you have been altogether lovely.

"You have realized the responsibility which was upon you. You have not tried to go alone. We know that you have prayed for divine help and guidance. We also know that because of the splendid traits of character which so plentifully abound in your personality, you have been as kind and considerate to the most humble initiate as you have been to those who sit high in the councils of this Grand Chapter. No doubt because of this conduct on your part, your prayers have been answered. Truly, the poet must have thought of someone like you when he said:

" 'He prayeth best who loveth best,
All things both great and small,
For the dear God who loveth us
He made and loveth all.'

"With the beauty of your life before us and the consciousness of what you have done, and of the heights to which you have risen, we, each and all of us, here highly resolve that by our conduct during this Session of the Grand Chapter we will prove to you our respect, loyalty, appreciation and love. We will make these few days a record of devotion to such an extent that they shall live forever in your fondest memories. We will aim to let nothing happen that will mar or destroy the beautiful picture of peace and harmony which you have created for us during the past year. We will endeavor to conduct our deliberations in such a spirit of forbearance and kindness that as the years roll on and we look back to this Session, it will seem as though during the entire proceedings we were guided by the invisible but protecting hand of him who today enjoys the peace and the sleep that passeth all understanding beside the shimmering waters of the Potomac on historic Mount Vernon.

"Because of you, the Eastern Star may be likened unto a garden, in which garden there blooms a flower, which, by reason of its surpassing beauty of character, its lovely presence, its grace, its color and gentle qualities, is called the queen flower of the garden, and that queen flower in the garden of the Eastern Star is you, our very own Elsie Mae McGiffin.

"This splendid and inspiring spectacle in this tremendous auditorium, this great outpouring of men and women of the Order of the Eastern

Star, this City of San Francisco, vibrant and alive with the progressive spirit of the pioneer and colored by the romance of the past, this State of California of ours with its lofty mountains, its fertile valleys, its resplendent coast and its progressive citizenry, aye, the very sunshine that this very day streams from the open skies above us, all these are for you, Worthy Grand Matron, queen of the Eastern Star, all these are for you."

ESCORT

Representatives of General Grand Chapter:

Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress .

The Worthy Grand Matron presented Sister Effie Easton and said:

"Effie Easton, California's sweetheart, it has been said a prophet is not without honor save in his own country, but we have an exception to show that this is not so in California. We all love you, and we are proud of the honor you have brought to us in California. And wherever you go, our prayer will be that God's sunshine of love will ever brighten your path.

Sister Tegwen N. Daniel, member of the Credential Committee.

Brother Joseph Mayo Argabrite, member of the International Temple Committee.

The Worthy Grand Matron presented these guests and said:

"We appreciate your presence here this morning and hope that you may carry away fond memories of your visit to the 59th annual session of the Grand Chapter of California. Brother Argabrite, you need no introduction to your own Grand Chapter. We are appreciative of the quality of service you gave to us and are confident that the General Grand Chapter has chosen well, and we are happy for the honor that has come to us through you."

Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California:

Sister Maud Dezell Bradley, President.

Sister Effie Easton, Vice-President.

Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper.

Brother Darwin W. Pierce.

Brother Bert R. Holloway.

FLAG ENSEMBLE

Ada McGee, Worthy Matron Rose Croix Chapter.

George Melville, President of Southern California Patrons Assn.

Robert Reid, President of San Francisco Patrons Association.

George Dalmas, President of East Bay Patrons Association .

Lee Wakefield, Worthy Patron of Melrose Chapter.
Bruz Long, Worthy Patron of Betsy Ross Chapter.
William Harris, Worthy Patron of Los Angeles Chapter.
John Buchanan, Worthy Patron of Sunset Chapter.
Charles Tipton, Worthy Patron of South Gate Chapter.
William Buchanan, Worthy Patron of Rose Croix Chapter.
Frank McDonald, Worthy Patron of Yerba Buena Chapter.
Horton Kooser, Worthy Patron of Starlight Chapter.
Commander F. Grant Marsh, member of Santa Cruz Chapter.

During the ensemble of the flags appropriate music was played and the evolution of the American Flag was given by Past Grand Matron, Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper.

Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, P. G. M.:

“When freedom from her mountain heights,
Unfurled her Standard to the air,
She tore the azure robe of night
And set the Stars of Glory there.”

“Your flag and my flag, the flag of the home of the brave and the land of the free.

“Heraldry is as old as the human race, and the carrying of banners has been indulged in by barbarian and civilized man throughout all ages.

“The evolution of the American Flag is as interesting as the evolution of the American Government. The colors are spoken of in the Bible, Exodus, Chapter XVI.

“During the period of the growth and lack of finality of our flag, it embraced parts of banners of other countries and was devoid of originality.

“This period of instability of form and coloring ceased with the definite fixing of the government it represented.

“When Nationality became assured, when State independence was exactly measured—when responsibility and international peace were no longer open for debate, then and not until then, did the flag become definite.

“Some five years after the discovery of America by Columbus, an English explorer, John Cabot, landed at Labrador and planted on that North American soil the flag of King Henry VII, the red cross of England.

“History relates that from the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers on the Mayflower until the year 1775 the flag of England was our banner. However, that flag was not substantial and without change, for in 1606 the field of the English flag was changed from white to blue and the

white cross of St. Andrew was placed thereupon by order of King James I and became known as the Union of the King's Colors.

"And again in 1607 the color of the English flag was changed from blue to crimson, and in the upper corner was placed a field of blue bearing two crosses, one of white topped by one of red.

"During the reign of Charles II and that of Queen Anne the British flag underwent further change, but many of the American Colonies favored the Union flag. However, it may be stated that the Colonies recognized these changes and made some for themselves by placing a pine tree on a white field in lieu of the crosses. In 1775 this pine tree flag was adopted for all Colonial vessels and it is generally understood that it was the Standard carried by the Americans in the Battle of Bunker Hill.

"In the early years of the Revolution during that mighty conflict for freedom, many flags were borne by individual regiments or brigades, and perhaps the most prominent of these was that of the Southern Colonies, carried by them throughout the war and known as the 'Rattlesnake Flag.'

"However, in the fall of 1775 a committee was appointed by the Continental Congress to consider the question of a single flag for the thirteen colonies. That committee recommended that the design should be *thirteen alternate stripes of red and white and in the upper corner an azure field bearing the red cross of St. George and the white cross of St. Andrew*, thereby still showing their loyalty to the crown.

"Our attention may be called to the fact that this is the first appearance of the Red, White and Blue. This flag was raised by George Washington for the first time on January 1, 1776, on Prospect Hill, Charlestown, Mass. It was called 'The Congress Colors' and 'The Grand Union Flag.' Although it was never carried in the field by the Continental land forces, it was used by the Navy as its exclusive ensign and was the first American flag to receive a foreign salute of honor.

"There was much dissatisfaction with this flag because it bore as a part thereof a design so distinctive of the flag of England. A general demand for a banner more specifically representative of our own country caused a committee consisting of George Washington, Robert Morris and George Ross to call upon Betsy Ross, a Philadelphia Quakeress, and commission her to make a flag from the rough design they had brought with them. It is said that she suggested that the stars of the flag have five points rather than six, as the design showed, for the reason that a five pointed star with one point up was an ancient symbol for good.

"On June 14th, 1777, the Continental Congress provided: 'That the Flag of the United States be thirteen stripes of alternating red and white; and that the Union be thirteen stars—white on a blue field representing a new constellation.'

"This banner of starry beauty received its baptism of fire at Fort Schuyler, New York, on August 3, 1777, and its first official salute from another nation was given by France, February 14, 1778.

"Thus was born the first United States Flag.

"The original thirteen stars and thirteen stripes were intended to represent the original thirteen Colonies. In 1795 two additional stars and stripes were added to the flag to represent Vermont and Kentucky, which had been admitted to the Union. And the war of 1812 was fought under this banner. It was this flag flying over Fort McHenry which caused Frances Scott Key to write our now authorized National Anthem, 'The Star Spangled Banner.'

"The admission of additional states into the union required the enlargement of the flag and an essential altering of its design, so Congress adopted a resolution providing 'that from and after July 14, 1818, the stripes should be thirteen and the blue field should carry one star for each of the twenty states in the Union, and that a new star should be added for each state admitted thereafter.'

"Our flag of today with its thirteen stripes and forty-eight stars is at once a history, a declaration and a prophecy. It represents the American Nation as it was at its birth; it speaks for what it is today; and it holds the opportunity for the future.

"Of all the flags of history it is the oldest. Under its folds our nation has engaged in numerous wars, yet never has it rippled in support of an unworthy cause nor known defeat. It won our independence as a nation. It established the freedom of the seas. It vindicated our national dignity and our sovereignty. It preserved the Union. It freed struggling Cuba from tyranny and oppression and it brought the World War to a victorious close. It is an incomparable emblem of liberty and freedom.

" 'The Star Spangled Banner.'

" 'The Stars and Stripes.'

" 'The Red, White and Blue.'

" 'Old Glory,' or by whatever name you may call it, All Hail the American Flag, our Flag."

"Star Spangled Banner" Assembly

Brother Lloyd Ellis Griffin, Associate Grand Patron, then retired and escorted into the Grand Chapter room His Excellency, James Rolph, Jr., Governor of the State of California.

Sister Effie Easton, R. W. A. G. C.:

"Members of the Order of the Eastern Star throughout the State of California, from the northeast corner to the southwest, and from the northwest corner to the southeast, you are gathered here today and for

the rest of the week to deliberate for the best interests of our Order and of the State. It is a great honor that has been given me to introduce the leader of our State. Those of us in San Francisco who worked for him and with him know of his accomplishments—this beautiful edifice under which we are meeting today and this exquisite civic center were born in his administration. We know of his twenty years work as Mayor of the City of San Francisco and we are proud to have him come to us today, because after all, he is the Governor of all of us, in our Fraternal organization as well as elsewhere, and your Excellency, Governor Rolph, I cannot tell you with what pride and pleasure I present to you your admirers."

Address by His Excellency, James Rolph, Jr.:

"Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of California: The Governor of the Commonwealth has come in person this morning from the Capitol at Sacramento to present the greetings of the State to the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star in its 59th annual session. May the Governor be permitted to first thank the Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress of the Order for the warmth of her welcome, for the choiceness of her words and the kindness of her presentation. The Governor is reminded, after viewing this most patriotic scene and the assemblage this forenoon, of a scene which he witnessed in the month of May. The Governors of thirty-two States assembled in the City of Richmond, Virginia, to join in the patriotic services and exercises held in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of the Father of our country. There was reenacted the old Continental Congress. Representatives of men of those days were in Colonial costume.

"As the Clerk of the Congress called the roll, 'George Washington,' 'Thomas Jefferson,' 'John Adams' and all the founders of our Republic, these representatives arose to answer. 'Patrick Henry' responded and we heard him deliver that impassioned speech, 'Give me liberty or give me death.'

"The states were numbered in the order of their entrance into the Union, Virginia being numbered one. The roll of States was called and when number thirty-one was called, the Governor of California arose and responded 'Here.' No man at that gathering was prouder to be able to respond, than was I to answer 'Here' as the Governor of California.

"Ever since this State was admitted to the Union on the ninth day of September, 1850, members of the Masonic order have contributed to the growth and development of this mighty State of California. There were few people in the State at that time, but there are over six million

people in this great State today, a large portion of whom are members of the Masonic Order and its auxiliary, the Eastern Star. So the Governor, representing all the people of the commonwealth, comes this morning to present the greetings of all who belong to the great fraternal order of Masonry and all who do not belong, to this wonderful gathering of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. I congratulate you, Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Officers and all members of this convention. I thank you."

Brother Waldo F. Postel, P. G. P., responded, expressing gratitude to the Governor for the courtesy extended to the Grand Chapter.

The Associate Grand Patron, Brother Lloyd Ellis Griffin, retired and escorted into the Grand Chapter room His Honor, Angelo Rossi, Mayor of the City of San Francisco.

Brother John Lewis McDonald, Worthy Grand Patron:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished East, Sisters and Brothers: It has been the custom in our Grand Chapter for many, many years to have various notables address our assemblage and this year is no exception to that rule. This forenoon we have as our guest one who is very dear to the hearts of the people of San Francisco. I understand he is a great lover of nature, a great lover of flowers, and if you will be real good girls and boys, maybe he will say it to you with flowers. I have the very great honor and extreme pleasure to present to you the Honorable Angelo J. Rossi, Mayor of the City of San Francisco."

Address by Honorable Angelo J. Rossi:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Officers, delegates to the 59th convention of Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star: I am very proud and happy indeed to be here today and as Mayor of this great City to extend to you San Francisco's most cordial and sincere welcome. Ten years have elapsed since you held your last convention in our beloved City; however, I feel that, although you have not held a convention here since then, you always feel at home in our City because it was in San Francisco that your first chapter, Golden Gate No. 1, was instituted on May 10, 1869. Today you have in San Francisco a membership of 10,000, who represent thirty-six chapters. You have in our grand State of California five hundred chapters, which represent a membership of over 106,000, and you have every reason to feel proud that your organization has the largest membership of any woman's organization in the United States. Your organization is a tremendous power for good, not alone for your own membership but likewise for the country and the welfare of its people. San Francisco is highly honored to have you meet in our City. I want to congratulate you, not alone upon the

growth and development of your Order, but I want to thank you for holding this session in San Francisco and I am delighted to see such a large and splendid audience here this morning. While San Francisco always desires conventions to be successful, at the same time our City is recognized the world over as a City of hospitality, and we do want you to enjoy every moment of your time here. Likewise, we want you to see the points of interest in our city. I know that all Californians love San Francisco, and since the fire of 1906 our City has made wonderful progress and many projects are now under way to make it even a greater and better city.

"We want you to see our parks, we want you to see our public buildings, we want you to see our civic center, our majestic city hall; last but not least, the latest addition, the only municipally owned Opera House in the United States. The Opera House was erected by the people of San Francisco in honor, and to the memory, of those who fought and those who made the supreme sacrifice in defense of our country. We are real proud of this new building, in fact, of both of our memorial buildings, and I hope that you will make it your business to see the Opera House before you go home, because I am sure that you too will be equally proud of these two magnificent buildings. Again, as the Mayor of our City, the City by the Golden Gate, I extend to you a most sincere welcome and trust that your stay here will be a very pleasant one. When you take your departure, I hope you will carry back home with you pleasant memories of your visit to San Francisco, and that you will not wait ten years before you hold another convention in San Francisco. You are always most welcome and will always be received with open arms. I thank you."

Response, Judge Lloyd Griffin, Associate Grand Patron:

"Honorable Mayor, time honored custom and the pleasure of our Worthy Grand Matron have made possible one of my most pleasant duties, that of voicing the appreciation of the Grand Officers and Members of this Assembly, for the cordial welcome you have extended to us.

"The beauty of your welcome is found, not alone in the meaning of the words used and the way you have expressed them, but to us we see reflected a picture of the open doors, radiant smiles and generous hospitality offered to us for our enjoyment during our sojourn with you. We trust that no word of ours will be uttered, or act committed, that will in any way mar the joy you have anticipated in having us as your guests.

"History tells us that all progress is the result of effort and, as we turn back the pages of the records, we find that behind all the achieve-

ments and accomplishments, lies the struggle, as well as the dream or vision of someone. But little can we realize how far reaching may be the influence emanating from our visions and undertakings of today.

"I know I express the sentiments of all those here assembled when I proudly say that we are pleased that your fair City was selected as our meeting place, for its reputation for cordiality and hospitality has long been established.

"This spacious and magnificent auditorium, provided for our convenience and comfort, should be an inspiration to us and stimulate us to the full performance of our fraternal duty, that we may properly exemplify and promulgate the beautiful teachings of our Order.

"To you, and to those whom you represent, may I say, to be the recipients of your hospitality is a genuine delight. We appreciate your kindness, we are grateful for your generosity and admire your achievements."

The Grand Marshal retired and escorted into the Grand Chapter room Brother Frank W. Mixer, Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., of California, who was accompanied to the East by Brother Andrew Whitney, Junior Grand Stewart of the Grand Lodge.

In introducing Brother Mixer, the Worthy Grand Matron said:

"Brother Mixer, it is indeed a great pleasure and honor to be privileged to welcome you and present to you the hearty greetings and good wishes of every member of this Order. Your presence here today is an inspiration to us all. We are proud of our relationship to the members of the Order which you represent—the world's greatest organization among men. Proudly, I bid you a most gracious welcome."

Address, Brother Frank W. Mixer:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Officers, Sisters and Brothers of the Eastern Star: It is indeed a wonderful privilege to be welcomed in your midst on this occasion. I am deeply indebted to our Worthy Grand Matron for the very cordial and gracious invitation to me to be here this morning. You have been welcomed here today by the Governor of our great commonwealth, you have been welcomed to this wonderfully hospitable City of San Francisco by its Mayor. I should like not exactly to welcome you, but I should like to bring you, my Sisters and Brothers, the greetings of 140,000 Masons of the grand jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., of California, at this time. I know that I bespeak the sentiment which is in the hearts of the members of our great fraternity, when I say to you that they recognize in you that charming, gracious fellowship, with all the refining and cultural influences that go so far and do so much to make our fraternity of men

the outstanding group of its kind, not only in the state of California, but elsewhere in this great nation of ours. You have nearly 110,000 members in this great Order, representing, as it does, the flower of womanhood of California, an Order which has set up in its precepts and has established through its example that which could well be emulated by the people of all this state and nation.

"I need not remind you that you hear and listen to the cry of the distressed, that you carry on those worthy objectives for the betterment and relief of those who are suffering, that you put into effect in your daily lives and in the activities of this great Order of yours those ideals which are promulgated in one of the ceremonies of our Masonic institution when we dedicate a new temple to Freemasonry, to virtue and to universal benevolence. We should cheer the sorrowful, we should pour the healing oil of consolation upon the wounds which sickness has made in the bodies or which affliction has rent in the hearts of our fellow men and that you are doing. You are exemplifying that spirit and that idea in all your activities and you are to be most heartily commended for so doing.

"It would ill become me at this time to extend my remarks because I know that many of you are looking forward to the hour of recess, the hour of refreshment. I want to reiterate what I said at the beginning, but, before doing that, I should like to mention the fact that this setting, this wonderful auditorium in the hospitable City of San Francisco is made to order apparently for this assemblage. This wonderful background of Colonial days depicts a replica of the home of the father of our country, that eminent man, that great statesman, that fine and patriotic warrior and that true Mason, George Washington, whose bicentennial we are this day celebrating. The Committee of arrangements who have made this setting possible, who have worked upon the theme which it represents and who are carrying it out in the costuming as well as the setting of this stage and auditorium, are particularly to be commended for their energy and effort. Now, my Sisters and Brothers, let me repeat what I said in the beginning, it is a great pleasure to be here. I am a member of this Order. I understand some of the language that some of the finest ritualists in this Order speak. Unfortunately, perhaps, I may not be gifted with the memory to retain it all, but it is nevertheless there and I hope that many of the ideals of this ritual of ours have found some resting place and I hope that in my years to come as the titular head of the great fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons of this state, I may show you from time to time my own appreciation of your efforts. Now again, on behalf of our 140,000 Masons in California, I welcome

you to this, your 59th convention, and wish for you a session of constructive and worthwhile achievement."

Response, Brother Joseph Mayo Argabrite, Past Grand Patron:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worshipful Grand Master: I wish, Most Worshipful Sir, that I had words to express to you what I know is in the hearts of the members of the Order of the Eastern Star, for your appearance here this morning, as you are about to start a very, very busy year. It is unanimous, the friendship which exists between these two great Orders.

"These two great Orders, united as a unit, represent certainly the largest fraternal unit in the State of California, and I certainly know of no shoulders upon which I should prefer to see the responsibility rest, than upon yours and those of our Grace Butterfield, who will head this Order next year.

"I will say to you, Most Worshipful Sir, that the largest single activity of the great Order that you represent is the Homes which are so successfully operated by the Masonic institution. And I would say to you that in the City of Los Angeles there will be dedicated shortly a building to be occupied as a home for the older members of the Order of the Eastern Star. Our work in that regard will largely parallel the work of the Masonic Order, and I feel certain will meet with your approbation.

"Worshipful Grand Master, I think I speak the minds and hearts of the members of this Order when I say to you that we offer you, in starting your year, the assurance of any support you may desire, whether it be for your Public Schools Week, which has always received our approval; whether it be for your Homes, in which we have always been interested, or whether it be for any other cause. I feel certain that you can call upon the members of this Order and upon the officers of the Grand Chapter.

"In closing, Most Worshipful Sir, I extend to you the wish that your year as Grand Master may be just as successful as you would have it. I am certain with the energy that I know you will put into it, you will have a most successful year."

Sister McGiffin thanked Brother Mixter for his kind remarks and invited him to take a seat in the East and remain as long as possible.

Grand Chapter adjourned at 12:30 P. M.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

1:45 P. M.

October 18th.

The Grand Secretary called the roll of Chapters and reported a constitutional number represented and the Worthy Grand Matron proceeded with the formal opening of Grand Chapter.

GRAND OFFICERS

Elsie Mae McGiffin.....	Worthy Grand Matron
John Lewis McDonald.....	Worthy Grand Patron
Grace Richardson Butterfield.....	Associate Grand Matron
Lloyd Ellis Griffin.....	Associate Grand Patron
Stella Morgan Linscott.....	Grand Secretary
Grace I. Good.....	Grand Treasurer
Jessie Galbraith Morris.....	Grand Conductress
Minnie Viola Collins.....	Associate Grand Conductress
Grace Helen Raymond.....	Grand Chaplain
Bertie Y. Todd.....	Grand Marshal
Gertrude R. Rose.....	Grand Organist
Gertrude B. Holt.....	Grand Adah
Amy Baldwin Werking.....	Grand Ruth
Laura Shea Bennett.....	Grand Esther
Flora M. Osterholt.....	Grand Martha
Mabel C. Chamblin.....	Grand Electa
Lavina Whitney.....	Grand Warder
Reuben O. Bourne.....	Grand Sentinel

Sister Jessie Carter, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Nevada, was escorted to the east, presented, given the grand honors and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, Junior Past Grand Matron, presented the following Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of the State of California:

PAST GRAND MATRONS

Mary Josephine Young	Maude Noble Haven
Ella Tyler Hall	Effie Easton
Eva M. Porter	Maud Dezell Bradley
Clara Abbott Giberson	Stella Morgan Linscott
Mabel Boyd Seymour	Maude Bigelow Sibley
Chlo Atchison Craig	Zella Whitford Samson
Anna D. Dudderer	Cora Spring Holland

Emma Riehl Leach	Hazael Marsb-Piper
Annie Marie Johnson	Gladys Fitch Pierce
Lena Walker Stannard	Pauline Ada Hause
Minnie Hiner	Myra Moyse
Minnie Elliot Seymour	Willia Jane Hellwig
Elizabeth B. Wheeler	

PAST GRAND PATRONS

Ernest W. Conant	Guy Woodhams Brundage
Lyman C. Byce	Waldo Francis Postel
Benj. B. Cartwright	Raymond H. Griest
Wm. J. Mossholder	Henry F. Pernau
W. Frank Holman	Bert R. Holloway
Darwin W. Pierce	Walter W. Bradley
Lew Edward Wallace	Joseph M. Argabrite
Delos A. Mace	

At the invitation of the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron, welcomed the Past Grand Officers:

Sister Maude N. Haven, P. G. M.:

"Our gracious Worthy Grand Matron has accorded me the esteemed privilege of welcoming to this great convention in my beloved home City our distinguished Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons.

"I am happy indeed and most grateful to our Grand Matron to have this opportunity of especially greeting those who have so faithfully served our Order as presiding officers in this and other Grand Jurisdictions. It is a joy to gather together in goodly numbers once a year at least. We would it were more often, but in a State of the geographical dimensions of California, our meetings in large groups are necessarily not frequent. Here we may exchange reminiscences and delve into details of legislation, as well as assist with earnest endeavors in solving the various problems that may be presented.

"San Francisco greets you with outstretched hands; our Golden Gate stands widely opened to receive you: our hearts, our homes, our time, are yours to command.

"In the name of the Grand Chapter of California I extend to you a most hearty welcome. As a Past Grand Matron of California, I welcome you with enthusiasm. As a resident of this fair City, birthplace of our Order in this State and of our Grand Chapter, I bid you thrice welcome to San Francisco, the convention city, our City by the Golden Gate.

"We earnestly desire this 59th Session of our Grand Chapter shall be outstanding as one of hospitality, congeniality, friendliness and achievement. To this end our Activities Committee has labored zealously throughout the entire year in perfecting plans for your comfort and convenience."

Response, Past Grand Matron Cora Spring Holland:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Maude Noble Haven, Sisters and Brothers:

" 'God wove a web of loveliness
Of clouds and stars and birds,
But made not anything at all
So beautiful as words.' "

"The beautiful words of welcome expressed by Sister Haven have made these Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons very happy, and we thank you.

"Our active responsibilities have been taken up by others, but we observe with interest the administrations of our successors and welcome with rejoicing the introduction of any new ideas that tend toward progression.

"Worthy Grand Matron, we have viewed with approval the excellent methods employed this trying year in conducting the affairs of your office. Never in the history of our Grand Chapter has a Grand Matron been called upon to meet the problems of a world struggling with poverty, sadness, unemployment and the misunderstandings which naturally follow such conditions. Elsie Mae, your unfailing sympathy, your understanding love coupled with that vein of sparkling humor and cheerfulness, which it is your good fortune to possess, has brought sunshine and happiness to thousands of tired souls whose nerves were at the breaking point and who could not even think along sane, normal lines.

"There are two kinds of people in the world today—those who see clouds and those who see through clouds. Fortunately, our Grand Matron belongs to the latter group. Each one of us must decide for himself to which class he will belong. If one chooses to look at clouds and not through them, he joins the worriers. I am going to tell you a story. There are only two reasons for worry. You are either successful or you are not successful. If you are successful, there is nothing to worry about. If you are unsuccessful, you either have good health or you are sick. If you have good health, there is nothing to worry about. If you are sick, there are two things to worry about. You are either going to get well or you are going to die. If you are going to get well,

there is nothing to worry about. If you are going to die, there are two things to worry about. You are either going to heaven or you are not going to heaven. If you are going to heaven, there is nothing to worry about and, if you are going to the other place, you will be so busy shaking hands with your good friends that you will not have time to worry. Worry is responsible for most of the ills in the world today, for it is a great destroyer of joy and joy is life at its best. Sisters and brothers, let us look through the clouds at the sun. It's there. It's always there—always shining. Meet the world with a cheerful face and the voice that makes all hard things easier because of the note of faith and hope there is in it.

"Our Grand Chapter is to be congratulated upon the financial aid given to hundreds of needy members during the year; and oh, what an inspiration is the beautiful new Eastern Star Home nearing completion! One cannot look upon it without a thrill of pride—a haven of rest and peace for perhaps you and me.

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, the Past Grands have come to this session full of the spirit of service, anxious to renew their obligations to the Order of the Eastern Star, to each other and to Him who rules over all. May peace and good will prevail and may this session leave in our hearts only helpful, happy memories.

"We again thank you for the kindly greeting extended to us. At the close of this session, you will find these co-workers of the past waiting with open arms to receive you into the Association of Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons."

Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, P. G. M., presented and welcomed the following Past Elective Grand Officers of California:

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRONS

Mary S. Munns
Agnes Conant
Alice F. Hickie

Emma B. Graves
Mary E. Finlay
Ida Fitschen

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRONS

Harry C. Cooper

Henry C. Haake

Geo. A. Vanderlip

PAST GRAND SECRETARY

Susan Mills Willats

PAST GRAND TREASURERS

Isabelle L. Vawter	Georgia E. Hunt
Laura M. Macdermott	Grace D. Beckman
Eva H. Boyd	Bessie A. Pierce
Georgia A. Catherwood	Anna L. McKenney
Lena R. Mallery	Mildred C. Blair
Annie S. Brasch	Florence Newman
Sue E. Tuck	

PAST GRAND MATRONS OF OTHER JURISDICTIONS

Marie Louise Summerfield.....	Nevada
Mary E. Talbot.....	Nevada
K. L. Abercombie.....	Oklahoma
Tegwen M. Daniel.....	Nevada

By direction of the Worthy Grand Matron, the Grand Marshal and Grand Conductress retired and escorted the following Grand Representatives into the Grand Chapter room:

Name	Representing
Anna Matthies.....	Grand Rep. of Okla. in State of Wash.
Kathryn Bashor.....	Alabama
Grace Isabel Good.....	Arkansas
Gladys Fitch Pierce.....	Arizona
Erna Boyce.....	British Columbia
Emma June Stanley.....	Connecticut
M. Josephine Young.....	Delaware
Hazael Marsh-Piper.....	Georgia
Mabel Boyd Seymour.....	Illinois
Annie S. Brasch.....	Indiana
Olive Moore.....	Iowa
Luella Orban.....	Kansas
Susan Mills Willats.....	Maine
Mildred C. Blair.....	Manitoba
Clara A. Giberson.....	Maryland
Elsie Shannon Holloway.....	Massachusetts
Myra Moyse.....	Minnesota
Pearl Elane Bosserman.....	Missouri
Jeanette O. Counter.....	Mississippi
Isabel Lemmon.....	Montana
Bessie Adelaide Pierce.....	Nebraska
Mary S. Munns.....	Nevada
Alice F. Hickie.....	New Jersey

Grace Ethel Stilgenbaur.....	New Mexico
Emma Riehl Leach.....	North Carolina
Mary Elizabeth Cartwright.....	North Dakota
Lena W. Stannard.....	Ontario
Georgiana Catherwood.....	Porto Rico
Gladys R. Huskinson.....	Quebec
Lily Louise Carren.....	Rhode Island
Pauline F. Pernau.....	Saskatchewan
Maude B. Sibley.....	South Dakota
Willa Jane Hellwig.....	Tennessee
Maude Noble Haven.....	Utah
Lillian D. Boorman.....	Vermont
Ethelmae Ware.....	Wisconsin
Elizabeth B. Wheeler.....	Washington
Annie M. Johnson.....	Wyoming

The distinguished guests were given a very cordial welcome by the Associate Grand Matron, Sister Grace Richardson Butterfield:

Sister Grace Richardson Butterfield, A. G. M.:

"The privilege of welcoming you is an honor and a pleasure, and I thank our gracious Grand Matron for extending me this courtesy. Individually you represent the Worthy Grand Matron of your respective Grand Jurisdictions: collectively you are a symbol of the power and influence for good which the Order of the Eastern Star is wielding throughout the world. You represent approximately two million members of this glorious Order, inspired by the same Ideals; bound by the same sacred Obligation; united by the same ties of Fraternity, Friendship and Love.

"Love is the Life of the Soul—
It is the Harmony of the Universe.
God is Love.

"And so, my Sisters, it is in this spirit of love that I, on behalf of the officers and members of this Grand Chapter, welcome you, our Honored Guests, and express to you, and through you to our Sister Grand Jurisdictions, the sincere fraternal greetings of the Grand Chapter of California."

Response, Sister Elizabeth B. Wheeler, P. G. M.:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers: By the courtesy of our Grand Matron it is an honor and pleasure, on behalf of the Grand Representatives, to respond to this most gracious welcome of our Associate Grand Matron.

"Joy touches our hearts in the warmth of this welcome, the sentiment expressed and the existing ties of friendship. We are happy to have even a small part in this great fraternal body. May love's glowing light shine upon this convocation and each day, bright and calm from beginning to end, bring heart to heart in fond meeting. We bring to you fraternal greetings and best wishes for a happy and profitable session."

The Worthy Grand Matron announced the following appointments to fill vacancies on Standing Committees:

Bro. D. W. Pierce on Constitution and By-Laws Committee to take the place of Bro. Roy Musser (Bro. Waldo F. Postel to be chairman).

Bro. Paul Werking on Credentials Committee to take the place of Bro. Paul Robinson.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEES ON JURISPRUDENCE AND CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

In answer to a question submitted to the Worthy Grand Matron, the Committees made the following report:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O.E.S.:

The matter of attendance during our installation ceremonies by non-members of the Order has been referred by our Worthy Grand Matron to your Committees on Jurisprudence and Constitution and By-Laws in joint session for a recommendation to this session of Grand Chapter. Your Committees recognize the fact that this practice has been and is now illegal, but upon consideration of all phases of the question particularly affecting this present session, and with the arrangement that all non-member visitors be seated in one section where they may be permitted to retire before the closing of Grand Chapter, we recommend to this Grand Body that the rules be suspended to allow for this procedure, and that our incoming Worthy Grand Matron be permitted to invite such friends as she may desire.

Respectfully submitted,

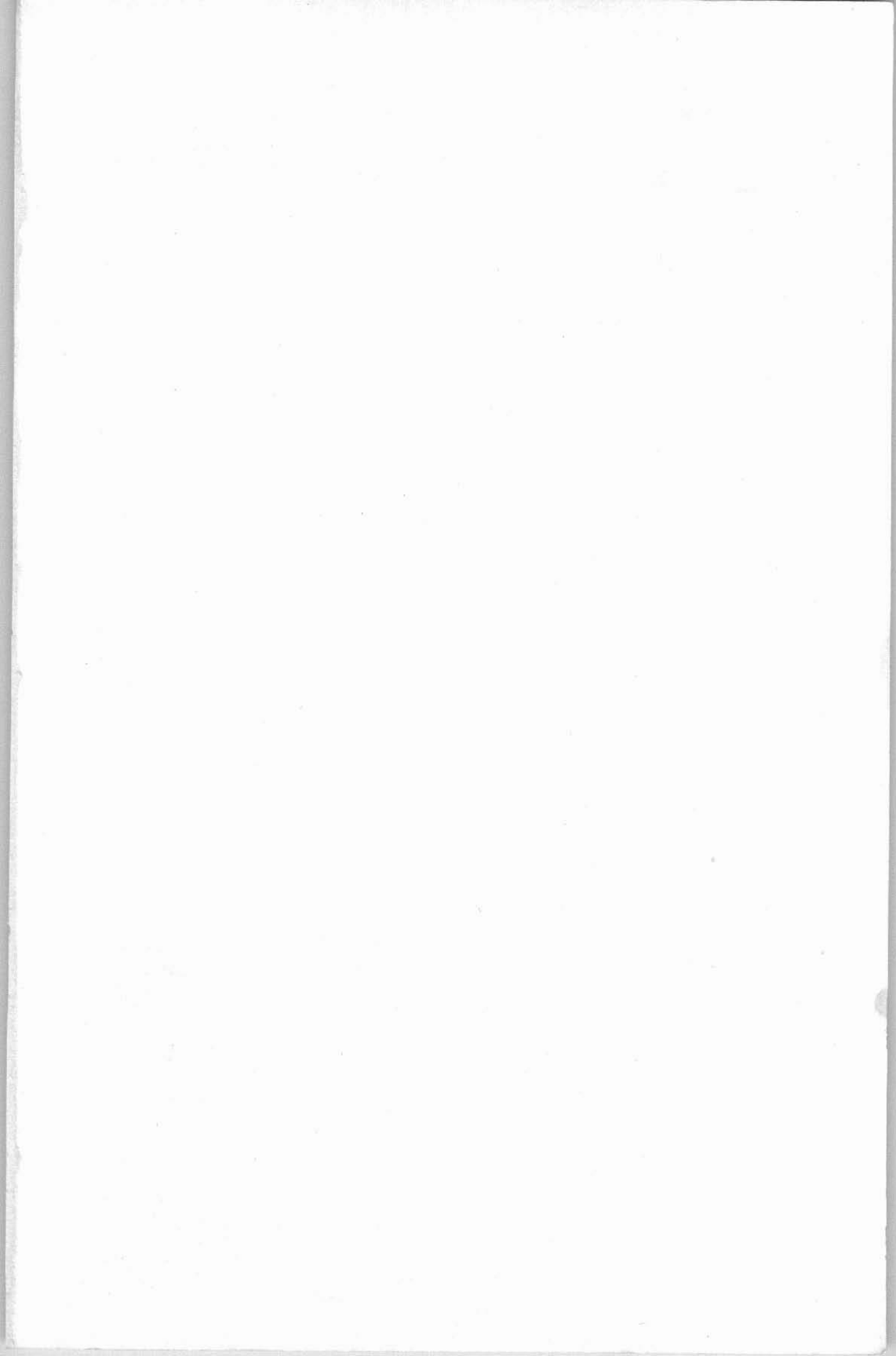
D. W. PIERCE,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Jurisprudence Committee.

W. F. HOLMAN,
MABEL B. SEYMOUR,
DELOS A. MACE,
Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

Adopted.



ELSIE MAE McGIFFIN
Worthy Grand Matron, 1931-1932



ADDRESS OF THE WORTHY GRAND MATRON

To the Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Greetings:

Another twelve months have passed, marking an epoch in the history of the Order of the Eastern Star in California. And now we have gathered from all sections of this glorious State to mingle with our sisters and brothers, enjoying the hospitality this "City by the Golden Gate," has just extended to us; to review the work of the past and legislate that which will be beneficial for the future.

Although you have been royally welcomed I wish to add a few words. We are glad to see those who have attended the annual sessions from year to year; we need you! We need your counsel and advice in all matters that will be of benefit to our Order. We want you who are attending Grand Chapter for the first time as delegates, to realize that this is your session, and that the responsibilities for the future welfare of the Order rests largely upon you.

In submitting a report of my stewardship, for the past year, I do so with a sense of deep appreciation and gratitude to the members of the Grand Chapter. Appreciation for according me the opportunity of bringing a message of love to the members; to help them know the importance of the beautiful work of the Ritual, the spiritual meaning of which when attained and made thine own will bring true happiness. Gratitude to the Giver of all good for the help, strength, and courage to perform my duty under difficult circumstances, like Solomon of old I prayed,

"Grant me wisdom, not that I may pose as one who's clamored high,
Let me be strong, brave of heart, and teach me how to play my part,
And let me serve as best I can, my God, my home, my fellowman."

Although our membership has not increased this year and many of our Chapters have suffered the loss in funds through bank failures or otherwise, yet I am happy to report that this has been more than offset by an increased richness in fraternal love and charitable deeds.

IN MEMORIAM

In the joy of reunion there comes to us a feeling of sadness when we realize that the curtain of night has fallen for many of our sisters and brothers in this and other Grand Jurisdictions.

Let us pause for a moment to pay a loving tribute to their memory.

We are grateful that the chain of Grand Officers remains unbroken but the silent messenger entered the circle of the Past Grand Officers and took one of our Past Grand Matrons.

Sister Frances Ellen Ryder, Worthy Grand Matron (1881-1882). Entered into rest July 13, 1932.

God called our loved ones,
Yet we lose not wholly what he has given;
They live on earth in thought and deed,
As truly as in heaven.

In the General Grand Chapter, Sister Emma Ocobock, Past Worthy Grand Matron, crossed the bar on January 11, 1932, at her home in Hartford, Michigan; Brother J. Ernest Teare, Most Worthy Grand Patron, 1925-1928. Died July 28, 1932; and Judge Stephen J. Chadwick, husband of our Junior Past Most Worthy Grand Matron passed away.

Elsie May Bird, Worthy Matron of Utopia Chapter No. 441. Entered into rest March 20, 1932.

"Every year the Father calleth
Some loved to eternal rest,
And the heart tho filled with anguish
Can but cry, "He knoweth best."

Kate Elizabeth Mathews, Worthy Matron of Evening Star Chapter No. 10. Entered into rest August 23, 1932.

"They cannot be where God is not,
On any sea or shore,
Whater' betides, Thy love abides
Our God forever more."

Ocie Mary Egelhoff, Worthy Matron of Los Angeles Chapter No. 168. Entered into rest September 4, 1932.

"From our chain a link has fallen,
In the East a star has set,
But engraved on memory's tablet
Is a name we'll ne'er forget."

Myron McNeil, Worthy Patron of Montebello Chapter No. 335. Entered into rest December 19, 1931.

Edward Friedrichs, Worthy Patron of Hayward Chapter No. 331. Entered into rest August 31, 1932.

"No matter how heavy our loss is
No matter how great our despair,
Doesn't Heaven seem nearer and dearer
To know that our loved ones are there."

Brother John A. Rose, Past Patron of Rose Croix Chapter, my home Chapter, entered into rest August 4, 1932. Heaven takes on a newer meaning now that he has entered there.

May 18th Charles Vincent, father of Sister Flo McDonald left us to pass through the gate of Infinite Love and to those who miss him in their daily life we would offer loving sympathy.

August 26th, Sister Eliza Yarbrough, mother of our Grand Marshal, Sister Bertie Y. Todd.

September 23rd, Sister Rebecca Elizabeth Holman, mother of Past Grand Patron, Brother W. Frank Holman.

"Into her eyes the Father looked
With a tender loving smile:
He kissed the lids with His breath of balm
Bidding her rest awhile."

A suitable memorial service will be conducted at the appointed time.

OFFICIAL ACTS

My first official acts were the naming of the appointive Grand Officers, signing of warrants and dispensations for use in the Grand Secretary's office, approving of the bonds of the Grand Secretary and the Grand Treasurer.

Deputy Grand Matrons were appointed and assigned to their several districts as follows:

- District No. 1—Mrs. Bessie McCutcheon, Camellia Chapter No. 63.
- District No. 2—Mrs. Hazel Lee Petersen, Fidelity Chapter No. 131.
- District No. 3—Mrs. Electa Thatcher, Northern Light Chapter No. 26.
- District No. 4—Mrs. Nettie B. Harris, Esther Chapter No. 74.
- District No. 5—Mrs. Bertha L. McAuslan, Wildrose Chapter No. 326.
- District No. 6—Mrs. Ruby Blackman, Sincerity Chapter No. 53.
- District No. 7—Mrs. Mary E. Rodgers, Josephine Chapter No. 104.
- District No. 8—Mrs. Vera Bowrin, Bethany Chapter No. 304.
- District No. 9—Mrs. Leila Vevoda, Kingsley Chapter No. 58.
- District No. 10—Mrs. Roberta Milne, San Rafael Chapter No. 215.
- District No. 11—Miss Irene Snow, Keystone Chapter No. 235.
- District No. 12—Mrs. Dagmar Bailey, Rio Vista Chapter No. 222.
- District No. 13—Mrs. Mabel Wixson Barr, Ada Chapter No. 301.
- District No. 14—Mrs. Ann J. Johnson, Rose Chapter No. 292.

District No. 15—Mrs. Jessie Hardis Robbins, Queen Esther Chapter No. 71.

- District No. 16—Mrs. Hazel Ham, Woodbridge Chapter No. 118.
District No. 17—Mrs. Helen Sandine, Stockton Chapter No. 373.
District No. 18—Mrs. Rea L. Briggs, Crockett Chapter No. 184.
District No. 19—Mrs. Eva Nelson, West Gate Chapter No. 290.
District No. 20—Mrs. Myrtle Hollenbeck, Fruitvale Chapter No. 297.
District No. 21—Mrs. Edna Gillard, Lake Merritt Chapter No. 410.
District No. 22—Miss Leonora Maganini, Golden Chain Chapter No. 303.
District No. 23—Mrs. Luella Thompson, Elmhurst Chapter No. 455.
District No. 24—Mrs. Catherine Yates, Seaport Chapter No. 427.
District No. 25—Mrs. Annie Neilan, Beulah Chapter No. 99.
District No. 26—Mrs. Hertha Magnus, Lebanon Chapter No. 374.
District No. 27—Mrs. Elva Rivers, King Solomon's Chapter No. 170.
District No. 28—Mrs. Louise Yandell, Golden Gate Chapter No. 1.
District No. 29—Mrs. Hazel Johnson, Laurel Chapter No. 186.
District No. 30—Mrs. Emma Mae Cole, Los Gatos Chapter No. 128.
District No. 31—Mrs. Beulah Soderer, Santa Cruz Chapter No. 273.
District No. 32—Mrs. Elsa M. Orcutt, Bethlehem Chapter No. 95.
District No. 33—Mrs. Stella Milam, Summit Chapter No. 138.
District No. 34—Mrs. Elsie Jo Beaty, Mercedes Chapter No. 126.
District No. 35—Mrs. Pauline Arnold, Corcoran Chapter No. 370.
District No. 36—Mrs. Olive Pearl Gardner, Lindsay Chapter No. 306.
District No. 37—Mrs. Faye Pritschke, Wasco Chapter No. 489.
District No. 38—Mrs. Stella Habersfelde, Delano Chapter No. 146.
District No. 39—Mrs. Mary S. Bush, Mt. Whitney Chapter No. 197.
District No. 40—Mrs. Annabel Spinney, Marguerite Chapter No. 78.
District No. 41—Mrs. Sadie Zerboni, Ocean Park Chapter No. 145.
District No. 42—Mrs. Marie F. Warke, Harding Chapter No. 454.
District No. 43—Mrs. Edna Francis Faires, Melrose Chapter No. 466.
District No. 44—Mrs. Elane Bosserman, Pacific Chapter No. 192.
District No. 45—Mrs. Jean Hawn, Highland Park Chapter No. 263.
District No. 46—Mrs. Erhel G. Pembroke, West Lake Chapter No. 268.
District No. 47—Mrs. Rosie Roemer, South Gate Chapter No. 133.
District No. 48—Mrs. Cora M. Roberts, Lankershim Chapter No. 403.
District No. 49—Mrs. Clara Smith, Southland Chapter No. 307.
District No. 50—Mrs. Edna May Bolz, Arcadia Chapter No. 471.
District No. 51—Mrs. Myrtle Schroeder, Ascot Chapter No. 437.
District No. 52—Mrs. Virginia Reber, Lynwood Chapter No. 438.
District No. 53—Mrs. Hettie E. Capito, Inglewood Chapter No. 319.
District No. 54—Mrs. Isabel Harbaugh, All States Chapter No. 502.
District No. 55—Mrs. Florence Graham, Montebello Chapter No. 335.

- District No. 56—Mrs. Clara Holland, Yorba Linda Chapter No. 347.
District No. 57—Mrs. Nellie M. Sylvester, Santa Ana Chapter No. 389.
District No. 58—Mrs. Eva Pulley, Orange Blossom Chapter No. 488.
District No. 59—Mrs. Estelle Morrison, Copa del Ora Chapter No. 142.
District No. 60—Mrs. Ruth P. Kimball, Glendora Chapter No. 357.
District No. 61—Mrs. Cora Oga Smith, Southern Star Chapter No. 96.
District No. 62—Mrs. Olive Marion Sweet, Point Loma Chapter No. 490.
District No. 63—Mrs. Ella H. Yount, Coachella Valley Chapter No. 360.

COMMITTEES

O. E. S. HOME TRUSTEES:

- Mrs. Maud Dezell Bradley (133), 527 E. Jefferson St., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Hazael Marsh-Piper (273), Santa Cruz.
Mrs. Effie Easton (183), Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco.
Mr. Darwin W. Pierce (268), 1022 S. Gramercy Place, Los Angeles.
Mr. Bert R. Holloway (338), Van Nuys.

STANDING COMMITTEES

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CREDENTIALS:

- Mr. Raymond H. Griest (210), 636 N. Gower St., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Bessie A. Pierce (268), 1022 S. Gramercy Place, Los Angeles.
Mrs. Anna Chubb (8), 866 Northvale Road, Oakland.
Mr. Paul D. Robinson (167), 1001 West Washington St., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Lillian Podesta (470), 41 Cervantes Blvd., San Francisco.
Mrs. Florence Newman (36), 940 44th St., Sacramento.

JURISPRUDENCE:

- Dr. W. Frank Holman (168), 711 W. 43rd Pl, Los Angeles.
Dr. Delos A. Mace (63), P. O. Box 704, Eureka.
Mrs. Mabel Seymour (36), 1605 H. St., Sacramento.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS:

- Mr. Roy Musser (413), 4312 10th Ave., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Cora Spring Holland (225), 126 N. Ave. 54, Los Angeles.
Mr. Waldo F. Postel (196), Kohl Bldg., San Francisco.

FINANCE:

- Mr. Joseph Mayo Argabright (79), Ventura.
Mrs. Elizabeth B. Wheeler (268), 3835 West 7th St., Los Angeles.
Dr. Maude Noble Haven (27), 611 Baker St., San Francisco.

WARRANTS AND DISPENSATIONS:

Mr. Wallace Rutherford (235), Napa.
Mrs. Gladys Fitch Pierce (78), 409 East Valerio St., Santa Barbara.
Mrs. Pauline Ada Hause (150), 700 Mason St., San Francisco.

APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES:

Mrs. Willa Jane Hellwig (177), Alvarado.
Mr. Frank Cruse (418), 3505 5th Ave., Los Angeles.
Dr. D. E. F. Easton (183), Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco.

RETURNS:

Mr. Henry F. Pernau (183), 753 Market St., San Francisco.
Mrs. Josephine Fisk (21), 9519 S. Hoover St., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Emma R. Leach (63), 2204 D. St., Eureka.

DISTRIBUTION:

Mrs. Nettie Webster (329), 5129 Maplewood Ave., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Zella Whitford Samson (279), Corning.
Mrs. Emma Blanchard Graves (410), 1185 Holman Rd., Oakland.

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Mrs. Eva Stevenson (248), 1939 East 1st St., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Minnie Viola Collins (269), 1632 Great Highway, San Francisco.
Mrs. Hazel Smoot (388), 1331 30th Ave., San Francisco.

PRINTING:

Mrs. Myra Clare Moyse (354), 1219 N. Alvarado St., Los Angeles.
Mr. Walter Bradley (178), 1671 Arch St., Berkeley.
Mr. Bert Copsey (332), 4444 H. Ave., Coronado.

PAY OF MEMBERS:

Mr. Guy W. Brundage (57), Auburn.
Mr. John E. Barker (79), Chestnut St., Ventura.
Mrs. Annie Brasch (196), 268 16th Ave., San Francisco.

NECROLOGY:

Mrs. Clara Alvarez (225), 500 Court St., Los Angeles.
Mrs. Ida Tiedeman (386), 3210 Thompson Ave., Alameda.
Mrs. Maude Stephens (183), 771 26th Ave., San Francisco.

EDUCATION:

Mrs. Maude Bigelow Sibley (168), 645 West Glenoaks, Glendale.
Mrs. Minnie Seymour (219), Mill Valley.
Miss Susan Mills Willats (206), 535 Geary St., San Francisco.

STUDENTS' LOAN FUND:

Mr. A. C. McCloskey (392), 5707 Fleming Ave., Oakland.
Mrs. Eliza Hook (214), Concord.
Mrs. Bertha Wright (89), 1045 S. St., Fresno.
Mrs. Nellie Husted (350), 427 Bartlett St., San Francisco.
Miss Jessie Ingraham (407), 211 S. Putney St., San Gabriel.

PUBLICITY:

Mr. Edward Counter (196), 298 Chenery St., San Francisco.

GRAND CHAPTER WEEK ACTIVITIES:

Dr. Max Wassman (124), 1320 3rd Ave., San Francisco.
Mrs. Isabelle Mosher (269), 460 Pacheco St., San Francisco.
Mr. Walker Peddicord (196), 525 Genesee St., San Francisco.

BENEVOLENT FUND COMMITTEE:

Mrs. Helen Margia Knight (155), General Chairman, 1 year, 58 Woodland Ave., San Francisco.

District No. 1—Mrs. Emma Riehl Leach (63), Chairman, 3 years, 2204 D. St., Eureka, Humboldt County. Counties of Del Norte, Humboldt, Lake, Mendocino, Trinity.

District No. 2—Mrs. Cecelia Chamberlain (53), Chairman, 3 years, Greenville, Plumas County. Counties of Lassen, Modoc, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Tehama.

District No. 3—Mrs. Mable Boyd Seymour (36), Chairman, 1 year, 1605 H. St., Sacramento. Counties of Amador, Butte, Colusa, El Dorado, Glenn, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Solano, Sutter, Yolo, Yuba.

District No. 4—Mrs. Maude Ethel Fluetsch (270), Chairman, 2 years, 527 21st St., Merced. Counties of Calaveras, Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Tulare, Tuolumne.

District No. 5—Mrs. Pauline Florence Pernau (27), Chairman 2 years, 2405 Green St., San Francisco. Counties of Marin, San Francisco, San Mateo, Sonoma.

District No. 6—Mrs. Emma Blanchard Graves (410), Chairman, 2 years, 1185 Holman Rd., Oakland. Counties of Alameda, Contra Costa, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz.

District No. 7—Miss Sue Estelle Tuck (168), Chairman, 3 years, 502 Forest Ave., Pacific Grove. Counties of Monterey, San Benito, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura.

District No. 8—Mrs. Bessie Adelaide Pierce (268), Chairman, 1 year, 1022 Gramercy Place, Los Angeles. Counties of Los Angeles, Orange.

District No. 9—Mrs. Cora M. Rosvall (345), Chairman, 1 year, 222 G. St., Chula Vista. Counties of Imperial, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Housing Committee; for the Grand Chapter Session at San Francisco:

Hazael Marsh Piper, Past Grand Matron.

Committee of One to act as Sick and Cheer Committee:

Charlotte C. Sutherland, Jewel Chapter.

Committee to Report on Fifty Year Emblem:

Joseph Mayo Argabrite.

Myra Clare Moyse.

Fenn M. Durke.

Committee of One on Courtesies at this Grand Chapter Session at San Francisco:

Bessie A. Pierce.

SCHOOLS OF INSTRUCTION

1931.

November 10-13, inclusive.

Held School of Instruction for Deputy Grand Matrons in Golden Gate Commandery Hall, San Francisco. The work was exemplified on the opening and closing day by the San Francisco Degree Team:

Worthy Matron, Anita Heaney, Golden West Chapter No. 350; Worthy Patron, Chester Morris, Fruitvale Chapter No. 297; Associate Matron, Barbara Fairgrieve, Mission Chapter No. 155; Associate Patron, Ted C. Counter, San Francisco Chapter No. 382; Secretary, Kate M. Nichols, Yerba Buena Chapter No. 228; Treasurer, Ethyl L. Bacon, Acantha Chapter No. 249; Conductress, Nellie Husted, Golden West Chapter No. 350; Associate Conductress, Lillian Podesta, Roosevelt Chapter No. 470; Chaplain, Marguerite Mackenzie, Alertha Chapter No. 366; Marshal,

Myrtle Liebert, Ivy Chapter No. 27; Organist, Sarah Barnum, Fireside Chapter No. 440; Adah, Lily Levy, Ideal Chapter No. 251; Ruth, Hildagard Lauer, Presidio Chapter No. 481; Esther.

Martha, Katherine Rowe, Albert Pike Chapter No. 284; Electa, Edith Morton, Seal Rock Chapter No. 396; Warder, Jessie Hansen, Jewel Chapter No. 238; Sentinel, Edna Weile, Harmony Chapter No. 124; Flag Bearer, Sidney Morton, Seal Rock Chapter No. 396.

There were thirty-six Deputy Grand Matrons present and the following Present and Past Grand Officers:

John McDonald, Grand Patron; Grace R. Butterfield, Associate Grand Matron; Stella M. Linscott, Grand Secretary; Grace I. Good, Grand Treasurer; Jessie Morris, Grand Conductress; Minnie V. Collins, Associate Grand Conductress; Mabel Chamblin, Grand Electa; Grace Raymond, Grand Chaplain; and Past Grand Matrons: Willa Jane Hellwig, Pauline Ada Hause, Hazael Marsh Piper, Dr. Maud Noble Haven, Elizabeth Wheeler, Zella Samson, Minnie Seymour, Effie Easton, Clara Giberson. Past Associate Grand Matron, Alice Hickey. Past Grand Treasurers, Sue Estelle Tuck, Bessie Pierce, Annie Shiggle Brasch, Florence Newman. Past Grand Patrons, Walter Bradley, Henry Pernau.

1931.

November 17-20, inclusive.

Held School of Instruction for Deputy Grand Matrons in Masonic Temple, Los Angeles. The work was exemplified by the Los Angeles Degree Team:

Worthy Matron, Lillian Holman, Los Angeles Chapter No. 168; Worthy Patron, Knowlton Bradley, South Gate Chapter No. 133; Associate Matron, Minnie Snow, East Gate Chapter No. 225; Associate Patron, James I. McGiffin, Rose Croix Chapter No. 317; Secretary, Emma Bell Kutler, Cahuenga Chapter No. 413; Treasurer, Eva H. Boyd, Chispa Chapter No. 151; Conductress, Bessie A. Pierce, Westlake Chapter No. 268; Associate Conductress, Grace E. Dequine, Westlake Chapter No. 268; Chaplain, Maud D. Bradley, South Gate Chapter No. 133; Marshal, Ethel Pembroke, Westlake Chapter No. 268; Organist, Mattie Charette, Esperanza Chapter No. 167; Adah, Mildred C. Blair, Pacific Chapter No. 192; Ruth, Franc Schroeder, Los Angeles Chapter No. 168; Esther, Louise Robinson, Esperanza Chapter No. 167; Martha, Blanche Peterson, Betsy Ross Chapter No. 518; Electa, Grace Good, York Chapter No. 343; Warder, Clara Alvarez, East Gate Chapter No. 225; Flag Bearer, Paul Robinson, Esperanza Chapter No. 167.

There were twenty-seven Deputy Grand Matrons present and the following Present and Past Grand Officers:

Grace R. Butterfield, Associate Grand Matron; Lloyd Griffin, Associate Grand Patron; Stella M. Linscott, Grand Secretary; Grace I. Good, Grand Treasurer; Jessie Morris, Grand Conductress; Bertie Y. Todd, Grand Marshal; Gertrude Rose, Grand Organist; Gertrude Holt, Grand Adah; Amy Werking, Grand Ruth; Laura Bennett, Grand Esther; Flora Osterholt, Grand Martha; Reuben O. Bourne, Grand Sentinel. Past Grand Matrons, Willa Jane Hellwig, Lena W. Stannard, Myra Moyse, Maud Bradley, Chlo Craig, Gladys Pierce, Elizabeth Wheeler and Maude Sibley. Past Grand Patrons, Dr. Frank Holman, Raymond Griest, Roy Musser. Past Grand Treasurers, Bessie A. Pierce, Isabelle L. Vawter, Mattie Charette, and Mildred Blair.

One of the most delightful duties of my year as Worthy Grand Matron were the Schools of Instruction held in San Francisco and Los Angeles. It was there I became acquainted with the splendid members of Sister Pauline Ada Hause's degree team and for your co-operation and service I offer my sincere thanks.

To my sweetest friend and helper always, Sister Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler: I have been privileged to serve with you on your degree team. One of the richest experiences of my life, for there with you and the choicest of God's women and men I have learned the lesson of service.

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Dec. 21—Authorized the Grand Secretary to issue duplicate Charter to North Star Chapter No. 450, theirs having been destroyed by fire.

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April 6—Appointed Effie Easton, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, to install Sister Nina Ginsberg, Grand Marshal of the State of Louisiana, as a courtesy to the Grand Matron of Louisiana.

June 9—Pursuant to the resolution passed at our last Session that a Committee headed by Brother Joseph Argabrite should present an appropriate for a fifty year emblem, I appointed Myra Moyse and Fenn Durkee.

April 4—Assigned Annabel Spinney Deputy Grand Matron to Ojai Chapter under dispensation.

Aug. 24—Appointed Joseph Mayo Argabrite, Willa Jane Hellwig and Lloyd Griffin as a Committee for the International Eastern Star Temple.

Jan. 15—Appointed Stella Linscott to represent Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star on the George Washington Bicentennial Commission.

Any difficulties that have arisen in Chapters wherever the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee or your Worthy Grand Matron have been asked to give advice have been amicably settled and harmony has been restored.

SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS GRANTED

TO REBALLOT ON PETITIONS

1931.

Oct. 28—Josephine Chapter No. 104.

Dec. 9—Palos Verdes Chapter No. 310.

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Jan. 26—Monterey Chapter No. 239.

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Feb. 22—Wilmington Chapter No. 459.

Feb. 22—El Sereno Chapter No. 430.

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April 6—Van Nuys Chapter No. 338.

May 4—Crown Chapter No. 162.

4—Needles Chapter No. 242.

13—Point Firmin Chapter No. 512.

June 5—Mar Vista Chapter No. 511.

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June 8—Sunnyside Chapter No. 436.

June 23—Sunnyside Chapter No. 436.

July 16—Tehachapi Chapter No. 188.

TO RECEIVE UNDER SIX MONTHS RESIDENCE

1932.

Feb. 16—Oxnard Chapter No. 322.

TO HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION UPON ANOTHER NIGHT THAN THAT
PROVIDED IN THE CONSTITUTION

1931.

Oct. 28—California Chapter No. 183.

TO INSTALL OFFICERS AFTER THE FIRST MEETING IN JANUARY

1931.

Dec. 21—Beckwith Star Chapter No. 201.

COMMISSIONS ISSUED
TO GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS IN
CALIFORNIA

Alabama—Mrs. Kathryn Bashor, Duarte.
Arizona—Mrs. Gladys Fitch Pierce, 409 East Balerio St., Santa Barbara.
British Columbia—Miss Erna Boyce, Woodbridge.
Connecticut—Mrs. Emma June Stanley, 110 15th Ave., San Francisco.
Colorado—Mrs. Artie Henrietta Ritchey, 4844 Bermuda St., Ocean Beach.
Dist. of Columbia—Mrs. Mildred McWilliams Neville, 1306 E. Mountain St., Glendale.
Georgia—Mrs. Hazael Marsh-Piper, Santa Cruz.
Iowa—Miss Olive Moore, 325 S. Camden Drive, Beverly Hills.
Kansas—Mrs. Luella Orban, 6903 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles.
Kentucky—Mrs. Georgiana V. Polhamus, 2640 3rd St., San Diego.
Maryland—Mrs. Clara A. Giberson, 1763 Chestnut St., San Francisco.
New York—Mrs. Elizabeth A. Barnard, 263 So. Larchmont Blvd., Los Angeles.
Oregon—Mrs. Evelyn Powers, 2410 Virginia Road, Los Angeles.
Pennsylvania—Mrs. Marjorie K. Griest, 825 N. Ardmore, Los Angeles.
Scotland—Mrs. Gretchen Babb, 710 Crenshaw Blvd., Los Angeles.
South Carolina—Mrs. Vera Musser, 4312 10th Ave., Los Angeles.
South Dakota—Mrs. Maude B. Sibley, 645 West Glenoaks, Glendale.
Tennessee—Mrs. Willa Jane Hellwig, Alvarado.
Utah—Mrs. Maude Noble Haven, M. D., 611 Baker St., San Francisco.
Vermont—Mrs. Lillian D. Boorman, 64 No. Wilson Ave., Pasadena.
Washington—Mrs. Elizabeth B. Wheeler, 3835 West 7th St., Los Angeles.

TO GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF CALIFORNIA IN OTHER
GRAND JURISDICTIONS

Nevada—Mrs. Grace M. Brown, Winnemucca.
Massachusetts—Mrs. Hattie M. Spicer, Bridgewater.
Vermont—Mrs. Fannie F. White, Bennington.
South Dakota—Mrs. Elizabeth Carlson, Clear Lake.
Indiana—Mrs. Marguerite Fisher, Nabb.
New Hampshire—Mrs. Ruth Hogarth, Salem.
New Mexico—Mrs. Minnie H. Miller, Los Angeles.
Kansas—Mrs. Hertha Bingleman, McDonald.
Wyoming—Mrs. Grace F. Williams, Evanston.
Washington—Mrs. Rhoda L. Dow, Elma.
Montreal—Mrs. Dorothy Mowat.
Illinois—Clarabel Perry.
Connecticut—Ruth Vermilyea.
Tennessee—Sallie D. Harris.
Porto Rico—Lynda Campbell.

INSTALLATIONS

I appreciate the courtesy extended me by their invitations to install the officers in the following Chapters. I am sorry I could not have accepted them all, for it has added much happiness to my year.

1931.

- Nov. 17—Melrose Chapter No. 466.
- Nov. 18—Gardena Chapter No. 260.
- Nov. 19—Lexington Chapter No. 172.
- Nov. 21—Sunnyside Chapter No. 436.
- Nov. 23—Whittier Chapter No. 444.
- Nov. 24—Bethel Chapter No. 476.
- Nov. 25—Cahuenga Chapter No. 413.
- Nov. 27—Ramona Star Chapter No. 367.
- Nov. —Malta Chapter No. 475.
- Nov. 28—Glendale Chapter No. 422.
- Nov. 30—Sacramento, California.
 - Naomi Chapter No. 36.
 - Columbus Chapter No. 117.
 - Sacramento Chapter No. 190.
 - Fort Sutter Chapter No. 420.
 - El Camino Chapter No. 428.
 - Temple Chapter No. 513.
- Dec. 1—San Jose, California.
 - San Jose Chapter No. 31.
 - Fraternity Chapter No. 288.
 - Starlight Chapter No. 401.
 - Jarman Chapter No. 493.
- Dec. 2—Beverly Hills Chapter No. 404.
- Dec. 3—El Sereno Chapter No. 430.
- Dec. 4—Glen Eyrie Chapter No. 237.
- Dec. 5—Menorah Chapter No. 497.
- Dec. 7—Ascot Chapter No. 431.
- Dec. 8—Arlington Chapter No. 418.
- Dec. 9—Harding Chapter No. 454.
- Dec. 10—Majestic Chapter No. 480.
- Dec. 11—Radiant Chapter No. 421.
- Dec. —Glassell Park Chapter No. 486.
- Dec. 12—South Pasadena Chapter No. 272.
- Dec. 14—Hollywood Chapter No. 209.
- Dec. 15—Orange Blossom Chapter No. 488.
- Dec. 16—Rose Croix Chapter No. 317.
- Dec. 17—Columbia Chapter No. 247.

Dec. 18—San Fernando Chapter No. 398.

Dec. 19—Long Beach, California.

Long Beach Chapter No. 193.

Palos Verdes Chapter No. 310.

Bettina Chapter No. 399.

Service Chapter No. 414.

Searchlight Chapter No. 435.

All States Chapter No. 502.

El Petrol Chapter No. 507.

Mar Vista Chapter No. 511.

Dec. 21—Gate City Chapter No. 212.

Dec. 22—Occident Chapter No. 160.

Dec. 23—Lankershim Chapter No. 403.

Dec. 26—Lyra Chapter No. 144.

Dec. 28—Santa Monica Chapter No. 113.

Dec. 29—Sunset Chapter No. 216.

Dec. 30—Torrance Chapter No. 380.

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Jan. 2—The Gardens Chapter No. 464.

Jan. 4—San Pedro Harbor Chapter No. 174.

CONSTITUTION OF CHAPTERS

Four chartered Chapters have been added to the Grand Chapter and on each and every one of these occasions I was privileged to preside with the assistance of Present and Past Grand Officers. Each of these Chapters has made an enviable record and we all have cause to be proud that they have been added to the list of Chartered Chapters in California.

Oct. 26—Baldwin Park Chapter No. 527, Baldwin Park.

Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin.

Grand Patron, Joseph Mayo Argabrite (acting).

Grand Secretary, Elizabeth B. Wheeler (acting).

Grand Chaplain, Bessie A. Pierce (acting).

Grand Marshal, Bertie Y. Todd.

Oct. 27—Altadena Chapter No. 526, Altadena.

Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin.

Grand Patron, Joseph Mayo Argabrite (acting).

Grand Secretary, Maud D. Bradley (acting).

Grand Chaplain, Margery K. Griest (acting).

Grand Marshal, Bertie Y. Todd.

Nov. 14—Cambria Pines Chapter No. 525, Cambria Pines.

Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin.

Grand Patron, John Lewis McDonald.

- Grand Secretary, Stella Linscott.
 Grand Chaplain, Grace Raymond.
 Grand Marshal, Bertie Y. Todd.
- Nov. 20—San Clemente Chapter No. 524, San Clemente.
 Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin.
 Grand Patron, Raymond Hadley Griest (acting).
 Grand Secretary, Elizabeth B. Wheeler (acting).
 Grand Chaplain, Bessie A. Pierce (acting).
 Grand Marshal, Lillian Holman (acting).

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

APPROVED

1931.

- Oct. 31—Santa Ana Chapter No. 389. Raising dues to five dollars per annum.
- Nov. 11—Inglewood Chapter No. 319. No meeting on last Thursday in July and second Thursday in August.
- Nov. 11—Whittier Chapter No. 444. Installation of officers shall be holden at such time as the Chapter shall determine, but not later than first stated meeting in January. Change meeting night to first and third Thursday and no meeting on a National Holiday.
- Ventura Chapter No. 79. Raised dues to seven dollars per annum.
- Nov. 19—Holly Vista Chapter No. 517. No meeting on the fourth Friday in December, provided it falls on the 24th or 25th.
- Hermosa Chapter No. 105. Raised dues to \$4.00 per annum. Struck out "and the last meeting night in July."
- East Gate Chapter No. 225. No meeting on fourth Tuesday of July or second Tuesday in August. Meetings may be opened at 7:00 P. M. for opening and closing only. 7:30 P. M. for business transactions.
- Nov. 23—La Puente Chapter No. 325. The meetings shall be held at 8:00 P. M.
- Nov. 25—Golden Gate Chapter No. 298. The end of the Chapter year shall October 31st. Changing, "when two thirds of the members present and voting."
- Atwater Chapter No. 522. Omit meetings in the month of July, or on a legal holiday.
- Westlake Chapter No. 268. Lowering initiation fee to \$10.00 and affiliation fee to \$5.00.
- Dec. 23—Ami Tai Chapter No. 405. Change time of meeting to 7:00 P. M.

—Laguna Beach Chapter No. 521. Change meetings to second and fourth Fridays of each month.

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- Jan. 2—Ivy Chapter No. 27. Lowering initiation fee to \$15.00 and affiliation fee to \$7.50.
- Jan. 6—Palm Leaf Chapter No. 114. Changing time of meeting to 8:00 P. M. and no meeting held during Grand Chapter.
—Mira Monte Chapter No. 141. No meeting fourth Wednesday in July and second Wednesday in August, legal holiday or Grand Chapter week.
- Jan. 17—Sunnyside Chapter No. 436. Lower the Matron's expense to \$50 and Associate Matron's expense to \$50 while on official business to Grand Chapter.
- Jan. 18—Glen Eyrie Chapter No. 237—Lower initiation fee to \$10.00 and affiliation fee to \$4.00
- Jan. 26—California Chapter No. 183. Add to Section 2 of Article III. She shall execute and file with the Trustees within three days after her installation, an official bond in the Penal sum of \$2000 and with such sureties as shall be approved by the Trustees, conditioned that she will faithfully discharge the duties of her office as prescribed in these by-laws and the Constitution of the Grand Chapter.
- Jan. 26—Silver Spray Chapter No. 59. Add, Section 4 to Article III. That a sum of \$35.00 defraying expenses of delegates to the Grand Chapter, be advanced to the Associate Matron. This sum to be advanced the last meeting previous to the meeting of the Grand Chapter.
- Jan. 26—Vernon Chapter No. 35. No meeting on legal holidays and no meeting held during the months of July and August.
- Jan. 26—Harding Chapter No. 454. Lowering the initiation fee to \$10 and affiliation fee to \$5.
- Jan. 29—Fort Sutter Chapter No. 420. Secretary shall receive \$5.00 a month semi-annually for her services.
- Jan. 29—America Chapter No. 408. Adding to their by-laws except during the session of Grand Chapter, New Years day and Fourth of July.
- Feb. 12—Golden State Chapter No. 298. The initiation fee lowered to \$10.00 and affiliation fee to \$5.00.
- Feb. 17—South Pasadena Chapter No. 272. Adding IX the By-Laws. \$75.00 shall be allowed annually for the purchase of a Past Matrons jewel for the retiring Worthy Matron's and the sum of \$25.00 shall be allowed annually for the purchase of a Past

Patron's jewel for the retiring Worthy Patron; provided however, that the total amount for any one year shall in no event exceed 10% of the amount of money collected by the Chapter during the year.

- Feb. 22—Aurora Chapter No. 40. Initiation fee \$5.00 and affiliation fee \$2.50. No meetings during July and August.
- Mar. 1—Crescent Chapter No. 165. Change meeting to second and fourth Fridays.
- Temple Chapter No. 513. At the discretion of the Worthy Matron meetings falling on legal holidays may or may not be held. The end of the Chapter year shall be October 31st.
- Mar. 4—Beacon Chapter No. 383. Salary of Secretary \$72.00 payable monthly at the rate of \$6.00 the last meeting of each month, beginning with this Chapter year December 1931, and the Treasurer paid to the extent of \$12.00 per annum payable annually the second meeting in November.
- Mar. 6—Santa Barbara Chapter No. 501. Initiation fee to be \$10.00.
- Monrovia Chapter No. 227. Initiation fee to \$10.00. Affiliation fee \$2.50.
- Mar. 10—Melita Chapter No. 467. Salary of officers as follows: Organist and Sentinel shall each receive \$2.00 for each meeting and the Secretary shall receive 5c per month per member. Salaries to be payable quarterly.
- Orestimba Chapter No. 139. Change meeting night to Thursday.
- La Jolla Chapter No. 479. May have a dark night on Christmas when that day falls on stated meeting night.
- Culver City Chapter No. 395. Initiation fee \$10.00.
- Citrus Chapter No. 208. Meeting night changes to first Thursday at 8:00 P. M.
- Pomona Chapter No. 110. The end of the Chapter year shall be the 31st of October after which the books of the Secretary and Treasurer shall be closed and audited. The dues \$7.00 per annum payable in advance annually 1st of January or semi-annually 1st of January and 1st of July.
- Centinella Chapter No. 136. Meetings second Fridays of each month, "Except during July and August."
- San Fernando Chapter No. 398. Meetings first and third Friday except third Friday of July and first Friday of August.
- Apr. 11—Marguerite Chapter No. 78. The end of the Chapter year shall be 31st of October.

- Apr. 16—Colton Chapter No. 211. Initiation fee \$5.00, affiliation fee \$2.50.
- Rose Chapter No. 292. No meetings on the fourth Friday in July and second Friday in August.
- Apr. 28—Sapphire Chapter No. 230. Meetings second Tuesday in each month, no month state or national legal holidays. Secretary receives \$5.00 a month services paid quarterly.
- Los Ceritos Chapter No. 234. Change August meeting to fourth Wednesday. No meeting when it falls on 24th or 25th of December.
 - Manchester Chapter No. 449. No meetings January 1, July 4, third Thursday in August and week of Grand Chapter.
- Apr. 28—Naomi Chapter No. 36. No stated meetings shall be held on State or National legalized holidays. Added to Article III a new section to be designed as Section 2 to read: The Worthy Matron and the Worthy Patron shall represent the Chapter at the annual Stockholder's meeting of the O. E. S. Hall Association. Article 5, Section 1 amended as follows (added) A life membership may be granted upon the payment of \$150.00.
- Los Angeles Chapter No. 168. Initiation fee \$15.00 affiliation fee \$7.50.
 - San Jose Chapter No. 31. Add section 4 to Article 5. Life membership may be conferred upon a member of this Chapter by conforming to the procedure provided in Article 2, Section 13 of the Constitution.
 - Majestic Chapter No. 480. Initiation fee \$10.00, affiliation fee \$5.00.
 - Sierra Madre Chapter No. 229. Dues \$4.00 payable annually January 1st and July 1st. Article VII, Section 1. This Chapter may appropriate a sum of money to help defray the expenses of a delegate or representative to Grand Chapter sum not to exceed \$50.00.
 - San Clemente Chapter No. 524. No meetings on the first Monday in July and August.
 - Truckee Chapter No. 116. First and Third Tuesdays except the month of January and February. No Chapter during the Grand Chapter session.
 - Lyra Chapter No. 144. Life membership \$100.00.
 - Veritas Chapter No. 84. No meetings third Tuesday in June, first and third Tuesday in July and first and third Tuesday in August.
 - Pentalpha Chapter No. 399. No meeting on December 24th.

- Temple Chapter No. 513. Change meeting to second and fourth Tuesday.
- June 18—Sincerity Chapter No. 53. No regular meeting to be held during the month of July.
- Cahuenga Chapter No. 413. No Chapter meeting during the week of Grand Chapter, and the end of the year shall be the 31st day of October.
- La Mesa Chapter No. 300. No meeting on the third Tuesday in July and the third Tuesday in August.
- June 27—Pacific Chapter No. 192. The end of the Chapter year October 31st.
- Amity Chapter No. 262. Secretary and Treasurer shall execute a bond in the amount of \$500.00 each to the Chapter for the faithful performance of their duties.
- July 13—Security Chapter No. 426. No meetings during the months of July and August nor on national legal holidays.
- July 28—Stockton Chapter No. 373. Meeting held at 8:00 P. M. No meeting on Legal holidays.
- Aug. 14—Golden Chapter No. 303. Changed meetings to first and third Mondays of the month except the first Monday in July.
- Aug. 18—Holly Vista Chapter No. 517. End of the Chapter year October 31st.
- Sept. 7—Wil-Brea Chapter No. 520. Changed meetings to first and third Thursdays.
- Ionic Chapter No. 446. Organist salary not to exceed Two Dollars (\$2.00) per evening for his or her services. Sentinel salary not to exceed two dollars (\$2.00) per evening for his or her services. Added, that Jewels can be presented to the officers either at the installation or some succeeding Chapter meeting.
- Whittier Chapter No. 444. Sec. 4, Article V stricken from the By-Laws. Article VIII. Heading Funds be added. Section 1. All funds shall go into a general fund. Section 2. Whittier Chapter establish a savings fund in the amount of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) to be increased each year in proportion to the money collected by the Chapter, such money to be drawn only in case of extreme necessity.
- Smyrna Chapter No. 416. No meeting to be held during the week of Grand Chapter. Article III, Section 3 relative to funds. Article 4, Section 1. Immediately prior to the presenting of petitions. Strike out Article IV, Section 3. Article V Section 1. Payable annually January 1st or semi-an-

nually January 1st and July 1st in advance and assessment.
Article VII Section 1. Conform to the Uniform Code. Strike
out Article VIII.

- Sept. 27—Los Gatos Chapter No. 128. Lowering dues to \$3.50.
Sept. 29—Justice Chapter No. 460. Meetings, second and fourth Tuesday, P. M. None on legal holidays. No visitors admitted on Election Night. Providing for Past Matron's and Past Patron's jewels, not to exceed the sum of \$125. But also never to exceed ten per cent of yearly income. \$40.00 allowed for Installation providing the members present and voting so desire. \$5.00 for the gift of the Deputy Grand Matron on the night of her Official Visit. The Chapter may authorize the Associate Matron to attend Grand Chapter. And if so she may be allowed \$25.00 for expense and mileage the total sum not to exceed \$40.00. If the Associate Matron does not attend money refunded to Chapter. Also providing Trustees who shall be elected by the Chapter to act as custodians of the Savings account and other property of the Chapter. Withdraw funds only upon majority vote of members. Shall report annually on first stated meeting in November.
Sept. 30—Palos Verdes Chapter No. 310. No meeting on second Thursday of August.
Sept. 30—Brea Chapter No. 506. Dissapproved.

ITINERARY OF OFFICIAL VISITS

Friday, January 1, 1932: NEW YEARS DAY.

Jan. 3, 1st Sunday.

Jan. 4, 1st Monday.

Jan. 5, 1st Tuesday:

—Jasmine No. 145, Azusa—R.

—Baldwin Park No. 527, Baldwin Park.

—Glen No. 357, Glendora.

Jan. 6, 1st Wednesday:

—Coachella Valley No. 360, Coachella—S.

Jan. 7, 1st Thursday:

—Blythe No. 359, Blythe—R.

Jan. 8, 2nd Friday:

—Golden Rule No. 267, Imperial—R.

—Alamo No. 289, Brawley

Jan. 9, 2nd Saturday:

—Signal No. 276, El Centro—S.

—Imperial Crown No. 311, Calexico.

—Alamitos No. 316, Holtville.

Jan. 10, 2nd Sunday:

Jan. 11, 2nd Monday:

—Coronado No. 332, Coronado—R.

—Chula Vista No. 458, Chula Vista.

—Southwest No. 345, National City.

Jan. 12 2nd Tuesday:

—Estrella No. 412, San Diego—R.

—Silver Strand No. 387, San Diego.

—Corinthian No. 358, San Diego.

—Southern Star No. 96, San Diego.

Jan. 13, 2nd Wednesday:

—La Mesa No. 300, La Mesa—S.

—El Cajon No. 429, El Cajon.

—Normal Heights No. 478, San Diego.

—Santa Maria No. 543, Romona.

Jan. 14, 2nd Thursday:

—La Jolla No. 479, La Jolla—S.

—San Diego No. 264, San Diego.

—Point Loma No. 490, Ocean Beach.

Jan. 15, 3rd Friday:

—Fallbrook No. 390, Fallbrook—R.

—Poinsettia No. 287, Oceanside.

—Escondido No. 154, Escondido.

Jan. 16, 3rd Saturday:

—San Clemente No. 524, San Clemente—S.

—Seaside No. 259, Huntington Beach.

—Laguna Beach No. 521, Laguna Beach.

Jan. 17, 3rd Sunday:

Jan. 18, 3rd Monday:

—Kearsarge No. 197, Independence.

—Sierra No. 318, Big Pine.

—Mt. Whitney No. 378, Bishop.

Jan. 19, 3rd Tuesday:

—Sunshine No. 327, Lancaster—R.

—Tehachapi No. 188, Tehachapi.

Jan. 20, 3rd Wednesday:

—Libertas No. 362, Bakersfield—R.

—Bakersfield No. 125, Bakersfield.

—Security No. 426, Bakersfield.

—Caledonia No. 391, Bakersfield.

- Jan. 21, 3rd Thursday:
—Wasco No. 489, Wasco—S.
—Delano No. 146, Delano.
- Jan. 22, 4th Friday:
—Buena Vista No. 364, Fellows—R.
—Maricopa No. 323, Taft.
—Faith No. 514, Taft.
—Taft No. 337, Taft.
- Jan. 23, 4th Saturday:
—Wilshire No. 329, Los Angeles—R.
—Olivette No. 503, Los Angeles.
—Elysian No. 354, Los Angeles.
—Wil Brea No. 520, Los Angeles.
- Jan. 24, 4th Sunday:
- Jan. 25, 4th Monday:
—York No. 343, South Los Angeles—R.
—Pearl No. 147, Compton.
—Gardena No. 260, Gardena.
—Lynwood No. 438, Lynwood.
- Jan. 26, 4th Tuesday:
—Westlake No. 268, Los Angeles—R.
—Daylight No. 265, Los Angeles.
—Nimshi No. 424, Los Angeles.
—Composite No. 498, Los Angeles.
- Jan. 27, 4th Wednesday:
—Larchmont No. 463, Los Angeles—R.
—Malta No. 475, Los Angeles.
—Roseland No. 465, Los Angeles.
—Utopia No. 441, Los Angeles.
- Jan. 28, 4th Thursday:
—Columbia No. 247, Sawtelle—R.
—Beverly Hills No. 404, Beverly Hills.
—Palms No. 491, Los Angeles.
—Culver City No. 395, Culver City.
- Jan. 29, 5th Friday:
—La Paloma No. 202, Covina—S.
—La Puente No. 325, La Puente.
—San Dimas No. 509, San Dimas.
- Jan. 30, 5th Saturday:
—Buena Park No. 240, Buena Park—S.
—La Habra No. 508, La Habra.

- Norwalk No. 143, Norwalk.
- Brea No. 506, Brea.
- Jan. 31, 5th Sunday:
- Feb. 1, 1st Monday:
 - Los Angeles No. 168, Los Angeles—R.
 - Esperanza No. 167, Los Angeles.
 - Acacia No. 21, Los Angeles.
- Feb. 2, 1st Tuesday:
 - Betsy Ross No. 518, Los Angeles—S.
In South Gate Hall
 - South Gate No. 133, Los Angeles—R.
 - Sunset No. 216, Los Angeles.
 - Siloam No. 406, Los Angeles.
- Feb. 3, 1st Wednesday:
 - Mar Vista No. 511, Long Beach—R.
In Bettina Hall
 - Bettina No. 399, Long Beach.
 - Palos Verdes No. 310, Long Beach.
 - El Petrol No. 507, Long Beach.
- Feb. 4, 1st Thursday:
 - Glassell Park No. 486, Los Angeles—R.
In Garvanza Hall
 - Garvanza No. 266, Los Angeles—R.
 - El Serreno No. 430, Los Angeles.
 - Atwater No. 522, Los Angeles.
- Feb. 5, 1st Friday:
 - Arlington No. 418, Los Angeles—R.
 - Golden State No. 298, Los Angeles.
 - Pacific No. 192, Los Angeles.
 - Menorah No. 497, Los Angeles.
- Feb. 6, 1st Saturday:
 - Glendale No. 422, Glendale—R.
 - Glen Eyrie No. 237, Glendale.
 - Crescenta Valley No. 494, Montrose.
- Feb. 7, 1st Sunday:
- Feb. 8, 2nd Monday:
 - Heliotrope 93, Selma—R.
 - Kingsburg 312—Kingsburg.
 - Sanger 482, Sanger.
 - Reedley 257, Reedley.
- Feb. 9, 2nd Tuesday:
 - Exeter 334, Exeter—R.

- Lindsay 306—Lindsay.
- Palm Leaf 114, Porterville.
- Woodlake 510, Woodlake.
- Feb. 10, 2nd Wednesday:
 - Martha Washington 13, Visalia—S.
 - Dinuba 261, Dinuba—R.
 - Tulare 194, Tulare.
 - Monte Vista 271, Orosi.
- Feb. 11, 2nd Thursday:
 - Lucerne 127, Hanford—R.
 - Lily of the Lake 41, Lemoore.
 - Riverdale 400, Riverdale.
 - Corcoran 370, Corcoran.
- Feb. 12, 2nd Friday:
 - LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY
 - Eschscholtzia 270, Coalinga—S.
- Feb. 13, 2nd Saturday:
 - Raisina 89, Fresno—S.
 - Fresno 295—Fresno.
 - Calkota 309, Kerman.
 - Concordia 320, Clovis.
- Feb. 14, 2nd Sunday:
- Feb. 15, 3rd Monday:
 - Tuolumne Star 123, Sonora—S.
- Feb. 16, 3rd Tuesday:
 - Oakdale 226, Oakdale—R.
 - Summit 138, Knights Ferry.
 - El Rio 333, Riverbank.
- Feb. 17, 3rd Wednesday:
 - Wistaria 296, Turlock—S.
 - Electa 72, Modesto.
 - Smyrna 416, Ceres.
 - Patterson 417, Patterson.
 - Orestimba 139, Newman.
- Feb. 18, 3rd Thursday:
 - Mercedes 126, Merced—R.
 - Centinela 136, Los Banos.
 - Chowchilla 365, Chowchilla.
 - Madera 92, Madera.
- Feb. 19, 3rd Friday:
 - Las Mariposas 200, Mariposa—S.

Feb. 20, 3rd Saturday:

—Traveling.

Feb. 21, 3rd Sunday:

Feb. 22, 4th Monday:

—WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

—Angeles Vista 516, Los Angeles—S, in Moneta Hall.

—Moneta 315, Los Angeles—R.

—Manchester 449, Los Angeles.

—Jordan 500, Los Angeles.

Feb. 23, 4th Tuesday:

—Chispa 151, Anaheim—R.

—Fullerton 197, Fullerton.

—Ami Tai 405, Fullerton.

—Yorba Linda 347, Yorba Linda.

Feb. 24, 4th Wednesday:

—Bethel 476, Los Angeles—R.

—Melrose 466, Los Angeles.

—Palestine 210, Los Angeles.

—Majestic 480, Los Angeles.

Feb. 25, 4th Thursday:

—Rising Light 286, Huntington Park—R.

—Bell 393, Bell.

—Bellflower 397, Bellflower.

—Guardian 439, South Gate.

Feb. 26, 4th Friday:

—Burbank 352, Burbank—R.

—Tujunga 445, Tujunga.

—San Fernando 398, San Fernando.

—Lankershim 403, Lankershim.

Feb. 27, 4th Saturday:

—Needles 242, Needles—S.

Feb. 28, 4th Sunday:

Feb. 29, 5th Sunday:

—Hermosa 105, Santa Ana—S.

—Scepter 163, Orange.

—Santa Ana 389, Santa Ana.

—Garden Grove 483, Garden Grove.

Mar. 1, 1st Tuesday:

—Cahuenga 413, Hollywood—R.

—Hollywood 209, Hollywood.

—Radiant 421, Hollywood.

—Holly Vista 517, Hollywood.

Mar. 2, 1st Wednesday:

- Pleiades 281, Los Angeles—R.
- Sunbeam 376, Los Angeles.
- Oriental 258, Los Angeles.
- Beacon Ray 495, Los Angeles.

Mar. 3, 1st Thursday:

- Euclid 179, Ontario—R.
- Chino Valley 330, Chino.
- Uplands 346, Uplands.

Mar. 4, 1st Friday:

- Hollenbeck No. 248, Los Angeles—R.
- Artesia No. 253, Artesia.
- Belvedere No. 402, Los Angeles.
- The Gardens No. 464, Los Angeles.

Mar. 5, 1st Saturday:

- Ramona Star No. 367, Monterey Park—R.
- Temple City No. 448, Temple.
- Arcadia No. 471, Los Angeles.
- San Gabriel No. 407, San Gabriel.

Mar. 6, 1st Sunday:

Mar. 7, 1st Monday:

- Reseda No. 505, Reseda—R.
- Canoga No. 452, Canoga Park.
- Van Nuys No. 338, Van Nuys.

Mar. 8, 2nd Tuesday:

- Hawthorne No. 469, Hawthorne—S.
- Carnation No. 171, Redondo—R.
- Playa Linda No. 425, Hermosa.
- Inglewood No. 319, Inglewood.

Mar. 9, 2nd Wednesday:

- Long Beach No. 173, Long Beach—S.
- All States No. 502, Long Beach—R.
- Service No. 414, Long Beach.
- Searchlight No. 435, Long Beach.

Mar. 10, 2nd Thursday:

- Rose Croix No. 317, Home—R.
- Birthday Party.

Mar. 11, 2nd Friday:

- Silver Wave No. 75, San Bernardino—S.
- Gate City No. 212, San Bernardino—R.
- Orange Blossom No. 488, Fontana.
- Colton No. 211, Colton.

Mar. 12, 2nd Saturday:

- Star of the West No. 468, Pomona—S.
- Pomona No. 110, Pomona—R.
- Claremont No. 324, Claremont.

Mar. 13, 2nd Sunday:

Mar. 14, 2nd Monday:

- Granada No. 442, Alhambra—R.
- Alhambra No. 193, Alhambra.
- Lexington No. 172, El Monte.
- Sierra Madre No. 292, Sierra Madre.

Mar. 15, 3rd Tuesday:

- Southland No. 307, Pasadena—R.
- Pasadena No. 108, Pasadena.
- Altadena No. 526, Altadena.
- Monrovia No. 227, Monrovia.

Mar. 16, 3rd Wednesday:

- Copa del Oro No. 142, Redlands—R.
- Crown No. 162, Corona.
- Ungava No. 106, Riverside.
- Elsinore No. 243, Elsinore.

Mar. 17, 3rd Thursday:

- Whittier No. 444, Whittier—R.
- Lyra No. 144, Whittier.
- Montebello No. 335, Montebello.
- Occident No. 160, Downey.

Mar. 18, 3rd Friday:

- Ascot No. 431, Los Angeles—R.
- Sunnyside No. 436, Los Angeles.
- South Park No. 443, Los Angeles.
- Florence No. 477, Los Angeles.

Mar. 19, 3rd Saturday:

Reception to Grand Officers at Los Angeles.

Mar. 20, 3rd Sunday:

Mar. 21, 3rd Monday:

- Ocean Park No. 245, Ocean Park—R.
- Santa Monica No. 113, Santa Monica.
- Palisades No. 474, Santa Monica.
- Triangle No. 456, Venice.

Mar. 22, 4th Tuesday:

- Eagle Rock No. 313, Eagle Rock—R.
- America No. 408, Los Angeles.
- East Gate No. 225, Los Angeles.
- Highland Park No. 263, Los Angeles.

Mar. 23, 4th Wednesday:

- Torrance No. 380, Torrance—S.
- San Pedro Harbor No. 174, San Pedro.
- Point Firmin No. 512, San Pedro.
- Wilmington No. 459, Wilmington.

Mar. 24, 4th Thursday:

- South Pasadena No. 272, South Pasadena—R.
- Melita No. 467, Pasadena.
- Lamanda Park No. 473, Pasadena.

Mar. 25, 4th Friday:

- Henry S. Orme No. 492, Los Angeles—R.
- Ionic No. 446, Los Angeles.
- West Adams No. 411, Los Angeles.
- Loyalty No. 217, Los Angeles.

Mar. 26, 4th Saturday:

- San Geronio No. 515, Banning—S.
- La Victoria No. 251, San Jacinto.
- Tabquitz No. 351, Hemet.
- Miriam No. 302, Perris.

Mar. 27, 4th Sunday:

EASTER SUNDAY.

Mar. 28, 4th Monday:

- Manzanita No. 342, Morgan Hill—S.
- Magnolia No. 73, Gilroy.

Mar. 29, 5th Tuesday:

- Jarman No. 493, San Jose—S.
- San Jose No. 31, San Jose.
- Fraternity No. 288, San Jose.
- Star Light No. 401, San Jose.

Mar. 30, 5th Wednesday:

- Escallonia No. 447, Escalon—S.
- Pentalpha No. 339, Manteca.
- Joaquin No. 348, Tracy.

Mar. 31, 5th Thursday:

- Linden No. 372, Linden—S.
- Lodi No. 150, Lodi.
- Woodbridge No. 118, Woodbridge.

Apr. 1, 1st Friday:

- Stockton No. 373, Stockton—R.
- Homo No. 50, Stockton.
- Golden Poppy No. 355, Stockton.

Apr. 2, 1st Saturday:

- Queen Esther No. 71, Sutter Creek—S.
- Golden Star No. 66, Jackson.
- Ione No. 283, Ione.

Apr. 3, 1st Sunday:

Apr. 4, 1st Monday:

- Angels No. 134, Angels Camp—S.
- Crescent No. 165, Murphys.
- Milton No. 244, Milton.
- Azalia No. 77, San Andreas.

Apr. 5, 1st Tuesday:

- Fort Sutter No. 420, Sacramento—R.
- Naomi No. 36, Sacramento.
- Columbus No. 117, Sacramento.
- Sacramento No. 190, Sacramento.
- El Camino No. 428, Sacramento.
- Rainbow No. 385, Sacramento.
- Temple No. 513, Sacramento.
- Ada No. 301, Sacramento.

Apr. 6, 1st Wednesday:

- Wheatland No. 48, Wheatland—R.
- Friendship No. 67, Lincoln.
- Rose No. 292, Roseville.
- Heber No. 181, Roseville.

Apr. 7, 1st Thursday:

- Onisbo No. 164, Courtland—R.
- Live Oak No. 371, Galt.
- Elk Grove No. 109, Elk Grove.

Apr. 8, 2nd Friday:

- El Dorado No. 499, El Dorado—R.
- Natoma No. 233, Folsom.
- Fallen Leaf No. 90, Placerville.

Apr. 9, 2nd Saturday:

- Cacheville No. 349, Yolo—R.
- Grafton No. 379, Knights Landing.
- Esparto No. 341, Esparto.
- Yolo No. 60, Woodland.

Apr. 10, 2nd Sunday:

Apr. 11, 2nd Monday:

- Truckee No. 116, Truckee—S.

Apr. 12, 2nd Tuesday:

- Evangeline No. 9, Nevada City—S.
- Aurora No. 40, Grass Valley.

- Apr. 13, 2nd Wednesday:
—Mountain Fern No. 62, Georgetown—S.
- Apr. 14, 2nd Thursday:
—Placer No. 49, Dutch Flats—R.
Meeting to be held at Auburn.
—Crystal No. 57, Auburn.
—Penrhyn No. 159, Penrhyn.
—Bethany No. 304, Colfax.
- Apr. 15, 3rd Friday:
—Marysville No. 55, Marysville—S.
—Fidelia No. 56, Yuba City.
—Smartville No. 431, Smartville.
- Apr. 16, 3rd Saturday:
—Amapola No. 119, Oroville—S.
—Josephine No. 104, Chico.
—Lyman No. 363, Biggs.
—Vernon No. 35, Gridley.
- Apr. 17, 3rd Sunday:
- Apr. 18, 3rd Monday:
—Golden Rod No. 221, Dixon—S.
—Yosolano No. 218, Winters.
—Ionia No. 199, Davis.
- Apr. 19, 3rd Tuesday:
—Silver Star No. 3, Vallejo—S.
—Vallejo No. 278, Vallejo.
—Silver Gate No. 30, Benicia.
- Apr. 20, 3rd Wednesday:
—St. Helena No. 274, St. Helena—S.
—Calistoga No. 189, Calistoga.
- Apr. 21, 3rd Thursday:
—Silver Spray No. 59, Napa—R.
—Valley of the Moon No. 185, Sonoma.
—Keystone No. 235, Napa.
- Apr. 22, 4th Friday:
—Mary E. Partridge No. 308, Oakland—R.
—Lake Merritt No. 410, Oakland.
—Plymouth No. 423, Oakland.
- Apr. 23, 4th Saturday:
—King Solomon's No. 170, San Francisco—R.
—Harmony No. 124, San Francisco.
—Ideal No. 251, San Francisco.
—Starr King No. 204, San Francisco.

- Apr. 24, 4th Sunday:
Apr. 25, 4th Monday:
 Public School Week.
Apr. 26, 4th Tuesday:
 Public School Week.
Apr. 27, 4th Wednesday:
 Public School Week.
Apr. 28, 4th Thursday:
 Public School Week.
Apr. 29, 5th Friday:
 Public School Week.
Apr. 30, 5th Saturday:
 Public School Week.
May 1, 1st Sunday:
May 2, 1st Monday:
 —Arbuckle No. 368, Arbuckle—S.
 —Maxwell No. 369, Maxwell.
 —Loyal No. 223, Williams.
May 3, 1st Tuesday:
 —Veritas No. 84, Colusa—R.
 —Wild Rose No. 326, Princeton.
May 4, 1st Wednesday:
 —Marshall No. 86, Willows—R.
 —Citrus No. 208, Orland.
May 5, 1st Thursday:
 —Mystic Star No. 279, Corning—R.
 —Molino No. 83, Tehama.
 —Vesper No. 20, Red Bluff.
May 6, 1st Friday:
 —Eowana No. 328, Stonyford—S.
May 7, 1st Saturday:
 —St. Johns No. 14, Weaverville—S.
May 8, 2nd Sunday:
May 9, 2nd Monday:
 —Stella No. 39, Yreka—S.
 —Evening Star No. 10, Etna Mills.
May 10, 2nd Tuesday:
 —McCloud No. 381, McCloud—S.
 —Fidelity No. 131, Dunsmuir.
 —Sisson No. 175, Mt. Shasta.
 —White Pine No. 487, Weed.

May 11, 2nd Wednesday:

- Welcome No. 17, Shasta—S.
- Northern Light No. 26, Milville.
- Redding No. 44, Redding.
- Mt. Shasta No. 153, Anderson.

May 12, 2nd Thursday:

- Hesperian No. 112, Susanville—S.
- Westwood No. 377, Westwood.

May 13, 2nd Friday:

- Plumas No. 246, Quincy—S.
- Sincerity No. 53, Greenville.

May 14, 2nd Saturday:

- Beckwith Star No. 201, Beckwith—R.
- Celandine No. 224, Loyalton.
- Sierra Star No. 129, Sierraville.
- Portola No. 321, Portola.

May 15, 3rd Sunday:

May 16, 3rd Monday:

- Alturas No. 51, Alturas—S.
- Esther No. 74, Adin.
- North Star No. 450, Fall River Mills.

May 17, 3rd Tuesday:

- North East No. 254, Fort Bidwell—S.
- Bonner No. 232, Cedarville.
- Eagle No. 187, Eagleville.

May 18, 3rd Wednesday:

Traveling.

May 19, 3rd Thursday:

- Mill Valley No. 219, Mill Valley—R.
- San Rafael No. 215, San Rafael.

May 20, 3rd Friday:

- Riverview No. 336, Guerneville—R.
- Gold Ridge No. 161, Sebastopol.
- Rose Valley No. 33, Santa Rosa.
- Morning Star No. 61, Petaluma.

May 21, 3rd Saturday:

- Valley Home No. 182, Windsor—S.
- Clover Leaf No. 130, Cloverdale.
- Sotoyome No. 82, Healdsburg.

May 22, 4th Sunday:

May 23, 4th Monday:

- Ocean View No. 111, Mendocino—S.
- Sapphire No. 230, Fort Bragg.

- May 24, 4th Tuesday:
—Point Arena No. 291, Point Arena—R.
- May 25, 4th Wednesday:
Traveling.
- May 26, 4th Thursday:
—Kingsley No. 58, Ukiah—S.
—Agusta No. 80, Covelo.
—Willits No. 314, Willits.
- May 27, 4th Friday:
—Lower Lake No. 231, Lower Lake—S.
—Clear Lake No. 137, Lakeport.
- May 28, 4th Saturday:
May 29, 5th Sunday:
May 30, 5th Monday:
MEMORIAL DAY (HOLIDAY)
- May 31, 5th Tuesday:
- June 1, 1st Wednesday:
—Del Norte No. 149, Crescent City—R.
- June 2, 1st Thursday:
—Arcata No. 208, Arcata—R.
—Ferndale No. 23, Ferndale.
—Camelia No. 63, Eureka.
—Rohnerville No. 76, Fortuna.
- June 3, 1st Friday:
Matrons and Patrons of 1932 of San Francisco.
- June 4, 1st Saturday:
—Beacon No. 383, Richmond—R.
—Point No. 394, Richmond.
—Miramar No. 205, Richmond.
—Acantha No. 249, Richmond.
- June 5, 1st Sunday:
- June 6, 1st Monday:
—Sequoia No. 203, Redwood City—R.
—Laurel No. 186, San Mateo.
—Burlingame No. 275, Burlingame.
- June 7, 1st Tuesday:
—Trinity No. 434, San Francisco—R.
—Yerba Buena No. 228, San Francisco.
—Lebanon No. 374, San Francisco.
- June 8, 2nd Wednesday:
—Foothill No. 433, Oakland—R.
—Caliz de Ora No. 457, Oakland.
—Fruitvale No. 297, Oakland.

June 9, 2nd Thursday:

- Sunnyvale No. 250, Sunnyvale—R.
- Palo Alto No. 213, Palo Alto.
- Miramonte No. 141, Mountain View.

June 10, 2nd Friday:

- Hayward No. 331, Hayward—R.
- Elmhurst No. 455, Oakland.
- Golden Wave No. 103, San Leandro.
- Orient No. 177, Centerville.

June 11, 2nd Saturday:

- Crockett No. 184, Crockett—R.
- Los Ceritos No. 234, Martinez.
- Pittsburg No. 350, Pittsburg.
- Pinole No. 220, Pinole.

June 12, 2nd Sunday:

June 13, 2nd Monday:

- Rosa M. Shattuck No. 504, Berkeley—R.
- Berkeley No. 178, Berkeley.
- West Gate No. 290, Berkeley.

June 14, 2nd Tuesday:

FLAG DAY.

- Ivy No. 27, San Francisco—R.
- Imperial No. 229, San Francisco.
- Occidental No. 280, San Francisco.
- Olive Branch No. 169, San Francisco.

June 15, 3rd Wednesday:

- Idlewild No. 19, Santa Cruz —R.
- Santa Cruz No. 273, Santa Cruz.

June 16, 3rd Thursday:

- La Posa No. 282, King City—S.

June 17, 3rd Friday:

June 18, 3rd Saturday:

- Santa Clara No. 195, Santa Clara—R.
- Los Gatos No. 128, Los Gatos.

June 19, 3rd Sunday:

June 20, 3rd Monday:

- Monterey No. 239, Monterey—R.
- Reveile No. 47, Salinas.
- Ocean Spray No. 68, Pacific Grove.

June 21, Third Tuesday:

- Lily of the Valley No. 18, Watsonville—R.
- Athena No. 46, Hollister.
- Ceanothus No. 45, San Juan Bautista.

June 22, 4th Wednesday:

- Presidio No. 481, San Francisco—R.
- Parnassus No. 269, San Francisco.
- Forest No. 432, San Francisco.
- Liberty No. 451, San Francisco.

June 23, 4th Thursday:

- Alethe No. 366, Berkeley—S.
- Prudence No. 484, Oakland.
- Thousand Oaks No. 375, Berkeley.

June 24, 4th Friday:

- Pleasanton No. 294, Pleasanton—R.
- Semper Fidelis No. 135, Livermore.

June 25, 4th Saturday:

- Amity No. 262, San Francisco—S.
- Mission No. 155, San Francisco—R.
- Golden West No. 350, San Francisco.
- Beulah No. 99, San Francisco.

June 26, 4th Sunday:

June 27, 4th Monday:

- Seaport No. 427, San Francisco—R.
- Fireside No. 440, San Francisco.
- Victory No. 388, San Francisco.

June 28, 4th Tuesday:

- Athens No. 277, Oakland—R.
- Encina No. 519, Oakland.
- Loma Vista No. 415, Oakland.

June 29, 5th Wednesday:

Past Matrons' and Past Patrons' Association of California,
San Francisco.

June 30, 5th Thursday:

July 1, 1st Friday:

July 2, 1st Saturday:

July 3, 1st Sunday:

July 4, 1st Monday:

(HOLIDAY)

July 5, 1st Tuesday:

July 6, 1st Wednesday:

July 7, 1st Thursday:

July 8, 2nd Friday:

July 9, 2nd Saturday:

July 10, 2nd Sunday:

July 11, 2nd Monday:

- July 12, 2nd Tuesday:
 July 13, 2nd Wednesday:
 July 14, 2nd Thursday:
 July 15, 3rd Friday:
 July 16, 3rd Saturday:
 —Big Bear No. 485, Pine Knot—S.
 July 17, 3rd Sunday:
 July 18, 3rd Monday:
 July 19, 3rd Tuesday:
 July 20, 3rd Wednesday:
 July 21, 3rd Thursday:
 July 22, 4th Friday:
 July 23, 4th Saturday:
 July 24, 4th Sunday:
 July 25, 4th Monday:
 July 26, 4th Tuesday:
 July 27, 4th Wednesday:
 July 28, 4th Thursday:
 July 29, 5th Friday:
 July 30, 5th Saturday:
 July 31, 5th Sunday:
 Aug. 1, 1st Monday:
 Aug. 2, 1st Tuesday:
 Aug. 3, 1st Wednesday:
 Aug. 4, 1st Thursday:
 Aug. 5, 1st Friday:
 Aug. 6, 1st Saturday:
 Aug. 7, 1st Sunday:
 Aug. 8, 2nd Monday:
 —Unity No. 65, Oakland—R.
 —Effe Easton No. 392, Oakland.
 —Golden Chain No. 303, Oakland.
 Aug. 9, 2nd Tuesday:
 Aug. 10, 2nd Wednesday:
 —Jewel No. 238, San Francisco—R.
 Meeting, afternoon at 2 o'clock
 —Roosevelt No. 470, San Francisco.
 Aug. 11, 2nd Thursday:
 —Brilliant Star No. 472, San Francisco—R.
 —California No. 183, San Francisco.
 —Casimar No. 252, San Francisco.

Aug. 12, 2nd Friday:

- Seal Rock No. 396, San Francisco—R.
- Justice No. 460, San Francisco.
- Nonpareil No. 496, San Francisco.
- Richmond No. 255, San Francisco.

Aug. 13, 2nd Saturday:

Aug. 14, 2nd Sunday:

Aug. 15, 3rd Monday:

Aug. 16, 3rd Tuesday:

- Suicun No. 2, Suisun—S.
- Rio Vista No. 222, Rio Vista.
- Vacaville No. 28, Vacaville.

Aug. 17, 3rd Wednesday:

- Concord No. 394, Concord—R.
- Almona No. 214, Walnut Creek.
- Maspha No. 198, Brentwood.
- Ariel No. 42, Antioch.

Aug. 18, 3rd Thursday:

- Albert Pike No. 284, San Francisco—R.
- Aloha No. 206, San Francisco.
- San Francisco No. 196, San Francisco.
- Golden Gate No. 1, San Francisco.

Aug. 19, 3rd Friday:

- Alameda No. 386, Alameda—R.
- Carita No. 115, Alameda.

Aug. 20, 3rd Saturday:

Masonic Home, Decoto, at 12:30 P. M.

(This date is set by the Past Matrons' Association of East Bay)

Aug. 21, 3rd Sunday:

Aug. 22, 4th Monday:

- Ruth No. 305, So. San Francisco—R.
- Crocker No. 382, Daly City.
- George Washington No. 409, San Francisco.

Aug. 23, 4th Tuesday:

Aug. 24, 4th Wednesday:

- Oak Leaf No. 8, Oakland—R.
- Oakland No. 140, Oakland.
- Elvesta No. 293, Oakland.

Aug. 25, 4th Thursday:

Aug. 26, 4th Friday:

Aug. 27, 4th Saturday:

East Bay Reception to Grand Officers.

Aug. 28, 4th Sunday:

- Aug. 29, 5th Monday:
San Francisco Reception to Grand Officers.
- Aug. 30, 5th Tuesday:
- Aug. 31, 5th Wednesday:
Reception to Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Lewis McDonald, by Santa Clara Valley Chapters.
- Sept. 1, 1st Thursday:
—Atascadero No. 334, Atascadero—S.
—Bethlehem No. 95, Paso Robles.
—Violet No. 102, San Miguel.
- Sept. 2, 1st Friday:
—Ramona No. 97, Arroyo Grande—S.
—Corona No. 107, San Luis Obispo.
—Cambria Pines No. 525, Cambria.
- Sept. 3rd, 1st Saturday:
—Mizpah No. 100, Santa Maria—S.
—Miguelito No. 176, Lompoc.
- Sept. 4, 1st Sunday:
- Sept. 5, 1st Monday:
LABOR DAY (HOLIDAY)
- Sept. 6, 1st Tuesday:
- Sept. 7, 1st Wednesday:
- Sept. 8, 2nd Thursday:
—Rose Croix No. 317, Los Angeles—R.
- Sept. 9, 2nd Friday:
ADMISSION DAY (HOLIDAY)
- Sept. 10, 2nd Saturday:
- Sept. 11, 2nd Sunday:
- Sept. 12, 2nd Monday:
- Sept. 13, 2nd Tuesday:
—Vallecito No. 523, Carpinteria—R.
—Ventura No. 79, Ventura.
- Sept. 14, 2nd Wednesday:
—Santa Barbara No. 501, Santa Barbara—R.
—Marguerita No. 78, Santa Barbara.
- Sept. 15, 3rd Thursday:
—Fillmore No. 361, Fillmore—R.
—Oxnard No. 322, Oxnard.
—Santa Paula No. 185, Santa Paula.
- Sept. 16, 3rd Friday:
- Sept. 17, 3rd Saturday:
- Sept. 18, 3rd Sunday:

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GRAND CHAPTER CONVENES

Oct. 19, 3rd Wednesday:
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Oct. 22, 4th Saturday:

When I make mention of this part of the years work, I find myself living over again those memorable evenings with you. Artistically decorated Chapter rooms, sumptuous banquets, beautiful gifts and gorgeous flowers. In fancy I see your smiling faces, feel the touch of your hands and the hospitality extended to all. Sisters and brothers when I saw how long you had planned and worked to make me feel welcome a deep sense of humility has come into my heart, for I felt how much I had received

from you and how little I gave you in comparison. The work has been well done, and a feeling of co-operation has pervaded these meetings which have been very well attended. I can only say "thank you," but I pray that I may always be worthy of the beautiful words you have spoken and of your friendship.

"When evening shades are falling at the closing of the day,

And I am just a sitting 'round passing time away,

The thought will come to cheer me, if I'm feeling kinda blue,

A sort of prayer of gratitude for crossing paths with you."

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

Honorary membership is a gracious gift, a mark of confidence and esteem. I have deeply appreciated these honors conferred on me by many Chapters and Associations, and hope I may prove myself worthy.

DECOTO HOME

On August 20th it was my happy privilege to be the guest of the East Bay Past Matrons' Association upon their annual visit to the Masonic Home at Decoto. At twelve o'clock the Grand Officers sat down to a delicious luncheon given by the Past Matrons and Past Patrons of Orient Chapter (this is our Sister Willa Jane's home Chapter). A fine program followed, some of the numbers being given by the guests of the Home. I enjoyed my visit with Brother Hartman and Sister Richardson, to whom much credit should be given for the harmony that prevails in this beautiful Home, dedicated to loving service by our Brother Masons.

O. E. S. HOME OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

The day before Christmas I visited unofficially and alone the Eastern Star Home at Pasadena. This visit sent me on my way rejoicing that in truth we were making Merry Christmas for the ten members of our Order living there. Many thanks to the members of the Board of Trustees who have labored untiringly.

GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER

One of the most pleasant privileges of the year was to represent California at the twentieth triennial session of the General Grand Chapter held at San Antonio, Texas, November 1-5, 1931.

At 5:15 on October 31, 1931, your Worthy Grand Patron and wife, Worthy Grand Matron and fifteen Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons and one Past Grand Treasurer left for San Antonio. It was a

trip I shall never forget. There I became well acquainted with these charming Past Grand Matrons and Patrons whom I had scarcely known before. We dined together, worked together, sang together, and reluctantly went to sleep. The weather was fine all the way and we were sorry when we arrived at our destination.

At 2:45 Monday we arrived at San Antonio where we were met by those who arrived in advance of us, who welcomed us with outstretched arms and personally I believe they were just a little homesick for California. But we soon assured them that, "God was in his heaven, all's right with the world." Our trip home was even more enjoyable in the realization that we were bringing back with us Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, Effie Easton, California's beloved Past Grand Matron. The report of General Grand Chapter has been most ably covered by our Associate Grand Matron, which she will give to you at a later time.

CIRCULAR LETTERS

Los Angeles, California
January 1, 1932.

To the Officers and Members
Of the Eastern Star Chapters
In the Jurisdiction of the State of California.

My dear Sisters and Brothers:

It is indeed fitting and appropriate that during this most Festive Season of the year I should send you my Greetings.

The joys of the Christmas Season are fresh in our minds and hearts. From our lips we sang joyous carols of Peace on Earth, Good will to men. From our earthly treasures we shared gladly, —so that by our gifts we could bring joy to homes that knew distress or sadness. From our hearts we sent messages of good cheer and gladness. Palace and humble abode were brightened by the Glorious Rays from the Star of Bethlehem. The Christmas spirit prevailed in our hearts and served further to cement our loyal bonds of Friendship and Fraternal Love. The Christmas spirit is one of genuine unselfish service to others.

As I meditate over those truly human emotions, which prompted us so fully at the Christmas time, I feel that with the coming of the New Year, we should dedicate ourselves to that unselfish service to mankind throughout the entire year. We should endeavor not only on Christmas day, but on every day, to bring Joy, Gladness and Happiness to others, knowing full well that we, ourselves, will be enriched and ennobled thereby.

May I bespeak for the Officers of the Chapters the utmost in co-operation that their burdens may thus be lighter, and that their work may thereby be made more effective.

Let love and harmony prevail. Let us consecrate ourselves to promote the many virtues taught by our ritual, and by word, by deed and by precept, help to perpetuate that favorable and honorable regard for our beloved Order which we have maintained over all of the years.

We are proud of our wonderful past. From those who have gone before, we have inherited an enviable record. The present officers and members will, I am sure, add much to the glory of our beloved Order and to our Treasured Traditions. May I leave with you the faithful hope that you will be diligent in the care, attention and instruction of our younger members, as in their hands will rest our hopes for the future.

May our coming year be one of wonderful service, and may you and yours be bountifully blessed with increased prosperity and happiness, is the sincere and fraternal wish of

ELSIE MAE McGIFFIN,
Worthy Grand Matron.

Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron

Officers and Members of All Subordinate Chapters

Order of the Eastern Star, State of California:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the action of the Grand Chapter at its regular Session held at Coronado on October 20-23, 1931, that the Worthy Grand Matron dispose of the matter of the O. E. S. Assessment for 1931, whereby some members of subordinate Chapters were assessed twice for the 1931 assessment or the subordinate Chapter itself had paid a second assessment upon members who had dimitted between the time of the Grand Chapter Session of October, 1930 to May 31, 1931, or the members or the Chapter were assessed for members who joined their Chapter between the date of June 1st and December 1st, 1931.

"It is hereby ordered that all monies over and above the regular 1931 O. E. S. Home Fund received by the Grand Chapter during the year 1931 from Chapters or members, be refunded. The object of this order is to refund to members or Chapters all money paid by them for the O. E. S. assessment over the regular assessment by virtue of what appears to be a double assessment, but the time limit for presentation of petition for refund must be filed not later than July 1st, 1932, providing also that all money in the treasury of the O. E. S. fund not applied for by that date shall remain and is a part of the O. E. S. fund. All petitions for refund of the above mentioned sums must be made on either Form A or Form B."

INSTRUCTIONS TO SECRETARIES OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS

- 1st. On petition for refund—fill in the exact amount of refund and dates when assessments were paid. Members themselves, who have paid a double assessment, must sign petition or in case the Chapter has paid the assessment for members who dimitted between October 1930 and May 31, 1931 and said Chapter was not able to collect the assessment from its dimitted members the Chapter itself will receive the refund.
- 2nd. The 1932 Home Assessment must be paid by all members whose names are borne upon the Chapter role on the first day of January, 1932 except members who are in Masonic Home or Homes for Incurables. The 1932 Home Assessment should not be paid by members who requested dimits prior to the first of January if dimits were granted the first meeting of 1932. Members who are on role on January first, 1932 and who have not paid the 1932 Home Assessment on or before the first of July, 1932, should be suspended or their dues remitted. If the dues are remitted because of financial inability of the members to pay, the Home assessment for 1932 is also automatically remitted. However, as to the remittance of dues for officers whose dues are remitted in return for services the Home assessment cannot be remitted.

INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING REMITTANCE OF ASSESSMENT
TO GRAND SECRETARY

- A Secretaries will please fill out the enclosed form and return it together with the amount of Home Assessment to the office of the Grand Secretary on February 1, 1932.
- B The balance of the Home Assessment must be sent to the office of the Grand Secretary on or before July 31, 1932.
- C On July 1st, 1932 a form will be sent to all Secretaries for the balance of the Home Assessment due the Grand Chapter. Deductions should be made on the July form for the assessment on members whose dues are remitted, giving names of members and the reason therefore.

Worthy Grand Matron

Grand Secretary

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER

PETITION FOR REFUND TO CHAPTER
FORM A

To the Worthy Grand Matron
State of California, O. E. S.

Chapter No.

Pursuant to the order dated January , 1932, we hereby respectfully petition for a refund to our Chapter for the sum of being the amount which this Chapter paid to the O. E. S. Home Fund for members who dimitted from our Chapter between October 1930 and May 31, 1931.

Also the sum of which this Chapter advanced to the O. E. S. Home Fund for members who joined between the dates of June 1, to December 31, 1931 and the Chapter was unable to collect the assessment from said members.

Worthy Matron

Worthy Patron

Chapter Seal

Secretary Subordinate Chapter

I hereby certify that the facts contained in the foregoing petition are true and correct and are reflected by the books of Chapter No. and I also certify to the authenticity of the signatures upon the above petition.

Grand Secretary
Her Seal

To the Trustees of the O. E. S. Home
State of California, O. E. S.

You are hereby directed to issue and forward to the above signed Chapter for its petitioners the sum of in accordance with the above order number.

Worthy Grand Matron

PETITION FOR REFUND TO INDIVIDUALS

FORM B

To the Worthy Grand Matron
State of California, O. E. S.

I hereby petition for the refund of one dollar (\$1.00) which I paid to
Chapter No. for the 1931 O. E. S. Home assessment
having dimitted from such Chapter between the dates of October 1930
and May 31, 1931.

Or having paid a double assessment to Chapter No. for
1931 as according to this ruling I was not assessable for this dollar.

Or having paid a double assessment to Chapter No. for
the year 1931.

Worthy Matron

Worthy Patron

Chapter Seal

Secretary Subordinate Chapter

I hereby certify that the facts contained in the foregoing petition are true
and correct and are reflected by the books of Chapter No.
and I also certify to the authenticity of the signatures upon the above
petition.

Grand Secretary
Her Seal

To the Trustees of the O. E. S. Home
State of California, O. E. S.

You are hereby directed to issue and forward to the above signed Chapter
a warrant to each of its petitioners for the sum of in accordance
with the above order number.

Worthy Grand Matron

RECOMMENDATIONS

After serving this Grand Chapter for a year, which at best has been most difficult, I am fully convinced that we already have plenty of legislation on our books to guide our destiny for at least another year. What a fine tribute to those pioneers, the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons who have builded so well!

GOOD OF THE ORDER

To me, the paramount aim and work of our Chapters as well as the Order of the Eastern Star as a whole should be the performance of acts of loving kindness.

I am sorry to report a few times this year that this spirit has not always prevailed. In some instances the privileges of balloting has been abused. The membership shifting the responsibility of balloting onto the officers. This is the duty of every member of our Chapter, and we should assume our part in the up building of our Order. My attention has also been called too frequently to the misuse of the black ball. Let us pray a little more humbly that "our acts may reflect honor upon His Holy name."

"Isn't it funny that kings and queens
And clowns that caper in sawdust rings,
And common folks like you and me
Are builders of eternity."
"Each is given a book of rules
A shapeless mass and a bag of tools
And each must make e'er life has flown,
A stumbling block or a stepping stone."

Tell me the greatest good that has ever come to our Order is the building of its Eastern Star Home. Nothing in all my pleasant experiences for the year has given me more pleasure: nothing added more to my pride in my membership than my relation and experience with the Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, composed of the highest type of men and women in the Order of the Eastern Star. With what an unanimity of purpose each one has worked in order that the greatest good could come to us all. Each member has considered his work earnestly and given to it his first thought and attention. Now I ask of each of you here that you feel a personal responsibility and work for it according to the best of your ability. In order that we may give a home to the homeless, hope to those who have lost hope, love to those who have no others to love them. For we are told "in as much as you have done it unto the least of these my brethren, you have done it unto me."

COURTESIES AND APPRECIATION

Space will not permit me to express what is in my heart for all the courtesies that have been extended to me all along my journey. The officers and members of every Chapter where I have visited have been most thoughtful and kind.

On March the 19th at the Sala De Oro Room at the Biltmore Hotel a beautiful reception was given to the Grand Officers by the Chapters of Southern California, an evening full of splendor and beauty.

August 27th we were the guests of the East Bay Chapters at a beautiful reception held at the Madison Street Temple, an evening of music and a delightful program.

August 29th at the Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, a beautiful reception was given to the Grand Officers, an evening where Spanish hospitality prevailed, fine program and dancing.

August 30th it was my pleasure to be the honored guest of the Woman's Masonic Club in Berkeley where an interesting evening was enjoyed.

"There are waves far out on the ocean
That can never break on the beach
There are waves of human emotion
That can find no expression in speech."

September 8th Rose Croix Chapter. My heart goes out to you, members of my home Chapter, you have known me longest and loved me best. This honor I share because of your faith in me.

"You are the folks I like to know,
Whether life sends me pleasure or woe,
You are the folks that stand by all the time,
God keep you always, Rose Croix members of mine."

To the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Lewis McDonald, you have cheerfully and willingly responded to every demand made upon you. With your music you have brought a picture of harmony and happiness to the members. To you and Sister McDonald for your courtesies I thank you most heartily, may the future be filled with brightness for you both.

To our Associate Grand Matron, Sister Grace; ours has been a year of happiness and co-operation. You have been loyal and true, ever ready to assist me in my duties. In you I have found a friend and a sister. I shall try my best to reciprocate in every possible way next year. May God's richest blessings, health and strength be yours in abundance and may this be the happiest year of your life.

"Now I'm ready and willing to step aside
And let "Our Grace," here preside
While I return, no more to roam
And just take care of my home sweet home."

Our Associate Grand Patron, Brother Lloyd, your ready willingness to serve in time of need is gratefully appreciated. The esteem in which you are held in our whole jurisdiction, bespeaks your loyal devotion to the principles of our Order.

Grand Secretary, for your unfailing kindness and patience, your willingness to be of service, your love for our Order has made my burden very light. Nothing I have asked has been too great a task for you. And also I express my thanks to the other members of your office for their many courtesies. Our work together is fast drawing to a close and it is with a great deal of pleasure that I tell of your true worth.

Appointive Grand Officers, I wish to express to you my love and appreciation for your kindness. My life has been enriched by this association, and in after years I shall recall with pleasure the many happy events we shared together. I have found you all true and fine, as a mother who loves her own so do I love you; you are each a bit nearer and dearer to me.

Deputy Grand Matrons, you are to a Grand Matron just what a vice-president is to a firm, willing to do your share of the work and receive a small part of the honor. Words are inadequate to express my sincere appreciation for the many favors extended to me. You have lightened my duties and brought sunshine and happiness through your many acts of kindness, you have contributed greatly to whatever success has been ours. To my Grand Sentinel, Brother Bourne, words are inadequate when I try to express my gratitude and appreciation, for your loyalty and kindness to me, you are a busy man, yet you have never been too busy to interest yourself in my behalf whenever needed, and to you and my friend Georgia, I would say,

"Your friendship is a treasure,
And it grows, and grows and grows
In sweetness and in beauty
Every hour like the rose."

To the 1932 Matrons and Patrons, My pride and joy, you have been my inspiration, my ideal. Your loyalty and unselfishness has been one of the beautiful things in my year of service. To the Presidents of these Associations in all parts of the State, you have labored early and late to make me happy, and to you I express my humble gratitude and thankfulness.

They say Memory is the only Paradise out of which we cannot be driven and so I shall ever live in my Paradise when thinking of you.

To the various Committees individually and collectively who have served faithfully and well throughout the year and this session. Your work has been appreciated and the success of this Grand Chapter depends largely upon it. My personal thanks and those of the Grand Chapter to all who have contributed to the advancement of our Order.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, what can I say to you that has not been said to you by previous Grand Matrons. I wish to say that this years work, meeting you in your own homes and in your Chapters has made me love you better than ever before. You have indeed been sisters and brothers, my inspiration, my ideal. You have never been too busy to see me and your wise counsel has helped me over what might have been difficult places. Accept my sincere gratitude.

To Sister Hazael Marsh Piper, Chairman of my Housing Committee, for your untiring efforts for the comfort of the delegates of this Grand Chapter, many thanks. It was you who gave me my first appointment as your Grand Chaplain. You have been my helper and companion throughout the year, I appreciate it and feel that I am rich indeed with you as my friend.

To Sister Bessie Pierce, for your ever willingness to help, your presence at my meetings, your kindly words of encouragement have done much to make my year a happy one.

To Sister Elizabeth B. Wheeler, it is hard to tell those who are nearest and dearest to one, all that is in ones heart and so I stand lost for words, my heart is full, but my mouth is speechless. I hope that you have not been disappointed in me and that I have deserved your friendship, confidence and love.

"In the garden of remembrance
There is a tiny sheltered spot
Made fragrant with the blooming
Of the sweet forget-me-not.
And no flower in my garden
Ever sweeter, fairer grew,
Than the little flower that whispers
Always, "I'll remember you."

I should like to tell the Grand Chapter about one whom I owe an indebtedness too great to ever be repaid. He has been my companion, my counselor and my guide. He has held up my hands when the tasks seemed too great for my strength. He has cheered me with loving words, and en-

couraged me with the knowledge that always there is waiting for me a refuge, and a rest, a harbor of comfort and cheer, my home. All of this and more do I owe to this one, my husband.

CONCLUSION

In a few hours I shall have reached the end of my years work. I thank you for the honor of serving and for your loving kindness at all times.

The year has been to me like a beautiful California day. I started with bright hopes and vivid dreams in its rosy dawn. Then hours to work. The noon day has passed, afternoon has waned, sunset is here. Now the stillness of the evening as the twilight deepens, we *whisper this blessing* for the Grand Chapter of California "Lord bless thee, and keep thee; the Lord make His face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee; the Lord lift up His countenance upon thee and give thee peace." With faith that this may be the dawning of a happy prosperous year.

Fraternally submitted,

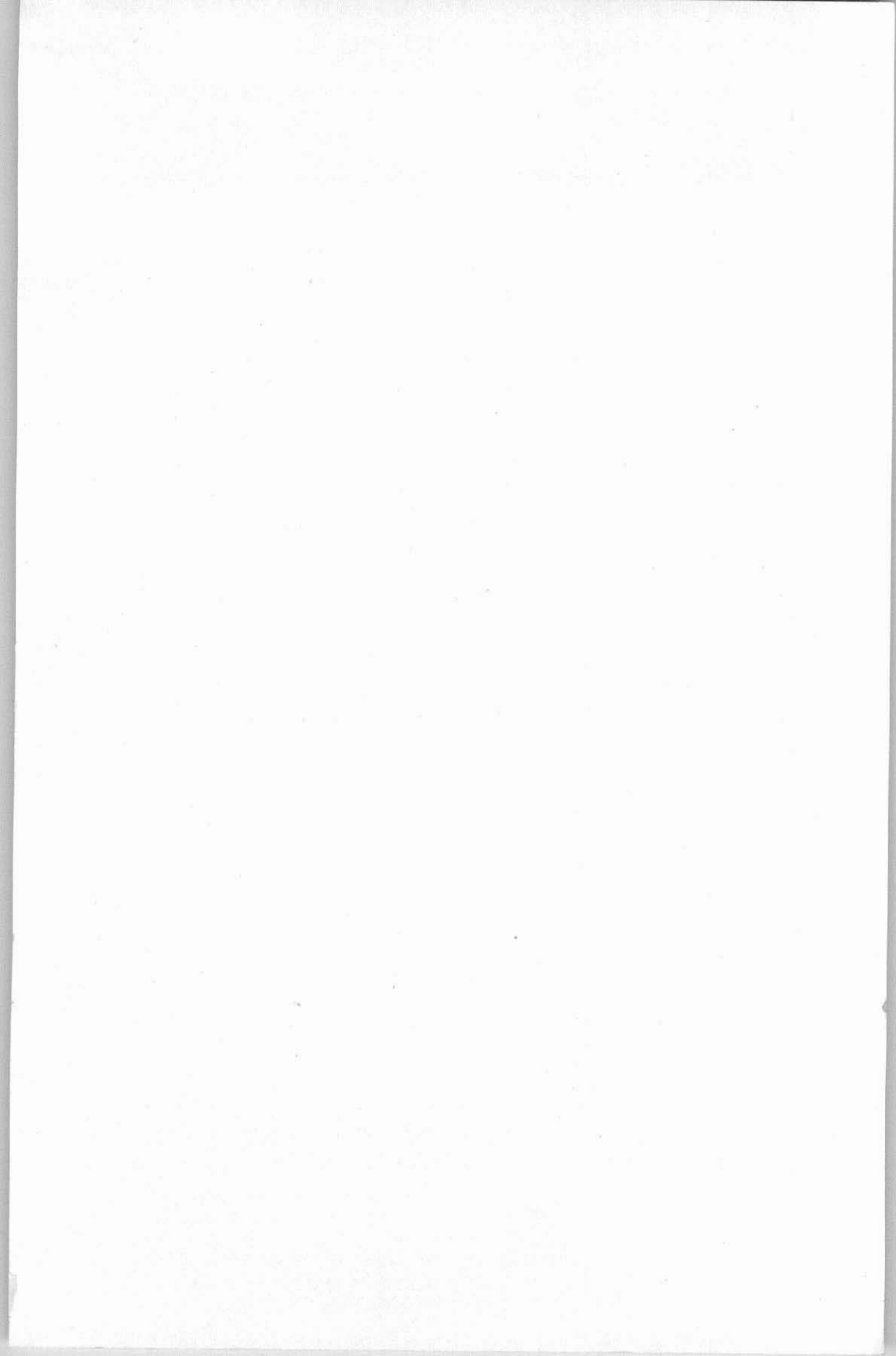
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Worthy Grand Matron.

Upon motion of Brother Ernest Woodbury Conant, P. G. P., who presided during the reading of the address of the Worthy Grand Matron, the address was ordered printed in the Proceedings.



JOHN LEWIS McDONALD
Worthy Grand Patron, 1931-1932



ADDRESS OF THE WORTHY GRAND PATRON

Worthy Grand Matron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Greetings:

It is very hard to realize that another Grand Chapter year of our Order of the Eastern Star has been completed and that we are now entering upon our 59th annual session in the State of California. But such is the case. May I extend to you, delegates from far and near, a welcome to this great metropolis of the West, San Francisco. I sincerely hope you will enjoy your viist here and find time to really see a great part of this wonderful city before you leave.

We are gathered here to enact legislation which will be binding upon more than 100,000 members of the Order in this State. May I urge each one of you delegates to take an active part in the deliberations of this body. If you have some thought or problem you want brought upon the floor of this Assembly for discussion, do not be afraid to speak; if you have any question you want to ask, do not be afraid to ask it. I know your presiding officers will be very glad to give you an opportunity to speak. Remember that this is your convention and your Grand Chapter, and you are the delegates from your Chapters. So make the most of it while you are here. Our Worthy Grand Matron has planned a very fine program of work and play, so let us work while we work and play while we play and we shall go away from here feeling fully repaid for our efforts to attend these sessions.

As your Worthy Grand Patron of 1931-1932, I submit the following report of my Eastern Star activities during the past year:

Before proceeding in detail, I wish to thank the members of this great body of representative sisters and brothers throughout the State of California for the confidence reposed in me in electing me your Worthy Grand Patron. Such an honor can come to a man but once in a lifetime and I want you to know I deeply appreciate it, not only at this present moment or just during the past year, but will in the years to come as well. I have performed my duty only as I have seen it, and if I have made you satisfied and happy then I am satisfied and happy, but if I have not, please remember that your Worthy Grand Patron is only human and bound to make mistakes.

Due to the position I now occupy as your Worthy Grand Patron, I have been very fortunate in making some very fine contacts and meeting some very wonderful people in all parts of the State. I have known no

North, no South, no East, nor West, but have found only one united people with only one thought in mind, that of furthering and advancing the principles of our Order of the Eastern Star. Not once have I come in contact with members with selfish interests who tried to advance these same interests to the detriment of our Order. When I have visited in the South I was made to feel that I was at home there, just as much as when I was in the North. I shall always be indebted to these very fine Southern people for their genuine hospitality and friendliness.

I have traveled with our Worthy Grand Matron on her visitations just as much as it was possible for me to travel, and I only regret that I was not able to attend every one of her official visits to Chapters. However, I have visited 148 of these Chapters and I am very happy for that. Wherever I have gone, I have been received most cordially, and have been presented with some marvelous gifts which I shall always treasure. These gifts, for the greater part, were gifts of gold, which have been added together to purchase a grand piano for my home, something that distinctly belongs to me. I shall enjoy that gift all my life, and it will always bring memories of you and the year I was Worthy Grand Patron of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Our Worthy Grand Matron has made an enviable record for herself with her charming personality, her gracious manner, and her friendliness toward all wherever she has been. It has truly been an inspiration to have been with her on these visits.

During the year I have received many honorary memberships in various Chapters and auxiliary organizations. I shall not attempt to give them in detail in this report but just let you know that I do appreciate them, every one, very much.

There were four meetings of which I should like to make special mention, as they were so outstanding. The first was the reception to the Grand Officers given by the Chapters of Southern California, a beautiful evening at the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles. So colorful and quaint and so well planned and executed that it well deserves this special mention. Then a similar reception to the Grand Officers given in Oakland by the East Bay Chapters, where this same fine spirit prevailed. Never will I forget the sight of some forty Patrons attempting to reconstruct a broken piano so that I might perform on it. The gorgeous spectacle of the San Francisco reception to the Grand Officers, where the atmosphere was entirely Spanish, even to the attire of the Matrons and Patrons, is something that will always be remembered. With weeks and weeks of planning and rehearsing, certainly the committees deserve unbounded credit and

commendation, and Sister Cora Gable, who planned and executed the twenty-eight different figures of escort for the sixteen Marshals, deserves very great praise.

And lastly, the reception tendered me by the fifteen Chapters of my district was a very outstanding affair during my year as Worthy Grand Patron. I am truly grateful to all who planned this evening or took part in any way. I wish to especially compliment Sister Leda Gregory Jackson of my own Chapter, who dramatized, set to music, and staged the stories of our five Star Points in a most gorgeous spectacle. I also wish to thank my own Chapter, San Jose No. 31, for presenting me a Life Membership, engraved on a solid gold card.

At the very beginning of the Grand Chapter year it was my good fortune to go as one of the delegates from California to the General Grand Chapter assembly held in San Antonio, Texas. I am informed that details of these sessions held at San Antonio will be presented to you by our Associate Grand Matron. In passing, I cannot refrain from stating that every one in that Convention Hall knew that the California delegation was present in goodly numbers, and it was not long before every one knew just what we were there for. We succeeded in having our own dear Sister Effie Easton elected as the Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress of the General Grand Chapter, at which success we were all greatly thrilled.

This has been a very trying year for every organization as well as the Order of the Eastern Star. Our Order has once again justified its existence by extending aid to those who desired it at a time when it was most needed. Our Benevolent Fund Committee has been called upon time and again for help and it has responded most generously and wisely. I wish to commend this Committee very highly for the very splendid piece of work they have performed during this period of distress.

NEW CHAPTERS

I regret that there has been only one new Chapter formed this year, but in view of existing circumstances and conditions I am very happy to report that there were no Charters surrendered, and that our membership now totals 105,562.

This new Chapter was formed at Ojai, in Ventura County. It was absolutely impossible for me to officiate at the institution of this Chapter, but I am very grateful to our Junior Past Grand Patron, Brother Joseph

Mayo Argabrite, for performing this valuable service for me. He was assisted by Past Grand Matron, Sister Maud Dezell Bradley, and present Grand Officers, and I wish to extend my thanks to all of them at this time.

The following Grand Officers and substitutes filled the Stations:

Acting Worthy Grand Patron—Joseph Mayo Argabrite, Junior Past Grand Patron.

Acting Worthy Grand Matron—Maud Dezell Bradley, Past Grand Matron.

Acting Associate Grand Matron—Annabel Spinney, Deputy Grand Matron.

Associate Grand Patron—Lloyd E. Griffin.

Acting Grand Secretary—Roy Musser, Past Grand Patron.

Grand Treasurer—Grace I. Good.

Acting Grand Conductress—Rosie Roemer, Deputy Grand Matron.

Acting Associate Grand Conductress—Sadie Zerboni, Deputy Grand Matron.

Acting Grand Chaplain—Edna Faries, Deputy Grand Matron.

Grand Marshal—Bertie Y. Todd.

Grand Organist—Gertrude Rose.

Acting Grand Adah—Agnes Armistead, Worthy Matron Ventura Chapter No. 79.

Grand Ruth—Amy Werking.

Grand Esther—Laura Bennett.

Grand Martha—Flora Osterholt.

Acting Grand Electa—Goldie Stroud, Worthy Matron Fillmore Chapter No. 361.

Acting Grand Warder—Ann Miller, Worthy Matron Marguerite Chapter No. 78.

Grand Sentinel—Reuben O. Bourne.

Flag Bearer—Bert Holloway, Past Grand Patron.

After the institution of the Chapter the officers were regularly installed, Past Grand Matron Maud Dezell Bradley acting as Worthy Grand Matron, assisted by Elane Bosserman, Deputy Grand Matron; Edna Faries, Deputy Grand Matron, acting as Grand Chaplain; and Bertie Y. Todd, Grand Marshal.

EASTERN STAR HOME

As your Worthy Grand Patron it has been my privilege to meet with the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California as an ex-officio member of that Board. It has been an education and a revela-

tion to me to see the methodical and careful manner in which the business of this Board is transacted. I want to assure this assembly that the members need never fear for the safety of the Home or the safety of the funds entrusted to the care of the Board of Trustees, as long as this Board remains intact; for "economy along with sound business practice" is the keynote and watchword of every individual member of this Board. Each one of the sub-committees formed from members of the Board has worked unceasingly and unselfishly all through its existence. The problems have been numerous and very trying, but they have been worked out to the very best interests of the Home itself and the members of the Order of the Eastern Star.

The Home is now a reality, not a vision, and it is due to the untiring efforts, keen foresight, and love for the Order of the Eastern Star on the part of each member of this Board of Trustees that ultimate success has been brought about. I heartily commend every action of the Board of Trustees.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Because of the smooth workings of our subordinate Chapters, my recommendations are limited to one:

(1) I recommend that Ojai Chapter U.D. be granted a Charter by this Grand Chapter and that the delegates from Ojai Chapter U.D. be given voting privileges in the session.

CONCLUSION

I cannot close this report without expressing a few personal sentiments: I wish to thank all the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons for all the courtesies extended to me during my term of office. Their advice has been most valuable and was so generously given that I want them to know how fully I appreciate it. I wish to thank our Past Grand Matron, Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, for appointing me Grand Organist of Grand Chapter in 1927, for it was through this station to which she appointed me that I became known to the members of Grand Chapter and subsequently succeeded to the station of Worthy Grand Patron.

My wife, Sister Flo McDonald, has been my constant companion on all my visitations and has given me her strong support and encouragement throughout the year so that I might carry on to the best of my ability. Indeed, the courtesies extended to her were every bit as generous and lovely as those extended to me, and I am very grateful to all of you for

the manner in which you have received her.

To Elsie and Jimmie McGiffin: One is not very often blessed with the good fortune to be able to call folk such as you "friend," but Flo and I consider it a rare privilege to be able to name Elsie and Jimmie among our very dearest friends. Their home has been our home whenever we have been in the South. They have taken us into their circle of friends, which, by the way, includes all the Southland, and have endeared each one of them to us both for all time. At the time of the death of my wife's father, as busy as she was, and as far away as she was, Sister Elsie gathered together a group of Grand Officers and Past Grand Officers and journeyed all the way to San Jose to attend his funeral, and then journeyed back many, many miles up North for another official visit to a Chapter that night. Sister Elsie, this is a tribute and an act of yours which will long live in our memories, and just another proof of your thoughtfulness of others and an example of your beautiful character. I shall always be greatly indebted to Grand Chapter and to you for allowing me the privilege of serving as Worthy Grand Patron with you as Worthy Grand Matron.

I know from experience that this Grand Chapter is prepared to give to my competent successor its most loyal support the same as it has given me. This is as it should be, because back of it all, back of this pomp and ceremony, is the great Order of the Eastern Star, which must go on and on and on. It is to our Order of the Eastern Star that we owe allegiance and to it we must give our best endeavor, no matter who sits in the East. I wish for him in his year as Worthy Grand Patron all the happiness and joy it has been my good fortune to enjoy this year.

To the Principal of the Junior High School in which I teach, I wish to extend my thanks for allowing me so many privileges and courtesies in the discharge of my duties as Worthy Grand Patron. While she does not belong to our Order, yet she is a very noble, broad-minded, and most democratic woman, and no sweeter or lovelier soul ever lived than Miss Nell O'Brien, of Woodrow Wilson Junior High School in San Jose, California.

As we have in our school a creed, let us apply it to our Eastern Star:

Always consider the good of the Order before the good of the Chapter:

Always consider the good of the Chapter before our own selfish interests.

Finally:

"Life is sweet, just because of the friends we've made,
And the things that in common we share;
We want to live on, not because of ourselves,
But because of the people who care.
It's in giving and doing for somebody else,
On this all life's splendor depends;
And the joy of this life, when we've summed it all up,
Is found in the making of friends."

Fraternally,

JOHN LEWIS McDONALD,
Worthy Grand Patron.

Report was received and that portion referring to Ojai Chapter U. D.
referred to Committee on Warrants and Dispensations.



STELLA MORGAN LINSOTT
GRAND SECRETARY



GRACE I. GOOD
GRAND TREASURER



GRACE RICHARDSON BUTTERFIELD
ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON



GRACE RAYMOND
GRAND CHAPLAIN



BERTIE Y. TODD
GRAND MARSHAL



LLOYD E. GRIFFIN
ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRON



MINNIE VIOLA COLLINS
ASSOCIATE GRAND CONDUCTRESS



JESSIE GALBRAITH MORRIS
GRAND CONDUCTRESS



GERTRUDE R. ROSE
GRAND ORGANIST



LAVINA WHITNEY
GRAND WARDEN



AMY B. WERKING
GRAND RUTH



LAURA S. BENNETT
GRAND ESTHER



REUBEN O. BOURNE
GRAND SENTINEL



GERTRUDE BIRD HOLT
GRAND ADAIR



FLORAM M. OSTERHOLT
GRAND MARTHA

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Greetings:

The work of the Grand Secretary is necessarily a method of procedure which cannot be detailed in a report. The most important business transactions are herewith recorded, showing the statistical and financial condition of this Grand Chapter for the year ending August 31, 1932. The details are more fully set forth in tables and reports which appear elsewhere in the Proceedings.

Surety bonds were renewed in the Globe Indemnity Co. on the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer in the amount of \$15,000 each and on the Assistant Grand Secretary and the Bookkeeper in the amount of \$1,000 each.

Fire Insurance on the office furniture and fixtures was renewed for the period of one year.

Following the Grand Chapter Session of 1931, bills for the session were promptly paid and the following supplies were prepared and distributed: stationery for the Grand Officers, Grand Chapter committee chairmen and Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California; lists of Grand Officers, Deputy Grand Matrons, and Grand Chapter committee members; names and addresses of the Matrons, Patrons and Secretaries of the state; the itinerary of official visits of the Worthy Grand Matron; copies of amendments to the constitution and letters of information for subordinate chapters.

By direction of the Worthy Grand Matron, commissions were issued under the seal of the Grand Chapter and delivered to the Deputy Grand Matrons of the 63 districts of our jurisdiction. Commissions for Grand Representatives requested by other Grand jurisdictions were attested and forwarded and those granted by other jurisdictions to members of this Grand Chapter were delivered.

The Proceedings of the 1931 Grand Chapter Session, 1600 in number, were off the press just one month after the close of Grand Chapter, distributed throughout our jurisdiction, and three copies sent to each of the other Grand Jurisdictions. Proceedings of other Grand Chapters were received, acknowledged, and distributed as directed. The Digest of Decisions was reprinted and copies mailed to the present and past Grand Officers and five copies sent to each chapter.

Lists of Fraternal Courtesies and Grand Chapter Dimits will be found on the following page.

FRATERNAL COURTESIES EXTENDED TO OTHER JURISDICTIONS

Upon proper request, the degrees were conferred on the following:

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Chapter</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Chapter</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Location</i>
Winifred Piker	by San Diego	264	for Nova	263	Oklahoma City, Okla.
Maude Ferguson	" Elsinore	243	" Smithland	217	Smithland, Ky.
Mary Katherine Masterson	" Santa Clara	195	" Eureka	5	St. Petersburg, Florida
Mary Lillian Creed	" Corinthian	358	" Harlingen	641	Texas
Beatrice E. Starke	" San Fernando	398	" Golden Rule	17	Dickinson, No. Dakota
Ethel Emily Smith	" Elmhurst	455	" Mulnomah	104	Portland, Oregon
Gladys Walker	" Escondido	154	" Enid	36	Enid, Oklahoma
Sadie Siegel	" Manchester	449	" Sunbeam	899	Chicago, Illinois
Mabel Bash	" Palos Verdes	310	" Ivanhoe	244	Kansas City, Missouri
Viola Laveta Engelhardt	" Lyra	144	" Honor	309	Bladen, Nebraska

FRATERNAL COURTESIES RECEIVED FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS

Upon proper request, the degrees were conferred as follows:

<i>Candidate</i>	<i>Chapter</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Chapter</i>	<i>No.</i>
Dorothea M. Smersh	by Maple Leaf	152	Omaha, Nebr.	for Burlingame	275
Addie Russel Lynch	" Coral	3	Gatun, C. Z.	" Coronado	332

GRAND CHAPTER DEMITS

Issued March 15th to Agnes Matthew of University Chapter No. 356 of Los Angeles.

Issued October 5th to Clara Cherry of Mayflower Chapter No. 461 of San Francisco.

Christmas greetings were sent to the subordinate chapters, present and past Grand Officers, Grand Chapter committee members, officers of the General Grand Chapter and to all other Grand Jurisdictions. Holiday greetings from other jurisdictions were received and distributed.

All By-Laws with amendments approved by the Worthy Grand Matron were recorded and filed.

The dispensation granted by the Worthy Grand Patron for the formation of a chapter at Ojai was issued and forwarded with the necessary supplies.

Cards were sent out in memory of our beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Frances Ellen Ryder, who passed away July 1, 1932. Notices of the death of present and past Grand Officers of other jurisdictions were received and acknowledged with expressions of sympathy on behalf of this Grand Chapter.

Invitations to attend the 59th annual session of our Grand Chapter were mailed to the officers of General Grand Chapter, and to the Worthy Grand Matrons and Grand Representatives of other jurisdictions. Invitations to attend the annual sessions of other Grand Chapters were promptly acknowledged with greetings and good wishes from California.

North Star Chapter No. 450 reported having suffered disastrous loss by fire Dec. 31, 1931. A duplicate charter was issued and a signet and bible presented to the Chapter.

A transcript in the case of Crown Chapter No. 162 of Corona versus _____, 'resulting in expulsion, was placed in the hands of the Committee on Appeals and Grievances. An appeal was received and forwarded to the same committee.

Upon payment of fines by chapters, as required by law, 5 rituals, 7 instruction books, and 3 copies of the syllabus were sent to chapters to replace those reported lost.

When supplies were needed, bids were secured from several printers and the order given the lowest bidder. Bills for printing have been avoided, whenever possible, by the mimeographing of circular letters and report blanks. (Even sheet music for the Worthy Grand Patron's compositions was mimeographed. What next?)

I attended all meetings of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California held this year and performed all duties entailed upon me by the secretaryship of the Board. A separate bookkeeping system was installed this year and the accounts of the Eastern Star Home funds kept separate from other Grand Chapter funds.

I assisted in the constitution of Cambria Pines Chapter No. 525 and at the request of the Worthy Grand Matron, represented the Grand Chapter of California, O.E.S., on the George Washington Bi-centennial Commission.

Lists of the members of all chapters were requested of the secretaries. These lists were checked with former lists and with the annual reports of this year to insure correct membership, a task necessitating hundreds of hours of work and the writing of hundreds of letters.

Report blanks were mailed to the chapters with letters of instruction regarding the payment of Grand Chapter dues and of the two installments of the Eastern Star Home assessment. Three forms of application blanks for members and chapters to fill out when claiming refund of overpaid 1931 assessments were mimeographed and sent to the chapters.

The three reports for the year, instead of one annual report, caused much extra work and required many letters of explanation to secretaries. A small amount of money was placed on interest in February, but, because of the change in the time and manner of collecting the Home assessment, the money usually placed on interest July 1st was received too late for the quarterly interest period.

The annual reports were received in exceptionally good condition. Much praise is due the secretaries, especially the many who are serving their chapters in that capacity for the first year.

All chapters paid all grand Chapter dues and fees except three chapters whose funds were in banks that failed:

Gate City No. 212, Calkota No. 309, and Ocean Park No. 245 (which paid one-third of the amount due).

All chapters paid the Eastern Star Home assessment in full with the exception of the following chapters, which were given an extension of time because of loss of funds through bank failures: Silver Wave No. 75, Gate City No. 212, Artesia No. 253, and Calkota No. 309.

The fiscal year ended August 31, 1932, with no outstanding bills for supplies, all chapters having paid in full.

Immediately after the close of the fiscal year, the books of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer were audited.

MEMBERSHIP

Membership June 1, 1931.....	106,826
Membership June 1, 1932.....	105,562
Total loss for year.....	1,264
Total number of Chapters (including 1 U. D.).....	480

For further details see report of the Committee on Returns.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

September 1, 1931, to August 31, 1932

Balance, Cash on hand Sept. 1, 1931..... \$429,266.25

Receipts:

Grand Chapter dues, fees and miscellaneous	\$ 60,183.45
Home Fund Assessments and Donations.....	103,668.21
Interest Received	16,511.24
Collections on Notes and Accounts Receivable	333.74
Expense Refund	30.00

Total Receipts	180,726.64

Total to Account.....	\$609,992.89

Disbursements:

Grand Chapter Expense Items	\$ 79,409.73
For Trustees of O.E.S. Homes of California	214,740.40
Home Assessment Refunds	750.00
International Temple, Washington, D. C.	5,000.00
Investment in Treasury Bonds	69,600.00
Payment of Liabilities	764.30
Advanced as Revolving Fund, Pasadena Home	200.00
Purchase of Office Equipment	92.50
Advances to Students	2,000.00

Total Disbursements	\$372,556.93

Balance—Cash on Hand August 31, 1932:

On Deposit with Banks	\$237,368.46

General Fund	\$ 46,600.35
Benevolent Fund	14,228.74
Scholarship Fund	3,418.02
Student Loan Fund	1,780.77
Home Fund	171,340.58

In Grand Secretary's Office.....	67.50

For Deposit	\$ 42.50
Revolving Fund	25.00

Total	\$237,435.96

For further details of financial transactions see the report of the Auditor, A. C. McCloskey.

1932 HOME ASSESSMENT REPORTS

Number of Members Jan. 1, 1932.....	106,171	
Reinstatements Jan. 1-June 1, 1932.....	71	106,241
Members in Homes	167	
Members for whom dues were remitted account financial inability to pay.....	1,277	1,444
Members on whom 1932 Assessment due.....		104,798
Back Assessment due on Reinstated Members.....		78
Total Amount of Home Assessment Due.....		\$104,876
Total Amount Remitted to Grand Secretary.....		103,840
		\$ 1,036

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The following unfinished business is to be acted upon at this session:
Recommendation No. 1 of the Benevolent Fund Committee regarding a maximum payment of \$50 to applicants.

Recommendation No. 13 of Sister Willa Jane Hellwig regarding chapters having entire control of all funds.

Recommendation No. 2 of Brother Joseph M. Argabrite regarding appointment of committee to pass upon plans for proposed Eastern Star Temples.

Recommendation No. 4 of Brother Joseph M. Argabrite regarding the obligation of all members to ballot.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I present the following recommendations for consideration:

1. That the following resolution be added to Rule 16 of Special Rules of Grand Chapter, making it the 5th paragraph thereof: "Members of the Grand Chapter whose names appear on the official list furnished the Committee on Credentials by the Grand Secretary are entitled to attend the session of the Grand Chapter and shall, on being properly identified or vouched for, receive from the Credential Committee membership or admission cards and shall not be required to deposit dues with the Committee in case of failure to produce the regular Chapter receipts.

(Resolution of 1922 rescinded.)

2. That Decision 509 be deleted and Art. II, Sec. 26, first paragraph, be amended to read: "Six Rituals and six Books of Instruction shall be

furnished to each subordinate Chapter, a copy of each to be held by the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, Associate Matron, Associate Patron, Conductress and Associate Conductress. Two copies of the Syllabus shall be furnished to each Chapter, one copy for the Worthy Patron and one for the Associate Patron. Two copies of the Diagram shall be furnished to each Chapter, one copy for the Worthy Patron and one for the Conductress. Each officer at the expiration of his or her term of office must return the Ritual, Book of Instruction, Syllabus and Diagram to the Worthy Matron."

Adopted.

3. That Rule 20c, of the Special Rules of Grand Chapter, be amended by adding the words "and one Book of Instruction," making it read: "One Ritual and one Book of Instruction to each Grand Officer and each Deputy Grand Matron."

Rejected

4. That Rule 20d, of Special Rules of Grand Chapter, be amended by striking out the words "Book of Instruction," making it read: "A Syllabus and Diagram to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and each Deputy Grand Matron to be used by them during their year of service and returned to the Grand Secretary at the close of the year."

Rejected

5. That Decision 510 be deleted and that the following paragraph be added to Art. II, Sec. 26 of the Constitution: "A fine of five dollars shall be imposed for the loss of a Syllabus or Book of Instruction."

Adopted.

6. That Decision 407 be amended by adding the words "and/or assessments" after the word "dues" in the second line and changing the word "amount" in the last line to "dues," making the decision read: "To be reinstated a suspended member must pay all dues and/or assessments accruing; however, if not contrary to the by-laws, a Chapter may remit all or a part of the dues owing."

Adopted.

7. That Rule 19 of the Special Rules of Grand Chapter be amended to read: "The Grand Secretary shall forward copies of the proceedings (printed) for the preceding Grand Chapter year as follows: two copies to each subordinate chapter, one to be held by the Secretary as the property of the Chapter and one to be given to the retiring Worthy Matron; one copy each to the retiring Grand Officers; and one copy each to the retiring Deputy Grand Matrons."

Adopted.

COURTESIES

My sincere thanks are expressed to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, officers and members of the Grand Chapter and of every chapter in the state for the many courtesies extended to me during this year; to the faithful and efficient secretaries for their prompt and willing cooperation at all times; to the editors of the Eastern Star and Masonic publications which come to my office regularly; to the various chapters and associations for bulletins and invitations; to the officers of San Francisco chapters for conducting funeral services for members from other jurisdictions; to the members of the Women's Masonic Association of San Francisco for calling on members who were strangers in our city, lonely, sick or in distress; to Grand Chapter for the privilege of attending the triennial session of General Grand Chapter held in San Antonio, Texas; and to my assistant, Sister Maud McWilliams Smith, and my book-keeper, Sister Elsie Fuetterer, who have been ever ready for every task and ever present until it was completed.

With a heart full of appreciation for the privilege of service to this Grand Chapter, I respectfully submit my report.

STELLA MORGAN LINSKOTT,
Grand Secretary.

Report received and referred to the Committee on Distribution.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

To the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

It is with pleasure that I submit for your consideration the 59th Annual Report of the Grand Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

September 1, 1931, to August 31, 1932

Balance of Cash on Hand September 1, 1931.....		\$429,266.25
Receipts:		
From Grand Secretary.....	\$164,215.40	
Interest	16,511.24	180,726.64
Total to Account for.....		\$609,992.89
Disbursements:		
Grand Secretary's Warrants.....		\$372,556.93
Balance—Cash on Hand August 31, 1932.....		\$237,435.96
On Deposit with Banks.....		\$237,368.46
General Fund	\$ 46,600.35	
Benevolent Fund	14,228.74	
Scholarship Fund	3,418.02	
Student Loan Fund.....	1,780.77	
Home Fund	171,340.58	
In Grand Secretary's Office.....		67.50
For Deposit	42.50	
Revolving Fund	25.00	
Total		\$237,435.96

SECURITIES OWNED

United States Bonds	Face Value
Liberty Loan Bond, First Issue.....4¼ %	\$ 50.00
Liberty Loan Bonds, Fourth Issue.....4¼ %	20,000.00
Treasury Bonds of 1940-43.....3⅞ %	60,000.00
Treasury Bonds of 1946-56.....3¾ %	15,000.00
Public Utility Bonds	
Pacific Gas & Electric Co.....5 %	4,000.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Co.....5½ %	5,000.00
Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co.....5 %	5,000.00
Los Angeles Gas & Electric Corp.....5½ %	5,000.00
Petaluma & Santa Rosa R. R. Co.....5½ %	1,000.00
Reclamation District Bonds	
Merced Irrigation District.....6 %	5,000.00
South San Joaquin Irrigation District.....5 %	5,000.00
County of Colusa, District No. 108.....	5,000.00
Building and Loan Certificates	
Berkeley Guaranty Building and Loan Association.....	5,000.00
Guaranty Building and Loan Association (San Jose).....	5,000.00
State Mutual Building and Loan Assn. (Los Angeles).....	10,000.00
Mutual Building and Loan Association (Long Beach).....	10,000.00
Pacific States Savings and Loan.....	10,000.00
Fidelity Definite Term Certificate.....	7,500.00
Fidelity Participating Certificate.....	2,500.00
Temple Association Stock and Bonds	
Eastern Star Temple, Sacramento, Stock.....	5,000.00
University Masonic Temple Assn., L. A., Bonds, 6%.....	1,300.00
TOTAL	\$186,350.00

I wish to express my appreciation for the privilege that was mine to serve you in the office of Grand Treasurer. It has been a wonderful year, and I will always cherish the many pleasant memories.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE I. GOOD,

Grand Treasurer.

Report received and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Vocal solos by Sister Arista K. Mellor and Sister Helen Hepburn and a Colonial dance by Sister Leonarda Hunsaker, Worthy Matron of Brilliant Star Chapter, and assembly singing added enjoyment to the afternoon's program.

At 5:15 P. M. Grand Chapter was called from labor to refreshment.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

9:30 A. M.

October 19th.

REPORT, TRUSTEES OF THE EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA

The report was read by Sister Maud Dezell Bradley, P. G. M., President of the Board and will be found on page 188.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION

The following report was read by the Chairman, Sister Nettie E. Webster:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O.E.S.:

The only report referred to your Committee on Distribution was the report of the Grand Secretary and we recommend the following:

1. That the financial statement of the Grand Secretary's report, and such other portions as refer to expenditure of funds be referred to the Committee on Finance.

2. That the recommendations of the Grand Secretary, numbered 1 to 7, inclusive, be referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

Respectfully submitted,

NETTIE E. WEBSTER,

ZELLA WHITFORD SAMSON,

EMMA BLANCHARD GRAVES,

Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

The following report was read by the Chairman, Bro. Ray H. Griest:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O.E.S.:

Your Committee on Credentials present the following report:

Chapters Enrolled, including One Chapter U. D.	480
Chartered Chapters Represented	476
Chapters Under Dispensation Represented	1
Chapters Not Represented (Nos. 232, 398, 508)	3
Attendance:	
Grand Officers Present	18
Past Grand Officers Present	58
Deputy Grand Matrons Present	50
Worthy Matrons Present	394
Worthy Patrons Present	113
Associate Matrons Present	364
Associate Patrons Present	83
Elected Representatives Present	12
Past Matrons Present (not including Grand Officers, Past Grand Officers, Deputies, Matrons, Associate Matrons and Representatives)	915
Past Patrons Present (not including Grand Officers, Past Grand Officers, Patrons and Representatives)	309
Total Attendance	2,316

In addition the Committee issued cards of admission to 2,973 members of subordinate Chapters of California and to 136 visitors from other jurisdictions; also to 2 Grand Officers of other jurisdictions and 3 Past Grand Officers of other jurisdictions.

GRAND OFFICERS

Worthy Grand Matron	Elsie Mae McGiffin
Worthy Grand Patron	John Lewis McDonald
Associate Grand Matron	Grace Richardson Butterfield
Associate Grand Patron	Lloyd E. Griffin
Grand Secretary	Stella M. Linscott
Grand Treasurer	Grace I. Good
Grand Conductress	Jessie Galbraith Morris
Associate Grand Conductress	Minnie V. Collins
Grand Chaplain	Grace H. Raymond
Grand Marshal	Bertie Y. Todd
Grand Organist	Gertrude R. Rose
Grand Adah	Gertrude B. Holt
Grand Ruth	Amy B. Werking
Grand Esther	Laura S. Bennett
Grand Martha	Flora Osterholt
Grand Electa	Mabel C. Chamblin
Grand Warder	Lavina Whitney
Grand Sentinel	Reuben O. Bourne

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Dist. No.	Dist. No.
1. Bessie McCutcheon	31. Beulah Soderer
2. Hazel L. Peterson	32. Elsa M. Orcutt
3. Electa Thatcher	35. Pauline Arnold
5. Bertha L. McAuslan	36. Olive P. Gardner
7. Mary E. Rodgers	39. Mary S. Bush
8. Vera Bowrin	40. Annabel Spinney
9. Leila Vevoda	41. Sadie Zerboni
10. Roberta Milne	42. Marie F. Warke
11. Irene Snow	43. Edna F. Faires
12. Dagmar Bailey	44. Elane Bosseman
14. Ann J. Johnson	48. Cora M. Roberts
15. Jessie Hardie Robbins	49. Clara Smith
16. Hazel Ham	50. Edna M. Bolz
17. Helen Sandine	51. Myrtle Schroeder
18. Rea L. Briggs	52. Virginia Reber
20. Myrtle Hollenbeck	53. Hettie E. Capito
21. Edna Gillard	54. Isabel Harbaugh
22. Leonora Maganini	55. Florence Graham
23. Luella Thompson	56. Clara Holland
24. Catherine Yates	57. Nellie M. Sylvester
25. Annie Neilan	58. Eva Fulley
26. Hertha Magnus	59. Estelle Morrison
27. Elva Rivers	60. Ruth P. Kimball
28. Louise Yandell	61. Cora O. Smith
29. Hazel Johnson	62. Olive M. Sweet
30. Emma M. Cole	63. Ella H. Yount

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Mary Josephine Young	Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler
Ella Tyler Hall	Maude Noble Haven
Eva M. Porter	Effie Easton
Clara Abbott Giberson	Maud Dezell Bradley
Mabel Boyd Seymour	Stella Morgan Linscott
Chlo Atchison Craig	Maude Bigelow Sibley
Anna D. Dudderer	Zella Whitford Samson
Emma Riehl Leach	Cora Spring Holland
Annie Marie Johnson	Hazael Marsh-Piper
Lena Walker Stannard	Gladys Fitch-Pierce
Minnie Hiner	Pauline Ada Hause
Minnie Elliot Seymour	Myra Moyses

Willa Jane Hellwig

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Wm. J. Mossholder	Raymond H. Griest
W. Frank Holman	Henry F. Pernau
Darwin W. Pierce	Bert R. Holloway
Lew Edward Wallace	Walter W. Bradley

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Agnes Conant	Mary E. Finlay
Alice F. Hickie	Ida Fitschen

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Lena R. Mallery	Anna Lancaster McKenney
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Anna Louise Chubb.....	P. M.
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Nellie P. Glesen.....	P. M.
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Eva D. Griffin.....	P. M.
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Mary M. Munro.....	P. M.
James C. Cole.....	P. P.
Charles C. Young.....	P. P.

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Susanna Dow Conn.....	P. M.
Maude Noble Haven.....	P. M.
Christine McCreddie.....	P. M.
Pauline Florence Pernau.....	P. M.
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Stella Frances Delatour.....	P. M.
Myrtle Violet Liebert.....	P. M.
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Kathryn M. Springer.....	P. M.
Ruth E. Alexander.....	P. M.

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Frank Eliz. Fowler.....	P. M.
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Allice M. Bingham.....	A. M.
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Florence Lowell.....	P. M.

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Leon Chas. Hochtritt.....	P. P.
Frederick L. Gould.....	P. P.

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 Ernest R. Meyers.....A. P.
 Jeanette F. Basley.....P. M.

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Hattie Jane Fink.....A. M.

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Josephine Pearce.....W. M.

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 Fern Brooks.....P. M.

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 Annie Conrads Winkler.....P. M.
 Gladys Eva Hitchcock.....P. M.

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Vera Fraser Tareash.....A. M.

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 William Nicholls, Jr.....P. P.

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 Pauline S. Brundage.....P. M.
 Jane Cassidy.....P. M.
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 J. H. Robinson.....P. P.

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 Martha Ann Toles.....P. M.

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 John Ricketts.....W. P.
 Pauline Mengedoth.....A. M.
 Anna Cereda.....P. M.
 William Mengedoth.....P. P.

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 Thornton Cranston.....W. P.
 Mary Conger.....A. M.
 Susie Cornelia Huston.....P. M.
 Edith Praot.....P. M.

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 Hester Rebecca Farquar.....P. M.
 Daisy George Milner.....P. M.
 Lyman C. Byce.....P. P.
 Wilbur Elwood Byce.....P. P.

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 Alta Lathrop Douglas.....P. M.

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Kathryn Jorgensen.....W. M.
 Euphemia Parr.....A. M.
 Nellie Melendy.....P. M.
 Bessie McCutcheon.....P. M.
 Lulu Robinson Jones.....P. M.
 Ida Teresa Lawrence.....P. M.
 Emma Riehl Leach.....P. M.
 Gertrude Helen Mathes.....P. M.
 Delos Albert Mace.....P. P.

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 Harry Dixon Adkins.....W. P.
 Eldora Verona Franks, Jr.....A. M.
 Benjamin William Brearley.....A. P.
 Mary McGuire.....P. M.
 Mary Alice Moore.....P. M.
 Beekie D. Adamson.....P. M.
 Ida Grace Burgess.....P. M.
 Gertrude D. Corwin.....P. M.
 Anna Mae Byers.....P. M.
 Flora Jane Ward.....P. M.
 Florence Fern Wickenhauser.....P. M.
 Eva Lillian Bruce.....P. M.
 Carrie Goodfriend.....P. M.
 Emily Webster.....P. M.
 Jennie Kayzenstein.....P. M.

Lewis Thornton Corwin.....P. P.
Robert Renard Bruce.....P. P.
Anthony Doran Childers.....P. P.
Eugene F. Schlotterbeck.....P. P.

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Wilmeth Marion Bailiff.....W. M.
Nora Alberta Robbins.....P. M.
Friendship No. 67
Doris Levin Goldeen.....W. M.

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Genevieve Mae Cope.....W. M.
Ruth Wright Darling.....P. M.
Sue Estelle Tuck.....P. M.

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Jessie Hardie Robbins.....P. M.
Charles William Geller.....P. P.

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Carrie Brown Dexter.....A. M.
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Philippa Kerr.....P. M.
Charles Seymour Kerr.....P. P.
Jerry Brut.....P. P.

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Daise Kelly.....W. M.
Kathleen Gubser.....A. M.
Celia Janet Holsclaw.....P. M.

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Amy F. Chace.....W. M.

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Katherine Lorentzen.....A. M.
John Roy Bristow.....A. P.

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Ethel Chapman Bowman.....P. M.

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Serena Meddaugh.....A. M.
Catherine Freeland.....P. M.
Frank Freeland.....P. P.

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Ann Miller.....W. M.
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Hannah Dean Smith.....P. M.
Isabel Lemmon.....P. M.

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Joseph Mayo Argabrite.....P. P.
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Mae Yates.....W. M.
Fred Wooley.....W. P.
Nellie Ham.....P. M.

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Ethel Ferguson Gobbi.....P. M.
Elizabeth Butterfield Sprague.....P. M.
Maxine Louise Bell.....P. M.
Nora Lee McMinn.....P. M.
Ihie L. Kahra.....P. M.
Joseph Andrew McMinn.....P. P.

Molino No. 83

Bula May Robbins.....A. M.

Veritas No. 84

Henry Edward Kaufman.....W. P.
Ora Eugene Kaufman.....A. M.

Valley of the Moon No. 85

Elisabeth Thomsen.....W. M.
Adele Kiessling.....A. M.
Erna E. Burmester.....P. M.
Mary Hunter Nicol.....P. M.

Marshall No. 86

Addah West Bedford.....A. M.
Harriet Eastman Bell.....P. M.

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Nina Ennis.....W. M.
Letha Clark.....A. M.
Faye S. Dickie.....P. M.
Viola Jenner.....P. M.
Laura Smallin Mergenthaler.....P. M.
Ernest Jenner.....P. P.

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Marguerita Rose Morgan.....W. M.

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Ethel Elizabeth Pinion.....W. M.
George Valance Pinion.....W. P.
Zola Ethel Anderson.....A. M.

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Francella Everson.....W. M.
Nina Hanson.....A. M.

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Elizabeth M. Herskell.....W. M.
Miriam Hawvichorst.....A. M.
Mary A. McMillan.....P. M.

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Marion Gray.....W. M.
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Henrietta Eddy.....P. M.
Elsa Rowena H. Orcutt.....P. M.
Joseph W. Eddy.....P. P.

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Genevieve Irene Dort.....W. M.
Eva May Plkes.....A. M.
Walter Landrum Alston.....A. P.
Ethelmae Madison Ware.....P. M.
Cora Olga Smith.....P. M.
Carrie Frances Bladen.....P. M.
William John Mossholder.....P. P.
Eugene Martin Barton.....P. P.

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Julia Margaret Howard.....W. M.
Elizabeth H. Frederickson.....P. M.

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Margaret Mertens.....W. M.
John Lindberg.....W. P.
Marie Jean Hanson.....A. M.
George Harold Hansen.....A. P.
Phoebe May Mangles.....P. M.
Rose Klspert.....P. M.
Olivia Danielson.....P. M.
Annie Neilan.....P. M.
Ida Helen Fitschen.....P. M.
Nellie Riccomi.....P. M.
Bertha Pauline Bonner.....P. M.
Annis McDonald.....P. M.
Emma June Stanley.....P. M.
Anna Brewer.....P. M.
Albertina Rapp.....P. M.
Nellie Artigues.....P. M.
Minnie Mayer.....P. M.
Sarah Anne Jacobs.....P. M.
Marguerite Fay Kramer.....P. M.
Lilas Seagrave.....P. M.
Janet Young.....P. M.
Margaret Smith.....P. M.
Nettie Molema.....P. M.
Geneva Margaret Glindemann.....P. M.
Myrtle McKenna.....P. M.
Bertha Milly.....P. M.
Neil Steinbaugh.....P. P.
George Harold Hansen.....P. P.
Edward Joseph Stanley.....P. P.
Andrew Zanetti.....P. P.
August Mayer.....P. P.

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Scott Pyle.....A. P.
Henrietta Murdock.....P. M.
Beatrice Brown.....P. M.
Hannah Sandy.....P. M.
Pearl Houghton.....P. M.

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Belle Work.....P. M.
Beulah Turnbow.....P. M.
Bert Turnlow.....P. P.

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Frank Anthony Bricker.....W. P.
Matilda Fredericka Bricker.....A. M.
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Ida Adelphine Palmer.....P. M.
George Percy Palmer.....P. P.

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Ora Lane Bevins.....P. M.
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Mary Elaine Rodgers.....P. M.
Frank Edward Sawyers.....P. P.

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Ferne B. McMasters.....A. M.

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Albert Henry Watson.....P. P.

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Cora Lindsay Orr.....P. M.

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Maud E. Wood.....A. M.

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Leslie Guthrie.....W. P.
Jessie Dobbs.....A. M.

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Frank Howard Gibson.....A. P.
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Catherine Hammond.....P. M.
Charlotte Elfers.....P. M.
Margaret Nobmann.....P. M.
Minnie Smith.....P. M.
Pearl O. McCoy.....P. M.
Corinne Lambert.....P. M.
Ethel Barnett.....P. M.
Edith Stowe.....P. M.
Kathryn M. Farwell.....P. M.
Mary Josephine Young.....P. M.
Maude Elizabeth Fenn.....P. M.
Carolyn Muller.....P. P.
Herbert D. Wise.....P. P.
Bruce A. Munro.....P. P.
Daniel H. Knox.....P. P.
Ernest T. Fenn.....P. P.

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Luther Long.....A. P.
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Nettie Carter Maugrum.....P. M.
Grace Richardson Butterfield.....P. M.
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Jule Bottomley Balice.....P. M.
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Ola May Dongan Abraham.....P. M.
Georgia Wynette Ely.....P. M.
Edna May Weile.....P. M.
Charlotte Joanna Riebeling.....P. M.
Ida Adele Smith.....P. M.
Marion Edith Farrar.....P. M.
Lillie Agler Thyle.....P. M.
Pamela Wehe.....P. M.
Michael Kelly.....P. P.
John Edward Butterfield.....P. P.
Max Wassman, Jr.....P. P.
Carl Walter Bepier.....P. P.
Henry Carl Schmidt.....P. P.

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Mabel Johns Doughty.....A. M.

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Castle Dale Robinson.....W. P.

Elizabeth Johnston Baker.....A. M.
Elsie Janet White.....P. M.
Maude Ethel Fleutsch.....P. M.

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Temple Stansell Robinson.....P. M.
Cridner W. Robinson.....P. P.

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Geraldine Jones.....A. M.
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Mary Ellen Finley.....P. M.
Emma Mae Cole.....P. M.
Charlotte Miller Norman.....P. M.
Fleeta Alice Cornell.....P. M.
Flora Louise Riggs.....P. M.
Hazel Marguerite Magueson.....P. M.
Elias Kestner Clendenning.....P. P.

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Winifred Long.....P. M.
Agnes Weamer.....P. M.
Hazel Lee Peterson.....P. M.
Jesse Carrington Brown.....P. P.

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Effie Cordelia Kronmiller.....A. M.
Maud Dezell Bradley.....P. M.
Minnie Pinwell Tipton.....P. M.
Knowlton Reuben Bradley.....P. P.

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Louise Hammersmith Oliver.....P. M.
Vera Walther.....P. M.

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Helen Christine Lydiesen.....A. M.
Elizabeth Francisco Savage.....P. M.
Minna Jensen.....P. M.
Emile Aylward.....P. M.

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Nell Edith Hansen.....W. M.
Irene Katniairi Wells De Long.....A. M.

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 Ida Isabell Dorn.....P. M.
 Sarah Belle Barnes.....P. M.
 Cecile Kathryn Hackmeier.....P. M.
 Anna Henrietta Shoemaker.....P. M.
 Althea Ella MacKillop.....P. M.
 Mary Blanche Watters.....P. M.
 Erma L. Wemple.....P. M.
 Ernest Louis Fischer.....P. P.
 Alfred Louis Holling.....P. P.
 Carl Delos Dorn.....P. P.
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Ethel Rankine.....A. M.

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Gertrude Stehula.....W. M.
 Harriett Newell MacMillen.....A. M.
 Josephine Hamilton.....P. M.

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Martha Brehm White.....W. M.
 Inice Effie Orton.....A. M.

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Ruth E. Nelson.....W. M.
 Naomi Marie Steele.....A. M.

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Doris Guffey.....W. M.
 Lillian Tripp.....A. M.

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Nina Anna Eliz. Crawford.....W. M.
 Harry Levethu.....W. P.
 Jessie Ray McNab.....A. M.
 Russell Josey Owen.....A. P.

Rosa Margaret Moller.....P. M.
 Minnie Fenyn.....P. M.
 May Belle McDonald.....P. M.
 Viola Sylvia Gentle.....P. M.
 Jennie Gunn.....P. M.
 Charlotte Mary Hallowell.....P. M.
 Eleanor Hadley.....P. M.
 Norma Christine Betts.....P. M.
 Clementina Struven.....P. M.
 Montez Lucile Allen.....P. M.
 Sarah Lyttle.....P. M.
 Emily Ethelda Reed.....P. M.
 Luella Turner Wentzel.....P. M.
 Mazie Cathren Kinzel.....P. M.
 Margaret Alpharetta Bering.....P. M.
 John William Gunn, Jr.....P. P.
 Ira Manary Gentle.....P. P.
 Francis Joseph Lyttle.....P. P.
 Walter Gay Campbell.....P. P.
 Arthur Edward West.....P. P.

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Blanche Dollar Rogers.....W. M.
 Ruth Ruby Hellman.....A. M.
 Anna Marie Walter.....P. M.

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Helen Elizabeth Bagley.....W. M.
 Marie Shaw McReavy.....A. M.
 Nettie C. Bellon.....P. M.
 Louise A. deTienne.....P. M.
 Maudie B. Jopling.....P. M.
 Lloyd E. Griffin.....P. P.
 Howard S. Jopling.....P. P.

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Minnie Pfeiffer Gibson.....W. M.
 Hattie Burgess Elrod.....A. M.

Garvanza No. 266

Minnie M. Phipps.....W. M.
 Rose Hansen.....A. M.
 Emelia M. Frost.....P. M.
 Kathryn Pritchard.....P. M.
 Julius Hansen.....P. P.

Golden Rule No. 267

Evelyn Freeman Powers.....A. M.

West Lake No. 268

Hazel Franklin May.....W. M.
 Mary Josephine Jones.....A. M.
 Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler.....P. M.
 Rena Louise Schreiner.....P. M.
 Bessie Adelaide Pierce.....P. M.
 Darwin Wilson Pierce.....P. P.

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Irma Alvina Lawrence.....W. M.
 Ira Leroy Heckinger.....W. P.
 Cora Bessie Holmes.....A. M.
 Albert Edward Somerton.....A. P.
 May Annette Saville.....P. M.
 Hedwig Wittenberg Lake.....P. M.
 Ida Elizabeth Heacock.....P. M.
 Mary Ellen Eugenia Theriot.....P. M.
 Fanny Fisher Mitchell.....P. M.

Lillian Irene Spaulding.....	P. M.
Clara Jesson.....	P. M.
Belle Naomi Johnson.....	P. M.
Ethel Josephine Farrow.....	P. M.
Metha Reese Vreeland.....	P. M.
Minnie Viola Collins.....	P. M.
Pauline Elizabeth deMarniel.....	P. M.
Thelia Mae Batchelder.....	P. M.
Mayme Adeline Berry.....	P. M.
Isabelle Jane Mosher.....	P. M.
Harry Darius Saville.....	P. P.
Joseph Edward Theriot.....	P. P.
George Bradbury Lake.....	P. P.
Lee Nelson Jesson.....	P. P.
Edgar Dunbar Middleton.....	P. P.
Ernest Orange Lawrence.....	P. P.
Daniel Wilmer Ross.....	P. P.
Charles William Farrow.....	P. P.

Eschscholtzia No. 270

Verna Johnson Wallace.....	A. M.

Monte Vista No. 271

Helen Mary Brigham.....	W. M.
Mary Elizabeth Beinhorn.....	A. M.

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Marguerite S. Cline.....	W. M.
Madeleine Park.....	A. M.
Dora F. Olds.....	P. M.
Alice E. Hood.....	P. M.

Santa Cruz No. 273

Clara Etta Brundage.....	W. M.
Gertrude Sigurdson.....	A. M.
James Numa Patterson.....	A. P.
Hazael Marsh Piper.....	P. M.
Allene Chamberlin Dodge.....	P. M.
Beulah Soderer.....	P. M.
Bertha Goldstein.....	P. M.
Harry Elwin Piper.....	P. P.

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Helen Murray.....	W. M.
Ralph William Smyth.....	P. P.

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Mary Prime Robinson.....	W. M.
Faye Ellen Hanson.....	A. M.
Edward Smith Shaver.....	A. P.
Martha Maude Kreft.....	P. M.
Clara Taylor Beard.....	P. M.
Maude Elizabeth Cavalier.....	P. M.
Irene Edna Farrell.....	P. M.
William Forest Crosby.....	P. P.
William Watt.....	P. P.

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Lillie Belle Bucklin.....	W. M.
Ina Louise Anderson.....	A. M.
Gertrude I. Maitland.....	P. M.
E. N. D. Hatch.....	P. P.

Athena No. 277

Lodovina Rheba Ingersoll.....	W. M.
James Wesolo.....	W. P.
Grace Million Perry.....	A. M.
Emil Henry Kraul.....	A. P.
Georgia Anna Catherwood.....	P. M.
Ida May Dowar.....	P. M.
Eunice May Watson.....	P. M.
Jennie Estrulla Grasser.....	P. M.
Florence Jane Beachler.....	P. M.
Mary Steiner.....	P. M.
Nola Willotte Terry.....	P. M.
Andrew John Perry.....	P. P.

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Leone Edith Pierce.....	W. M.
Elsie Violet Brock.....	A. M.
William John Brock.....	A. P.
Adele Georgina Stephens.....	P. M.
Mildred Vestee Bailey.....	P. M.

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Hattie A. Houghton.....	W. M.
Zella Whitford Samson.....	P. M.
Lillian Mary Ramer.....	P. M.

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Madeline Potts.....	W. M.
Allison M. Church.....	W. P.
Dorothy M. Noethig.....	A. M.
Millie Annie Kidd.....	P. M.
Alice May Edwards.....	P. M.
Muriel Grotman Girtaner.....	P. M.
Elizabeth Ann Boyd.....	P. M.
Elma Sarah O'Leary.....	P. M.
Mary Mabel Dilks.....	P. M.
Mildred Bedella Church.....	P. M.
Aranka M. Taylor.....	P. M.
Myrtle May Cills.....	P. M.
Allison M. Church.....	P. P.
Fred Taylor.....	P. P.
Raymond Lawrence Harkness.....	P. P.

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Christine Heyser.....	W. M.
Dorothy Grace Huddy.....	A. M.
Georgia O. Bourne.....	P. M.
Reuben O. Bourne.....	P. P.

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Elma Olds.....	W. M.

Ione No. 283

Elizabeth Violette.....	W. M.

Albert Pike No. 284

Charlotte Atkins.....	W. M.
John Falconer, Jr.....	W. P.
Ethel Benton Dally.....	A. M.
Edmond McMillan.....	A. P.
Mathilde Dodel.....	P. M.
May Falconer Smith.....	P. M.
Vecie Ellen Brown.....	P. M.
Rebecca Dannemark.....	P. M.
Cora May Cook.....	P. M.
Jessie Lou Van Doren.....	P. M.

Isabel Hofman	P. M.
Margaret Hodgson	P. M.
Hazel Evelyn Leavitt	P. M.
Jewel Ferguson	P. M.
Alice Stollmann	P. M.
Sara Virginia Turner	P. M.
Hazel Elizabeth Reid	P. M.
Violet Farily Hawke	P. M.
Ethel Rice	P. M.
George Dannemark	P. P.
Sheldon Adolphus Hawke	P. P.
Edward Henry Watson	P. P.
Norman Walker Davidson	P. P.

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Neta Doyle	W. M.
James Oscar Treadwell	W. P.
Edna Anderson	A. M.
Hazel McLay	P. M.

Poinsettia No. 287

Clara Van Noate	W. M.

Fraternity No. 288

Eleanor Zelma Helwig	W. M.
Sadie Agnes Winning	A. M.

Alamo No. 289

Helen Hausmann	A. M.
Helen Fulton	P. M.
Grace Stilgenbaur	P. M.
Thelma Bailey	P. M.

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Antonia Amelia Harris	W. M.
Margaret G. Anderson	A. M.
Cyril White	A. P.
Laura May Maedermott	P. M.
Stella Minette Nancarrow	P. M.
Olga Sonora Jarman	P. M.
Sarah Maud Brazel	P. M.

Point Arena No. 291

Hallie Lenore Bayley	W. M.
Wanda Hazel Galletti	A. M.
Blanche Bernice Bishop	P. M.

Rose No. 292

Ethel Vivian Collins	W. M.
Eva Ellen McNeil	A. M.
Anna Julian Johnson	P. M.

Elvesta No. 293

Blanche Hillegas Rice	W. M.
Stanley Starr Rice	W. P.
Lenora Alexandra Stedinger	A. M.
Kenneth Gregsoe Clark	A. P.
Laura Gotwais Anderson	P. M.
Rosamond Wickland	P. M.
Emma Wilhelmina Blunck	P. M.
Elisabeth Turner	P. M.
B. Dewey Stevenson	P. M.
Ida Schroder Gardner	P. M.
Mabel Curtis Campbell	P. M.
Bee Weldon Voganego	P. M.
Eda Clavenger Smart	P. M.
Charles Franklin Nichols	P. P.

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Ann Marie Elliott	W. M.
Eleanor Smallwood	P. M.
Elsie Moyer	P. M.

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Dinamus Rose Andrews	W. M.
Ora Marguerite Summers	A. M.
Bessie Chism	P. M.
Hattie May King	P. M.
Grace Gimmimi Potts	P. M.

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Clara E. Wassum	W. M.
Frieda J. Fowler	A. M.
Estella E. Mahon	P. M.
Ellen Forsmark	P. M.

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Zebulino Hicks	W. M.
Morton Bendell	W. P.
Ethel Geistlich	A. M.
Effie May Martin	P. M.
Anita Dale Hallenbeck	P. M.
Rae Jeannette Cooper	P. M.
Lorinda Blanche Fitzgerald	P. M.
Ella Ruth Smith	P. M.
Margaret Knox Williams	P. M.
Helen Eugenia Barber	P. M.
Walter Fitzgerald	P. P.
Chester Caldwell Morris	P. P.

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Irene Marie Peebles	W. M.
Agnes Irene Darby	A. M.
Oscar Herman Held	A. P.
Edith Lucille Bellman	P. M.
Grace Walker Held	P. M.

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M. Pearl Arthur	W. M.
Izetta Carison	A. M.

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Alice May Benbrook	W. M.
Mable Bettinger Vermillion	A. M.
Lena Rice Mallory	P. M.

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Ruth C. Pierce	W. M.
Frank C. Vincent	W. P.
Cecelia Morrissey	A. M.

Miriam No. 302

Mary Ethel Gregory	W. M.

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Emilie Louise Everson	W. M.
Bert Renshaw Spalte	W. P.
Thelma Rohnert Warner	A. M.
August Mainzer	A. P.
Leonora Maganini	P. M.
Lena May Dowse	P. M.
Charlotte Louise Tarr	P. M.
Carlotta Del Jones	P. M.
Beatrice Williams Meegan	P. M.

Susan Marietta Maxley.....P. M.
 Arthur Tenneyson Dowse.....P. P.
 William Duff Hamilton.....P. P.
 Alexander Rolland Lindsay.....P. P.
 James Laurence Meegan.....P. P.
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 Eugene Newton Warner.....P. P.

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 Vera Valentine Bowrin.....P. M.
 Eva Frey Weber.....P. M.

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 Lillian M. Cavassa.....P. M.
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 Wilbur Francis Smith.....P. P.

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 Agnes Anna Webb.....A. M.
 Theodore Louis Bergemann.....A. P.
 Helen Pearcefield Smith.....P. M.
 Myrtle Grace Wetmore.....P. M.
 Paretta Church Warner.....P. M.
 Elsie Pauline Erickson.....P. M.
 Daisie Lydia Monroe.....P. M.
 Susan Muir.....P. M.
 Florence Louise Rhodes.....P. M.
 Vara Conover Keefer.....P. M.
 William Mark Hull.....P. P.
 Ernest Elias Williams.....P. P.
 Merwin Edson Webb.....P. P.

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 Gertrude Bird Holt.....P. M.

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 Hazel Ray Erickson.....P. M.

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 Effie E. Lindquist.....A. M.

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 Jessie Rae McClay.....A. M.
 Raymond Leroy Sutton.....A. P.
 Gertrude Rommel Rose.....P. M.
 John Hartley Taylor.....P. P.

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 Eva Stephens.....A. M.
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 Frederick W. Birnie.....P. P.

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Elsie V. Williams.....A. M.

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Adah Lasley McGee.....W. M.
 William Bachman.....W. P.
 Mabel G. Miller.....A. M.
 Elsie Mae McGiffin.....P. M.
 James I. McGiffin.....P. P.

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 Pearl A. Crook.....P. M.

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 Anna Luella Ellis.....P. M.

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 Florence Johnston.....A. M.
 Mina Fish Drefenbach.....P. M.
 Gladys Otto Korts.....P. M.

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 Edna Franc Barnett.....P. M.

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 Bertha McAuslan P. M.

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 Wallace Ward W. P.
 Margaret Burchfield A. M.
 Herbert Sutton A. P.
 Grace Myrtle Mumaw P. M.

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 James Grady Rollow W. P.
 Adelaide Upson Blake P. M.
 Nettie K. Webster P. M.

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 Ruth Allen Henry A. M.

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 Edward Friedrichs W. P.
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 Lowell A. Lucas A. P.
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 Elizabeth Margaret Hovey P. M.
 John Thomas Carren P. P.

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 Stewart Max Worden W. P.
 Ida Emma Bruske A. M.
 Etta O. Copsey P. M.
 Hazel Alleen Bennett P. M.
 Bertin Copsey P. P.

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 Lura Karnes P. M.

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 Olive Mixter P. M.
 Frances W. Mixter P. P.

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Marcla Kirk Mitcheson A. M.
 Florence Nellie Graham P. M.

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 Katharine Cole P. M.

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 Bert Richard Holloway P. P.

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 Emmelino Johanna Warren P. M.
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 Mary Annie Middleton P. M.
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 Helen Rosene Carter P. M.
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 Mary Ivy Borden P. M.
 John Ames Atkinson P. P.

Benedict Charles Lawson.....P. P.
 Robert Clark Atkinson.....P. P.
 Wright Patrick Hall.....P. P.
 Reginald Henry Carter.....P. P.
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 Emma Rose Olson.....P. M.
 Flora B. Brisbain.....P. M.
 Maude J. Painter.....P. M.
 Margaret Mackenzie.....P. M.
 Edna May Lambert.....P. M.
 Charles Luck.....P. P.
 William Gilfillan.....P. P.
 Frederick Miller.....P. P.
 Peter Rasmus Dreyer.....P. P.

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Alma Madsen.....W. M.
 Ethel Roper.....A. M.

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Hazel Berniece Peart.....W. M.

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Magdalene Danley.....A. M.

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Mae Belle Bacon Weis.....A. M.
 Pauline Grace Arnold.....P. M.

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Nellie Audrey Glover.....W. M.

Linden No. 372

Anna Matilda Boroff.....W. M.
 Ethel Anderson.....P. M.

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Edith Kern Fox.....W. M.
 Beatrice Maude Luly.....A. M.
 Helen Blanche Sandline.....P. M.

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Ada Morris.....W. M.
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 Mildred Shapro.....P. M.
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 Caroline Mirlam Meyer.....P. M.
 Bernard Benjamin Stimmel.....P. P.
 Leland Stanford Bright.....P. P.
 Clarence William Morris.....P. P.

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Marie Chamblin Himes.....W. M.
 Laura Rose Brooker.....A. M.
 Ralph Raymond Rien.....A. P.
 Esther Lee.....P. M.

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Goldie Gortikov.....W. M.
 Etta Levinson.....A. M.
 Tillie Rose Salkey.....P. M.
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Jannye Taylor.....A. M.
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Katherine Krater.....W. M.
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 Alexander Krate.....P. P.
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Jennie Gertrude Russell.....A. M.
 Gladys Birdie Evans.....P. M.
 Almee Plummer.....P. M.

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 Carrie Parks.....A. M.

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Myrtle Palmer.....W. M.
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 Sybil Eleanor Riddell.....A. M.
 Lilly Tweedie Riddell.....P. M.
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 Stella L. Jensen.....P. M.
 Janet Young Turner.....P. M.
 Gertrude Parker.....P. M.
 Florence Pierce Stockton.....P. M.
 Alma Marie Parkison.....P. M.
 Louise Bertha Aitchison.....P. M.
 Ada Mariana Van Valkenburg.....P. M.
 Angus Campbell.....P. P.
 Matrup M. Jensen.....P. P.
 George Riddell.....P. P.
 Elmer Philip Norwall.....P. P.
 George Edward Archer.....P. P.
 Howard Eugene Neff.....P. P.

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 Hans Furseth.....A. P.
 Minnie Suzanne Patterson.....P. M.
 Lelia Lela Baker.....P. M.
 Olive Maude Ledgerwood.....P. M.
 Hazel Verne Sears.....P. M.
 Julia Oversa.....P. M.

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Estella Eddy.....W. M.
 Alice Brubaker.....A. M.
 Maude Kenyon Smith.....P. M.

Rainbow No. 385

Edith Sutton Abbott.....W. M.

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Josephine Marie Blakeslee.....W. M.
 Richard John Nasser.....W. P.
 Priscilla Elizabeth Lark.....A. M.
 Josephine Vibianna Anderson.....P. M.
 Marilla Margaret Brintnall.....P. M.
 Ida Ann Tiedemann.....P. M.
 Oscar Robert Presco.....P. P.
 Edward Walter Anderson.....P. P.

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Bessie Annetta Reed.....W. M.
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 Lila Helen Dufton.....P. M.
 Jessie Talbot Morton.....P. M.
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 Amanda Schulz.....P. M.
 Louise M. Cooper.....P. M.
 Hazel Irene Smoot.....P. M.
 Viola Clarissa Farris.....P. M.
 George Lyle Halck.....P. P.

Santa Ana No. 389

Winnie May Dean.....W. M.
 Jennie Ellon Shipe.....A. M.
 Nellie May Sylvester.....P. M.

Fall Brook No. 390

Emma Wilhelmina Staudé.....W. M.
 Oliver Staudé.....W. P.

Caledonia No. 391

Gertie A. Sullivan.....W. M.
 Elsie B. Kuehn.....A. M.

Effie Easton No. 392

Ella Huettelman.....W. M.
 Nell Anderson.....A. M.
 Guy Rodgers.....A. P.
 Flora Christina Hughes.....P. M.
 Esther English Smith.....P. M.
 Ann Wilson.....P. M.
 Muriel D. Towne.....P. M.
 Albert McCloskey.....P. P.
 Bernhardt Mutschler.....P. P.
 Gunter Hoffman.....P. P.

Bell No. 393

Helen Matthews.....W. M.
 Nelle Dalrymple.....A. M.

Point No. 394

Letitia Conn W. M.
Rose M. Dingle P. M.

Culver City No. 395

Lucile Bee Manson W. M.
Mae S. Weller A. M.
D. Myrtle Glover P. M.

Seal Rock No. 396

Katherine Beck W. M.
Edward Arnold W. P.
Ethel Johnson A. M.
Willis Gott A. P.
Hattie A. Smith P. M.
Melicent Cullen P. M.
Ella Gott P. M.
Eva Reinhart P. M.
Edith Morton P. M.
Mary Arnold P. M.
Little Williams P. M.
William Harvey P. P.
Charles Reinhart P. P.
S. Sidney Morton P. P.
Otto Hoetzel P. P.

Bellflower No. 397

Nora Lillian Hadden A. M.

San Fernando No. 398

Cora Frances Facey A. M.

Bettina No. 399

Muriel Eudora Eaton W. M.
Percy Lee Stedley W. P.
Maude Ila Aupperle A. M.

Riverdale No. 400

Alice Marie Williamson W. M.
Simeon Edgar Williamson W. P.
Mary Elizabeth Brown P. M.
Raymond C. Williamson P. P.

Starlight No. 401

Minnie Josephine Rank W. M.
Beatrice Thomas A. M.
Mamie Greer Cooper P. M.
Isabel Bralne P. M.
Alfred Bertrand Cooper P. P.

Belvedere No. 402

Nell Rudolph W. M.
Alice Fern Blume A. M.
Jesse David Ramsey P. P.

Lankershim No. 403

Alice Rippey Oatman W. M.
Phoebe Carlton Schofield A. M.
Cora Harriette Roberts P. M.

Beverly Hills No. 404

Elsie Lynch W. M.
Myrtle Horton A. M.
Olive Wilhelmina Moore P. M.

Ami Tai No. 405

Marguerite Beal W. M.

Siloam No. 406

Josephine Mae Peterson W. M.
Irene M. Hutchison A. M.
Earle James Hutchison P. P.

San Gabriel No. 407

Annie Brown W. M.
Vera H. Bares A. M.
Jessie Hannah Inghram P. M.

America No. 408

Clara Emily Cram W. M.
Albert John Laporte W. P.
Estelle LeBaker A. M.
Archie Lewellyn Field A. P.
Virginia Esther Watson P. M.

George Washington No. 409

Ida May Imbeck W. M.
Arthur Franklin Williams W. P.
Lillian Beatrice Henderson A. M.
Harold Joseph Smith A. P.
Rosina Elizabeth Nodder P. M.
Mabel Amella Bowen P. M.
Zellie Josephine Hussey P. M.
Bertha Dell Titus P. M.
Adele Corinne Richardson P. M.
Myrtle Augusta Kier P. M.
James Taylor Ray P. P.
Clyde Everton Bowen P. P.

Lake Merritt No. 410

Mabel Adeline Gerken W. M.
Joseph Lynn Hunt W. P.
Sylvetta Stuart King P. M.
Edna S. Gillard P. M.
Caroline F. Taylor P. M.
May Josephine Glissman P. M.
Jessie Diehl Thomson P. M.
Barbara B. Lyon P. M.
Vergla Ann Hensley P. M.
William Henry Lyon P. P.
Miles Monroe Moore P. P.

West Adams No. 411

Jean Kingsnorth W. M.
Annie Jane Link A. M.
Estelle Herrel P. M.
Ada M. Hayes P. M.

Estrella No. 412

Lily B. Baker W. M.
William J. Wyatt W. P.
Ruth E. Argabright A. M.

Cahuenga No. 413

Ethel Mae Young W. M.
Betty Bowler A. M.

Service No. 414

Alvah Beatrice Nix W. M.
Lillian May Harshman A. M.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

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Loma Vista No. 415

Stella Elda Hunt.....W. M.
Victor Winfield Smith.....W. P.
Faye Whitman Jermark.....A. M.
Malcolm Lloyd Hunt.....A. P.
Rae Emma Driscoll.....P. M.
Jessie Peck Jurgewitz.....P. M.
Jessie Edith Candlin.....P. M.
Mary Elizabeth Morgan.....P. M.
Clara May Rawitzer.....P. M.
Carl Frederick Rawitzer.....P. P.
Edmund Augustus Lar Rien.....P. P.
Robert Edward Bell.....P. P.
Albert Frank Gerhaus.....P. P.

Smyrna No. 416

Helen Koyle Calkins.....W. M.
Edith Moon Schneider.....A. M.

Patterson No. 417

Kathryn Elizabeth Douty.....W. M.
Alma Mary Allen.....A. M.

Arlington No. 418

Dorothy L. Coates.....W. M.
Grace G. Peck.....A. M.
Dorothy E. Benson.....P. M.
Flora M. Osterholt.....P. M.
Frank D. Cruse.....P. P.

Fort Sutter No. 420

Lillian Church Raymond.....W. M.
Averil Carlie Andrews.....A. M.
Consuelo Peart De Coe.....P. M.
Josephine Isabel Alderman.....P. M.
Darold D. De Coe.....P. P.
Frank Xavier Andrews.....P. P.

Radiant No. 421

Viola Smith Shaw.....W. M.
Martha Ellen Hall.....A. M.
Gladys Reynolds.....P. M.

Glendale No. 422

Lura May Rodgers.....W. M.
Freda Marie Augustin.....A. M.
Grace Lillian Moore.....P. M.
John Alfred Lambie.....P. P.

Plymouth No. 423

Olga Amelia Wolter.....W. M.
Wayne David Pettevs.....W. P.
Thelma Christine Baude.....A. M.
Bruce Cuthill.....P. M.
Kathleen Schoen.....P. M.
Ethel Marie Lange.....P. M.
Johana Linden Halstead.....P. M.
Walter Albert Lange.....P. P.

Nimshi No. 424

May Stewart Swartzlander.....W. M.
Amy Frances Carr.....A. M.

Playa Linda No. 425

Gladys Samson.....W. M.
Della Cotton.....A. M.

Security No. 426

Jessie Blossom Barber.....W. M.
Jessie Kurz.....A. M.

Seaport No. 427

Elizabeth Bonham Smith.....W. M.
Mabel Knauss Ewert.....A. M.
James Jackson Yates.....A. P.
Catherine Elizabeth Yates.....P. M.
Minnie Hedge.....P. M.
Florence Marion Mauer.....P. M.
John Alpers.....P. P.
Frank Augustus Lindeburg.....P. P.
Charles Frederick Knipe.....P. P.
Thomas Moore Mauer.....P. P.
Edo Torrence Ewert.....P. P.
Cyril Flugger.....P. P.

El Camino No. 428

Ruth Brusse.....W. M.
Paul Norbryhn.....W. P.
Ada Whitney.....A. M.
Alice K. Noyes.....P. M.

El Cajon No. 429

Blanche Schuyler Stafford.....W. M.
Olive Maxwell Fleming.....A. M.

El Sereno No. 430

Mary Curtis.....W. M.
Nellie Yoular Davis.....A. M.
Arthur Cabbage.....A. P.
Fern Marie Swickard.....P. M.
John Albert Davis.....P. P.
J. Paul Swickard.....P. P.

Smartville No. 431

Hattie Elizabeth Pittman.....W. M.
Emilie Elizabeth Russi.....A. M.
Ida Pearl Sprague.....P. M.

Forest No. 432

Marie Moore Sheffield.....W. M.
William Dobel.....W. P.
Myrtle Mae Wheeler.....A. M.
Joseph Kemp.....A. P.
Frances Elizabeth Button.....P. M.
Susan Ethel Turnley.....P. M.
Mildred Lurline Boomer.....P. M.
Hertha Kemp.....P. M.
Louey L. Sanford.....P. P.
Henry Goethe.....P. P.

Foothill No. 433

Frances Marie Dalmas.....W. M.
George Herbert Dalmas.....W. P.
Lula Agnes Hullender.....A. M.
Ralph Tweed Mitchell.....A. P.
Mildred Evelyn Artz.....P. M.
Frances Jenkins.....P. M.
Ruth Mabel Greenlaw.....P. M.
Marguerite Bon.....P. M.
Harry Lorenzo Davis.....P. P.
Elimar August Volkmann.....P. P.
Daniel Louis Schaaf.....P. P.

Trinity No. 434

Edna Anita Nielsen	W. M.
Frank de Grancourt	W. P.
Esther Ruby Sjolander	A. M.
Elfrieda Oftedahl	P. M.
Ray Annear	P. M.
Eleanora Scharrenberg	P. M.
Louise Schaldach	P. M.
Edith Oftedahl	P. M.
Lucille Brown	P. M.
Elizabeth Gaudet	P. M.
John Asket Annear	P. P.
Norman Siller	P. P.
Nelson Brown	P. P.
Henry Schaldach	P. P.

Searchlight No. 435

Helen Eva Miller	W. M.
Nellie E. Buford	A. M.

Sunnyside No. 436

Bertha Florance Hill	W. M.

Ascot No. 437

Norma Louise Green	W. M.
Howard Kenyon Burdick	W. P.
Mellie Evelyn Lantz	A. M.
Myrtle Belle Schroeder	P. M.

Lynwood No. 438

Osie A. Loaf	W. M.
Virginia Reber	P. M.

Guardian No. 439

Fanny Myrtle Long	W. M.
Lulu Grace Griffith	A. M.

Fireside No. 440

Etta Theresa Benney	W. M.
Thomas John Benney	W. P.
Frances Laurentine Saysette	A. M.
Mary Ellen Haile	P. M.
Cecelia Lippert Mock	P. M.
Laura Mary Sandy	P. M.
Jeannette Berryman	P. M.
Sarah Holladay Barnum	P. M.
Mildred Weiss Dinges	P. M.
Tressie Arabella Bjick	P. M.
Earl John Mock	P. P.
Joseph Benjamin Sanders	P. P.
Hugh Harrison Gale	P. P.
Paul Robert Bjick	P. P.

Utopia No. 441

Peter Piert	W. P.

Granada No. 442

Mabel Page Brown	W. M.
Ralph A. Clark	W. P.
Genevieve Constance King	A. M.

South Park No. 443

Mabel L. Gragg	W. M.
Nelle B. Rush	A. M.

Whittier No. 444

Estelle Williams	W. M.
Marion Fennell	A. M.

Tujunga No. 445

Aimee B. Dayton	W. M.
Louise A. Murray	A. M.

Ionic No. 446

Ethel Miller	W. M.
Rae Chase	A. M.
Idabelle Berkowitz	P. M.

Escallonia No. 447

Palmira Bertram	W. M.
Gladys Pearl Covell	P. M.

Temple City No. 448

Elsie Be Smith	W. M.
Minnie Gertrude Fennet	A. M.

Manchester No. 449

Mary J. Beadle	W. M.
Armina B. May	A. M.
Laura Nichols	P. M.

North Star No. 450

Della Margery Hill	W. M.
Leana Maud Smith	A. M.
Simon Franklin Smith	A. P.
Henrietta Stewart	P. M.
Otho Stewart	P. P.

Liberty No. 451

Richard Wendelt	W. P.
Mary Alice Whelan	A. M.
Andrew Lindahl	A. P.
Grace L. Faulkner	P. M.
Eleanor Clayton	P. M.
Arline Broska	P. M.
Lillian Landini	P. M.
Emma Boehm	P. M.
Susan Wiswell	P. M.
Walter Carl Middleton	P. P.
George C. Faulkner	P. P.

Canoga No. 452

Elsie Mathews	W. M.
Marie Turner	A. M.

Santa Maria No. 453

Pearl Pansy Bisher	W. M.
Albert Casper Bisher	W. P.

Harding No. 454

Faith G. Gordon	W. M.
Alberta J. Coppersmith	A. M.
Marie Francis Warke	P. M.
William Stewart Warke	P. P.

Elmhurst No. 455

Mildred Haryett Webster.....W. M.
 Frederick William Webster.....W. P.
 Rebekah Bernice Lewis.....A. M.
 Clista Depew Boorman.....P. M.
 Emily A. Perkins.....P. M.
 Luella May Thompson.....P. M.
 Mary I. Summerville.....P. M.
 William James M. Haryett.....P. P.

Triangle No. 456

Reta Irene Smith.....W. M.
 Bessie Ethel Burdett.....A. M.
 Peggy Inez Swall.....P. M.

Caliz de Oro No. 457

Vida Boehnke.....W. M.
 Sara Elizabeth Chase.....A. M.
 Gretchen Muriel Warner.....P. M.
 Eunice Marlon Derby.....P. M.
 Kathryn Stewart Davidson.....P. M.

Chula Vista No. 458

Roxana Flanders.....W. M.
 Sarah F. Berger.....A. M.
 Cora M. Rosval.....P. M.
 Herbert L. Berger.....P. P.

Wilmington No. 459

Kathryn Lodwick.....W. M.
 Lois Messick.....A. M.

Justice No. 460

Florence Mary Thomas.....W. M.
 Bert L. Wilke.....W. P.
 May Frantz.....P. M.
 Ada Edith Madison.....P. M.
 Letitia Kean Oakes.....P. M.
 Nellie Sophia Stewart.....P. M.
 Lella Robson Leap.....P. M.
 Agnes Stark Sneddon.....P. M.
 John Miller Sneddon.....P. P.

Larchmont No. 463

Florence Mary Williams.....W. M.
 Vivian May Brown.....A. M.
 Helen McKenzie.....P. M.

The Gardens No. 464

Helen Hobbs.....W. M.
 May King.....A. M.

Roseland No. 465

Genevieve Pearson.....W. M.
 Gladys Millicent Byram.....A. M.

Melrose No. 466

Rose Ella Hickok.....W. M.
 Leon L. Wakefield.....W. P.
 Lorrean Hubbard.....A. M.
 Edna Francis Faires.....P. M.
 Kenneth Hayward Vail.....P. P.

Melita No. 467

Ruth Elma Boultinghouse.....W. M.
 Helen Irene Schroeder.....A. M.
 N. Madge Long.....P. M.
 Harry Eugene Long.....P. P.

Star of the West No. 468

Bertha G. May.....W. M.
 Ella Marr Nelson.....A. M.

Hawthorne No. 469

Veva Delle Briley.....W. M.
 Alvaretta Lauree Miller.....P. M.

Roosevelt No. 470

Mabel Evelyn Matthiesen.....W. M.
 Benjamin Norman Rideout.....W. P.
 Esther Pearl Murphy.....A. M.
 Jo Reynaud.....P. M.
 Edna Del Monte.....P. M.
 Lillian Podesta.....P. M.
 Ida Denhard.....P. M.
 Helena Hendrick.....P. M.

Arcadia No. 471

Clara E. Roecher.....W. M.
 Mae E. Glover.....A. M.
 Edna Mae Bolz.....P. M.

Brilliant Star No. 472

Leonarda Hunsaker.....W. M.
 Newton John Pollitt.....W. P.
 Gladys Kutsche.....A. M.
 Frank E. Turner, Jr.....A. P.
 Proctor Abrams Cahill.....P. M.
 William George Maison.....P. P.

Lamanda Park No. 473

Gay Husband.....W. M.
 Jessie Granger.....A. M.

Palisades No. 474

Jessie Sutherland.....W. M.
 Elsie Thorn.....A. M.
 Marie Hanson.....P. M.

Malta No. 475

Maude Mne McQuiddy.....W. M.
 Emily Hale.....A. M.
 Crista Lovenia Moulton.....P. M.
 Edward August Beitz.....P. P.

Bethel No. 476

Caroline Margaret Dunkel.....W. M.

Florence No. 477

Freedra Kelsea.....W. M.
 Mary Anderson.....A. M.

Normal Heights No. 478

Grace Etta Schneider.....W. M.
 Opal Lynch Elliott.....P. M.

La Jolla No. 479

Esther White Rohde.....W. M.
 Frederick Harry Perry.....W. P.
 Clara Louise McGaw.....A. M.
 Laura Shea Bennett.....P. M.
 Charles Donald Bennett.....P. P.

Majestic No. 480

Meda Lucy Aldrich.....W. M.
 Arlyne Cronemiller.....A. M.

Presidio No. 481

Irene Strickland.....W. M.
 William Casey.....W. P.
 Cora Carmona.....A. M.
 Marvin Palmer.....A. P.
 Doris Barton Newmark.....P. M.
 Helen Tuttle Lightfoot.....P. M.
 Jennie Wilson.....P. M.
 Margaret Weber.....P. M.
 Robert George Lauer.....P. P.
 Homer Franklin Lightfoot.....P. P.
 Robert Gibb Wilson.....P. P.
 Arthur Patterson.....P. P.

Sanger No. 482

Blanche Bosserman.....W. M.
 Elizabeth Johnson.....A. M.
 Ophelia Mayden.....P. M.
 Louisa Starnes.....P. M.

Garden Grove No. 483

Margaret Elizabeth Hill.....W. M.
 Mabel Lenora Doig.....A. M.

Prudence No. 484

Dorothy Margaret Hutt.....W. M.
 Milton Andrew Groth.....W. P.
 Aimee Isabel Lozier.....A. M.
 Arthur Hammond Lozier.....A. P.
 Maude Lovejoy Newman.....P. M.
 Eva De Poy Shaw.....P. M.
 Gertrude Newman Gates.....P. M.
 Frederick Leavenworth Shaw.....P. P.

Big Bear No. 485

Sybil Eaton.....A. M.

Glassell Park No. 486

Mae Marjorie Clark.....A. M.
 Mabel Myrtle Shedenhelm.....P. M.

White Pine No. 487

Laura White.....A. M.

Orange Blossom No. 488

Ethyl Mae Eaton.....W. M.
 Lena Sichley.....A. M.
 Eva Flory Pulley.....P. M.

Wasco No. 489

Ruth Ellen Lohr.....W. M.
 Eunice Campbell.....A. M.

Point Loma No. 490

Ethel Harriett Dougherty.....W. M.
 Olive Marion Sweet.....P. M.

Palms No. 491

Hazel Marie Smith.....W. M.
 Valetta Prehoda.....A. M.
 Mildred Snell Rentschler.....P. M.
 Lawrence Rentschler.....P. P.
 Lee Templeton Smith.....P. P.

Henry S. Orme No. 492

Grace Tassell.....W. M.
 Alberta Miller.....A. M.
 Clyde S. Tassell.....A. P.
 Louisa Caroline Hoffmann.....P. M.

Jarman No. 493

Eva May Kennedy.....W. M.
 Wilmer W. Nash.....W. P.
 Dorothy Nash.....A. M.
 Lucille Schrader.....P. M.
 Hattie A. Zillmer.....P. M.
 Lois Megraw.....P. M.
 Hall Schrader.....P. P.
 Adolph L. W. Zillmer.....P. P.

Crescenta Valley No. 494

Martha Thompson.....W. M.
 Dora A. Evans.....A. M.
 Marion Tillery.....P. M.

Beacon Bay No. 495

Georgia Gardener.....A. M.

Nonpareil No. 496

Harriette Hinds.....W. M.
 Norman W. Hall.....W. P.
 Peggy Wilton.....A. M.
 Minnette V. Hall.....P. M.
 Jennie James.....P. M.
 George Barnes.....P. P.

Menorah No. 497

Sally Liberman.....W. M.
 Mary Goldfoot.....A. M.
 Sol Friedland.....A. P.
 George Hartman.....P. P.

Composite No. 498

Ida Bloch.....W. M.
 Jennie Bloch.....A. M.
 Pauline Pearlman.....P. M.

El Dorado No. 499

Irene Pearl Schelber.....W. M.

Jordan No. 500

Martha E. Jones.....A. M.
 Alvin J. Jones.....A. P.

Santa Barbara No. 501

Augusta M. Oliver.....A. M.

All States No. 502

Bernice Gwendolyn Rudd.....W. M.
 Dalera Keith Burnham.....W. P.
 Anna May Irvin.....A. M.
 Adaline Isabel Harbaugh.....P. M.

Olivette No. 503

Caroline E. Boarman.....W. M.
 Penn M. Durkee.....W. P.
 Hazel E. Ross.....A. M.
 Myra C. Moyse.....P. M.

Rosa M. Shattuck No. 504

Florence Smith.....W. M.
 William J. Smith.....W. P.
 Edith Solum.....A. M.
 Colin Campbell.....A. P.
 Ruth R. Wiley.....P. M.
 Adella M. Hawkins.....P. M.
 Bruce T. Wiley.....P. P.
 J. William Hawkins.....P. P.

Reseda No. 505

Ruth M. Blair.....W. M.
 Emma Bonney.....A. M.

Brea No. 506

Luella Case Brown.....A. M.

El Petrol No. 507

Lillian Childs.....W. M.
 Susan Mabel Child.....A. M.

San Dimas No. 509

Laura Shields.....W. M.
 Mary Belcher.....A. M.

Woodlake No. 510

Josephine Raney Goldman.....W. M.

Mar Vista No. 511

Dorothy Nelson Jones.....W. M.
 Harry Cook.....W. P.
 Lou Sylvia Cook.....A. M.

Point Firmin No. 512

Kate Royal Perry.....W. M.
 Carlton Conrad Tange.....W. P.
 Mae McQuigg.....A. M.
 Charlotte Margaret Reed.....P. M.
 Edith Marie West.....P. M.

Temple No. 513

Frieda Emma Ehrer.....W. M.
 Marcel Roy Ehrer.....W. P.
 Susie Gladys Thom.....A. M.
 George Hervey Muller French.....A. P.
 Nellie Lowry Worthington.....P. M.

Faith No. 514

Edna Cathryn Maledy.....W. M.

San Gorgonio No. 515

Sadie M. Drummond.....W. M.

Angeles Vista No. 516

Ethel Jane Mattson.....W. M.
 Florence May Odhner.....A. M.

Holly Vista No. 517

Ada Adams.....W. M.
 Mary Hanson.....A. M.
 O. Ehid Deeds.....P. M.
 Nina E. Hart.....P. M.

Betsy Ross No. 518

Evelyn Sanson.....W. M.
 Blanche Peterson.....P. M.

Encina No. 519

William Irving Day.....W. P.
 Cora Omo.....A. M.
 John I. Vickerson.....A. P.
 Julia S. Vickerson.....P. M.
 Hazel Norman Berg.....P. M.
 Carrie Tyler Johns.....P. M.
 Edgar A. Dixon.....P. P.
 Walter H. Lindston.....P. P.
 Fred E. Omo.....P. P.
 John I. Vickerson.....P. P.

Wil-Brea No. 520

Pansy Van Buren.....W. M.
 Ellen Endres.....A. M.
 Ida Patsy Smith.....P. M.

Laguna Beach No. 521

Pearl Wooster.....W. M.
 Ernest Wooster.....W. P.
 Marie H. Thurston.....A. M.

Atwater No. 522

Clara O. Wilson.....W. M.
 Amella K. Brank.....A. M.

Vallecito No. 523

Cora R. Lewis.....W. M.
 Bartha Church.....A. M.

San Clemente No. 524

Edna Burke Houser.....W. M.

Cambria Pines No. 525

Laura Sauer.....W. M.

Altadena No. 526

Nannie Pengilly.....W. M.
 Alice L. Peddycord.....A. M.

Baldwin Park No. 527

Pearl B. Heintz.....W. M.
 Florian T. Heintz.....W. P.
 Fern M. Wallin.....A. M.

Ojai No. U. D.

Gertrude L. Drown.....W. M.
 Lillian P. Shelden.....A. M.
 Henry E. Davis.....A. P.
 Gertrude L. Drown.....P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL WERKING,
 BESSIE A. PIERCE,
 LILLIAN W. PODESTA,
 FLORENCE L. NEWMAN,
 ANNA CHUBB,
 R. H. GREIST.

Adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS AND DISPENSATIONS

Following report read by Bro. Wallace Rutherford, chairman:

*To the Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Grand Patron and to the
Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star:*

Your Committee on Warrants and Dispensations submits the following report:

We find that our Worthy Grand Patron, John Lewis McDonald, during the past year granted a dispensation for the organization of a Chapter to be known as Ojai Chapter and located at Ojai, in the County of Ventura. The chapter was instituted on April 16, 1932, by Past Grand Patron, Joseph Mayo Argabrite, acting for and at the request of our Worthy Grand Patron.

Your Committee has examined all of the books and records of the Chapter, now operating under dispensation, and finds that all matters and things required by our Constitution, rules and regulations have been complied with.

We therefore recommend that a Charter be granted and issued to Ojai Chapter by this Grand Chapter; also that voting privileges be allowed to the officers of the Chapter at this session.

That Ojai Chapter be numbered 528.

Respectfully submitted,

PAULINE ADA HAUSE,
 GLADYS FITCH PIERCE,
 WALLACE RUTHERFORD,

Adopted.

Chairman.

The Grand Secretary read the following resolutions, which were referred to the Committee on Distribution:

1. That the Chapter Rituals be exchanged without charge for new editions. (See page 158.)
2. That Grand Chapter dues and/or assessments be remitted in case of remission of dues by subordinate chapter. (See pages 151, 170, 235.)
3. That member convicted of a felony or adjudged a habitual criminal be expelled. (See page 150.)

Upon proper motion, Friday noon was set as the final time for receiving resolution.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Worthy Grand Matron appointed Brother Harry Piper chairman of the Election Board, and the following members to serve on the Board:

Marion Tillery (494), Roy Moore (188), Elsie Boxton (183), Josephine Fisk (21), Clara Jesson (269), J. Hartley Taylor (313), Ruth Kaynor (307), Blanche Rice (293), Bertin Copsey (323), Lafe Todd (107), George Dalmás (433), D. K. Burnham (502), Geo. Melville (144), Frank Newman (36), and Harry Levetin (262).

Rules for voting were announced by Bro. Piper, and upon motion twelve o'clock was set as the hour after which the collective vote of Past Matrons and Past Patrons could be cast without a majority of those registered being present. The Jurisprudence Committee ruled that a member expelled by his Chapter, although he has appealed, is not entitled to sit in Grand Chapter nor enjoy its privileges.

Ballot was declared closed at 1:30 P. M. and at 6:30, the counting of ballots having been concluded, Grand Chapter was called from labor to refreshment.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION

8:00 P. M.

October 19th.

REPORT OF THE ELECTION BOARD

Bro. Harry Piper, Chairman, announced that the following Sisters and Brothers had received the majority of all votes cast and the Worthy Grand Matron declared them elected to serve as Grand Officers for the ensuing year:

Worthy Grand Matron.....	Grace Richardson Butterfield
Worthy Grand Patron.....	Lloyd Ellis Griffin
Associate Grand Matron	Jessie Galbraith Morris
Associate Grand Patron.....	Wallace Rutherford

Grand Secretary.....	Stella Morgan Linscott
Grand Treasurer	Gladys Reid Huskinson
Grand Conductress.....	Minnie Viola Collins
Associate Grand Conductress.....	Bertie Y. Todd
Trustee, Eastern Star Homes.....	Effie Easton

The Opening, Closing and Escort work of a subordinate Chapter was exemplified by the Grand Officers under the supervision of the Worthy Grand Matron-elect, Sister Grace Butterfield. Sister Flo McDonald acted as Associate Matron and Bro. Jas. McGiffin as Associate Patron.

After the exemplification of the work, Sister Butterfield thanked the members for their attention and the Grand Officers for their splendid exemplification of the work, and said:

"May I take this opportunity to tell our Sister Elsie Mae that it is a great pleasure to sit here by her side tonight and have her the first one to clasp my hand after this very marvelous experience of being made your Worthy Grand Matron. I have no words to express my very deep appreciation and my gratitude to this Grand Chapter, but I hope and pray that with your aid I may follow in the footsteps of these very marvelous women who have, down through the years, made the Grand Chapter of California outstanding in this great fraternity."

Upon motion of Bro. Postel, P. G. P., the work as exemplified was adopted.

The Gavel—Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, W. G. M.:

"The gavel which called together the delegates of this 59th Session of Grand Chapter was presented to me by Brother and Sister Piper. It was Sister Piper who gave me my first appointment in Grand Chapter, and throughout my years as a Grand Officer has proven her loyalty to me in countless ways.

"This gavel was made from our California Redwood tree (*Sequoia sempervirens*, which means "always alive"). It is the nature of this tree to always stand erect and firmly rooted. This to me is significant of the Order of the Eastern Star—as long as it stands erect and firmly grounded on the principle for which it stands, it too shall always live."

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION

Following report read by the Chairman, Sister Nettie E. Webster:
To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

The following resolutions were referred to the Committee on Distribution and we recommend their distribution as follows:

- 1st. That the resolution regarding exchange of Rituals belonging to

subordinate Chapters, without charge, signed by Stella M. Linscott, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

2nd. That the resolution regarding dues and assessments of members whose dues have been remitted by Chapter, signed by Otho Stewart, S. F. Smith and Leama M. Smith, be referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

3rd. That the resolution regarding trials and conviction of felonies, signed by Ernest E. Williams, be referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

Respectfully submitted,

NETTIE E. WEBSTER,

ZELLA WHITFORD SAMSON,

EMMA BLANCHARD GRAVES.

Adopted.

Upon motion the selection of a place of meeting for the 1933 session was made a special order of business for 8:30 P. M. Thursday.

The Worthy Grand Patron, Bro. John Lewis McDonald, played on his new grand piano, which had been given to him by the Chapters of California, a selection which he dedicated to the Worthy Grand Matron.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NECROLOGY

A very beautiful ceremony of Necrology was given under the able leadership of the Chairman, Sister Clara Alvarez, and the following report was read and accepted:

IN MEMORIAM

Another year rolls by which gives us opportunity to renew social and fraternal relationship, all counted in golden hours, and in the midst of our busy session to set aside these few moments for solemn contemplation, giving a thought to those of our members who have answered the roll call of the Master.

Our heartfelt sympathy and sincere love is extended to the families who have suffered the loss of their loved ones, for

"There is a stream that we all must cross,
The river of human years
Now lying calm in the summer night,
Now splashed with the rain of tears,
Out from the hill of God it flows
And onto a shoreless sea
Where the noontide sun no shadow throws,
And time is Eternity."

We have listened to expressions of fraternal regret for those who once met with us in our Chapter Room, who formed with us the Golden Chain, and at our altar offered the same vows and prayed the same prayers. The places here once brightened by their presence shall know them no more, but their memories will be enshrined in our hearts until we too pass beyond the river.

From this Memorial Service we learn the uncertainty of life, the certainty of death and the importance of the present moment, which alone is ours. This service is not intended to foster sadness and gloom, but rather to encourage tender memories and holy hopes. We do not forget those who labored with and for us, and it is meet that in some such reverent manner we pay homage to their faithful service. We ask not why they were called away. We ask not what their present environment or development. We know only that they have won the Eternal Crown of Life, studded with many stars, and are surrounded with the same infinite watchful care which upholds us, and there we leave them.

We would, however, derive much helpful consolation from the lessons here given and leave this room, not more saddened by these memories, but rather strengthened for the great work we strive to do. If one heart is thus uplifted and made stronger, our efforts will be indeed blest by Him who said

"Because I live, Ye shall live also."

Fraternally submitted,

CLARA E. ALVAREZ,
IDA ANN TIEDEMANN,
MAUDE S. STEPHENS.

My sincere thanks go to the members of my Committee, who so ably assisted me, to the choir of the 1928 San Francisco Matrons and to Sister Gladys deWitt of Los Angeles, for her readings.

CLARA E. ALVAREZ.

At 10:30 P. M. the Session was called from labor to refreshment.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

9:30 A. M.

October 20th.

The Session opened with the singing of "America."

The Grand Secretary read the minutes of Tuesday and Wednesday, which were approved as read.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

A portion of this report was read by the Chairman, Sister Eva F. Stevenson. (For complete report see Appendix B.)

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETURNS

The following report was read by Sister Emma R. Leach, P. G. M.:
To the Grand Chapter of California, O.E.S.:

Your Committee on Returns reports for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1932, as follows:

Total Membership June 1st, 1931	106,826
Increase	
Members Initiated 1931-1932	4,011
Members Affiliated 1931-1932	1,359
Members Reinstated 1931-1932	287
	5,657
	112,483
Decrease	
Members Demitted 1931-1932	3,429
Members Suspended 1931-1932	2,291
Members Deceased 1931-1932	1,170
Members Expelled 1931-1932	31
	6,921
Membership June 1st, 1932	105,562
Net Loss in Membership 1931-1932	1,264
There are 479 chartered Chapters and one chapter Under Dispensation.	

1932 HOME ASSESSMENT REPORTS

Number of Members January 1, 1932	106,171
Reinstatements January 1-June 1, 1932	71
	106,242
Deduct	
Number of Members in Homes	167
Members for Whom Dues were Remitted	
Account Financial Inability to Pay	1,277
	1,444
Members on Whom 1932 Assessment was Due	104,798

Add

Assessment for Previous Years on Reinstated Mem-
bers

78

Total Amount of Home Assessment Due..... \$104,876

Receipts

Received by Grand Secretary in February.....\$19,102
Received by Grand Secretary in March..... 1,138
Received by Grand Secretary in April..... 69
Received by Grand Secretary in May..... 52
Received by Grand Secretary in June..... 10,097
Received by Grand Secretary in July..... 56,848
Received by Grand Secretary in August..... 16,431
Received by Grand Secretary in September..... 103
Received by Grand Secretary in October..... 16

\$103,856

Balance Due \$ 1,020

It is with pleasure that we express our appreciation to our Grand Secretary for the assistance rendered by her office.

HENRY F. PERNAU,
JOSEPHINE FISK,
EMMA R. LEACH,

Committee.

Adopted.

Upon motion of Sister Hellwig, P. G. M., the report of the Committee on Appeals and Grievances was made a special order of business for two o'clock in the afternoon, and upon proper motion the accused was granted permission to be present during the hearing of his appeal. Later, time for hearing appeal was set for eleven o'clock Friday morning (see page 199).

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

The following reports were read by Sister Maude Bigelow Sibley, P. G. M., Chairman, and Sister Minnie Elliot Seymour, P. G. M., member of the Committee:

Sister Sibley:

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

Your Educational Committee begs leave to submit the following report:

On page 159 of the Proceedings of the General Grand Chapter held in San Antonio, Texas, November, 1931, the special recommendations of Brother Walter L. Stockwell, chairman of education for the General Grand Chapter, are as follows:

1. "That the General Grand Chapter, Order Eastern Star, earnestly recommends the establishment of an Educational Committee in each Grand Chapter affiliated with it."

2. "That there shall be prepared by the Educational Committee of the General Grand Chapter, Order Eastern Star, a comprehensive statement of the origin of the Eastern Star, its development, its principles, and its purposes. This statement to be furnished at cost to the Grand Chapters for presentation to each candidate following his or her initiation into the Order."

3. "That the General Grand Chapter, Order Eastern Star, recommends to each Grand Chapter the great service to our young people rendered by the establishment of a Student Loan Fund."

It is interesting to note that the Grand Chapter of California established an Educational Committee as early as 1921, ten years before the recommendation of the General Grand Chapter, and that said committee was in working order in 1922 with Sister Effie Easton, our beloved Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress of the General Grand Chapter, as its first chairman. It has continued to function during each administration with ever increasing efficiency as the chapters in turn appointed Educational Committees and sub-chairman to carry on the work as suggested by the Grand Chapter.

In 1919, during the term of Sister Elizabeth Mary Marshall and Brother Darwin Willson Pierce, the "Marshall-Pierce Fund" was created to aid in the education of the boys and girls of the Covina Masonic Home. This fund is still active. Then during our sweet and kind Sister Stella Linscott's term of office, 1923, came the big Berkeley fire, and she foresaw the importance of having a "Student Loan Fund" that might be available in any emergency. Brother McCloskey, as chairman, will explain this fund in his report. Suffice it to say, that it is active and doing a splendid work. I know you will appreciate the fact that California has been among the leaders in this progressive work and will assist in every way possible for its continued success.

How often have we heard the expression, "Life is but a day in school." One also hears of the "School of experience," the "University of Hard Knocks," and be it said that the last named institution, while entirely lacking the study hall and campus features of a modern university, does certainly teach in a most effective manner and with lasting results.

We should not be content with a limited knowledge comprising, perhaps, the barest rudiments of education. Not that we should necessarily spend every spare moment poring over imposing tomes, familiarizing ourselves with other men's theories, opinions and beliefs, but rather train ourselves to be observant of the seemingly *minor details* of life, many of which come within daily contact.

In these modern days many people are prone to skim along the surface, as it were, to *think little* and *concentrate less*. Indeed, to observe and to think for ones self has seemingly become a lost art.

We sent out installation drills and jewel marches, presentations, memorial services, Mother's day programs and programs for Past Matrons and Past Patrons nights.

Instead of working out floor plans for installations or jewel marches and then sending them out to the chapters per request, we have recommended that the line officers observe what others do and by "gathering here a little and there a little" and then injecting some thought of their own into the work, they would be able to work out marches and drills of greater originality than the educational committee.

After all, if the teacher did all the arithmetic for your young hopeful in school, he might think he was doing wonderfully well in class, but how much real benefit do you think would be gained in the process? It is only by observing and doing for one's self that any good is attained. Mistakes may be made, it is true, but most of our greatest inventions and discoveries are the result of some accident or mistake. It is said that the man who never makes mistakes never does anything.

To have an Educational Night, as such, has not been a success. Many Matrons have their calendars made up in advance and have no place for it. If one succeeds in getting it placed, the speaker, unless well known and popular, has a slim audience. *No one wants to be educated. They prefer to be entertained.* With this knowledge at hand through previous reports, your committee did away with papers, lectures, addresses, etc., as such and correlated them with programs instead: *Education in disguise.*

These various programs have been the big nights in our chapter life, and have been made to fit any occasion, whether historical or honorary. They have been suggestive ideas and have allowed leeway for original expression of the various people in charge.

It has been a source of surprise and great gratification to me to watch the different development and interpretation placed on the same idea. For instance, I attended ten different meetings devoted to George Washington, the only similarity being in the costumes and minuet dances.

The table decorations varied from the Colonial mansion on the Poto-

mac with its sweep of green lawn and white picket fence to cocked hats and flags or cherry trees with miniature figures of Washington and little hatchets.

PROGRAMS SUGGESTED

1. "The Washington Bicentennial"..... Emphasized Washington Night
With your permission, I will describe the evening given by Service Chapter, Long Beach, under the supervision of Sister Bertha Elsey.

1. Dinner—6:30 P. M. Price 50 cents.

Table service copied from Colonial period with red table cloths, old china, castors, high celery and cake dishes and the entire meal on the table as guests entered. A Martha and George Washington stood as host and hostess at the head of each table with all the attendants in costume.

Menu: Virginia baked ham, candied sweet potatoes, hot corn bread and biscuits, peas, carrots, sliced tomatoes, celery, rice pudding, coffee, jelly, pickles, preserves, etc.

2. After a most delightful dinner we entered the chapter room. The opening of chapter was conducted in a most impressive manner by officers in Colonial costume.

3. Program: Short skit depicting the home life of the period and ending with a Ball given by the President at the White House.

After the ball, pictures were thrown on the screen showing the life of Washington, and this was followed by a splendid talk of explanation.

The music throughout the evening was taken from the early period and ended with Mount Vernon Bells.

Tableau 1. Betsy Ross making the flag with Washington and La-Fayette standing by.

Tableau 2. The Spirit of '76—Fife, drum and Flag.

ON THE BEACH OF WAIKIKI

The Hawaiian Islands should be of interest to us because they are the gateway to the Panama Canal and afford us our midocean supply station.

Decorations—Gay flowers and lots of palms.

A girl in grass skirt, etc., extends greetings and takes audience on the magic carpet to the land of sunshine, fruit and flowers.

On arriving at Hawaii, they are met by a number of natives who crown the Matron and Patron with leis, symbols of their temporal power. This ceremony may be as simple or elaborate as you choose to make it. At the close of the ceremonial these girls form a tableau in front of the stage.

Have a gourd dance and Hawaiian songs.

As the last song ends the lights are turned off and moving pictures in color of Hawaii are thrown on the screen. These pictures, together with a most interesting speaker, are furnished by the Gilmore gasoline people.

At the close of the lecture the lights go on and the girls retire to the banquet room, throwing the leis and flowers to the audience as they go. All are singing "Aloha."

Tables are decorated with miniature huts, palm trees, monkeys (made from peanuts), cocoanuts, pineapples, etc.

Refreshments—Pineapple salad and coffee.

This program makes a beautiful and interesting educational night that could be used to celebrate any big occasion.

A NIGHT IN SPAIN

Los Angeles City celebrated her 151st birthday this year, and as her history is closely connected with Spain and the Missions, we thought a Spanish night would be interesting.

Twenty girls in large combs, mantillas, shawls, and lots of red roses, made this a beautiful program.

Los Angeles Chapter used this idea for her advance night. The Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons were requested to retire for escort duty. First entered the Spanish guard, who formed a double line for the honored guests to pass through. These guests lined up in front of the guard and then the Associate Matron of Los Angeles Chapter in white mantilla and gorgeous bouquet entered with her Associate Patron.

Welcome was extended to all by the Worthy Matron, after which the courtesy of presenting their associates was extended to the Associate Matron and Associate Patron.

Community singing of Juanita and Spanish Cavilier, Spanish orchestra and Spanish dancing and singing.

Miss Marion Parks (beautiful in Spanish attire) of the Security First National Bank, gave an excellent talk on the early history of Los Angeles and California.

Good of the Order—Spanish girls retired and re-entered the darkened room with long, white lighted tapers, singing appropriate song to the Associate Matron and forming a heart in the center of the room. The Worthy Matron was the center of this figure and presented the chapter gift to her honored member from the heart of her chapter.

Banquet room was made beautiful with adobe haciendas, cactus, gay colored parrots and sombreros. Parrots and sombreros were used as favors.

Refreshments consisted of tamales, frijoles, enchaladas, olives, wafers and coffee.

Aside from the fact that this was a beautiful night and one long to be remembered by all who saw it, it was replete with history and made a marvelous educational appeal.

THE OLYMPICS

The Olympics, the great national festival of the ancient Greeks, consisting of athletic games and races, celebrated once in your years at Olympia, was held this year at Los Angeles.

In order to bring this scene before you, have a panorama of the nations of the world represented at the Olympics, each in native costume and carrying the flag of his or her country. As each enters, have the national hymn played or sung. Following this, have a one-minute talk on the history of each country, telling the kind of government, chief industry, leading imports and exports, what their representative excelled in and if they were successful in the Olympics. America would come last and all should stand for the national hymn. At the close, all nations re-enter the room, forming a tableau with America in the center and our flag waving over all.

Table decorations would consist of the national flowers of each country with the flags grouped together on a potato base. Have anything you desire for refreshments aside from pastry or sweets of any kind.

For favors have the disc thrower, the racer, the swimmer, etc.

No one could doubt the educational value of such a night and the great interest shown by all present is certainly proof that educational nights may be made enjoyable as well as instructive.

CHINA TOWN IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco has long been famous for her quaint and historical Chinatown. China, the land of pagodas, cherry blossoms, joss gods, dragons and ancestor worship.

The room could be made beautiful with gay colored silks, tassels, teak wood furniture, tapestry, screens, mandarin coats, lovely rugs, lanterns, etc.

Have as many members as possible in native costume. Bring honored guest into the room in a jinricksha with a little drill or ceremony for the occasion.

Short history of China emphasizing early inventions, discoveries, ancestor worship and the place China is holding in the world affairs of today.

Have members in costume carry beautiful specimens of Chinese cloi-

sonne vases, mandarin coats, linens, embroideries, small rugs, paintings, and if possible have a dragon that is carried aloft by twenty or thirty people.

Song—

"Me comie from Hong Kong, China.
Me workie for Melican man.
Me noie speakie velly good English,
Me speakie just the best me can.
Me workie all day in the laundry.
Me catchie the rat at night.
Me makie pot pie all samie—
All samie. all samie . . ."

"Ching, Chang, Chinaman, taffy on the stick;
Me noie likie blass band, he makie velly sick.
Melican man listen and I'll sing a little song—
Chinese fiddle and a Shanghai gong."

Refreshments: Chop suey, chow-mein, rice, tea, etc.

Eat with chop sticks and have these for souvenirs.

Favors: Boxes of ginger, rice cakes, cigarette boxes, wall plaques, boxes of tea, etc.

In summing up—the pressure of life tends to make us all average men and women; it forces us along the line of least resistance and lands us finally in the abyss of the commonplace. In reality, this abdication of the best is high treason to the human spirit.

The quest of perfection is the most abiding impulse of the human spirit. "The highest human nature is divine." And this social purpose can only be realized through an efficient educational process. The belief that the moral law is absolutely compelling, that a man may not look upon the right and do the wrong, reduces the really significant world problems to one—that of education. If knowledge and virtue be one, and if ignorance and vice be one, then surely the thing which a man would earnestly desire for himself and others must be that perfect knowledge, resulting from this larger education which would lead to the perfect life.

The tide of human life rises the highest in the men and women who are most highly evolved, who possess the greatest human wealth of strength, beauty, accomplishment, and love, who most perfectly adapt means to ends, who select life-giving aims, and who possess altruistic personality.

And education is simply the practical process by which we realize this social purpose and acquire human wealth.

Just as the results of the larger education have their wider meaning, so has education its wider application. There comes a time when the formal process of education ends. Childhood has gone; youth is past; and adult life is reached. The lower and high schools have made their several contributions. The university, too, has given service. But life has not passed; perfection has not been gained; and just as surely the educational process may not consistently end. It is only that the process has moved its center. It has ceased to be formal and official, the work of an institution, and has become the sole work of the individual himself. It becomes original work—an adventure into the unknown; it is work which has to do with life in its larger aspects. As Browning counsels those on the threshold of the wider life: "Youth shows but half; trust God, see all nor be afraid!" Thus, the process of education is carried through the whole of life.

Education must bring man out of the limited world of the primitive savage instincts into the larger world of enlightened emotions, "the last for which the first was made."

Just as the social purpose covers the whole of life and includes all citizens, so the educational process must cover the whole of life and include all citizens. Human life is a continuous experience from the moment of birth to the moment of withdrawal from the visible world. And the educational process, to be true to its high end of progressive perfection, must have the same continuity. As human life responds to the ideal of progressive perfection, its span must increase in the richness of its content. Therefore if we can awaken the dormant intelligence of the people and set them to thinking, we feel we have accomplished our end.

IN CONCLUSION

We wish to express our appreciation to our Worthy Grand Matron for the honor of serving on this most difficult and important committee and to assure her that our best efforts would have been as naught without her love and hearty cooperation.

This same appreciation we extend to our Worthy Grand Patron, to whom has been referred requests for music and drills for installations and initiations.

We also wish to thank Sister Cora Spring Holland for the many wonderful and instructive lectures she has given the numerous chapters, and Sister Maud Dezell Bradley for her helpful talks on the Eastern Star Home. Too much cannot be said honoring these two lovely Past Grand Matrons.

Sister Georgie Bourne, wife of our Grand Sentinel and a member of the educational committee last year, kindly gave us fifteen copies of "The Seed," by Edgar Guest. We used them all and thank her for her thoughtfulness.

Last but not least, I wish to express my appreciation for my fellow worker, Sister Minnie Seymour, Past Grand Matron, who despite a serious illness that kept her confined to her bed for several months, has carried on as the educational committee for the northern part of the state. How hard and well she has worked you will learn from her report.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE BIGELOW SIBLEY.

Sister Seymour:

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter:

It was with a good deal of trepidation that I received the message from our Worthy Grand Matron that she had chosen me as one of her Committee on Education. I appreciated the honor, but at the same time realized the importance of the committee and wondered if I was worthy.

I wish to thank you again, Worthy Grand Matron, for your favor and to tell you that I have done the best I could. My illness of four months last winter placed considerable extra work upon the chairman of this committee, but Sister Maude B. Sibley, Past Grand Matron, was fully equal to the occasion.

This being the bicentennial celebration of the birth of George Washington, we received many calls for entertainments of Colonial character. A number of original Colonial plays by members were sent to chapters on request, some of them written and the actors coached by Sister Amalie Gubbins, Worthy Matron of San Rafael Chapter.

I opened the work of my year by sending to all the Northern Deputy Grand Matrons, thirty-six in number, at their request, the music used by the capable organist, Sister Sarah Bonham, of the San Francisco drill team, which is directed by our Past Grand Matron, Sister Pauline Ada Hause. This meant much to the smaller, isolated chapters, and I received many letters of appreciation.

Many suggestions for installation ceremonies were requested and referred to Sister Pauline C. Moore, of Winter Park, Florida, who has such a large variety of selections from which to choose.

It was interesting to hear of the number of chapters which reported patriotic programs for February, a month filled with birthdays of many famous patriots.

Public Schools Week brought our Masonic brothers and the Order of the Eastern Star chapters in close relationship in their endeavor to present to the citizens of every community the importance of education. This program was carried out by many interesting lectures and talks given, in a number of cases, in joint meetings open to the public.

One of the most interesting talks was given a number of times by one of our own members, Brother Ted Counter, Past Patron of San Francisco chapter, who has become an authority on Indian lore. He has a collection of Indian relics and baskets which are worthy of a place in a museum.

We have many talented members in our Order whom we should seek to help us make a success of this Educational Committee.

Our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, has shown her desire to become an authority on early California history by her selection of a library on books of early California. She will be a valuable asset to this committee in the future. Also our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Lewis McDonald, an accomplished musician, has added his bit by contributing a number of songs set to music for our enjoyment. We need such type of citizens to enrich this order and place it at the head of all like organizations.

The Northern Drill Team, on request, visited a number of chapters and exemplified the work of our order for the mutual benefit of all members present.

Brother Hamilton Gubbins, Worthy Patron of San Rafael Chapter, gave illustrated travelogues on Mexico, Central America and the Orient, assisted by Amalie Gubbins, Worthy Matron, who gave readings and music illustrative of the different countries. These were given at Morning Star Chapter, Petaluma; San Rafael Chapter, San Rafael; Mill Valley Chapter, Mill Valley; Seal Rock, Amity, San Francisco, Brilliant Star and Golden West Chapters, San Francisco; and Rose Valley Chapter, Santa Rosa. Brilliant Star, Seal Rock and Rose Valley Chapters reciprocated by giving plays for San Rafael Chapter.

I am mentioning these chapters in detail to show you the value of such entertainment, not only from an educational standpoint, but also from the standpoint of bringing into close relationship a number of chapters scattered over a wide area that might otherwise not come in touch with each other.

The exemplification of their work by Job's Daughters, the Rainbow girls, and the De Molay boys, cannot too often be presented before the members of our Order. No one, who has been present at one of these meetings, can fail to be impressed with the moral and educational value

of these ceremonies to our girls and boys during their formative age. It is with the young we must work to instill the value of education.

It is impossible to enumerate the many delightful educational evenings presented by the talented Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of the Order over the whole state. They develop in their own chapters talent that has lain dormant for want of appreciation. Enough praise cannot be given to these leaders, for upon them depends the educational advancement of our Order.

It has been my good fortune this year to be present at several chapters for their fiftieth-year celebration. The evenings were most instructive and educational, as the history of each chapter was read; the fifty-year anniversary of any organization cannot help being filled with interest.

In closing, may I say, that I feel that one selected to serve on this Committee necessarily must receive a broadening influence that will redound in manifold benefit. I again thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for the privilege of serving on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

MINNIE ELLIOT SEYMOUR,

Past Grand Matron.

The Worthy Grand Matron expressed her appreciation of the careful and painstaking work of the Committee:

"As I sat here listening to these reports I wondered if you and I realized how grateful we should be that we are privileged to be members of the Order of the Eastern Star. Sisters and Brothers, it is a privilege and an inspiration. This morning we have traveled over these United States and some foreign countries with our fraternal correspondent, being educated in what other countries are doing. We have listened to the education in our own state of California. Last night we paid such a fitting memorial to our sisters and brothers who are not with us in person, and now let us stop for a moment and think of our beautiful Eastern Star Home in California. We have a song that we are going to dedicate and give as a tribute to the Trustees of this Home and we are going to sing it for you now."

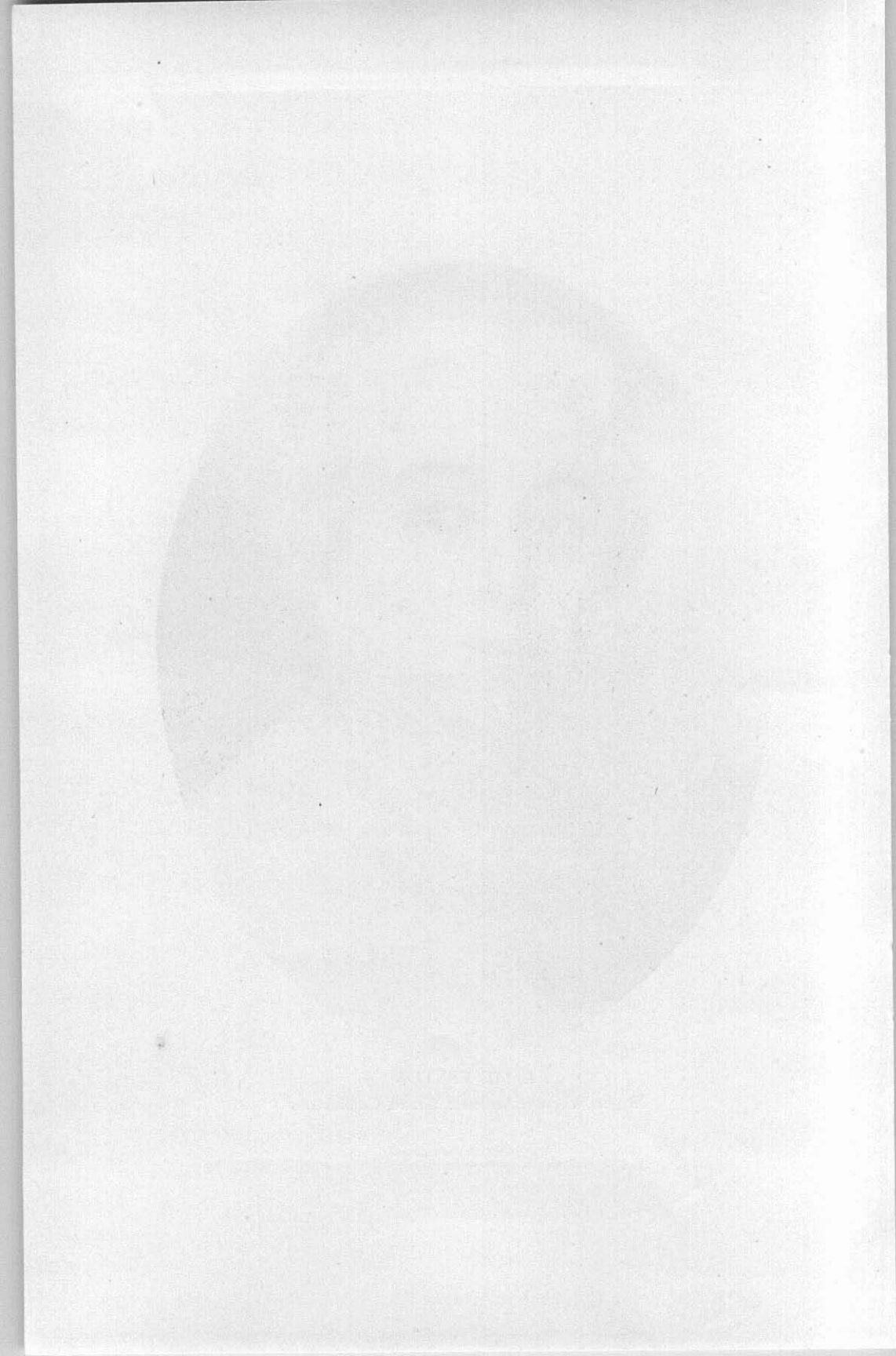
Assembly singing.

Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, W. G. M., presented Sister Effie Easton:

"We have had an honor bestowed upon us by General Grand Chapter. Our Sister needs no introduction. I have no words to tell you how gracious she is, but it is with pleasure and pride that I can always say she was elected the year I was Worthy Grand Matron of California, our beloved sweetheart, Effie Easton. I know we all want to hear the beautiful message she is bringing to us now."



EFFIE EASTON
Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress



When Sister Easton arose to respond, the Assembly sang the song which had been written for her and dedicated to her by the Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Effie Easton:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and Members of the Order of the Eastern Star:

The message which we have to offer will take us into the past of two hundred years ago. I hold in my arms the ideals in book form of the birthplace of liberty in North America, of a time when our forefathers first began to think seriously of liberty for all, and from thinking, turned their thoughts into action.

The opening chapter tells the story of the Old South Meeting House in Boston, built in 1729, which replaced the original simple building (built nearly a century preceding), today known as the Old South Church.

Under the roof-tree will be found the Old South Library, where are kept the records of those struggling days, as well as a research department for determining the factual history of the Colonial and Revolutionary days.

The group governing the activity is known as the Old South Association. By correspondence, covering a year in time, the librarian (at our request) gathered together twenty-seven leaflets of the early history of New England. The pages of the book are not numbered as we understand book page numbering. However, the pages of each leaflet are consecutively numbered. There is no index. Each leaflet contains a history of one subject, the first one being the history of the Old South Meeting House, with a graphic chart of the box-like pews and the name plates of 200 years ago. Two or three are too blurred to be deciphered. Many of these names are later found as signers of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution.

The foreword was selected from a poem by the Quaker poet, John Greenleaf Whittier:

"So long as Boston shall Boston be,
And her bay tides rise and fall,
Shall freedom stand in the Old South Church
And plead for the right of all."

Within these prophetic lines the vision of yesterday and the promise of tomorrow are read.

There are four states which entered largely into the life of General Washington. *Virginia*, the state of his birth, where his early boyhood

was spent. *Massachusetts*, where in Boston he was elected commander-in-chief of the Army of North America. During those seven bitter years of war it was the thought of liberty that held him to the cause of freedom. *New York*, where he took the oath of office as the first President of the United States in April, 1789. *Maryland*, Mt. Vernon, where he now rests.

As commander-in-chief he was physically and mentally equipped to do all that was demanded of him. George Washington was an outdoor man, six feet two inches in height, weighing 210 pounds. Mentally he towered above his fellow man.

During the Revolutionary War the capitol city was moved six times, because of the pressure of the approaching British army. In 1790 Congress passed legislation which gave the sole power to select a permanent site for the Nation's Capitol to George Washington.

His selection was promptly made, embracing an area of ten square miles. It was the first attempt of any nation to build a Capitol in the woods. Looking backward over the yesterdays, with the knowledge of today, we know that President Washington was a prophet. We have the realization of the vision of the beautiful city named in his honor, and known throughout the world.

There is always the small minority, those who claimed the selection could not be successful because of its isolation. Criticism against the site spread. After the framing of the Constitution and the signing of it, the tearing down of its principles and the criticism of the President became a favorite indoor sport by those who were termed Defeatists, as today and always a small but vicious minority.

A leaflet in the volume contains letters on the Constitution from Washington to a few of his personal friends, in which between the lines we may read of the destructive criticism directed toward this great President. These methods have been visited upon successive Presidents, from administration to administration, until it has become what might be termed an "old American custom" to elect a magnificent man, the choice of great majorities, and immediately thereafter to establish means and methods of crucifying him.

George Washington's letters on the Constitution reveal his torture of mind. The following quotation is selected from a letter dated August 11, 1786: "Experience has taught us that men will not adopt and carry into execution measures the best calculated for their own good, without the intervention of a coercive power. I do not conceive how we can long exist as a nation without having within us somewhere a power which will pervade the whole union in as energetic a manner as the authority of the government extends over the several states."

A government is lost which attempts to destroy the sanctity of the home and the spiritual faith of its people. In a recent broadcast, the President of the United States sent out this message: "We must build up men and women in their own homes, where they may express their own individuality, where the real satisfactions of life and happiness thrive, the sum of which makes up the greatness of America. Some will say this is a mere ideal. I am not ashamed of ideals. America was founded upon them."

That statement will be history and quoted 200 years hence. We heard a masterful address on General Washington at the opening of this session by Brother Waldo F. Postel, in which we felt the influence of the reason which induced the thirteen Colonies to join hands at last, to be known as the United States of North America. We heard, too, the beautiful address of the birth of *The Flag* by Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, in which she traced its growth from Old England to New England. We felt, as she graphically traced the transition of the flags which we viewed, that the flag is the Constitution—"it is the government—it is the free people that stand in the government on the constitution—it stands behind the constitution and the laws of this great commonwealth."

Another leaflet tells the story of the Mayflower and the list of passengers. We will refer to the tradition of the twelve-year-old pilgrim girl who was the first to step foot on American soil, the first woman. The small boats put off from the Mayflower on a cold December day in 1620. In the first one was Mary Chilton, her parents and others. As they approached shallow water, to the consternation of the other pilgrim passengers, she gathered up her long skirts, jumped overboard and waded ashore. This girlish prank we enjoy more than 300 years after, enjoy because the majority of us here are women.

In another leaflet there is the story of the Midnight Ride of Paul Revere, written by himself, of the time between the meeting of the first Continental Congress and the second. Paul Revere, during his famous ride at midnight, spread the alarm that the British were coming and the "Minute men had fired the shot heard around the world." After the war Mr. Revere returned to his trade of silversmith and the making of bells. He was the first in this country to make bells with sweet musical tones for public buildings.

Washington was a funmaker, at times a practical joker. When he was quite young, as a boy surveyor of 16 years, he was engaged in surveying the great Colonial grants of land. While so engaged, he contacted the tribe of Indians who became friendly to the Colonial immigrants who had come from old England. It is recorded of Big Bear, the chief, that he was in the habit of holding out his hand in friendliness

and, when grasping that of the other in a tight clasp, laughing at the pained expression of the white man. Washington had been warned. He had a huge strong hand and knew a trick he would try at the first opportunity. His chance came. This time it was the Indian chief who winced and tried to withdraw his hand, and the laugh was against him.

There is an account of the result of the friendship of the Indians with the white men. We read of the first Indian grammar, the Indian words with the English translation, compiled by the educators of the time, whereby each was enabled to speak with the other.

There is a leaflet of Dr. Benjamin Franklin seated in the Continental Congress, that great history making session, to which the Governor of California referred in his address of welcome at our 59th convocation. The letter written by Dr. Franklin speaks of the chair in which General Washington sat and on the back of which was painted a rising sun. Artists have always found it difficult to depict the difference between a rising and a setting sun. Dr. Franklin said to one seated near: "I have sat during the session and thought of that picture behind the President, without being able to determine whether it is a rising or a setting sun. I have the happiness at last to know it is a rising, not a setting sun." These prophetic words were said as the last signature was appended to the Constitution. We will close with the end of the story. At my left and your right, in one of the upper windows of this replica of the Mt. Vernon Home, is seen a light—the light in the room of George Washington, where he had suffered for the past two days. General Elisha C. Dick, Master of Alexandria Lodge No. 22, Surgeon-General of the Army, and personal physician to General Washington, was leaning over the bed of this great patriot, watching the going to sleep. At twenty minutes past ten in the evening, at the age of 67, George Washington closed his eyes forever, with the words on his lips, "'Tis well," to awaken in another room. From that great height the influence of his life is spread over these United States. We speak of him today as though the 200 years were but yesterday. As the last sleep reached over that great soul, Dr. Dick walked over to the mantel, on which the old clock was ticking, cut the cord holding the pendulum, and hung it on the outside of the clock. Today the old clock stands, recording twenty minutes past ten, in the Lodge room of Alexandria Lodge, marking the close of the greatest life in history.

Quoting from the words of Washington, as we close this book: "Books are waste paper unless we spend in action the wisdom we get from them."

There is no other volume such as this one in all the world. The twenty-seven leaflets detailing the human joys and sufferings of two centuries ago required a binding. The subject was discussed with one

of our best bookcraft artists—first the color; he suggested the red stripe of the Flag, which means courage and valor. We thought of Electa, of her faith, truth and loving kindness. With this in mind we selected Levant Morocco, made in Morocco for the outside. For the inside and a tie-in between Old and New England, imported hand made Morris paper from England was selected.

The paper stands for the courage of the days of the revolution and before, holding out its arms to surround these old South leaflets. Then the problem of the naming, after thought and suggestions, we concluded that these book encompassed the ideals of 200 years ago, the same ideals which the President of the United States is struggling to carry forward. Therefore this only book of its kind was named *The Romance of New England*. It is the story of those who lived close to the soil, knowing only that truth must be truth, there is no other way. Still the book lacked something in the binding. Usually a book has some notation on the bottom of the back, as it stands upright on the library shelf. Therefore, tooled in tiny gold letters, we read ELSIE MAE MCGIFFIN.

EFFIE EASTON,

Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress.

Response, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, W. G. M.:

"Sister Easton, Sisters and Brothers, I cannot think of anything that could have given me so much pleasure as the presentation of this most beautiful and unique book from Sister and Brother Easton, for she, too, is a New Englander. I have always been proud of my New England ancestry; proud that my forefathers were at the Yorktown surrender. I never knew that I could be quite so proud as I am at this moment. 'Thank You' seems a small thing to say, but, Sister Easton, it comes from the bottom of a grateful heart.

"Sister Sibley told us this morning that we do not like to be educated if we know it. You and I have had an education this morning and I hope that we knew it, and I rather think that we did, for this room was so quiet I could hear myself breathe. I must thank the members of this assembly for their close attention to this beautiful address of Sister Effie Easton. How lovely that we shall have it in our Proceedings. Some night during the year, when you Associate Matrons are Matrons and have a night dedicated to her, you may read this lovely message to your members, who will be just as interested as you were this morning."

"Now I am going to present to you Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, who has a most delightful message to give you, and one that is going to gladden the heart of Sister Maud Bradley, President of the Eastern Star Home Trustees."

Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, Junior Past Grand Matron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, may I be privileged to address Sister Maud D. Bradley? Sister Maud D. Bradley, President of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, a very great privilege, and I consider it an honor, has been given to me, that of presenting to you the greetings of the East Bay Star Points of 1931. These girls, at the beginning of this year in their association, agreed to do something that would be worthwhile. The most beautiful thought in their minds was something for the Eastern Star Home, and they bestowed upon me the honor of presenting to you \$250 with which to furnish a room at the Eastern Star Home.

We heard Brother Postel in his very wonderful tribute at the opening of this Grand Chapter give a quotation from our most eminent statesman, when he said: "All that we have and all that we are, we owe to our Mothers." We realize that a Mother's love is the benediction of all affectionately invoked blessings on earth. It is a legacy left from God, and God is Love. It is the love of a Mother, someone's Mother, that these girls had in mind when they gave to me the honor of presenting to you this thought for the future comfort of some loved one. Then, too, there are others, members of the Eastern Star of 1931, who have asked me to present to you the urns to be placed on the mantel in the formal lounge of the Home. The East Bay Matrons Association has presented one urn, \$250, and the San Francisco Matrons of 1931 the other urn, its mate, \$250. The Southern California Matrons of 1931 are decorating the mantel which will cost approximately \$200, and, Sister Bradley, at the meeting of the 1931 Matrons Association Tuesday evening, I was told their donation would be \$250, the extra \$50 to be used for the purchase of a table.

One of the Past Matrons of my Chapter heard me speak one evening in the Chapter of our beautiful Eastern Star Home, of the wonderful work our Trustees are doing, and of the faith and confidence that we, the members of the Eastern Star, have in them, and at the close of the meeting, she came to me and said: "Willa Jane, I want to do some little thing. What can I do?" She sent a check for \$25, and after conferring with her, we bought a very beautiful lamp for the formal lounge at the Home.

We are grateful in our hearts, not because it is the 1931 Association doing these things, but because they know what the Eastern Star Trustees are doing in the building and erection of this wonderful Home. They know that it needs the support of every member of this wonderful Order, and it is with pleasure, Sister Bradley, that I present to you these checks. May I say to you that at any time we can give any service to

further the interests of any member of our Eastern Star Home, we stand ready and willing to do it.

Response, Sister Maud Dezell Bradley, P. G. M.:

*Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Willa Jane Hellwig,
Sisters and Brothers:*

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I accept with thanks these wonderful contributions. The other day, in giving my report, there were several gifts which I did not read because I was not authorized to do so. I should like to make a correction in regard to the magazines for the Home. They were from the 1930 Matrons of San Francisco. The 1930 Matrons Association of Southern California is going to present the artificial stone mantel in the large and spacious dining room. The mantel and hearth will cost about \$300.00. The Martha Club of San Francisco has donated, through our Grand Martha, \$50.00 toward decorations for our attractive porch. There are several niches in this porch for which they will furnish beautiful Spanish vases.

Daylight Chapter No. 265 will contribute \$250 for furnishing a room. (Reported to be a gift from a 92-year-old member.)

Alhambra Chapter has for some time been laying aside a few dollars now and then until they have the sum of \$300.00. The reason this gift was not mentioned in my report is that they had not expressed their wish as to its purpose. I now find that it is for the furnishing of a room and again I say, on behalf of the Trustees, please accept our grateful thanks.

If I had the time right now, I should like to describe this building to you, but I am afraid it will have to come a little later in the session. If we could have transplanted this Home and placed it within this Auditorium, I am sure you would have received a thrill. The best we could do was, through the graciousness of our lovely Grand Matron, to place in the back of your program a photograph of the Home that was taken less than two weeks ago. The lawn, of course, is colored. We have not planted that, although the grading is done. Look again, Sisters and Brothers, at this photograph, and later in the session, when our Worthy Grand Matron gives us the time, I should like to tell you just the size of this building and just what it contains. Again on behalf of the Trustees, I thank you most sincerely.

REPORTS OF THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS COMMITTEE

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee to whom was referred resolution of Brother Ernest

E. Williams, that Article III of the Constitution be amended by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 31a, to-wit:

"Section 31a. In the event any member of the Order of the Eastern Star who is a member of a subordinate Chapter under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of California shall suffer a final judgment of conviction of a crime classified as a felony under the law, or shall be adjudged an habitual criminal; it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Chapter of which the convicted sister or brother of her or his Chapter is a member, upon learning of such conviction, to procure, at the expense of said Chapter, two certified copies of such final judgment of conviction, one of which certified copies shall be filed in the records of the Chapter. Thereupon sixty days' notice in writing shall be given to such member by registered mail, forwarded to her or his last known place of address, notifying such member of the filing of such record of conviction in such Chapter and requiring such member within such period of sixty days to elect in writing, if she or he so desire, to have a trial in such Chapter on the charge of conduct unbecoming a member based on the offense or offenses of which she or he has been convicted in a Court of the Land; which written election shall be filed with the Secretary of such Chapter within said period of sixty days. If such member shall elect to have such trial in said Chapter, it shall be the duty of the Worthy Patron of such Chapter to prefer charges against such member based on the offense or offenses of which said member was so convicted in such Court; and proceedings shall thereafter be taken in the same manner as provided for other trials by the Constitution and Regulations of the Grand Chapter. If no such election shall be filed by such member, as above provided, within such period of sixty days; then, at the next stated meeting, after such sixty days from the mailing of such notice shall have elapsed, the Worthy Matron shall announce to the Chapter the fact that such certified copy of a judgment of conviction has been filed and that the required notice thereof has been given, thereupon the member so convicted shall stand expelled from all the rights and privileges of the Order of the Eastern Star, and it shall be so noted in the minutes. The Secretary shall transmit to the Grand Secretary a copy of the record of such minutes, a certified copy of the final judgment of conviction, and a statement of the giving of the sixty days' notice and failure of such member to elect to have a trial in said Chapter."

Recommend adoption of the amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

D. W. PIERCE,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Constitution and By-Laws to whom was referred the recommendation of Bro. Otho Stewart, P. P., of North Star Chapter 450; Bro. S. F. Smith, P. P., of North Star 450; and Sister L. M. Smith, Associate Matron of North Star Chapter 450, reading:

Provided, nevertheless, that no dues and/or assessments shall be payable by a Chapter upon any member, whose dues at the stated meeting in May of the calendar year in which such dues and/or assessments would be otherwise payable, shall have been remitted for the next preceding six months period, because of the inability of such member to pay such dues and/or assessments.

Recommend that same be not adopted in its present form.

Respectfully submitted,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

D. W. PIERCE,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

Report of the Committee Adopted. (See pages 125, 170, 235.)

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Constitution and By-Laws to whom was referred recommendation No. 1 of the Grand Secretary reading:

1. That the following resolution be added to Rule 16 of Special Rules of Grand Chapter, making it the 5th paragraph thereof: "Members of the Grand Chapter whose names appear on the official list furnished the Committee on Credentials by the Grand Secretary are entitled to attend the session of the Grand Chapter and shall, on being properly identified or vouched for, receive from the Credential Committee membership or admission cards and shall not be required to deposit dues with the Committee in case of failure to produce the regular Chapter receipts."

Recommend that same be not adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

D. W. PIERCE,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

Report of the Committee Adopted.

The Grand Secretary explained that this resolution was passed in 1922 and her recommendation was to include it in the Constitution.

Upon motion of Bro. Postel, seconded by Sister Linscott, the resolution covered in the foregoing recommendation was rescinded.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Constitution and By-Laws to whom was referred recommendations Nos. 3 and 4 of the Grand Secretary, reading:

3. That Rule 20c, of the Special Rules of Grand Chapter, be amended by adding the words "and one Book of Instruction," making it read: "One Ritual and one Book of Instruction to each Grand Officer and each Deputy Grand Matron."

4. That Rule 20d, of Special Rules of Grand Chapter, be amended by striking out the words "Book of Instruction," making it read: "A Syllabus and Diagram to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and each Deputy Grand Matron to be used by them during their year of service and returned to the Grand Secretary at the close of the year."

Recommend that same be not adopted.

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Report of the Committee Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, to whom was referred recommendation No. 6 of the Grand Secretary, reading:

That Decision 407 be amended by adding the words "and/or assessments" after the word "dues" in the second line and changing the word "amount" in the last line to "dues," making the decision read: "To be reinstated a suspended member must pay all dues and/or assessments accruing; however, if not contrary to the by-laws, a Chapter may remit all or a part of the dues owing."

Recommend its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Adopted.

At 12:20 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 P. M.

October 20th.

The Associate Grand Matron, Sister Grace Richardson Butterfield, was escorted to the East and invited to give a report of the 20th Triennial Assembly of the General Grand Chapter:

Sister Grace Richardson Butterfield, A. G. M.:

"Immediately after the close of the fifty-eighth session of the Grand Chapter of California in Coronado, Sister Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter (who was an honored guest at this session), her daughter, Harriet Chadwick Carr, Dr. and Mrs. D. E. F. Easton, Willa Jane Hellwig, Junior Past Grand Matron, and your Associate Grand Matron departed for the forty-ninth session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. It was held in the City of Houston, October 27th to 29th, inclusive.

"After a week in Houston, where we attended Grand Chapter and enjoyed the delightful hospitality of the people of Texas, we came back to the City of San Antonio, where the Twentieth Triennial Assembly of the General Grand Chapter was held, November 3rd to 5th, inclusive.

"Before the opening of General Grand Chapter, we had an opportunity to enjoy the beauty of this quaint city so rich in historic lore—the city of the famed Alamo, where side by side we found an ancient landmark and a modern skyscraper. The San Antonio River, spanned by forty-two bridges and bordered with tropical trees and plants, winds through the city. Fifty-six parks and plazas add to the charm and beauty of San Antonio, where evidences of history and romance still abound.

"Headquarters for General Grand Chapter were at the Gunter Hotel and the meetings were held in the Municipal Auditorium—a fine, modern building, dedicated to San Antonio's World War heroes.

"Officially, Grand Chapter opened Sunday, November 1st, with services at St. Mark's Episcopal Church. Monday was given over to registration, luncheons, and a reception honoring the Most Worthy Grand Matron and her official family. The evening's entertainment consisted of a program in the Municipal Auditorium of musical numbers, addresses of welcome, introduction of distinguished guests, and ending with a stirring historical drama and pageant, "Five Flags Furl'd in Texas," written by Miss Frances Scarbrough, a student at the University of Texas. More than one hundred and fifty persons were in the cast, all Masons or members of Masonic families.

"Most of the California delegation arrived Monday afternoon, and we

were proud to have twenty-seven voting delegates, headed by our Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin, and Worthy Grand Patron, John Lewis McDonald, and a total of forty-two present from California. It might be of interest to note that only one state, the State of Texas, exceeded us in the number of voting delegates, having thirty-three. The State of Washington was third with twenty-six votes. The California delegates distributed artificial California poppies made by disabled veterans and supplied by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce as a courtesy to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin. The zealous work of the Californians, coupled with the desire of the delegates to have our golden flower, found the entire assembly wearing a California poppy, not only opening morning, but throughout the entire session.

"The official opening on Tuesday at 10 A. M., when the Twentieth Triennial Assembly was called to order by Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Laura B. Hart, was most impressive. A vested choir of thirty-two women led the processional, followed by the flags of the several jurisdictions in which the Eastern Star is established, as well as the State flags of Washington and Massachusetts, the home states of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Patron. The Texas flag, representing the state which was so delightfully entertaining this Grand Body, was in line also, followed by the Eastern Star flag and Eastern Star emblem. Next came the Grand Chapter Pages, headed by Sister Pauline De Mamiel, of Parnassus Chapter, San Francisco, most attractive in their flame colored gowns, and bearing electric lighted wands which they carried through the entire session. After the Pages came the Grand Chapter Officers, who marched through the lines of the flags to their stations. All stood during a most impressive tribute to the flag by Past Grand Patron John L. Brearton, of Illinois, after which the flags were arranged to form a background for the East during the Assembly.

"Presentation of a Gavel, a tribute to the Emblem of the Eastern Star, addresses of welcome and responses, presentations, appointment of special committees, and the reading of telegrams and greetings, occupied the remainder of the morning session.

"In the afternoon we heard the reports of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Patron, Right Worthy Grand Secretary and Treasurer, the Right Worthy Grand Trustees, and the International Eastern Star Temple Committee.

"The second day, Wednesday, opened with an address of welcome by the Worthy Grand Matron of Texas, Sister Belle P. L. Tomlinson, responded to by Right Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher. Routine business and reports followed. One of the outstanding features of entertainment was the banquet on Wednesday night compli-

mentary to the Grand Officers and delegates, held in the drill room of the magnificent Scottish Rite Cathedral, with seats for one thousand, and every seat taken.

"The election of officers occupied several hours of Thursday's session, and we of California were pleased to have our Junior Past Grand Patron, Brother Argabrite, and Past Grand Matron, Stella M. Linscott, appointed tellers. (Many of you know that Brother Argabrite has brought further honors to California by being appointed a member of the Standing Committee of International Temple of General Grand Chapter). However, the great honor of the day and the crowning event of the entire session for the California delegation was the election of our own Past Grand Matron, Sister Effie Easton, to the office of Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress. Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, of Ontario, Canada, was elected Most Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother John Hammill, former Governor of Iowa, Most Worthy Grand Patron. Sister Schanbacher is the first woman outside the United States to be honored by election to the office of Most Worthy Grand Matron. Report of the Ritual Committee, discussion and final adoption of many recommendations, occupied a large part of the third day's session. Invitations for the next session of General Grand Chapter were received from Indianapolis and Detroit. The ballot resulted in the choice of Detroit. The afternoon closed with an impressive Memorial Service.

"Thursday evening the installation of the newly elected and appointed officers took place. As Sister Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, marched to the East, it was through an arch of maple branches, with leaves in the browns and gold of Autumn. Preceding her were the flags of the United States and of Canada, and following, the emblem of the Eastern Star—a most impressive picture. As our Sister Effie Easton assumed her station in the North, she was showered with California poppies by the admiring California delegation, who had been honored throughout the session by having seats in the third and fourth rows on the North, between the Associate Conductress and the East. The two front rows were occupied by the delegates from Sister Chadwick's home State of Washington.

"The final day, Friday, was devoted to a complimentary sightseeing trip about the city, a further evidence of the hospitality and friendliness of the citizens of Texas, which was so generously extended to the visitors throughout the session.

"It might be of interest to note that in the three years from 1927 to 1930 there was a gain of 284 subordinate chapters and 66,955 individual members in the General Grand Chapter. At the close of the reports in 1930, there were 12,440 subordinate chapters under General

Grand Chapter with a total membership of 2,072,556.

"Though time forbids any extended mention, I cannot close without paying a tribute to the brilliancy, sincerity, and ability of the splendid woman who presided over this session—Sister Emma Plummer Chadwick—a native of our own State, known and loved by many of our members. All hearts went out to her in the great loss of her life's partner, Judge Stephen Chadwick, Past Grand Patron of Washington, shortly after this session, where he was present and won hosts of friends. Outstanding, also, were Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Philip A. Jurgensen, whose courtesy and fairness won him many admirers; Sister Minnie Keyes, the most efficient Right Worthy Grand Secretary; and Sister Lamond, who was made Right Worthy Grand Treasurer Emeritus after seventeen years of unbroken service."

Report Accepted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON 50-YEAR EMBLEM

Bro. Jos. M. Argabrite, P. G. P., Chairman of the Special Committee, made the following report:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

At the Fifty-eighth Annual Session of this Grand Chapter it was recommended by the Grand Patron that this Grand Chapter provide and furnish a special emblem to those members who have completed fifty years membership in our Order. The matter was referred to the Finance Committee, who recommended that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron be instructed to appoint a committee of three to consider the subject, with instructions to report at this session, submitting a recommendation as to the character and design of an emblem, together with the approximate cost thereof.

Your Committee recommends that a fifty-year emblem be adopted as above suggested and that the design thereof be as follows:

An Eastern Star pin about three-quarters inch over all in five colors of enamel, surmounted with the number 50 above the letters "YRS." in bas relief between the blue and red points of the Star, and the word California in blue enamel on either side of the white point.

A cut of the above described emblem is attached hereto and made a part of this report.

Brother Durkee of this Committee estimates that the cost of this emblem will be approximately \$2.00 each.

We believe that wherever possible presentation of these emblems should be made in open Chapter by the Grand Matron, Grand Patron or some

past Grand Officers who may be available for such services.

We recommend that the emblems be sent to subordinate Chapters by the Grand Secretary upon proper application therefor and upon showing that the subordinate Chapter has, among its members, persons entitled to the emblem.



Respectfully submitted,
FENN M. DURKEE,
MYRA MOYSE,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the report of the Special Committee on 50-year emblems, report as follows:

It is estimated that the cost per emblem will be approximately \$2.00. Your Committee believes that the emblems will be highly prized by our veteran members. We therefore offer the following resolution:

Resolved. That the Grand Secretary be authorized to purchase from time to time sufficient emblems to supply them to subordinate Chapters as required and that the necessary amount be placed in the 1932-1933 Budget to cover.

Respectfully submitted,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Finding it advisable to revise the instruction book on account of the many changes in the floor work due to the changes in the new ritual, and to various changes incorporated during the past three years, we recommend that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron be authorized to appoint a committee of six, suggesting that four of these be the Worthy Grand Matron, Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, together with two Past Grand Matrons, to revise and reprint the Instruction Book, incorporating all changes to date together with the changes that they deem necessary.

We further recommend that appropriation be allowed on the 1932-1933 Budget sufficient to cover the expense of this item.

Further recommend that the work be undertaken immediately and completed before November 15, 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee has observed that at this and other sessions of the Grand Chapter there is and has been keen disappointment on the part of members when there is an insufficient number of official programs provided for the session.

We therefore recommend that the Committee on Printing be instructed to furnish twenty-five hundred (2,500) programs for the next session of the Grand Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred resolution of Grand Secretary Stella M. Linscott, regarding exchange of Rituals, recommend that same be adopted after amendment to include past elective Grand Officers, making same read:

"Resolved, That the Rituals now the property of subordinate Chapters in this jurisdiction be exchanged, without charge, for copies of the edition authorized at the 1931 Assembly of General Grand Chapter.

"Further, That each Past elective Grand Officer be allowed to exchange one copy of the old edition, without charge, for the edition authorized in 1931."

The committee also recommend that appropriation to cover the cost of

the exchange be made in the Budget for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

At the Fifty-eighth Session of this Grand Chapter there was adopted a resolution committing the Grand Chapter to the investment of surplus funds in United States Government bonds, and also instructing the Finance Committee to dispose of certain other bonds, when they could reasonably do so, investing the proceeds in Government bonds.

Your Committee is in full agreement with this policy and we recommend that it be continued in accordance with the resolution adopted at the Fifty-eighth Session.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

The policy adopted at the Fifty-eighth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, providing for the payment of money collected on the assessment for Eastern Star Home purposes, in two semi-annual remittances, has produced considerable confusion and extra work for secretaries of subordinate chapters and the early collection of the comparatively small amount in the first installment, being insufficient to justify the continuance of this policy:

We recommend that the payment of the Eastern Star Home assessments by subordinate secretaries to Grand Chapter be made in one payment, at the same time and in the same manner as the annual dues to Grand Chapter are paid.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PAY OF MEMBERS

The following report was read by the Chairman, Bro. Guy W. Brundage, P. G. P.:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Pay of Members respectfully submit the following statement showing the names and numbers of all the Chapters in this jurisdiction and the amounts allowed to Grand Officers, Past Grand elective Officers, Chairmen of Committees and Representatives of Chapters:

GRAND OFFICERS

Elsie Mae McGiffin, Worthy Grand Matron, Los Angeles.....	\$ 27.75
John Lewis McDonald, Worthy Grand Patron, San Jose.....	1.95
Lloyd E. Griffin, Associate Grand Patron, San Diego.....	33.45
Stella M. Linscott, Grand Secretary, Berkeley.....	.42
Grace I. Good, Grand Treasurer, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Jessie G. Morris, Grand Conductress, Bakersfield.....	19.55
Bertie Y. Todd, Grand Marshal, San Luis Obispo.....	15.90
Gertrude R. Rose, Grand Organist, Eagle Rock.....	27.75
Gertrude B. Holt, Grand Adah, Long Beach.....	28.65
Amy B. Werking, Grand Ruth, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Laura S. Bennett, Grand Esther, Riverside.....	30.10
Flora Osterholt, Grand Martha, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Mabel C. Chamblin, Grand Electa, Oakland.....	.42
Lavina Whitney, Grand Warder, Vallejo.....	1.20
Reuben O. Bourne, Grand Sentinel, Pasadena.....	28.30

DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS

Dist. No.

Bessie McCutcheon	1	Eureka	\$ 17.40
Hazel L. Peterson.....	2	Dunsmuir	19.35
Electa Thatcher	3	Anderson	18.35
Bertha L. McAuslan.....	5	Princeton	5.90
Mary E. Rodgers.....	7	Chico	6.75
Vera Bowrin.....	8	Colfax	6.05
Leila Vevoda	9	Ukiah	3.80
Roberta Milne	10	San Rafael	.60
Irene Snow	11	Napa	1.60
Dagmar Bailey	12	Rio Vista	3.75
Ann J. Johnson.....	14	Roseville	4.30
Jessie H. Robbins.....	15	Sutter Creek	6.40
Hazel Ham	16	Lodi	4.10

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Helen Sandine	17	Stockton	3.40
Rea L. Briggs	18	Oleum	1.20
Myrtle Hollenbeck	20	San Leandro	.75
Edna Gaillard	21	Oakland	.42
Leonora Maganini	22	Oakland	.42
Luella Thompson	23	Oakland	.42
Hazel Johnson	29	Redwood City	1.10
Emma M. Cole	30	Los Gatos	2.05
Beulah Soderer	31	Santa Cruz	3.15
Elsa M. Orcutt	32	Paso Robles	8.45
Pauline Arnold	35	Corcoran	15.65
Olive P. Gardner	36	Exeter	16.10
Mary S. Bush	39	Bishop	38.30
Annabel Spinney	40	Santa Barbara	22.10
Sadie Zerboni	41	Santa Monica	28.65
Marie F. Warke	42	Los Angeles	27.75
Edna F. Faires	43	Hollywood	28.10
Elane Bosserman	44	West Hollywood	28.10
Cora M. Roberts	48	North Hollywood	28.10
Clara Smith	49	Pasadena	28.30
Edna M. Bolz	50	Arcadia	28.45
Myrtle Schroeder	51	Los Angeles	27.75
Virginia Reber	52	Lynwood	28.15
Hettie E. Capito	53	Inglewood	28.35
Isabel Harbaugh	54	Long Beach	28.65
Florence Graham	55	Montebello	28.15
Clara Holland	56	Yorba Linda	29.10
Nellie M. Sylvester	57	Orange	29.70
Eva Pulley	58	Orange	29.90
Estelle Morrison	59	Redlands	30.40
Ruth P. Kimball	60	Glendora	28.90
Cora O. Smith	61	San Diego	33.45
Olive M. Sweet	62	San Diego	33.45
Ella H. Yount	63	Indio	33.70

PAST GRAND MATRONS

Maud D. Bradley, Los Angeles	\$ 27.75
Chlo A. Craig, Ocean Park	28.65
Anna Dudderer, Long Beach	28.65
Ellie Tyler Hall, Oakland	.42
Minnie Hiner, Portland (Hilt.)	23.76
Willia J. Hellwig, Alvarado	1.35

Cora S. Holland, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Emma R. Leach, Eureka.....	17.40
Myra Moyse, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Eva M. Porter, Salinas.....	4.60
Gladys Fitch Pierce, Santa Barbara.....	22.10
Hazael Marsh-Piper, Santa Cruz.....	3.15
Mabel Boyd Seymour, Sacramento.....	3.60
Zella Whitford Samson, Corning.....	7.15
Maude Bigelow Sibley, Glendale.....	27.55
Minnie Elliott Seymour, Mill Valley.....	.48
Lena Walker Stannard, Long Beach.....	28.65
Elizabeth B. Wheeler, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Mary Josephine Young, Berkeley.....	.42

PAST GRAND PATRONS

Joseph Mayo Argabrite, Los Angeles.....	\$ 27.75
Guy Woodhams Brundage, Auburn.....	5.05
Lyman C. Byce, Petaluma.....	1.35
Benj. B. Cartwright, Alhambra.....	28.15
Ernest W. Conant, San Jose.....	1.95
Raymond Hadley Griest, Los Angeles.....	27.75
W. Frank Holman, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Bert R. Holloway, Van Nuys.....	28.25
Wm. J. Mossholder, San Diego.....	33.45
Delos A. Mace, Eureka.....	17.40
Darwin W. Pierce, Los Angeles.....	27.75

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRONS

Agnes Conant, San Jose.....	\$ 1.95
Mary E. Finlay, San Jose.....	1.95
Emma B. Graves, Oakland.....	.42

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRONS

Harry C. Cooper, Oakland.....	\$.42
Geo. W. Earl, Oakland.....	.42
Henry C. Haake, Mill Valley.....	.48
Geo. G. Vanderlip, San Rafael.....	.60

PAST GRAND TREASURERS

Grace D. Beckman, Lodi.....	\$ 3.60
Eva H. Boyd, Anaheim.....	29.50
Mildred C. Blair, Los Angeles.....	27.75

Georgia E. Hunt, San Bernardino.....	30.10
Lena R. Mallery, San Fernando.....	27.00
Anna Lancaster McKenney, Marysville.....	4.95
Florence Newman, Sacramento.....	3.60
Bessie A. Pierce, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Sue Estelle Tuck, Pacific Grove.....	4.95
Isabelle Vawter, Ocean Park.....	28.65

CHAIRMEN STANDING COMMITTEES

Clara Alvarez, Necrology, Los Angeles.....	\$ 27.75
A. E. McCloskey, Students Loan, Oakland.....	.42
Wallace Rutherford, Warrants and Dispensations, Napa.....	1.60
Eva Stevenson, Fraternal Correspondence, Los Angeles.....	27.75
Nettie Webster, Distribution, Los Angeles.....	27.75

No.	Chapter	Amount	No.	Chapter	Amount
2	Suisun	\$ 2.00	46	Athena	3.65
3	Silver Star	1.20	47	Reveille	4.60
8	Oak Leaf	.42	48	Wheatland	4.95
9	Evangeline	8.35	49	Placer	6.60
10	Evening Star	28.76	50	Homo	3.40
13	Martha Washington	15.55	51	Alturas	28.00
14	St. John's	27.85	53	Sincerity	17.50
17	Welcome	16.85	55	Marysville	4.95
18	Lily of the Valley	3.90	56	Fidelia	4.95
19	Idlewild	3.15	57	Crystal	5.05
20	Vesper	8.75	58	Kingsley	3.80
21	Acacia	27.75	59	Silver Spray	1.60
23	Ferndale	17.90	60	Yolo	3.45
26	Northern Light	18.35	61	Morning Star	1.35
28	Vacaville	2.65	62	Mountain Fern	10.50
30	Silver Gate	1.35	63	Camellia	17.40
31	San Jose	1.95	65	Unity	.42
33	Rose Valley	1.85	66	Golden Star	6.40
35	Vernon	5.70	67	Friendship	4.70
36	Naomi	3.60	68	Ocean Spray	4.95
39	Stella	23.26	71	Queen Esther	6.40
40	Aurora	8.05	72	Electa	4.10
41	Lily of the Lake	15.45	73	Magnolia	3.15
42	Ariel	2.10	74	Esther	36.00
44	Redding	15.35	75	Silver Wave	30.10
45	Ceanothus	4.85	76	Rohnerville	17.40

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77	Azalia	9.40	129	Sierra Star	26.25
78	Marguerite	22.10	130	Clover Leaf	2.90
79	Ventura	24.75	131	Fidelity	19.35
80	Augusta	8.85	133	South Gate	27.75
82	Sotoyome	2.30	134	Angels	7.10
83	Molino	7.50	135	Semper Fidelis	1.95
84	Veritas	5.35	137	Centinela	5.15
85	Valley of the Moon ..	1.50	137	Clear Lake	7.90
86	Marshall	6.05	138	Summit	5.70
89	Raisina	13.75	139	Orestimba	4.40
90	Fallen Leaf	6.50	140	Oakland	.42
92	Madera	6.95	141	Miramonte	1.50
93	Heliotrope	14.40	142	Copa del Oro	30.40
94	Tulare	15.55	143	Norwalk	28.45
95	Bethlehem	8.45	144	Lyra	28.55
96	Southern Star	33.45	145	Jasmine	28.75
97	Ramona	16.80	146	Delano	18.30
100	Mizpah	17.85	147	Pearl	28.25
102	Violet	8.10	149	Del Norte	28.05
103	Golden Wave	.75	150	Lodi	3.60
104	Josephine	6.75	151	Chispa	29.50
105	Hermosa	29.10	153	Mt. Shasta	8.85
106	Ungava	30.10	154	Escondido	35.45
107	Corona	15.90	159	Penrhyn	4.70
108	Pasadena	28.30	160	Occident	29.15
109	Elk Grove	3.60	161	Gold Ridge	2.35
110	Pomona	29.15	162	Crown	30.10
111	Ocean View	14.30	163	Scepter	29.70
112	Hesperian	22.80	164	Onisbo	4.60
113	Santa Monica	28.65	165	Crescent	10.60
114	Palm Leaf	16.50	167	Esperanza	27.75
115	Carita	.42	168	Los Angeles	27.75
116	Truckee	15.15	171	Carnation	28.65
117	Columbus	3.60	172	Lexington	28.35
118	Woodbridge	4.10	173	Long Beach	28.65
119	Amapola	5.95	174	San Pedro Harbor ..	28.65
123	Tuolumne Star	6.50	175	Sisson	21.05
125	Bakersfield	19.55	176	Miguelito	19.95
126	Mercedes	5.55	177	Orient	1.35
127	Lucerne	15.15	178	Berkeley	.42
128	Los Gatos	2.05	179	Euclid	29.35

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181	Heber	4.30	227	Monrovia	28.50
182	Valley Home	2.10	230	Sapphire	10.50
184	Crockett	1.20	231	Lower Lake	6.50
185	Santa Paula	25.40	233	Natoma	4.50
186	Laurel	1.00	234	Los Ceritos	1.40
187	Eagle	38.00	235	Keystone	1.60
188	Tehachapi	21.45	237	Glen Eyrie	27.55
189	Calistoga	2.60	239	Monterey	4.90
190	Sacramento	3.60	240	Buena Park	28.65
191	Fullerton	29.40	241	La Victoria	31.85
192	Pacific	27.75	242	Needles	37.56
193	Alhambra	28.15	243	Elsinore	31.20
195	Santa Clara	1.80	244	Milton	4.60
197	Mt. Whitney	28.30	245	Ocean Park	28.65
198	Maspha	2.55	246	Plumas	18.90
199	Ionia	3.05	247	Columbia	27.75
200	Las Mariposas	12.05	248	Hollenbeck	27.75
201	Beckwith Star	26.90	249	Acantha	.90
202	La Paloma	28.75	250	Sunnyvale	1.60
203	Sequoia	1.10	253	Artesia	29.20
205	Miramar	.90	254	North East	28.00
207	Arcata	17.90	257	Reedley	14.75
208	Citrus	6.60	258	Oriental	27.75
209	Hollywood	28.10	259	Seaside	29.40
210	Palestine	27.75	260	Gardena	28.30
211	Colton	30.10	261	Dinuba	14.95
212	Gate City	30.10	263	Highland Park	27.75
213	Palo Alto	1.30	264	San Diego	33.45
214	Almona	1.10	265	Daylight	27.75
215	San Rafael	.60	266	Garvanza	27.75
216	Sunset	27.75	267	Golden Rule	37.75
217	Loyalty	27.75	268	West Lake	27.75
218	Yosolano	3.30	270	Eschscholtzia	17.10
219	Mill Valley	.48	271	Monte Vista	15.90
220	Pinole	1.00	272	So. Pasadena	28.30
221	Golden Rod	2.75	273	Santa Cruz	3.15
222	Rio Vista	3.75	274	St. Helena	2.30
223	Loyal	5.05	275	Burlingame	.90
224	Celandine	21.00	276	Signal	37.75
225	East Gate	27.75	277	Athens	.42
226	Oakdale	4.70	278	Vallejo	1.20

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER

No.	Chapter	Amount	No.	Chapter	Amount
279	Mystic Star	7.15	323	Maricopa	22.30
281	Pleiades	27.75	324	Claremont	29.20
282	La Posa	6.35	325	La Puente	28.55
283	Ione	5.05	326	Wild Rose	5.90
286	Rising Light	27.95	327	Sunshine	24.65
287	Poinsettia	31.80	328	Eowana	10.35
288	Fraternity	1.95	329	Wilshire	27.75
289	Alamo	37.55	330	Chino Valley	29.35
290	West Gate	.42	331	Hayward	1.00
291	Point Arena	8.10	332	Coronado	33.70
292	Rose	4.30	333	El Rio	4.40
293	Elvesta	.42	334	Exeter	15.85
294	Pleasanton	1.65	335	Montebello	28.15
295	Fresno	13.75	336	Riverview	2.30
296	Wistaria	4.65	337	Taft	22.30
297	Fruitvale	.42	338	Van Nuys	28.25
298	Golden State	27.75	339	Pentalpha	3.45
299	Sierra Madre	28.30	341	Esparto	4.05
300	La Mesa	34.30	342	Manzanita	2.75
301	Ada	3.60	343	York	27.75
302	Miriam	30.95	344	Atascadero	8.95
303	Golden Chain	.42	345	South West	33.65
304	Bethany	6.05	346	Upland	29.40
305	Ruth	.30	347	Yorba Linda	29.10
306	Lindsay	16.10	348	Joaquin	2.85
307	Southland	28.30	349	Cacheville	3.65
308	Mary E. Partridge	.42	351	Tahquitz	32.65
309	Calkota	7.30	352	Burbank	27.35
310	Palos Verdes	28.65	353	Pittsburg	1.80
311	Imperial Crown	37.75	354	Elysian	27.75
312	Kingsburg	14.60	355	Golden Poppy	3.40
313	Eagle Rock	27.75	357	Glen	28.90
314	Willits	4.65	358	Corinthian	33.45
315	Moneta	27.75	359	Blythe	42.65
316	Alamitos	38.75	360	Coachella Valley	33.70
317	Rose Croix	27.75	361	Fillmore	25.80
318	Sierra	36.85	362	Libertas	19.55
319	Inglewood	28.35	363	Lyman	5.85
320	Concordia	14.75	364	Buena Vista	23.20
321	Portola	19.60	365	Chowchilla	6.30
322	Oxnard	25.15	366	Alethe	.42

No.	Chapter	Amount	No.	Chapter	Amount
367	Ramona Star	28.45	412	Estrella	33.45
368	Arbuckle	4.60	413	Cahuenga	28.10
369	Maxwell	5.35	414	Service	28.65
370	Corcoran	15.65	415	Loma Vista	.42
371	Live Oak	3.60	416	Smyrna	4.30
372	Linden	4.40	417	Patterson	3.90
373	Stockton	3.40	418	Arlington	27.75
375	Thousand Oaks	.42	420	Fort Sutter	3.60
376	Sunbeam	27.75	421	Radiant	28.10
377	Westwood	24.65	422	Glendale	27.55
378	Kearsarge	35.45	423	Plymouth	.42
379	Grafton	3.85	424	Nimshi	27.75
380	Torrance	28.45	425	Playa Linda	28.50
381	McCloud	22.55	426	Security	19.55
382	Crocker	.20	428	El Camino	3.60
383	Beacon	.90	429	El Cajon	34.65
384	Concord	1.30	430	El Sereno	27.75
385	Rainbow	3.60	431	Smartville	7.95
386	Alameda	.42	433	Foothill	.42
387	Silver Strand	33.45	435	Searchlight	28.65
389	Santa Ana	29.10	436	Sunnyside	27.75
390	Fall Brook	32.80	437	Ascot	27.75
391	Caledonia	19.55	438	Lynwood	28.15
392	Effie Easton	.42	439	Guardian	28.05
393	Bell	28.05	441	Utopia	27.75
394	Point	.90	442	Granada	28.15
395	Culver City	28.45	443	South Park	27.75
397	Bellflower	28.30	444	Whittier	28.55
398	San Fernando	27.00	445	Tujunga	28.50
399	Bettina	28.65	446	Ionic	27.75
400	Riverdale	9.05	447	Escallonia	4.15
401	Starlight	1.95	448	Temple City	28.25
402	Belvedere	27.75	449	Manchester	27.75
403	Lankershim	28.05	450	North Star	31.35
404	Beverly Hills	28.25	452	Canoga	27.75
405	Ami Tai	28.75	453	Santa Maria	36.35
406	Siloam	27.75	454	Harding	27.75
407	San Gabriel	28.15	455	Elmhurst	.42
408	America	27.75	456	Triangle	28.65
410	Lake Merritt	.42	457	Caliz de Oro	.42
411	West Adams	27.75	458	Chula Vista	34.05

No.	Chapter	Amount	No.	Chapter	Amount
459	Wilmington	28.55	497	Menorah	27.75
463	Larchmont	27.75	498	Composite	27.75
464	The Gardens	27.75	499	El Dorado	6.15
465	Roseland	27.75	500	Jordan	27.75
466	Melrose	27.75	501	Santa Barbara	22.10
467	Melita	28.30	502	All States	28.65
468	Star of the West	29.15	503	Olivette	27.75
469	Hawthorne	28.30	504	Rosa M. Shattuck	.42
471	Arcadia	28.45	505	Reseda	28.55
473	Lamanda Park	28.30	506	Brea	28.80
474	Palisades	28.65	507	El Petrol	29.35
475	Malta	27.75	509	San Dimas	28.95
476	Bethel	27.75	510	Woodlake	25.55
477	Florence	27.75	511	Mar Vista	28.65
478	Normal Heights	33.45	512	Point Firmin	28.65
479	La Jolla	32.75	513	Temple	3.60
480	Majestic	27.75	514	Faith	22.30
482	Sanger	14.35	515	San Gorgonio	31.25
483	Garden Grove	28.93	516	Angeles Vista	27.75
484	Prudence	.42	517	Holly Vista	28.10
485	Big Bear	42.10	518	Betsy Ross	27.75
486	Glassell Park	27.75	519	Encina	.42
487	White Pine	20.40	520	Wil-Brea	27.75
488	Orange Blossom	29.90	521	Laguna Beach	30.25
489	Wasco	18.65	522	Atwater	27.75
490	Point Loma	33.45	523	Vallecito	22.55
491	Palms	28.35	524	San Clemente	31.25
492	Henry S. Orme	27.75	525	Cambria Pines	18.95
493	Jarman	1.95	526	Altadena	28.35
494	Crescenta Valley	28.00	527	Baldwin Park	28.35
495	Beacon Ray	27.75	U.D.	Ojai	25.60

Summary

To Delegates	\$ 7,777.84
Grand Officers	298.69
Chairmen of Standing Committees	85.27
Deputy Grand Matrons	968.63
Past Grand Matrons and Patrons	566.98
Past Elective Grand Officers	429.56
Total	\$10,126.97

In order to reimburse the Representative Fund, your Committee recommend that there be levied upon the subordinate Chapters of the State of California, for the current year, in addition to the dues prescribed by the Constitution, the sum of Five Cents (5c) for each member borne upon the roll at the close of the fiscal year, May 31st, 1933, for the account of the Representative Fund, which amount shall be paid at the same time, and in the same manner as prescribed for the payment of the annual dues to this Grand Chapter.

We wish at this time to thank the Grand Matron for the opportunity of serving on this committee and also to thank the Grand Secretary and her office force for the very able and efficient help in the details of our committee work.

Respectfully submitted,

GUY W. BRUNDAGE, Chairman,

J. E. BARKER,

ANNE S. BRASCH,

Committee.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

REPORT OF THE PRINTING COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter:

Your Committee on Printing submits the following report of its activities during the year.

Bids were requested for the printing of 1,300 copies of the Proceedings of Grand Chapter, to contain the addresses of the Worthy Grand Patron, the Worthy Grand Patron and reports of the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer, Deputy Grand Matrons and Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, and 1,500 advance reports of each of the above named officers and the trustees of the Eastern Star Home.

Bids were also received for the printing of the Proceedings and advance copies, the latter not to include the reports of the Deputy Grand Matrons.

The following bids were received:

Walter N. Brunt Press	\$4.50 per page
Wolfer Printing Co.	4.26 per page
Pernau-Walsh Printing Co.	4.00 per page
A. D. Tate Printing Co.	3.90 per page

The contract for printing the Proceedings and advance reports (to include Deputy Grand Matrons reports) was awarded the A. D. Tate Printing Co., of Los Angeles, the lowest bidder.

As the present specifications have been used for several years with but few minor changes, and some of the terms are now obsolete, your Committee suggests a complete revising of the same.

As the reports of the Deputy Grand Matrons do not contain material upon which action is required at the Grand Chapter Session and there is not a general demand for such reports among the delegates and considerable expense incurred in the printing of the advance copies of the same, your Committee recommends that the reports of the Deputy Grand Matrons be printed in the Proceedings only.

Faternally submitted,

MYRA C. MOYSE,

WALTER W. BRADLEY,

BERTIN COPSEY,

Committee.

Adopted.

The Grand Secretary read the following resolutions, which were referred to the Committee on Distribution:

1. From Calkota Chapter regarding remission of Grand Chapter fees and dues. (See page 201.)
2. From Monterey Chapter requesting concurrent jurisdiction with Pacific Grove. (See page 228.)
3. Regarding nominations of candidates for office in subordinate Chapters. (See pages 229, 230.)
4. Regarding amendment to Constitution providing for remission of Grand Chapter fees, dues and per capita tax on members whose dues are remitted. (See pages 125, 151, 235.)
5. Regarding omission from Uniform Code of References to sections of the Constitution: (See pages 228, 235.)

The Worthy Grand Matron introduced Bro. William H. Wharff, a Grand Army man, a charter member of Harmony Chapter No. 124 and Past Patron of Berkeley Chapter No. 168, who, at the age of 96, had traveled alone to the convention of the G. A. R. in Washington, D. C.

Brother Wharff expressed his appreciation of the great honor of being presented at Grand Chapter. He told of his trip to Washington, his visit to Gettysburg battlefield, and of sitting in the same church pew which Lincoln once occupied.

At 4:10 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION

8:00 P. M.

October 20th.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION

To the Grand Chapter of California O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Distribution makes the following assignment of the resolutions referred to it:

To the Committee on Finance the request of Calkota Chapter No. 309 for remission of their Grand Chapter fees, dues and Home Assessment.

To the Committee on Jurisprudence:

1. Resolution signed by Wm. S. Warke and others regarding nominations of officers in subordinate Chapters.
2. Request of Monterey Chapter for concurrent jurisdiction with Pacific Grove.
3. Resolution of the Grand Secretary regarding printing the Uniform Code and omitting references to the Constitution by Article and Section number.

To the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws:

1. The resolution to amend Article I, Section 18, 2nd, of the Constitution regarding remission of Grand Chapter fees, dues, per capita tax, etc., on members whose dues are remitted at the stated meeting in May.
2. That portion of the Grand Secretary's report, found on page 8, covering the "Unfinished Business" of the Session of 1931, namely, Recommendation No. 1 of the Benevolent Fund Committee regarding a maximum payment of \$50.00 to applicants:

Recommendation No. 13 of the Junior Past Grand Matron, Sister Hellwig, regarding Chapters having entire control of all funds.

Recommendation No. 2 of Brother Argabrite regarding appointment of committee to pass upon plans for proposed Eastern Star Temples.

Recommendation No. 4 of Brother Argabrite regarding the obligation of all members to ballot.

Respectfully submitted.

NETTIE E. WEBSTER,

ZELLA WHITFORD SAMSON,

EMMA BLANCHARD GRAVES,

Committee.

Adopted.

SESSION 1933

Invitations to hold the next session of Grand Chapter in their Cities were received from Santa Cruz, Riverside, Long Beach, Los Angeles and Coronado. After discussion the matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee reported sufficient funds on hand to pay mileage to any of the above mentioned Cities.

The City of Long Beach was chosen by the delegates as the meeting place for the 60th Annual Session.

LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS OF REGRET

The Worthy Grand Matron announced the serious illness of Brother Henry F. Pernau, Past Grand Patron, and instructed the Grand Secretary to send flowers. Later a telegram of thanks was received from Brother Pernau, together with the news of his improvement.

The following telegrams and letters were received by the Grand Secretary:

1232 South Center Street,
Casper, Wyoming,
August 28, 1932.

Miss Stella M. Linscott,
San Francisco, California.
Dear Sister Linscott:

Your very kind invitation to attend your 59th Annual Session was forwarded to me, and when I left home to attend the Sessions of Montana and Wyoming, my plans were to attend Missouri, Utah, and California, sailing for Hawaii, Japan, China and Philippines early in November.

I regret that I have had to alter them. I find I must do the things that are in the best interest of the Order, and not the things that are the most desirous to me.

Michigan is making tentative plans for our 1934 Triennial, at their October Session, and it seems imperative that I call my executive committee at this time and place, in order that we may work together in a harmonious and cooperative spirit from the outset.

I am at the home of Brother Townsend, my chairman of the Temple Committee, and will go from here to Colorado for their Session. From there I will visit Illinois, on to Michigan, returning to Ohio, if possible, to pay the tribute to Brother Teare, and on to Iowa.

Now I plan to sail from Vancouver on the Empress of Japan for the Orient, on its trip leaving November 19th.

I regret that I cannot meet with you this year, but that pleasure I am looking forward to with delightful anticipation. I am sure meeting in the home city of Sister Easton would be an added pleasure, as there are so many things I should very much like to review with her.

Will you arrange to have the degrees conferred, by courtesy, by San Diego Chapter No. 264, of San Diego, California, upon Mrs. Beryl Marsh, who was elected to receive the same on July 11th, in Lei Aloha Chapter No. 3, Hawaii?

I will notify Lei Aloha of my request to California.

Wishing for your Grand Chapter and your Officers the finest Session in the history of your Grand Chapter.

Sincerely and fraternally,

(Signed) MILDRED K. SCHANBACHER.

Most Worthy Grand Matron.

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Britt, Iowa,

August 13, 1932.

Miss Stella M. Linscott, Grand Secretary,
633 Phelan Building,
San Francisco, Calif.
Dear Sister Linscott:

It is with real regret that I am compelled to advise you that it will be impossible to attend the Fifty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California, October 18-21, 1932.

Allow me, however, to extend greetings and best wishes to those in attendance, and also to congratulate your jurisdiction on having Sister Effie Easton as one of the General Grand Chapter officials.

With appreciation of your kind invitation, I am, believe me,

Sincerely and fraternally,

(Signed) JOHN HAMMILL,

Most Worthy Grand Patron.

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Seattle, Wash.,

October 11, 1932.

Miss Stella M. Linscott,
633 Phelan Building,
San Francisco, Calif.
Dear Sister Linscott:

Your tempting invitation to attend the session of the Grand Chapter of California in San Francisco is before me.

It is just too bad that I cannot speed my time and be there on the 18th, but business affairs hold me here until after the 1st of November, and I am going to California then, and will see you.

Please convey my fraternal love to the Grand Chapter, and sincere good wishes to Sister McGiffin and Brother McDonald for a wonderful session. I know what California can do, and I long to be with you.

Affectionately,

(Signed) EMMA P. CHADWICK.

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From the following Officers of the General Grand Chapter:

Minnie Evans Keyes, Right Worthy Grand Secretary.

Flora E. Campbell, Right Worthy Grand Treasurer.

Olga Philip, Worthy Grand Chaplain.

Flora Frick, Worthy Grand Adah.

William C. Hollands, Worthy Grand Sentinel.

Frank W. Lynn, Right Worthy Grand Trustee.

G. S. Dunlap, Chairman Right Worthy Grand Trustees.

W. A. Duvall, Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron.

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From Past Grand Elective Officers of California:

Ivy Crane Shelhamer, Past Grand Matron.

Georgiana Virginia Polhamus, Past Grand Matron.

Annie Beauchamp-Barnes, Past Grand Treasurer.

Mary R. Inghram, P. G. M. of Illinois.

J. M. Downen, Superintendent Masonic Home at Covina.

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From Grand Representatives:

Artie Ritchey, Grand Representative of Colorado.

Mildred McWilliams Neville, Grand Representative of District of Columbia.

Mary E. Lee, Grand Representative for California in Arizona.

Pearl A. Mueller, Grand Representative for California in Alabama.

Rhoda L. Dow, Grand Representative for California in Washington.

E. Mildred Higgins, Grand Representative of Ohio.

Ruth Young Vermilyea, Grand Representative for California in Connecticut.

May S. Robinson, Grand Representative for California in Florida.

Lillian D. Boorman, Grand Representative of Vermont.

Jessie B. Kent, Grand Representative for California in Manitoba.

Florence M. Hoskins, Grand Representative for California in North Dakota.

Dorothy E. Mowat, Grand Representative for California in Quebec.

Annette H. Hooper, Grand Representative for California in Maine.

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From the following Grand Jurisdictions:

Arizona, Arkansas, Alberta, British Columbia, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Indiana, Illinois, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Maine, Maryland, Minnesota, Michigan, Manitoba, North Dakota, Missouri, Nevada, North Carolina, New Brunswick, New Mexico, New Jersey, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Ohio, Ontario, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Saskatchewan, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Vermont, West Virginia, Wyoming, Wisconsin and Washington.

REPORT OF THE PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Following report read by Brother Edward Counter:

October 20, 1932.

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, Greetings:

As a prelude to my report on Publicity, it is my desire to express my sincere thanks to you, Worthy Grand Matron, for the honor of this Chairmanship.

Some of the first duties of this Committee were to aid the Grand Chapter Week Activities Committee in their publicity work with the San Francisco Chapters.

Members of this Committee visited many of the Chapters throughout the State, carrying to them a message of welcome to the 59th Annual Session of our Grand Chapter, to be held in San Francisco.

We wish to express our appreciation for all the courtesies extended to us by Mr. John McLaren, Superintendent of Golden Gate Park, for the planting of the living floral Star in Golden Gate Park.

To Malcolm Fraser, Mayor Rossi's Secretary, for the night illumination of the City Hall.

To Dr. Max Wassman, Chairman of the Activities Committee, the Matrons, Patrons of San Francisco, and their sub-chairmen.

To the Masonic World and the Eastern Star publications and to the local newspapers, who were untiring in their efforts to give this convention all the publicity we found it necessary to use, especially the San Fran-

cisco News, San Francisco Examiner, the Chronicle, Call-Bulletin, Oakland Tribune and the San Francisco Convention Bureau.

Once again the Committee on Publicity wishes to thank those who have so ably assisted them in this publicity work.

Fraternally,

TED COUNTER.

Adopted.

The Worthy Grand Matron expressed her deep appreciation to Brother Counter and to his assistants.

REPORT OF THE BENEVOLENT FUND COMMITTEE

The General Chairman, Sister Helen M. Knight, read the following report for the Committee:

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter:

The detailed report of the Benevolent Fund Committee for the year ending September 30, 1932, is a very lengthy one. Time will permit us but to summarize it here.

The economic pressure of the times has been felt by our membership to such an extent that we have had to draw on our reserve in order to meet the great need as portrayed in the recommendations of the members of our Committee whose task it is to investigate the applications of the local Chapters.

The sum of \$26,631.36 has been distributed as follows:

District No. 1—Emma R. Leach, Chairman.			
Rohnerville Chapter, No. 76.....	\$ 200.00	\$	200.00
District No. 2—Cecelia Chamberlain, Chairman.			
Molino Chapter, No. 83.....	600.00		600.00
District No. 3—Mabel B. Seymour, Chairman.			
Rose Chapter, No. 292.....	250.00		
Silver Star Chapter, No. 3.....	150.00		
Eowana Chapter, No. 328.....	425.00		
Fidelia Chapter, No. 56.....	220.00		
Aurora Chapter, No. 40.....	160.00		
Naomi Chapter, No. 36.....	300.00		
Marysville Chapter, No. 55.....	240.00		
Ada Chapter, No. 300.....	280.00		2,025.00
District No. 4—Maude E. Fleutsch, Chairman.			
Tulare Chapter, No. 94.....	40.00		
Bakersfield Chapter, No. 125.....	600.00		

Bakersfield Chapter, No. 125.....	120.00	
Orestimba Chapter, No. 139.....	300.00	
Lodi Chapter, No. 150.....	240.00	
Heliotrope Chapter, No. 93.....	540.00	
Stockton Chapter, No. 373.....	557.50	
Raisina Chapter, No. 89.....	300.00	
Corcoran Chapter, No. 370.....	400.00	
Monte Vista Chapter, No. 271.....	210.00	
Orestimba Chapter, No. 139.....	100.00	
*Corcoran Chapter, No. 370.....	50.00	3,457.50
District No. 5—Pauline F. Pernau, Chairman.		
Ideal Chapter, No. 251.....	60.00	
Olive Branch Chapter, No. 169.....	180.00	
Harmony Chapter, No. 124.....	360.00	
Richmond Chapter, No. 255.....	360.00	
Golden Gate Chapter, No. 1.....	240.00	
Gold Ridge Chapter, No. 161.....	60.00	
Mission Chapter, No. 155.....	60.00	
***Starr King Chapter, No. 204.....	600.00	
***Occidental Chapter, No. 280.....	225.00	
*Burlington Chapter, No. 275.....	160.00	
*Ivy Chapter, No. 27.....	350.00	
*Golden West Chapter, No. 350.....	14.51	
*Mission Chapter, No. 155.....	600.00	
*Occidental Chapter, No. 280.....	50.00	
*Mill Valley Chapter, No. 219.....	50.00	3,369.51
District No. 6—Emma B. Graves, Chairman.		
**San Jose Chapter, No. 31.....	30.00	
Oakleaf Chapter, No. 8.....	175.00	
Loma Vista Chapter, No. 415.....	210.00	
Oakland Chapter, No. 140.....	225.00	
Thousand Oaks Chapter, No. 375.....	120.00	
Pittsburg Chapter, No. 353.....	175.00	
Santa Cruz Chapter, No. 273.....	600.00	
Loma Vista Chapter, No. 415.....	150.00	
Fruitvale Chapter, No. 297.....	40.00	
San Jose Chapter, No. 31.....	120.00	
Orient Chapter, No. 177.....	480.00	
Oakland Chapter, No. 140.....	150.00	
***Unity Chapter, No. 65.....	30.00	
*Santa Cruz Chapter, No. 273.....	150.00	
*Magnolia Chapter, No. 73.....	600.00	3,255.00

District No. 7—Sue E. Tuck, Chairman.

Athena Chapter, No. 46.....	600.00	
Fillmore Chapter, No. 361.....	175.00	
Ceanothus Chapter, No. 45.....	420.00	
***Marguerite Chapter, No. 78.....	200.00	1,395.00

District No. 8—Bessie A. Pierce, Chairman.

San Fernando Chapter, No. 398.....	600.00
Golden State Chapter, No. 298.....	200.00
Cahuenga Chapter, No. 413.....	200.00
Los Angeles Chapter, No. 168.....	600.00
Manchester Chapter, No. 449.....	600.00
Siloam Chapter, No. 406.....	200.00
Lexington Chapter, No. 172.....	30.00
Tujunga Chapter, No. 445.....	120.00
Acacia Chapter, No. 21.....	240.00
Acacia Chapter, No. 21.....	240.00
Bellflower Chapter, No. 397.....	500.00
Esperanza Chapter, No. 167.....	50.00
Hermosa Chapter, No. 105.....	240.00
Rose Croix Chapter, No. 317.....	700.00
Granada Chapter, No. 440.....	120.00
Culver City Chapter, No. 395.....	175.00
Alhambra Chapter, No. 193.....	480.00
Los Angeles Chapter, No. 168.....	600.00
Rising Light Chapter, No. 286.....	275.00
Moneta Chapter, No. 315.....	180.00
Manchester Chapter, No. 449.....	240.00
Ungava Chapter, No. 106.....	420.00
West Lake Chapter, No. 268.....	600.00
Hollywood Chapter, No. 209.....	105.00
Bettina Chapter, No. 399.....	300.00
Columbia Chapter, No. 247.....	300.00
Southland Chapter, No. 307.....	350.00
Santa Monica Chapter, No. 113.....	100.00
Palestine Chapter, No. 210.....	200.00
Manchester Chapter, No. 449.....	100.00
Beacon Ray Chapter, No. 495.....	200.00
Ionic Chapter, No. 446.....	450.00
La Puente Chapter, No. 325.....	45.00
Playa Linda Chapter, No. 425.....	550.00
Monrovia Chapter, No. 227.....	165.00
Esperanza Chapter, No. 167.....	440.00

Glen Eyrie Chapter, No. 237.....	50.00	
Culver City Chapter, No. 395.....	90.00	
Ocean Park Chapter, No. 245.....	225.00	
West Lake Chapter, No. 268.....	150.00	
Alhambra Chapter, No. 193.....	120.00	
Lankershim Chapter, No. 403.....	75.00	
Manchester Chapter, No. 449.....	50.00	
**Esperanza Chapter, No. 167.....	70.00	11,745.00
District No. 9—Cora M. Rosvall, Chairman.		
San Diego Chapter, No. 264.....	25.00	
Silver Strand Chapter, No. 387.....	80.00	
Signal Chapter, No. 276.....	320.00	
Colton Chapter, No. 211.....	120.00	545.00
TOTAL BENEVOLENCE		\$26,592.01

Miscellaneous:

Printing Stationery for Benevolent Fund.....	\$ 11.00	
Envelopes for Chairman District No. 8.....	6.85	
Stationery for General Chairman.....	4.00	
Expense Account Approved Grand Chapter		
1931 for General Chairman.....	17.50	\$ 39.35
TOTAL BENEVOLENT FUND EXPENSES.....		\$26,631.36

*Paid through Helen M. Knight, General Chairman.

**Paid through Pauline F. Pernau, Chairman District No. 5.

***Paid through Bessie A. Pierce, Chairman District No. 8.

A digest of these cases is on file in the office of our Grand Secretary.

On July 6, the members of the Benevolent Fund Committee were requested by our Worthy Grand Matron to make a survey of the many cases of relief which we were handling, in order to ascertain their eligibility to the Eastern Star Home and to enable us to make such cuts in monthly appropriations as seemed possible. This was done and the replies are on file for ready reference. Many cuts have been made but new cases are constantly being presented.

Requests from members whose assets, whether lands, bonds or stocks, are now frozen and whose incomes have been suspended continue to come. Although not classed under actual destitution, these cases have been so acute in many instances as to leave no doubt in the minds of the Committee as to our responsibility.

Some cases presented have, on investigation, been referred back to the Chapters. Some reports have been found to be exaggerated and the cases unworthy.

On Wednesday, October 19, a meeting of the Benevolent Fund Committee was held and many questions of policy were discussed. Principal among these was the question of how to meet the demands for relief without drawing on our reserve in the future. It was the general consensus of opinion that distribution of funds should be in proportion to receipts from the various districts; special appeals to be given consideration by the General Chairman.

When the story of the past year is written in the great book of Time, if it includes a record of organization life, I am sure that our Order of the Eastern Star will be very high in the list of those which have listened to the call of distress and have always answered: "We are ready to relieve."

One dear sister, nearing her ninetieth birthday has expressed the appreciation which so many feel, in a letter which begins: "God bless the Grand Chapter. I cannot find words to express my gratitude for your kindness to me. You have made it possible for me to care for my paralyzed son in his last illness. I wish there were fuller words than just 'Thank you.' A friend in need is a friend indeed. You have been both. After the next check, please diminish the amount, as my needs will be small now. Whatever *you* think is right, will be right with me, and I will always be thankful and will never cease to pray for you and for the Grand Chapter. Lovingly your——."

I wish that it were possible for each member of the Order to take a pilgrimage with me to some of the homes which are so cheerless today, many of them homes of members who have in the past wielded the gavel and presented a picture of comfort and loveliness. Could you do so, I am sure that you would feel with your Committee that we have a very grave responsibility but "We have seen His Star in the East" and we have followed the Master's teaching.

"And those to whom the way is dark
With little left of cheer,
Have felt the warmth from friendship's spark,
Have lost the doubt and fear.
To us, the greatest blessing given,
To lend a helping hand,
Oh, may we grow in strength and grace,
Till we learn to understand!"

Respectfully submitted,
HELEN MARGIE KNIGHT,
General Chairman.

Approved:

MABEL B. SEYMOUR,
 SUE ESTELLE TUCK,
 EMMA BLACHARD GRAVES,
 CORA M. ROSVALL,
 BESSIE A. PIERCE,
 PAULINE PERNAU,
 EMMA R. LEACH,
 MAUDE FLEUTSCH.

After reading the report Sister Knight introduced the members of her Committee. Sister Minnie Seymour, P. G. M., personally thanked the members of the Committee for the good work done in her District.

Report referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORT OF THE STUDENT LOAN COMMITTEE

Report of the Committee read by Brother A. C. McCloskey, Chairman:
To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

During the year now ending we have authorized five new Class "A" loans and have identified them as follows:

AES No. 11.....	\$ 500.00
HHS No. 12.....	600.00
CAS No. 13.....	450.00
DER No. 14.....	600.00
CKG No. 15.....	400.00
Total	<u>\$2,550.00</u>

Since our Student Loan Fund was created we have made loans to fifteen students. Of these, one discontinued school prior to graduation, seven have graduated, and seven remain in attendance at their respective colleges. One graduate student repaid her loan in full during the previous year and three are graduates of 1932. The remaining four graduated from, or discontinued, school in 1930. Their original indebtedness aggregates \$1,330.00, on account of which they have repaid only \$195.00 in a period of over two years. Unsatisfactory answers, if any, are received in reply to communications addressed to them, and it seems evident that their obligations rest lightly upon them.

Correspondence has been unusually heavy during the past year. Eighteen applicants (ten girls and eight boys) were denied loans or further consideration of their applications due to the exhaustion of our unappropriated cash and our inability to secure regular payments from gradu-

ate student borrowers on their indebtedness. The large number of inquiries and applications received have added to our experience in this work and we have now arrived at the conclusion that material changes should be made in our Rules.

We propose to place the maximum amount which may be loaned to one person at \$200.00 and to limit Class "A" applicants to seniors and those pursuing post-graduate courses; to require all borrowers to obtain the signature of some responsible adult, not related by blood or marriage, as surety for the loan; and to insist that not less than five per cent of the principal sum loaned be repaid in monthly installments commencing with the third month after graduation or discontinuance at college. Certain other material changes will also be noted in the accompanying draft of revised Student Loan Fund Rules and Regulations.

Our Fund is not large enough to permit \$600.00 appropriations to one person over a period of from one to seven or eight years, while numerous persons are equally in need of smaller sums for short periods of time. Many thousands are eligible to apply to us for loans, but only a very few may be accommodated regardless of the amount loaned to each. By reducing the maximum we will increase the number of students participating and decrease the burden of repayment upon them. By limiting Class "A" loans to seniors and post-graduate course students we trust that their appreciation of our assistance, given at the most critical period, will prompt a determined effort towards repayment in the manner required.

RECOMMENDATION

We recommend that the accompanying draft of the proposed revised Student Loan Fund Rules and Regulations be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,
A. C. MCCLOSKEY,
NELLIE F. HUSTED,
BERTHA WRIGHT,
LISA D. HOOK,
JESSIE H. INGRAM.

STUDENT LOAN FUND RULES AND REGULATIONS

(Revised)

Section 1. FUND AND ADMINISTRATION. The Student Loan Fund heretofore established by this Grand Chapter, together with all additions which may subsequently be made thereto, shall be maintained as a permanent revolving fund and depleted only by unavoidable losses or expenses. It shall be administered by a Committee of three members to be appointed under Rule 5.

Sec. 2. USE AND CUSTODY. Said Fund shall remain in the custody of the Grand Treasurer and be kept separate from the General and other Funds of this Grand Chapter. It shall be held subject to and disbursed on order of the Student Loan Fund Committee for purposes herein provided. There shall be in the possession of the Grand Treasurer securities, cash or students evidences of indebtedness, aggregating the total amount of the Fund, at all times except for such temporary period of time as certain promissory notes may be required by the Committee in the discharge of its duty. The Committee shall have authority to incur necessary collection expenses and to assign notes for collection; to compromise and adjust claims against students and/or their sureties; and to direct the sale at the best cash price obtainable of any and all securities belonging to the Fund other than student obligations.

Sec. 3. PURPOSE. The purpose of the Student Loan Fund is to provide the financial means of assisting, by cash loans, eligible students who are desirous of completing their education but financially unable to do so without such assistance.

Sec. 4. STUDENTS ELIGIBLE. Applicants for loans must be members of Eastern Star Chapters under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of California, minor children of such members or deceased members, or their adult sons and daughters who are eligible to membership in the Order at the time the application is presented.

Sec. 5. ACADEMIC AND POST GRADUATE STUDENTS. Loans to Students who have completed their junior year in regular collegiate or State Teachers College courses, and to such graduate students for post-graduate courses, shall be known as Class "A" loans. Applicants shall be unmarried and must attend an accredited institution within the State of California. The amount which may be loaned shall not exceed \$200.00 in the aggregate and not more than \$100.00 for one semester. Class "A" loans shall require the approval of a majority of the Committee.

Sec. 6. SPECIAL COURSE STUDENTS. Loans to Students for the purpose of enabling them to attend day, or evening, trade, commercial or professional courses shall be restricted to those persons responsible for the maintenance and support of their families or near blood relatives, and shall be known as Class "B" loans. Applicants shall be without marital restriction. The amount which may be loaned shall not exceed the actual cost of text books and tuition or the maximum provided under Sec. 5. Class "B" loans shall require the unanimous approval of the Committee.

Sec. 7. PERIOD OF LOANS. The period of every loan shall be for the least amount of time required for its repayment by the student in

the exercise of good faith and endeavor. Every borrower shall agree as the minimum requirement to repay the amount borrowed in monthly installments, commencing with the third (3rd) month after graduation or discontinuance of school attendance, of not less than five (5%) per cent per month. Every borrower shall execute a promissory note payable on demand for the amount loaned and agree that the Committee shall have the option of recovering any amounts due under the terms of the agreement or by demanding and enforcing payment of said note or notes.

Sec. 8. AGREEMENTS AND NOTES. All representations by applicants shall be in writing on a form provided by the Committee, and shall be deemed a part of the agreements signed by them. Each agreement must contain a provision requiring the applicant to execute a promissory note payable on demand for the amount requested, together with interest at four (4%) per cent per annum, as a means of insuring proper control in the enforcement of conditions imposed and to facilitate the collection of amounts due where assignment or legal action is necessary.

Sec. 9. SECURITY FOR STUDENT LOANS. Every student borrower shall be required to obtain the signature of some responsible person, a resident of California and not related by blood or marriage, as surety for the full and faithful performance of the obligation assumed. It must be distinctly understood that persons signing as sureties will be held strictly in accordance with their contracts.

Sec. 10. APPLICATIONS FOR LOANS. When funds are available for loans Chapters will be furnished application forms on request and all applications shall originate in subordinate Chapters sponsoring the applicants. When a member of the Order is familiar with circumstances surrounding a deserving student who desires to apply for a Student loan, such member shall present them in the form of a resolution requiring the approval of the Chapter to a request for application forms and the appointment of an investigating committee by the Worthy Matron. Said resolution shall be read in open Chapter without previous notice and shall be carried by a majority vote. If carried the Worthy Matron shall immediately appoint the three Junior Past Matrons as a committee of investigation, to investigate particularly the scholastic record, character and commendable virtues of the proposed applicant; the true financial resources of relatives and real need of our assistance; and the financial responsibility and relationship of the proposed surety for the loan. Their report shall be on a form to be provided by the Committee and

supplemented by a copy of the original resolution and other data disclosing the relationship of applicant to other members of the Chapter and particulars concerning any existing indebtedness on the part of the applicant. All applications shall require the unanimous approval of the subordinate Chapter Committee and when approved shall be forwarded to the Chairman of the Student Loan Fund Committee. No Chapter shall be permitted to sponsor more than one student borrower until the first loan shall have been repaid in full.

Sec. 11. REPAYMENTS OF LOANS BY STUDENTS. Borrowers and their sureties will be held strictly, in the repayment of loans, to the minimum monthly payment condition imposed under Section 7, and, on the failure to meet any or all of such payments when due the entire balance unpaid shall immediately become due and payable at the option of the Committee. Where indifference or a lack of good faith is apparent the Committee shall immediately take such action as is necessary to protect the Fund.

Sec. 12. RECORDS AND REPORTS. The Committee shall maintain separate individual files containing all data with respect to pending and approved applications for loans and such files shall be delivered by the Chairman to his or her successor in office. At each annual session of Grand Chapter the Committee shall render a complete report of its activities, but shall omit therefrom the names of the students referred to unless, in their opinion, special circumstances warrant full publicity. This report shall be followed by the reading of a statement of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial condition of the Fund.

Sec. 13. DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE. When the remaining unappropriated balance of the Fund is insufficient to cover pending applications preference shall be given by the Committee to small and short term applications. The Committee shall have full discretion in the matter of granting Student Loans and revoking loans previously authorized. It shall have authority to extend or postpone the repayment of loans, installments or parts thereof, for a reasonable time when such action seems warranted. It shall also have power and authority to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the efficient operation and management of the Fund, not inconsistent with the provisions herein contained.

Sec. 14. PRIOR RULES REPEALED. Except as to loans previously authorized, all prior rules and regulations are hereby repealed.

Adopted.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE STUDENT LOAN FUND

Following report presented by Sister Jessie Inghram:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

On September 1, 1931, the following assets composed the Student Loan Fund of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Cash on Deposit.....	\$4,183.82
Bond—Petaluma & Santa Rosa Railway.....	800.00
Advances on Student Loans.....	2,360.00
Interest Receivable	163.08
Total	\$7,506.90

During the fiscal year ended August 31, 1932, additional advances were made to Students aggregating \$1,750.00, and the amount of \$843.20 owing to the General Fund was repaid. Interest amounting to \$209.67 and \$10.00 profit on sales of Eastern Star history, were received. Following is the condition of the Fund as of August 31, 1932:

ASSETS

Cash—Anglo California National Bank.....	\$1,780.77
Interest Receivable	192.60
Advances to Students.....	4,110.00
Bond—Petaluma & Santa Rosa Railway.....	800.00
Total Assets	\$6,883.37

LIABILITIES

Surplus:

Appropriated for Student Loans.....	\$5,760.00
Unappropriated Balance	1,123.37
Total Liabilities	\$6,883.37

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE H. INGRAM, *Secretary,*

Student Loan Fund Committee.

Report Accepted

Bro. Joseph M. Argabrite, Junior Past Grand Patron, reported the splendid progress being made by Altadena Chapter No. 526.

At 10:30 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

9:30 A. M.

October 21st.

PRESENTATION OF CHARTER

The Worthy Matron of Ojai Chapter U.D. was escorted to the East and presented with the Charter by the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Lewis McDonald.

Brother McDonald:

"Sister Drown, Worthy Matron of Ojai Chapter U.D.: In my heart there are mixed feelings of sadness and happiness. I am very sad that there was only one Chapter formed in our jurisdiction of California this year, but I am very happy that the Chapter that was formed was your own Chapter at Ojai.

"The formation and institution of a new Chapter always reflects upon the administration of a Worthy Grand Patron, so let us hope you folks down at Ojai make up for the decrease in the number of new Chapters instituted in California this year by the quality of the members you take in.

"Once again, I express my deep regret at not being able to attend the institution of your Chapter, but please go back and tell the members of your Chapter that your Worthy Grand Patron is proud of them, loves them, and is with them, heart and soul.

"It gives me the greatest pleasure to present to the Matron of my only Eastern Star child, Ojai Chapter, this Charter from the Grand Chapter, which will entitle you to all the privileges of the Order. Hereafter, you will be known as the Worthy Matron of Ojai Chapter No. 528. Please accept my congratulations and God-speed."

Sister Drown, Worthy Matron of Ojai Chapter, accepted the Charter, thanked the Worthy Grand Patron and assured Grand Chapter that its action in granting a Charter would never be regretted.

The Grand Secretary read the minutes of the sessions of Thursday morning, afternoon and evening, which were approved as read.

Following resolutions were read by the Grand Secretary and referred to proper Committees:

1. Regarding annual audit of books of a Subordinate Chapter (see page 234).
2. Regarding diploma or letter to be furnished Past Patrons by Grand Chapter (see page 232).
3. Regarding Ritual to be furnished Chapters for use of Secretary. (See page 233.)

The Worthy Grand Matron read an excerpt from the Report of the Committee on Public Schools Week of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M. of California, commending the Eastern Star Chapters of the State for their cooperation in the thirteenth annual observance of Public Schools Week.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF EASTERN STAR HOMES

The report of the Trustees and the supplementary report were given by Sister Maud D. Bradley, P. G. M., President of the Board:

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Greetings:

In conformity with the Constitution of our Grand Chapter, the Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California beg leave to submit the following report.

The first meeting was held immediately following the session of the Grand Chapter at Coronado on October 23, 1931, at which time the following officers were elected:

President, Trustee Maud Dezell Bradley.

First Vice-President, Trustee Effie Easton.

Acting Secretary to serve in the absence of our Grand Secretary, Trustee Hazael-Marsh Piper.

The following committees were then appointed:

Finance Committee, Trustees Easton, Pierce, Piper.

Building Committee, Trustees Pierce, Holloway, McGiffin.

Home Policy Committee, Trustees Piper, Easton, Bradley.

Furnishing Committee, Trustees Easton, Piper, McGiffin.

Subsequent meetings of the Trustees were held in Los Angeles March 30th, June 23rd, July 11th, July 30th, September 8th, and October 8th, 1932.

The Grand Chapter of California, through its vast resources and loyal membership, has now erected a Home for its aged members in California at Westgate—it only needs the final touches to make it ready for occupancy. The entire year has been given over to the construction and your Trustees have worked and had earnestly hoped to have the building opened by this time, but delays, over which we have had no control, have prevented us from carrying out our plans; however, your Trustees have carried on and when it has seemed best to handle various parts of the work other than by contract we have done so and have been gratified at the substantial saving we have made. The building is now ready for your inspection.

Incorporated herein you will find reports of the following committees: Building Committee, Furnishing Committee and Finance Committee.

Your Building Committee desires to submit herewith report covering the period from September 11, 1931, to September 15, 1932.

A complete audit made by Certified Public Accountant, R. W. E. Cole of Los Angeles, is made a part of this report and gives the exact accomplishments of the Committee to date.

Acting under authority of the Trustees, your Building Committee entered into a contract with The K. R. Bradley Construction Company to act as constructor representing the Building Committee in the construction of this building, and the decision of the Trustees in adopting this plan has shown that it was more than justified. The Committee only can appreciate the value of the services which this firm has rendered to the Order in the construction of this Home. Their entire time, both night and day, has been willingly given to the many problems which your Committee has faced, and we are most fortunate in securing their services for this work.

In addition to this, your Committee is convinced that on the basis of actual bids submitted from time to time and the final figures shown at the completion of the work under their supervision, they have saved our Order many thousands of dollars.

You will find by referring to the auditor's report that up to date we have actually expended \$243,858.97, with a balance due under uncompleted contracts of \$47,898.70.

It is needless to state that we have had many problems and troubles in the construction of this building, but our main idea has been to complete a building that would be a credit to our Order and a service for our unfortunate aged members.

To those of you who have inspected the Home we feel you will agree that we have accomplished just this—to those members who have not been fortunate enough to personally visit the building, we trust you will take an early opportunity to do so.

In the construction of this building every contract has contained a clause that the members of our Order should be given preference in work and this has been followed as far as practicable. We expect to complete our work and be able to turn the building over to the Board of Trustees not later than January 1st, 1933.

Respectfully submitted,

D. W. PIERCE, Chairman,
ELSIE MAE MCGIFFIN,
BERT R. HOLLOWAY,
Building Committee.

Los Angeles, California.

September 22, 1932.

D. W. Pierce, Sr., Chairman
Building Committee,
Eastern Star Homes of California,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your instructions we have audited the data submitted in connection with the construction of the Eastern Star Homes Building at Westgate, California, and submit herewith a Statement of Warrants Authorized, September 11, 1931, to September 15, 1932, being warrants No. 100 to No. 237 inclusive.

COMMENT BUILDING COMMITTEE

The building committee consists of
D. W. Pierce, Sr., Chairman
Bert R. Holloway
Elsie Mae McGiffin

On September 4, 1931, the Board of Trustees contracted the Architects, Wm. Mooser Company and Train & Cressey, and on September 10, 1931, contracted with K. R. Bradley and O. R. Lindsay, co-partners, doing business as K. R. Bradley Construction Company, to furnish "Efficient business administration and superintendence" for the construction of the buildings.

BUILDING

The building is located at 11725 Beverly Boulevard, Westgate, California, and is to be used as a home for aged members of the Order of the Eastern Star. The two-story building is of reinforced concrete and at September 15, 1932, while construction is practically complete, the finishing and painting is unfinished and this work is still under supervision.

SUMMARY

From our examination of the data submitted, we find that the building committee has approved all contracts and agreements, has authorized all warrants for payment of labor, material and building expense, and has financially supervised the construction to date, of the building at Westgate, California.

We find that all invoices have been checked before payment, that all possible cash discounts have been taken, and that to September 15, 1932, warrants of a total of \$243,858.97 have been authorized as classified on Exhibit "A".

Unpaid balances on contracts are set forth on Exhibit "A" but architect's fees, etc., miscellaneous unpaid bills for purchases by the "Constructor," will not be determinable until the building is completed.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. E. COLE,

Certified Public Accountant.

SCHEDULE 1
STATEMENT OF WARRANTS AUTHORIZED—
MISCELLANEOUS
RE WESTGATE HOME CONSTRUCTION
SEPTEMBER 11, 1931, TO SEPTEMBER 15, 1932

<i>Classification</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Architect's Fees	\$ 13,200.00
Automobile Expense	43.90
Cement, Rock, Sand and Steel.....	39,679.72
Cement Work, Special.....	650.00
Door Jambs	4,132.88
File Cabinets	75.00
Floor Underlay	416.00
Gas Engine	339.95
Gasoline, Oil and Grease.....	105.27
Hardware	996.33
Insurance and Bond Premiums.....	4,448.92
Labor:	
General	\$51,162.18
Plumbing and Heating.....	5,905.25
Painting	845.10
	57,912.53
Lumber	3,537.12
Material, Miscellaneous	690.86
Painting	835.89
Permits	242.85
Plumbing and Heating	20,823.83
Repairs to Equipment.....	113.18
Salary—Clerk	50.00
Sand Blasting	183.50
Stationery and Supplies.....	109.74
Surveying and Excavation.....	3,606.98
Telephone	210.40
Tile and Brick	2,545.45
Trucking	722.00
Water and Power	253.22
Waterproofing	900.00
TOTAL	\$156,827.52
Water Meter Deposit	22.40
TOTAL—Carried to EXHIBIT "A".....	\$156,849.92

EXHIBIT "A"
STATEMENT OF WARRANTS AUTHORIZED
RE WESTGATE HOME CONSTRUCTION
SEPTEMBER 11, 1931, TO SEPTEMBER 15, 1932

Classification	Contractor	Contract Price	Balance Due	Warrants Authorized
Doors, Hollow Metal	Soule Steel Co.	\$ 2,979.00	\$ 2,979.00	
Doors, Industrial	Calif. Fireproof Door Co.	1,035.00	1,035.00	
Dumb Waiter	C. P. Helpman	462.75		\$ 462.75
Electrical Fixtures	Wagner-Woodruff Co.	4,675.00	1,675.00	3,000.00
Electrical Work	H. H. Walker	9,600.00	3,631.50	5,968.50
Elevators	Consolidated Steel Co.	2,830.00	1,132.00	1,698.00
Elevators, Extras	Consolidated Steel Co.	535.00		535.00
Floors, Cement	Davis & Davis	877.00	877.00	
Floors, Oak	Gage & Priseler	1,865.00	1,865.00	
Flooring	Stedman Rubber Floors	5,123.82	5,123.82	
Frigidaire	Kilgore's	2,414.87	2,414.87	
Glass	W. P. Fuller & Co.	3,541.50		3,541.50
Hardware (Finish)	California Hardware Co.	2,689.00	2,689.00	
Iron Work	Superior Ornamental Iron Works	3,690.00	1,226.73	2,463.27
Joists	Soule Steel Co.	8,300.00		8,258.51
	Discount taken	41.49		
Mantels	Hamlin & Hood	470.00	470.00	
Medicine Cabinets	Hallenscheid & McDonald	435.00	435.00	
Metal Work	National Cornice Works	2,700.00	675.00	2,025.00
Mill Work	Frank Graves Co.	5,992.00	4,642.00	1,350.00
Mill Work Extras	Frank Graves Co.	479.30	479.30	
Plastering	Burton & Wharton	21,753.00	1,517.05	20,235.95
Roofing—Tile	C. L. Passmore	7,830.00	2,895.00	4,935.00
Steps—Granite	Westco Co.	1,795.00	448.75	1,346.25
Stone Work	Hamlin & Hood	686.00	686.00	
Superintendence	K. R. Bradley Construction Co.	15,000.00	3,000.00	12,000.00
Tile and Marble	Berger & Eldridge	14,739.80	5,182.37	9,557.43
Ventilating	Universal Sheet Metal Co.	3,386.00	160.21	3,225.79
Window Casements	Soule Steel Co.	8,910.10	2,659.10	6,219.80
Incinerator	Discount taken	31.20		
	Burnrite Incinerator Co.	186.30		186.30
TOTAL CONTRACTED MATERIAL AND LABOR		\$134,907.75	\$ 47,898.70	\$ 87,009.05
Miscellaneous Per Schedule "1"				\$156,849.92
TOTAL WARRANTS AUTHORIZED, SEPTEMBER 11, 1931, TO SEPTEMBER 15, 1932				\$243,858.97

Your Furnishing Committee desires to submit herewith the following report:

The Furnishing Committee appointed by President Bradley beg leave to report:

That the "kitchen equipment" installation and "corktile floor" installation contracts have been signed and work on these two contracts will be completed by October 15th, 1932.

That the bedroom furniture and bed equipment contracts will be signed on October 11th, 1932.

Interviews have been granted on chinaware, silver and shades. Specifications on these three items are being prepared by the committee.

Other furnishings will follow and be considered in rapid rotation. The complete furnishings of the home to be concluded in ninety days from signing of contracts.

Respectfully submitted,

ELSIE MAE MCGIFFIN, Worthy Grand Matron.

HAZAEI MARSH PIPER,

EFFIE EASTON, Chairman.

The Committee.

Your Finance Committee desires to submit the following report, covering the period from September 1, 1931, to August 31, 1932:

Balance, Cash on Hand Sept. 1, 1931.....	\$272,591.84
Transferred from General Fund September 1, 1931.....	176.18

TOTAL	\$272,768.02

Expenditures:

Building Costs	\$209,556.90
Furnishings	75.00
Trustees Expenses	452.22
Eastern Star Home Assn. of Southern ern California	3,077.22
Eastern Star Homes Assn. of Southern California Revolving Fund.....	200.00
Office Supplies—Stationery, Postage, etc.	70.87
Cornerstone Laying	222.65
Taxes, Westgate	433.15
Attorneys' Fees	762.44

Miscellaneous:

Advertising, Masonic World..\$	1.50
Federal Tax on Checks	.54
Building Comm. Expenses.....	22.55
Furnishing Comm. Exp.....	13.76
Miscell. in Rebuilding.....	10.05
Telephone and Telegraph.....	36.55
Safe Deposit Box.....	5.00
	89.95
1931 Home Assessment Refunds.....	750.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	215,690.40

\$ 57,077.62

Income

1932 Home Assessment.....	\$103,740.00	
1930-31 Home Assessment.....	6.00	
Interest: Banks	7,620.42	
Bonds	2,973.33	
Donations:		
East Bay Convention Com. (1930)....	300.00	
Fresno Past Matrons and Patrons Assn.	300.00	
Ushers at Coronado (1931).....	100.00	
Long Beach Chapter No. 173.....	6.71	
		<u>115,046.46</u>

Balance—Cash on Hand August 31st, 1932..... \$172,124.08

On Deposit with Banks August 31st, 1932:

Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles	\$ 31,826.60
Anglo-California Natl. Bank, No. 79799	32,469.84
Anglo-California Natl. Bank, No. 17433	1,788.60
Crocker First Federal Tr. Co., No. 47260	660.85
California Bank of L. A., No. 85523.....	52,757.46
The San Francisco Bank, No. 712537	31,837.23
The San Francisco Bank, No. 272041.....	20,000.00
Cash on Hand for Deposit	783.50

TOTAL \$172,124.08

The difference in the amount of the building cost on the Grand Secretary's report and that of the building committee is due to warrants issued September 1st to September 10th, which are included in the building committee's report and not in the Grand Secretary's report.

Respectfully submitted,

EFFIE EASTON,
D. W. PIERCE,
HAZEL MARSH PIPER.

Your trustees acknowledge with grateful thanks the following gifts:
 1932—Memorial Window, 1932 Matrons Assn. of Southern California.
 Tile Fountain in Patio, 1929 Matrons of California.
 Loyalty Chapter No. 217 to furnish room, not to exceed \$300.
 San Francisco Matrons yearly magazines for Home, not to exceed \$15.
 American Flag, Emma Wood Hale, Oakland Chapter No. 140.
 Roman Blanket and Oil Painting, Rose Ellen Walker, Pacific Chapter No. 192.
 Polished Horns, Patsy Smith, Wil-Brea Chapter No. 520.
 Memorial Drinking Fountain, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tipton,
 South Gate Chapter No. 133.

South Gate Chapter to furnish a room.....\$250.00
 Santa Monica Chapter No. 113.....100.00
 San Gabriel Chapter No. 407.....118.39
 East Bay 1931 Matrons, Dresden Urn, valued at.....250.00
 San Francisco 1931 Matrons, Dresden Urn, valued at.....250.00
 Southern California 1931 Matrons, Artificial Stone Mantel and Tabel.....250.00
 Southern California 1930 Matrons Assn., Artificial Stone Mantel in Dining Room.....300.00
 San Francisco 1932 Matrons Association, for Vases on Porch.....50.00
 Star Points Association of 1931, to Furnish a Room.....250.00
 Elva Alexander, Past Matron of Orient Chapter, for Lamp.....25.00
 Past Grand Elective Officers, a Chair, Memorial to Mother Boyd.....250.00
 Daylight Chapter No. 265, to Furnish Room.....250.00
 Also Oil Painting of George Washington.
 Alhambra Chapter, to Furnish a Room.....300.00
 1931 Marthas Association, Comforter in Memory of Katherine Rowe.
 Gifts previously reported:
 Usbers (1927 Session).....\$100.00
 Usbers (1929 Session).....100.00
 Usbers (1930 Session).....100.00
 Usbers (1931 Session).....100.00

1929—America Chapter No. 408.....	300.00
From Palestine Chapter (a letter stating \$250.00 was set aside for gift for the Home).....	250.00
Home Memorial, Cyrus Bell.....	100.00
1930—Miramonte Chapter No. 141.....	10.00
George Beaton, of Bethel Chapter.....	12.50
Mary Silverthorn, Oriental Chapter No. 258.....	29.00
Sister Courtier, Oregon Santa Barbara No. 501.....	1.00
La Jolla Chapter No. 479.....	1.00
1931—East Bay Convention Committee.....	300.00
Fresno Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association, to furnish room	300.00
The K. R. Bradley Construction Co.....	Cornerstone
William H. Ness.....	Metal Box to be Placed in Cornerstone

Our Order dreamed a dream and through Faith and out of that dream has arisen our Eastern Star Home, far more beautiful than we ever could visualize. So I appeal to you, to the membership in this great state of ours, to continue our work and adopt those who accept our hospitality in the Home as our very own, to love and cherish as long as they shall live.

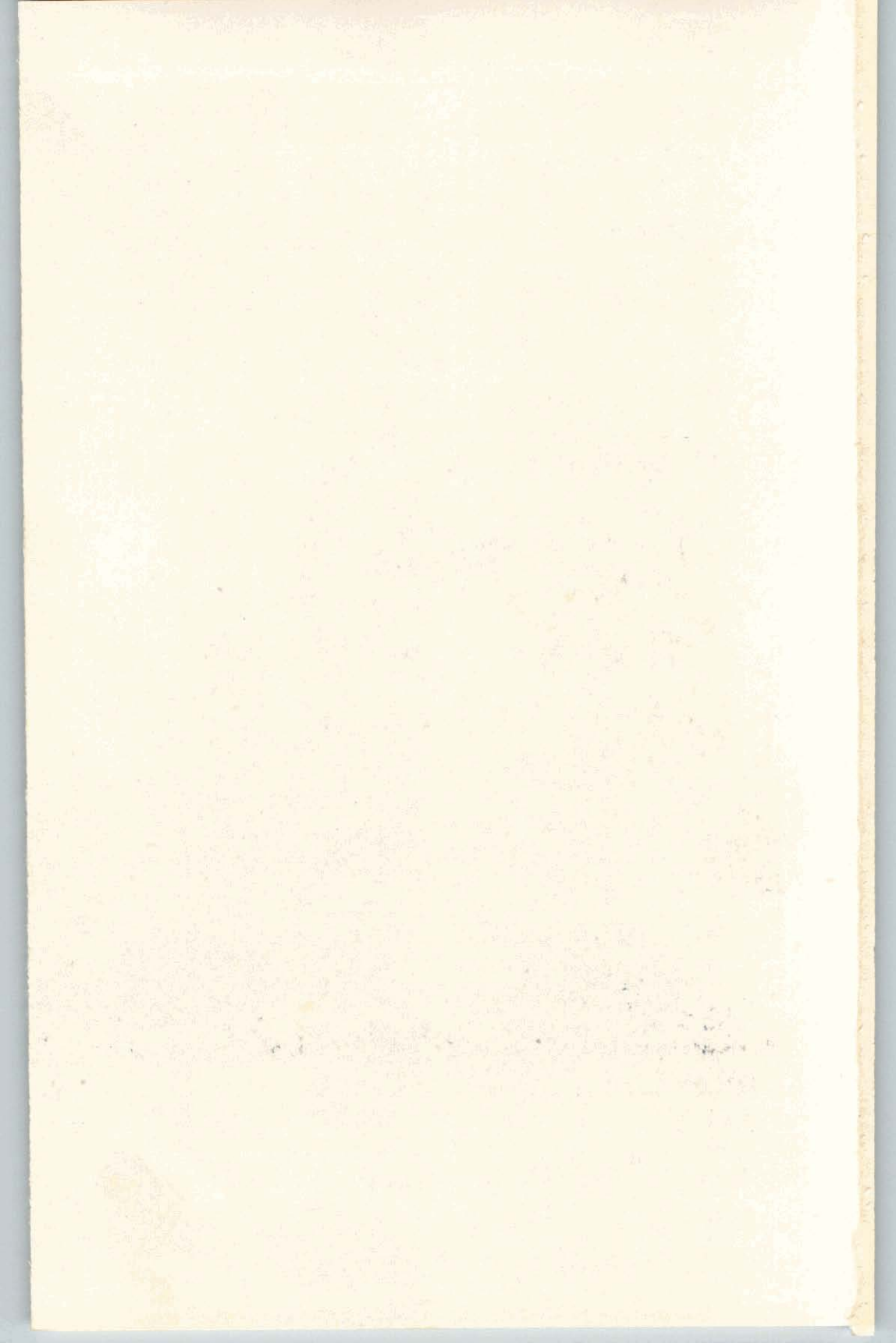
"When we make Charity, Love and Truth the keynotes of our Heart
And strive in the virtues we teach to take a living part
Then will the light of our Order bend its radiance near and far
And each member reflect the glory of our beautiful Eastern Star."

Fraternally submitted,

MAUD DEZELL BRADLEY,
EFFIE EASTON,
HAZAEI MARSH PIPER,
DARWIN WILLSON PIERCE,
BERT RICHARD HOLLOWAY,
Trustees.

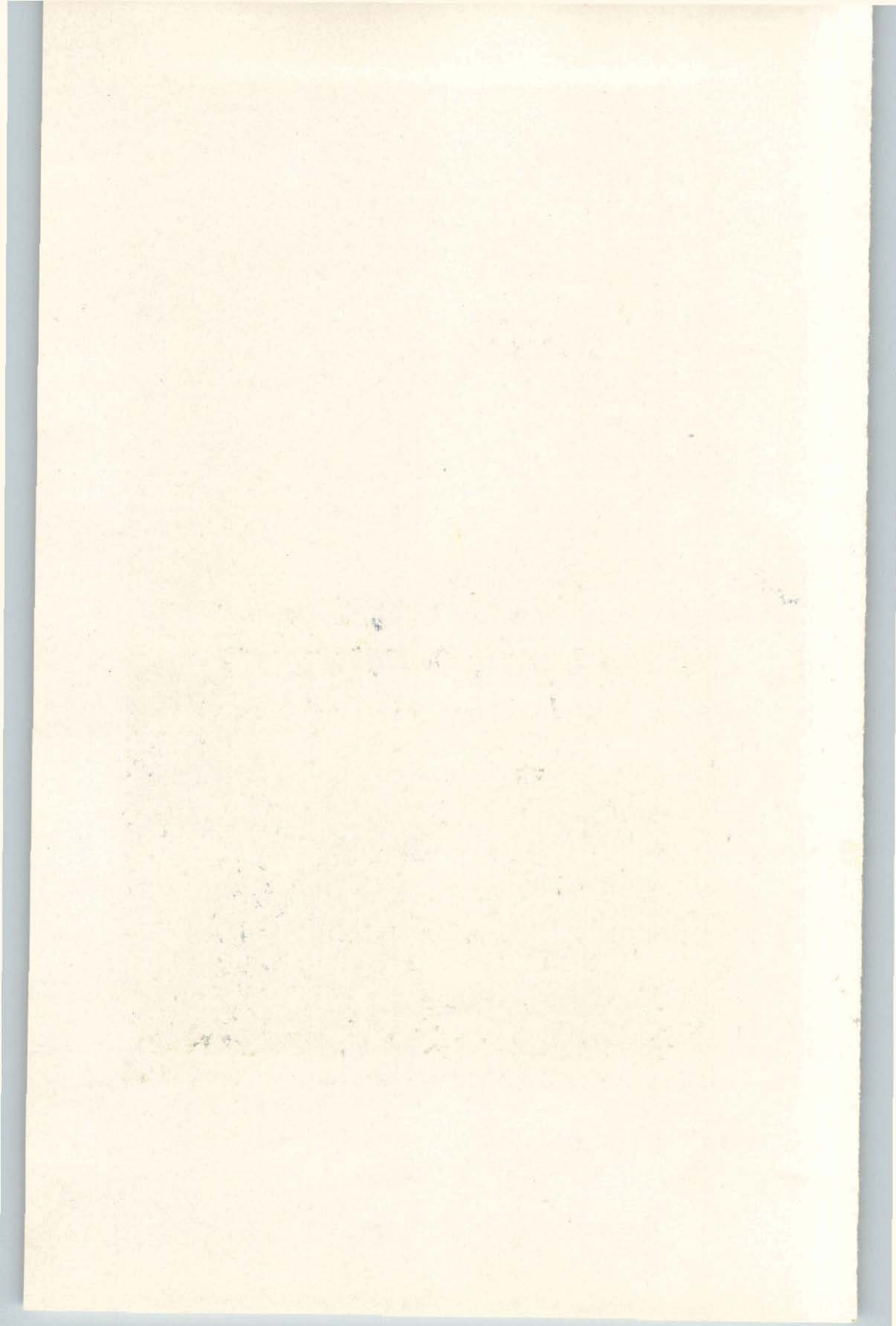


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REPORT OF APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES COMMITTEE

Report of the Committee read by Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, Junior Past Grand Matron:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Appeals and Grievances, to whom was referred the trial record of Crown Chapter No. 162 of Corona, Riverside County, California, in the case of John R. Hardisty, and his appeal from the judgment of both suspension and expulsion by Crown Chapter, beg leave to report as follows:

We have carefully studied the evidence adduced and have heard the appeal. We are unanimous in the opinion that there were many errors of procedure, and that much evidence which was immaterial and irrelevant was admitted, but it has not been shown that these errors of procedure and the immaterial evidence caused a miscarriage of justice.

We, therefore, recommend that the judgment of expulsion by Crown Chapter be sustained.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLA JANE HELLWIG,

D. E. F. EASTON,

FRANK CRUSE,

Committee.

The hearing of the appeal in the above case was made a special order of business for 11:00 A. M. After full presentation of the case, Bro. Postel, P. G. P., moved that a new trial be held before another Grand Chapter session. A substitute motion was presented by Bro. Walker Peddicord, that the order of this Grand Chapter shall be that the judgment be reversed and the charges dismissed.

Motion Carried.

Upon motion of Bro. Postel, the defendant was restored to membership in his Chapter.

Grand Secretary read resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, regarding a manual form for procedure in trials. (See page 233.)

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COURTESY

Sister Bessie A. Pierce, Past Grand Treasurer, read the following report:

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Ours is the pleasant duty of expressing the thanks of this Grand Chapter for the numberless acts of courtesy, kindness and good will

which have helped to make this Fifty-ninth Grand Chapter session such a wonderful success.

To San Francisco we tender our sincere appreciation of her fraternal spirit in permitting our Order to make her City its temporary home, and our thanks for the use of her beautiful Auditorium and organ, which have lent so much grace to our meetings.

These privileges were made possible through the courtesy of the San Francisco Chapters, to whom we express our warm thanks. To them also we owe the wonderful Colonial setting given to this session in the opening ceremony. Our grateful thanks are also given to the musicians providing such appropriate music for the occasion.

We appreciate and thank The Emporium for the pictures of George Washington; Sherman Clay Co. for the grand piano; Golden Gate Commandery for the use of the chairs on the stage; Harmony Chapter for the Altar and Star Point chairs; Imperial Chapter for Star Point lights; and Parnassus Chapter for the Signet.

To you, Grand Matron and Grand Patron, we tender our deep appreciation for the beauty and dignity of our Grand Chapter Session. To your capable minds and willing hands we owe the prompt and successful transaction of the business of this session.

To our distinguished visitors we extend thanks and appreciation for the inspiration their presence lends and for many kind words and thoughtful acts.

The Activities Committee, with Brother Max Wassman, Jr., Chairman, has worked hard and long for our pleasure, and the heartiest thanks of this Grand Chapter are extended to them for their splendid work.

We are indebted to Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, chairman of the Housing Committee, for her courtesy and kindly attention in planning our sojourn here.

It is difficult to express in words our appreciation of the work of the Necrology Committee in presenting to this session their touching tribute to our loved ones gone before. We can only say reverently: "It was beautiful." To Mr. Bocarde, of the Capital Decorating Company, we tender thanks for making possible the beautiful lighting effects of the Memorial Service.

We express appreciation to the Governor of California for his presence at our session. We wish to thank Mayor Rossi for his address of welcome and for the lighting of the Dome in honor of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, and for the privilege of inspecting the new opera house. We wish to also thank Brother Frank W. Mixter, Grand Master of the Masons of California, for his inspiring address.

Our heartfelt appreciation is also expressed for the beautiful vocal music rendered at all sessions; for the fine organ numbers rendered by Brother Charles Anderson, Grand Organist of the Grand Lodge of Masons; for the wonderful tribute given to our national emblem by Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper; to Sister Isabel Mosher and her splendid chorus; and to those who cared for the flowers, keeping them fresh and beautiful, thereby adding charm to the meetings.

Our sincere thanks are due to all who remembered our session so kindly with messages by telegram and letter and to the press of San Francisco for its notices of our meetings.

We are grateful to the Pages and Ushers, who served so faithfully throughout the session, and to the members of the police force for the assurance of order and security given by their presence.

And again to our hostess Chapters, who have worked so untiringly to make our visit a pleasant and profitable one, and to any others who have added in any way to the welfare of this Fifty-ninth Grand Chapter Session, we express our heartfelt thanks.

Respectfully submitted,
BESSIE A. PIERCE.

Report Accepted.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred letter from Calkota Chapter No. 309, reading:

"Referring to previous correspondence, relative our 1932 unpaid Grand Chapter dues, \$41.00, and unpaid balance 1932 Home Assessment, \$53.00, total \$94.00:

"At our first fall stated meeting yesterday, September 28th, the matter of our depository Bank, First National in Kerman, closing its doors on July 1st, and the above stated unpaid monies due the Grand Chapter was thoroughly discussed and the following facts were brought out.

"We have at present a claim filed with the defunct First National Bank in Kerman in amount \$154.01. It appears to be the bank receiver's opinion, taking into consideration this defunct bank's financial mess, that the depositors need look for but very little of their deposited money. And he is unable to say when this small amount will be paid the depositors. This opinion coming from such authority, it is practically a foregone conclusion that our Chapter funds are lost. Practically all our 1932 dues from members have been collected, probably a few more will pay. We have at present \$13.00 cash on hand and owe bills a little more than

that amount.

"In view of these facts, it was the unanimous opinion of the members present that our Chapter could not pay our 1932 Grand Chapter dues and the balance of 1932 Home Assessment, a total of \$94.00, and requested the Secretary to submit these facts to the Grand Chapter and beg that this amount be remitted our Chapter account financial inability to pay.

"Trusting you will give this favorable consideration.

"Fraternally yours,

(Signed) "A. W. LEMBERG.
"Secretary."

We therefore recommend that the Grand Chapter dues and assessments of Calkota Chapter No. 309, amounting to \$94.00, be remitted, and that the mileage of the representative of said Chapter to this session be paid.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance has had under consideration the matter of the annual audit of the books and accounts of the Grand Chapter, as well as those of the Eastern Star Home.

We recommend that it be the declared policy of this Grand Chapter that there be an annual audit of these accounts; that the audit be made by a certified public accountant or accountants; that the appointment of the said accountant or accountants be made by the Committee on Finance; and that it be the policy of Grand Chapter to have the accounts of its Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Eastern Star Home, and any other accounts under the control of Grand Chapter, audited at the same time and by the same accountant or accountants.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

As the recommendation of the Finance Committee regarding the payment of the Home Assessment to be made at the same time as the annual report, was adopted, your Committee recommend that Article 1, Sec. 18, 3rd, of the Constitution, reading:

Art. I, Sec. 18. 3rd: In addition to the annual dues levied upon subordinate Chapters there may be levied an assessment for such sum as the Grand Chapter shall prescribe at its annual session. Such assessment shall be for the calendar year from January first to December 31st following the date of assessment and shall be constituted a special fund to be denominated the Eastern Star Home Fund, and it shall be the duty of the several Chapters to collect such amount from each member, and only such members whose names are borne upon the rolls as of January first and to pay to the Grand Secretary the assessments collected prior to January 31st on said day and the balance of said assessments collected thereafter, not later than July 31st of each year for which the assessment is levied.

No Chapter shall be entitled to vote or participate in the transactions of the Grand Chapter until such assessments are paid.
be amended to read:

In addition to the annual dues levied upon the subordinate Chapters there may be levied an assessment for such sum as the Grand Chapter shall prescribe at its annual session. Such assessment shall be levied for each member whose name is borne upon the roll of the Chapter on the 31st day of May following the date of the levying of the assessment and shall be constituted a special fund to be denominated the Eastern Star Home Fund, and it shall be the duty of the several Chapters to collect such amount from each member and pay same to the Grand Secretary at the time and in the manner directed for the payment of their annual dues.

No Chapter shall be entitled to vote or participate in the transactions of the Grand Chapter until its dues and/or assessments are paid.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

(See pages 159, 204, 232.)

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance who had under consideration the report of the Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California:

Recommend that the report as printed, together with the Auditor's comments, be published in the Annual Proceedings and that an assessment of One Dollar per capita be levied upon each member of the Order, in same manner as prescribed by the regulation adopted at the 58th annual session.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

After considerable discussion the report of the Committee was *adopted* and an assessment of \$1.00 levied for 1933 for the Eastern Star Homes of California.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance, to whom were referred the reports of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer, submit herewith the report of A. C. McCloskey, Certified Public Accountant.

The Auditor's report shows in detail the financial transactions of the Grand Chapter for the year just closed.

We recommend the publication of said report in full in the Proceedings of this session.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted.

Bills were presented and referred to the Committee on Finance. (See page 240, Budget.)

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the
Grand Chapter of California,
Order of the Eastern Star,
San Francisco, California:

Acting under instructions received from the Worthy Grand Matron, I have now completed the annual audit of the accounts and records of the Grand Secretary's Office at San Francisco, for the fiscal year September 1, 1931, to August 31, 1932. The following statements are now presented herewith for your information:

Consolidated Balance Sheet (all funds)—August 31, 1932.

Statement of General Fund Revenue and Expenditures and comparison with budget estimates—September 1, 1931, to August 31, 1932.

Statement of other Funds Revenue and Expenditures and comparison with budget estimates—September 1, 1931, to August 31, 1932.

Statement reflecting available Cash over immediate requirements—August 31, 1932.

Analyses of Consolidated Balance Sheet:

Exhibit A—General Fund Balance Sheet.

Exhibit B—Representative Fund Balance Sheet.

Exhibit C—Benevolent Fund Balance Sheet.

Exhibit D—Scholarship Fund Balance Sheet.

Exhibit E—Student Loan Fund Balance Sheet.

Exhibit F—Eastern Star Home Fund Balance Sheet.

Analyses of Individual Balance Sheets:

Schedule 1-A—General Fund—Investments in Securities.

Schedule 1-B—Benevolent Fund—Investment in Securities.

Schedule 1-C—Student Loan Fund—Investment in Securities.

Schedule 1-D—Home Fund—Investment in Securities.

Schedule 2 —General Fund—Excess of Expenditures over Revenue.

Schedule 3 —Home Fund—Excess of Expenditures over Revenue.

CONSIDERATION OF CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

It will be observed that the Consolidated Balance Sheet has been analyzed in detail by the various Exhibits, A to F inclusive. Cash on deposit in the several banks was verified by direct confirmation from the depositories and all securities inspected in the presence of the Grand Matron and Grand Secretary. Other asset accounts have been verified as properly accounted. Liabilities and Fund commitments, with few exceptions, are not recorded.

To present the cost and market value of investments, reserves have now been provided, based upon appraisals made at my request by the Bond Department of the Anglo California National Bank.

CONSIDERATION OF STATEMENTS OF GENERAL AND OTHER FUNDS REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES AND COMPARISON WITH BUDGET ESTIMATES

These statements have been prepared for the convenience of the Committee on Finance and are arranged in accordance with the corresponding items appearing in the Budget. It will be noted that no provision was made in the budget for expenditures from the Benevolent Fund. This has occasioned the excess of expenditures over the amount authorized by the adoption of the budget.

CONSIDERATION OF STATEMENT REFLECTING AVAILABLE CASH OVER IMMEDIATE REQUIREMENTS

This statement discloses cash items, less accounts payable, appearing on the various Balance Sheets. Its purpose is to permit a consideration of the element of time before available cash must be replenished by sale of investments or otherwise. On this statement it has been assumed that all cash belonging to the Home Fund will be required for current obligations which are not recorded.

EXPLANATION OF SCHEDULES

Under Schedules 1-A, B, C and D, have been listed the various securities appearing on Balance Sheets A, C, E and F. Under Schedule 2 the excess of General Fund expenditures over revenue has been analyzed and Schedule 3 discloses a similar analysis of Home Fund expenditures and revenue.

HOME FUND

Invoices supporting Home Fund expenditures have been retained by the Building Committee of the Trustees and audited by an accountant employed by them. Disbursements have been made on the basis of warrants signed by Trustees.

CONCLUSION

Under Section 9, Article 1, of the Constitution, certain matters concerning policy and the interpretation of laws have been directed to the attention of the Worthy Grand Matron. Other accounts and records were examined in sufficient detail to satisfy myself that all financial

transactions have been properly accounted.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. MCCLOSKEY,

Certified Public Accountant.

GRAND CHAPTER OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET (ALL FUNDS)

August 31, 1932

ASSETS

Cash on Hand	\$237,435.96
Accounts and Interest Receivable.....	4,069.25
Investments in Securities.....	154,249.44
Cost Price	\$179,848.48
Less Reserve for Fluctuation in Value....	25,599.04
Inventory of Saleable Supplies	2,223.22
Fixed and Other Assets.....	225,502.22
Deferred Payment Student Notes and Agreements	\$ 5,760.00
Advances for Eastern Star Homes of California	217,351.72
Furniture and Equipment, Grand Secre- tary's Office	2,390.50
	\$623,480.09

LIABILITIES

Current	\$ 6,099.02
Accounts Payable	\$ 2,465.90
Reserve for Appreciation in Value of Securities	3,633.12
Surplus	617,381.07
General Fund—Exhibit A.....	\$ 75,356.29
Representative Fund—Exhibit B.....	22,783.99
Benevolent Fund—Exhibit C.....	85,295.31
Scholarship Fund—Exhibit D.....	3,447.93
Student Loan Fund—Exhibit E.....	6,433.37
Eastern Star Home Fund—Exhibit F.....	424,064.18
	\$623,480.09

STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
AND COMPARISON WITH BUDGET ESTIMATES

September 1, 1931, to August 31, 1932

GENERAL FUND

	Actual per Books	Budget Estimate	Budget Anticipation Below Requirement
Revenue:			
Per Capita Tax on Members.....	\$26,170.00	\$26,000.00	
Per Capita Tax—Initiates and Affiliates	2,649.00	2,000.00	
Charter Fees	30.00	150.00	
Special Dispensation and Fines..	225.00	200.00	
Interest	2,249.75	3,000.00	
Profit on Sales of Supplies.....	620.61	500.00	
	<u>\$31,944.36</u>	<u>\$31,850.00</u>	
Expenditures:			
Printing, Binding, Stationery, Postage	\$ 6,511.24	\$ 8,000.00	
Salary, Grand Secretary	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Salary, Grand Secretary Emeri- tus	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Salary, Assistant to Grand Sec- retary	1,700.00	1,800.00	
Salary, Assistant to Grand Secre- tary, 1931 Addnl.....	600.00	600.00	
Salary, Grand Treasurer	200.00	200.00	
Salary, Clerical and Office.....	1,250.00	1,500.00	
Expense Allowance, Worthy Grand Matron	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Expense Allowance, Worthy Grand Patron	854.33	1,000.00	
Official Visits Deputy Grand Matrons	2,175.05	1,800.00	
Schools of Instructions, Deputy Grand Matrons	1,386.89	1,500.00	
Contingent Expense, Grand Sec- retary's Office	54.59	800.00	
Rent Grand Secretary's Office...	1,710.00	2,100.00	
Card Index of Members.....	683.02	600.00	
Auditing	300.00	300.00	
Telephone and Telegraph.....	213.23	250.00	
Premiums on Bonds	78.50	100.00	
Christmas and New Year Greet- ings	150.00	150.00	
Jewel Worthy Grand Matron....	150.00	150.00	
Jewel Worthy Grand Patron	75.00	75.00	

	Actual per Books	Budget Estimate	Budget Anticipation Below Requirement
Incidental Expenses 1931 Con- vention	1,403.19	1,500.00	
Standing Committees 1930-31..	737.50	1,000.00	
Furniture and Supplies Grand			
Secretary	323.52	500.00	
Grand Organist, Session 1931....	25.00	25.00	
Grand Sentinel, Session 1931....	25.00	25.00	
Stenographer, Session 1931.....	250.00	200.00	
Mileage, General Grand Dele- gates	4,330.23	4,500.00	
Deficit Grand Matron 1931			
Expense	232.08	233.00	
Worthy Grand Patron 1931			
Expense	253.64		
Ushers, Session 1931.....	100.00	100.00	
Gift, Most Worthy Grand			
Matron	100.00	100.00	
Gift, Blythe Chapter No. 359....	100.00	100.00	
Housing Committee	82.75	100.00	
	<u>\$33,854.76</u>	<u>\$37,108.00</u>	

EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES

OVER REVENUE \$ 1,910.40 \$ 5,258.00 \$ 3,347.60

STATEMENT OF OTHER FUNDS REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
AND COMPARISON WITH BUDGET ESTIMATES

REPRESENTATIVE FUND

Revenue—Per Capita Tax.....	\$15,672.60	\$15,900.00	
Expenditures—Mileage 1931 Ses- sion	15,526.19	18,500.00	
Excess Expenditures over Re- venue	\$ 146.41	\$ 2,600.00	\$ 2,746.41

BENEVOLENT FUND

Revenue			
Per Capita Tax	\$10,448.40	\$10,600.00	
Interest	3,320.39	4,000.00	
Grand Chapter Demits.....	5.00		
TOTAL	<u>\$13,773.79</u>	<u>\$14,600.00</u>	

	Actual per Books	Budget Estimate	Budget Anticipation Below Requirement
Expenditures			
Assistance to Members	\$26,592.01	-----	
Committee Expense	39.35	-----	
TOTAL	\$26,631.36	-----	
Excess Expenditures over Revenue	\$12,857.57	\$14,600.00	27,457.57

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Revenue—Interest Earned	\$ 109.08	\$ 100.00	
Expenditures—None	-----	-----	
Excess Expenditures over Revenue	\$ 109.08	\$ 100.00	9.08

STUDENT LOAN FUND

Revenue			
Interest Earned	\$ 209.67	\$ 250.00	
Sales of O.E.S. History	10.00	-----	
TOTAL	219.67	250.00	
Expenditures—None	-----	-----	
Excess Expenditures over Revenue	\$ 219.67	\$ 250.00	30.33
TOTAL OF EXCESS EXPENDITURES	\$12,382.41	\$12,350.00	\$24,732.41
Add			
General Fund Excess Expenditures Over Revenue, as per accompanying statement	1,910.40	5,258.00	3,347.60
GRAND TOTAL OF EXCESS FOR BUDGET COMPARISON	\$14,292.81	\$ 7,092.00	\$21,384.81

VARIOUS FUNDS
STATEMENT REFLECTING AVAILABLE CASH OVER IMMEDIATE
REQUIREMENTS
August 31, 1932

GENERAL FUND—Exhibit A

Available Cash	\$ 46,667.85	
Immediate Cash Requirements.....	26,142.29	
Excess		\$ 20,525.56

REPRESENTATIVE FUND—Exhibit B

Available Cash (From General Fund)	\$ 22,783.99	
Immediate Cash Requirements.....		
Excess		22,783.99

BENEVOLENT FUND—Exhibit C

Available Cash	\$ 16,127.64	
Immediate Cash Requirements.....		
Excess		16,127.64

SCHOLARSHIP FUND—Exhibit D

Available Cash	\$ 3,418.02	
Immediate Cash Requirements		
Excess		3,418.02

STUDENT LOAN FUND—Exhibit E

Available Cash	\$ 1,780.77	
Immediate Cash Requirements	1,650.00	
Excess		130.77

HOME FUND—Exhibit F

Available Cash	\$172,124.08	
Immediate Cash Requirements Not Re- flected by Records of Grand Secretary's Office. Estimated at Total Cash Available	172,124.08	

TOTAL AVAILABLE CASH OVER IMMEDIATE RE- QUIREMENTS		\$ 62,985.98

EXHIBIT A
GENERAL FUND
Balance Sheet August 31, 1932
ASSETS

Cash		\$ 46,667.85
Anglo California National Bank—Com- mercial	\$ 88.65	
Anglo California National Bank—Sav- ings	39,511.74	
The San Francisco Bank—Savings	6,999.96	
Petty Cash Fund—Grand Secretary's Office	25.00	
Cash on Hand for Deposit	42.50	
Accounts Receivable		1,321.94
Miscellaneous	\$ 784.50	
Accrued Interest	537.44	
Inventory of Saleable Supplies		2,223.22
Investment in Securities—Schedule 1-A		49,035.07
Cost Price	\$ 60,817.23	
Less Reserve for Market Fluctuation in Value	11,782.16	
Office Equipment		2,390.50
Cost Price	\$ 4,677.55	
Less Reserve for Depreciation	2,287.05	
		\$101,638.58
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable		\$ 26,282.29
Miscellaneous	\$ 815.90	
Due to Representative Fund	22,783.99	
Due to Benevolent Fund	1,898.90	
Due to Home Fund	783.50	
Surplus, Unappropriated		75,356.29
Balance September 1, 1931	\$ 96,335.90	
Less	19,069.21	
Reserved for Depreciation on Equipment	\$ 2,287.05	
Reserved for Market Fluctuation in Value of Securities	11,782.16	
Payment to International Temple Fund of 1927 Appropriation	5,000.00	
		77,266.69
Less		
Excess of Expenditures over Receipts— Schedule 2		1,910.40
		\$101,638.58

EXHIBIT B
REPRESENTATIVE FUND
Balance Sheet August 31, 1932

ASSETS	
Due from General Fund.....	\$ 22,783.99
LIABILITIES	
Unappropriated Surplus.....	22,783.99
Balance September 1, 1931.....	\$ 22,637.58
Add.....	146.41
Dues Collected for 1932.....	\$15,672.60
Less Mileage 1931 Ses- sion.....	15,526.19
	\$ 22,783.99

EXHIBIT C
BENEVOLENT FUND
Balance Sheet, August 31, 1932

ASSETS	
Cash in Savings Banks.....	\$ 14,228.74
Wells Fargo Bank and Union Trust Co. \$	11,306.21
Anglo California National Bank.....	2,922.53
Accounts Receivable.....	2,835.32
Due from General Fund.....	\$ 1,898.90
Accrued Interest.....	936.42
Investment in Securities—Schedule 1-B.....	71,864.37
Cost.....	\$ 68,231.25
Add Appreciation to Market Value Aug- ust 31, 1932.....	3,633.12
	\$ 88,928.43
LIABILITIES	
Reserve for Appreciation of Securities to Market Value August 31, 1932.....	\$ 3,633.12
Unappropriated Surplus.....	85,295.31
Balance September 1, 1931.....	\$ 98,122.88
Add Refund for 1930-1931.....	30.00
	\$ 98,152.88
Deduct Excess Expenditures over Revenue Expenditures.....	\$26,631.36
Assistance to mem- bers.....	\$26,592.01
Committee Exp.	39.35

Revenue	13,773.79	
Dues Col- lected for 1932 ..	10,448.40	
Interest Earned ..	3,320.39	
Grand Chapter Demit....	5.00	
Excess Expenditures Over Revenue..	12,857.57	
		\$ 88,928.43

EXHIBIT D
SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Balance Sheet August 31, 1932

ASSETS

Wells Fargo Bank and Union Trust Co.— Savings Account	\$ 3,418.02
Accrued Interest Receivable.....	29.91
	\$ 3,447.93

LIABILITIES

Unappropriated Surplus	\$ 3,447.93
Balance September 1, 1931.....	\$ 3,338.85
Add Interest Earned	109.08
	\$ 3,447.93

EXHIBIT E
STUDENT LOAN FUND
Balance Sheet August 31, 1932

ASSETS

Anglo California National Bank—Savings Account	\$ 1,780.77
Accrued Interest Receivable.....	192.60
Student Notes and Agreements.....	5,760.00
Promissory Notes Representing Cash Loaned	\$ 4,110.00
Agreements Representing Deferred Ad- vances	1,650.00
Bond Investment—Schedule 1-C.....	350.00
Book Value	\$ 800.00
Less Reserve for Investment Fluctuation..	450.00
	\$ 8,083.37

LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable		\$ 1,650.00
Deferred Advances to Students.....	\$ 1,650.00	
Appropriated Surplus		5,760.00
Balance September 1, 1931.....	\$ 3,160.00	
New Loans Authorized During Year.....	2,850.00	
	\$ 6,010.00	
Less Repayments on Account.....	250.00	
Unappropriated Surplus		673.37
Balance September 1, 1931.....	\$ 3,503.70	
Less		
Appropriated for Loans.....	\$2,600.00	
Reserved for Investment		
Fluctuation in Value.....	450.00	3,050.00
		\$ 453.70
Add		
Interest Earned	\$ 209.67	
Profit on Sales of History	10.00	219.67
		\$ 8,083.37

EXHIBIT F
EASTERN STAR HOME FUND
Balance Sheet August 31, 1932

ASSETS		
Cash in Banks.....		\$171,340.58
Farmers and Merchants National Bank—		
Commercial	\$ 31,826.60	
California National Bank—Savings	52,757.46	
Anglo California National Bank—Savings	32,469.84	
The San Francisco Bank—Savings.....	31,837.23	
The San Francisco Bank—Savings.....	20,000.00	
Anglo California National Bank—Savings	1,788.60	
Crocker First Federal Trust Co.—Savings	660.85	
Accounts Receivable		2,371.88
Accrued Interest Receivable	\$ 1,388.38	
Due from General Fund.....	783.50	
Pasadena Home—Revolving Fund.....	200.00	
Investment in Building and Loan Cer-		
tificates		33,000.00

Cost—Schedule 1-D	\$ 50,000.00	
Less Reserve for Investment Fluctuation in Value	17,000.00	
Investment in Eastern Star Homes of Calif. (Inc.)		217,351.72
Advances, Property Expense and Con- struction Work on Eastern Star Home at Westgate, and Other Expenses Inci- dental Thereto, Including Trustees Expenses	\$213,064.16	
Advances to Eastern Star Home Associa- tion of Southern California for Opera- tion Expenses	4,287.56	
		<u>\$424,064.18</u>
LIABILITIES		
Appropriated Surplus		\$217,805.22
Reserved for Special Purposes	\$ 453.50	
For Memorial	\$ 300.00	
For Home Furnishing	153.50	
Reserved as Present Permanent Invest- ment in Corporation	\$217,351.72	
Surplus Available to Eastern Star Homes of California		\$206,258.96
Balance September 1, 1931	\$324,670.84	
Less		
Reserved for Investment Fluctuation	\$ 17,000.00	
Excess of Expenditures Over Receipts —		
Schedule 3	\$101,411.88	\$118,411.88
		<u>\$424,064.18</u>

SCHEDULE 2

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL FUND BALANCE SHEET
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE

REVENUE		
Grand Chapter Dues Collected for 1932		\$ 28,819.00
Interest Earned		2,249.75
Profit on Sales of Supplies		620.61
Sales	\$ 4,972.45	
Cost of Sales	3,534.12	
Inventory Sept. 1, 1931	\$2,497.64	
Purchases	3,259.70	
		<u>\$5,757.34</u>

Less Inventory August		
31, 1932	2,223.22	
Gross Profit	\$ 1,438.33	
Less Other Expenses.....	817.72	
Clerical Services	\$ 300.00	
Rent	350.00	
Miscellaneous	167.72	
Special Dispensations and Fines.....		225.00
Charter Fees		30.00
		<u>\$ 31,944.36</u>
EXPENDITURES		
Expense Allowances		\$ 7,901.99
Worthy Grand Matron.....	\$ 3,232.08	
Worthy Grand Patron.....	1,107.97	
Deputy Grand Matrons.....	3,561.94	
For Official Visits.....	\$2,175.05	
For Schools of Instruction	1,386.89	
Salaries		8,550.00
Grand Secretary	\$ 3,000.00	
Grand Secretary Emeritus.....	1,800.00	
Assistant to Grand Secretary.....	2,300.00	
Salary	\$1,700.00	
Additional	600.00	
Grand Treasurer	200.00	
Clerical and Bookkeeping	1,250.00	
Printing and Binding		6,911.24
Mileage Delegates to General Grand Chapter		4,330.23
Grand Secretary's Office Supplies and Exp.		3,362.86
Rent	\$ 1,710.00	
Card Index of Members.....	683.02	
Office Supplies and Miscellaneous.....	456.61	
Auditing	300.00	
Telephone and Telegraph.....	213.23	
Grand Chapter Convention Exp.—1931.....		2,573.44
Miscellaneous Items	\$ 880.52	
Pay of Committee Members.....	737.50	
Convention Badges	605.42	
Donations Approved	300.00	
Pay of Grand Sentinel and Organist....	50.00	
Grand Matrons and Grand Patrons Jewels		225.00
		<u>\$ 33,854.76</u>
EXCESS EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE.....		\$ 1,910.40

SCHEDULE 3

ANALYSIS OF EASTERN STAR HOME FUND BALANCE SHEET
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE

REVENUE

Assessments Collected for 1931-1932.....	\$103,746.00
Interest Earned	9,625.81
Donations Received	706.71
East Bay Convention Committee 1930..\$	300.00
Fresno Past Matrons and Patrons Assn.	300.00
Ushers at Coronado—Session of 1931..	100.00
Members of Long Beach Chapter No.	
173	6.71
	\$114,078.52

EXPENDITURES

Advanced for Account of Eastern Star Homes of California (Incorporated) on Orders Signed by Trustees.....	\$211,663.18
Building Construction Costs.....	\$209,116.15
Legal Services and Expense.....	762.44
Expenses of Trustees.....	452.22
Title Insurance and Survey.....	440.75
Taxes—Westgate Property.....	433.15
Ceremonies—Laying Cornerstone	222.65
Stationery and Printing.....	160.82
Filing Cabinet	75.00
Advanced for Operation Expenses of Pasa- dena Home, on Orders Signed by Trus- tees of Eastern Star Homes of Calif.....	3,077.22
Refunds of 1930-1931 Assessments Over- paid by Chapters and Members.....	750.00
	\$215,490.40
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE	\$101,411.88

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL FUND BALANCE SHEET

SCHEDULE 1A

INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES

GENERAL FUND	Date of Issue	Maturity	Interest Rate	Interest Payable	Face Value	Cost	Market Value 8-31-32	ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR	219
*1 U. S. Liberty Loan Bond, First Issue, No. C-00270188	5-9-18	1932-47	4 1/4 %	June 15 Dec. 15	50.00 \$	50.00 \$	50.70		
*10 U. S. Liberty Loan Bonds Fourth issue, Nos. 104204 to 104213 inclusive, \$1,000.00 each, registered in name of Grand Chapter of the State of California of the Order of the Eastern Star	10-24-18	1933-38	4 1/4 %	Apr. 15 Oct. 15	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,318.75		
*3 U. S. Treasury Bonds of 1940-43, Nos. 937H, 938J, 939K, registered in name of Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star. General Fund, face \$10,000.00 each	7-16-28	1940-43	3 3/8 %	June 15 Dec. 15	30,000.00	27,262.50	30,140.62		
*4 Pacific Gas and Electric Co., General and Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds, Nos. 14504, M14505, M21040, M21041, face \$1,000.00 each	12-1-11	1-1-42	5 %	Jan. 1 July 1	4,000.00	3,438.00	4,100.00		
**5 Reclamation District No. 108, County of Colusa, Bonds Nos. 1275-6-7-8 and 1394, face \$1,000.00 each	1-1-25	1-1-38	6 %	Jan. 1 July 1	5,000.00	5,050.00	1,150.00		

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER

	Date of Issue	Maturity	Interest Rate	Interest Payable	Face Value	Cost	Market Value 8-31-32
	1- 1-22	1-1-58	6%	Jan. 1 July 1	5,000.00	5,068.25	1,275.00
	7- 1-10	7-1-40	5%	Jan. 1 July 1	4,000.00	3,958.40	1,600.00
	1-16-29	7-1-39	5%	Jan. 1 July 1	1,000.00	990.08	400.00
					5,000.00	5,000.00	
					\$64,050.00	\$60,817.23	\$49,035.07

TOTAL

*In safe deposit box. Wells Fargo Bank and Union Trust Co.

**Held for safe keeping by Trust Department of Anglo California National Bank.

**1 Anglo Calif. Trust Co. Certificate of Deposit, No. SFAC-30, dated July 8, 1932, covering following Bonds, interest on which is in default:

Merced Irrigation District, 1st District, 4th Division, Series 26, Nos. 8121-22-23, 8294-95, face \$1,000 each

**1 Bank of America Certificate of Deposit No. 722, dated Feb. 27, 1932, covering following Bonds, interest on which is in default:

South San Joaquin Irrigation District, 1st Issue Gold Bonds, Nos. 3468-69-70, 3479-80-81, 3721-22, face \$500.00 each

**1 Bank of America Certificate of Deposit No. 986, dated Feb. 27, 1932, covering following Bonds, interest on which is in default:

South San Joaquin Irrigation District 3rd Issue Gold Bonds, Nos. 694-696, face \$500.00 each

*1 Certificate No. 595 representing 1,000 shares capital stock Order of the Eastern Star Temple at Sacramento, par \$5.00 per share

ANALYSIS OF BENEVOLENT FUND BALANCE SHEET

SCHEDULE 1-B

INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES

BENEVOLENT FUND	Date of Issue	Maturity	Interest Rate	Interest Payable	Face Value	Cost	Market Value 8-31-32
*10 U. S. Liberty Loan Bonds, 4th Issue, Nos. 158365 to 158374 inclusive, face \$1,000.00 each, registered in name of Grand Chapter of the State of California of the Order of the Eastern Star.....	10-24-18	1933-38	4¼ %	Apr. 15 Oct. 15	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,318.75
*3 U. S. Treasury Bonds of 1940-43, Nos. 934D, 935E, 936F, registered in the name of Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, Benevolent Fund, face \$10,000.00 each.....	7-16-28	1940-43	3¾ %	June 15 Dec. 15	30,000.00	27,262.50	30,140.62
*2 U. S. Treasury Bonds of 1946-56 registered in the name of Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, Benevolent Fund, No. J00001109, face \$10,000.00; No. F00000886, face \$5,000.00.....	3-15-26	1946-56	3¾ %	Mar. 15 Sept. 15	15,000.00	15,075.00	15,300.00

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER

	Date of Issue	Maturity	Interest Rate	Interest Payable	Face Value	Cost	Market Value 8-31-32
*5 Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., 1st Mortgage and Collateral Trust Sinking Fund, 30 year Gold Bonds, Nos. 3812, 5224, 7278, 24630, 30198, face \$1,000.00 each.	1- 2-07	1-2-37	5%	Jan. 2 July 2	5,000.00	4,918.75	5,212.50
*5 Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation, General and Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds, Series E, Nos. M912, M4025-26, M4078, M4280, face \$1,000.00 each.	6- 1-22	6-1-47	5½%	June 1 Dec. 1	5,000.00	4,775.00	4,987.50
**5 Pacific Gas and Electric Co., 1st and Refunding Gold Bonds, Nos. 40478-79-80-81-82, Series C, face \$1,000.00 each.	12- 1-22	12-1-52	5½%	June 1 Dec. 1	5,000.00	4,900.00	5,125.00
*13 University Masonic Temple Association, 2nd Mortgage Bonds, Series GB, Nos. 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 275, 276 and 277. Face \$100.00. Registered in name of Grand Chapter of California Order of the Eastern Star.	1-25-24	1-1-49	6%	Jan. 1	1,300.00	1,300.00	780.00
TOTAL					\$71,300.00	\$68,231.25	\$71,864.37

ANALYSIS OF STUDENT LOAN FUND BALANCE SHEET

SCHEDULE 1-C

INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES

STUDENT LOAN FUND

**1 Petaluma and Santa Rosa Railroad Co., 1st Mortgage 25 year Sinking Fund Gold Bond No. 340	9- 1-18	9-1-43	5½ %	Mar. 1 Sept. 1	1,000.00	800.00	350.00

*In safe deposit box, Wells Fargo Bank and Union Trust Co.

**Held for safe keeping by Trust Department of Anglo California National Bank.

ANALYSIS OF HOME FUND BALANCE SHEET

SCHEDULE 1-D

INVESTMENT IN BUILDING AND LOAN CERTIFICATES

HOME FUND	Date of Issue	Maturity	Interest Rate	Interest Dates	Face Value	Cost	Market Value 8-31-32
1 Berkeley Guaranty Building and Loan Assn. Certificate No. Q-272, representing 50 investment certificates of \$100.00 each	3-13-30	Demand	6%	Mar. 1 June 1 Sept. 1 Dec. 1	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 4,250.00
1 Guaranty Building and Loan Assn. of San Jose, certificate No. 1035, representing 50 investment certifi- cates of \$100.00 each	3-17-30	Demand	5%	Jan. 1 July 1	5,000.00	5,000.00	3,000.00

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	Date of Issue	Maturity	Interest Rate	Interest Dates	Face Value	Cost	Market Value 8-31-32
1 State Mutual Building and Loan Association of Los Angeles, certificate No. 80206, representing 100 coupon investment certificates of \$100.00 each. Coupons attached to April, 1940	3-17-30	Apr., 1940, or Demand	6%	Apr. 1 Oct. 1	10,000.00	10,000.00	8,500.00
2 Mutual Building and Loan Association of Long Beach, coupon investment certificates Nos. 28601 and 28602 of \$5,000.00 each. Coupons attached to March 17, 1933	3-27-30	Mar., 1933, or Demand	6%	Mar. 17 Sept. 17	10,000.00	10,000.00	5,000.00
1 Pacific States Savings and Loan Co. Investment certificate No. 13693	3-13-30	Demand	6%	Mar. 13 Sept. 13	10,000.00	10,000.00	7,000.00
*1 Fidelity Definite Term Investment certificate, issued by Pacific States Savings and Loan Company, Fidelity Series No. 17237	3-16-32	5-23-36	6%	June 1 Dec. 1	7,500.00	7,500.00	5,250.00
*1 Fidelity Participating Certificate, issued by Pacific States Savings and Loan Company, No. 17237. Not an investment certificate or issued for cash. Principal if any undetermined; not withdrawable and non-negotiable	3-16-32	5-23-36	6%	June 1 Dec. 1	Nominal 2,500.00	2,500.00	
TOTAL					\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$33,000.00

*Note—Fidelity Term and Participating Certificates issued by and received from Pacific States Savings and Loan Company in liquidation of liabilities of Fidelity Savings and Loan Association.

Note—All above securities issued to the Grand Chapter of California and held for safe keeping by Trust Department of Anglo California National Bank.

REPORT OF THE GRAND CHAPTER WEEK ACTIVITIES
COMMITTEE

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Your Committee on Grand Chapter Week Activities beg leave to submit the following report:

This Committee began to function January 8, 1932. Since that time many plans have been made and carried out. Judgment as to whether they have been successful, we are leaving in the hands of the members of the Grand Chapter Session. Our one desire has been to serve our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, our Worthy Grand Patron John Lewis McDonald, and our beloved Order. If we of San Francisco have made you happy, we, too, are happy.

Necessarily, the details of our activities cannot be related here. However, as this Committee is a comparatively new one in Grand Chapter, whose duties are not exactly defined by custom or otherwise, we wish to refer briefly to two matters which are of importance for the future.

First, we refer to a resolution passed at the 1931 Grand Chapter Session as reported on Page 260 of the 1931 Proceedings, to-wit:

"Resolved, That it be the policy of this Grand Chapter to pay its own local expenses, so as not to be a burden financially on the local Chapters at its annual session wherever it may meet, and

"Be It Further Resolved, That the Finance Committee be requested to place in each year's budget an amount deemed sufficient to meet the local expenses of the Grand Chapter Session."

This Committee feels that this resolution should either be put into effect or be rescinded. As it now exists unenforced, it is a cause of misunderstanding rather than a help.

We believe that Grand Chapter should include in its budget a sum for Grand Chapter Convention expense at the beginning of the year, so that this Committee may know its position more definitely in advance.

From the experience of our predecessors, it was deemed advisable to cover this Grand Chapter Session with as complete insurance as possible. Convention experience, in general, proves conclusively that this is a wise course. Accidents have occurred here, and almost invariably occur whenever people are grouped together in large numbers. Therefore, we recommend that the Grand Chapter consider seriously, this important question. The cost is small, the relief from responsibility great.

The members of this Committee extend thanks to our Worthy Grand

Matron for our appointment. The opportunity to serve has been deeply appreciated. If we have made her happy, our mission has been accomplished.

To our Worthy Grand Patron, who has been most helpful to us, offering his assistance at all times, and also for the wonderful songs he has written for this Grand Session, we express thanks. Both the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron have attended our Committee meetings whenever possible and have given this Committee much valuable aid, for which we are deeply grateful.

We wish to thank, also, all the Grand Officers, both present and past, who have helped us in our plans.

Our Grand Secretary, Stella M. Linscott, has been ever ready to grant our every request.

Many thanks are due the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, Associate Matrons, and Associate Patrons of San Francisco for their untiring efforts and support. Each Chairman and Committee has been most willing and faithful in the discharge of any duty assigned.

We want to thank all members of the San Francisco Chapters who helped to make this meeting possible.

We also wish to thank the many officials of San Francisco who have been so gracious with their help, and for the use of this magnificent Auditorium, and especially His Honor, Mayor Angelo J. Rossi, for opening San Francisco's wonderful new Opera House for our inspection on Wednesday afternoon. The Grand Chapter was much honored in this regard, being the first group to have this courtesy extended.

The San Francisco Convention and Tourist Bureau, through its able Manager, Mr. John F. Shea, was of great assistance to the Committee at all times, and was quite instrumental in lightening our labors in many ways.

Many thanks are also due to the Hotel Whitcomb, our Convention Headquarters, and Mr. Ernest Drury, Manager, for all his kindness in supplying the Committee with rooms, choral rehearsal rooms and furniture.

To the many others who cannot be mentioned here, we extend our sincere thanks.

We hope and trust that this Grand Session has been such a happy one for each member that "Soon You'll Want to Come Back to San Francisco by the Golden Gate."

Respectfully submitted,

MAX WASSMAN, JR., *Chairman*,
ISABELLE MOSHER,
WALKER PEDDICORD.

And now, Worthy Grand Matron, I want to submit an addition to this report, in the nature of a personal minority report. I want right here in Grand Chapter to thank you for the two splendid Committee members you gave me, Isabelle Mosher and Walker Peddicord. No better committee members could be found in our Order. They have ever been ready to do anything and everything I asked. Their advice and counsel have been most valuable, and without their untiring efforts our Grand Chapter meeting would not have functioned. Their friendship and the memory of their help will always be one of my cherished possessions.

MAX WASSMAN, JR.

Report accepted, and the Worthy Grand Matron **thanked the** Committee for their untiring efforts for the pleasure and comfort of the delegates.

Session called from labor to refreshment at 12:45 P. M.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 P. M.

October 21st.

Minutes of the session of Friday morning were approved as read.

Communications were read by the Grand Secretary as follows:

Madison, S. D., Sept. 30, 1932.

WARNING

Grand Jurisdictions of the Order of the Eastern Star:

Greetings:

It has come to the attention of the Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Jurisdiction of South Dakota, that Mrs. Alice Hamlin, a member of Miriam Chapter 31, of Dell Rapids, South Dakota, is soliciting funds throughout the various Grand Jurisdictions.

This is absolutely without the consent or approval of the Grand Chapter of South Dakota, and this warning is hereby issued for the benefit of all whom it may concern.

Fraternally yours,

(Signed) ANGIE L. WILLIAMSON.

Grand Secretary.

(Seal)

by direction of

W.G.M. Dophine C. Serles.

Letters from the office of the Governor of the State and the Mayor of the City of San Francisco, calling attention to "Blindcraft Week" and asking the support and cooperation of the members of the Order.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

To the Grand Chapter of California. O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred resolution of the Grand Secretary, Stella M. Linscott, reading:

"In 1925, upon recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron, page 54, recommendations 2a, 2b and 2c, report of the committee on page 204, this Grand Chapter authorized the printing of portions of the Constitution and constitutional references, in the Uniform Code.

"As changes in the Constitution from time to time make these references incorrect and therefore confusing, and as the Uniform Code is printed in lots of sufficient size to last for several years, I recommend that the action of the Grand Chapter in 1925 be rescinded and that the Uniform Code be printed without Constitutional references by article and section, and that no sections of the Constitution be included therein."

Recommend that this Grand Body act favorably upon the request of our Grand Secretary and that hereafter all copy submitted to printers and relating to Uniform Code omit all reference to specific Article and Sections of the Grand Chapter Constitution.

And we do further recommend that the action of the Grand Chapter in the year 1925 authorizing reference to Constitutional provisions of our Grand Chapter by Article and Section be rescinded and set aside.

Respectfully submitted,

W. FRANK HOLMAN,

DELOS A. MACE,

MABEL B. SEYMOUR,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California. O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred the request of Ocean Spray Chapter, No. 68, reading:

"At a meeting of Ocean Spray Chapter, No. 68, Order of the Eastern Star, regularly held on June 1, 1932, the members present voted to ask permission for concurrent jurisdiction with Monterey Chapter No. 239, Order of the Eastern Star, Monterey, California.

"As Pacific Grove Lodge No. 331, F. & A. M., and Monterey Lodge No. 217, F. & A. M., now have concurrent jurisdiction, the members of Ocean Spray Chapter No. 68, will be pleased to have permission granted for concurrent jurisdiction with Monterey Chapter No. 239, Order of the Eastern Star."

Beg leave to report that the granting or denial thereof is a matter within the discretion of the Grand Chapter.

In view of the fact that the Masonic Lodges of Pacific Grove and Monterey have concurrent jurisdiction, we recommend that this request for concurrent jurisdiction receive the favorable consideration of this Grand Body unless good cause to the contrary be urged by the members of Monterey Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,
W. FRANK HOLMAN,
DELOS A. MACE,
MABEL B. SEYMOUR,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred the resolution signed by William S. Warke, Past Patron Harding Chapter No. 454, et al, reading:

"We respectfully wish to present a resolution that in the future all subordinate Chapters be permitted to nominate from the floor of their various chapters at their annual election, candidates for the various offices, to-wit: Associate Conductress, Associate Patron, Secretary and Treasurer, and that no comment or eulogy be permitted by or for anyone of the candidates. The reason for this move is to try and create more peace and harmony in our Chapters, not only at our elections, but until time shall be no more.

"Trusting that the above will meet with the approval of this Grand Assembly, the only motive back of this is for the best interest of our Grand Order. Nominations to be closed when no less than two or more than five have been nominated.

"Further be it resolved that the Committee of Jurisprudence be permitted, if necessary, to make any change in the above resolution."

Believe this permission should not be granted in that legislation on this subject has been so recently enacted.

We therefore recommend that this petition be denied.

Respectfully submitted,
W. FRANK HOLMAN,
MABEL B. SEYMOUR,
DELOS A. MACE,
Committee.

After discussion this matter was referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws. (See report following.)

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Constitution and By-Laws have carefully considered the proposition to amend our Constitution to permit nominations in subordinate Chapters, and our recommendation is that this matter be referred to the next Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, with instructions to report at the next session of this Grand Chapter in 1933 at Long Beach.

Respectfully submitted,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,

Adopted

Committee.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred recommendation of the Benevolent Fund Committee made in 1931 that "\$50.00 per month be fixed as the maximum which any one can receive from the benevolent fund of the Grand Chapter," recommend adoption of the recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred recommendation, numbered 13, of Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, in her 1931 report, reading:

"I find that in many Chapters there are special funds made up or created by the returns from various activities, and that these funds are kept under various names and are more or less under the supervision of the donors or creators of such funds. I believe that all funds kept by our subordinate treasurers should be under the full and absolute control of the chapters. I therefore recommend that the Jurisprudence Committee formulate a rule to this effect to be presented for consideration of Grand Chapter."

Recommend its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,

Adopted.

Committee.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred recommendation of Brother Joseph M. Argabrite, numbered 2, in his 1931 address to Grand Chapter, reading:

"I recommend that the Committee on Jurisprudence be instructed to prepare amendments to our law to provide for a Grand Chapter Committee on Eastern Star Temples, said committee to consist of the Worthy Grand Matron, the Grand Treasurer and the Chairman of the Committee on Finance; or if preferred, the Worthy Grand Matron and the Committee on Finance. The duties of such committee to be the passing on plans, specifications and financial set-up of proposed Eastern Star Temples. The amendment should make it illegal for any chapter or group of chapters to sponsor or authorize the building of such temples without the consent of the committee first being obtained."

Recommend adoption of the recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

D. W. PIERCE,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred recommendation of Brother Joseph M. Argabrite, numbered 4, in his 1931 address to Grand Chapter, reading:

"I recommend that our Committee on Jurisprudence be instructed to present for the consideration of Grand Chapter an amendment making it obligatory upon all members of a chapter, present at a meeting when candidates are balloted upon, to cast their ballots.

Recommend that the same be not adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

D. W. PIERCE,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

Report of the Committee Sustained.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred resolution signed by Alvin J. Jones, Associate Patron, Jordan Chapter No. 500, reading:

"Whereas: Many Past Patrons would be pleased, when funds are low,

to reject a jewel from their Chapter.

"Be It Resolved, That the Grand Chapter hereafter furnish all Past Patrons a diploma or letter certifying their services as a Patron."

Has carefully considered the matter. As it is not compulsory to give or accept a jewel, the Committee is not in favor of the resolution and move its rejection.

Respectfully submitted,
D. W. PIERCE,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Report Sustained.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, to whom was referred recommendation of the Finance Committee that Article I, Section 18 of the Constitution be changed to permit payment of the Home assessment at the same time and in the same manner as the annual dues, recommend that no change be made in this article and section of the Constitution and that it remain as at present.

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred recommendation numbered 7 of the report of the Grand Secretary, recommend its adoption and that it be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred recommendations numbered 2 and 5 of the report of the Grand Secretary, recommend that Decisions Nos. 509 and 510 be deleted from the Digest and the subject matter

contained therein be included in the Constitution, making Article II, Section 26, read:

"Six Rituals and six Books of Instruction shall be furnished to each subordinate Chapter, a copy of each to be held by the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, Associate Matron, Associate Patron, Conductress and Associate Conductress. Two copies of the Syllabus shall be furnished to each Chapter, one for the Worthy Patron and one for the Associate Patron. Two copies of the Diagram of the Labyrinth shall be furnished to each Chapter, one copy for the Worthy Patron and one for the Conductress. Each Officer at the expiration of his or her term of office must return the Ritual, Book of Instruction, Syllabus and Diagram of the Labyrinth to the Worthy Matron.

"Any member of the Order in good standing may purchase a copy of the Ritual and hold the same as his or her property. The Grand Secretary shall write the name and address of the purchaser on the inside cover of the book, at the time of purchase.

"A fine of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Ritual.

"A fine of Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Syllabus.

"A fine of Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Book of Instruction."

Respectfully submitted,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

D. W. PIERCE,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred resolution signed by Marjorie Thompson, W. M. 203, Marjorie Williams, W. M. 141, Mary P. Robinson, W. M. 275, and Edwina Benner, W. M. 250, reading:

"Whereas the secretary of the subordinate Chapter must follow very closely the proceedings of the Chapter and whereas she is in a convenient and logical position to prompt the officers in their work, and whereas the secretary is called upon by the members to give information of all kinds pertaining to the Chapter. Be It Resolved that the said secretary of each and every subordinate Chapter of the State be furnished with a Ritual."

Recommend that same be not adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

D. W. PIERCE,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

Report Sustained.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred resolution signed by Neal Hatch, Past Patron of Signal Chapter No. 276, reading:

"Whereas, Article II, Section 10 of the Constitution provides for the auditing of the books of the Secretary and Treasurer of Subordinate Chapters, as follows:

"The end of the Chapter year shall be the last stated meeting in October, after which the books of the Secretary and Treasurer shall be closed and audited." And,

"Whereas, when this is done there is usually a space of several weeks before the new officers are installed and the books turned over to their successors in office,

"Therefore, be it resolved that the Constitution be amended to provide that the annual audit shall occur concurrently with installation."

Make no recommendation, as it came to the Committee too late for proper consideration and is not in proper form.

Respectfully submitted,

CORA SPRING HOLLAND,

D. W. PIERCE,

WALDO F. POSTEL,

Committee.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred the following resolution presented by the Committee on Appeals and Grievances, Willa Jane Hellwig, P. G. M., D. E. F. Easton and F. D. Cruse, recommend its adoption:

"As members of the Committee on Appeals and Grievances it has been impressed upon us that Article III of the Constitution of the Grand Chapter relating to Trials, Appeals and Penalties, and the several decisions relating thereto are inadequate, and leave too much to the individual interpretation. We feel that Article III may properly be amplified by explanatory notes set forth in a separate manual, and the correct procedure more clearly outlined by having uniform wording of the forms and cer-

tificates, and the essential steps in the conduct and reporting of trials formulated.

"We, therefore, recommend that a Committee be appointed to prepare and submit to the next Grand Chapter a manual form, to the end that a correct, uniform and orderly course of action be followed.

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Adopted.

(Later the Worthy Grand Matron appointed Brothers D. E. F. Easton, Waldo F. Postel and Jos. M. Argabrite to act as this Special Committee.)
To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred the recommendation regarding the reprinting of the Uniform Code without specific Constitutional references, recommend its adoption. (See pages 170, 228.)

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee, to whom was referred resolution of Otho Stewart, P. P. 450, to amend Article I, Section 18, 2nd section, recommend its adoption with the addition of the provisions as authorized at the session of 1931. Article I, Section 18, 2nd, Representative Fund, to read:

"In addition to the annual dues levied upon the subordinate Chapters, there shall be levied for each member whose name is borne upon the rolls at the date of the annual returns, such sum as the Grand Chapter shall prescribe at each annual session, which shall constitute a special fund, to be denominated the Representative Fund, and it shall be the duty of the several Chapters to pay the said sum at the time and in the manner directed for the payment of their annual dues. All Chapters delinquent for Grand Chapter dues shall be fined five cents per member unless such fine be remitted by the Grand Chapter. Provided, however, that no dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment shall be payable by a Chapter upon any member, whose dues at the stated meeting in May of the calendar year in

which such dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment would be otherwise payable, shall have been remitted for the next preceding six months period, because of the financial inability of such member to pay such dues, provided, however, that this remission of Grand Chapter dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment shall not apply to those members whose dues are remitted for any reason other than financial inability to pay, and provided further that said dues, per capita tax and/or assessment shall not be remitted in the case of officers of Chapters. Provided further, that the Secretary of the subordinate Chapter shall specify in her report to the Grand Chapter the names of the members whose dues, per capita tax, and/or assesment are remitted, and the reason therefor."

Respectfully submitted,
CORA SPRING HOLLAND,
D. W. PIERCE,
WALDO F. POSTEL,
Committee.

Adopted.

Sister Gladys Fitch-Pierce, Past Grand Matron, reported that the 1928 Matrons are raising a fund to donate to the Eastern Star Home.

Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, P. G. M., as Chairman of the Home Policy Committee, announced the Committee had not adopted final rules and regulations for admission to the Home, but that information would be sent to the Chapters within a very short time.

Sister Piper then read the following letter:

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

"The Order of the Rainbow for Girls of California have heard of the splendid Home that the Grand Chapter of California is building for their aged members. The Order of Rainbow for Girls in California appreciates the interest the Grand Chapter has taken in our Order by encouraging Chapters to sponsor these Assemblies. Most of our members hope to some day be members of the Eastern Star and feel that we would like to have a part in the building, or furnishing, of this wonderful Home. To wait to do our part until we are members of the Eastern Star would perhaps be too late; therefore, we are now raising a fund of Three Hundred Dollars to be donated to the Eastern Star Home Trustees, to be used for a suitable gift as a memorial of the Order of Rainbow for Girls.

"We hope you will accept this gift with our very best wishes for

the successful completion of your noble work.

Very sincerely yours,

KATE M. NICHOLS,

Supreme Deputy for California.

PHYLLIS COLE,

Grand Worthy Advisor,

Grand Assembly of California,

Order of Rainbow for Girls.

The Worthy Grand Matron expressed the gratitude of the Grand Chapter to Sister Pierce, and to Sister Kate Nichols, Supreme Deputy of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

At 4:15 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

FRIDAY EVENING SESSION

8:00 P. M.

October 21st.

Minutes of Friday afternoon were read and approved.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance has considered the report of the Benevolent Fund Committee (see pages 176). It appears therefrom that the necessary expenditures for the year have greatly increased and that the payments have exceeded the amount produced by the per capita tax approximately \$13,000.00, the deficit being taken from the General Fund. The Benevolent Fund has on hand bonds valued at \$71,864.37.

We recommend that \$20,000.00 worth of said bonds be sold and that the General Fund of Grand Chapter be reimbursed; that the sale of said bonds be made to our General Fund at the market value of the bonds.

We further recommend that postage expense incurred by the Chairman and District Chairmen be allowed, same to be paid from the General Fund, when itemized claims are presented therefor.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,

JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,

Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

The following delinquencies in Grand Chapter dues and assessments were reported by the Grand Secretary:

	Dues	Assessments
Gate City Chapter No. 212.....	\$276.50	\$437.00
Ocean Park Chapter No. 245.....	103.00	
Silver Wave Chapter No. 75.....		444.00
Artesia Chapter No. 253.....		84.00

In each case the depository bank failed, involving the funds of the Chapter. Each Chapter is experiencing difficulty in financing its immediate needs.

While the Chapters are not asking for full remission of the delinquent dues and assessments, they feel that it will be practically impossible to make up the delinquency prior to the time of payment of the next year's dues.

We therefore offer the following resolution:

Resolved, that each of the above named Chapters be granted a credit of twenty-five per cent on the amount owing Grand Chapter dues and assessments; that as to the remaining delinquency they be granted an extension of eight months; that one-eighth or more of the sum of the delinquency be payable on the first day of each month, beginning with December 1, 1932.

Respectfully submitted,
 ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
 MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
 JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred Recommendation No. 7 of the Grand Secretary, reading:

"That Special Rule 19 of the Grand Chapter be amended to read:

"The Grand Secretary shall forward copies of the Proceedings for the preceding Grand Chapter year, as follows:

"Three copies to each subordinate Chapter, one to be held by the Secretary as the property of the Chapter, one for the Worthy Matron for the succeeding Chapter year, and one for the retiring Worthy Matron; one copy each to the present and retiring Grand Officers and Deputy Grand Matrons; one copy to each member of the Committees on Jurisprudence, Constitution and By-Laws and Fraternal Correspondence; one copy to

each Past elective Grand Officer; and three copies to the Grand Secretaries of other Jurisdictions.

"If there then be a sufficient number on hand she may furnish one copy to each member of the Order desiring one, for which she shall charge a reasonable sum to cover the cost of printing and the postage when required."

beg leave to report:

We approve the amendment and recommend its adoption and that appropriation be allowed in the 1932-1933 budget to cover the necessary cost of said Proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,
ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the recommendation of the Printing Committee (see page 169) that no advance copies of the Deputy Grand Matron's reports be printed, approve same and recommend its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,
ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,
Committee.

Adopted.

To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

Your Committee on Finance beg to submit the following budget for the fiscal year 1932-1933:

ESTIMATED REVENUE

General Fund:

Per Capita Tax on 106,000 Members, Grand Chapter	
Dues	\$26,500.00
Per Capita Tax on 3,000 Initiates and Affiliates	1,500.00
Charter Fee, Five Chapters	150.00
Special Dispensations and Fines	200.00
Interest	2,500.00
Profit on Sale of Supplies	500.00

Representative Fund:	
Per Capita Tax, Five Cents on 106,000 Members.....	5,300.00
Benevolent Fund:	
Per Capita Tax, Ten Cents on 106,000 Members.....	10,600.00
Interest	2,500.00
Sale of Securities.....	20,000.00
Scholarship Fund: -	
Interest	100.00
Students Loan Fund:	
Interest	200.00
Total	\$70,050.00

EXPENDITURES

General Fund:	
Printing, Binding, Stationery and Postage.....	\$ 9,000.00
Salary, Grand Secretary.....	3,000.00
Salary, Grand Secretary Emeritus.....	1,800.00
Salary, Assistant to Grand Secretary.....	1,800.00
Salary, Grand Treasurer.....	200.00
Bookkeeper	1,500.00
Expense Allowance, Worthy Grand Matron.....	3,000.00
Expense Allowance, Worthy Grand Patron.....	1,000.00
Expense Official Visits Deputy Grand Matrons.....	2,000.00
Schools of Instruction, Deputy Grand Matrons.....	1,500.00
Contingent Expenses, Office of Grand Secretary.....	600.00
Rent, Grand Secretary's Office.....	1,860.00
Card Index of Members	300.00
Auditing	400.00
Telephone and Telegraph Service Office Grand Secretary.....	250.00
Premium Bonds, Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer.....	100.00
Christmas and New Year's Greetings.....	150.00
Jewel Worthy Grand Matron.....	150.00
Jewel Worthy Grand Patron	75.00
Furniture, Fixtures and Office Supplies, Office of Grand Secretary	500.00
Standing Committees	925.00
Grand Organist, Session 1932.....	25.00
Grand Sentinel, Session 1932.....	25.00
Stenographer, Session 1932.....	200.00
Incidental Expenses, Grand Chapter Session 1932.....	700.00
Appropriations, Session 1932.	
For Grand Chapter 1933 (Activities).....	500.00

Deficit, Grand Patrons' Allowance for 1932.....	50.00
Education Committee	\$ 20.00
Auditor	100.00
Miscellaneous	50.00
	170.00
Representative Fund:	
Mileage, Session 1932.....	10,126.97
Benevolent Fund:	
To Cover Benevolence 1932-1933.....	30,000.00
Scholarship Fund:	
Students Loan Fund:	
Total	\$71,906.97

It is understood that expenditures for salable supplies, together with postage, express and clerical services in connection with same, will be paid from amount received from sales.

Resolved, that the sum of \$71,906.97 be, and the same is, hereby appropriated from the funds of the Grand Chapter for the payment of its expenses for the ensuing year, and that the Grand Matron and Grand Secretary be, and they are, hereby authorized to draw warrants on the Grand Treasurer in such sums as may be necessary up to that amount, it being understood that the amount hereby appropriated is deemed sufficient to cover, if not more than cover, the necessary expenses for all legitimate purposes, and in no event shall the appropriation be exceeded.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. WHEELER,
MAUDE NOBLE HAVEN,
JOSEPH M. ARGABRITE,
Committee.

Adopted.

A recess was declared for the purpose of Installation, so that friends of the incoming Grand Officers might be present.

Sister Effie Easton, R. W. A. G. C., called to order and invited the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, and the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Lewis McDonald, to enter the Grand Chapter room. The Auditorium had been transformed from a Colonial setting to a court scene.

As the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron approached the East the Worthy Matrons of the State formed a living Past Grand Matron's jewel at the Altar, and while they were in this formation

Sister Sara P. Gage, President of the Matrons' Association of Southern California, addressed the Grand Matron:

Sister Gage:

"Worthy Grand Matron, our Sister Elsie, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers: This 59th Session of the Grand Chapter is fast drawing to a close. Soon only the memories will remain—but what a beautiful memory!

"Sister Elsie, we have enjoyed your kindly smile and sweet disposition throughout this most strenuous week. It has been said that the Order of the Eastern Star is not a charitable institution. However, we believe that if one-half of the members of the Order in this beautiful state were as kindly in disposition and thought for their fellow-man as you are, the material charity that we would be able to do would be unlimited.

"For many years it has been the custom at the close of such a session to present the retiring Grand Matron with a jewel, something to remind her of her service to the Order. We, the Matrons of 1932, who have had the privilege of serving with you, would like to present you with a picture, a living jewel, one that you may carry in memory always, where no thief may break in to steal or mar.

"This star, with its rays of blue, yellow, white, green and red, surrounded by a pentagon, is the emblem of a Past Grand Matron. Attached to this jewel is a long, winding chain. You will not find a gavel here. You have not ruled us with a gavel; you have ruled with love."

The Worthy Grand Matron then introduced Brother Waldo F. Postel, P. G. P., Master of Ceremonies.

Address, Waldo F. Postel, P. G. P.:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Officers, Sisters, Brothers and Friends: What a wonderful, glorious evening tonight! Have any of you ever seen such a picturesque setting in this most wonderful of all auditoriums, in this finest of all cities, San Francisco? I have been here many times. I have spoken here often. No occasion has given me as much pleasure as the occasion tonight.

"If I had my way I would have every member of the Order of Eastern Star present here tonight. I would have every member of the Masonic Fraternity here tonight. Better than that, I would have every citizen of San Francisco—ah, even better than that—of California, here tonight to see the display, the heart, the spirit, the glory, the beauty of San Francisco, California, in this glorious auditorium, this splendid evening.

"The king is dead—long live the king. I said and so I repeat: The king is dead—long live the king. But I am now talking about queens. Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin, this was your Grand Chap-

ter. We shall never forget you. I know I cannot say more for you than to say, Grace Richardson Butterfield. Here is our love for you, Grace, for you.

"We are in San Francisco. We are in California. There is no citizen more honored or more respected than our Worthy Grand Matron, Grace Richardson Butterfield. And I wonder if you who do not belong to the Order of the Eastern Star, I wonder if you who do belong to the Eastern Star, have ever considered the thought and consideration given by the members of this great Order in the selection of their presiding officer, their Worthy Grand Matron?

"We have a Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Lloyd E. Griffin, who is to be installed. If he were here he would do as I am doing now: He would speak of Grace Richardson Butterfield. And so, good friends, we are glad you are all here to witness this ceremony, which tonight will be the crown upon her who will be the head of the Order of the Eastern Star in California. Of you, Grace Richardson Butterfield, speaking for the Grand Chapter of the State of California, I want to say we are mighty proud, we are mighty glad to have you as our Worthy Grand Matron. I speak for all the Order of the Eastern Star when I say to you, Grace Richardson Butterfield, we pledge to you our devotion, our service, ourselves, our all to you; our very heart and soul go out to you. God bless you. God be with you. And may peace and happiness, pleasure and success be the crown which rests upon your head for your year as Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star."

The Grand Officers elect, preceded by forty-two of the newly appointed Deputy Grand Matrons, entered the Grand Chapter room and were installed by Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, Worthy Grand Matron, assisted by Brother John Lewis McDonald, Worthy Grand Patron, and Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress; Sister Pauline Ada Hause, Past Grand Matron, acted as Grand Marshal, and Sister Maud Dezell Bradley, Past Grand Matron, acted as Honorary Grand Marshal; Sister Grace Raymond acted as Grand Chaplain.

As Sister Grace Butterfield was escorted to the Altar to be installed, the Associate Matrons of the State, appropriately gowned, formed a field of blue and gold butterflies. Two little girls, Barbara Griffin and Patsy Daily, dressed as butterflies escorted Sister Butterfield to the dais. For the installation of Brother Lloyd E. Griffin the Associate Patrons formed a cross on the north and south sides of the Altar and sang "All Hail" as he was escorted to the East.

At the close of the Installation Ceremony, Sister Grace Richardson

Butterfield, newly installed Worthy Grand Matron, addressed the audience as follows:

Address, Grace Richardson Butterfield:

"Junior Past Grand Matron, Junior Past Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

"The round of the seasons has again brought us to the threshold of a New Year: on the eternal hills the rays of a new day's sun are already glinting.' But with the close of the old year, lovingly, and a bit sadly, we are saying 'Aloha' and God bless you, to these beloved Grand Officers of 1932, and particularly to our Junior Past Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, and Junior Past Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Lewis McDonald, who have served us so well during the past year.

"Someone has said 'Friendship is the sweetest relation in life'—and one of the finest experiences in my fraternal life, Sister Elsie Mae, has been our friendship, all through our Grand Chapter life, but particularly this past year. I have no words to thank you for your many, many courtesies to me and for the privilege of working with you, for

I have what money cannot buy,
The clasp of your hand, the light of your eye,
The glorious greeting of friend to friend,
The wonderful aid you were quick to lend—
So I told myself as each day was done,
Whether my battles were lost or won,
That I was richer than many with all their gold,
For I had the wealth of your heart to hold.'

"Brother John, God out of His own storehouse created music—you have brought harmony and gladness to all whom you have contacted, not only by your great gift, but by your wholehearted friendliness. The association with these other Grand Officers has been a happy one. It is a privilege to serve with Judge Lloyd Ellis Griffin, a man who has made a name for himself in the judicial life of Southern California, and in his year as Associate Grand Patron has made friends all over the State.

"I feel it a very lovely courtesy to have had Sister Elsie install me tonight, and thank her for allowing these warm friends to assist in my installation. Sister Pauline Ada Hause, our Installing Marshal, gave me my appointment in 1929. I have always admired her Marshal's work and appreciated her lovable personality, and am happy to have her with me tonight. Sister Maud Dezell Bradley is the sponsor of my Los Angeles girls, and I can truly say there never was a finer sponsor or a truer friend. Sister Maud, I love you dearly, and am proud to have you act as Honorary Marshal.

"I must say a word of special mention and commendation to the Grand Chapter Activities Committee—Dr. Max Wassman of my own Chapter, Isabel Mosher of Parnassus Chapter, and Walker Peddicord of San Francisco Chapter—for many months of faithful, unselfish work in the face of discouraging conditions. To them, to the San Francisco Matrons and Patrons of 1932, and to the Associate Matrons and Patrons, who cheerfully assisted, are due the many plans for your comfort and entertainment during this Grand Chapter session.

"The members of my Chapter, Harmony No. 124, are here in large numbers. I appreciate their presence and the loyalty they have shown me the many years I served as an officer in the Chapter and these past four years as a Grand Officer. In this connection, I wish to thank the Eastern Star members of San Francisco and vicinity—yes, the Eastern Star members all over this beloved State—for their wonderful kindness, for their great faith in me, which has been shown in countless ways, chiefly by electing me to this exalted position. My prayer is to be worthy of my friends; and among these friends, I am proud to count the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of California—this splendid group of women and men who have given their yesterdays and today's that we might have our tomorrows, and whose cooperation and assistance I hope will ever be mine.

"It is a particular joy to be installed in San Francisco, my home city that I love so well, and I am happy to have many of my dear friends here tonight.

"Thanks to all who have helped to make this evening a success, including the musicians, who have added so much to our pleasure with their program of California music.

"I wish to say to these newly installed and appointed officers that I look forward to a delightful year with you, rich in love and joyful service.

"I cannot refrain from mentioning two in this vast audience tonight, who, though named last, are FIRST in my heart—my dear Father, Herbert Richardson, and my beloved husband, Jack, who has ever been my inspiration and who has, by his generosity and unselfishness, made it possible for me to give these years to fraternal work.

"For three years I have been helped and inspired by loving association with the Associate Matrons of California, and the past year the Associate Patrons have joined our organization. These groups all over the State, from the Oregon line to Imperial Valley, have worked diligently, and many times under difficulty, to come here and join in a tribute to their Grand Officers, and my Associates, your efforts were beautiful and I appreciate them. You are loyal and I love you and look forward to

another year of work with you, for tonight the gates have been opened for us to enter the Fraternal Garden of 1933, a vast and beautiful garden extending all over this wonderful State of California. It will take our combined efforts to keep this garden Fraternal of ours blooming and lovely—free from weeds and pests. The skies will not always be cloudless—but ever from the blue Heavens will shine the Star of the East—our Inspiration. Our blue and gold butterflies of Happiness—who have made such a beautiful picture tonight—will each in her own way sow seeds of love and cultivate with hands of service the plots assigned to her—our watchword: 'Loving Service,' ever as a guide.

"I close deeply grateful for the high honor bestowed upon me, and with a fervent prayer to God that we may all give our hearts this year to the beauty and joy of loving service. May He enable us to rise above doubts and fears, selfishness and littleness, unworthiness in thought or unkindness in deed; may He grant us power to grow and guide that growing that it may fulfill His purposes."

The Worthy Grand Matron called on the Worthy Grand Patron, who responded:

Address, Lloyd Ellis Griffin:

"My Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Grace, our Junior Past Grand Matron, Junior Past Grand Patron, Honored Guests, Sisters, Brothers and Friends of the Order:

"My mind had prepared for you a message of appreciation, but now this seems to have vanished and to have been supplanted by messages emanating from a heart filled with emotion. If I could but bespeak them!

"To say that I am deeply appreciative of this high honor is to express it all too mildly: no normal person could be unappreciative of the esteem and praise of his fellow man as expressed in conferring such an honor upon him.

"In addition to a natural, justifiable feeling of elation, there also comes to me a spirit of humility, for in considering the experience and wisdom of those who have preceded me, there comes a realization of one's limitations and a longing for the loyalty of friends.

"I am not unmindful of the fact that there rests upon our Grand Matron and her Grand Patron a great responsibility to guide the destinies of so great an Order, yet in placing in our keeping the highest gift you can bestow, you open a way for glorious opportunity of service.

"I make no particular promises other than a faithful and conscientious endeavor to be a loyal friend, counsellor and helpmate to our Grand Matron, Sister Grace Butterfield, in whom I know you have rightfully bestowed your confidence.

"I am happy and pleased that this Grand Chapter has thus honored me by selecting from its membership one so beloved by her fellow members, so kind, capable, and considerate; whose every endeavor is to prac-

tice the beautiful teachings of our Order.

"May I express my admiration for the leadership displayed this last year. Sister Elsie McGiffin, who has been a true and loyal friend to me throughout the year, it pleased me greatly that I was privileged to be installed by her and Brother John McDonald, whom I am proud to call a friend.

"They have endeared themselves to the membership of our Order, and through the support of this membership have rendered a great service to humanity.

"With this same loyal support and cooperation as was given them, we may expect that success will also be written upon our tablets of love and memory.

"To these Past Grand Matrons and Patrons and Grand Officers, I feel I owe a debt of gratitude, for they have been most generous in their support and always ready and willing to whisper good counsel.

"I feel a little sad tonight when I see these 1932 Deputies and these Matrons and Patrons step aside to have their service continued by new Officers. It reminds me of a golden chain of friendship, and may this addition of new Officers be merely an addition and never take from this golden chain of memory the fond recollection of their friendship.

"I am happy and pleased tonight to have the privilege of introducing to you one who is near and dear to me. During my week here in Grand Chapter I have been privileged to hear many beautiful remarks respecting 'motherhood.' I have heard it said two or three times that 'all that I am today I owe to my Mother.' Through the gracious kindness of this Grand Chapter I have extended an invitation to my own dear Mother, who has come here tonight to be with me. May I present to you that own dear Mother, like whom there is no other.

"God, in His infinite wisdom, found it necessary that my two little girls should be deprived of their Mother. But they have come here tonight filled with happiness and joy for me. These two little youngsters, babies of mine, I want you to meet also, Lois and Barbara. You have filled them with happiness, Sister Grace, made it possible for them to participate in our opening ceremony. Since then their hearts have been bubbling over, wondering when Friday night was going to be here. Now there seems to be a realization of that anticipation.

"To supplant that motherhood, which every little child should have, we find in this beautiful Order the greatest substitute that can be offered. Through these Past Grand Officers, and officers and members of this beautiful Order, we find just such motherly love and affection being displayed. Just tonight, one of our Past Grand Officers, Sister Bessie

Pierce, presented to them their first orchid corsage. Maybe it is starting a bad habit.

"For a moment, I felt just a little homesick, but when I looked about and saw so many representatives and friends here from San Diego, among them my own Matron of 1930, Sister Madie Jopling, the thought vanished. I wish I could present each of them.

"In closing, may I leave this thought with you: Now that we are about to adjourn and return to our respective places of abode, let each one of us go forth into the new year with a greater determination to serve, renewing our obligations to each other. Let us not forget that the Eastern Star is an Order teaching and inculcating the highest principles of humanity, as well as the moral and social virtues.

"Stripped of all creeds and dogmas, its obligation requires the complete fulfillment of the divine command, Love. It teaches us to have faith and confidence in God; to give advice to those in trouble; to have sympathy for those in sorrow and to render aid to those whom misfortune has overtaken; to care for, educate and protect those who are unable to do for themselves; to make life brighter and happier and men and women better and nobler.

"Its field of labor is as broad as the world and its mission as high and honorable as can be prompted by human hearts filled with sympathy and love. I know of nothing that can express my sentiments and feelings here tonight better than these particular words:

'For we know that God made the blossoms and the showers,
God made the skies of blue,
God made the trees, the grass, the flowers,
And blessed them with the dew.
God made the stars that shine at night,
God made the sunshine, too,
And then to make this world worth while
God made dear folks like you.' "

The Past Grand Matron's Jewel was presented to Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin by Sister Elizabeth B. Wheeler, Past Grand Matron.

Sister Elizabeth B. Wheeler, P. G. M.:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

"Junior Past Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin, tonight marks the close of your year of successful service. You have given the human touch of kindness. You have not postponed any service that love could render. Your very genuine simplicity and loving thoughts have endeared you to all. Of all the Grand Matrons who have preceded you, or will come after you, none will shine with brighter luster than you. This is a very happy

moment for me. We loved our Elsie when she made her first ascent up the ladder of Eastern Star fame; we loved her as she continued that ascent, and now we love her more than ever. You have proven yourself. It is a great honor on behalf of the Grand Chapter to present to you this beautiful emblem, a reflection of your own dear self."

Response: Sister Elsie McGiffin, Jr. P. G. M.:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, My Sweet Friend, Grand Officers Present and Past, My Sisters and Brothers:

"Someone has said that memory is the only paradise out of which we cannot be driven. Can you imagine what sort of paradise I am going to live in for the rest of my life? The beauty that you have seen here tonight we have seen displayed every day this week in San Francisco.

"Tonight I have been privileged to install into my office my sweet, lovable friend, Grace Richardson Butterfield. I don't suppose any of you know just exactly the way I feel unless you have surrendered your office to another. I thought perhaps, I would feel a little sad about it, but I do not. I feel that she is going to do a little better than I did, perhaps, and perhaps the depression will get better under her. If it doesn't get better, it will probably get worse.

"These sweet, lovable ladies sitting on my right and left—I loved you when I came and I love you many, many times more now. You have been so good to us, so thoughtful and so kind. I want you to know that I appreciate your kindness to me.

"I should thank Sister Grace and Brother Lloyd for asking me to install them—it was a pleasure and an honor. I want to say to Dad and Jack, I am sorry I live so far away from you, but I will come up some time and stay around here with you and help you out just a little bit. If you really want to know just how lonesome you are going to be, I know a fellow who can tell you all about it.

"To the Matrons and Patrons of California, my thanks to you. The emblem which you presented to me tonight is one that I shall always keep close to, my heart.

"To Brother Hartman, who sang so beautifully for me, I want to express my thanks. Sister Effie Easton, you have been sweet and kind to me. I cannot tell you how much I love you or how much you have meant to me this year as Worthy Grand Matron.

"Brother John, for every courtesy that you and Sister McDonald have shown me, please accept my thanks.

"And to my friend Sister Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler, to receive this Jewel from your hands means more to me than you will ever know, for you have been my inspiration, my ideal. I hope that I have reflected in some degree the sort of Grand Matron you would want me to be.

"In this Jewel is a part of the Jewel that was given to me by my own beloved Chapter when I finished my years of service. The Grand Chapter has added the pentagon, and from the little chain is a diamond '32 given to me by one of my Worthy Patrons, Brother Durkin and his wife. You can see how precious this Jewel will be to me, because it will remind me of the love that was shown me for four years and I shall wear it with keen delight.

"I pledge my loyal support to the newly installed Officers. May each of you, as you serve this great body of men and women this year, remember:

' 'Tis the human touch in the world that counts—
The touch of your hand in mine,
It means far more to the hungry heart
Than shelter or bread or wine.
For shelter is gone when the night is o'er
And bread lasts only a day,
But the touch of your hand and the sound of your voice
Live on in my soul away.' "

The Past Grand Patron's Jewel was presented to Brother John Lewis McDonald by Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, Past Grand Matron:

Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, P. G. M.:

"Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron presiding, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron retiring, Distinguished East, Members and Friends:

"One year ago we witnessed a similar ceremony to that which you have seen this evening. That evening my heart filled with pride for Elsie Mae McGiffin and John Lewis McDonald, my Grand Organist, who had been selected to the highest office that could be bestowed upon any individual by the members of the Order of the Eastern Star.

"Then they took on the titles of Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. Tonight we are bestowing upon them new titles, that of Junior Past Grand Matron and Junior Past Grand Patron. One year ago they were facing the East, with the dawn of a year before them. Tonight they are in the West, with the sun setting over that year to rise upon a new one. The reflection of that year of 1932 is one of service and success. They have been faithful servants and their success is boundless.

"Tonight, to our retiring Worthy Grand Patron, I have the pleasure of presenting the Jewel of a Past Grand Patron. This Jewel is a circle

of gold. May the grains of gold that form that circle be like the golden chain of friendship that has gathered itself together in your years of service in the Order of the Eastern Star. Surmounted on that circle of gold is the emblem of the office you have graced during this past year, the Square and Compass on the Star. May that Square and Compass on that Star ever bring to your memory the thought of the service you have given, the worthwhile things you have done, and the obligation of your Masonic fraternity as it reflects itself upon the Order of the Eastern Star; for without your Order, ours would not exist.

"May the memory of this year be as bright and shining always as the success that you have given through your service, my dear friend Elsie and my beloved friend John."

Response, Brother John Lewis McDonald, Jr. P. G. P.:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, our Junior Past Grand Matron, Sister Hazael, Grand Officers Present and Past, Sisters and Brothers:

"This is one of the proudest moments of my life, that of receiving a Past Grand Patron's Jewel from the Grand Chapter of California. And what could be more appropriate than to receive it from Past Grand Matron, Sister Hazael Marsh-Piper, for it was she who gave me my first appointment in Grand Chapter, installed me as Worthy Grand Patron, and now presents me my Past Grand Patron's Jewel. I appreciate all you have done for me, and I want to gratefully thank you, Hazael.

"I only hope I may always be a credit to our Order of the Eastern Star, not only in California, but everywhere, and always feel that I merit this Jewel, for which I sincerely thank this Grand Chapter.

"To my successor, Brother Lloyd, may your year as Worthy Grand Patron be filled with every success and happiness it is possible for a Worthy Grand Patron to have. And to all you Grand Officers and delegates who have been so wonderful to me during this Grand Chapter session, I shall not say 'good-bye,' but just say 'Auf Wiedersehen'."

The Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Butterfield, stated the evening would not be complete unless we heard from Sister Effie Easton, California's sweetheart, and called upon her for a few remarks.

Sister Easton expressed her gratification at seeing Sister Butterfield in the East and wished for her a very happy and successful year.

After a few words of thanks to those who had furnished an exceptionally fine musical program, and to all who had helped to make the Installation a brilliant success, Sister Butterfield excused the visitors.

The Grand Chapter was then called to order and the 59th Annual Session closed in regular form.

GRAND SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

GRAND CHAPTER OF CALIFORNIA, O. E. S.

OFFICE OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

I CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true copy of the Proceedings of the Fifty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S., held in the City of San Francisco, October 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st, 1932.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,
I have hereunto affixed the
Seal of the Grand Chapter of
California, O. E. S., this ____
day of November, A. D.
1932.

Stella Morgan Linscott

Grand Secretary.

In Memoriam

In Memoriam

Frances Ellen Ryder

**Who died on the thirteenth day of July, 1932 in the
Town of Loomis, State of California.**

Worthy Matron of Oak Leaf Chapter No. 8, 1878-1879.

**Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of California
1881-1882.**

“Fast as the rolling seasons bring
The hour of Fate to those we love,
Each Pearl that leaves the broken string
Is set in Friendship's crown above.
As narrower grows the earthly chain,
The circle widens in the sky;
These are our treasures that remain,
But those are stars that beam on high.”

In Memoriam

Kate Elizabeth Mathews

Worthy Matron of Evening Star Chapter No. 10.

Edward Friedrichs

Worthy Patron of Hayward Chapter No. 331.

Elsie May Bird

Worthy Matron of Utopia Chapter No. 441.

Orie Mary Egelhoff

Worthy Matron of Los Angeles Chapter No. 168.

Frederick Lucus Carrier

Worthy Patron of Scepter Chapter No. 163.

Wynn Meredith

Worthy Patron of Camellia Chapter No. 63

In Memoriam

In Loving Memory of Past Matrons and Past Patrons
Who Entered into Rest During the Year
1931-1932.

GOLDEN GATE NO. 1

Herman Dietrich Lempke

SUISUN NO. 2

Ralph Merriam Sheldon

SILVER STAR NO. 3

Minerva McPike
Alice Gillard Warnbold

OAK LEAF NO. 8

Lena Hamilton Jeffress

EVANGELINE NO. 9

Lodema Goering

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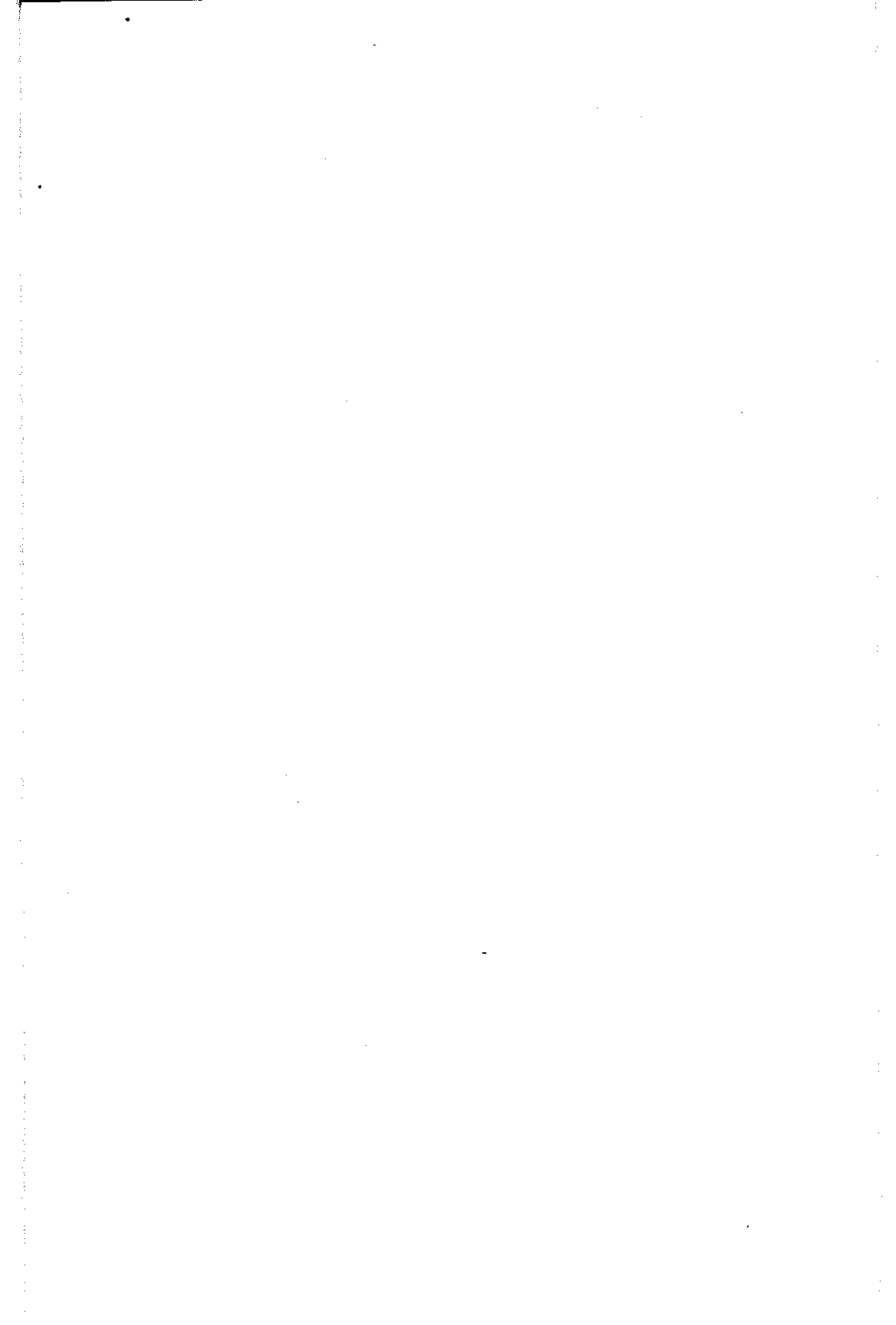
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APPENDIX A

REPORTS

OF THE

DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS



REPORTS OF THE DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS

DISTRICT No. 1.

Report of Mrs. Bessie McCutcheon, D. G. M.

FERNDALE CHAPTER No. 23.

Location, Ferndale. Instituted September 1, 1876. Chartered October 17, 1876. Date of visit, March 23, 1932. Initiated, 8; dimitted, 3; suspended, 5. Total membership, 182. In commercial bank account, \$199.90. Condition of books: splendid, very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. A most efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a conscientious corps of officers, who with members are working hard for the interest of their Chapter. Harmonious hospitality shown. Good Masonic support. A most cordial welcome given me at all times for which I am deeply grateful.

CAMELLIA CHAPTER No. 63.

Location, Eureka. Instituted September 1, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, April 15, 1932. Initiated, 26; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 6; dimitted, 12; suspended, 9; died, 6. Total membership, 487. In savings bank account, \$2845.68. In commercial bank account, \$892.73. Note. Humboldt Lodge No. 79, F. & A. M., \$1000.00. Total cash and investments, \$4738.41. Condition of books: Splendid, very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Extremely good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All Officers present. Good music. The work was exemplified in a very impressive manner. Good Masonic support. This is my home Chapter and I deeply appreciate the many acts of love and kindness extended to me. I want to especially thank the Worthy Matron for all the special courtesies shown me. I am most grateful to my Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for having appointed me Deputy. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Matron Emma Riehl Leach and Past Grand Patron Delos A. Mace, two distinguished members of which we are justly proud.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER

ROHNERVILLE CHAPTER NO. 76.

Location, Fortuna. Instituted August 22, 1883. Chartered October 17, 1883. Date of visit, March 10, 1932. Initiated, 6; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 6; suspended, 3; died, 3. Total membership, 296. In savings bank account, \$377.77. In commercial bank account, \$653.05. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$200.00. Total cash and investments, \$1230.82. Condition of books: Excellent, neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. Matron and Electa absent on account of illness. The Associate Matron presided in a very creditable manner. Earnest, faithful officers working hard for the success of the Chapter, very hospitable. The many courtesies extended to me on the night of my official visit, and at all other times will always remain a pleasant memory to me.

DEL NORTE CHAPTER NO. 149.

Location, Crescent City. Instituted May 4, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 16, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 199. In savings bank account, \$422.28. In commercial bank account, \$124.80. Total cash \$547.08. Condition of books: Excellent, neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present. A splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, very anxious to maintain a high standard of work, supported by capable officers, rendered their work in an impressive manner. Good Masonic support. Good attendance, harmony and good fellowship everywhere. Generous hospitality. Very courteous to Deputy Grand Matron.

ARCATA CHAPTER NO. 207.

Location, Arcata. Instituted December 8, 1902. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 6; suspended, 4; died, 7. Total membership, 271. In savings bank account, \$551.56. In commercial bank account, \$1092.08. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100.00. Total cash and investments, \$1743.54. Condition of Books: Excellent, neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at

8:00 P. M., all officers present. A very earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, working hard for the welfare of the Chapter and supported by a very harmonious and efficient corps of officers. Good Masonic support. Work well rendered. A wonderful fraternal spirit. All working for the prosperity of the Chapter. A very cordial welcome always extended to me. The many sweet thoughts and attentions shown me by the officers and members will always be a happy memory.

DISTRICT No. 2.

Report of Mrs. Hazel Lee Peterson, D. G. M.

EVENING STAR CHAPTER NO. 10.

Location. Etna. Instituted January 5, 1873. Chartered October 18, 1873. Date of visit. April 7, 1932. Initiated, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 127. In commercial bank account, \$400. In Masonic Temple Assn., \$100. Total cash and investments, \$500. Condition of books: Accurately kept by an interested Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:30 P. M. All officers present except Treasurer and conductress. The membership is very scattered, many officers living twelve miles away but they are interested and most anxious to do their work well though often handicapped by absence of officers. Particularly harmonious and courteous Chapter with wonderful officers. Good support of Past Officers and all working for the good of the Order.

STELLA CHAPTER NO. 39.

Location. Yreka. Instituted February 24, 1880. Chartered October 19, 1880. Date of visit. April 1, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; dismissed, 5. Total membership, 284. In commercial bank account, \$337.25. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$700. Total cash and investments, \$1037.25. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Opened on time with all officers present. Very capable corps of officers, doing splendid work. Wonderful support of Past Matrons and Masons. Members making every effort to have prosperous and harmonious Chapter and succeeding exceptionally well. One of our oldest Chapters and showing results of long years of work and harmony.

FIDELITY CHAPTER NO. 131.

Location. Dunsmuir. Instituted August 31, 1894. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 2; suspended, 7; died, 3. Total membership, 169. In savings bank account, \$1294.63. In commercial bank account, \$364.99. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$400. Total cash and investments, \$2059.62. Condition of books: Excellent, neat and correct. Most efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened nearly on time with good attendance. Prosperous and conservative of funds. My own Chapter of which I am very proud. Work well rendered considering many substitutions, several officers being absent. A strong Chapter with good membership.

SISSON CHAPTER NO. 175.

Location. Mt. Shasta. Instituted September 23, 1899. Chartered October 18, 1899. Date of visit, April 27, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 10; died, 3. Total membership, 124. In savings bank account, \$243.72. In commercial bank account, \$293.70. Total cash, \$537.42. Condition of books: Very good. Interested and capable Secretary. Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:10. A Splendid Chapter. Very hospitable. Harmony and good will prevail. Officers doing good work and most anxious for instruction. Fine corps of officers. Work well rendered before a good attendance.

MCCLLOUD CHAPTER NO. 381.

Location. McCloud. Instituted September 3, 1921. Chartered October 18, 1921. Date of visit, April 18, 1932. Initiated, 2; dimitted, 6; suspended, 4. Total membership, 76. In commercial bank account, \$725.87. Condition of books: Exceptionally neat. Very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:15 with all officers present. A very hospitable Chapter with good officers. Good support from Masons and Lumber Co. located there. For a small Chapter the interest taken and work done is wonderful. All officers are conscientious and interested and all members work for harmony.

WHITE PINE CHAPTER NO. 487.

Location. Weed. Instituted July 25, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 2; dimitted, 5; suspended, 1. Total membership, 65. In commercial bank account, \$366.40. Condition of books: In splendid condition. Very neat. Wonderful Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened on time with all officers present. Our baby Chapter of this district. A membership of sixty-five, thirty three of these living out of town and seldom attend. The rest have succeeded in having a model Chapter. Rendered the work almost letter perfect before a good attendance. All members eager for instruction and anxious for perfection. All work for harmony and good of the Order and succeed beyond belief. Wonderful corps of officers.

DISTRICT No. 3.

Report of Mrs. Electa M. Thatcher, D. G. M.

ST. JOHN'S CHAPTER NO. 14.

Location. Weaverville. Instituted January 28, 1875. Chartered October 18, 1875. Date of visit, March 16, 1932. Affiliated, 1; dimitted, 3; died, 1. Total membership, 106. In savings bank account, \$306. In commercial bank account, \$166.44. Total cash, \$472.44. Condition of books: Very neat and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good and very hospitable. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. A good Worthy Matron and a very capable Worthy Patron, with a splendid corps of officers. Chapter room small, but work very well exemplified. Floor work splendid. Good organist. I enjoyed working with this splendid Chapter.

WELCOME CHAPTER NO. 17.

Location. Shasta. Instituted April 5, 1875. Chartered October 18, 1875. Date of visit, March 26, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 112. In savings bank account, \$150.67. In commercial bank account, \$151.11. Total cash, \$301.78. Condition of books: Very neat. Well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened

at 8:10 P. M. All officers present except Warder. A very hospitable Chapter with a very much interested Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Officers very enthusiastic always eager for instruction and striving for perfection. Floor work good. Good music. It was a pleasure for me to work with this Chapter.

VESPER CHAPTER NO. 20.

Location, Red Bluff. Instituted March 1, 1876. Chartered October 17, 1876. Date of visit, March 14, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 2; suspended, 2; died, 4. Total membership, 207. In savings bank account, \$200. In commercial bank account, \$165.74. In Penny Fund, \$23.52. Total cash, \$389.26. Condition of books: Excellent and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid and hospitable. Chapter opened at 8:15. A very capable Worthy Matron and good Worthy Patron with a very interested corps of officers. Ritualistic work very well rendered. All officers present except Warder, absent on account of illness. Good music. Good Masonic support.

NORTHERN LIGHT CHAPTER NO. 26.

Location, Millville. Instituted September 11, 1875. Chartered October 16, 1877. Date of visit, April 9, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 6; Total membership, 112. In savings bank account, \$231.43. In commercial bank account, \$106.95. In cash, \$45.62. Total cash, \$384. Condition of books: Very good, neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid and very hospitable, with a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers, very enthusiastic and always eager for instructions. Chapter opened promptly at 2:00 o'clock. This is my own dear Chapter which I love most dearly and am very proud. Our Chapter was deeply saddened the day of my official visit by the absence of our dear Matron and Patron due to the serious illness of our Worthy Patron. All other officers present. I appreciate and am very grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter this year and the privilege she gave me to serve as Deputy Grand Matron this year. I am very grateful for the support and courtesies extended to me from all Chapters of the Third district. Their love and friendship shall always be a sweet remembrance.

REDDING CHAPTER NO. 44.

Location, Redding. Instituted June 2, 1879. Chartered October 20, 1880. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Dimitted, 5; died, 4. Total membership, 288. In savings bank account, \$114.65. In commercial bank account, \$120.04. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$600. Total cash and investments, \$934.69. Condition of books: Splendid. Accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6: Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid and hospitable. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. A very splendid and charming Worthy Matron, good Worthy Patron with a very interested corps of officers, eager for instruction and striving for perfection. Good organist. A very hospitable Chapter. Good attendance on night of my official visit.

MOLINO CHAPTER NO. 83.

Location, Tehama. Instituted May 3, 1884. Chartered October 20, 1885. Date of visit, April 4, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 141. In savings bank account, \$274.98. In commercial bank account, 177.75. Total cash, \$452.73. Condition of books: Neat and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6: Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Very active with good Masonic support. A very efficient and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with an excellent corps of officers who are interested in their work and striving for perfection. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present except Marshal, absence due to illness. Excellent organist. Ritualistic work was efficiently given. The Worthy Patron gave the work in a very creditable manner. It has been a pleasure for me to serve this Chapter.

MT. SHASTA CHAPTER NO. 153.

Location, Anderson. Instituted January 8, 1896. Chartered October 21, 1897. Date of visit, March 28, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 85. In savings bank account, \$201.50. In commercial bank account, \$143.62. Total cash, \$345.12. Condition of books: Splendid and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6: Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:03 P. M. A wonderful corps of officers led by a splendid Worthy Ma-

tron and Worthy Patron. Especially fine organist. Officers eager for instructions at all times made it a pleasure to work with this Chapter. All officers present except organist.

MYSTIC STAR CHAPTER NO. 279.

Location, Corning. Instituted November 24, 1908. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 1; suspended, 2; died, 4. Total membership, 159. In commercial bank account, \$369.85. Condition of books: Very good and neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A splendid and hospitable Chapter. Hour opened: 8:15 P. M. with a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with the support of a loyal corps of officers. Work well exemplified. Two officers absent on account of death in family. The many courtesies extended to me as their Deputy Grand Matron are greatly appreciated and long to be remembered. This is the home Chapter of our dear Past Grand Matron, Sister Zella Whitford Samson, and I appreciated her kindness to me.

DISTRICT No. 4.

Report of Mrs. Nettie B. Harris, D. G. M.

ALTURAS CHAPTER NO. 51.

Location, Alturas. Instituted June 3, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, April 20, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 2; dismissed, 1; died, 2; expelled, 1. Total membership, 161. In commercial bank account, \$313.02. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2040.97. Total cash and investments, \$2353.99. Condition of Books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present 2; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A very capable corps of officers who exemplified the work beautifully. They have splendid Masonic support and are provided with a beautiful and spacious chapter room which is well equipped. It was in this chapter that I went through the chairs some years ago and it is always a delight to return and receive their cordial greetings and to note the growth and prosperity of the chapter.

ESTHER CHAPTER NO. 74.

Location, Adin. Instituted July 19, 1883. Chartered October 16, 1883. Date of visit, April 10, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 1. Total

membership, 80. In savings bank account, \$150.00. In commercial bank account, \$105.52. Total cash and investments, \$255.52. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This is my own Chapter of which I am duly proud because of the spirit of harmony, co-operation and good will that always prevail. The support of past officers is most helpful and commendable. Most of the officers come from a distance but they are faithful in attendance and are anxious to do their work well. Very cordial to visitors.

EAGLE CHAPTER NO. 187.

Location, Eagleville. Instituted December 19, 1900. Chartered October 16, 1901. Date of visit, April 27, 1932. Dimitted, 1. Total membership, 40. In commercial bank account, \$151.82. In cash, \$3.25. Total cash, \$155.07. Condition of books: Fair. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2; Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A wide awake chapter showing splendid co-operation and do their work well. They are eager for instruction and welcome any assistance. The majority of the members are young people, earnest and enthusiastic, and a spirit of happiness and good fellowship prevails. No Masonic Lodge here. A small chapter but big in hospitality. I have had many enjoyable evenings with this Chapter.

BONNER CHAPTER NO. 232.

Location, Cedarville. Instituted April 29, 1905. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 3; suspended, 7. Total membership, 90. In commercial bank account, \$139.06. Condition of books: Well and correctly kept. Secretary has served for some years and is painstaking and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Officers doing excellent work and anxious to perfect themselves. Splendid support given by past officers. Several very pleasant and worthwhile evenings were spent with Bonner Chapter where I always found a very hearty welcome.

NORTH EAST CHAPTER NO. 254.

Location, Fort Bidwell. Instituted April 19, 1907. Chartered October 16, 1907. Date of visit, April 16, 1932. Suspended, 1; Died, 2. Total membership, 72. In commercial bank account, \$22.50. Condition of Books: Well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction

Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: All officers present, they exemplified the work in a most commendable manner. They were careful to note instructions and anxious to observe them. Good Masonic support, always willing to lend a hand either financially or otherwise. Have a well furnished chapter room. Splendid spirit of hospitality and good cheer.

NORTH STAR CHAPTER NO. 450.

Location, Fall River Mills. Instituted May 29, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 2, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 59. In savings bank account, 482.85. In commercial bank account, 161.63. In Social Fund, \$200. Total cash, \$844.48. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. The Secretary is methodical and exact. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: North Star Chapter has always maintained a high standard of work, but this year they were seriously handicapped by the loss of their Chapter room and all paraphernalia by fire last December, after which they had no regular meeting place until March. However they are now re-established in new quarters which they are gradually refurnishing, and will soon be doing the same excellent work as before. Attendance is good considering the scattered membership, and the officers are faithful though most of them have long distances to come. Strong Masonic support. Hospitality abounds.

DISTRICT No. 5.

Report of Mrs. Bertha L. McAuslan, D. G. M.

VERITAS CHAPTER NO. 84.

Location, Colusa. Instituted November 24, 1884. Chartered October 20, 1885. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 4; died, 4. Total membership, 207. In commercial bank account, \$277. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who have the hearty co-operation of officers and members. They have fine programs each meeting. Very hospitable to visitors and are lovely to work with. I appreciate the courtesies shown me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

MARSHALL CHAPTER NO. 86.

Location, Willows. Instituted April 18, 1885. Chartered October 20, 1885. Date of visit, April 20, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 6; suspended, 9; died, 4. Total membership, 229. In savings bank account, \$335.15. In commercial bank account, \$144.09. Total cash, \$479.24. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. All officers present. All jewels worn. A very efficient Worthy Matron who has the loyal support of her officers. The work was beautifully exemplified. They observed their 47th anniversary with a fine program and two charter members present. They received their Deputy Grand Matron very graciously and I truly appreciate the courtesies shown me.

CITRUS CHAPTER NO. 208.

Location, Orland. Instituted February 27, 1903. Chartered October 20, 1903. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 8; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 214. In savings bank account, \$506.15. In commercial bank account, \$126.46. Total cash, \$632.61. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Harmonious spirit prevails. Work well exemplified on the night of my official visit. Worthy Matron has loyal support of officers and members. All officers present except the Associate Conductress. All jewels worn. They were lovely to me and I appreciate the courtesies shown me.

LOYAL CHAPTER NO. 223.

Location, Williams. Instituted April 4, 1904. Chartered October 19, 1904. Date of visit, April 27, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; died, 1. Total membership, 119. In savings bank account, \$255.64. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The interest is good, membership increasing. Good Masonic support. Have paid for a new piano for chapter room and other equipment needed. Genial good cheer and fellowship prevail throughout the Chapter. All officers present but one. All jewels worn. A very enthusiastic Worthy Matron. They received me very graciously and I appreciate the courtesies extended to me.

WILD ROSE CHAPTER NO. 326.

Location, Princeton. Instituted April 22, 1914. Chartered October 22, 1914. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 11; died, 2. Total membership, 84. In commercial bank account, \$119.95. Condition of books: Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very Good. They are handicapped on account of small chapter room, but are very hospitable to visitors and anxious and willing to do their work well. This is my home chapter and the night of my visit will long be remembered in pleasant associations and courtesies shown me. All officers present and jewels worn.

EOWANA CHAPTER NO. 328.

Location, Stonyford. Instituted May 30, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 55. In commercial bank account, \$61.97. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. They received me very graciously and are anxious to do their work well. Sickness among officers has interfered some in attendance. They are very hospitable to visitors and are far famed for their good cheer and fellowship. All officers present. All jewels worn.

ARBUCKLE CHAPTER NO. 368.

Location, Arbuckle. Instituted September 21, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 103. In savings bank account, \$584.84. In commercial bank account, \$98.05. Total cash, \$682.89. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. A capable and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have the loyal support of officers and members. They were anxious to do their work well and received me very graciously. All officers present. All jewels worn. I sincerely appreciate the courtesies shown me in this Chapter.

MAXWELL CHAPTER NO. 369.

Location, Maxwell. Instituted September 22, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, April 6, 1932. Initiated, 7; dimitted, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 100. In commercial bank account, \$88.88.

Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. A group of young officers who do their work well. The work was given in a very commendable manner. They were very courteous and lovely to me and it was a real pleasure to work with them.

DISTRICT No. 6.

Report of Mrs. Ruby Loraine Blackman, D. G. M.

SINCERITY CHAPTER NO. 53.

Location, Greenville. Instituted June 24, 1881. Chartered October 19, 1881. Date of visit, March 4, 1932. Initiated, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 108. In commercial bank account, \$324.47. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. with all officers and jewels present. A capable corps of officers, good Masonic support. This is my home Chapter, and I have always been justly proud of it. I sincerely thank our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the privilege of serving as her Deputy Grand Matron in this district. It has been a year filled with pleasure and happy memories. Thanks to my home Chapter for courtesies extended to me.

HESPERIAN CHAPTER NO. 112.

Location, Susanville. Instituted September 30, 1891. Chartered October 14, 1891. Date of visit, February 23, 1932. Initiated, 4; dimitted, 6; died, 2. Total membership, 233. In commercial bank account, \$350.68. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. A very lovely Chapter, with a splendid corps of officers who are anxious to do perfect work. All officers present. I truly appreciate all the lovely courtesies extended to me as their Deputy Grand Matron. Officers work in perfect harmony, and it has been a real pleasure to work with them and call them friends.

SIERRA STAR CHAPTER NO. 129.

Location, Sierraville. Instituted June 12, 1894. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 52. In commercial bank account, \$122.79.

In Penny Drill, \$7.44. Total cash, \$130.23. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:30 P. M. This little Chapter is a splendid Chapter, working under hardships, as officers and members have to travel many miles to attend meetings, several officers absent. Very hospitable and I am grateful for the many courtesies extended me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

BECKWITH STAR CHAPTER NO. 201.

Location, Beckwith. Instituted June 25, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 1; suspended, 7. Total membership, 82. In commercial bank account, \$172.00. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:20 P. M. with several officers absent, scattered membership. Many of these sisters and brothers have to come many miles to Chapter. A very lovely Chapter, all officers anxious to do good work. A most gracious welcome extended to me on my official visit. I sincerely thank them.

CELANDINE CHAPTER NO. 224.

Location, Loyalton. Instituted June 22, 1904. Chartered October 19, 1904. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 9; died, 3. Total membership, 92. In savings bank account, \$450.60. In Hall Improvement Fund, \$108.35. In Social Fund, \$30.63. Cash on hand, \$37.00. Total cash and investments, \$626.58. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. with all officers present and exemplifying all the work beautifully and impressively. Loyal support from Past Matrons, Past Patrons, and Masons. Large attendance. A wonderful spirit of hospitality exists at all times. A joy and honor to serve them.

PLUMAS CHAPTER NO. 246.

Location, Quincy. Instituted June 11, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, March 9, 1932. Initiated, 20; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 6. Total membership, 126. In savings bank account, \$311.15. In commercial bank account, \$191.64. In Liberty

Loan Bonds, \$50. In Sunshine Fund, \$58.00. In hands of Secretary, \$40.80. Total cash and investments, \$651.59. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. Jewels were present. All officers present. The work was beautifully exemplified by a splendid corps of officers. The friendly and hospitable spirit shown by members of this Chapter make social events very pleasant for all. I fully appreciate the warm welcome given me on all occasions, and thank the officers and members, who extended so many personal courtesies, making my association with this Chapter very happy.

PORTOLA CHAPTER NO. 321.

Location, Portola. Instituted June 16, 1913. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 10; reinstated, 1; suspended, 9; died, 1. Total membership, 149. In savings bank account, \$376.70. In commercial bank account, \$192.64. In Flower Fund, \$54.95. Total cash \$624.29. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: very good. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. with several officers absent due to scattered membership and bad weather. Spirit of harmony, service and hospitality could not be better. I deeply appreciate the hearty welcome accorded me by officers and members.

WESTWOOD CHAPTER NO. 377.

Location, Westwood. Instituted June 27, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, March 14, 1932. Initiated, 12; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 176. In savings bank account, \$675.63. In commercial bank account, \$294.46. In Social Fund, \$175.55. Total cash, \$1145.64. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. All officers present and doing good work. Good Masonic support. Very sociable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, very anxious to have a fine year. A real pleasure to work with them. The courtesies extended to me will ever remain a pleasant memory.

DISTRICT No. 7.

Report of Mrs. Mary E. Rodgers, D. G. M.

VERNON CHAPTER NO. 35.

Location, Gridley. Instituted June 4, 1878. Chartered October 15, 1878. Date of visit, March 24, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 2; suspended, 6; died, 3. Total membership, 204. In savings bank account, \$475.91. In commercial bank account, \$330.69. In Liberty Loan Bonds \$100.00. Total cash and investments, \$906.60. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers were present. This Chapter has done very good work. The officers are earnest and proficient in their work. A spirit of good will and friendliness prevails.

MARYSVILLE CHAPTER NO. 55.

Location, Marysville. Instituted June 25, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, March 3, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 18; suspended, 8; died, 5. Total membership, 352. In commercial bank account, \$627.90. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50.00. In O. E. S. Home Fund, \$102.00. In Relief Fund, \$52.75. Total cash and investments, \$832.65. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8.06 P. M. with all officers present. This excellent Chapter is in the hands of efficient officers who have labored kindly and earnestly for the perfection of the work. A spirit of good will and hospitality prevails. This is the home Chapter of Sister Anna L. McKenney, Past Grand Treasurer.

FIDELIA CHAPTER NO. 56.

Location, Yuba City. Instituted June 28, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 12; dimitted, 18; suspended, 5; died, 2. Total membership, 361. In commercial bank account, \$186.12. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1900. Total cash and investments, \$2086.12. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. This lovely Chapter has been under the guidance of a most gracious Worthy Matron assisted by courteous, efficient

officers who are keenly interested in their Chapter's welfare and the perfection of the work. The work was done in a reverant, dignified manner. There was good attendance at the meetings and good support from the past officers.

JOSEPHINE CHAPTER NO. 104.

Location, Chico. Instituted June 28, 1889. Chartered October 15, 1889. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 7; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 467. In savings bank account, \$1291.14. In commercial bank account, \$508.23. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$400.00. Total cash and investments, \$2199.37. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. The officers of this Chapter have done very good work. They have been prompt, efficient and courteous in the discharge of their duties and the work of our order has been done in a dignified manner. This is my home Chapter with which I am well pleased. I thank the officers for their kind reception of my instructions and the membership for its kind words of encouragement and courtesies to me.

AMAPOLA CHAPTER NO. 119.

Location, Oroville. Instituted July 5, 1893. Chartered October 18, 1893. Date of visit, February 18, 1932. Initiated, 8; dimitted, 2; suspended, 4; died, 3. Total membership, 322. In savings bank account, \$295.96. In commercial bank account, \$342.56. In Special Fund, \$147.57. In Floral Fund, \$1.08. Total cash, \$787.17. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened at 8:00 P. M. This Chapter has had an interesting and harmonious year with good attendance at the meetings. The officers have done their work in a very creditable manner and have been most loyal to their Worthy Matron. I thank the officers for their co-operation in perfecting the work.

LYMAN CHAPTER NO. 363.

Location, Biggs. Instituted May 15, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, Mar. 15, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 86. In commercial bank account, \$110.68. Condition of books: Very good. Rituals present, 6; Instruction

Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The Chapter was opened at 8:05 P. M. All officers present except the Chaplain, absent on account of illness. The work was well rendered by excellent officers. The membership works in a fine spirit of harmony and good fellowship, with good Masonic support.

SMARTVILLE CHAPTER NO. 431.

Location, Smartville. Instituted June 14, 1924. Chartered October 24, 1924. Date of visit, March 9, 1932. Initiated, 1. Total membership, 63. In commercial bank account, \$345.06. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:30 P. M. with all officers present. This little Chapter is doing good work, especially when one takes into consideration that the officers have to come many miles to a meeting. The members are very loyal to their Chapter and exemplify the true spirit of fraternity.

DISTRICT No. 8.

Report of Mrs. Vera Bowrin, D. G. M.

EVANGELINE CHAPTER NO. 9.

Location, Nevada City. Instituted May 9, 1873. Chartered May 9, 1873. Date of visit, March 15, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 2; died, 4. Total membership, 158. In savings bank account, \$426.63. In commercial bank account, \$158.04. Total cash, \$584.67. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. All officers present except Martha, who was absent because of illness. Gracious and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who is word perfect in his work. All officers doing excellent work. I thank them for their love and kindnesses to me.

AURORA CHAPTER NO. 40.

Location, Grass Valley. Instituted February 9, 1880. Chartered, October 19, 1880. Date of visit, March 7, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 2, died, 2. Total membership, 226. In savings bank account, \$350.51. In commercial bank account, \$220.49. Total cash,

\$571.00. Condition of books: Splendid. Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter open at 8:00 P. M. A spirit of harmony and good fellowship exists in this Chapter. It is progressing under the leadership of a gracious and most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by a loyal corps of officers. The work was beautifully rendered. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies the officers and members have extended to me.

PLACER CHAPTER NO. 49.

Location, Dutch Flat. Instituted March 5, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, March 10, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; died, 5. Total membership, 86. In savings bank account, \$112.54. In commercial bank account, \$114.49. Total cash \$227.03. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened on time. Harmonious and very hospitable. All officers present except Chaplain and Electa. A most charming Worthy Matron who strives to please at all times. Work beautifully rendered by a most proficient corps of officers. This Chapter has worked hard to please. It has been a pleasure to serve them.

CRYSTAL CHAPTER NO. 57.

Location, Auburn. Instituted July 8, 1881. Chartered September 7, 1881. Date of visit, February 11, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 7; died, 6. Total membership, 267. In savings bank account, \$5.47. In commercial bank account, \$192.37. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50.00. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1200.00. In Flower Fund, \$37.60. In Special Fund, \$168.94. Total cash and investments, \$1654.38. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:04 P. M. Associate Matron, Ruth and Esther absent because of sickness. The work was beautifully rendered by a very proficient corps of officers. A sincere and gracious Worthy Matron and is supported by an earnest Worthy Patron. I thank them for their love and loyalty.

MOUNTAIN FERN CHAPTER NO. 62.

Location, Georgetown. Instituted October 14, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, March 24, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 66. In commercial bank account,

\$149.17. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Opened at 8:10 P. M. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, assisted by an earnest corps of officers eager for instructions. Good Masonic support. A wonderful spirit of hospitality and friendship greet all who visit this Chapter. All officers and jewels present. I shall always remember my pleasant evenings with you.

TRUCKEE CHAPTER NO. 116.

Location, Truckee. Instituted March 1, 1892. Chartered April 1, 1892. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 6; dimitted, 1; suspended, 5. Total membership, 114. In commercial bank account, \$120.95. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened at 8:00 P. M. A very hospitable Chapter under the leadership of a sincere, efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, ably assisted and supported by a splendid corps of officers. The Chapter has worked under trying times this winter on account of the deep snows. Work was nicely exemplified. It has been a joy to serve them.

PENRRHYN CHAPTER NO. 159.

Location, Penryn. Instituted March 20, 1897. Chartered October 19, 1898. Date of visit, February 9, 1932. Initiated 3; affiliated 1; dimitted, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 157. In savings bank account, \$1415.84. In commercial bank account, \$89.83. In Bonds, \$1000.00. Total cash and investments, \$2505.67. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened on time. This is a splendid Chapter doing very good work. A splendid corps of officers. A gracious Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron. They are very hospitable and sociable. I am grateful for the many kindnesses to me. Splendid Masonic support. A beautiful jewel march at closing.

BETHANY CHAPTER NO. 304.

Location, Colfax. Instituted May 11, 1911. Chartered October 19, 1911. Date of visit, February 23, 1932. Initiated, 3; reinstated, 4; dimitted, 5; suspended, 4; died, 3. Total membership, 85. In savings

bank account, \$200.00. In commercial bank account, \$187.42. Total cash, \$387.42. Condition of books: Splendid, very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:15 P. M. All officers present. Officially at home and what a joyful evening. The work was beautifully exemplified. I am deeply grateful to the members of my Chapter for their love and kindness. A conscientious Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron with splendid officers. They are doing good work and a desire to please. Good Masonic support. Thanks to our Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the privilege of serving as Deputy Grand Matron.

DISTRICT No. 9.

Report of Mrs. Leila Vevoda, D. G. M.

KINGSLEY CHAPTER NO. 58.

Location, Ukiah. Instituted July 25, 1881. Chartered October 17, 1881. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 0; dimitted, 14; suspended, 0; died, 3; expelled, 0. Total membership, 279. In commercial bank account, \$804.24. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$200. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$1504.24. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A Chapter of which the Eastern Star can well be proud. Prompt, efficient, loyal officers who are keenly interested in their Chapter affairs. An exceptionally gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron. The work was exemplified in a beautiful manner, with the assistance of a very splendid Organist. A spirit of harmony and co-operation prevails, in this, my own Chapter of which I am proud. It has been a joy to serve as their Deputy Grand Matron and I sincerely appreciate the many kindnesses shown me. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present with the exception of the Conductress, who was ill.

AUGUSTA CHAPTER NO. 80.

Location, Covelo. Instituted July 28, 1884. Chartered October 22, 1884. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 4; died, 2. Total membership, 87. In commercial bank account, \$171.72. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition

of Chapter: This little Chapter has labored under many hardships this year, and their members and officers travel considerable distance to attend Chapter. Their Organist, who is a fine musician, travels a great distance to attend Chapter and deserves special mention for her faithfulness. The work was well exemplified on the night of my official visit and the officers and members were courteous to me. Chapter opened at 8:30. All officers were present with the exception of the Marshal.

OCEAN VIEW CHAPTER NO. 111.

Location, Mendocino. Instituted September 16, 1891. Chartered December 11, 1891. Date of visit, March 19, 1932. Initiated, 9; dimitted, 7; suspended, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 158. In commercial bank account, \$154.44. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Harmony and good will prevail, a splendid corps of officers under the guidance of a faithful Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Loyal support of members. I am most grateful for all courtesies extended to me on all occasions. It was a real pleasure to serve this Chapter. Chapter opened promptly with all officers present.

CLEAR LAKE CHAPTER NO. 137.

Location, Lakeport. Instituted October 12, 1895. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 15, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 183. In savings bank account, \$238.42. In commercial bank account, \$425.84. In Social Fund, \$58.19. Total cash and investments, \$722.45. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present with the exception of the Associate Conductress and Electa. An exceptionally charming and efficient Worthy Matron and a very fine and capable Worthy Patron, assisted by a fine corps of officers, working enthusiastically for the welfare of their Chapter. It was a genuine pleasure to instruct these officers and the work was exemplified in a most impressive and beautiful manner. Past officers and members loyal and willing workers. This is a very harmonious and hospitable Chapter.

SAPPHIRE CHAPTER NO. 230.

Location, Fort Bragg. Instituted April 17, 1905. Chartered October 18, 1905. Date of visit, March 8, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 2;

reinstated, 2; dimitted, 4; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 154. In savings bank account, \$242.41. In commercial bank account, \$370.64. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$200. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$863.05. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The work was exemplified in a very fine manner, each officer striving for perfection. A very efficient and progressive Worthy Matron and conscientious Worthy Patron. I fully appreciate the warm welcome given me on all occasions and thank the officers and members who extended so many personal courtesies. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present.

LOWER LAKE CHAPTER NO. 231.

Location, Lower Lake. Instituted April 20, 1905. Chartered October 18, 1905. Date of visit, March 3, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 82. In commercial bank account, \$49.29. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:20 P. M. with all officers present with the exception of Electa who did not fill her station on account of illness. All jewels worn. This is a striving little Chapter of loyal members, who travel considerable distance to attend Chapter meetings. Their work was well exemplified and I appreciate their faithfulness and generous hospitality to me.

POINT ARENA CHAPTER NO. 291.

Location, Point Arena. Instituted May 31, 1910. Chartered October 19, 1910. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 74. In commercial bank account, \$183.26. In Social Fund, \$2.12. Total cash and investments, \$185.38. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Bok kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:30 P. M. with all officers present with the exception of the Associate Patron and Adah. The majority of this little Chapter's members have moved away from this community and their work is being carried on by loyal Past Matrons and Patrons. It was unusual to find every office filled by Past Matrons and Patrons with the exception of the three line officers. They are loyal and harmonious group and are to be commended for their faithfulness. It is like going home for a visit to visit this little Chapter and reminds one of a very happy family.

WILLITS CHAPTER NO. 314.

Location, Willits. Instituted March 13, 1912. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, February 24, 1932. Initiated, 2; dimitted 7; suspended, 7; died, 2. Total membership, 143. In savings bank account, \$236.89. In commercial bank account, \$162.57. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Life Membership Fund, \$50. In Social Fund, \$11.60. Total cash and investments, \$561.06. Condition of books: Accurately and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:05 P. M. with all officers present. Excellent work, good attendance. Capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, both working hard for the interest of the Chapter. Splendid corps of officers. All very gracious to me and it has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter as their Deputy Grand Matron.

DISTRICT No. 10.

Report of Mrs. Roberta Milne, D. G. M.

ROSE VALLEY CHAPTER NO. 33.

Location, Santa Rosa. Instituted February 21, 1878. Chartered October 15, 1878. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 38; affiliated, 14; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 9; died, 7. Total membership, 550. In savings bank account, \$311.38. In commercial bank account, \$643.23. Total cash, \$954.61. Condition of books: Excellent. Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Meeting called to order at 8:05. All officers present except Treasurer. Work well rendered by an earnest corps of officers. A competent and gracious Worthy Matron and a most capable Worthy Patron.

MORNING STAR CHAPTER NO. 61.

Location, Petaluma. Instituted September 27, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, March 8, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 15; suspended, 4; died, 6. Total membership, 363. In savings bank account, \$176.16. In commercial bank account, \$399.80. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$200. Total cash and investments, \$775.96. Condition of books: Splendid. Very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present except the Warder, who was ill. The

high standard of work, accomplished by this very delightful group of officers is worthy of sincere praise and commendation. I find here a very happy, harmonious Chapter, their hospitality makes it a pleasure to visit with them. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are very capable, and enjoy the full support of their officers. This Chapter enjoys the pleasure of a very beautiful organ, with an exceptionally fine organist, which add much to the beauty of their work. Home Chapter of Bro. Lyman C. Byce, Past Grand Patron.

SOTOYOME CHAPTER NO. 82.

Location, Healdsburg. Instituted September 3, 1884. Chartered October 22, 1884. Date of visit, April 26, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 272. In commercial bank account, \$651.99. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$500. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$250. Total cash and investments, \$1401.99. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened on time, with all officers present. I find here a very happy, harmonious and prosperous Chapter with a splendid corps of officers, anxious at all times to do their best. Very capable Worthy Matron and a splendid Worthy Patron.

CLOVER LEAF CHAPTER NO. 130.

Location, Cloverdale. Instituted July 21, 1894. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 6; suspended, 5; Total membership, 82. In commercial bank account, \$174.45. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened on time, with all officers, except Associate Conductress present. This Chapter is small and meets only once a month, yet they are very enthusiastic and performed their work in a very creditable manner. I can truthfully say whatever they lack in membership and funds they make up in friendship and hospitality.

GOLD RIDGE CHAPTER NO. 161.

Location, Sebastopol. Instituted January 6, 1898. Chartered October 19, 1898. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 7; re-instated, 1; dimitted, 5; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 294. In savings bank account, \$105.23. In commercial bank account, \$389.22. Total cash, \$494.45. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of

Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus present.; Labyrinth missing. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., with all officers present except the Associate Matron, who was absent because of a death in the family. This Chapter did very good work and is to be congratulated. A very hospitable Chapter and a delightful place to visit.

VALLEY HOME CHAPTER NO. 182.

Location, Windsor. Instituted July 28, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, March 23, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 131. In savings bank account, \$110.40. In commercial bank account, \$156.24. Total cash, \$266.64. Condition of books: Good, very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:10, all officers present except Adah who was unable to fill her station due to her health. I find here a very earnest and enthusiastic corps of officers, doing very good work, very anxious to be proficient. A very home-like hospitable Chapter.

SAN RAFAEL CHAPTER NO. 215.

Location, San Rafael. Instituted September 11, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit, March 28, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 13; suspended, 8; died, 2. Total memership, 301. In savings bank account, \$532.83. In commercial bank account, \$252.91. Total cash, \$785.74. Condition of books: Excellent. Very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:04 P. M. with all officers present. This is my home Chapter, of which I am very proud. Work was beautifully exemplified by a very proficient corps of officers. Excellent Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, letter perfect in their work. It was a pleasure to be their Deputy, and I am very grateful to my beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon me, and the privilege that has enabled me as Deputy Grand Matron to render a service to the officers of my district. This is also the home Chapter of Brother George Vanderlip, Past Grand Associate Patron.

MILL VALLEY CHAPTER NO. 219.

Location, Mill Valley. Instituted February 14, 1904. Chartered October 19, 1904. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated,

2; dimitted, 20; suspended, 4. Total membership, 255. In savings bank account, \$500. In commercial bank account, \$180.51. Total cash, \$680.51. Condition of books, Excellent. Splendid Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 7:45 P. M. This Chapter exemplified their work in a satisfactory manner. This is the home Chapter of our beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Elliott Seymour.

RIVERVIEW CHAPTER NO. 336.

Location, Guerneville. Instituted April 13, 1915. Chartered October 20, 1915. Date of visit, March 18, 1932. Initiated, 4; dimitted, 13; suspended, 1. Total membership, 167. In savings bank account, \$62.54. In commercial bank account, \$168.51. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$331.05. Condition of books: Excellent. Neat and accurate. Very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., with all officers present. A very conscientious and proficient corps of officers exemplifying the work in a most creditable manner. A very harmonious happy spirit prevails and their hospitality is well known.

DISTRICT No. 11.

Report of Miss Irene Snow, D. G. M.

SILVER STAR CHAPTER NO. 3.

Location, Vallejo. Instituted November 29, 1870. Chartered May 9, 1873. Date of visit, March 25, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 16; suspended, 12; died, 5. Total membership, 546. In savings bank account, \$380.88. In commercial bank account, \$656.78. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$150. Total cash and investments, \$1187.66. Condition of books: Excellent, everything in perfect condition. Extremely neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:25 P. M. with all officers present, jewels worn. A very enthusiastic and efficient group of officers who do splendid work. A very lively program of activities is carried on at all times, in which the whole Chapter is keenly interested. Extremely courteous and hospitable to visitors. It has been a de-

lightful privilege to know these officers, to serve as their Deputy, and to enjoy their friendship and generous hospitality. This is the home Chapter of our Grand Warder, Sister Alvina Whitney.

SILVER GATE CHAPTER NO. 30.

Location, Benicia. Instituted July 14, 1877. Chartered October 26, 1877. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 3; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 162. In savings bank account, \$451.01. In commercial bank account, \$135.18. Total cash, \$586.19. Condition of books: Excellent, neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good indeed. Chapter opened promptly with all officers present and all jewels worn. A splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron assisted by a fine corps of officers who are working zealously for the advancement of their Chapter. I have enjoyed every contact I have made with this delightful Chapter, and must commend very highly their fine spirit of fraternalism and friendliness. The work was beautifully rendered. I greatly appreciate their co-operative and enthusiastic attitude in receiving instructions. They have been very sweet and gracious to me, and it has been a genuine pleasure to work with them.

SILVER SPRAY CHAPTER NO. 59.

Location, Napa. Instituted August 12, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 16; dimitted, 5; suspended, 2; died, 7. Total membership, 218. In savings bank account, \$202.85. In commercial bank account, \$98.47. In Benevolent Fund, \$31.10. In Social Fund, \$33.53. Total cash and investments, \$365.95. Condition of books: Very good, neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened on time, with all officers present, all jewels worn. Here is a fine example of hard working, proficient officers who are doing a fine piece of work for their Chapter. It has been a joy to instruct and help them, for their ideal is "Perfect Work" and they have labored in a splendid manner to attain that ideal. Work was excellently done. I have thoroughly enjoyed my work with these lovely officers who have so endeared themselves to me, and I heartily thank them and the Chapter members for their cordiality and warm friendship.

VALLEY OF THE MOON CHAPTER NO. 85.

Location, Sonoma. Instituted December 6, 1884. Chartered October 19, 1885. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 13; died, 2. Total membership, 162. In savings bank account, \$431.38. In commercial bank account, \$157.42. Total cash, \$588.80. Condition of books: Excellent. Very well kept indeed. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. A very earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have worked hard in the face of difficulties to make their year successful. Several officers have resigned, due to illness or removal from the community, but the work has gone on in a very creditable manner in spite of hardships, and their spirit of courage and loyalty is worthy of high praise. Fine support from their Past Matrons and Past Patrons and from the Masonic Order is very apparent. On my official visit, several officers were absent on account of illness. This Chapter has been most cordial to me as Deputy, and the members are charming in their hospitality. It has been a great pleasure to serve them.

CALISTOGA CHAPTER NO. 189.

Location, Calistoga. Instituted January 29, 1901. Chartered October 16, 1901. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 10; died, 3. Total membership, 132. In commercial bank account, \$231.88. Condition of books: Splendid, neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:20. All officers were present except Treasurer, Ruth and Sentinel who were all absent on account of illness. Jewels were worn, and the work was rendered in a very pleasing manner. It has been a great pleasure to work with this fine, energetic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and their capable corps of officers. They have been very friendly and cordial to me at all times, and I truly appreciate their charming hospitality and friendship.

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 235.

Location, Napa. Instituted September 27, 1905. Chartered October 16, 1906. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 10; suspended, 4; died, 3. Total membership, 276. In savings bank account, \$271.53. In commercial bank account, \$432. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$753.53. Condition of books: Excellent, very neat and most accurately kept. Num-

ber of Rituals present. 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly with all officers present, except the Worthy Patron whose absence was unavoidable. The work was done by this splendid corps of officers is very beautiful and inspiring, being nearly perfect. Fine attendance of members, and good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Keystone is my particular pride and joy because it is my own Chapter. The officers and members have been very lovely to me and have always shown a splendid spirit of co-operation and loyalty. I am indeed most grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin for the honor conferred upon my Chapter by this appointment, and I hope that in my official duties I have succeeded in maintaining the high ideals and principals of our beautiful Order in a creditable manner. The work has been a pleasure and the contacts I have made, the friendships I have formed, and the memory of the courtesies and honors shown me, will always be joyous reminders of a very happy year of service.

ST. HELENA CHAPTER NO. 274.

Location, St. Helena. Instituted May 2, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, March 18, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 3; died, 1. Total membership, 91. In commercial bank account, \$107.85. In Good Cheer Fund, \$3.80. In Home Fund, \$37. Total cash and investments, \$148.65. Condition of books: Splendid, neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present. 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened on time with all officers present except Esther whose absence was due to illness. This delightful little Chapter fairly radiates hospitality and friendliness. Here a sweet and charming Worthy Matron, an outstanding Worthy Patron, and a conscientious group of officers have been doing a fine piece of work for their Chapter. It has been a real joy to work with them, and I thank them sincerely for their fine co-operation and gracious hospitality. Jewels were worn, and the work was rendered in splendid manner. A small membership, a great many of them being non-resident members, makes their work difficult, but their spirit of enthusiasm and loyalty makes up for any lack of mere members.

VALLEJO CHAPTER NO. 278.

Location, Vallejo. Instituted September 16, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; re-instated, 4; dimitted, 3; suspended, 21; died, 3. Total membership, 463. In savings bank account, \$1524.74. In commercial bank account,

\$754.85. Total cash and investments, \$2279.59. Condition of books: Excellent, very neat and very accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened on time. All officers present, jewels worn, and a splendid attendance of members. All work was excellently rendered. This Chapter has a very efficient group of Officers, an interested and enthusiastic membership, fine Masonic support, and a very active organization of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Special effort is made to have each meeting enjoyable to everybody. They also have an organized choir and their music adds much to the beauty and impressiveness of the work. The officers have received instructions most graciously, and have done splendid work in every way. I have thoroughly enjoyed my work with them, and their friendship and generous hospitality are very dear to me.

DISTRICT No. 12.

Report of Mrs. Dagmar Bailey, D. G. M.

SUISUN CHAPTER NO. 2.

Location, Suisun. Instituted March 12, 1870. Chartered May 9, 1872. Date of visit, February 11, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dismissed, 6; died, 4. Total membership, 204. In commercial bank account, \$89.62. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This Chapter, the second oldest in the State, extends a most cordial welcome to all. A very sweet and charming Worthy Matron presides over their meetings and is assisted in every way by a friendly Worthy Patron. Work very well given. Splendid organist. Much support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

VACAVILLE CHAPTER NO. 28.

Location, Vacaville. Instituted September 14, 1877. Chartered October 17, 1877. Date of visit, March 4, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 2; dismissed, 9; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 144. In commercial bank account, \$409.19. Condition of books: Neat and systematic. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. Wonderful corps of officers led by a very capable Matron and Patron. Good Masonic support. A very lovely Chapter who do their work well.

YOLO CHAPTER NO. 60.

Location, Woodland. Instituted August 20, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, February 26, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated 4; dimitted, 10; died, 2. Total membership, 241. In commercial bank account, \$880.80. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly. This is a very lovely Chapter with wonderful officers. This Matron and Patron hold perfection their goal. Good music. Good attendance of members. Very anxious for instruction.

IONIA CHAPTER NO. 199.

Location, Davis. Instituted April 29, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, February 2, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 3; suspended, 1; died, 4. Total membership, 133. In commercial bank account, \$112.42. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$162.42. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: My official visit was a very pleasant evening. Chapter opened promptly by a very capable Matron assisted by her interested Patron. Very efficient corps of officers. I thank this Chapter sincerely for their encouragement.

YOSOLANO CHAPTER NO. 218.

Location, Winters. Instituted February 13, 1904. Chartered October 19, 1904. Date of visit, March 18, 1932. Dimitted, 11; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 120. In savings bank account, \$172.17. In commercial bank account, \$107.61. Hands of Treasurer, \$38.88. Total cash, \$318.66. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This Chapter opened promptly with a very sweet Matron presiding. All other officers very capable who received instructions willingly. Very good Masonic support. A lively, congenial Chapter that I have enjoyed very much.

GOLDEN ROD CHAPTER NO. 221.

Location, Dixon. Instituted April 2, 1904. Chartered October 19, 1904. Date of visit, February 19, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 184. In savings bank account,

\$374.47. In commercial bank account, \$457. 14. Total cash, \$831.61. Condition of books: Very neat and systematic. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly with very efficient Worthy Matron presiding. She is assisted in all her work by a sincere and capable Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers. A very friendly Chapter. Much support from Past Matrons and the Masonic Brothers.

RIO VISTA CHAPTER NO. 222.

Location, Rio Vista. Instituted April 5, 1904. Chartered October 19, 1904. Date of visit, March 15, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 107. In savings bank account, \$302.39. In commercial bank account, \$344.40. Total cash, \$646.79. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly. All officers present. Wonderful corps of officers led by a very enthusiastic Matron and Patron. Harmony and good will prevail. This is my home Chapter of which I am very proud and I appreciate very much all they have done for me. My official visit will never be forgotten and I thank these dear sisters and brothers.

ESPARTO CHAPTER NO. 341.

Location, Esparto. Instituted April 28, 1916. Chartered October 18, 1916. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Dimitted, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 132. In savings bank account, \$300. In commercial bank account, \$195.49. Total cash, \$495. 49. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A very capable Matron and Patron leading a corps of officers anxious for instructions to do perfect work. A very friendly and hospitable Chapter, courteous to their Deputy Grand Matron at all times.

CACHEVILLE CHAPTER NO. 349.

Location, Yolo. Instituted April 24, 1917. Chartered October 17, 1917. Date of visit, February 13, 1932. Initiated, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 78. In savings bank account, \$398.08. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6;

Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very lovely little Chapter. Eager for instructions and officers interested in their work. Cordial to me at all times. I wish I could have visited more often with this homelike Chapter.

GRAFTON CHAPTER NO. 379.

Location, Knights Landing. Instituted July 14, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, February 17, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1; suspended, 2. Total membership, 51. In savings bank account, \$354.42. Association Fund in K. L. \$203.40. Association Stock, \$500. Eastern Star Hall Assn. \$50. Total cash and investments, \$1107.82. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This lovely little Chapter is very anxious to move into their new hall. They have been working under difficulties in an exceptionally small hall but are just as anxious for instructions to do perfect work as a city Chapter. A very sweet Worthy Matron presides who receives help from her conscientious Patron and officers.

DISTRICT No. 13.

Report of Mrs. Mabel Wixson Barr, D. G. M.

NAOMI CHAPTER NO. 36.

Location, Sacramento. Instituted April 26, 1879. Chartered October 21, 1879. Date of visit, May 11, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 8; dimitted, 39; suspended, 20; died, 13. Total membership, 620. In savings bank account, \$141.44. In commercial bank account, \$1369.30. In Eastern Star Hall Stock, \$4190. Total cash and investments, \$5700.74. Condition of books: Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Prosperous. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. The work was beautifully exemplified by a splendid corps of officers under the direction of a gracious Worthy Matron and an efficient Worthy Patron. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Matron, Sister Mabel Boyd Seymour, and Past Grand Treasurer, Sister Florence Newman. Generous hospitality extended to me.

COLUMBUS CHAPTER NO. 117.

Location, Sacramento. Instituted August 8, 1892. Chartered October 18, 1893. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 8, affiliated, 4;

dimitted, 27; suspended, 21; died, 11. Total membership, 420. In savings bank account, \$146.90. In commercial bank account, \$638.88. In Eastern Star Hall Stock, \$1475. Total cash and investments, \$2260.78. Condition of books: Neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 7:30 P. M., all officers present except the Secretary. Conscientious and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, all officers striving to do their work well. Work very well rendered. I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by this Chapter.

SACRAMENTO CHAPTER NO. 190.

Location, Sacramento. Instituted March 7, 1901. Chartered October 16, 1901. Date of visit, March 18, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 7; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 22; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 491. In savings bank account, \$117.87. In commercial bank account, \$658.99. In Eastern Star Hall Stock, \$2610. Total cash and investments, \$3386.86. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. Very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and an efficient corps of officers. Work well rendered. The gracious hospitality extended to me at all times will ever be a pleasant memory.

ADA CHAPTER NO. 301.

Location, Sacramento. Instituted March 23, 1911. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 20; suspended, 27; died, 2. Total membership 483. In savings bank account, \$673.48. In commercial bank account, \$73.67. In Eastern Star Hall Stock, \$2010. In Life Membership, \$416.18. Total cash and investments, \$3173.33. Condition of books: Neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. A very efficient Worthy Matron, assisted by a capable Worthy Patron, and a splendid corps of officers. All work rendered in a beautiful manner. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Treasurer, Sister Birdie Eiler, and my own beloved Chapter, of which I am justly proud. I sincerely appreciate the love and confidence the members have had in me and the many sweet courtesies they extended will always be a happy memory. I am very grate-

ful to my Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and for the privilege of being of service to the Chapters in this district.

RAINBOW CHAPTER NO. 385.

Location, Sacramento. Instituted October 13, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 6; dimitted, 9; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 280. In savings bank account, \$487.19. In commercial bank account, \$423.35. Total cash, \$910.54. Condition of books: Neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Harmonious. Chapter opened at 7:30 P. M. All officers present except the Secretary who was absent because of illness. A most gracious Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, supported by an excellent corps of officers. The work was well given. I thank the officers and members who extended so many courtesies.

FT. SUTTER CHAPTER NO. 420.

Location, Sacramento. Instituted November 30, 1923. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 8; suspended, 11; died, 2. Total membership, 285. In savings bank account, \$282.62. In commercial bank account, \$226.34. In Eastern Star Hall Stock, \$670. Total cash and investments, \$1178.96. Condition of books: Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6. Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 7:30 P. M. All officers present except Esther. Very earnest and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers, rendering exceptionally fine work. I have enjoyed working with these delightful officers, who have been most gracious at all times to their Deputy.

EL CAMINO CHAPTER NO. 428.

Location, North Sacramento. Instituted March 31, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 1; suspended, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 178. In commercial bank account, \$272.76. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$372.76. Condition of books: Neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 7:30 P. M. All officers present. The ritualistic work

was rendered in a splendid and impressive manner, under the leadership of a most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who at all times radiate loving thoughtfulness and kindness. It has been a joy to work with this Chapter.

TEMPLE CHAPTER NO. 513.

Location. Sacramento. Instituted May 11, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit. March 25, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 5. Total membership, 102. In commercial bank account, \$330.73. In Eastern Star Hall Stock, \$175. Total cash and investments, \$505.73. Condition of books: Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. Splendid. Very lovely Chapter, under the leadership of a capable and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, with a splendid corps of officers. The work was exemplified in a very impressive manner, each officer almost letter perfect. It has been a pleasure to work with these officers, where the spirit of happiness and good-fellowship prevails. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies shown me.

DISTRICT No. 14.

Report of Mrs. Ann Johnson. D. G. M.

WHEATLAND CHAPTER NO. 48.

Location. Wheatland. Instituted March 23, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit. March 2, 1932. Initiated, 2; dimitted, 2; Total membership, 155. In savings bank account, \$384.34. In commercial bank account, \$159.50. Total cash, \$543.84. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Most efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:06 P. M. The officers and members of this lovely Chapter are like a happy family, many coming a long distance to fill their stations in the Chapter room. Instructions always graciously received. The work was very beautifully rendered at each meeting. A most capable and friendly Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Exceptionally good music. Splendid support of past officers.

FRIENDSHIP CHAPTER NO. 67.

Location, Lincoln. Instituted May 6, 1882. Chartered October 18, 1882. Date of visit, February 20, 1932. Initiated, 13; dimitted, 3; died, 3. Total membership, 157. In savings bank account, \$216. In commercial bank account, \$351.79. Total cash, \$567.79. Condition of books: Excellent. Both Secretary and Treasurer neat and accurate with their books. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A prosperous and harmonious Chapter. Chapter opened promptly on night of official visit, with officers rendering splendid ritualistic and floor work. The line officers very good. Every courtesy shown their Deputy and I am truly appreciative. Very good Masonic support. A most cordial greeting extended to all who enter this Chapter room by officers and members, making the Chapter truly worthy of the name of "Friendship".

FALLEN LEAF CHAPTER NO. 90.

Location, Placerville. Instituted July 15, 1886. Chartered October 20, 1886. Date of visit, February 22, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 214. In savings bank account, \$502.77. In commercial bank account, \$64.52. In Bonds, \$200. Total cash and investments, \$767.29. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00. Work beautifully rendered by a most efficient corps of officers, under the leadership of a most charming Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All officers eager for instructions and it has been a very keen pleasure to work with them. The spirit of friendliness and harmony greet all who visit this delightful Chapter. Good support by Past Matrons and Patrons.

HEBER CHAPTER NO. 181.

Location, Roseville. Instituted May 29, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, February 19, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1; died, 5. Total membership, 165. In savings bank account, \$13.20. In commercial bank account, \$184.15. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$400. Total cash and investments, \$597.35. Condition of books: Good. Neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. This Chapter enjoys the

leadership of a splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The officers all receive instructions in a most gracious manner, and the work was beautifully rendered. The balloting of Star Points worthy of especial mention. The evening of my official visit will always remain a beautiful memory to me. I am very appreciative of the splendid co-operation on the part of the members and officers. You have made it a joy indeed, to be your Deputy Grand Matron.

NATOMA CHAPTER NO. 233.

Location, Folsom. Instituted July 1, 1905. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, March 14, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 1; suspended, 1. Total membership, 144. In savings bank account, \$136.23. In commercial bank account, \$157.25. Total cash, \$293.48. Condition of books: Excellent condition. Most capable Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron working together, with hearty co-operation of a fine group of officers for the advancement of Natoma Chapter. A splendid feeling of friendship greets all who visit this Chapter. This Chapter enjoys splendid support of their Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

ROSE CHAPTER NO. 292.

Location, Roseville. Instituted June 11, 1910. Chartered October 19, 1910. Date of visit, February 12, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 3; suspended, 2; died, 5. Total membership, 382. In commercial bank account, \$609.32. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$1109.32. Condition of books: Excellent. Books neatly and accurately kept. Very capable and wide awake Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. on night of official visit. Work beautifully rendered, each officer doing splendid work. A happy and prosperous Chapter, with a most capable and lovable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron presiding in the East. Always happy to receive visitors, with a spirit of hospitality and cordiality always prevailing. This is my own dearly beloved Chapter, and words cannot express my appreciation to the officers and members for their love and loyalty to me on every occasion. My official visit will remain a happy memory all the

rest of my life. I am grateful to Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and the pleasure which has been mine, in serving my sisters and brothers of the 14th District as their Deputy Grand Matron.

EL DORADO CHAPTER NO. 499.

Location, El Dorado. Instituted June 30, 1928. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, February 26, 1932. Initiated, 7; Total membership, 50. In commercial bank account, \$140.16. Condition of books: Excellent. Books in splendid condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly on night of official visit. A most gracious and wide awake Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, assisted by a most proficient corps of officers. This little Chapter is growing, with a splendid feeling of friendship and harmony prevailing. Work very ably rendered, and instructions graciously received. Good Masonic support.

DISTRICT No. 15.

Report of Mrs. Jessie Hardie Robbins. D. G. M.

GOLDEN STAR CHAPTER NO. 66.

Location, Jackson. Instituted April 1, 1882. Chartered October 18, 1882. Date of visit, February 4, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dismissed, 2; died, 5. Total membership, 117. In savings bank account, \$195.94. In commercial bank account, \$150.98. Total cash, \$346.92. Condition of books: Very neat. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened on time. Prosperous, excellent co-operation between members and officers. A fine spirit of harmony prevails with generous hospitality. Good music. The work of the Order done in a painstaking and conscientious manner. Good attendance and fine Masonic support.

QUEEN ESTHER CHAPTER NO. 71.

Location, Sutter Creek. Instituted June 21, 1883. Chartered October 16, 1883. Date of visit, March 12, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 82. In commercial bank account, \$116.40. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$166.40. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Faithful Secretary.

Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly with all stations filled. A spirit of harmony and good will is a characteristic of this Chapter. All officers strive for excellence in the work and support the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron most loyally. The music is excellent and inspiring. My home Chapter extended many courtesies and much hospitality to me and I am honored by the opportunity for serving it.

AZALIA CHAPTER NO. 77.

Location, San Andreas. Instituted September 29, 1883. Chartered October 22, 1884. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Dimitted, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 92. In commercial bank account, \$162.25. Condition of books: Well and neatly kept by faithful Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. All officers efficient and faithful in co-operation with their conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Good attendance, excellent music and work well executed. Charter and all jewels present.

ANGELS CHAPTER NO. 134.

Location, Angels Camp. Instituted January 29, 1895. Chartered October 17, 1895. Date of visit, February 18, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 73. In savings bank account, \$58.03. In commercial bank account, \$48. Total cash, \$106.03. Condition of books: Neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. A very conscientious Worthy Matron. An earnest and interested corps of officers, very capable. Attendance good. Very fine music. All officers friendly and eager for instruction. The work put on in a creditable and pleasing manner. Generous hospitality shown.

CRESCENT CHAPTER NO. 165.

Location, Murphys. Instituted June 15, 1898. Chartered October 19, 1898. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 3; suspended, 1; Total membership, 60. In savings bank account, \$337.53. In commercial bank account, \$182.71. Total cash \$520.24. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; In-

struction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened promptly with all stations filled. Doing splendid work, each officer striving for excellence. A most efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Music very good. Excellent Masonic support. A fine spirit of fraternity and hospitality characterizes this Chapter. Attendance very good, some officers and members traveling many miles over mountain roads to be present.

MILTON CHAPTER NO. 244.

Location, Milton. Instituted April 17, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 1; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 62. In savings bank account, \$132.92. In commercial bank account, \$97.06. Total cash, \$229.98. Condition of books: Excellent, neat and accurate. Capable and efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:30. Charter present and all stations filled. Chapter well versed in the work. A wonderful spirit of good will and hospitality flourishes here. Fine co-operation with Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who must travel seventy miles, many of them through mountains, to be present at the Chapter meetings. Many members and officers come long distances to attend Chapter. A beautiful new Chapter room is now a credit to its loyal members. The Masonic support is fine.

IONE CHAPTER NO. 283.

Location, Ione. Instituted April 22, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, March 3, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 3; suspended, 3. Total membership, 120. In commercial bank account, \$128.25. Condition of books: Very good. Capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present: 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly with all stations filled. Very hospitable and courteous Chapter doing good work. Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron and all officers very loyal and co-operative in work of the Order. The members are very cordial and hospitable to visitors.

DISTRICT No. 16.

Report of Mrs. Hazel Ham, D. G. M.

ELK GROVE CHAPTER NO. 109.

Location, Elk Grove. Instituted October 3, 1890. Chartered October 21, 1890. Date of visit, February 20, 1932. Initiated, 7; dimitted, 3; suspended, 3; died, 1. Total membership, 162. In savings bank account \$200. In commercial bank account, \$81.85. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$150. Total cash and investments, \$431.85. Condition of books: Very good, neatly and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present, except Chaplain, who was ill. All jewels worn. A charming and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a corps of efficient officers doing very good work. Most generous spirit of hospitality and fraternal love extended to me at all times. Good Masonic support.

WOODBRIIDGE CHAPTER NO. 118.

Location, Woodridge. Instituted September 8, 1892. Chartered October 15, 1893. Date of visit, March 12, 1932. Dimitted, 5; suspended, 10; died, 3. Total membership, 200. In commercial bank account, \$369.31. Condition of books: Excellent, neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present, jewels worn. A sincere and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers, doing very good work, anxious to receive instruction. This is my home Chapter, of which I am very preud. I am deeply grateful for the courtesies extended to me. I am also very grateful to Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, Worthy Grand Matron, for giving me the honor of serving as Deputy Grand Matron. This is the home Chapter of Sister Grace Diers Beckman, Past Grand Treasurer.

ONISBO CHAPTER NO. 164.

Location, Courtland. Instituted April 29, 1898. Chartered October 19, 1898. Date of visit, March 3, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 7; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 145. In savings bank account \$282.04. In commercial bank account, \$340.02. In Masonic Hall Stock \$1450. Total cash and investments, \$2072.06. Condition of books: Very good, neatly and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept.

General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with three officers absent because of illness. A capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, assisted by a corps of earnest and willing officers, who exemplified the work in a beautiful manner. Good attendance and good Masonic support. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies extended to me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

LODI CHAPTER NO. 150.

Location, Lodi. Instituted May 28, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, February 18, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 23; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 312. In commercial bank account, \$31.55. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$200. Interest on Bond, \$42.58. Total cash and investments, \$274.13. Condition of books: Excellent, neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, with all officers present, except one, who was ill, jewels worn. A splendid corps of officers, doing excellent work, under the leadership of a charming and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, a joy to instruct them. My visits were a pleasure at all times and I am grateful to them for the many courtesies extended to me. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Matron, Sister Pauline Ada Hause.

LIVE OAK CHAPTER NO. 371.

Location, Galt. Instituted April 13, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, March 4, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 69. In commercial bank account, \$290.26. Condition of books: Very good, neatly and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present, jewels worn. A capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers, doing very good work, anxious to receive instructions. A very friendly and hospitable Chapter, who were delightfully courteous to me at all times. Good Masonic support.

LINDEN CHAPTER NO. 372.

Location, Linden. Instituted May 2, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Total membership, 71. In commercial bank account, \$257.43. Condition of books: Very good,

neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present, jewels worn. A lovely and friendly Chapter, doing excellent work, under the leadership of a capable and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Good Masonic support. I thank them for their hospitality and kindness to me at all times.

DISTRICT No. 17.

Report of Mrs. Helen Blanche Sandine, D. G. M.

HOMO CHAPTER NO. 50.

Location, Stockton. Instituted May 21, 1881. Chartered October 18, 1881. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 20; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 8; suspended, 5; died, 4. Total membership, 555. In commercial bank account, \$418.23. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2200. In Life Membership, \$550. In Relief Fund and Special Relief, \$1000. Total cash and investments, \$4168.23. Condition of books: Very neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. The meeting opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and all jewels worn. They were very courteous and kind to me and the many Past Matrons were most gracious and always willing to lend a helping hand. A very sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron lead this Chapter, with a corps of officers that are most anxious over the smallest detail of floor and ritualistic ceremonies and continually striving to add any possible improvement to their work. I am very happy to have had the pleasure of being Deputy Grand Matron to this fine Chapter. All phases of the work were exemplified in a manner which would bring forth great praise from even the most critical observer. I appreciate sincerely all the lovely courtesies and kindness shown me.

PENTALPHA CHAPTER NO. 339.

Location, Manteca. Instituted December 29, 1915. Chartered October 18, 1916. Date of visit, March 14, 1932. Initiated 2; dimitted, 12; suspended, 7. Total membership, 153. In savings bank account, \$75. In commercial bank account, \$330.62. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$125. Total cash and investments, 530.62. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter:

Splendid Chapter, opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and all jewels worn. Headed by adorable Worthy Matron and a very enthusiastic Worthy Patron supported by a greatly interested corps of officers, this Chapter is making splendid progress. These officers were very anxious to receive instruction and made the most of each practice meeting. The results of their hard work were very plainly evident in the most gratifying manner in which they presented their work. This is a very harmonious and hospitable Chapter and one which I am always glad to visit.

JOAQUIN CHAPTER NO. 348.

Location, Tracy. Instituted April 16, 1917. Chartered October 21, 1917. Date of visit, February 18, 1932. Initiated, 6; dimitted, 16; suspended, 3; died, 1. Total membership, 214. In savings bank account, \$100. In commercial bank account, \$333.65. Total cash, \$433.65. Condition of books: Fine. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at promptly 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and all jewels worn. A fine Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a loyal and sincere group of officers and good side line support. These officers take their work very seriously and are always anxious for any additional instruction that will improve their efforts. The entire work of the Order was exemplified in a most pleasing manner and I felt well repaid for my efforts. This Patron gives his entire work in a most commendable manner and letter perfect.

GOLDEN POPPY CHAPTER NO. 355.

Location, Stockton. Instituted August 4, 1919. Chartered October 22, 1919. Date of visit, March 2, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 5; demitted, 11; suspended, 15; died, 2. Total membership, 321. In savings bank account, \$540.75. In commercial bank account, \$219.94. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$800. Total cash and investments, \$1560.69. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all jewels worn and all officers present except the Associate Conductress. Happiness and harmony prevail throughout this Chapter, a condition which is due in a great measure to the charming Matron and Patron who lead a splendid corps of officers. I thoroughly enjoyed giving instruction to these fine officers and appreciate sincerely the happy thoughts and pleasant reminiscences which come to me due to my contact with them. All phases of the work were splendidly exemplified. The Chapter is mak-

ing wonderful progress and the members have occasion to be proud of their fine officers. The Worthy Patron is much interested in his work and gives it all in a most creditable manner.

STOCKTON CHAPTER NO. 373.

Location, Stockton. Instituted May 14, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 8; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 278. In commercial bank account, \$408.23. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$500. In Pacific States Bldg. & Loan, \$989.11. In Mercantile Bldg. & Loan, \$2060.45. Total cash and investments, \$3957.79. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and all jewels worn. This Chapter is hospitable, harmonious and prosperous, and is my own Chapter of which I feel justly proud. We have a most charming and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who are supported by a very congenial and loyal corps of officers doing splendid work and to have served them as Deputy has indeed been a great pleasure. These officers, together with the members, have been most kind to me and considerate of me at all times and words fail me in trying to express to them my deep appreciation of their efforts. All parts of the work were exemplified in a perfect manner. I am most happy to have served as Deputy for as charming and capable a Worthy Grand Matron as our own Elsie Mae McGiffin and I sincerely appreciate the honor conferred upon my Chapter through me. My year as Deputy has been a most pleasant one and will always stand out in my garden of memories as a rare and ever blooming plant.

ESCALLONIA CHAPTER NO. 447.

Location, Escalon. Instituted April 9, 1925. Chartered May 6, 1925. Date of visit, February 24, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 67. In commercial bank account, \$185.68. Condition of books: Very nicely kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock, all officers were present and all jewels were worn. Hospitality, courtesy and a welcoming hand are extended to visitors at all times. The lovely new building in which they meet was built by the Masons and beautifully and entirely furnished by the members of the Chapter. The Masons offer splendid support and one of the most notable honors conferred upon our Order is the placing of our emblematic

Star beside the Masonic emblem over the entrance to the building. This Chapter is small but has a very good attendance with a fine "brothers corner". The work was exemplified in a very pleasing manner.

DISTRICT No. 18.

Report of Mrs. Rea Parks Briggs, D. G. M.

ARIEL CHAPTER NO. 42.

Location, Antioch. Instituted March 30, 1880. Chartered October 20, 1880. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 10, affiliated, 2; dimitted, 11; died, 2. Total membership, 209. In special savings bank account, \$71.31. In commercial bank account, \$310.28. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$700. In General savings, \$15.37. Total cash and investments, \$1096.96. Condition of books: Very good and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present except Organist. Jewels worn. Chapter is in a splendid condition. Officers are young, happy and enthusiastic making the work enjoyable and interesting. All work exemplified in a most pleasing manner. Splendid support by members. Their kindness and courtesy to me will always be a pleasant and happy memory.

CROCKETT CHAPTER NO. 184.

Location, Crockett. Instituted September 7, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, March 26, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 3; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 135. In savings bank account, \$366.54. In commercial bank account, \$187.37. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$653.91. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. All work exemplified in a most commendable manner under the leadership of a most gracious Worthy Matron and genial Worthy Patron. This is my home Chapter of which I am very proud and to whom I wish to express my appreciation for the kindness and courtesy given me during the past years. I thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the privilege of serving as Deputy Grand Matron.

MASPHA CHAPTER NO. 198.

Location, Brentwood. Instituted April 23, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, May 11, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 1;

suspended, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 146. In commercial bank account, \$248.76. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present except Sentinel, absence due to illness. The work of our Order was exemplified in a beautiful and inspiring manner, by a most capable and sincere corps of officers. I am most grateful to them all for the courtesies shown me as their Deputy Grand Matron and shall always remember the many happy hours we have spent together.

ALMONA CHAPTER NO. 214.

Location, Walnut Creek. Instituted September 5, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit, March 19, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 208. In savings bank account, \$200. In commercial bank account, \$214.88. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$3142. In Good Cheer Fund, \$18. Total cash and investments, \$3574.88. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M., all officers present. Jewels worn. This is a hospitable and friendly Chapter. A most earnest and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, all officers doing excellent work. It has been a joy to have the privilege of working with them, and I thank them for their love and kindness to me. Hearty support of members.

PINOLE CHAPTER NO. 220.

Location, Pinole. Instituted February 23, 1904. Chartered October 19, 1904. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 3; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 140. In savings bank account, \$1355.64. In commercial bank account, \$167.34. Total cash, \$1522.98. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:15 P. M. All officers present. Jewels worn, and all work well rendered. Very happy and harmonious Chapter doing fine work under trying conditions, their Chapter room having been destroyed by fire. Sincere and earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, splendid corps of officers and hearty support of members. I am glad to have this opportunity to thank Pinole Chapter for their kindness to me during the many years we have been associated and for their support and help this year.

LOS CERITOS CHAPTER NO. 234.

Location, Martinez. Instituted July 22, 1905. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, March 23, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 224. In savings bank account, \$110.40. In commercial bank account, \$452.28. In Floral Fund, \$40.57. In Social Fund, \$9.03. Total cash, \$612.28. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. A very fine Chapter in every way. An interested corps of officers who are untiring in their efforts to do their work well and benefit their Chapter. All work given in an inspiring manner under the leadership of a most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All my work with this Chapter has been most enjoyable and it has been a pleasure to have served as their Deputy Grand Matron.

PITTSBURG CHAPTER NO. 353.

Location, Pittsburg. Instituted June 26, 1919. Chartered October 22, 1919. Date of visit, February 23, 1932. In savings bank account, \$156.06. In commercial bank account, \$128.49. Total cash, \$284.55. Condition of books: Excellent, very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. Jewels worn. Very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, interested group of officers who exemplified the work in a most impressive manner. Good support of members. For the many courtesies extended to me and for the privilege of working with this Chapter, I am very thankful.

CONCORD CHAPTER NO. 384.

Location, Concord. Instituted September 28, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, March 2, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 9; suspended, 6. Total membership, 173. In commercial bank account, \$388.87. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$700. Total cash and investments, \$1088.87. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M., all officers present. Jewels worn. A very splendid Chapter with a spirit of friendliness and sociability. An enthusiastic corps of officers under the leadership of a lovable and efficient

Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron. All work exemplified in a most commendable manner. Every courtesy was extended to me, for which I am deeply grateful.

DISTRICT No. 19.

Report of Mrs. Eva Nelson, D. G. M.

BERKELEY CHAPTER NO. 178.

Location, Berkeley. Instituted April 4, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, March 15, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 11; dimitted, 7; died, 5. Total membership, 465. In savings bank account, \$158.43. In commercial bank account, \$467.12. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1400. In Fidelity Bldg. & Loan, \$106.70. Total cash and investments, \$2132.35. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. The home Chapter of our Past Grand Matron Stella M. Linscott and Past Grand Patron Walter W. Bradley, gives me a feeling of gratitude that I was privileged to serve as their deputy. A most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their corps of officers expressed all these qualities ever forgetting self in the great work, for that finer word Service, which rings true and clear above all others of our time; which will bring all into closer fellowship with Friends and neighbors.

ACANTHA CHAPTER NO. 249.

Location, Richmond. Instituted September 7, 1906. Chartered October 16, 1907. Date of visit, March 25, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 9; suspended, 13; died, 4. Total membership, 360. In savings bank account, \$76.45. In commercial bank account, \$619.30. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$710. Total cash and investments, \$1405.75. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. A very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. Efficient officers doing splendid work under the guidance of a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Your cordial welcome and generous hospitality has made it a pleasure to visit your Chapter. We know the Great All-Father is the head of this institution, the unseen Guest at all our meetings, the silent listener in all our deliberations and He has rewarded us according to our merits.

WEST GATE CHAPTER NO. 290.

Location, Berkeley. Instituted February 1, 1910. Chartered October 19, 1910. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 20; suspended, 11. Total membership, 350. In savings bank account, 95.50. In commercial bank account, \$762.17. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$150. Total cash and investments, \$1007.67. Condition of books: Very neatly and efficiently kept. A very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. My home Chapter. Home, not merely four square walls, to me is where affection falls, Home the dearest spot on earth, where the heart finds rest and peace. The members of my Chapter left nothing undone to help make my year as deputy a happy one. Our efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their splendid corps of officers have been most kind and they have exemplified their work in a very pleasing manner. Yesterday is gone, God has tomorrow, only today is ours, let us therefor build well the foundations of Fidelity, Constancy, Purity, Faith and Love. May we be guided and directed by Him whose Star we have seen in the East. May peace and harmony prevail, and Charity, Faith and Loving Kindness be our aim. No greater honor could you bestow on me than the way you exemplified your work. Thank you for your kind deeds and loving words to me, as your Deputy Grand Matron.

THOUSAND OAKS CHAPTER NO. 375.

Location, Berkeley. Instituted May 27, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, April 4, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 11; suspended, 7; died, 2. Total membership, 282. In savings bank account, \$776.18. In commercial bank account, \$335.12. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$760. Total cash and investments, \$1871.30. Condition of books: Systematically kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. A most capable Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers. You have been a true friend to me and as I leave this beautiful picture of the past year's work, I will see the days I spent with you a dream of loving kindness. Thank you for making my year as your Deputy, a happy one.

BEACON CHAPTER NO. 383.

Location, Richmond. Instituted September 9, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, March 5, 1932. Initiated, 18; affiliated,

2; dimitted, 3; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 198. In savings bank account, \$49.98. In commercial bank account, \$312.18. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$462.16. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. My first official visit and a most happy one, here we find the motto of Electa present at all meetings. If we "Love one another" all wrongs will be righted, and troubles vanish, and to each one will come the treasure of Peace and Happiness. A very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, their splendid corps of officers have made Beacon Chapter a very bright spot in my year.

POINT CHAPTER NO. 394.

Location, Point Richmond. Instituted July 6, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 7; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 94. In commercial bank account, \$45.73. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. A most gracious Worthy Matron and a very efficient Worthy Patron with their loving corps of officers all striving to express the teachings of our Holy Bible, by bringing into their Chapter loving kindness and generous hospitality. I thank you for the love and goodwill expressed to me.

ROSA M. SHATTUCK CHAPTER NO. 504.

Location, Berkeley. Instituted August 15, 1928. Chartered October 16, 1928. Date of visit, March 28, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 3; suspended, 2. Total membership, 87. In commercial bank account, \$90.51. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All striving to do their work correctly in a happy and courteous manner, under the leadership of a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. A very warm welcome and generous hospitality awaits all who visit Rosa M. Shattuck Chapter. Thank you for your loving kindness and co-operation in making my year as your Deputy a happy one.

MIRAMAR CHAPTER NO. 205.

Location, Richmond. Instituted September 30, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, March 18, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 12; suspended, 11; died, 4. Total membership, 329. In commercial bank account, \$638.08. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$500. In Masonic Temple Assn., \$50. Total cash and investments, \$1188.08. Condition of books: A beautiful set of books and most gracious Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. A very efficient Worthy Matron and loyal Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers. I thank you for all your loving kindness extended to me. No greater honor could be paid than by exemplifying your work so beautifully. A most cordial welcome awaited all who entered your Chapter room.

DISTRICT No. 20.

Report of Mrs. Myrtle Hollenbeck, D. G. M.

CARITA CHAPTER NO 115.

Location, Alameda. Instituted March 9, 1892. Chartered October 19, 1892. Date of visit, March 23, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 8; dimitted, 30; suspended, 6; died, 7. Total membership, 536. In savings bank account, \$1780.60. In commercial bank account, \$523.83. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$1450. In Charity Fund, \$97.40. In Paraphernalia, \$237. Total cash and investments, \$4088.83. Condition of books. Very neat and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with the Treasurer, Associate Conductress and Electa absent, because of illness. A very happy and progressive Chapter. Excellent corps of officers working harmoniously under the leadership of a gracious and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The work was very well rendered. I am deeply grateful to this Chapter for the hospitality and many courtesies.

ELVESTA CHAPTER NO. 293.

Location, Oakland. Instituted July 30, 1910. Chartered October 19, 1910. Date of visit, January 21, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 5; suspended, 8; died, 5. Total membership, 445. In savings bank account, \$562.01. In commercial bank account, \$280.35. Total cash, \$842.36. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of

Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with the Associate Matron and Secretary absent, because of illness. An enthusiastic corps of officers, doing very good work. Sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who have the love and support of their members. Excellent choir. The many courtesies extended me in this Chapter will always be a very happy memory.

FRUITVALE CHAPTER NO. 297.

Location, Oakland. Instituted December 21, 1910. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 13; suspended, 4; died, 5. Total membership, 314. In savings bank account, \$452.38. In commercial bank account, \$527.42. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Cash in Treasurer's hands, \$77. Total cash and investments, \$1106.80. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present, and rendering the work in a most commendable manner. A happy and harmonious Chapter, lead by a sincere and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. In this, my home Chapter, I appreciate the many courtesies extended me by officers and members, and sincerely thank our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor of serving as one of her Grand Officers.

ALAMEDA CHAPTER NO. 386.

Location, Alameda. Instituted November 30, 1921. Chartered October 20, 1922. Date of visit, May 6, 1932. Initiated, 10; dimitted, 9; suspended, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 240. In savings bank account, \$636.05. In commercial bank account, \$567.32. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$1703.37. Condition of book: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with all officers present. A friendly and harmonious Chapter, served by a cordial and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and a very enthusiastic corps of officers. The work was very well rendered. My last official visit was with this lovely Chapter, and I shall always remember the thoughtful courtesies extended to me.

EFFIE EASTON CHAPTER NO. 392.

Location. Oakland. Instituted April 24, 1922. Chartered October 19, 1922. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 3; suspended, 18. Total membership, 173. In commercial bank account, \$436.10. Cash in hand of Treasurer, \$51. Total cash, \$487.10. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened on time with all officers present except Esther. A splendid Chapter making itself worthy to carry the name of our esteemed and well loved Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress of the General Grand Chapter, and Past Grand Matron of California. The work was very well rendered by earnest officers. Splendid Masonic support. Sincere and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. My work with this Chapter has been a happy pleasure.

FOOTHILL CHAPTER NO. 433.

Location. Oakland. Instituted July 29, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, March 9, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 8, suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 240. In commercial bank account, \$385.50. Cash in Treasurer's hands, \$155. Total cash, \$540.50. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. A splendid Chapter under the leadership of a most charming and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The work was beautifully exemplified by an excellent corps of officers, all of whom were present. Exceptional organist. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies extended to me.

CALIZ DE ORO CHAPTER NO. 457.

Location. Oakland. Instituted February 12, 1926. Chartered October 18, 1926. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 10; died, 1. Total membership, 171. In savings bank account, \$847.92. In commercial bank account, \$482.45. Total cash, \$1330.37. Condition of books: Very neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present, and rendering the work very well. This is a harmonious and prosperous Chapter, with a very gracious Worthy Matron, and splendid Worthy Patron. I am proud to have served this lovely Chapter. I thank you for many courtesies.

DISTRICT No. 21.

Report of Mrs. Edna S. Gillard, D. G. M.

MARY E. PARTRIDGE CHAPTER NO. 308.

Location, Oakland. Instituted January 19, 1912. Chartered October 16, 1912. Date of visit, March 25, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 17; suspended, 9; died, 6. Total membership, 441. In savings bank account, \$821.40. In commercial bank account, \$381.33. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$1000. In Social Savings, \$484.51. Total cash and investments, \$2687.24. Condition of books: Unexcelled. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. All officers were present at this splendid meeting presided over by a most charming and gracious Worthy Matron and genial Worthy Patron. The officers are very dignified in their work, and have the loyal support of a splendid group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons, and of a large and attentive membership. The Chapter is noted as being most harmonious in all its affairs, and for the high standing of its members in the community.

ALETHE CHAPTER NO. 366.

Location, Berkeley. Instituted August 23, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, March 14, 1932. Initiated, 21; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 11; suspended, 10; died, 6. Total membership, 400. In savings bank account, \$252.58. In commercial bank account, \$228.53. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$3210. Total cash and investments, \$3691.11. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. This splendid Chapter is fortunate in having a Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who preside with dignity and charm and who conduct their meetings in a very business like manner. They have the undivided support of the Masonic Lodge meeting in the same hall, and this gives them a splendid background of fraternalism. Their officers are very congenial, and their Past Matrons and Past Patrons always ready with assistance of any kind. The Chapter is noted for its hospitality.

LOMA VISTA CHAPTER NO. 415.

Location, Oakland. Instituted August 17, 1923. Chartered October 27, 1923. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 11. Total membership, 198. In savings bank account,

\$593.84. In commercial bank account, \$197.97. In Masonic Hall Stock \$100. Total cash and investments, \$891.81. Condition of books: Extremely business-like and neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. All officers were present, and the work was very beautiful and impressive. There is a delightful spirit of hospitality and comradeship displayed by all officers and members. Their promptness at all times, and many thoughtful courtesies and loving attentions have made it a joy and a privilege to be associated with them. This Chapter is very fortunate in having a lovely *Worthy Matron* and dignified *Worthy Patron*, and in having an energetic group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons who give loyal support at all times.

PLYMOUTH CHAPTER NO. 423.

Location, Oakland. Instituted January 31, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, February 17, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 3. Total membership, 123. In savings bank account, \$104. In commercial bank account, \$176.71. Total cash, \$280.71. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. The Warder and Sentinel were absent because of illness, but their stations were filled very efficiently. This is a small Chapter, with a very lovable *Worthy Matron* and splendid *Worthy Patron*, assisted by an excellent group of officers. The Star Points especially are always planning surprises for their presiding officers. The friendship and hospitality displayed by the officers and members are an asset toward a steady growth. I am most grateful to this Chapter for their attention and their courtesy to me at all times.

LAKE MERRITT CHAPTER NO. 410.

Location, Oakland. Instituted July 10, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, March 4, 1932. Initiated, 20; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 7; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 226. In savings bank account, \$457.60. In commercial bank account, \$460.69. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$300. Total cash and investments, \$1218.29. Condition of books: Kept in a very business-like manner and extremely neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. All officers were present on the night of my official visit, and the work *exemplified in a beautiful manner*. I am deeply grateful to the gracious *Worthy Matron* and *Worthy Patron* of my own beloved Chapter,

for many little courtesies and loving acts of kindness, which have made this year one that is full of delightful memories. Our Chapter is very proud of its splendid group of officers and its loyal Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Sister Emma Blanchard Graves, Past Associate Grand Matron, is our most efficient and thorough Secretary. I am most humbly grateful to our dearly beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor to our Chapter, and for the happiness I have had in working and serving in such an exceptionally harmonious district. The reception given me by our Chapter was a most delightful affair, and will always be cherished as one of my happiest memories. I can only say "thank you" to all of our loyal members for their co-operation in all ways.

PRUDENCE CHAPTER NO. 484.

Location, Oakland. Instituted May 26, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 1; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 106. In savings bank account, \$204.66. In commercial bank account, \$339.15. In hands of Secretary, \$28. Total cash, \$571.81. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. My official visit was most enjoyable, with all officers present except the organist. This is a young Chapter with very charming, hospitable and capable presiding officers. Their work was given in a very sincere and pleasing manner, and it was a delightful pleasure to be with them at all times. They have the whole hearted support of the Masonic Lodge, and the brothers are splendid workers. The spirit of hospitality and friendliness is very apparent to everyone.

DISTRICT No. 22.

Report of Miss Leonora Maganini, D. G. M.

OAK LEAF CHAPTER NO. 8.

Location, Oakland. Instituted January 16, 1872. Chartered April 30, 1872. Date of visit, March 23, 1932. Initiated, 19; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 18; suspended, 1; died, 12. Total membership, 876. In savings bank account, \$1146.67. In commercial bank account, \$81. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$4100. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$900. In Equipment, \$2072. Total cash and investments, \$8299.67. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. Jewels worn. All officers present. A splendid corps of officers and doing excellent work.

UNITY CHAPTER NO. 65.

Location, Oakland. Instituted March 17, 1882. Chartered October 17, 1882. Date of visit, March 28, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 6; suspended, 9; died, 4. Total membership, 394. In savings bank account, \$2842.68. In commercial bank account, \$212.58. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$600. In O. E. S. Home Fund, \$83. In Life Membership Fund, \$510. Total cash and investments, \$4248.26. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and doing splendid work. It has been a pleasure and a privilege to have served them. Jewels worn.

OAKLAND CHAPTER NO. 140.

Location, Oakland. Instituted March 2, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 2, 1932. Initiated 6; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 5; dimitted, 18; suspended, 17; died, 6. Total membership, 418. In savings bank account, \$2569.47. In commercial bank account, \$418.44. In Mercantile Bldg. & Loan, \$1400. Total cash and investments, \$4387.91. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present except the Associate Patron who was absent on account of illness. Jewels worn. A lovely group of officers to work with, ready and willing at all times to please their Deputy and doing splendid work.

ATHENS CHAPTER NO. 277.

Location, Oakland. Instituted June 10, 1908. Chartered October 21, 1908. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 7; suspended, 3; died, 4. Total membership, 341. In savings bank account, \$604.30. In commercial bank account, \$152.90. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Life Membership, \$250. Total cash and investments, \$1107.20. Condition of books: Splendid. Secretary is Past Grand Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. Jewels worn. A splendid group of officers and work excellently rendered, their ever ready willingness to do their work well made it a real joy to serve them.

GOLDEN CHAIN CHAPTER NO. 303.

Location, Oakland. Instituted April 28, 1911. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, March 7, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 11; suspended, 24; died, 3; expelled, 1. Total membership, 353. In savings bank account, \$447.10. In commercial bank account, \$152.36. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$300. In Secretary's hands, \$123. Total cash and investments, \$1022.46. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M., all officers present. Jewels worn. My own Chapter of which I am proud and happy to serve. Many courtesies have been extended to me by the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron and officers for which I am sincerely grateful. My official visit was a delightful evening for me, the work was beautifully rendered and I am indeed proud of every officer. I owe much to the officers and members of my Chapter for the confidence and the many kindnesses rendered to me making it a year of happiness in serving as Deputy, and I wish to thank Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, Worthy Grand Matron, for the privilege of serving these Chapters.

ENCINA CHAPTER NO. 519.

Location, Oakland. Instituted March 19, 1930. Chartered October 22, 1930. Date of visit, April 6, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 52. In commercial bank account, \$78.57. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fair. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. All officers were present. A splendid corps of officers striving to do their best and working for the best interests of the Chapter. Jewels worn.

DISTRICT No. 23.

Report of Mrs. Luella M. Thompson, D. G. M.

GOLDEN WAVE CHAPTER NO. 103.

Location, San Leandro. Instituted April 5, 1889. Chartered October 15, 1889. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 10; dimitted, 9; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 287. In commercial bank account, \$423.16. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2466. Total cash and investments, \$2889.16. Condition of books: Excellent, books

very neatly kept and in fine condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. Very splendid and interested corps of officers, particular in detail work, eager for instruction, and anxious to be perfect. Ritualistic work beautifully and impressively given, and the work exemplified in a most beautiful and dignified manner. All officers and members deeply interested in their Chapter affairs and working harmoniously together. All officers and jewels present.

SEMPER FIDELIS CHAPTER NO. 135.

Location. Livermore. Instituted June 3, 1895. Chartered October 17, 1895. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 173. In savings bank account, \$126.50. In commercial bank account, \$284.49. Total cash, \$410.99. Condition of books: Excellent, neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Meeting opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present, all jewels present. An atmosphere of sincere cordiality prevails in this Chapter with an excellent corps of officers, doing splendid work. Instructions always received in a cheerful and happy manner. Most gracious courtesies extended to me at all times.

ORIENT CHAPTER NO. 177.

Location. Centerville. Instituted March 21, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, April 13, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 6; died, 3. Total membership, 181. In savings bank account, \$85. In commercial bank account, \$284.34. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$400. Total cash and investments, \$769.34. Condition of books: Excellent, very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. A sincere and capable corps of officers who are working for the best interest of the Chapter. Very hospitable and harmonious. Work well rendered. A very cordial, friendly group of people. It has been a rare privilege for me to serve this excellent Chapter as it is the home Chapter of our beloved Jr. Past Grand Matron, Willa Jane Hellwig.

PLEASANTON CHAPTER NO. 294.

Location, Pleasanton. Instituted, September 22, 1910. Chartered October 19, 1910. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 4; dimitted, 1; died, 3. Total membership, 163. In savings bank account, \$124.47.

In commercial bank account, \$129.82. Total cash, \$254.29. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. Earnest and faithful officers working hard for the success of their Chapter and eager for instructions. Very courteous to their Deputy; and it has been a pleasure to work with them. Spirit of happiness and good fellowship prevails in this Chapter.

HAYWARD CHAPTER NO. 331.

Location, Hayward. Instituted September 23, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 9. Total membership, 254. In savings bank account, \$31.57. In commercial bank account, \$656.44. Total cash, \$688.01. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. Splendid harmony prevails, a very fine corps of officers, most faithful and earnest in their work. Work beautifully and impressively rendered. I deeply appreciate the wonderful courtesy extended to me at all times.

ELMHURST CHAPTER NO. 455.

Location, Oakland. Instituted August 7, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, March 16, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 4; suspended, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 155. In commercial bank account, \$529.21. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. All officers friendly and eager for instruction. Very courteous to Deputy and very appreciative. Work well rendered. My own beloved Chapter of which I am very proud.

DISTRICT No. 24.

Report of Mrs. Catherine E. Yates, D. G. M.

IVY CHAPTER NO. 27.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted November 7, 1876. Chartered October 16, 1877. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 15; affil-

iated, 3; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 24; suspended, 24; died, 5. Total membership, 570. In savings bank account, \$906.94. In commercial bank account, \$574.51. Relief Fund, \$24.96. In Anglo California Securities and Bonds, \$3000. Total cash and investments, \$4506.41. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Warder (absent because of illness). A very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers eager to do perfect work and all striving to promote the welfare of the Chapter. A good spirit of co-operation and hospitality exists at all times. I am happy to have had the honor to serve in the Chapter of our beloved Past Grand Matrons, Sister Maude Noble Haven and Sister Clara Giberson, and a most cordial reception is given me at all times by the members and officers.

OLIVE BRANCH CHAPTER NO. 169.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted March 28, 1898. Chartered October 18, 1898. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 20; suspended, 9; died, 4. Total membership, 208. In savings bank account, \$292.70. Life memberships, \$200. Cash in hands of Treasurer, \$13.50. Total cash and investments, \$506.20. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Associate Patron. A very splendid corps of officers, co-operating with the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron to carry out the teachings of our Order. My deepest thanks to the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have been very anxious to co-operate.

IMPERIAL CHAPTER NO. 229.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 17, 1905. Chartered October 18, 1905. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 21; affiliated 2; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 10; suspended, 4; died, 3. Total membership, 421. In savings bank account, \$460.65. In commercial bank account, \$520.89. P. G. & E. Stock, \$613.58. Cash on hand, \$368.55. Total cash and investments, \$1963.67. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. This Chapter is a most hospitable one. Excellent care is given to their own members and the sick

members are well cared for. It has been a pleasure to work with the splendid officers, under the leadership of a most efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All parts of the work were exemplified in a most pleasing manner.

OCCIDENTAL CHAPTER NO. 280.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted January 22, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, February 24, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 3; suspended, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 72. In savings bank account, \$300. Cash in hands of Treasurer, \$156.59. Life memberships, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$556.59. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. This Chapter has a very splendid line of officers and are striving to promote harmony and friendship at all times. All officers were present. The Chapter has no Associate Patron. The ritualistic work was well exemplified.

ALBERT PIKE CHAPTER NO. 284.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 26, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 24; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 25; suspended, 18; died, 8. Total membership, 644. In savings bank account, \$1313.70. In commercial bank account, \$874.20. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$350. Total cash and investments, \$2537.90. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers being present. The officers are all anxious to promote the happy spirit that exists. Splendid support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron set a very high standard. The work was very well rendered. I thank the officers and members for their kindness to me.

VICTORY CHAPTER NO. 388.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted February 11, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, March 10, 1932. Initiated 13; dimitted, 18; suspended, 7; died, 3. Total membership, 180. In savings bank account, \$516.63. In commercial bank account, \$219.88. Cash on hand, \$74.28. Total cash, \$810.76. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and

Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present with the exception of the Associate Conductress (illness). The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their fine group of officers are keeping up the standard of the Chapter. The work was well rendered and the officers and members have been courteous to me at all times.

SEAPORT CHAPTER NO. 427.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted March 29, 1924. Chartered October 24, 1924. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 5; suspended, 8. Total membership, 137. In commercial bank account, \$617.68. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter was opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. The work was rendered in a most creditable manner. The officers with the support of the Past Matrons and Patrons are working to make this splendid Chapter one that will stand out among the best. Every courtesy extended to me in my own home Chapter.

FIRESIDE CHAPTER NO. 440.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted February 27, 1925. Chartered October 24, 1925. Initiated, 10; affiliated 3; dimitted, 14; suspended, 4. Total membership, 138. In savings bank account, \$281.57. In commercial bank account, \$328.38. Cash in hands of Treasurer, \$29.25. Total cash, \$639.20. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. The work was given in a very creditable manner. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their splendid group of officers make it a worth while Chapter. The officers and members co-operate and make it one happy family. I deeply appreciate all courtesies extended to me.

DISTRICT No. 25.

Report of Mrs. Annie Neilan, D. G. M.

BEULAH CHAPTER NO. 99.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted August 16, 1888. Chartered October 16, 1888. Date of visit, February 28, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 5; died, 5. Total membership, 314. In savings bank account,

\$2626.43. In commercial bank account, \$335.73. Total cash, \$2962.16. Condition of books: Most beautifully kept by an interested Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Officially at home. The gavel sounded at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and anxious to do good work. This Chapter is noted for its hospitality and wonderful co-operation of its Past Matrons and Past Patrons, and I am happy to say that it is my home Chapter. I do appreciate the lovely evening you gave me. I am most grateful to the members for electing me to the honor station of Worthy Matron for by so doing they have given me a most wonderful year. I wish to thank our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor she has bestowed on my Chapter and for the privilege that has enabled me to render my service to the lovely Chapters that were entrusted to my care. I thank my Chapters officers for the beautiful rendition of the ritualistic work.

MISSION CHAPTER NO. 155.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted December 19, 1896. Chartered October 21, 1897. Date of visit, April 9, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 16; suspended, 7; died, 8. Total membership, 526. In savings bank account, \$1763.54. In commercial bank account, \$243.38. In Maconic Hall Stock, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$2506.92. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept by a very efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. sharp with all officers present and a very large attendance. Harmony and hospitality prevail and a wonderful spirit of support and co-operation by past officers and members. A most charming Worthy Matron and a lovely corps of officers who are ever ready for instructions and give their work in a very commendable manner. Well supported by their Masonic Brothers.

STARR KING CHAPTER NO. 204.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted September 26, 1902. Chartered October 17, 1902. Date of visit, April 13, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 7; suspended, 9; died, 2. Total membership, 242. In savings bank account, \$607.81. In commercial bank account, \$545.56. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$250. In Charity Fund, \$136.31. Total cash and investments, \$1539.68. Condition of books: Very neat. Num-

ber of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M., with a very good attendance. Very harmonious with an excellent corps of officers rendering their work in a very impressive manner. It is a pleasure to visit a Chapter so hospitable and so thoughtful for others. I am glad that I was assigned this Chapter as it has brought me much pleasure. All officers were present on this night.

AMITY CHAPTER NO. 262.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted November 30, 1907. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 9; suspended, 6; died, 2. Total membership, 378. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$600. In Life Membership Fund, \$156.17. In savings bank account, \$399.79. In commercial bank account, \$897.54. In Sunshine Fund, \$7.89. Total cash and investments, \$2061.39. Condition of books: Splendid. All books very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A most capable and charming Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a very efficient and interested corps of officers all doing splendid work. True friendship prevails in this lovely Chapter and I thank them for the many acts of kindness tendered to me. This Chapter is noted for its hospitality and the wonderful support of its Blue Lodge together with the perfect work of its officers.

RUTH CHAPTER NO. 305.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted May 12, 1911. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, April 25, 1932. Initiated, 7; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 175. In savings bank account \$1331.37. In commercial bank account, \$151.28. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$1582.65. Condition of books: Excellent and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: On night of my official visit this Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A splendid Chapter with a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Earnest officers doing excellent work. It is noted for its hospitality. The members of this Chapter are interested as shown by attendance on this night. It is supported by a goodly number of Brothers.

GOLDEN WEST CHAPTER NO. 350.

Location. San Francisco. Instituted June 1, 1918. Chartered October 16, 1918. Date of visit, April 2, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 13; suspended, 5; died, 2. Total membership, 387. In savings bank account, \$1923.05. In commercial bank account, \$420.47. Total cash, \$2343.52. Condition of books: Excellent and very neat. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and anxious to do their work well. It is a pleasure to visit a Chapter so filled with hospitality and harmony. It is presided over by a very sweet and charming Matron and a very capable Patron. It is an inspiration to work with such a group of officers. The work was given in a very efficient manner. This Chapter is well supported by its Past Matrons and Past Patrons together with its Masonic Brothers.

CROCKER CHAPTER NO. 382.

Location. Daly City. Instituted September 9, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 6; died, 3. Total membership, 307. In savings bank account, \$2105.69. In commercial bank account, \$1401.62. Total cash, \$3507.31. Condition of books: Neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with a very good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. An excellent Chapter with a fine corps of officers rendering the work in a most impressive manner. Splendid Masonic support. A very good attendance on this night. This Chapter is most gracious to all visitors. All officers noted present with the exception of Chaplain.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER NO. 409.

Location. San Francisco. Instituted July 9, 1923. Chartered October 19, 1923. Date of visit, February 4, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 8; suspended, 2. Total membership, 245. In savings bank account, \$1696.20. In commercial bank account, \$234.14. Total cash, \$1930.34. Condition of books: Orderly and in an efficient manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Eight o'clock the Chapter was called to order with all officers present. Excellent harmony and hospitality prevail in this Chapter. Very good support

from past officers and members. A very good attendance on this happy night. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron preside over this Chapter that extends a hand of welcome to all visitors. The work given in a most impressive manner.

DISTRICT No. 26.

Report of Mrs. Hertha Magnus, D. G. M.

CALIFORNIA CHAPTER NO. 183.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted August 4, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, April 6, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 23; suspended, 1; died, 4. Total membership, 445. In savings bank account, special fund, \$1663.59. In commercial bank account, \$323.91. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$3000. Eastern Star Assessment on hand \$211. In Jewel Fund, special, \$82. In Life Membership Fund, \$2831.06. Total cash and investments, \$8111.56. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 4; Instruction Books, 2; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. Excellent. Very capable Worthy Matron assisted by a splendid Worthy Patron and a very good corps of officers. Earnest and sincere in attempting to please their own members. Most cordial to visitors. Endeavoring to set the high standard expected of the home Chapter of our beloved Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, Sister Effie Easton. I deem it a privilege and an honor to have served this Chapter and am indeed very grateful for the innumerable courtesies shown me for the splendid co-operation of officers and members. On the evening of my official visit it was an added pleasure to witness the installation of Sister Nina Ginsberg, Grand Marshal of the Grand Chapter of the State of Louisiana, O. E. S.

YERBA BUENA CHAPTER NO. 228.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 14, 1905. Chartered October 18, 1905. Date of visit, May 17, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 6; dimitted, 26; suspended, 8; died, 4. Total membership, 335. In savings bank account, \$1127.87. In commercial bank account, \$630.42. In Eastern Star Home Account, \$102. Total cash, \$1760.29. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fair. Chapter opened at 8:10. Very fine corps of

officers conscientiously trying to do good work. Splendid Worthy Patron. Age worn precedents and too much dictation of policy interfere with the endeavors of the presiding officers to lead this Chapter to success. My best wishes for future harmony and success to Yerba Buena Chapter.

LEBANON CHAPTER NO. 374.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted May 21, 1921. Chartered October 20, 1921. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 12. Total membership, 247. In savings bank account, \$380.17. In commercial bank account, \$408.63. Total cash, \$788.80. Condition of books: Excellent. Very neat and accurately kept. Quarterly audit offers presiding officer splendid assistance in budgeting finances. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:15. Worthy Patron absent. Very cordial Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Efficient corps of officers whose work has been very fine. Very friendly and hospitable to visitors at all times. My sincere appreciation to the officers and members for their many courtesies to me. My especial thanks to the Worthy Matron for her many acts of generosity and kindness and her unfailing loyalty. My official visit will ever be a most happy memory to me. From this, my home Chapter, may I express to you, Worthy Grand Matron, my very sincere thanks for the honor conferred upon my Chapter and for the privilege accorded me in serving as your Deputy Grand Matron of the 26th District.

SEAL ROCK CHAPTER NO. 396.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted August 11, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, May 13, 1932. Initiated, 22; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 8; suspended, 18; died, 2. Total membership, 165. In savings bank account, \$300. In commercial bank account, \$258.41. Total cash, \$558.41. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:30. Absent Adah, Ruth and Sentinel. Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron sincerely endeavoring to build up the general condition of the Chapter. Enthusiastic corps of officers giving splendid co-operation. A little Worthy Matron who in spite of much illness and disappointment has nobly carried on. Many changes in officers due to circumstances beyond control. I believe that the present line of officers is stronger than it has been and that with the combined efforts of the Past Matron and the general membership of this Chapter will soon be among the outstanding Chapters in the City.

TRINITY CHAPTER NO. 434.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted August 2, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, March 15, 1932. Initiated, 19; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 4; suspended, 4. Total membership, 128. In commercial bank account, \$461.04. Condition of books: Excellent. Neat and accurate in every respect. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. A very happy Chapter whose friendliness and cordiality are most apparent. Most capable and dependable Worthy Matron and a very fine Worthy Patron who are constantly striving to please their members. Very good attendance. Very accurate work. At no time have I met a corps of officers more willing to co-operate or more anxious to perfect their work. Each evening spent with them has been an evening of pleasure and happiness.

JUSTICE CHAPTER NO. 460.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 5, 1926. Chartered October 19, 1926. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 3; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 119. In savings bank account, \$150. In commercial bank account, \$202.21. Total cash, \$352.21. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. Fine team work on part of Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron and all officers. Unusually fine co-operation. Most friendly and cordial to visitors. Lovely corps of officers. Capable and gracious Worthy Matron who has been an inspiration to her Chapter.

BRILLIANT STAR CHAPTER NO. 472.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted October 12, 1926. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 15, 1932. Initiated, 21; affiliated, 6; dimitted, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 171. In savings bank account, \$179.05. In commercial bank account, \$278.43. Total cash, \$457.48. Condition of books: Good. Neatly kept books by Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 4; Syllabus, 1; Labyrinth, 2. Black Book lost. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. (Associate Patron's station not filled since resignation of Associate Patron). Officers absent: Marshal and Conductress. The latter is on leave of absence for 6 months. Excellent

Chapter comprised of the younger group of the Order. Unusually fine work. A spirit of friendliness and harmony pervades the Chapter room. Most cordial to visitors. A very capable and efficient Worthy Matron and a very splendid Worthy Patron who have the happy faculty of blending the dignity and decorum expected of our Ritualistic work with the fun and social side of our Order.

DISTRICT No. 27.

Report of Mrs. Elva Rivers, D. G. M.

HARMONY CHAPTER NO. 124.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted November 10, 1893. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 14; suspended, 9; died, 4. Total membership, 379. In savings bank account, \$1688.64. In commercial bank account, \$409.14. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$400. In Life Membership \$400. Total cash and investments, \$2897.78. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. A splendid corps of officers working under the leadership of a most thoughtful Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron. The home Chapter of our Associate Grand Matron, Sister Grace Richardson Butterfield. The work was beautifully exemplified.

KING SOLOMON'S CHAPTER NO. 170.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 4, 1889. Chartered October 18, 1889. Date of visit, February 27, 1932. Initiated, 15; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 11; suspended, 9; died, 4. Total membership, 332. In savings bank account, \$2046.08. In commercial bank account, \$652.22. In Relief Fund, \$606.87. In Bonds, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$3805.17. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. A very capable Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron. A splendid corps of officers always willing to receive instruction. Well supported by members, Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A wonderful spirit of hospitality and friendship greet all who visit this Chapter. This is my own Chapter, which I sincerely love. My official visit will never be forgotten and I deeply appreciate the love ex-

tended to me. My sincere thanks to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor conferred on our Chapter by a Grand appointment and my personal appreciation of all the privileges of service and friendship this appointment affords.

JEWEL CHAPTER NO. 238.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted March 20, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, April 27, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 15; suspended, 5; died, 2. Total membership, 290. In savings bank account, \$3042.91. In commercial bank account, \$517.39. In Jewel Fund, \$207.89. Total cash, \$3768.19. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 1:30 P. M., all officers present. A very enthusiastic and capable Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron working with a wonderful corps of officers. Ritualistic work given in a very creditable manner. A most hospitable Chapter.

IDEAL CHAPTER NO. 251.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 8, 1907. Chartered October 16, 1907. Date of visit, March 16, 1932. Initiated, 13; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 26; suspended, 8. Total membership, 265. In savings bank account, \$1078.33. In commercial bank account, \$389.99. Total cash, \$1468.32. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. A very charming and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid corps of officers, all working in a loyal and earnest manner for their Chapter. All officers present, except the Associate Conductress, on account of illness. Good attendance of members.

RICHMOND CHAPTER NO. 255.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 22, 1907. Chartered October 17, 1907. Date of visit, February 25, 1932. Initiated, 19; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 11; suspended, 8; died, 2. Total membership, 408. In savings bank account, \$1618.86. In commercial bank account, \$511.59. In Life Membership Fund, \$371.10. Total cash, \$2501.55. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M.

with all officers present except Secretary and Warder. A lovely, capable Worthy Matron, and a very sincere Worthy Patron, with a splendid corps of officers doing beautiful work. Richmond Chapter enjoys a large attendance at all meetings with good Masonic support and a wonderful attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

LIBERTY CHAPTER NO. 451.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted June 24, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, March 24, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 5. Total membership, 91. In commercial bank account, \$373.48. In hand of Secretary, \$70. Total cash, \$443.48. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. A lovely and competent Worthy Matron and a Worthy Patron who delivers his work in a perfect as well as a pleasing manner. This Chapter is small, but the faithfulness of the officers and members and their loyal co-operation would be hard to surpass. Excellent work done by all officers.

ROOSEVELT CHAPTER NO. 470.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted August 18, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, February 17, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 87. In commercial bank account, \$333.71. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 1:30 P. M. Very efficient Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, who have the loyal support of a splendid corps of officers. Work beautifully rendered. All officers present. Most hospitable Chapter with fine attendance of members. Very efficient Secretary.

NONPAREIL CHAPTER NO. 496.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted June 16, 1928. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, March 7, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 57. In savings bank account, \$138.73. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:25 P. M., all officers present except Chaplain. A small Chapter with splen-

did support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The officers are very capable and all working in a loyal and earnest manner for their Chapter. Lovely line officers.

DISTRICT No. 28.

Report of Mrs. Louise B. Yandell, D. G. M.

GOLDEN GATE CHAPTER NO. 1.

Location. San Francisco. Instituted May 10, 1869. Chartered May 9, 1873. Date of visit, March 4, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 351. In savings bank account, \$1900. In commercial bank account, \$487. 09. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$2487.09. Condition of books: Excellent, neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present except Worthy Patron. A spirit of hospitality prevails. A competent corps of officers rendered the work impressively and commendably. This is my own beloved Chapter of which I am proud to be a member. I wish to thank the officers and members for the many courtesies extended to me. I also want to thank every Chapter of the 28th District for the interest and attention given at all times and the many courtesies extended to me by all officers and members. My grateful thanks to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and have been very happy being of service to her and these Chapters.

SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER NO 196.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted September 16, 1901. Charetred October 16, 1901. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 19; suspended, 22; died, 3. Total membership, 256. In savings bank account, \$10.50. In commercial bank account, \$365.25. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$250. In Life Membership Fund, \$110.49. Total cash and investments, \$736.24. Condition of books: Books kept in excellent manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. A splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with excellent support. All officers anxious to do perfect work. Work beautifully rendered on the night of my official visit.

ALOHA CHAPTER NO. 206.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted October 4, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, March 3, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 1; Total membership, 58. In savings bank account, \$474.04. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$79.78. Total cash and investments, \$553.82. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. Capable corps of officers anxious for instruction. A harmonious and happy family, extended a most cordial welcome and on the evening of my official visit most graciously received.

CASIMIR CHAPTER NO. 252.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 13, 1907. Chartered October 16, 1907. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 16; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 285. In commercial bank account, \$1375. 10. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. A lovely, thoughtful Worthy Matron, efficient and sincere Worthy Patron, splendid co-operation of all officers, enthusiastic, capable and hospitable, exceptional group of line officers. Most capable Secretary and Treasurer. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support, large attendance of brothers at all meetings. Excellent trained Choral which adds to the work, and a delight to all who attend the meetings. This Chapter gives especial attention to its own membership and the attendance is nearly 100% every meeting.

PARNASSUS CHAPTER NO. 269.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted February 27, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 23; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 10; suspended, 3; died, 4. Total membership, 452. In savings bank account, \$2826.07. In commercial bank account, \$474.09. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Life Membership, \$554.43. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$400. In Assessment Account, \$187.71. Cash on hand, \$90.50. Total cash and investments, \$4632.80. Condition of books: Excellent. beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00

o'clock. All officers present. These splendid officers do their work in a very creditable manner. Guided by a beloved Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron harmony prevails, fine attendance of members and loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The home Chapter of our Associate Grand Conductress, Minnie Viola Collins, of whom they are truly proud. This Chapter is to be congratulated for its delightful music.

FOREST CHAPTER NO. 432.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted June 21, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit April 14, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 3; suspended, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 137. In savings bank account, \$557.48. In commercial bank account, \$299.31. In receipts, \$41.70. Total cash, \$898.49. Condition of books: Exceptionally well kept. Very capable Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Opened at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present except Conductress who was seriously ill. The Worthy Matron presided beautifully with a most efficient Worthy Patron and splendid corps of officers. All work exceptionally well rendered. This Chapter is very hospitable and the attendance good.

PRESIDIO CHAPTER NO. 481.

Location, San Francisco. Instituted April 14, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 27, 1932. Initiated, 18; affiliated, 6; died, 2. Total membership, 167. In commercial bank account, \$636.16. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present except the Chaplain. Guided by a most efficient Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, and a splendid corps of officers. The work was exemplified beautifully. My work with this Chapter has been a pleasure. Co-operation is the part of every officer, and the friendly greetings of all members united, and one more beautiful page to my book of memories.

DISTRICT No. 29.

Report of Mrs. Hazel D. Johnson, D. G. M.

MIRA MONTE CHAPTER NO. 141.

Location, Mountain View. Instituted January 8, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 9, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 11; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 270. In

savings bank account, \$479.80. In commercial bank account, \$391.13. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. San Jose Bldg. & Loan, \$310.44. Total cash and investments, \$1281.37. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Especially good. A prosperous and hospitable one. A charming and efficient Worthy Matron and a very earnest Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid corps of enthusiastic officers, assure its further success. All officers were present and the work was exemplified in a splendid manner. Chapter opened promptly. I deeply appreciate the co-operation and courtesy shown me and I shall never forget the cordial welcome and kind regard shown on my official visit.

LAUREL CHAPTER NO. 186.

Location, San Mateo. Instituted September 22, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 14; suspended, 4; died, 2. Total membership, 266. In savings bank account, \$397.78. In commercial bank account, \$342.72. In Special Fund, \$28. Total cash and investments, \$768.50. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P.M. with all officers present. My own Chapter, of which I am very proud, and to the members of which I am deeply indebted for their loyal support and loving kindness. A wide awake set of officers lead by a gracious and ambitious Worthy Matron and an interested and capable Worthy Patron. My official visit will ever remain a bright spot in my memory. I am truly grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon our Chapter and for the privilege and pleasure I have enjoyed in representing her in the splendid Chapters which comprise District 29.

SEQUOIA CHAPTER NO. 203.

Location, Redwood City. Instituted September 1, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, April 4, 1932. Initiated, 19; affiliated, 1; dimitted 5; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 293. In savings bank account, \$103.91. In commercial bank account, \$264.27. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$450. Sunshine Fund and Birthday Box, \$18.20. Total cash and investments, \$836.38. Condition of books: Carefully kept and very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of

Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Warder, who was ill. A live and hospitable Chapter. A splendid set of officers who are greatly interested in their work and who give good support to a charming Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. Work exceptionally well done. I sincerely appreciate the hearty co-operation and friendship given to me.

PALO ALTO CHAPTER NO. 213.

Location. Palo Alto. Instituted August 22, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit. March 16, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 18; died, 8. Total membership, 371. In commercial bank account, \$629.82. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$542.50. In Palo Alto Bldg. & Loan, \$168.32. Total cash and investments, \$1340.64. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Esther, who was ill. A very lovely and efficient Worthy Matron, supported by an interested and capable Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers. All are striving for the good of their Chapter, and their friendliness and co-operation was of great assistance to me. I am truly grateful for the courtesies extended to me.

SUNNYVALE CHAPTER NO. 250.

Location. Sunnyvale. Instituted March 7, 1907. Chartered October 16, 1907. Date of visit. April 14, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 157. In savings bank account, \$187.47. In commercial bank account, \$159.36. Total cash, \$346.83. Condition of books: Splendidly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Worthy Patron, whose absence was unavoidable. A splendid Chapter. A charming and capable Worthy Matron and an efficient Worthy Patron are supported by a corps of officers who exert every effort to further the Chapter's interests. All work was beautifully exemplified. Here true hospitality and friendliness prevail and I greatly appreciate their many courtesies.

BURLINGAME CHAPTER NO. 275.

Location. Burlingame. Instituted May 16, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, March 10, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 8; dimitted, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 393. In savings bank account,

\$480.09. In commercial bank account, \$331.70. In Charity Account, \$183.05. In Bldg. & Loan, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$1094.84. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A progressive and hospitable Chapter to which officers and members alike give hearty support. A gracious and thoroughly capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who enjoy the co-operation of a fine corps of officers. The work was beautifully exemplified. I sincerely appreciate all the courtesy and friendliness accorded me.

DISTRICT No. 30.

Report of Mrs. Emma Mae Cole, D. G. M.

SAN JOSE CHAPTER NO. 31.

Location, San Jose. Instituted September 7, 1877. Chartered October 16, 1877. Date of visit, February 16, 1932. Initiated, 15; dismissed, 10; died, 12. Total membership, 701. In savings bank account, \$21.28. In commercial bank account, \$468.40. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1500. In Guarantee Bldg. & Loan, \$962.99. In San Jose Bldg. & Loan, \$914.65. Total cash and investments, \$3867.32. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Unexcelled. Large and prosperous Chapter. Meeting opened promptly, all officers present. Entrance march perfect. Jewels worn. Harmony and co-operation apparent with fine assistance from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support is evidenced by large attendance of brothers at every meeting. True fraternal spirit and a delightful group of people to meet and work with. I cannot speak too highly of this splendid hospitality in this Chapter with its interested officers. Ties of fraternal friendships are here firmly cemented. Large attendance, very gratifying. Home Chapter of our much beloved Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Lewis McDonald and Past Grand Patron, Brother Ernest Conant also Past Associate Grand Matron, Sister Agnes Conant, and I feel honored to do service in San Jose Chapter. Work was beautifully exemplified and doubly impressive by the wonderful rendition of the Worthy Patron's lecture. Worthy Matron is very capable and efficient officer too, a fine congenial Chapter. Intelligent corps of officers whose aim is to do perfect work. Worthy Grand Patron is Organist of his Chapter. San Jose Chapter is proud of him and realizes the great honor he has brought to their Chapter.

MAGNOLIA CHAPTER NO. 73.

Location, Gilroy. Instituted July 5, 1883. Chartered October 17, 1883. Date of visit, April 28, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; dismissed, 6; died, 9. Total membership, 195. In savings bank account, \$125. In commercial bank account, \$355.57. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$680.57. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Meeting opened at 8:10, all officers present except Conductress, who was injured in an auto accident. Jewels worn. A very happy and harmonious Chapter under the leadership of a lovable and efficient Worthy Matron and sincere and efficient Worthy Patron. Hospitality and friendliness await everyone who attends this Chapter. Good will and harmony prevail with abundance of fraternal love. Good Masonic support. Officers doing splendid work and have the support of their entire membership.

LOS GATOS CHAPTER NO. 128.

Location, Los Gatos. Instituted March 19, 1894. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, May 2, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 5; dismissed, 11; suspended, 5; died, 4. Total membership, 281. In San Jose Bldg. & Loan, \$600.15. In commercial bank account, \$424.20. In Relief Fund, \$74.50. In Building Fund, San Jose Bldg. & Loan, \$3392.10. Total cash and investments, 4490.95. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:10. Jewels worn. Two star points absent. Fine Masonic support. Very good average attendance at all meetings. Loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons and co-operation of Masonic brothers who are always present. I appreciate and am grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and for the privilege she gave me to serve as Deputy Grand Matron of the 30th District. I am most grateful for all the courtesies extended me from all the Chapters in this district. My association with them, made this a very happy year in my life, with glorious memories. This is my home Chapter which I love very dearly and of which I am very proud. I shall always remember the wonderful evening given me on my official visit which I truly appreciate. Worthy Matron is very conscientious. Worthy Patron capable and splendid officers doing good work, showing interest and a desire to please. Home Chapter of Past Associate Grand Matron, Sister Ellen Finlay.

SANTA CLARA CHAPTER NO. 195.

Location, Santa Clara. Instituted June 15, 1901. Chartered October 16, 1901. Date of visit, April 16, 1932. Initiated 15; affiliated, 5; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 8; suspended, 1; died, 5. Total membership, 360. In commercial bank account, \$456.61. In Bldg. & Loan, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$956.61. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Harmony and co-operation among all the members and officers. Earnest support of all their Past Matrons and Past Patrons with splendid Masonic support at all times. A wonderful, congenial Chapter. Many brothers attend each meeting. This Chapter is widely known for its hospitality and friendliness to all who attend their interesting meetings. Splendid corps of officers under leadership of a very capable and loving Worthy Matron and most efficient Worthy Patron. Impressive work given by all the officers. Star points gave lectures beautifully.

FRATERNITY CHAPTER NO. 288.

Location, San Jose. Instituted November 23, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1910. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 21; suspended, 2; died, 3. Total membership, 472. In commercial bank account, \$580.55. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. In Bldg. & Loan, \$853.12. Total cash and investments, \$1533.67. Condition of books: Splendid, very neat and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:15. Jewels worn. All officers present. Harmony and co-operation among all the officers and members. Fine Masonic support, also very loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Many brothers attend regularly. A very capable and most gracious Worthy Matron and real sincere Worthy Patron presiding over a splendid and enthusiastic corps of officers untiring in their efforts for good of their Chapter. All officers working harmoniously and it was a joy to instruct these fine officers.

MANZANITA CHAPTER NO. 342.

Location, Morgan Hill. Instituted May 9, 1916. Chartered October 18, 1916. Date of visit, February 5, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 2; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 130. In commercial bank account, \$202.40. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of

Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Meeting opened at 8:15. Jewels worn. All officers present. Small Chapter, all members very sincere. This is very cordial and hospitable Chapter. Conscientious and loyal corps of officers under the leadership of happy Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. I sincerely thank every officer and the members for the many kindnesses shown me. Every officer most devoted to their Chapter and eager to do their work well.

STARLIGHT CHAPTER NO. 401.

Location, San Jose. Instituted December 9, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1923. Date of visit, April 9, 1932. Initiated, 19; affiliated, 5; re-instated, 2; dimitted, 18; suspended, 12; died, 2. Total membership, 377. In savings bank account, \$513.16. In commercial bank account, \$541.16. Total cash, \$1054.32. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:10. Jewels worn. All officers present. Harmony and co-operation among all. Past Matrons and Past Patrons give their earnest support at all times. Most helpful with all activities. Splendid Masonic support, many brothers always seated on the side lines at each meeting. Capable and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron guiding capable and willing officers striving for perfection in their work. All interested in progress and prosperity of their Chapter. Work on official visit was beautifully exemplified by all the officers.

JARMAN CHAPTER NO. 493.

Location, San Jose. Instituted, May 25, 1928. Chartered October 26, 1928. Date of visit, February 26, 1932. Initiated, 32; affiliated, 14; died, 2. Total membership, 205. In savings bank account, \$250. In commercial bank account, \$560.18. Total cash, \$810.18. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Opened at 8:10. Jewels worn. All officers present. Youngest Chapter of this district doing good work, they are very sociable and hospitable always. Wonderfully fine Patron. Capable Worthy Matron with splendid corps of officers doing fine work. A lovely group of Star Points, who gave their work beautifully. Work well rendered by all officers, capable and willing to serve. Every effort is made to make all meetings interesting and enjoyable to all. Continued splendid increase in membership. Past officers interested in progress of Chapter.

DISTRICT No. 31.

Report of Mrs. Beulah Soderer, D. G. M.

LILY OF THE VALLEY CHAPTER NO. 18.

Location, Watsonville. Instituted May 11, 1875. Chartered October 18, 1875. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 4; died, 4. Total membership, 326. In savings bank account, \$1185.89. In commercial bank account, \$83.70. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. Receipts of the evening, \$101. Total cash and investments, \$1473.59. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Ritualistic and floor work well rendered by an earnest corps of officers. Good support from past officers and Masonic brothers. A harmonious and prosperous Chapter.

IDLEWILD CHAPTER NO. 19.

Location, Santa Cruz. Instituted February 29, 1876. Chartered October 17, 1876. Date of visit, April 20, 1932. Initiated, 21; affiliated, 10; dimitted, 14; suspended, 7; died, 5. Total membership, 339. In commercial bank account, \$532.18. Santa Cruz Co. Bldg. & Loan Assn. \$1140. Total cash and investments, \$1672.18. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. A fine harmonious and hospitable Chapter. Splendid co-operation between officers with loyal support from members and past officers. A growing and prosperous Chapter. Good Masonic support.

CEANOTHUS CHAPTER NO. 45.

Location, San Juan Bautista. Instituted May 22, 1880. Chartered October 20, 1880. Date of visit, March 8, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1. Total membership, 54. In commercial bank account, \$146.71. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A small but most hospitable Chapter with friendliness and true fraternity ever present. The officers are deeply interested and striving to do their work well. A happy "Eastern Star Family". Loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support.

ATHENA CHAPTER NO. 46.

Location, Hollister. Instituted July 7, 1880. Chartered October 20, 1880. Date of visit, March 16, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 3; died, 4. Total membership, 273. In savings bank account, \$254.67. In commercial bank account, \$269.82. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1925. Receipts of the evening, \$110. Total cash and investments, \$2609.49. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Prosperous and harmonious. An efficient corps of officers doing good work. Good Masonic support. Good attendance at all times. A fine spirit of hospitality prevails in this splendid Chapter.

REVEILLE CHAPTER NO. 47.

Location, Salinas. Instituted July 9, 1880. Chartered October 20, 1880. Date of visit March 14, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 7; suspended, 2; died, 3. Total membership, 275. In commercial bank account, \$519.88. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1200. Receipts of the evening, \$90. Total cash and investments, \$1809.88. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter in fine condition in every way, very hospitable and a splendid spirit of harmony and co-operation prevailing. All officers doing excellent work. Helpful and loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

OCEAN SPRAY CHAPTER NO. 68.

Location, Pacific Grove. Instituted November 11, 1882. Chartered October 17, 1883. Date of visit, February 17, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 1; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 230. In savings bank account, \$1063.68. In commercial bank account, \$215.09. Receipts of the evening, \$59.50. Total cash, \$1338.27. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A very splendid Chapter where harmony and hospitality prevail at all times. Excellent Masonic support and a fine attendance of members at every meeting. The officers are sincere and interested in their work and have the support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The outstanding event of this year will be the celebration of their fiftieth anniversary.

MONTEREY CHAPTER NO. 239.

Location, Monterey. Instituted March 30, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, February 15, 1932. Initiated, 8; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 1; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 167. In savings bank account, \$508.52. In commercial bank account, \$248.39. Total cash, \$756.91. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fair. Much interest has been taken by the officers who are striving to do good work and are eager for instruction. Very cordial and hospitable.

SANTA CRUZ CHAPTER NO. 273.

Location, Santa Cruz. Instituted April 4, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 16; dimitted, 10; died, 5. Total membership, 328. In commercial bank account, \$600.56. Receipts of the evening, \$79. Total cash, \$679.56. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Splendid corps of officers doing good work. Real fraternity and hospitality prevail. Very harmonious. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support. This is my home Chapter of which I am justly proud.

LA POSA CHAPTER NO. 282.

Location, King City. Instituted March 13, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, February 23, 1932. Initiated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 1; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 143. In commercial bank account, \$196.42. In Masonic Hall Note, \$200. Receipts of the evening, \$138. Total cash and investments, \$534.42. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Earnest and sincere corps of officers doing good work. Chapter well supported by past officers. Excellent Masonic support. A very harmonious Chapter.

DISTRICT No. 32.

Report of Mrs. Elsa B. Orcutt, D. G. M.

BETHLEHEM CHAPTER NO. 95.

Location, Paso Robles. Instituted March 22, 1888. Chartered October 16, 1888. Date of visit, June 21, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated,

4; dimitted, 7; suspended, 1. Total membership, 144. In commercial bank account, \$168.89. In Building and Loan (Paso Robles Mutual), \$200. Total cash and investments, \$368.89. Condition of books: Excellent. Very efficient Secretary and Treasurer, books kept very accurate and neatly. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Bethlehem Chapter is in good condition, and enjoys very good Masonic support. The Deputy is proud to claim this little group as her home Chapter, for we have an enterprising and interested group of officers, living in a radius of many miles, but distance seems to mean nothing to them, for they carry on in a commendable way. My official visit was very enjoyable, with many visitors from the district present. The Deputy was accorded several special honors and attentions, all of which were much appreciated, and I will always have a host of pleasant memories attending the year I served the 32nd District as their Deputy Grand Matron, and I love them all; for the lights of the "Stars" which these personalities represent will always shine for me "with undiminished luster".

RAMONA CHAPTER NO. 97.

Location, Arroyo Grande. Instituted June 19, 1888. Chartered October 18, 1888. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 5; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 125. In commercial bank account, \$206.29. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly. All officers were present. Officers very anxious for instructions, and striving hard for perfection in their work. Exemplification for Deputy's visit very good. While some of the officers live out of town, they make every effort to carry on the work of the Order in a most efficient and Fraternal way. Instructions have always been received in a most gracious and kindly way. The Chapter enjoys good Masonic support, and is working with the Chapters of this district and among themselves in a harmonious and commendable way.

MIZPAH CHAPTER NO. 100.

Location, Santa Maria. Instituted September 13, 1888. Chartered October 15, 1889. Date of visit, May 12, 1932. Initiated, 14; dimitted, 6; suspended, 5; died, 8. Total membership, 297. In savings bank account, \$103.03. In commercial bank account, \$1167.09. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$1370.12. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer.

Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly with all officers present. Work well rendered by an excellent corps of officers. This Chapter enjoys good Masonic support, and the membership is interested and enthused about all details of the work. Are cordial, and hospitality always prevails. All officers are striving untiringly for the "Good of the Order."

VIOLET CHAPTER NO. 102.

Location, San Miguel. Instituted March 1, 1889. Chartered October 13, 1889. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 64. In savings bank account, \$150. In commercial bank account, \$67.54. In Benevolent Fund, \$65. Total cash, \$282.54. Condition of books: Excellent. Very efficient officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter. Excellent. Many of the officers come innumerable miles to assist in the maintenance and stability of this Chapter. Work was commendably done. Chapter life is something vital in the lives of the members of Violet Chapter, and the spirit of friendliness and fraternalism radiates throughout the district. Good Masonic support is enjoyed by this Chapter, and harmony prevails.

CORONA CHAPTER NO. 107.

Location, San Luis Obispo. Instituted June 14, 1890. Chartered October 20, 1890. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 7; died, 3. Total membership, 302. In savings bank account, \$482.67. In commercial bank account, \$376.98. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$850. Total cash and investments, \$1709.65. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Work exemplified almost perfectly. All officers are eager to do their work in the most beautiful and impressive manner. This is the home Chapter of Mrs. Bertie Todd, Grand Marshal, and it is a great pleasure to visit this Chapter, as the spirit of hospitality and friendliness prevail. The Deputy was received most graciously. The music was very impressive. This Chapter enjoys good Masonic support. All members seem very proud of Mrs. Todd's appointment, and the entire district expresses the greatest satisfaction.

MIGUELITO CHAPTER NO. 176.

Location, Lompoc. Instituted December 27, 1899. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 14; suspended, 7; died, 2. Total membership, 217. In savings bank account, \$411.28. In commercial bank account, \$410.11. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In hands of Secretary, \$58.10. Total cash and investments, \$979.49. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient officers striving for perfection. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid condition with officers very anxious for instruction and striving for perfection of work. Working in harmony, and supporting Grand Officers of the district commendably. This Chapter enjoys true Fraternalism among its members, and is working harmoniously and prospering.

ATASCADERO CHAPTER NO. 344.

Location, Atascadero. Instituted September 2, 1916. Chartered October 18, 1916. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 113. In commercial bank account, \$151.56. In Morro-Atascadero Bldg. & Loan Assn., \$300. Total cash and investments, \$451.56. Condition of books: Very good. Efficient officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly and many visitors were present from various Chapters in the District. All officers seem anxious for instructions, and receive instruction in the kindest way. Officers striving hard for perfection in their work, and to emulate the virtues of the teachings of the Order.

CAMBRIA PINES CHAPTER NO. 525.

Location, Cambria. Instituted October 4, 1930. Chartered October 14, 1931. Date of visit, May 2, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 1. Total membership, 55. In commercial bank account, \$96.49. Condition of books: Excellent. Very efficient officers serving as Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. This Chapter has had a brief existence so far, and in spite of prevailing conditions is forging ahead. They put \$1000 into furniture and equipment. The spirit of harmony and true Fraternalism prevail. Officers very anxious for instructions, and receive them graciously.

Have co-operated with other Chapters of the district in special nights, and are striving to make this Chapter one that will stand out with interest and integrity of purpose. Received the Deputy with the spirit of hospitality. This Chapter enjoys good Masonic support.

DISTRICT No. 33.

Report of Mrs. Stella Milam. D. G. M.

ELECTA CHAPTER NO. 72.

Location. Modesto. Instituted June 29, 1883. Chartered October 17, 1883. Date of visit, January 19, 1932. Initiated, 26; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 7; dimitted, 8; suspended, 13; died, 4. Total membership, 372. In El Portal Bldg. & Loan, \$1188.01. In commercial bank account, \$338.28. In Relief Fund, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$2026.29. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. The officers doing exceptionally good work, earnestly striving for perfection, all working together for the best interest of the Chapter. The work beautifully given. All officers present. I shall always remember with pleasure my visit to this Chapter.

TUOLUMNE STAR CHAPTER NO. 123.

Location, Sonora. Instituted August 25, 1893. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, February 4, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 189. In savings bank account, \$145.45. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$195.45. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. A very friendly hospitable Chapter. Work was exemplified beautifully by a splendid corps of officers. Martha absent, all other officers present. The beautiful music and singing added greatly to the evening on my official visit. Many thanks to this Chapter for its welcome to me as its Deputy Grand Matron and for all courtesies.

SUMMIT CHAPTER NO. 138.

Location. Knights Ferry. Instituted December 21, 1895. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, January 22, 1932. Dimitted 1. Total membership, 60. In commercial bank account, \$311.83. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; In-

struction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. with all officers present. An unusually good spirit of harmony prevailing. Much credit is due this Chapter as the officers and members are so scattered. This is my home Chapter of which I am justly proud. I wish to thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for appointing me Deputy Grand Matron in this District where I have been so happily and graciously received by every Chapter.

ORESTIMBA CHAPTER NO. 139.

Location, Newman. Instituted December 28, 1895. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, February 5, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 4; died, 2. Total membership, 110. In savings bank account, \$50. In commercial bank account, \$96.19. Total cash, \$146.19. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. Secretary absent. Officers enthusiastic and anxious to do good work; instructions graciously received; spirit of good fellowship and hospitality prevail. I appreciate the courtesies shown me, and shall always remember the gracious and beautiful welcome extended me on the evening of my official visit.

OAKDALE CHAPTER NO. 226.

Location, Oakdale. Instituted April 11, 1905. Chartered October 18, 1905. Date of visit, January 5, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 154. In savings bank account, \$326.53. In commercial bank account, \$17.60. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$394.13. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. A wonderful spirit of hospitality and good will prevailing and good attendance of members. Four officers were absent. Associate Conductress, Treasurer, Marshal and Ruth. Efficient corps of officers who are anxious to do perfect work. Every courtesy possible shown me for which I thank you most sincerely.

WISTARIA CHAPTER NO. 296.

Location, Turlock. Instituted October 1, 1910. Chartered October 20, 1910. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; re-

instated, 1; dimitted, 9; suspended, 9; died, 1. Total membership, 295. In commercial bank account, \$318.59. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. A most gracious corps of officers, rendering their work in a most efficient manner. All officers present. Good attendance and members interested in all affairs of the Chapter. Community singing was greatly enjoyed by every one. Delightful courtesies to Deputy Grand Matron.

EL RIO CHAPTER NO. 333.

Location, Riverbank. Instituted December 5, 1914. Chartered October 2, 1915. Date of visit, January 28, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; died, 3. Total membership, 110. In commercial bank account, \$176.08. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. This is a very happy Chapter. On my official visit I was most graciously received. The work was well done by an enthusiastic corps of officers. One officer, Martha, was absent. I wish to thank El Rio Chapter for their hearty co-operation and hospitality extended to me.

SMYRNA CHAPTER NO. 416.

Location, Ceres. Instituted August 18, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, January 21, 1932. Initiated, 6. Total membership, 99. In savings bank account, \$132. In commercial bank account, \$114.38. Total cash, \$246.38. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are earnest and sincere in their work and have the support of capable and proficient officers. A keen interest in all Chapter business exhibited by members as well as officers. Sentinel absent because of illness. I deeply appreciate the hospitality and warmth of friendship accorded me.

PATTERSON CHAPTER NO. 417.

Location, Patterson. Instituted October 12, 1923. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, January 26, 1932. Initiated, 2; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 69. In commercial bank account, \$172.87. Cash on hand, \$60. Total cash, \$232.87. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth

present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. A fine corps of officers and work was done in an impressive manner. Two officers absent, Ruth and Organist. A wonderful spirit of harmony and good will prevails. It has been a great joy and privilege to be their Deputy Grand Matron.

DISTRICT No. 34.

Report of Mrs. Elsie Jo Beaty, D. G. M.

RAISINA CHAPTER NO. 89.

Location, Fresno. Instituted April 26, 1886. Chartered October 20, 1886. Date of visit, June 15, 1932. Initiated, 47; affiliated, 8; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 15; suspended, 15; died, 6. Total membership, 714. In savings bank account, \$1683.67. In commercial bank account, \$2314.23. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$350. Total cash and investments, \$4347.90. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 o'clock with seventeen officers and all jewels present. Capable, earnest and willing officers working enthusiastically for the welfare of their Chapter. A real pleasure to instruct them. Past Officers loyal and helpful. Good Masonic support. Generous hospitality, harmony and true fraternal spirit prevail.

MADERA CHAPTER NO. 92.

Location, Madera. Instituted April 26, 1886. Chartered October 18, 1887. Date of visit, March 25, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 4; died, 3. Total membership, 189. In savings bank account, \$59.95. In commercial bank account, \$539.77. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$150. Total cash and investments, \$749.72. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05 with seventeen officers and all jewels present. Efficient corps of officers working for the good of the Chapter. Good Masonic support. Delightful hospitality shown to all visitors.

MERCEDES CHAPTER NO. 126.

Location, Merced. Instituted February 2, 1894. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, May 5, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 8; dimitted, 8; died, 6; Total membership, 243. In savings bank account,

\$500. In commercial bank account, \$341.65. Total cash, \$841.65. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:05 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. Here in my beloved home Chapter, as in every Chapter in the District, I found a sincere desire to receive and carry out instructions. I am proud of my home Chapter and of my district, and I am most grateful for all the kindness and courtesy shown me. Good Masonic support.

CENTINELA CHAPTER NO. 136.

Location, Los Banos. Instituted June 10, 1895. Chartered October 16, 1895. Date of visit, June 10, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 7; suspended, 5; died, 6. Total membership, 118. In commercial bank account, \$303.98. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$300. Total cash and investments, \$603.98. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:15 o'clock with sixteen officers and all jewels present. A most cordial and hospitable Chapter. Interested officers doing splendid work. Able assistance from loyal past officers. Good Masonic support.

LAS MARIPOSAS CHAPTER NO. 200.

Location, Mariposa. Instituted May 27, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, May 24, 1932. In savings bank account, \$527.29. In commercial bank account, \$285.38. Total cash, \$812.67. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with seventeen officers and all jewels present. Here again was found a fine spirit of co-operation, a sincere desire for instruction, a capable rendering of the ceremonies, and kindly hospitality. Good Masonic support. Visitors cordially welcomed.

FRESNO CHAPTER NO. 295.

Location, Fresno. Instituted September 30, 1910. Chartered October 19, 1910. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 6; died, 4. Total membership, 407. In savings bank account, \$948.65. In commercial bank account, \$124.63. Total cash, \$1073.28. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruc-

tion Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. All officers and jewels present. Doing excellent work and making every effort to promote the welfare of the Chapter. A lovely social spirit exists. Fine Masonic support. Good attendance with many visitors present. It is a pleasure to visit them.

CALKOTA CHAPTER NO. 309.

Location, Kerman. Instituted February 17, 1912. Chartered October 16, 1912. Date of visit, February 24, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 1; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 74. In commercial bank account, \$107.15. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. Condition of Chapter is very good; a most congenial and fraternal spirit prevails. Excellent Masonic support. Most of the officers have to come from distances to Chapter meetings. All officers eager for instruction. Visitors welcomed cordially.

CONCORDIA CHAPTER NO. 320.

Location, Clovis. Instituted June 3, 1913. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, March 15, 1932. Initiated, 8; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 150. In commercial bank account, \$95.90. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very fine. Opened at 8:05 with sixteen officers present, the absentees unable to attend on account of illness. Capable and interested officers; good work. Loyal support of past officers. All jewels present. Harmony and hospitality prevail. Good attendance with many visitors present. This Chapter is meeting in a new Masonic Temple with spacious and comfortable rooms.

CHOWCHILLA CHAPTER NO. 365.

Location, Chowchilla. Instituted July 29, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, May 19, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 7. Total membership, 67. In commercial bank account, \$72.89. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:15 o'clock with all jewels and seventeen officers present. A very enthusiastic

group of officers striving to do the best work possible. Like others of the smaller Chapters, it is working under the difficulties of a scattered membership, yet showing a splendid spirit of co-operation. Good Masonic support. This is a most hospitable and friendly Chapter.

DISTRICT No. 35.

Report of Mrs. Pauline G. Arnold, D. G. M.

LILY OF THE LAKE CHAPTER NO. 41.

Location. Lemoore. Instituted March 23, 1880. Chartered October 20, 1880. Date of visit, April 13, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 4. Total membership, 121. In savings bank account, \$221.49. In commercial bank account, \$168.47. Total cash, \$389.96. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. A friendly and harmonious Chapter. Officers interested in their work and very hospitable to members. Visitors are assured a cordial welcome. Good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Capable Worthy Matron supported by very efficient Worthy Patron and helpful corps of officers. A pleasure to instruct and work with these officers.

HELIOTROPE CHAPTER NO. 93.

Location. Selma. Instituted May 3, 1887. Chartered October 17, 1887. Date of visit, April 25, 1932. Affiliated, 1; reinstated, 4; dimitted, 6; suspended, 23; died, 1. Total membership, 185. In commercial bank account, \$300.84. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. An unusual spirit of harmony and support prevailing. A most enthusiastic corps of officers, doing excellent work, striving to maintain a high degree of excellence under leadership of capable and gifted Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron. Splendid attendance. Opening promptly at 8:00 o'clock. An atmosphere of sincere cordiality prevails. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

LUCERNE CHAPTER NO. 127.

Location. Hanford. Instituted February 16, 1894. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 7; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 234. In savings bank ac-

count, \$829.95. In commercial bank account, \$319.70. Total cash, \$1149.65. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Most charming Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and efficient corps of officers, eager for instruction, enthusiastic and appreciative, doing excellent work. A delightful social spirit prevails. Splendid Masonic support and co-operation of the membership. Most charming hospitality extended at all times, making it a real pleasure to meet with this Chapter. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. Good music, splendid attendance and very cordial to visitors.

REEDLEY CHAPTER NO. 257.

Location, Reedley. Instituted May 28, 1907. Chartered October, 17, 1907. Date of visit, March 8, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 2; dismissed, 4; suspended, 12. Total membership, 120. In savings bank account, \$56.95. In commercial bank account, \$157.23. Total cash, \$214.18. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Capable officers doing good work. Good music. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present and all jewels worn. Very courteous to their Deputy.

ESCHSCHOLTZIA CHAPTER NO 270.

Location, Coalinga. Instituted February 25, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; dismissed, 7. Total membership, 206. In savings bank account, \$438.20. In commercial bank account, \$437.57. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$1375.77. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Work always beautifully rendered by excellent officers who are very interested in their work. Lovely and sincere Worthy Matron supported by splendid Worthy Patron and other officers. Good attendance and very cordial to visitors. All officers present and all wearing jewels. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock.

KINGSBURG CHAPTER NO. 312.

Location, Kingsburg. Instituted July 11, 1912. Chartered October 16, 1912. Date of visit, March 10, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 2;

dimitted, 8; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 154. In commercial bank account, \$56.30. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. Most charming Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers, rendering their work in a most efficient manner. A delightful spirit of hospitality and harmony prevail. Splendid Masonic support. A joy and privilege to work with these officers. Work beautifully exemplified. Very cordial to visitors.

CORCORAN CHAPTER NO. 370.

Location. Corcoran. Instituted November 30, 1920. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, May 6, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 2; died, 1; expelled, 1. Total membership, 103. In savings bank account, \$165.40. In commercial bank account, \$156.25. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$371.65. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. Under the leadership of a most capable Worthy Matron and an earnest and genial Worthy Patron, with a most loyal corps of officers endeavoring to perfect their work. Excellent attendance of members with an unusual Masonic support. A spirit of hospitality and harmony prevail. The privilege of serving my home Chapter in this capacity has afforded me much pleasure and I am grateful to my Worthy Grand Matron for appointing me Deputy Grand Matron for the 35th District. Thanks to my own home Chapter for all the lovely courtesies extended to me.

RIVERDALE CHAPTER NO. 400.

Location. Riverdale. Instituted November 29, 1922. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, April 27, 1932. Initiated, 6. Total membership, 82. In commercial bank account, \$119.44. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. A capable and hospitable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work beautifully exemplified by splendid corps of officers. Splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A wonderful spirit of harmony and cordiality existing at all times. Officers travel many miles to attend meetings, but are faithful and give excellent support.

SANGER CHAPTER NO. 482.

Location, Sanger. Instituted April 26, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, March 24, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 97. In savings bank account, \$324.29. In commercial bank account, \$86.31. Total cash, \$410.60. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with a splendid attendance. All officers and members working earnestly and faithfully for the interest and success of their beautiful new Masonic Temple. Splendid Masonic support and co-operation. Efficient corps of officers doing excellent work. Work rendered in a beautiful and most impressive manner. Very hospitable and harmonious. Very cordial to visitors. A most pleasing and hospitable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. A most cordial, friendly Chapter.

DISTRICT No. 36.

Report of Mrs. Olive Pearl Gardner, D. G. M.

MARTHA WASHINGTON CHAPTER NO. 13.

Location, Visalia. Instituted December 9, 1874. Chartered October 18, 1875. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 7; dimitted, 4; suspended, 5; died, 3. Total membership, 257. In savings bank account, \$149.09. In commercial bank account, \$149.18. In Home account 1932 dues, \$26. Total cash, \$324.27. Condition of books: Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This is a very efficient Chapter. Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers and jewels present. Officers doing splendid work supported by attendance and co-operation of members and past officers. A wonderful spirit of fellowship prevails and my visits to this splendid Chapter have been a great joy to me.

TULARE CHAPTER NO. 94.

Location, Tulare. Instituted October 12, 1887. Chartered October 16, 1888. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 3; suspended, 1; died, 3. Total membership, 245. In commercial bank account, \$361.10. Condition of books: Very carefully and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chap-

ter opened at 8:15. All officers and jewels being present. This is a very capable and hospitable Chapter. All work being done with enthusiasm and a cheerful spirit prevails. Good support from all members.

PALM LEAF CHAPTER NO. 114.

Location, Porterville. Instituted February 18, 1892. Chartered October 19, 1892. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 301. In commercial bank account, \$605.73. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1050. In Building & Loan, \$300. Total cash and investments, \$1955.73. Condition of books: Neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This is a very pleasant Chapter to visit. Chapter opened at 8:10, officers and jewels present. The work was exemplified in a very capable manner, officers striving toward perfection in the work. Strong support from members and good Masonic fellowship.

DINUBA CHAPTER NO. 261.

Location, Dinuba. Instituted September 13, 1907. Chartered October 22, 1907. Date of visit, May 11, 1932. Initiated, 4; dimitted, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 157. In savings bank account, \$205.31. In commercial bank account, \$106.78. In penny fund, \$6.88. Total cash, \$318.97. Condition of books: Very capably kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This is a happy Chapter. Fine co-operation is noted among the officers and an earnest striving toward perfect work is noted. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers and jewels present. Work exemplified in a very pleasing manner showing careful attention to details.

MONTE VISTA CHAPTER NO. 271.

Location, Orosi. Instituted March 16, 1908. Chartered October 2, 1908. Date of visit, April 28, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 12; died, 1. Total membership, 165. In commercial bank account, \$333.62. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$200. Total cash and investments, \$533.62. Condition of books: Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A pleasant Chapter to visit. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers and jewels present. Officers are deeply interested and ambitious to maintain a high standard. A very con-

genial and friendly spirit prevails and good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

LINDSAY CHAPTER NO. 306.

Location, Lindsay. Instituted June 13, 1911. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 20; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 4; suspended, 5; died, 2. Total membership, 153. In savings bank account, \$690.13. In commercial bank account, \$335.04. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$1075.17. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A prosperous and growing Chapter. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers and jewels being present. The work was done in a very sincere and earnest manner and showed the officers proficient and anxious to be an honor to the Chapter. This is my home Chapter and I feel I can be justly proud of each officer. A fine feeling of fellowship prevails and good support from past officers and members is noted.

EXETER CHAPTER NO. 334.

Location, Exeter. Instituted February 26, 1915. Chartered October 20, 1915. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 8; dimitted, 1; died, 3. Total membership, 121. In commercial bank account, \$271.72. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$321.72. Condition of books: Kept very neatly and in a business-like manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: In excellent condition. Chapter opened at 8:20 with all officers and jewels present. Harmony and happiness prevail in this Chapter and all officers are endeavoring to attain perfection in all their work. Good support from members and Past Officers and Masonic Brothers.

WOODLAKE CHAPTER NO. 510.

Location, Woodlake. Instituted April 27, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1. Total membership, 53. In savings bank account, \$100. In commercial bank account, \$242.34. Total cash, \$342.34. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This is the youngest Chapter in my district and the officers

are striving to put into perfect use all instructions in the work. Chapter opened at 8:10, all officers but one (unavoidably detained) being present. The work was put on in a very capable manner and I am proud of this Chapter.

DISTRICT No. 37.

Report of Mrs. Faye Pritschke, D. G. M.

MARICOPA CHAPTER NO. 323.

Location, Maricopa. Instituted July 12, 1913. Chartered October 16, 1913. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 10; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 5; suspended, 15. Total membership, 177. In savings bank account, \$912.12. In commercial bank account, \$302.45. In Floral Fund, \$57.77. Total cash, \$1272.34. Condition of books: Splendid. A very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Electa who was ill. All jewels were worn. Excellent music. Work very well rendered by a splendid corps of officers under the leadership of a very capable and conscientious Worthy Matron. A most hospitable and friendly Chapter. Good Masonic support and fine support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a privilege and a real pleasure to instruct these officers. I am truly grateful and deeply appreciate the many courtesies that have been extended to me. I shall always cherish the many friendships I have made in this Chapter.

TAFT CHAPTER NO. 337

Location, Taft. Instituted May 15, 1915. Chartered October 20, 1915. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 8; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 431. In savings bank account, \$642.74. In commercial bank account, \$656.64. In Floral Fund, \$45.93. Total cash, \$1345.31. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. A fine Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and all jewels worn. A splendid group of officers working together enthusiastically under the leadership of a most gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and genial Worthy Patron. The work was exemplified in a very commendable manner. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons and Masonic brothers. Fine Music. I have enjoyed working with this Chapter. The officers are all anxious for instruction and eager to maintain their Chapter's high standard of work.

BUENA VISTA CHAPTER NO. 364.

Location, Fellows. Instituted July 9, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 5; suspended, 14. Total membership, 133. In savings bank account, \$231.19. In commercial bank account, \$268.35. In Floral Fund, \$18. Total cash, \$517.54. Condition of books: Excellent, very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. Esther and Adah were absent because of illness. All jewels worn. Officers doing good work under the leadership of a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, both sincere and earnest in the guidance of all Chapter affairs. A generous hospitality and warm welcome extended to all. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Splendid music. I deeply appreciate the sincere welcome accorded me by the officers and members.

WASCO CHAPTER NO. 489.

Location, Wasco. Instituted October 1, 1927. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, May 23, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 116. In commercial bank account, \$618.66. Condition of books: Very good. Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and all jewels worn. Music very beautiful. Exceptional Past Matrons, Past Patrons and Masonic support. A very splendid and hospitable Chapter working together harmoniously under the leadership of a sincere, capable Worthy Matron, ably assisted by a splendid corps of officers. Work was beautifully exemplified on the night of my official visit. I sincerely thank my own dear Worthy Matron, officers and members for their many expressions of loyalty, kindness and love, making this year one of beautiful memories. I am indeed grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor to my Chapter and the great privilege given me to serve her as Deputy Grand Matron, the first Grand Officer of our Chapter.

FAITH CHAPTER NO. 514.

Location, Taft. Instituted July 19, 1929. Chartered October 18, 1929. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 3. Total membership, 106. In commercial bank account, \$475.79. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. In Floral Fund, \$40.27.

Total cash and investments, \$620.06. Condition of books: Carefully kept and in good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opens at 8:00 P. M. and work presented in a very creditable manner. All officers present except organist who was ill. Jewels worn. A very progressive and happy Chapter. A splendid corps of officers working together harmoniously under the leadership of an efficient and lovable Worthy Matron and a very enthusiastic Worthy Patron. Good Masonic support as well as splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Excellent music. This is truly a delightful Chapter full of friendliness and hospitality which is shown by the large attendance of visitors always present. I was most happy to have had this Chapter to instruct and they have truly made me feel that I was one of them. I shall always treasure the memory of this year with you. I deeply appreciate the many acts of love and kindness.

DISTRICT No. 38.

Report of Mrs. Stella E. Haverfelde, D. G. M.

BAKERSFIELD CHAPTER NO. 125.

Location, Bakersfield. Instituted December 18, 1893. Chartered October 18, 1894. Date of visit, April 4, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 6; dimitted, 19; suspended, 2; died, 6. Total membership, 480. In savings bank account, \$509.80. In commercial bank account, \$569.25. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2300. In Floral Fund, \$23.70. Total cash and investments, \$3402.75. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present and all jewels worn. Excellent music. Efficient and enthusiastic Worthy Matron who receives support from a very capable Worthy Patron and excellent corps of officers. This Chapter has wonderful support and co-operation from the members, especially Past Matrons. Very hospitable and harmonious Chapter. Am deeply appreciative of the hospitality and love extended at all times by all the officers and members to their Deputy Grand Matron and my year with them shall always be a happy remembrance.

DELANO CHAPTER NO. 146.

Location, Delano. Instituted March 12, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 8, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 4; suspended, 21; died, 1. Total membership, 245.

In commercial bank account, \$184.23. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$300. In Flower Fund, \$4.81. Total cash and investments, \$489.04. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present, all jewels worn. Very efficient and conscientious Worthy Matron assisted by a capable Worthy Patron and corps of officers. Excellent music. This is my home Chapter and it has been an honor and pleasure to serve this lovely Chapter as Deputy Grand Matron. Good Masonic support, also much help from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Very harmonious and hospitable. Wish to take this opportunity to thank my Chapter for the beautiful reception given me. I shall never forget it.

LIBERTAS CHAPTER NO. 362.

Location, Bakersfield. Instituted May 12, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, March 14, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 5; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 189. In commercial bank account, \$107.45. In Floral Fund, \$2.00. Total cash, \$109.45. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present, all jewels worn. Most capable and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Interested and enthusiastic corps of officers. The officers exemplified the work in an excellent manner. Lovely music. This is the home Chapter of Jessie Morris, our Grand Conductress. It has been a real joy to serve as their Deputy Grand Matron and I shall never forget the love and many courtesies extended to me. Good support from Past Matrons. Hospitality and cordiality abound.

CALEDONIA CHAPTER NO. 391.

Location, Bakersfield. Instituted March 13, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 8; dimitted, 1; suspended, 5; died, 3. Total membership, 238. In savings bank account, \$224.10. In Caledonia Building Association, \$3000. In Floral Fund, \$9.30. Total cash and investments, \$3233.40. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present. All jewels worn. Most gracious and

capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a corps of sincere and earnest officers who exemplified the work perfectly. Excellent music. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are loyal and helpful. Am deeply grateful for the many expressions of love and have enjoyed the friendships of these officers and members. It has been a real privilege to serve them as Deputy Grand Matron and will always be a pleasant memory. Fine spirit of harmony and hospitality at all times.

SECURITY CHAPTER NO. 426.

Location, Bakersfield. Instituted March 10, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 21; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 5; suspended, 8; died, 2. Total membership, 310. In savings bank account, \$738.64. In commercial bank account, \$347.47. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1000. In Floral Fund, \$7.67. Total cash and investments, \$2093.78. Condition of books: Excellent. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. Most gracious and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid corps of officers. Ritualistic work beautifully exemplified. Excellent music. Wish to thank the officers and members for their generous expressions of kindness and loyalty on all occasions, making my year as their Deputy Grand Matron a joy and lasting memory. Most cordial and hospitable Chapter.

DISTRICT No. 39.

Report of Mrs. Mary S. Bush, D. G. M.

TEHACHAPI CHAPTER NO. 188.

Location, Tehachapi. Instituted January 16, 1901. Chartered October 6, 1901. Date of visit, March 16, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 1; suspended, 11; died, 1. Total membership, 115. In commercial bank account, \$210.67. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The officers live many miles away and deserve praise and commendation for doing their work in a creditable manner. Very eager and alert group of line officers striving for perfection in their work. Jewels worn. Good Masonic support. I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me.

MT. WHITNEY CHAPTER NO. 197.

Location, Bishop. Instituted January 11, 1902. Chartered October 17, 1902. Date of visit, April 16, 1932. Initiated, 14; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 3; suspended, 3; died, 1. Total membership, 204. In commercial bank account, \$399.50. In Floral Fund, \$42.79. Total cash, \$442.29. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: My own Chapter of which I am very proud. All officers, except musician, were present and jewels worn. A splendid Worthy Matron who is untiring in her efforts to advance the best interests of her Chapter. She not only has the co-operation of an efficient corps of officers but the support of a large attendance of members and visitors. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies shown me by the officers and members and sincerely thank my Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for giving me the opportunity of serving.

SIERRA CHAPTER NO. 318.

Location, Big Pine. Instituted April 13, 1913. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, March 3, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 4. Total membership, 67. In commercial bank account, \$145.68. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. and jewels worn. A small membership, a large per cent of whom live elsewhere due to existing conditions in Owens Valley; but a family spirit prevails in this Chapter lending a friendly and homelike atmosphere. Earnest and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Exemplification of the work especially well done. I very deeply appreciate the kindness and loyalty shown me at all times.

SUNSHINE CHAPTER NO. 327.

Location, Lancaster. Instituted May 12, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, March 15, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 8; suspended, 6; died, 6. Total membership, 112. In commercial bank account, \$150.74. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A good corps of officers under the leadership of a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Very good piano and violin music add much to the impressiveness of the work. A splendid group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons always work-

ing for the best interests of the Chapter. The Chapter is sponsoring a fine Order of Rainbow for girls. The hospitality and kindness shown the Deputy will always be remembered with great pleasure.

KEARSARGE CHAPTER NO. 378.

Location, Independence. Instituted July 9, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, May 13, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; re-instated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 106. In savings bank account, \$300. In commercial bank account, \$230.20. Total cash, \$530.20. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Labyrinth, 1. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A spirit of harmony prevails. Good attendance and good Masonic support. All officers present, except Martha. Jewels worn. A very capable and interested Worthy Matron assisted by a fine corps of officers working for the prosperity of the Chapter. A great pleasure to work with these officers who are very appreciative of instructions. All activities of the Chapter capably managed. The royal welcome given me on the night of my official visit will always remain a very happy memory.

DISTRICT No. 40.

Report of Mrs. Annabel Spinney, D. G. M.

MARGUERITE CHAPTER NO. 78.

Location, Santa Barbara. Instituted May 12, 1884. Chartered October 22, 1884. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 6; dimitted, 23; suspended, 15; died, 7. Total membership, 360. In savings bank account, \$412.74. In commercial bank account, \$403.22. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1200. Total cash and investments, \$2015.96. Condition of books: Very well kept by conscientious officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. all officers present, wearing jewels. A Chapter radiating happiness and cordiality with the loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons and co-operation of members. This is the home Chapter of our Past Grand Matron, Gladys Fitch Pierce, of whom we are very proud. Her many kindnesses to me are greatly appreciated and I am happy to have her a very dear friend. A gracious, capable Worthy Matron and an earnest Worthy Patron, with a splendid corps of officers exemplified the work in an impressive, nearly perfect manner making my official visit an evening of joy. I sincerely thank them for their efforts and the many kindnesses

and courtesies shown me. I am very proud of my home Chapter and wish to express my appreciation to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor conferred upon me, that I have had the privilege of serving Marguerite Chapter and the 40th District as Deputy Grand Matron.

VENTURA CHAPTER NO. 79.

Location, Ventura. Instituted May 13, 1884. Chartered October 22, 1884. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 40; suspended, 6; died, 4. Total membership, 316. In savings bank account, \$236.79. In commercial bank account, \$544.54. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1100. Total cash and investments, \$1881.33. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Fine. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present except Marshal. Jewels worn. This is the home Chapter of our Junior Past Grand Patron, Joseph Mayo Argabrite, and of whom we may be justly proud. An efficient and gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and an interested corps of officers made it a pleasure to instruct them. The exemplification of the work was beautifully given in a very impressive manner. Harmony prevails and loyal support is given by the Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

SANTA PAULA CHAPTER NO. 185.

Location, Santa Paula. Instituted September 22, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 7; suspended, 5; died, 3. Total membership, 286. In commercial bank account, \$444.11. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept by efficient officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05. A splendid Chapter with a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by all members. Officers interested and anxious to do perfect work, receiving instruction very kindly. Work nearly perfect. All jewels present. A very happy and hospitable Chapter with good Masonic support. Most cordial and courteous to their Deputy at all times.

OXNARD CHAPTER NO. 322.

Location, Oxnard. Instituted June 28, 1913. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 1; di-

mitted, 5; suspended, 2. Total membership, 162. In savings bank account, \$185.63. In commercial bank account, \$471.25. Total cash, \$656.88. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with all officers present except Esther (illness). Jewels worn. A conscientious Worthy Matron desirous of having her officers present perfect work. A fine spirit of friendship prevails and the cordial welcome to visitors is notable. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal.

FILLMORE CHAPTER NO. 361.

Location, Fillmore. Instituted March 13, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 5; suspended, 18; died, 2. Total membership, 188. In commercial bank account, \$179.45. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$200. Total cash and investments, \$379.45. Condition of books: Good. In hands of capable officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present and jewels worn. A fine Chapter, hospitable and harmonious. A gracious Worthy Matron assisted by a corps of enthusiastic and efficient officers earnestly endeavoring to do perfect work. Excellent work exemplified. Past Matrons and Past Patrons interested and co-operating.

SANTA BARBARA CHAPTER NO. 501.

Location, Santa Barbara. Instituted July 14, 1928. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, March 9, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 53. In savings bank account, \$6.30. In commercial bank account, \$134.13. Total cash, \$140.43. Condition of books: Neatly and correctly kept by capable officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Martha (illness) and all jewels worn. All officers are sincere, earnest and anxious to perfect themselves in the work, and deserve much credit. This is a small Chapter with a fine sentiment of friendship and goodfellowship prevailing. Visitors are given a cordial welcome. The work was impressively and commendably rendered. The willingness to co-operate have made it a pleasure to serve them.

VALLECITO CHAPTER NO. 523.

Location, Carpenteria. Instituted July 19, 1930. Chartered October 22, 1930. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 36. In commercial bank account, \$84.82. Condition of books: Neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with all officers except Marshal in their stations, all jewels worn and the work was presented in a commendable manner. Chapter is young and sickness among officers has made it difficult to hold practices. This Chapter has an earnest Worthy Matron, anxious that her officers should be word perfect. A fine fraternal spirit prevails and a cordial welcome extended visitors.

OJAI CHAPTER U. D.

Location, Ojai. Instituted April 16, 1932. Date of visit, June 8, 1932. Total membership, 24. In commercial bank account, \$184.04. Condition of books: Neat, kept by capable officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: The Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M., all officers except Secretary present, new jewels worn for the first time. Our baby Chapter is composed of a small, happy group of members. A lovable, gracious Worthy Matron and a genial Worthy Patron, assisted by interested, capable officers have made my work with them memorable, and the friendships made will, I trust, always remain. As this was the second meeting of the Chapter, too much praise cannot be given these new officers for the manner in which the work was given. It has been an honor to have been their first Deputy and all instructions given were earnestly received. The love, kindnesses and courtesies showered upon me are deeply appreciated and my prayer for them is for continued happiness and success.

DISTRICT No. 41.

Report of Mrs. Sadie Zerboni, D. G. M.

SANTA MONICA CHAPTER NO. 113.

Location, Santa Monica, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted January 8, 1892. Chartered October 19, 1892. Date of visit, May 2, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 9; suspended, 12; died, 3. Total membership, 376. In commercial bank account, \$1396.01. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2000. Total cash and investments, \$3396.01.

Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A most lovable and kind Worthy Matron and co-operative and sincere Worthy Patron preside over this harmonious and hospitable Chapter. The officers are very enthusiastic and render the Ritualistic work most beautifully. Wonderful support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support. It has indeed been a pleasure to me to serve Santa Monica Chapter this year and their many acts of love will always remain in my memory.

PALISADES CHAPTER NO. 474.

Location. Santa Monica, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted January 15, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 2; suspended, 1. Total membership, 145. In commercial bank account, \$433.99. Total cash and investments, \$433.99. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. A charming and capable Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, working with an enthusiastic corps of lovely officers. This Chapter is full of friendliness and hospitality and presided over by Worthy Matron who is very considerate of all members and an untiring worker for the good of her Chapter. The Ritualistic work was beautifully given, the Worthy Patron giving his lecture in a most impressive manner. Splendid support given by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a joy to me to serve this Chapter and I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended to me.

TRIANGLE CHAPTER NO. 456.

Location. Venice, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted August 10, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 27, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 132. In commercial bank account, \$180.53. In Savings Building and Loan, under Receivership, closed, (\$560.80). Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. Jewels worn. A fine corps of officers working under the leadership of a very sincere Worthy Matron and loyal Worthy Patron. The Ritualistic work was exemplified in a beautiful and impressive manner. Splendid support given by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a pleasure to me to work with

this lovely corps of officers and I am most appreciative of their many kindnesses to me this year.

PALMS CHAPTER NO. 491.

Location, Palms, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted December 5, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1928. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 107. In commercial bank account, \$314.13. In savings bank account, \$168.47. Total cash, \$482.60. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present excepting Associate Conductress and Electa, whose stations were filled by Past Matrons of the Chapter. This lovely little Chapter is under the guidance of a kind and loving Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron with a corps of enthusiastic officers giving their Ritualistic work in a most impressive manner. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal and good Masonic support. A very hospitable and friendly Chapter. My association with the officers and members of Palms Chapter has indeed been a pleasure and I thank them most sincerely for the many courtesies and kindnesses shown me at all times.

BEVERLY HILLS CHAPTER NO. 404.

Location, Beverly Hills, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted February 2, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, May 6, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 7; demitted, 4; suspended, 2. Total membership, 162. In commercial account, \$177.17. In savings account, \$33.54. Total cash, \$210.71. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. Jewels worn. A lovely Chapter presided over by a sweet, kind Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron who do all in their power to promote the welfare of their Chapter. A very efficient corps of officers doing excellent work. Wonderful support by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I am most grateful for the loving way the officers accepted me for instruction, and thank them most sincerely for many courtesies shown me.

CULVER CITY CHAPTER NO. 395.

Location, Culver City, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted July 27, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, April 4,

1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 3; suspended, 9; died, 1. Total membership, 248. In commercial bank account, \$131.41. In savings bank account, \$69.00. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1200. In Culver City Pacific Building & Loan, \$612.39. Total cash and investments, \$2015.80. (First Nat'l. Bank of Culver City, closed doors, \$66.72.) Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. Jewels worn. A sincere and capable Worthy Matron assisted by a most enthusiastic Worthy Patron and splendid corps of efficient officers, working in harmony in a most delightful Chapter. A loyal group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Love and enthusiasm radiate through this Chapter. For every courtesy and kindness accorded me this year, I am very grateful.

COLUMBIA CHAPTER NO. 247.

Location, West Los Angeles, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted June 28, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, May 26, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 7; died, 8. Total membership, 306. In commercial bank account, \$285.23. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1220. Total cash and investments, \$1505.23. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. Jewels worn. A loving and sincere Worthy Matron and a fine Worthy Patron working in harmony with a most delightful corps of officers, very efficient in their Ritualistic work. Peace and harmony radiates in this Chapter and it has been a most happy privilege for me to serve them this year. Their love and kindness to me has been an inspiration. Wonderful Masonic support also Past Matrons and Past Patrons co-operate in every way.

OCEAN PARK CHAPTER NO. 245.

Location, Ocean Park, Los Angeles County, California. Instituted May 17, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, May 19, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 8; suspended, 15; died, 5. Total membership, 298. In commercial bank account, \$145.53. In savings bank account, (O. E. S. Home Assessment) \$184. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1000. Total cash and investments, \$1329.53. (In Marine Bank, closed December 18, 1931, \$259.67). Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Sylla-

bus, Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A most gracious and loving Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, assisted by a corps of most enthusiastic and co-operative officers. The work was exemplified in a beautiful, dignified manner. Wonderful support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons at all times. This is the home Chapter of our beloved Sisters, Chloe Craig, Past Grand Matron, and Isabel Vawter, Past Grand Treasurer. I am deeply grateful to the members of my Chapter for their love and kindness, for it was their faith in me which made it possible for me to serve the Order as Deputy Grand Matron of my District, and I wish to take this opportunity to thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and for the privilege of serving as one of her official family, of which I am justly proud. To me, this year has been one of the happiest in my Eastern Star life. Each Chapter in my district has given me love, loyalty and perfect co-operation for which I sincerely thank you all. The true Eastern Star spirit exists throughout this District.

DISTRICT No. 42.

Report of Mrs. Marie F. Warke, D. G. M.

HOLLYWOOD CHAPTER NO. 209.

Location. Hollywood. Instituted February 28, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 6; dimitted, 33; suspended, 32; died, 5. Total membership, 744. In commercial bank account, \$1348.01. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 7:30, with all officers present, all jewels worn. A splendid Chapter with a background of wonderful Past Matrons and Past Patrons, a gracious and efficient corps of officers, and outstanding Secretary, very good attendance of members, the organ adds much to the impressiveness of the Ritualistic work. I sincerely thank the officers and members for their very cordial hospitality and have thoroughly enjoyed my association with them.

WILSHIRE CHAPTER NO. 329.

Location. Los Angeles. Instituted July 18, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, April 9, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 9; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 6; suspended, 7; died, 6. Total membership, 336. In savings bank account, \$756.62. In commercial bank account, \$771.73. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1500. Total cash and investments.

\$2048.35. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present, jewels worn. A Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who add grace and dignity to their stations, a very efficient corps of officers exemplified the work in a most gratifying manner. Excellent Masonic support, also wonderful help from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I deeply appreciate the many acts of kindness, courtesy and hospitality extended to me by the officers and members of this splendid Chapter, and am very happy to have served them.

ELYSIAN CHAPTER No. 354.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 28, 1919. Chartered October 22, 1919. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 21; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 11; suspended, 34; died, 3. Total membership, 271. In commercial bank account, \$645.62. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 7:55, all officers present, all jewels worn. A very hospitable Chapter. Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron very cordial to visitors, a fine group of officers, endeavoring to do their work well at all times. Very good attendance, the officers have been very attentive and courteous making it a pleasure to work with them. I sincerely appreciate their friendliness and co-operation.

CAHUENGA CHAPTER No. 413.

Location, Hollywood. Instituted August 3, 1923. Chartered October 23, 1923. Date of visit, May 17, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 14; suspended, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 197. In commercial bank account, \$204.53. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. The Associate Patron and Conductress were absent, both of them very ill. All other officers present and jewels worn. The work was beautifully exemplified by a very earnest and sincere group of officers. A charming Worthy Matron and cordial Worthy Patron preside over this hospitable Chapter, good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons, one of whom is my very good friend, Past Grand Patron Brother Roy Musser, and I thank him for his cheery words of encouragement. I sincerely appreciate the hospitality and friendliness of the officers and members.

RADIANT CHAPTER NO. 421.

Location, Hollywood. Instituted January 19, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, May 27, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 9; dimitted, 6; suspended, 5; died, 4. Total membership, 213. In savings bank account, \$118.56. In commercial bank account, \$520.71. Total cash, \$639.27. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 1:30 P. M. All officers present with the exception of the Associate Patron. The Secretary was absent because of illness. All jewels worn. A gracious Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron, capable officers very much interested in exemplifying the Ritual and floor work perfectly. A pleasure to instruct them, excellent co-operation of Past Matrons and Past Patrons and officers. I have enjoyed this Chapter and sincerely thank them for their generous hospitality.

HARDING CHAPTER NO. 454.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted August 4, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 24, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 18; suspended, 10; died, 3. Total membership, 134. In commercial bank account, \$328.18. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers in their stations excepting Conductress who was very ill. All jewels worn. The work was exemplified in a splendid manner and I was justly proud of these officers of my own Chapter. We have a friendly and hospitable Chapter with a very gracious and capable Worthy Matron, who is ably assisted by an earnest Worthy Patron and efficient officers. Excellent Masonic support. I sincerely thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor conferred upon my Chapter and pleasure of being the first Grand Officer in my Chapter. I deeply appreciate the love and loyalty of my dear Worthy Matron, officers, and members. They have truly made this a very happy year.

OLIVETTE CHAPTER NO. 503.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted August 13, 1928. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, April 25, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 9; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 103. In commercial bank account, \$450.50. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6;

Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M., all officers in their stations. All jewels worn. A very happy and harmonious Chapter with officers and members working together for the good of all. A sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and earnest corps of officers who exemplify the work in a very splendid manner. It has been an honor to serve the home Chapter of our gracious Past Grand Matron, Sister Myra Clare Moyse, and I sincerely thank her, the officers and members of this Chapter for their courtesy and co-operation at all times.

HOLLY VISTA CHAPTER NO. 517.

Location, West Hollywood. Instituted August 6, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 81. In commercial bank account, \$133.40. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Books kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present excepting Secretary. All jewels worn, a very progressive and friendly Chapter with a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and earnest group of officers, anxious to do good work at all times. Good attendance. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter and I sincerely appreciate their friendliness and goodwill.

WIL-BREA CHAPTER NO. 520.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted May 3, 1930. Chartered October 22, 1930. Date of visit, May 13, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated, 6. Total membership, 63. In commercial bank account, \$298.64. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and all jewels worn. This is a growing friendly Chapter with a very sincere and earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and a splendid group of officers who exemplify their work in an impressive manner. I sincerely thank the officers and members of this delightful Chapter for their wonderful co-operation and the many courtesies extended to me. It has been a pleasure to serve them.

DISTRICT No. 43.

Report of Mrs. Edna Frances Faires, D. G. M.

PALESTINE CHAPTER NO. 210.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted March 7, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit April 7, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 9; suspended, 4; died, 5. Total membership, 425. In savings bank account, \$895.14. In commercial bank account, \$304.23. Total cash, \$1199.37. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. *General condition of Chapter: Excellent.* Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present, also a splendid group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons and many members. The officers exemplified the work in a most creditable manner and the usual atmosphere of love and harmony which I have found pervades this Chapter was much in evidence. This is the home Chapter of our esteemed Past Grand Patron, Brother Raymond H. Griest, and his beloved wife, Sister Margie Griest, and it has added greatly to the pleasure of this year of service to have the Deputy Grand Matron in their own Chapter. A splendid corps of officers and very sincere and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron.

UTOPIA CHAPTER NO. 441.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted March 9, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, June 1, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 15; suspended, 12; died, 2. Total membership, 125. In savings bank account, \$6.07. In commercial bank account, \$288.08. In Charity Account, \$300.96. Total cash, \$595.11. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. *General condition of Chapter: Very good.* Chapter opened at 8:05 o'clock with all officers present and their work was beautifully done. Due to sorrow visited upon this Chapter by the untimely death of their beloved Worthy Matron, the advancing officers had been installed only one month prior to my official visit. The newly installed Worthy Matron as well as the remainder of the officers are to be highly commended for their splendid work. Much credit is also due the Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members for their untiring efforts in carrying on so bravely. I am certain that with such earnest and efficient presiding officers this Chapter will continue to grow and prosper.

LARCHMONT CHAPTER NO. 463.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted May 7, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, April 13, 1932. Initiated, 7; dimitted, 7; suspended, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 161. In commercial bank account, \$181.52. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly by the very fine Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their excellent corps of officers exemplifying the work in a most impressive and commendable manner. The spirit of hospitality and good fellowship that exists in this Chapter is felt by all who pass within their doors. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal in their support of the officers and Chapter. It has been a source of great pleasure to work with these splendid members of the Order.

ROSELAND CHAPTER NO. 465.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 28, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 6; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 5; suspended, 10. Total membership, 115. In commercial bank account, \$319.74. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron presided in a most gracious manner. The Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members of this Chapter are very congenial, working in a harmonious spirit for the growth and prosperity of their Chapter and the pleasure of those who visit with them. They are fortunate in having many talented members who give unstintingly of their arts.

MILROSI CHAPTER NO. 466.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted July 29, 1926. Chartered October 29, 1926. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 1; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 120. In commercial bank account, \$317.87. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This is my home Chapter of which I am justly proud. All officers present. The work was splendidly given. This charming and capable Worthy Matron assisted by her fine Worthy Patron enjoys the loyalty and support of an enthusiastic group of officers and members. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are devoted and conscientious workers.

Words are inadequate to express my thanks to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor she has given me in being the first Grand Officer appointed in Melrose Chapter; and the joy and happiness that has been mine in serving as Deputy Grand Matron for her this year. To my Worthy Matron, officers and members of Melrose Chapter, who have added so greatly to my already large store of kindnesses from my Chapter, I am sincerely grateful. "So long as we love we serve. So long as we are loved by others we are indispensable and no one is useless while he has a friend." It is my earnest desire that in my year of service to our beautiful Order, I have instilled the principals for which it stands, helped to make another's way more pleasant and radiated the love that has so bountifully been shown to me.

MALTA CHAPTER NO. 475.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted January 21, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 15, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 6; dimitted, 1; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 150. In savings bank account, \$41.50. In commercial bank account, \$251.91. Total cash, \$293.41. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: All officers present. The Worthy Matron is charming and capable as a presiding officer and this Chapter may well be proud of her. The Worthy Patron and all officers are doing very good work and are earnest and sincere in their efforts for the up-building of their Chapter. A hospitable and harmonious spirit prevails and the officers and Chapter receive the loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons

BETHEL CHAPTER NO. 476.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 9, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 27, 1932. Initiated, 18; dimitted, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 127. In commercial bank account, \$242.88. Condition of books: Very good. Minutes excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at the appointed time with all officers present. The Worthy Matron and the Worthy Patron gave the work in an earnest and sincere manner as did the other officers. Much credit is due the Worthy Matron for her splendid efforts in her work for her Chapter.

MAJESTIC CHAPTER NO. 480.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted April 12, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 6; suspended, 1; died, 3. Total membership, 205. In commercial bank account, \$380.81. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter was opened in excellent form with the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron presiding in their usual gracious manner. The Worthy Matron and all officers rendered the work in a way of which I am most proud. This Chapter is composed of a sincere group of members of the Order who are devoted to their officers and has the support of their Past Matrons and Past Patrons. They have shown themselves willing and anxious for instruction and I have been very happy to work with them.

DISTRICT No. 44.

Report of Mrs. Pearle Elane Bosserman, D. G. M.

ACACIA CHAPTER No. 21.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted March 14, 1876. Chartered October 17, 1876. Date of visit, April 2, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 7; reinstated, 4; dimitted, 17; suspended, 7; died, 10. Total membership, 510. In savings bank account, \$2000. In commercial bank account, \$777.49. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$300. In Fidelity Savings & Loan, \$1500. In Bush Fund, \$16,939.71. In So. Cal. Bldg. & Loan Certificates, \$1500. Total cash and investments, \$23,017.20. Condition of books: Very good. Very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened on time with all officers present. An additional \$250 is on deposit in Security First National Bank from the will of Bro. August Wackerbarth which can only be used (interest and principal) for the furnishings in an Eastern Star Home for Acacia members. The Worthy Matron is sincere and desirous of pleasing, and the officers are enthusiastic in their effort to assist in every way, loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

ESPERANZA CHAPTER NO. 167.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 11, 1899. Chartered October 18, 1899. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 14; died, 5. Total member-

ship, 401. In savings bank account, \$2014.33. In commercial bank account, \$455.43. Total cash, \$2469.76. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except the Warder who was absent because of illness. A very sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron striving to do good work and very loyal officers, all interested in the welfare of their Chapter. Good support from their Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The home Chapter of Sister Mattie Charette, Past Grand Treasurer.

LOS ANGELES CHAPTER NO. 168.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 14, 1899. Chartered October 18, 1899. Date of visit, April 4, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 20; suspended, 16. Total membership, 466. In savings bank account, \$2366.43. In commercial bank account, \$1900.36. Total cash, \$4266.84. Condition of books: Excellent. Beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened on time, all officers present except the Conductress and Chaplain who were absent because of illness. This Chapter guided by a most efficient Worthy Matron and a splendid corps of officers, doing excellent work. Good support by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Very courteous to visitors. The home Chapter of Past Grand Matron, Maude Bigelow Sibley and Past Grand Patron, W. Frank Holman whose interest and support are much apparent.

PACIFIC CHAPTER NO. 192.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted March 23, 1901. Chartered October 16, 1901. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 10; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 6; suspended, 4; died, 5. Total membership, 234. In Special savings bank account, \$557.65. In State Mutual Bldg. & Loan Assn., \$1700. Total cash and investments, \$2257.65. Condition of books: Splendid. A most capable and efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present. A very gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are presiding. A fine spirit of good fellowship and happiness is manifested in this, my home Chapter. Officers very courteous to me and sincere in their efforts to do good work. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal in their

attendance, ready to assist in any way at all times. I deeply appreciate the honor our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, has given to my Chapter and the privilege given me to serve her as a Deputy Grand Matron this year. I thank my Chapter most sincerely for all their favors and for the love and loyalty shown me by all the officers. I am grateful. Home Chapter of Past Grand Treasurer, Sister Mildred C. Blair.

GOLDEN STATE CHAPTER NO. 298.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted December 22, 1910. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 7; dimitted, 12; suspended, 4; died, 2. Total membership, 332. In savings bank account, \$2950.79. In commercial bank account, \$375.12. In Charity Fund (Savings), \$533.87. In Charity Fund, \$50.96. Total cash and investments, \$3910.74. Condition of books: Excellent. A very splendid Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A very progressive Chapter under the leadership of a conscientious and gracious Worthy Matron, ably assisted in every way by an efficient Worthy Patron. Officers anxious for instruction, giving splendid support to their Chapter. Fine attendance by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Hospitable and gracious to visitors.

ROSE CROIX CHAPTER NO. 317.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted March 10, 1913. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, May 26, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 6; reinstated, 6; dimitted, 10; suspended, 44; died, 2. Total membership, 382. In savings bank account, \$1597.48. In commercial bank account, \$453.13. Total cash, 2050.61. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 7:30 P. M., all officers present. A very efficient Worthy Matron who has the loyal support of her officers and members. Her loving attention to the sick and distressed has endeared her to all. Splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The home Chapter of our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin. I feel that it has been a great honor to serve her Chapter this year. I greatly appreciate the courtesy and hospitality shown me on my visits. I especially appreciate the encouragement and loving kindness shown me by Bro. James McGiffin, husband of our Elsie, and true friend to all.

ARLINGTON CHAPTER NO. 418.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted November 17, 1923. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, April 15, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 10; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 234. In savings bank account, \$1149.60. In commercial bank account, \$245.13. Total cash, \$1394.73. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and the work was very well done. This splendid Chapter is supported by a most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. A spirit of harmony and good fellowship prevails. The home Chapter of Sister Flora Osterholt, Grand Martha, who has joined the officers and other members in making my association with them most pleasant.

MENORAH CHAPTER NO. 497.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 16, 1928. Chartered October 19, 1928. Date of visit, May 6, 1932. Initiated, 20; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 200. In commercial bank account, \$1103.87. In Eastern Star Pasadena Home, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$1203.87. Condition of books: Exceptionally well kept. Minutes beautifully written. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A wonderful Chapter presided over by a capable and charming Worthy Matron. Very splendid officers, eager to do perfect work and keenly interested in the welfare of their Chapter. Especial mention must be given to their charitable work. Any undertaking successfully carried out. Good attendance of members particularly brothers.

DISTRICT No. 45.

Report of Mrs. Jean Hawn, D. G. M.

EAGLE ROCK CHAPTER NO. 313.

Location, Eagle Rock. Instituted July 29, 1912. Chartered October 16, 1912. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 8; suspended, 13; died, 2. Total membership, 257. In savings bank account, \$45.00. In commercial bank account, \$384.42. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$600. In O. E. S. Home Fund,

\$100. Total cash and investments, \$1129.42. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. Officers doing good work and making every effort to promote the welfare of the Chapter. Very hospitable. Good support from Past officers. The home Chapter of our Grand Organist, Sister Gertrude Rose.

EAST GATE CHAPTER NO. 225.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 11, 1905. Chartered October 18, 1905. Date of visit, April 26, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 20; suspended, 11; died, 6. Total membership, 442. In savings bank account, \$2,662.62. In commercial bank account, \$868.23. Total cash and investments, \$3,530.85. Condition of books: Good, well and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. All officers present. An efficient corps of officers; work well rendered. Splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons; loyal Masonic support; harmony and hospitality their motto. The home Chapter of our beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Cora Spring Holland.

HIGHLAND PARK CHAPTER NO. 263.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted January 13, 1908. Chartered October 21, 1908. Date of visit, May 12, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 6; suspended, 2; died, 3. Total membership, 392. In savings bank account, \$816.37. In commercial bank account, \$622.91. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$150.00. In Note, \$50.00. In Flower Fund, \$13.20. Total cash and investments, \$1,652.48. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. A good corps of officers, striving to do good work, led by a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Good attendance of enthusiastic members, past officers are always present and take pride in the earnest and excellent work of the officers. I deem it an honor to be a Past Matron of Highland Park Chapter. All officers were present except the Warder, because of illness.

GARVANZA CHAPTER NO. 266.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 7, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated,

3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 8; died, 2. Total membership, 212. In savings bank account, \$252.54. In commercial bank account, \$377.56. In San Joaquin Irrigation Bonds, \$300.00. Total cash and investments, \$930.10. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock, all officers being present except the organist who was ill. A capable corps of officers trying to do good work, very friendly and hospitable. Good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons, also good Masonic support.

AMERICA CHAPTER NO. 408.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 16, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, April 15, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 8; suspended, 1; died, 4. Total membership, 194. In savings bank account, \$1,089.75. In commercial bank account, \$274.03. Total cash, \$1,363.78. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present except Associate Patron. Ritualistic and floor work beautifully rendered, very particular in detail work. Good attendance; harmony and good fellowship everywhere. Good support from Past officers.

EL SERENO CHAPTER NO. 430.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 2, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 123. In savings bank account, \$216.30. In commercial bank account, \$284.55. In Social Fund, \$74.82. Total cash, \$575.67. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present. Earnest, sincere officers, all aiming for perfection in their work; generous hospitality shown visitors. Wonderful support from general membership. Good Masonic support.

GLASSELL PARK CHAPTER NO. 486.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted July 13, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 6; dimitted, 4; Total membership, 194. In savings bank account, \$433.67. In com-

mercial bank account, \$276.99. (In U. S. closed bank, \$1631.44). Total cash and investments, \$710.66. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except the Worthy Matron who is in a Sanitorium recovering from illness. Excellent and efficient corps of officers doing good work. Splendid support from Past officers. A most generous hospitality shown.

ATWATER CHAPTER NO. 522.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 17, 1930. Chartered October 22, 1930. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; dismissed, 2. Total membership, 43. In commercial bank account, \$295.97. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers being present. Efficient corps of officers, striving to do good work. Good support from the membership. Chapter is presided over by a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron.

DISTRICT No. 46.

Report of Mrs. Ethel Grace Pembroke, D. G. M.

ORIENTAL CHAPTER NO. 258.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted September 6, 1907. Chartered October 7, 1907. Date of visit, February 16, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dismissed, 5. Total membership, 326. In savings bank account, \$2021.80. In commercial bank account, \$239.43. Total cash, \$2,261.23. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. Friendship and hospitality prevail; and a large supporting number of Past Matrons and Past Patrons always ready to help the Worthy Matron makes this a fact worthy of mention. There are fine line officers to keep up the splendid standard of this Chapter, and the work was exemplified by all the officers in a creditable manner.

DAYLIGHT CHAPTER NO. 265.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 6, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 14;

reinstated, 1; dimitted, 5; suspended, 9; died, 12. Total membership, 422. In savings bank account, \$1025.82. In commercial bank account, \$1954.46. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$3030.28. Condition of books: Efficient Secretary. Books nicely kept and very systematic. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 1:00 P. M. and the absence of Associate Matron and Adah noted. All phases of the work were well done, with the able assistance of a fine organist. This Worthy Matron is very capable and has the welfare of her Chapter at heart, with the strong support of her Worthy Patron and officers, whose gracious manner of accepting instruction is doubly appreciated. Large attendance and loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons helped make this a delightful afternoon.

WEST LAKE CHAPTER NO. 268.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 22, 1908. Chartered October 21, 1908. Date of visit, May 24, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 5; reinstated, 4; dimitted, 14; suspended, 7; died, 6. Total membership, 356. In commercial bank account, \$656.06. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$800. Total cash and investments, \$1456.06. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This is my home Chapter, of which I am justly proud and this year a gracious and efficient Worthy Matron directs a splendid corps of officers, each trying to live the principles of our beautiful order in a most successful manner. The work was exceedingly well done, and all officers were present. The Worthy Patron gave his work with a dignity befitting his station. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal and staunch, always ready to serve and help make each year a success. West Lake Chapter is much honored in having for its members Sister Elizabeth B. Wheeler, Past Grand Matron, and Brothers D. W. Pierce and Russell B. La Fontaine, Past Grand Patrons, also Sister Bess A. Pierce, Past Grand Treasurer. The evening of my official visit will remain in my book of sweet memories, and I deeply appreciate the spirit of love, kind thoughts and friendships with which I have always been supported, making this an honor and pleasure to serve them.

PLEIADES CHAPTER NO. 281.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted January 30, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, April 6, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 9; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership,

253. In Special savings account, \$2213.21. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with the Marshal absent, on account of illness. The officers exemplified the work in a most creditable manner. Here is a most charming Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a corps of officers always eager for instruction, and full of zeal to make their Chapter one of high rank. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a real pleasure to serve this friendly and courteous Chapter. This is the home Chapter of our Grand Sentinel, Brother Reuben O. Bourne.

SUNBEAM CHAPTER NO. 376.

Location. Los Angeles. Instituted June 2, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 8; suspended, 10; died, 3. Total membership, 487. In savings bank account, \$2782.78. In commercial bank account, \$794.06. Savings account, \$247.54. Charity Fund, \$242.56. Total cash, \$4066.94. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 1:10 P. M. and the work was very well exemplified by officers, who are most anxious to attain efficiency. All were present except the Warder. Here is a corps of very splendid officers, headed by a capable and efficient Worthy Matron, with high ideals, working earnestly for the betterment of her Chapter. A splendid organist, and a large attendance of members, and a splendid group of Past Matrons present.

NIMSHI CHAPTER NO. 424.

Location. Los Angeles. Instituted February 9, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, April 13, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 6; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 285. In savings bank account, \$835.89. In commercial bank account, \$240.76. In Charity Fund, \$282.22. Total cash, \$1,358.87. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A very pleasing Worthy Matron, assisted by an efficient Worthy Patron and co-operating officers, much interested in their work, who exemplified the work in a most pleasing manner, with the aid of a splendid organist. I have enjoyed my association with the officers and members of this hospitable Chapter.

BEACON RAY CHAPTER NO. 495.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 14, 1928. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 92. In savings bank account, \$323.05. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present, and all the work was exemplified in a splendid manner. *Although this is comparatively a small Chapter, the members make up for it in their enthusiasm and co-operation, supporting a very capable and hard working Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Strong Masonic support.*

COMPOSITE CHAPTER NO. 498.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted January 21, 1928. Chartered October 8, 1928. Date of visit, May 12, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 99. In commercial bank account, \$162.12. Condition of books: Good, neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fine. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. and the work was very well done. Warder, Organist and Esther were absent. This is quite an up and doing little Chapter, headed by an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a fine supporting corps of good officers, of whom I cannot speak too highly in my appreciation of the courteous attention always shown me at all times. A delightful evening, good attendance, excellent music and keen attention all helps to make the serving of this Chapter, a pleasure.

DISTRICT No. 47.

Report of Mrs. Rosie Brock Roemer, D. G. M.

SOUTH GATE CHAPTER NO. 133.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted January 9, 1895. Chartered November, 19, 1895. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 10; dimitted, 29; suspended, 37; died, 6. Total membership, 676. In savings bank account, \$554.38. In commercial bank account, \$940. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1000. In Edison Stock, \$1350. Total cash and investments, \$3,844.38. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter

opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by an excellent corps of officers striving at all times for perfection. Unusual support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons and Masonic Brothers. Excellent music. This is my own beloved Chapter of which I am justly proud, no effort has been spared by my Worthy Matron and her officers to make this a memorable year for me. I deeply appreciate and am very grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter. This year of service to my Chapter will be filled with pleasant memories. I thank our lovely Matron and her officers for the many courtesies extended to me this year. This is the home Chapter of our dearly beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Maud D. Bradley, I thank you Sister Maud for your many courtesies to me.

SUNSET CHAPTER NO. 216.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted September 16, 1903. Chartered October 13, 1903. Date of visit, April 26, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 10; suspended, 8; died, 5. Total membership, 237. In savings bank account, \$139.78. In commercial bank account, \$488.93. In Mortgage Guarantee, \$1250. Mortgage Guarantee (Open account), \$78.01. Total cash and investments, \$1956.72. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. A most lovable, efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, an excellent corps of officers rendering their work in a most efficient manner. Very good attendance. Strong support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Members interested in all affairs of the Chapter. Visitors are always assured a most cordial welcome. It has been a privilege and a pleasure to work with these lovely officers, I thank you all for your many courtesies.

LOYALTY CHAPTER NO. 217.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted September 25, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 9; died, 2. Total membership, 527. In savings bank account, \$5,027.33. In commercial bank account, \$2221.75. Total cash, \$7249.08. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. A most lovable, efficient

Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. Very efficient officers who are particular in every detail, doing perfect work. Too much praise cannot be given them, an exceptionally fine organist. It has been a joy and a great pleasure to instruct these officers. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. All members keenly interested in affairs of the Chapter. Sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron and their officers.

SILOAM CHAPTER NO. 406.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted April 11, 1923. Chartered October 22, 1923. Date of visit, February 18, 1932. Initiated, 4; dimitted, 4; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 193. In savings bank account, \$540.34. In commercial bank account, \$214.77. Total cash, \$755.11. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. Splendid music. A fine corps of officers and a sincere and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, working diligently for the upbuilding of their Chapter. All work splendidly exemplified by an interested and sincere group of officers. I appreciate very much the many courtesies shown me by the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron and all officers. It has been a joy and a pleasure to work with them. Strong support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

WEST ADAMS CHAPTER NO. 411.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted July 28, 1923. Chartered October 19, 1923. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 5; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 3; died, 4. Total membership, 198. In savings bank account, \$1,785.81. In commercial bank account, \$25.24. Masonic Hall Bonds, \$450. Eastern Star Home Fund, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$2,361.05. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. A prosperous and harmonious Chapter. Very cordial and capable Worthy Matron, proficient and helpful Worthy Patron. Strong support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The work beautifully given by a splendid group of interested officers. The gracious hospitality of the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, officers and members of this splendid Chapter to me has been deeply appreciated. I also appreciate their many courtesies.

IONIC CHAPTER NO. 446.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted April 27, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 5, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 7; suspended, 11; died, 1. Total membership, 214. In savings bank account, \$166.30. In commercial bank account, \$223.23. Total cash, \$389.53. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present except Worthy Patron. A competent Worthy Matron doing all in her power to promote peace and harmony, with a corps of efficient officers always eager for instruction, doing very good work. I am truly grateful for the friendship and many courtesies extended to me by the Worthy Matron and officers, and members of Ionic Chapter. My official visit, my last one, was a happy climax and I shall never forget that most wonderful evening. Many thanks to you all.

HENRY S. ORME CHAPTER NO. 492.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted May 14, 1928. Chartered October 7, 1928. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 6; suspended, 5. Total membership, 145. In commercial bank account, \$1003.86. Cash, \$98.86. Total cash, \$1102.72. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A most lovable, efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. Very efficient officers who are particular in every detail, doing perfect work. Splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons and Masonic Brothers. It has been a pleasure to instruct these officers and they were always most thoughtful and kind to me which I sincerely appreciate. A spirit of friendliness and generous hospitality is radiated in this growing Chapter at all times. I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the Worthy Matron and her lovely officers.

BETSY ROSS CHAPTER NO. 518.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted August 7, 1929. Chartered October 17, 1929. Date of visit, March 16, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 3. Total membership, 77. In commercial bank account, \$136.67. Note, \$40. Total cash and investments, \$176.67. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General

condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. Splendid music. A sweet and gracious Worthy Matron and a capable and conscientious Worthy Patron have accomplished an advancement of happy fraternalism. They have the co-operation of a splendid corps of officers who are anxious to do perfect work. It has been a joy and a pleasure to work with this lovely Matron and Patron and their splendid officers. I appreciate your warm hospitality and many courtesies to me. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

DISTRICT No. 48.

Report of Mrs. Cora M. Roberts, D. G. M.

GLEN EYRIE CHAPTER NO. 237.

Location. Glendale. Instituted March 22, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 10; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 15; suspended, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 416. In savings bank account, \$45.28. In commercial bank account, \$666.18. In Masonic Hall Loan Assn., \$1,000. Total cash and investments, \$1711.46. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A gracious and sincere Worthy Matron and proficient Worthy Patron create an atmosphere of warm hospitality in this fine Chapter. A loyal corps of officers doing very good work. I am deeply appreciative of the cordial welcome extended to me.

VAN NUYS CHAPTER NO. 338.

Location. Van Nuys. Instituted September 10, 1915. Chartered October 20, 1915. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated, 10; dimitted, 7; suspended, 10; died, 1. Total membership, 286. In savings bank account, \$765.65. In commercial bank account, \$297.39. In Charity Fund, \$57.28. In Home Assn. Account, \$75. Total cash and investments, \$1195.82. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A most efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. Splendid corps of officers doing exceptionally good work. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Patron, Bert Richard Holloway, where he is held in high esteem. I have thoroughly enjoyed my association with this Chapter and appreciate their many courtesies to me.

BURBANK CHAPTER NO. 352.

Location, Burbank. Instituted March 31, 1919. Chartered October 22, 1919. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 11; suspended, 9; died, 2. Total membership, 268. In commercial bank account, \$330.27. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:04 P. M. with all officers present. A charming Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron head this splendid Chapter. All officers work well exemplified. Loyal support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It is always a real pleasure to visit this fine Chapter.

SAN FERNANDO CHAPTER NO. 398.

Location, San Fernando. Instituted September 30, 1922. Chartered October 20, 1922. Date of visit, March 18, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 8; suspended, 3; died, 1. Total membership, 220. In commercial bank account, \$363.40. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present except the Marshal. A most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and a fine corps of officers rendering their work in a most efficient manner. Very good attendance of members. It has been a privilege to serve this fine Chapter.

IANKERSHIM CHAPTER NO. 403.

Location, North Hollywood. Instituted January 16, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 16; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 6; suspended, 12; died, 1. Total membership, 313. In commercial bank account, \$492.35. In Eastern Star Home Membership, \$100., Total cash and investments, \$592.35. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Secretary. A most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a fine corps of officers, all doing very good work. Good Masonic support. I have appreciated the many courtesies and am sincerely grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron, Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor conferred upon our Chapter, which enabled me to serve as Deputy Grand Matron.

GLENDALE CHAPTER NO. 422.

Location, Glendale. Instituted January 19, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, April 16, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 12; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 10; suspended, 10; died, 1. Total membership, 373. In savings bank account, \$1131.55. In commercial bank account, \$551.21. Total cash, 1682.76. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:10 with all officers present. A most efficient Worthy Matron and an excellent Worthy Patron, loyally supported by a fine corps of officers, doing splendid work. Fine attendance of members and splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Exceptionally fine musician. I have appreciated the many kindnesses extended to me.

TUJUNGA CHAPTER NO. 445.

Location, Tujunga. Instituted April 20, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, March 3, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 127. In savings bank account, \$108. In commercial bank account, \$350.40. Total cash, \$458.40. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Organist. This little Chapter radiates the true spirit of fellowship and hospitality. Despite the handicap of having been temporarily deprived of their funds, through the closing of the local bank, they have carried on under the capable and inspiring leadership of their Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. I am sincerely grateful for the many loving courtesies shown me.

CANOGA CHAPTER NO. 452.

Location, Canoga Park. Instituted July 1, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; suspended, 3. Total membership, 112. In commercial bank account, \$121.39. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Martha. Fine co-operation received by a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron from officers and members of this Chapter. The work was exemplified in a very cred-

itable manner. My work with this Chapter has been very pleasant and I appreciate their kindness to me at all times.

CRESCENTA VALLEY CHAPTER NO. 494.

Location, Montrose. Instituted June 4, 1928. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, May 2, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 3. Total membership, 76. In savings bank account, \$52.10. In commercial bank account, \$130.85. Total cash, \$182.95. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fine. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. Delightful hospitality existing and visitors always assured a cordial welcome. Charming Worthy Matron and genial Worthy Patron supported by a corps of officers doing very good work. I truly appreciate all the courtesies extended to me by the officers and members of this lovely Chapter. *

RESEDA CHAPTER NO. 505.

Location, Reseda. Instituted April 1, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, May 16, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 4; suspended, 2. Total membership, 82. In commercial bank account, \$556.20. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fine. Chapter opened at 8:10 with all officers present. The officers of this Chapter show a fine spirit of co-operation with a most enthusiastic Worthy Matron and a capable Worthy Patron. I have enjoyed greatly my association with this thriving little Chapter.

DISTRICT No. 49.

Report of Mrs. Clara T. Smith, D. G. M.

PASADENA CHAPTER NO. 108.

Location, Pasadena. Instituted June 26, 1890. Chartered October 20, 1890. Date of visit, April 15, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 58; suspended, 10; died, 14. Total membership, 680. In commercial bank account, \$950.05. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1580. In Masonic Temple Assn., \$367.50. In California Security Loan Corp., \$200. Total cash and investments, \$3097.55. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus

and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. A very gracious Worthy Matron and fine Worthy Patron, with an efficient and lovely group of officers. The ritualistic work was beautifully given. Many social activities with a good attendance. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present.

MONROVIA CHAPTER NO. 227.

Location, Monrovia. Instituted April 12, 1905. Chartered October 18, 1905. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 5; re-instated, 2; dimitted, 22; suspended, 6; died, 3. Total membership, 304. In commercial bank account, \$260.99. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2100. Total cash and investments, \$2360.99. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A homelike and cordial Chapter led by a sincere and loyal Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid officers and fine Masonic support. A lovely spirit of hospitality prevails among a happy membership. Wonderful support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

SOUTH PASADENA CHAPTER NO. 272.

Location, South Pasadena. Instituted March 28, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, May 12, 1932. Initiated, 28; affiliated, 11; dimitted, 19; died, 3. Total membership, 325. In savings bank account, \$240.75. In commercial bank account, \$877. Total cash, \$1117.75. Condition of books. Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. A gracious Worthy Matron and loyal Worthy Patron, with a well chosen corps of officers interested in their Chapter and doing fine work. A wonderful pipe organ played beautifully adds much to the enjoyment of the initiatory work. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A real pleasure to give instruction to so interested a group.

SOUTHLAND CHAPTER NO. 307.

Location, Pasadena. Instituted January 12, 1912. Chartered October 17, 1912. Date of visit, February 16, 1932. Initiated, 18; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 13; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 319. In savings bank account, \$328. In commercial bank account, \$45.34. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$300. In 1932 Home Fund, \$64. Total cash

and investments, \$737.34. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. An efficient and gracious Worthy Matron and delightful and helpful Worthy Patron. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A wonderful interest is shown by the members, and the Past Matrons and Past Patrons are loyal and active. This is my home Chapter and I am proud of the splendid work of the officers. I greatly appreciate the courtesies and kindness shown me at all times, and I hope to be worthy of the friendship and faith of my Chapter members.

MELITA CHAPTER NO. 467.

Location. Pasadena. Instituted July 30, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, May 20, 1932. Initiated, 18; affiliated, 15; dimitted, 8; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 221. In commercial bank account, \$848.59. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. A cordial and delightful Worthy Matron and a proficient and helpful Worthy Patron. Officers working in harmony and the members loyal and active. Past Matrons and Past Patrons show wonderful interest. Many social affairs and a fine hospitality shown to visitors.

LAMANDA PARK CHAPTER NO. 473.

Location. Pasadena. Instituted November 20, 1926. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, May 11, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 137. In commercial bank account, \$75.40. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, with all officers present. An enthusiastic and delightful Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by loyal officers interested in the Chapter. Good Masonic support and also fine support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. True spirit of fraternity is felt and visitors enjoy the cordial hospitality shown.

ALTADENA CHAPTER NO. 526.

Location. Altadena. Instituted March 14, 1931. Chartered October 1931. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 13. Total membership, 66. In commercial bank account, \$298.78. Condition

of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. This is the youngest Chapter in my district, but very progressive and anxious to become one hundred per cent perfect. An enthusiastic and active Worthy Maron and Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid line of officers. Members attend faithfully and show delightful hospitality to the many visitors. Fine Masonic support. Practically all dues paid.

DISTRICT No. 50.

Report of Mrs. Edna May Bolz, D. G. M.

LEXINGTON CHAPTER NO. 172.

Location. El Monte. Instituted July 18, 1899. Chartered October 18, 1899. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 3; died, 3. Total membership, 212. In savings bank account, \$76.87. In commercial bank account, \$194.12. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$320. Total cash and investments, \$590.99. Condition of books: Very good and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: This splendid Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with a very sincere and capable corps of officers exemplifying the work in a most gratifying manner. A most efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron add grace and dignity to their respective stations. This is a very friendly Chapter and hospitable to visitors at all times.

ALHAMBRA CHAPTER NO. 193.

Location. Alhambra. Instituted March 25, 1901. Chartered October 16, 1901. Date of visit, May 17, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 4; dimitted, 25; suspended, 14; died, 4. Total membership, 407. In savings bank account, \$437.16. In commercial bank account, \$760.81. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$500. In Mutual Bldg. & Loan Certificates, \$595. Total cash and investments, \$2292.97. Condition of books: All books neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Harmony and loyalty to the principles of our Order are evident in this Chapter at all times. This is the home Chapter of our most beloved Past Grand Patron, "Daddie" Cartwright, who has been ill for sometime and we were happy that he was able to be with us on the night of my official visit. All Ritualistic work beautifully rendered by a corps of officers who take great pride in doing work

well. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are most efficient and capable in all Chapter work.

SIERRA MADRE CHAPTER NO. 299.

Location. Sierra Madre. Instituted January 16, 1911. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, April 18, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 12; dimitted, 9; died, 3. Total membership, 97. In commercial bank account, \$62. In Masonic Note, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$562. Condition of books: Splendid condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock on the night of my official visit with a splendid corps of officers doing good work. A most friendly spirit prevails and a cordial hospitality awaits all visitors. A loyal group of Past Matrons showing interest in Chapters welfare. A gracious Worthy Matron loyally supported by a very efficient Worthy Patron.

RAMONA STAR CHAPTER NO. 367.

Location. Monterey Park. Instituted September 15, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, April 16, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 4; suspended, 9; died, 3. Total membership, 274. In savings bank account, \$36.18. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1000. Total cash and investments, \$1036.18. (Commercial bank account when doors closed, \$389.71. Savings account, 31.72. Total, \$421.43). Condition of books: Very neat and in good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and under the guidance of a most conscientious Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron the work was beautifully exemplified by a very capable corps of officers. This Chapter was unfortunate in having its money in a bank that closed its doors, but with a co-operative membership they are progressing in a most creditable manner. This is a very friendly Chapter and every one made welcome.

SAN GABRIEL CHAPTER NO. 407.

Location. San Gabriel. Instituted April 27, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, May 13, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 144. In savings bank account, \$278.87. In commercial bank account, \$420.44. In Eastern Star Home Fund, \$116.36. Total cash and investments, \$815.67. Condition of

books: All books neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6: Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock on the night of my official visit with all officers present. Harmony and unity prevail in this progressive Chapter. Officers conscientious and capable giving Ritualistic work in a very fine manner, under the leadership of a very gracious and tactful Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron. Loyal Masonic support. Fraternal spirit predominates and cordial hospitality greets all visitors.

GRANADA CHAPTER NO. 442.

Location. Alhambra. Instituted March 25, 1925. Chartered October 20, 1925. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 147. In commercial bank account, \$417.05. In Secretary's hands, \$59.67. In Edison Stock, \$1175. Bldg. Loan, \$169.53. Total cash and investments, \$1821.25. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock sharp on the night of my official visit and the work exemplified in a very efficient and creditable manner. A very enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron deeply interested in the harmony and prosperity of the Chapter and supported by a splendid corps of officers. Delightful social spirit and generous hospitality prevails in the Chapter.

TEMPLE CITY CHAPTER NO. 448.

Location, Temple City. Instituted May 7, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 5, 1932. Initiated, 2; dimitted, 4; suspended, 5; died, 2. Total membership, 118. In savings bank account, \$100. In commercial bank account, \$248.16. Total cash, \$348.16. Condition of books: Neat and well kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present, a most efficient corps of officers and exemplifying the work in a very impressive and creditable manner. Hospitality is generously extended to all. Officers and members of this Chapter are happy in their beautiful new Temple and are working harmoniously together under the guidance of an earnest and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid co-operation of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

ARCADIA CHAPTER NO. 471.

Location, Arcadia. Instituted August 18, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, May 24, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 131. In commercial bank account. \$404.17. Condition of books: All books neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The spirit of friendliness and hospitality is always found in this Chapter. Members, officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons are loyal in their support. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. A very conscientious Worthy Matron supported by a loyal proficient Worthy Patron and a sincere and efficient corps of officers exemplified the work in a very beautiful and most creditable manner. This is my home Chapter of which I am justly proud and I am deeply grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and for the privilege as Deputy Grand Matron to render service to the 50th District.

DISTRICT No. 51.

Report of Mrs. Myrtle B. Schroeder, D. G. M.

MONETA CHAPTER NO. 315.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted November 30, 1912. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 18, affiliated, 3; dimitted, 9; suspended, 6; died, 3. Total membership, 411. In commercial bank account. \$639.76. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$1000. Total cash and investments, \$1639.76. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 7:30 P. M. with all officers present except the Conductress, Secretary and Marshal. All jewels worn. A splendid corps of officers, sincere in their work with results most gratifying. A Worthy Patron who was elected to office just two meetings before my official visit exemplified his work in a very splendid manner. A most efficient Secretary. Wonderful co-operation of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support.

SUNNYSIDE CHAPTER NO. 436.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted December 15, 1924. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 5, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated,

2; dimitted, 11; suspended, 16; died, 2. Total membership, 228. In commercial bank account, \$661.40. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Associate Matron who has been quite ill. On the night of my official visit all work was exemplified in a very creditable manner, with a most lovable Worthy Matron and a genial Worthy Patron presiding. There is a splendid spirit of co-operation among officers and members alike, and always a friendly welcome for the strangers. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are always ready and willing to help and are a joy to each Worthy Matron. It has been a pleasure to instruct this lovely corps of officers who were very attentive at all times.

ASCOT CHAPTER NO. 437.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted January 30, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 6, 1932. Initiated, 20; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 6. Total membership, 217. In commercial bank account, \$501.78. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened on time. All officers present. A spirit of happiness and good fellowship is manifested in this, my home Chapter. A most gracious, efficient Worthy Matron and enthusiastic Worthy Patron presiding. They are supported by a loyal corps of officers who are sincere in their efforts to do good work and promote the Fraternal welfare of the Chapter. The Worthy Patron gives all his lectures in a most impressive manner. I deeply appreciate and am very grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor given to my Chapter and the great privilege given to me to be the first one in my beloved Chapter to serve her and this Grand Chapter of California, as Deputy Grand Matron of this district. I sincerely thank my Chapter members for the many favors shown me. Their kindness has made this a most happy year for me and one that will live forever in my memory. For the love and loyalty shown me by the officers and members I can only say "Thank you." It has been a rare privilege to serve as your Deputy Grand Matron.

SOUTH PARK CHAPTER NO. 443.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted March 26, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit April 8, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 2; suspended, 11; died, 2. Total membership, 265. In sav-

ings bank account, \$342.92. In commercial bank account, \$766.37. Total cash, \$1109.29. Condition of books: Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Balck Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. All jewels worn. A very efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. Very efficient officers who are particular in every detail, doing almost perfect work. An exceptionally fine organist who provides the Chapter at all times with excellent and appropriate music. Very good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support. Good attendance on the night of my official visit. It has been a real pleasure to instruct these officers who were most thoughtful of me as their Deputy Grand Matron, always being present and on time to their practices.

MANCHESTER CHAPTER NO. 449.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted May 18, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 4; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 218. In savings bank account, \$455.12. In commercial bank account, \$368.18. Total cash, \$823.30. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 7:00 P. M. with all officers present. All jewels worn. A proficient Worthy Matron and sincere and eager Worthy Patron supported by a splendid corps of officers, exemplifying the work in a very creditable manner on the night of my official visit. A very friendly and hospitable Chapter with a good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support. Good attendance and members interested in all affairs of the Chapter. Much credit is due the Worthy Matron for the splendid charity work she is doing this year.

FLORENCE CHAPTER NO. 477.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted February 12, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 4, 1932. Initiated, 23; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 2. Total membership, 150. In savings bank account, \$300. In commercial bank account, \$347.45. Total cash, \$647.45. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Worthy Patron, Associate Matron and Marshal. All jewels worn. A very conscientious corps of officers doing splendid

work. Very courteous to their Deputy Grand Matron at all times. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron striving to do good work among their members. Hearty co-operation of members, Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good Masonic support. It has been a pleasure to instruct these officers all being present and on time at all practices.

JORDAN CHAPTER NO. 500.

Location. Los Angeles. Instituted July 12, 1928. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, May 12, 1932. Initiated, 11; affiliated, 1; suspended, 4. Total membership, 107. In savings bank account, \$330.12. In commercial bank account, \$240.69. Total cash, \$570.81. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened on time with a pleasant and efficient Worthy Matron and a genial Worthy Patron presiding. A fine corps of officers exemplifying the work in a very capable manner. Good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons with a wonderful spirit of sociability and friendliness prevailing. All officers present and very sincere and earnest in their efforts to do good work. Very eager to receive instructions at all times. Good Masonic support.

ANGELES VISTA CHAPTER NO. 516.

Location. Los Angeles. Instituted August 23, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 108. In savings bank account, \$513.27. In commercial bank account, \$262.01. Total cash, \$775.28. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. Work well rendered by a very fine corps of officers. A very lovely and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and a capable Worthy Patron. A remarkable spirit of harmony and good fellowship existing. All instructions graciously received and the wonderful reception they accorded me on the night of my official visit will ever remain a sweet memory. It has been a real pleasure to serve as your Deputy Grand Matron. Good Masonic support. The officers were letter perfect in their work on this night.

DISTRICT No. 52.

Report of Mrs. Virginia Reber, D. G. M.

PEARL CHAPTER NO. 147.

Location, Compton. Instituted April 28, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 8; suspended, 6. Total membership, 271. In savings bank account, \$442.85. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$300. Total cash and investments, \$742.85. Condition of books: Very fine, neatly kept by an efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. A most sincere and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron assisted by a wonderful corps of officers doing splendid work. Very good Masonic support and co-operation of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

GARDENA CHAPTER NO. 260.

Location, Gardena. Instituted September 19, 1907. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, February 18, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 3; suspended, 4; died, 6. Total membership, 211. In savings bank account, \$172.25. In commercial bank account, \$187.90. In First Mortgage Loan, \$600. Total cash and investments, \$960.15. Condition of books: Excellent. Very capable Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. Very gracious and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with loyal corps of officers doing excellent work.

RISING LIGHT CHAPTER NO. 286.

Location, Huntington Park. Instituted May 24, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 9; dimitted, 28; suspended, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 431. In savings bank account, \$100.70. In commercial bank account, \$925.55. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$800. Total cash and investments, \$1926.25. Condition of books: Carefully and neatly kept. Very fine Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly at

8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. A prosperous Chapter under guidance of a capable and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Most cordial and interested corps of officers. Work was beautifully given.

YORK CHAPTER NO. 343.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted June 13, 1916. Chartered October 18, 1916. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; reinstated, 9; dimitted, 3; suspended, 18; died, 2. Total membership, 152. In commercial bank account, \$409.78. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$200. Total cash and investments, \$609.78. Condition of books: Accurately kept. Efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers and jewels present. Splendid corps of officers, showing keenest interest in their work which they exemplified in a very efficient manner. A most gracious and progressive Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron working for the welfare of the Chapter. This is the home Chapter of our Grand Treasurer, Sister Grace Good, and it has been a privilege to serve this Chapter.

BELL CHAPTER NO. 393.

Location, Bell. Instituted May 2, 1922. Chartered October 24, 1922. Date of visit, May 24, 1932. Initiated, 11; dimitted, 3; suspended, 5; died, 2. Total membership, 228. In commercial bank account, \$245.92. Condition of books: Good. Very efficient Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. with all officers and jewels present. A splendid corps of officers under the guidance of a conscientious and ambitious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work was beautifully exemplified on the night of my official visit.

BELLFLOWER CHAPTER NO. 397.

Location, Bellflower. Instituted September 6, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, March 28, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 5; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 7; suspended, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 176. In savings bank account, \$187.82. In commercial bank account, \$136.90. In Good Cheer Fund, 75.76. Total cash, \$400.48. Condition of books: Excellent. Capable Secretary and Treasurer. Number

of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:15 with all officers present except Esther. Very conscientious and Capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and officers doing excellent work. This Chapter has the loyal support of its Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

LYNWOOD CHAPTER NO. 438.

Location, Lynwood. Instituted February 19, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 20, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 2; suspended, 5. Total membership, 163. In commercial bank account, \$263.04. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. A most ambitious Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. A most conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron assisted by a sincere and interested corps of officers doing creditable work. All officers present except Adah and Esther. All jewels present. Exceptionally fine organist. Splendid Masonic support. This is my home Chapter of which I am justly proud and I sincerely thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor conferred upon my Chapter for the privilege of serving as Deputy Grand Matron, our first Grand officer. I have been shown every courtesy for which I am very appreciative.

GUARDIAN CHAPTER NO. 439.

Location, South Gate. Instituted February 19, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 5; suspended, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 205. In commercial bank account, \$344.98. Condition of books: Excellent. Fine Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Conductress. This splendid Chapter enjoys the services of a capable and much loved Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work was exemplified in an excellent manner. This Chapter was very unfortunate in losing all of its funds through bank failures early in the year but through the wonderful support and co-operation of its members has been able to build up its treasury without outside help.

DISTRICT No. 53.

Report of Mrs. Hettie E. Capito, D. G. M.

CARNATION CHAPTER NO. 171.

Location, Redondo Beach. Instituted May 26, 1899. Chartered October 18, 1899. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 10; died, 4. Total membership, 300. In savings bank account, \$216.36. In commercial bank account, \$542.65. In American Bldg. and Loan, \$309. Total cash and investments, \$1068.01. Condition of books: Very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present but Ruth who was seriously ill. Charter present and all jewels worn. Carnation Chapter is always friendly to the strangers within its doors, and one always feels a warm welcome awaiting them. Work was splendidly done. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron may well be proud of their splendid corps of efficient officers. Good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a great pleasure to have been your Deputy and I appreciate all you have done for me. Splendid Masonic support.

SAN PEDRO HARBOR CHAPTER NO. 174.

Location, San Pedro. Instituted August 18, 1899. Chartered October 18, 1899. Date of visit, April 26, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 11; suspended, 12; died, 6. Total membership, 512. In commercial bank account, \$816.58. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1500. In Masonic Temple Association (note), \$1500. Total cash and investments, \$3816.58. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. This is a very prosperous and happy Chapter and all exceptionally friendly. On the night of my official visit Chapter opened promptly. All officers present, all jewels worn and charter present. A most lovable and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron preside and they may well be proud of their splendid officers. The work was most beautifully done and showed the zealous manner in which each officer strives to do his or her duty. Their jewel march is beautiful and is a fine climax to their meetings. It has been a very happy privilege to have served as your Deputy and for the many courtesies you have shown me I thank you. Good Masonic support.

INGLEWOOD CHAPTER NO. 319.

Location. Inglewood. Instituted May 14, 1913. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 9; dimitted, 22; suspended, 6; died, 3. Total membership, 398. In savings bank account, \$853.91. In commercial bank account, \$72.22. Total cash, \$926.13. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A very happy and hospitable Chapter. A most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron preside and with a fine corps of officers the meetings are enjoyed by all. The work was most beautifully done on the night of my official visit. All officers present, all jewels worn and charter present. This is my home Chapter and I do sincerely thank Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin for conferring upon this Chapter the honor of a Grand officer. It has been a privilege and great pleasure to serve you as your Deputy and I do thank each and every one for the many courtesies you have shown me and for the effort each officer and member has made to make the year a happy one both for the Chapter and for me.

TORRANCE CHAPTER NO. 380.

Location. Torrance. Instituted July 30, 1921. Chartered October 19, 1921. Date of visit, May 12, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 7; died, 1. Total membership, 239. In savings bank account, \$81. In commercial bank account, \$287.67. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1100. In Pasadena O. E. S. Home, \$100. In Torrance Hospital, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$1668.67. Condition of books: Very fine. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fine. Chapter opened promptly with all officers present and all jewels worn. This is indeed a splendid Chapter, so friendly, so courteous at all times and each visit endears one more strongly to the officers. Very fine co-operation among officers and members. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron always ready and willing to do more than their duty. Work exceptionally well rendered. It has been a great privilege to have been their Deputy. Splendid Masonic support. Their sunshine and jewel marches were very fine. The songs for each "Let a Little Sunshine In" for the former and "The Old Rugged Cross" for the latter were very appropriate.

PLAYA LINDA CHAPTER NO. 425.

Location, Hermosa Beach. Instituted, March 1, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 3; died, 4. Total membership, 192. In savings bank account, \$5.00 In commercial bank account, \$110.46. In hands of Treasurer, \$66.81. Total cash, \$182.27. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A very friendly and harmonious Chapter. An earnest and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are always ready to do more than their duty by the Chapter. Their splendid corps of officers work hard to perfect themselves in their work and the work was beautifully done on my official visit. All officers present, all jewels worn and charter present. I am very happy to have served as your Deputy and most sincerely thank you for the patience and courtesy each and every officer showed me at each practice. Good Masonic support.

WILMINGTON CHAPTER NO. 459.

Location, Wilmington. Instituted February 27, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, May 26, 1932. Initiated, 19; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 16; suspended, 7; died, 3. Total membership, 255. In commercial bank account, \$750.34. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$165. Total cash and investments, \$915.34. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock, all officers in their stations, jewels worn and charter present. This is a wonderfully friendly and fast growing Chapter. Presided over by an enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and excellent corps of officers and with the co-operation of the members each meeting proves interesting. The work was most splendidly exemplified showing that each officer strives to do his best. I am more than proud and happy to have served as your Deputy and for the many courtesies shown me, the interest shown at each practice and the friendship you have given me I do thank you. Good Masonic support.

HAWTHORNE CHAPTER NO. 469.

Location, Hawthorne. Instituted August 10, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, May 6, 1932. Initiated 8; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 4; died, 2. Total membership, 103. In savings bank account, \$270.18. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present,

6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened promptly. Owing to illness Esther and Sentinel were absent. All jewels worn. This Chapter deserves so much credit for the splendid manner they have carried on in the face of adversities. They lost their money in the Bank failure—yet the most efficient and lovable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their splendid officers have worked doubly hard and made a fine showing. Work exceptionally well rendered. I appreciate the wonderful support you have given me and the many courtesies shown me. It has indeed been a great pleasure to have served as your Deputy. Splendid Masonic support.

POINT FIRMIN CHAPTER NO. 512.

Location. San Pedro. Instituted May 4, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 98. In commercial bank account, \$363.77. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all jewels worn. This is an exceptionally friendly Chapter with a very earnest and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. They have the support of all of the officers who are ready and willing at all times to do more than their share of the duties. Owing to serious illness Adah, Associate Conductress, Associate Matron and Warder were absent. The work was all splendidly done and I am proud of these officers. It has indeed been a pleasure to work among these lovely officers and I do appreciate all the courtesies shown me by this Chapter. Good Masonic support.

DISTRICT No. 54.

Report of Mrs. Isabel Harbaugh, D. G. M.

LONG BEACH CHAPTER NO. 173.

Location, Long Beach. Instituted August 7, 1899. Chartered October 18, 1899. Date of visit, May 20, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 10; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 21; suspended, 35; died, 7. Total membership 569. In commercial bank account, \$594.84. In Masonic Home Stock, \$5000. In Mutual Building and Loan, \$5500. In Eastern Star Home Stock, \$25. Total cash and investments, \$11,119.84. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept.

General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and all jewels worn. This being the mother Chapter in Long Beach and the home Chapter of our Past Grand Matron, Sister Lena Walker Stannard, I deem it a great privilege and honor to have served them as their Deputy Grand Matron. A most gracious and sincere Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, assisted by a very efficient group of officers, who exemplified the work in a most impressive manner. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies and co-operation which I received from the officers and members.

PALOS VERDES CHAPTER NO. 310.

Location, Long Beach. Instituted February 26, 1912. Chartered October 16, 1912. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 18; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 11; suspended, 41; died, 6. Total membership, 681. In commercial bank account, \$1522.71. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2200. In Building and Loan, \$1215.51. In Eastern Star Home at Pasadena, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$5038.23. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. . Number of Rituals, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Worthy Patron and Ruth. All jewels worn. Splendid music. A most charming and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid corps of officers who exemplified the work in an efficient and impressive manner. Wonderful support from the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a privilege to serve this Chapter and I sincerely appreciate the many loving courtesies extended me by the officers and members.

BETTINA CHAPTER NO. 399.

Location, Long Beach. Instituted October 11, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, May 4, 1932. Initiated, 14; affiliated, 14; dimitted, 6; suspended, 5. Total membership, 280. In commercial bank account, \$1402.16. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1600. In Building and Loan, \$1200. Total cash and investments, \$4202.16. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Chaplain. All jewels worn. Splendid music. A sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and proficient Worthy Patron assisted by earnest and willing officers who exemplified the work in a most impressive and beautiful manner. Loyal support from the Past Matrons and

Past Patrons. At all times the officers and members have been most cordial and have extended many courtesies to me which were truly appreciated and it was a pleasure to work with them. My official visit will long be a happy memory to me.

SERVICE CHAPTER NO. 414.

Location, Long Beach. Instituted August 13, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, April 23, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 4; dimitted, 9; suspended, 25; died, 5. Total membership, 284. In commercial bank account, \$649.88. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1500. In Mutual Building and Loan, \$500. In Pacific Coast Building and Loan, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$3149.88. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 1:30 P. M. with all officers present except the Sentinel and all jewels worn. Splendid music. The officers exemplified the work in a very pleasing and impressive manner with a most earnest and conscientious Worthy Matron and proficient Worthy Patron presiding. Loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a real pleasure to visit and instruct the officers of this daylight Chapter and I am deeply grateful for the many courtesies extended me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

SEARCHLIGHT CHAPTER NO. 435.

Location, Long Beach. Instituted August 12, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 10; suspended, 12; died, 4. Total membership, 292. In commercial bank account, \$445.67. In Mutual Bldg. and Loan, \$1200. In O. E. S. Home, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$1745.67. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and all jewels worn. A very cordial and capable Worthy Matron and proficient Worthy Patron assisted by earnest officers who did excellent work. I have been received with delightful courtesy at all times and my work with this Chapter was a joy throughout the year. This Chapter has real support and co-operation of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

ALL STATES CHAPTER NO. 502.

Location, Long Beach. Instituted August 8, 1928. Chartered October 18, 1928. Date of visit, May 25, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 10; dimitted, 2; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 149. In commercial bank account, \$710.22. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except *Electa*. A very hospitable Chapter with a most gracious Worthy Matron and an earnest and sincere Worthy Patron who are very proud of the splendid work done by their faithful officers. Loyal Masonic support. The privilege of serving my home Chapter in this capacity afforded me a great deal of pleasure, which I deeply appreciate and am grateful of our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for appointing me Deputy Grand Matron. My official visit was a very happy climax and I thank the officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons and members for their many courtesies.

EL PETROL CHAPTER NO. 507.

Location, Signal Hill. Instituted April 22, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 16; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 4. Total membership, 82. In commercial bank account, \$348.64. In Mutual Building and Loan, \$102.08. Total cash and investments, \$450.72. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers and jewels present. A very hospitable and friendly Chapter that is striving to uphold the principles of our beloved Order. The work was beautifully rendered by an interested corps of officers headed by a most cordial and efficient Worthy Matron and a very capable Worthy Patron, all working for the best interests of the Chapter. Splendid Masonic support. It has been a real joy to work with this Chapter and I appreciate their true friendship and loving hospitality.

MAR VISTA CHAPTER NO. 511.

Location, North Long Beach. Instituted April 30, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, April 20, 1932. Initiated 12; dimitted, 1; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 85. In savings bank account, \$400. In commercial bank account, \$382.36. Total

cash, \$782.36. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Ruth and all jewels worn. An exceptionally sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron assisted by a willing corps of officers, all working enthusiastically for the welfare of their Chapter and doing splendid work. It has been a real pleasure to work with the officers and members of this Chapter and the many courtesies extended to me were greatly appreciated. Past Matrons and Past Patrons always ready to lend a helping hand.

DISTRICT No. 55.

Report of Mrs. Florence N. Graham. D. G. M.

LYRA CHAPTER NO. 144.

Location, Whittier. Instituted February 12, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 15; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 10; suspended, 10; died, 6. Total membership, 389. In commercial bank account, \$277.55. In Building and Loan, \$2175.30. In Life Membership Fund, \$152.48. Total cash investments, \$2605.33. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. A fine corps of officers very anxious for instruction and eager to do perfect work under the capable leadership of an efficient Worthy Matron and a Worthy Patron who gives the entire lecture in a very creditable manner. All the business of the Chapter is fully discussed with the members who pay wonderful attention. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Treasurer who was quite ill. All jewels present. There is very good material in line.

OCCIDENT CHAPTER NO. 160.

Location, Downey. Instituted June 19, 1897. Chartered October 19, 1898. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 10; suspended, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 204. In commercial bank account, \$418.31. Condition of books: Very good. The Secretary is a charter member. Very capable Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:05 with all officers present. The officers were very much interested in their work and tried very hard to do perfect work. A very earnest Wor-

thy Matron and Worthy Patron striving to exemplify the principles of the Order. Very cordial and friendly to all visitors. This Chapter celebrated its 35th anniversary in a very fine manner with all the Chapter members present who are now affiliated with the Chapter. The officers are taking a very active part in all the Chapter activities. The Worthy Patron gives the lecture in a very pleasing manner.

HOLLENBECK CHAPTER NO. 248.

Location. Los Angeles. Instituted June 23, 1906. Chartered October 16, 1907. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 20; died, 5. Total membership, 677. In commercial bank account, \$1332.45. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$1000. Total cash and investments, \$2332.45. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Labyrinth, 1. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:03 with all officers present and doing almost perfect work under the leadership of a most charming Worthy Matron and very efficient Worthy Patron. The attendance record of the officers at both practices and meetings has been perfect. Excellent music is much appreciated. The Worthy Patron gives the work in a most impressive manner and on the night of my official visit was letter perfect. Good Masonic support and fine attendance of Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members.

ARTESIA CHAPTER NO. 253.

Location. Artesia. Instituted April 8, 1907. Chartered October 17, 1907. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 2; died, 3. Total membership, 126. In commercial bank account, \$185.91. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$50. Total cash and investments, \$235.91. Condition of books: Very good. A new Secretary working with old material but getting things in much better condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 1; Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:10, all officers present except the Chaplain who had just had a death in her family. This is the sixth year she has served as Chaplain. The Worthy Patron gives the work very well. It has been very difficult for the Worthy Matron to get the officers together for practices but many of them are striving hard to do perfect work. Splendid organist. This Chapter celebrated its 25th anniversary this year with a colonial party. 16 Past Matrons in costume and 9 Past Patrons being escorted to the East. This is a small Chapter, some Patrons having served two and three times.

MONTEBELLO CHAPTER NO. 335.

Location, Montebello. Instituted March 17, 1915. Chartered October 20, 1915. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 10; demitted, 8; suspended, 5; died, 3. Total membership, 278. In savings bank account, \$237.09. In commercial bank account, \$586.94. Total cash, \$824.03. Condition of books: Beautifully kept. A Secretary who has served her Chapter 14 years. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. This, my own Chapter, has been working under many difficulties brought about by much sickness, and the death of the Worthy Patron early in the year, and later on, of some splendid active members. Chapter opened promptly with all officers present and all jewels worn. A corps of very fine officers doing excellent work under the leadership of a most gracious Worthy Matron, and fine new Worthy Patron who gives the work in a splendid manner. I am most grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor conferred upon me and my Chapter. It has been a real pleasure to serve this fine district and I am most happy to have been their Deputy. A most gracious tribute to myself and husband was given on the night of my official visit which I deeply appreciated.

BELVEDERE CHAPTER NO. 402.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted December 23, 1922. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 206. In savings bank account, 541.41. In commercial bank account, \$225.92. Total cash, \$767.33. Condition of books: Beautifully kept. A faithful Secretary who has never missed a meeting since the institution of the Chapter. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Fine. Chapter opened at 8:05 with all officers present and all jewels worn. The work was beautifully exemplified by a most interested corps of officers striving to do perfect work. A very sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and splendid material in line. The Worthy Patron gives the work in a splendid manner. This Chapter is like a happy family and genuine hospitality is practiced by officers and members alike.

WHITTIER CHAPTER NO. 444.

Location, Whittier. Instituted April 18, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, May 5, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 214. In commercial bank ac-

count, \$642.39. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 7:45 with all officers present and all jewels worn. A corps of earnest officers striving to do perfect work under the guidance of a gracious and cordial Worthy Matron and a fine Worthy Patron who are trying to exemplify the principles of the Order of the Eastern Star. The Worthy Matron is trying very hard to make the meetings interesting and has discovered much talent among the members which is enjoyed by all. There is a very splendid female quartette. The Worthy Patron gives the work in a splendid manner. Fine Masonic support and good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

THE GARDENS CHAPTER NO. 464.

Location, Los Angeles. Instituted May 8, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 185. In commercial bank account, \$300.84. Condition of books: Good. This Chapter had funds in a bank which closed its doors in 1930 and has had two small dividends over \$300 still out. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with all officers present and all jewels worn. A very willing corps of officers who attend practices well and are very eager for instructions, which were very kindly received. A very cordial and friendly greeting is extended to all visitors at all times. Work very well exemplified under the leadership of a cordial Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The Worthy Matron working hard to make the meetings interesting, putting on good programs.

DISTRICT No. 56.

Report of Mrs. Clara L. Holland, D. G. M.

NORWALK CHAPTER NO. 143.

Location, Norwalk. Instituted February 12, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 2, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 6; suspended, 1; died, 2. Total membership, 227. In savings bank account, \$69.07. In commercial bank account, \$263.55. Total cash, \$332.62. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. This is a Chapter where one cannot feel strange for a very cordial wel-

come is always extended to visitors. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal in attendance. The Worthy Matron presides beautifully assisted by a very efficient Worthy Patron and corps of officers who do splendid work. On the night of my official visit all officers were present except the Treasurer and all jewels worn. I am happy to have the privilege of serving this Chapter as Deputy Grand Matron. The officers and members have extended me every courtesy and the many lovely things they have done for me will always be a pleasant memory.

CHISPA CHAPTER NO. 151.

Location, Anaheim. Instituted May 28, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, March 8, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 5; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 331. In commercial bank account, \$339.40. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$2100. Total cash and investments, \$2439.40. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All jewels worn. This Chapter is under the leadership of a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers very anxious to do their work as near perfect as possible. All officers were present on the night of my official visit and the work was exemplified in a beautiful manner. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal in attendance and support. I have been extended every courtesy by the officers and members and have greatly enjoyed my work with them.

FULLERTON CHAPTER NO. 191.

Location, Fullerton. Instituted March 19, 1901. Chartered October 16, 1901. Date of visit, April 9, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 20; suspended, 16; died, 5. Total membership, 479. In commercial bank account, \$421.20. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1200. Total cash and investments, \$1621.20. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All jewels worn. This is a very harmonious Chapter with a most efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a corps of officers loyal and untiring in their efforts to do their work well. All officers were present and the work exemplified in a splendid manner on the night of my official visit. Past Matrons and Past Patrons as well as all members are deeply interested in the welfare of the Chapter and loyal

in attendance. I truly appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the officers of this fine Chapter. My work with them has been very pleasant.

BUENA PARK CHAPTER NO. 240.

Location, Buena Park. Instituted April 6, 1906. Chartered October 6, 1906. Date of visit, April 18, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 13; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 147. In savings bank account, \$108.24. In commercial bank account, \$218.15. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$200. Total cash and investments, \$526.39. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present wearing their jewels. This is a Chapter where visitors are always given a very cordial and friendly welcome. A splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron working very conscientiously for the welfare of the Chapter and supported by an earnest and sincere corps of officers. The officers and members have been very courteous to me making it a real pleasure to work with them and I deeply appreciate their many kindnesses to me. The work was beautifully rendered. This Chapter has splendid attendance and support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons who are always ready to help where needed.

YORBA LINDA CHAPTER NO. 347.

Location, Yorba Linda. Instituted February 9, 1917. Chartered October 17, 1917. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 4; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 11; suspended, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 129. In commercial bank account, \$58.79. In Masonic Notes, \$200. In First National Bank (now closed), \$52.80. Total cash and investments, \$258.79. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present wearing all jewels. This Chapter is noted for its friendliness and generous hospitality to visitors. A very proficient corps of officers under the guidance of a most gracious and thoughtful Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron do splendid work. The work was exemplified in a very creditable manner. This is my home Chapter of which I am very proud to be a member and to have had the privilege of serving as Deputy Grand Matron. I am very grateful to our dear Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor conferred upon me and my Chapter. The officers and members have done everything

possible to make this a happy year for me and for the many lovely things they have done for me and the courtesies extended to me I express my sincere appreciation. The kind and loving thoughts expressed in words and deeds have been an inspiration to me throughout the year.

AMI TAI CHAPTER NO. 405.

Location, Fullerton. Instituted March 21, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, April 6, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 15; suspended, 13; died, 1. Total membership, 171. In commercial bank account, \$121.99. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$200. In Eastern Star Home, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$421.99. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the organist. All jewels worn. This Chapter has a most gracious Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. The sincerity of the officers is reflected in the splendid manner in which they do their work. This Chapter deserves special commendation for the splendid exemplification of the work on the night of my official visit. There is an atmosphere of warm hospitality and friendliness in this Chapter. Very active socially, the members keenly interested. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended to me at all times and I shall always have many pleasant memories of my associations with this lovely Chapter.

BREA CHAPTER No. 506.

Location, Brea. Instituted April 12, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, March 11, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 1; suspended, 6. Total membership, 81. In commercial bank account, \$128.32. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. This is a Chapter with a true spirit of hospitality. It is a young Chapter but the few Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very active workers. A most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a corps of officers very sincere in their work. On the night of my official visit the work was exemplified in a very creditable manner with all officers present and all jewels worn. The officers and members have been lovely to me and it has been a pleasure to work with them. A spirit of harmony and co-operation prevails in this splendid little Chapter.

LA HABRA CHAPTER NO. 508.

Location, La Habra. Instituted April 24, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, February 25, 1932. Initiated 5. Total membership, 91. In commercial bank account, \$85.54. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. In Bldg. Loan Association, \$112.92. Total cash and investments, \$298.46. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers wearing their jewels. This is a very friendly and cordial Chapter under the leadership of an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers, all anxious to do their work well. This is a young Chapter but very active socially and their work reflects the spirit of interest and sincerity of purpose. On the night of my official visit the Conductress and Chaplain were absent because of illness. I have enjoyed my associations with this Chapter and appreciated the many courtesies extended to me.

DISTRICT No. 57.

Report of Mrs. Nellie M. Sylvester, D. G. M.

HERMOSA CHAPTER NO. 105.

Location, Santa Ana. Instituted October 15, 1889. Chartered October 20, 1890. Date of visit, April 4, 1932. Initiated, 26; affiliated, 9; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 24; suspended, 12, died, 5. Total membership, 608. In commercial bank account, \$1365.26. In Masonic Hall Stock, 1300. In Old Masonic Hall Stock, \$1000. In Trust Deed at 7%, \$1000. Total cash and investments, \$4665.26. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock. Fine old Chapter doing almost perfect work. Officers anxious to please and learn the work. It has been a privilege to instruct these officers and visit among the members. Very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron extending every kindness to the Deputy. Loyal support of Past Matrons. Splendid music. Very impressive retirement of flag and jewel march after closing of Chapter.

SCEPTER CHAPTER NO. 163.

Location, Orange. Instituted March 11, 1898. Chartered October 19, 1898. Date of visit, April 28, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 7; dimitted, 7; died, 6. Total membership, 262. In savings bank account,

\$195.20. In commercial bank account, \$322.30. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$630. Total cash and investments, \$1147.50. Condition of books: Very neat and nicely kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book not kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened on time, all jewels present. Fine corps of officers. Very interested and eager for instruction. Doing fine work. Very gracious to Deputy at all times. Capable and conscientious Worthy Matron. Good support from Past Matrons.

SEASIDE CHAPTER NO. 259.

Location, Huntington Beach. Instituted April 17, 1907. Chartered October 18, 1907. Date of visit, March 17, 1932. Initiated, 19; affiliated, 5; reinstated, 6; dimitted, 6; suspended, 12; died, 2. Total membership, 225. In commercial bank account, \$95.53. In 1st Nat'l. Bldg. and Loan, \$600. In 1st State Bank (closed), \$184.64. Total cash and investments, 695.53. Condition of books: Beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened promptly on time. All officers present and work rendered beautifully. Eager for instruction and endeavor to do perfect work. Large attendance at meeting. It has been a pleasure to be Deputy to this Chapter and I thank them for the many kindnesses shown me. Good support of Past officers. All officers present and all jewels worn. Good Masonic support.

SANTA ANA CHAPTER NO. 389.

Location, Santa Ana. Instituted March 8, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 10; dimitted, 15; suspended, 5; died, 4. Total membership, 309. In savings bank account, \$6.07. In commercial bank account, \$287.90. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$800. In Pasadena Home, \$100. In Pledge paid on furniture, \$195. Total cash and investments, \$1388.97. Condition of books: Splendid condition. Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. Work beautifully rendered. Very harmonious and hospitable to all strangers. Splendid co-operation of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. All officers present and all jewels worn. My own Chapter of which I am very proud and thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor of serving as Deputy Grand Matron. Meeting in beautiful new Masonic Temple which they are helping to pay for. Beautiful and impressive jewel march at closing.

GARDEN GROVE CHAPTER NO. 483.

Location, Garden Grove. Instituted April 28, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 15; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 6; suspended, 4. Total membership, 112. In savings bank account, \$152. In commercial bank account, \$212.13. Total cash, \$364.13. Condition of books: A pleasure to look over, neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Copies of Syllabus and Diagram. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:05. All officers present. A fine corps of officers striving to do good work. Always ready for instruction and practice. Membership harmonious and hospitable. Past officers loyal and helpful. Earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron.

LAGUNA BEACH CHAPTER NO. 521.

Location, Laguna Beach. Instituted June 11, 1930. Chartered October 22, 1930. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 49. In commercial bank account, \$145.66. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened on time. Small Chapter with scattered membership. Working hard to please and learn the work. Social club for members working hard to help Chapter. Every courtesy extended to Deputy by a most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work very nicely exemplified.

SAN CLEMENTE CHAPTER NO. 524.

Location, San Clemente. Instituted May 5, 1930. Chartered October 21, 1931. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Affiliated, 3; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 40. In commercial bank account, \$24.35. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened at 8:05. A small new Chapter struggling against many adverse conditions. Splendid Masonic support. Officers doing good work and eager for instruction. Worthy Matron earnest and working hard to make a fine Chapter. Very kind to Deputy and courteous to all visitors.

DISTRICT No. 58.

Report of Mrs. Eva Pulley, D. G. M.

SILVER WAVE CHAPTER NO. 75.

Location, San Bernardino. Instituted July 3, 1883. Chartered October 17, 1883. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 28; affiliated, 15; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 8; suspended, 30; died, 5. Total membership, 550. In commercial bank account, \$384.28. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$120. In Class A Stock, Santa Fe Bldg. and Loan, \$836.02. In Gold Notes, Santa Fe Bldg. & Loan, \$1300. Total cash and investments, \$2640.30. Condition of books: Neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 7:40 P. M. with all officers present and in their stations. A loyal corps of officers led by a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron exemplified the work in a very impressive manner. Good attendance of past officers and members and very hospitable to visitors. A happy and harmonious spirit prevails. This Chapter celebrates its fiftieth birthday next year and I am proud to have had the privilege of serving as their Deputy.

EUCLID CHAPTER NO. 179.

Location, Ontario. Instituted May 3, 1900. Chartered October 17, 1900. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 9; dimitted, 8; suspended, 9; died, 7. Total membership, 250. In commercial bank account, \$380.72. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$350. In Bldg. & Loan, \$113.35. Total cash and investments, \$844.07. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with one officer absent. A capable Worthy Matron and enthusiastic Worthy Patron. The work was exemplified in a very efficient manner. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I appreciate the co-operation which I received at all times.

COLTON CHAPTER NO. 211.

Location, Colton. Instituted July 8, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit, February 10, 1932. Initiated, 1; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 9; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 199. In savings bank account, 330.21. In commercial bank account, \$322.27. Total cash, \$652.48. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals

present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 7:45 P. M. Three officers absent because of illness. This Chapter is led by a kind and loving Worthy Matron and interested Worthy Patron, guiding a corps of officers striving to do good work. Good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons, all of whom are ready to be of assistance at any time. I appreciate the courtesies extended me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

GATE CITY CHAPTER NO. 212.

Location, San Bernardino. Instituted August 13, 1903. Chartered October 21, 1903. Date of visit, April 8, 1932. Initiated, 27; affiliated, 9; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 5; suspended, 13; died, 6. Total membership, 529. In commercial bank account, \$450.48. In Santa Fe Bldg. & Loan, \$575. Total cash and investments, \$1025.48. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened promptly at 7:45 P. M. with one officer absent. The work was beautifully exemplified by an interested group of officers and very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. They are loyally supported by their Past Matrons and Past Patrons and are always gracious and hospitable to visitors. The home Chapter of Past Grand Treasurer, Sister Georgia Hunt.

NEEDLES CHAPTER NO. 242.

Location, Needles. Instituted April 11, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, January 13, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 8; suspended, 10; died, 2. Total membership, 250. In closed Bank (savings \$16.32; commercial \$412.38). In Masonic Hall Stock, \$300. In cash, \$100.30. Total cash and investments, \$400.30. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Secretary. The bank containing the Chapter's funds closed its doors in December. This Chapter is isolated, seldom coming in contact with other Chapters, but the officers do very beautiful work. A conscientious Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, very courteous to visitors. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

UPLAND CHAPTER NO. 346.

Location, Upland. Instituted November 13, 1916. Chartered October 17, 1917. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 1; dimitted, 12; suspended, 2; died, 2. Total membership, 175. In commercial bank account, \$193.48. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$300. Total cash and investments, \$493.48. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers were present. Very good attendance and support of members and past officers. A very earnest and sincere Worthy Matron and conscientious Worthy Patron, who, with their officers, are striving for perfection in the work. I acknowledge with grateful appreciation the many acts of kindness extended to me.

BIG BEAR CHAPTER NO. 485.

Location, Pine Knot. Instituted June 18, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 3. Total membership, 41. In commercial bank account, \$110.03. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. A charming Worthy Matron who is an inspiration to all of her officers and very efficient Worthy Patron. The work was beautifully exemplified. They enjoy the music of an exceptionally fine Organist. I was greeted with loving hospitality and I shall never forget their many courtesies.

ORANGE BLOSSOM CHAPTER NO. 488.

Location, Fontana. Instituted August 16, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, May 10, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 120. In commercial bank account, \$230.63. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. Directed by an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, the officers do excellent work. This is my own Chapter, of which I am proud to say I am a Charter member. I am deeply grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and for the privilege of being of service to my sisters and brothers. I sincerely thank our Worthy Matron for her many acts of love and kindness and all my Chapter members for their loving deeds.

DISTRICT No. 59.

Report of Mrs. Estelle Morrison, D. G. M.

UNGAVA CHAPTER NO. 106.

Location. Riverside. Instituted April 20, 1890. Chartered October 20, 1890. Date of visit, February 15, 1932. Initiated, 24; affiliated, 6; dimitted, 11; suspended, 5; died, 8. Total membership, 480. In savings bank account, \$619.90. In commercial bank account, \$341.54. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$1061.44. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. Under the leadership of a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron the officers doing splendid work. The Ritualistic work was given beautifully. Much credit is due this Chapter for its support from its members, for their loyalty and hearty co-operation. Instructions graciously received. It has been a joy to work with Ungava Chapter and my days of service to them will always be remembered with great happiness. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies and generous hospitality extended me as their Deputy Grand Matron. All jewels present.

COPA DEL ORO CHAPTER NO. 142.

Location. Redlands. Instituted January 23, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, February 3, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 14; suspended, 7; died, 5; expelled, 1. Total membership, 417. In savings bank account, \$728.88. In commercial bank account, \$213.04. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1000. In Life Membership, 50. Total cash and investments, \$1991.92. Condition of Books, Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M., jewels worn. All officers present except the Organist and Worthy Patron. Junior Past Patron presided the night of my official visit. A very conscientious Worthy Matron and officers whom I found very anxious for criticism. Each officer striving for perfection. My home Chapter which I dearly love. My thanks for their untiring efforts to make my year a happy one.

CROWN CHAPTER NO. 162.

Location. Corona. Instituted March 7, 1898. Chartered October 19, 1898. Date of visit, February 8, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 5; suspended, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 149. In savings

bank account, \$255.24. In commercial bank account, \$141.28. Total cash, \$396.52. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. A loyal Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work exemplified creditably. Fine Masonic support and a beautiful Chapter room to work in. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present and jewels worn. A cordial welcome given me at all times, for which I am deeply grateful.

LA VICTORIA CHAPTER NO. 241.

Location, San Jacinto. Instituted April 6, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 6. Total membership, 104. In commercial bank account, \$203.03. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Ruth. A small Chapter, membership is scattered but noted for its hospitality and good fellowship. Worthy Patron gave his work well and all officers striving to do their very best. Jewels worn. I am deeply grateful to officers and members for their many kindnesses. The Worthy Patron deserves honorable mention for being the Patron seven years.

ELSINORE CHAPTER NO. 243.

Location, Elsinore. Instituted April 16, 1906. Chartered October 17, 1906. Date of visit, February 1, 1932. Initiated, 6; reinstated, 2; dimitted 5; suspended, 1. Total membership, 144. In commercial bank account, \$395.62. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$530. Total cash and investments, \$925.62. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Opened at 8:15 P. M. A splendid Chapter and most hospitable with a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Officers are good workers and eager to give their best. This Chapter has endeared itself to me by its delightful spirit of hospitality and co-operation. Good Masonic support. All jewels present.

MIRIAM CHAPTER NO. 302.

Location, Perris. Instituted April 12, 1911. Chartered October 17, 1911. Date of visit, February 24, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 6. Total membership, 112. In savings bank ac-

count, \$369.33. In commercial bank account, \$155.50. Total cash, \$524.83. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:30 P. M. A splendid corps of officers under the leadership of a faithful Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. It was a joy to serve this Chapter and I greatly appreciate their acts of kindness. All officers present with the exception of Electa. Jewels worn.

CHINO VALLEY CHAPTER NO. 330.

Location, Chino. Instituted July 21, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 5; suspended, 7. Total membership, 103. In commercial bank account, \$216.17. In Building and Loan Certificates, \$300. In Cash, \$49. Total cash and investments, \$565.17. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Opened at 8:05 P. M. Wonderful support from members and Past Matrons. Work rendered in conscientious and efficient manner. Worthy Patron's work exceptionally well given. Marshal and Associate Conductress absent. I have been pleased to work with this Chapter and I have enjoyed the many courtesies extended to me by officers and members. All jewels present.

TAHQUITZ CHAPTER NO. 351.

Location, Hemet. Instituted September 21, 1918. Chartered October 16, 1918. Date of visit, February 11, 1932. Initiated, 4; dimitted, 10; suspended, 7. Total membership, 93. In savings bank account, \$119.08. In commercial bank account, \$214.24. Total cash, \$333.32. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present and jewels worn. Ritualistic and floor work was rendered in a pleasant and impressive manner. Indeed a pleasure to serve *this fine Chapter and deeply appreciate the many acts of love and kindness* extended me as Deputy Grand Matron.

SAN GORGONIA CHAPTER NO. 515.

Location, Banning. Instituted July 31, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, April 26, 1932. Initiated, 8; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 2; suspended, 2; died, 1. Total membership, 63. In commer-

cial bank account, \$292.31. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Splendid. Opened at 8:00 P. M. This, a young Chapter, working enthusiastically to build up membership; most hospitable to visitors. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All officers doing fine work. Splendid Masonic support. It has been a real joy to serve this Chapter. Accept my deep appreciation for your many acts of kindness and hearty co-operation.

DISTRICT No. 60.

Report of Mrs. Ruth P. Kimball, D. G. M.

POMONA CHAPTER NO. 110.

Location, Pomona. Instituted August 26, 1891. Chartered October 20, 1891. Date of visit, April 9, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 2; dimitted, 17; suspended, 10; died, 7. Total membership, 355. In commercial bank account, \$646.90. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$6200. In Mutual Bldg. & Loan Co., \$422.68. In Home Bldg. & Loan Co., \$1066.33. Total cash and investments, \$8335.91. Condition of books: Excellent, very neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A lovely, prosperous Chapter, where love and loyalty, peace and harmony abound. Splendid support from members, Masonic brothers and past officers. The meeting opened promptly with all officers present, and the work was splendidly exemplified by this corps of happy, efficient officers presided over by a most charming and capable Matron and Patron, whose pride in their Chapter is equalled only by the Chapter's pride in them. I thank them sincerely for their thoughtful co-operation and evidences of love.

JASMINE CHAPTER NO. 145.

Location, Azusa. Instituted February 13, 1896. Chartered October 22, 1896. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 6; dimitted, 10; died, 1. Total membership, 188. In commercial bank account, \$234.98. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$750. Total cash and investments, \$984.98. Condition of books: Splendid, neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Meeting opened promptly with all officers present. In splendid condition with harmony and friendliness prevailing, loyal Masonic and membership support. A

most gracious Worthy Matron, a considerate and efficient Worthy Patron and a corps of officers doing their utmost to follow the example of these leaders. Work was beautifully exemplified, the Examining Committee perfect. Ever courteous and friendly to all who come and especially so to their Deputy, and I sincerely appreciate their many kindnesses and their love.

I.A. PALOMA CHAPTER NO. 202.

Location, Covina. Instituted August 5, 1902. Chartered October 22, 1902. Date of visit, February 11, 1932. Initiated, 12; dimitted, 9; died, 4. Total membership, 253. In savings bank account, \$181.21. In commercial bank account, \$528.09. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$1200. Total cash and investments, \$2009.30. Condition of books: Excellent, accurately and uniformly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The meeting opened promptly with all officers present. The harmony and happiness attest an excellent condition of this Chapter. An efficient and most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, presiding over a Chapter always filled with loyal members and Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Wonderful Masonic support is given this Chapter. The graciousness of this corps of officers in presenting the work was a great joy to their Deputy, and I thank them for the many, many happy hours spent with them. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Matron, Sister Anna Dreher Dudderer, and I regret that illness of her loved ones has prevented her attending Chapter this year.

CLAREMONT CHAPTER NO. 324.

Location, Claremont. Instituted March 4, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 5; died, 1. Total membership, 123. In commercial bank account, \$365.80. In Home Building & Loan, \$111.04. Total cash and investments, \$476.84. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Meeting opened on time with all officers present and the work was very nicely done. Conditions are very good. Illness has been prevalent in this lovely Chapter, but they have met it all courageously and are doing splendidly. Their gracious, enthusiastic Worthy Matron and courteous Worthy Patron, and the loyal corps of officers work diligently for the good of the Chapter and the happiness of all members; and the members and past officers give their loyal support. My thanks are extended for their love and loyalty.

LA PUENTE CHAPTER NO. 325.

Location. Puente. Instituted April 4, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, May 9, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 2; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 13; suspended, 1. Total membership, 103. In savings bank account, \$100. In commercial bank account, \$131.17. Total cash, \$231.17. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened a few minutes after eight, with all officers present except Ruth, and the exemplification of the work was very interesting and conscientiously done. This Chapter has many splendid qualities, with good Masonic and past officer support. A very capable, lovable Matron and a gracious Patron with the co-operation of a nice corps of officers are doing creditable work for their Chapter, and their courtesy to visitors and to their Deputy has always been noteworthy. Thanks for everything, good friends.

GLEN CHAPTER NO. 357.

Location. Glendora. Instituted October 3, 1919. Chartered October 22, 1919. Date of visit, February 10, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 5; died, 2. Total membership, 123. In commercial bank account, \$106.71. In commercial bank account (defunct bank), \$62.83. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The efficiency of this corps of officers and the almost perfect manner in which they exemplified the work, was most pleasing to their Deputy. Meeting opened promptly with all officers present except the Marshal and Associate Conductress. A Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who are striving to do their best for the Chapter. Good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. This is my home Chapter, and I wish to thank our Worthy Grand Matron for the opportunity of serving her and the Chapters of this District. Their courtesies and kindnesses have been unending, and I hope I have proven worthy of my trust.

STAR OF THE WEST CHAPTER NO. 468.

Location. Pomona. Instituted July 31, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Date of visit, April 18, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 2; dimitted, 3. Total membership, 143. In commercial bank account, \$530.50. In Home Bldg. & Loan Co., \$341.58. Total cash and investments, \$872.08. Condition of books: Excellent, splendidly kept in every detail. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6;

Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A truly lovely Chapter in splendid condition and growing. Members and Masonic friends give wonderful support. Meeting opened promptly with all officers present, except Adah. All work was splendidly exemplified by a very enthusiastic and happy corps of officers striving loyally to show their deep regard for the capable and gracious Matron and Patron, whose every thought is for the good of their Chapter. The hours spent with them will be treasured memories.

SAN DIMAS CHAPTER NO. 509.

Location, San Dimas. Instituted April 25, 1929. Chartered October 16, 1929. Date of visit, March 1, 1932. Initiated, 10; dimitted, 1. Total membership, 92. In savings bank account, \$100. In commercial bank account, \$183.40. In Social Fund, \$237.55. Total cash and investments, \$520.95. Condition of books: Excellent, accurately and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A young and thriving Chapter, with a very uniform corps of officers working happily and harmoniously under the guidance of a very gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Chapter opened on time with all officers present, and the work was splendidly exemplified. The members and past officers have a remarkable attendance record, and the Masonic support is very evident. Their meetings are a joy to all who attend and their loyalty and love to their Deputy is sincerely appreciated.

BALDWIN PARK CHAPTER NO. 527.

Location, Baldwin Park. Instituted April 30, 1931. Chartered October 26, 1931. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 6. Total membership, 57. In commercial bank account, \$75.18. In (defunct bank) \$9.34. Condition of books: Splendid, carefully and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: A thriving, energetic young Chapter, with a friendly and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and corps of officers. Meeting opened promptly with all officers present except the Associate Matron. The work was fine, the officers happy and efficient. A splendid fraternal spirit prevailed and they have many good deeds to their credit. I appreciate their many courtesies and friendship.

DISTRICT No. 61.

Report of Mrs. Cora Oga Smith, D. G. M.

SOUTHERN STAR CHAPTER NO. 96.

Location, San Diego. Instituted April 5, 1888. Chartered October 16, 1888. Date of visit, April 21, 1932. Initiated, 30; affiliated, 19; dimitted, 25; suspended, 3; died, 21. Total membership, 665. In commercial bank account, \$1926.89. In Liberty Bonds, \$350. In Bay City Bldg. and Loan Assn., \$1500. In San Diego Gas and Electric Co. Stock, \$200. Total cash and investments, \$3976.89. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. Officers doing good work. A very prosperous Chapter. This is my own Chapter of which I am proud to be a member and to give loving service. I am grateful to the members and officers for their many kindnesses and gracious courtesies.

LA MESA CHAPTER NO. 300.

Location, La Mesa. Instituted March 4, 1911. Chartered October 18, 1911. Date of visit, February 16, 1932. Initiated, 6; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 148. In commercial bank account, \$96.31. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$220. Total cash and investments, \$316.31. Condition of books: Very good, neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. All jewels worn. A splendid corps of officers, with a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work exemplified in a beautiful manner.

CORINTHIAN CHAPTER NO. 358.

Location, San Diego. Instituted December 15, 1919. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, March 24, 1932. Initiated, 13; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 7. Total membership, 167. In savings bank account, Carrie Watking Ben. Fund, \$624.78. In commercial bank account, \$280.40. Total cash, \$905.18. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Opened at 8:00 o'clock. All jewels worn. This Chapter has moved to a beautiful new temple and has a beautiful room

to meet in. A splendid corps of officers, doing good work. I am grateful and appreciate the many courtesies extended to me.

SILVER STRAND CHAPTER NO. 387.

Location. San Diego. Instituted December 17, 1921. Chartered October 21, 1922. Date of visit, March 2, 1932. Initiated, 9; affiliated, 4; reinstated, 1; dimitted, 6; suspended, 14; died, 3. Total membership, 246. In savings bank account, \$78.98. In commercial bank account, \$514.76. In San Diego Gas and Electric Bonds, \$100. Total cash and investments, \$693.74. Condition of books: Excellent, a very good Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except Ruth and jewels present. Work very well rendered. A Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron working always for the good of the Chapter.

ESTRELLA CHAPTER NO. 412.

Location, San Diego. Instituted August 4, 1923. Chartered October 17, 1923. Date of visit, February 23, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 7; reinstated, 3; dimitted, 3; suspended, 7. Total membership, 198. In commercial bank account, \$168.53. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$200. In Bay City Bldg. and Loan Assn., \$250.87. Total cash and investments, \$619.40. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present, 2. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present and jewels worn. Splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A fine corps of officers striving for perfection. The work was exemplified in a creditable manner.

EL CAJON CHAPTER NO. 429.

Location, El Cajon. Instituted May 17, 1924. Chartered October 22, 1924. Date of visit, April 12, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 6; suspended, 4; died, 3. Total membership, 90. In commercial bank account, \$29.50. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Opened at 8:00 o'clock, all jewels worn. *Officers very sincere in their efforts to do good work.* Most generous hospitality extended to me, and my official visit to this Chapter will always be a cherished memory.

SANTA MARIA CHAPTER NO. 453.

Location. Ramona. Instituted July 18, 1925. Chartered October 21, 1925. Date of visit, March 22, 1932. Initiated, 3; dimitted, 3; died, 2. Total membership, 67. In commercial bank account, \$83.07. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened on time and all jewels were worn. True Eastern Star spirit prevails among the members of this Chapter. Officers doing good work and many traveling great distances to attend their meetings. Strong Masonic support.

NORMAL HEIGHTS CHAPTER NO. 478.

Location. San Diego. Instituted February 18, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, March 10, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 4. Total membership, 120. In commercial bank account, \$310.97. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened on time. All jewels worn. Ritualistic work excellently rendered by a splendid corps of officers, working always for the good of their Chapter. Very hospitable to visitors.

DISTRICT No. 62.

Report of Mrs. Olive Marion Sweet, D. G. M.

ESCONDIDO CHAPTER NO. 154.

Location. Escondido. Instituted February 6, 1896. Chartered October 21, 1897. Date of visit, April 19, 1932. Initiated, 7; affiliated, 3; reinstated, 2; dimitted 6; suspended, 3. Total membership, 147. In savings bank account, \$132.72. In commercial bank account, \$206.46. Total cash, \$339.18. Condition of books: Beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present except sentinel. All jewels worn. These officers do exceptionally good work, are very harmonious and have the support of their Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The Worthy Matron of this Chapter is most gracious and aided by the Worthy Patron who is almost letter perfect in his work. I am very happy to have had this Chapter in my District. Hospitality and all possible courtesies have been shown me.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER NO. 264.

Location, San Diego. Instituted January 17, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 5, 1932. Initiated, 17; affiliated, 14; dimitted, 19; suspended, 18; died, 6. Total membership, 606. In savings bank account, charity fund, \$443.40. In commercial bank account, \$879.11. California Theatre Bldg., \$500. Bullock's of Los Angeles, \$500. In O. E. S. Home \$89. Total cash and investments, \$2411.51. Condition of books: Splendid, neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Very good. Chapter opened at 8:02 P. M. All officers present and wearing jewels, except the Secretary who was absent on account of illness. This Chapter has a most efficient Worthy Matron and congenial Worthy Patron, who have the love and respect of all officers and members. The work was impressively rendered in all its branches, as nearly perfect as possible. This is the home Chapter of the Associate Grand Patron, Brother Lloyd E. Griffin, and I deem it a very great privilege to have served here as Deputy Grand Matron. The officers have been very courteous to me at all times, eager for instruction, punctual and attentive at all practice meetings.

POINSETTIA CHAPTER NO. 287.

Location, Oceanside. Instituted June 8, 1909. Chartered October 20, 1909. Date of visit, March 8, 1932. Initiated, 2; affiliated, 3; re-instituted, 2; dimitted, 2; suspended, 11; died, 2. Total membership, 143. In commercial bank account, \$159.45. In Masonic Hall Bonds, \$400. Total cash and investments, \$559.45. Condition of books: Unusually good. Kept in a concise business-like manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: The general condition of this Chapter is fair. These officers and members have had difficulties but I confidently believe that they are anxious to do better and that the year will close harmoniously. The work of the officers was very acceptable, each one earnestly endeavoring to do good work. The Associate Patron presided in the absence of the Worthy Patron. All jewels worn. Every courtesy was extended to me at all times and I am happy to have had this Chapter in my District.

CORONADO CHAPTER NO. 332.

Location, Coronado. Instituted October 14, 1914. Chartered October 21, 1914. Date of visit, April 11, 1932. Initiated, 12; affiliated, 3;

dimitted, 1; died, 1. Total membership, 135. In savings bank account, Ben. Fund, \$93.65. In commercial bank account, \$353.30. In Flower Fund, \$4.46. Total cash, \$451.41. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:03 P. M., all officers present and wearing jewels, the work being performed in an efficient and highly creditable manner. Prosperous and progressive, under the direction of a most enthusiastic Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, who have by their initiative brought new life and interest into their Chapter. I have been most graciously and hospitably received in all my visits.

SOUTHWEST CHAPTER NO. 345.

Location, National City. Instituted October 9, 1916. Chartered October 20, 1916. Date of visit, February 15, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 3; died, 4. Total membership, 248. In commercial bank account, \$521.10. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$150. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$500. Total cash and investments, \$1171.10. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers wearing jewels. This is a friendly Chapter with real hospitality shown all visitors. The Worthy Patron elect, has not yet been installed on account of illness. The work of the officers is good, each one, earnest and sincerely striving towards perfection. This Chapter has loyal support of its Past Matrons and Past Patrons who are active both in attendance and service. The Worthy Matron and acting Worthy Patron have been very courteous to me and I have been received in a friendly manner by all officers making it a pleasant duty to serve them.

FALLBROOK CHAPTER NO. 390.

Location, Fallbrook. Instituted March 9, 1922. Chartered October 18, 1922. Date of visit, April 15, 1932. Initiated 1. Total membership, 62. In commercial bank account, \$66.98. In Liberty Loan Bonds, \$100. In Furnishing Fund, \$8.11. In Flower Fund, \$3.25. Total cash and investments, \$178.34. Condition of books: Very accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Favorable. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. The work was most acceptably rendered by the officers. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron deserve much credit for their unselfish loyalty and devotion to the

Order. This Chapter has many problems and difficulties to surmount, but I am sure the year will be a happy one for this dear little Chapter, which extends real hospitality to all who visit there. It has been a real pleasure to know, serve and be with these officers and I am happy to have had Fallbrook Chapter

CHULA VISTA CHAPTER NO. 458.

Location, Chula Vista. Instituted February 13, 1926. Chartered October 20, 1926. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 3; dimitted, 8; suspended, 4; died, 2. Total membership, 149. In commercial bank account, \$268.07. Condition of books: Most beautifully and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Good. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., all officers present wearing jewels. The Ritualistic work was most creditably performed in hall which is by its size well adapted to conform to our requirements for good floor work. A very hospitable and harmonious Chapter, all officers and members working to have a successful year. I have been happy to give instruction to these officers who have been most enthusiastic and zealous in their desire to learn and I have been grateful to them for all their courtesies to me.

LA JOLLA CHAPTER NO. 479.

Location, La Jolla. Instituted March 7, 1927. Chartered October 19, 1927. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 4; dimitted, 4; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 97. In savings bank account, \$280.51. In commercial bank account, \$179.14. Total cash, \$459.66. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Favorable. Opened promptly at 8:00 P. M., all officers present and wearing jewels with the exception of the Associate Patron and Organist, whose stations were vacant. These officers do creditable work and have a happy and harmonious Chapter. The membership is not large and they have the same problems to meet which confront all small Chapters. Grand Esther, Laura Bennett, holds her membership here and La Jolla is very proud and grateful to have had a Grand Officer chosen from among them. I was courteously received on the night of my official visit.

POINT LOMA CHAPTER NO. 490.

Location, Ocean Beach. Instituted November 14, 1927. Chartered October 17, 1928. Date of visit, March 21, 1932. Initiated, 7; dimitted, 4. Total membership, 78. In commercial bank account, \$278.29. In Flower Fund, \$6.83. Total cash, \$285.12. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6: Instruction Books, 6: Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Excellent. Chapter opened shortly after 8:00 o'clock, all present except the Associate Patron and Warder. The Ritualistic work was rendered in a very efficient manner under the guidance of a very capable Worthy Matron and I am very partial to the Worthy Patron, who happens to be my husband. While lacking a large membership the true spirit of fraternal life exists and we are a happy group. I sincerely thank my beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and my personal appreciation for the privilege of serving in capacity of Deputy Grand Matron of this District.

DISTRICT No. 63.

Report of Mrs. Ella H. Yount, D. G. M.

GOLDEN RULE CHAPTER NO. 267.

Location, Imperial. Instituted February 21, 1908. Chartered October 21, 1908. Date of visit, April 1, 1932. Initiated, 2; dimitted, 7; suspended, 7. Total membership, 104. In commercial bank account, \$141.47. In Flower Fund, \$6.59. Total cash, \$148.06. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6: Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all jewels worn. Efficient and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, very interested and splendid corps of officers, eager for instruction, and floor work exemplified in a most beautiful manner. All officers present except Organist who was absent on account of illness. A very fine Secretary and books in excellent condition. Courtesies extended to me as their Deputy were greatly appreciated. This Chapter has loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

SIGNAL CHAPTER NO 276.

Location, El Centro. Instituted May 18, 1908. Chartered October 22, 1908. Date of visit, April 22, 1932. Initiated, 3; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 11; suspended, 17; died, 3. Total membership, 276. In savings bank account, \$83.34. In commercial bank account, \$284.57. In

General Savings, \$562.12. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$250. In Treasurer's Hands, \$40.88. In Altar Fund, \$110.21. Total cash and investments, \$1331.12. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present and jewels worn. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, assisted by a corps of officers anxious to do their work perfectly. A joy and pleasure to work with them. Very fine Secretary and Organist. A beautiful exemplification of the work. I shall always remember the gracious and beautiful welcome extended to me on my official visit. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

ALAMO CHAPTER NO. 289.

Location, Brawley. Instituted January 13, 1910. Chartered October 19, 1910. Date of visit, April 14, 1932. Initiated, 10; affiliated, 5; dimitted, 7; suspended, 4; died, 1. Total membership, 191. In savings bank account, \$55.47. In commercial bank account, \$551.06. In Masonic Hall Stock, \$100. In Treasurer's Hands, \$15.05. Total cash and investments, \$721.58. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. All officers present and jewels worn. A most gracious Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid corps of officers exemplified the work in a beautiful and impressive manner. Wonderful hospitality extended to all visitors. Exceptionally fine Organist. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I deeply appreciate the wonderful courtesies extended to me at all times. It has been a pleasure to act as their Deputy.

IMPERIAL CROWN CHAPTER NO. 311.

Location, Calexico. Instituted March 27, 1912. Chartered October 16, 1912. Date of visit, April 25, 1932. Initiated, 5; dimitted, 3; suspended, 6; died, 1. Total membership, 204. In savings bank account, \$618.68. In commercial bank account, \$211.76. In Treasurer's Hands, \$16. Total cash, \$846.44. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and jewels worn. A very sincere and earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who have extended me every courtesy. Efficient group of officers, eager for instruction, doing splendid work. This Chapter is enjoying happy and harmonious sur-

roundings with its members, Past Matrons and Past Patrons giving full support. It has been a great joy to work with these officers. The many courtesies extended during the year will always remain a bright spot in my memory.

ALAMITOS CHAPTER NO. 316.

Location, Holtville. Instituted February 13, 1913. Chartered October 22, 1913. Date of visit, April 13, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 4; dimitted, 3; suspended, 5. Total membership, 161. In commercial bank account, \$681.56. Cash in Treasurer's Hands, \$29.09. In Social account, \$25.18. In Expense account, \$50.91. Total cash, \$786.74. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present and jewels worn. A very friendly, prosperous Chapter under the leadership of a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron assisted by competent officers, who exemplified the work in a most creditable manner. An exceptionally fine Secretary. It has been a real pleasure to instruct this group of officers. I shall always remember the many courtesies during the year. Wonderful support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

BLYTHER CHAPTER NO. 359.

Location, Blythe. Instituted December 30, 1919. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, April 7, 1932. Initiated, 5; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 2; suspended, 8; died, 1. Total membership, 70. In commercial bank account, \$218.22. In Treasurer's Hands, \$38.40. Total cash, \$256.62. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock. Splendid Organist. All officers present and jewels worn. This little Chapter is very dear to my heart having lost their money through bank failure. I am most happy to report their affairs in first class condition. I was obliged to make two visits for instruction to this Chapter account of illness, and the long distances several of the officers travel to attend. Good attendance. Delightful hospitality existing. Lovable Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron. I am truly grateful and deeply appreciate the many loving courtesies extended to me as their Deputy.

COACHELLA VALLEY CHAPTER NO. 360.

Location, Coachella. Instituted February 7, 1920. Chartered October 20, 1920. Date of visit, April 26, 1932. Initiated, 4; affiliated, 1; dimitted, 4; suspended, 1. Total membership, 127. In savings bank account, \$283.68. In commercial bank account, \$150.86. In Special Fund, \$18.04. In Treasurer's Hands, \$64. Total cash, 516.58. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus and Labyrinth present. Black Book kept. General condition of Chapter: Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock, all officers present except Organist, who was absent account of illness. All jewel sworn. The work was well rendered by a sincere Worthy Matron assisted by a very capable Worthy Patron and splendid corps of officers, promoting cheerfulness and hospitality among members and visitors. Past Matrons and Past Patrons loyal and helpful. This is my own beloved Chapter, of which I am very proud. I am very grateful to our dear Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and for the great privilege of being of service to the Chapters of the 63rd District. I am deeply grateful to the members of my Chapter for their love and kindness to me. If I have been successful, it is due to their co-operation at all times. It was their faith in me which made it possible for me to serve as Deputy this year.

APPENDIX B

REPORT

OF

COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of the State of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

"The longest lane has a turning,
And the shortest journey must end;
We come with our treasures of travel
And Greetings to all we extend."

One year ago, through the courtesy of our Worthy Grand Matron, we were started on this wonderful journey north, east, south and west. It has been an honor and a privilege for us to serve as your Fraternal Correspondents, a most interesting and educational experience.

Early in the year the Proceedings of the Grand Jurisdictions began to arrive, the bindings were attractive and the colors appropriate to the Session which they represented, all bearing the emblem of our Order, together with the State Flower of many jurisdictions, they covered the proceedings with a quiet and simple dignity. Photogravures of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, together with the color tone of the Flags of our Country, State and Order are a part of each edition.

With the exceptions of the months of February, July and December, we have been unseen guests at these Grand Chapter Sessions, fifty-one of which we bring to you.

Through the medium of mind pictures we have seen Armories, Schools, Ball Rooms, Churches, Masonic and Shrine Temples transformed into beautiful meeting places. Flowers, ferns, palms and streamers of decorative material in the emblematic colors have been used in profusion. Words fail to convey the beauty of the scenes in these spacious auditoriums. Inspiring music, eloquent speeches, impressive ceremonies and elaborate entertainment have been a part of every session.

Beautifully gowned officers have entered the Grand Chapter Rooms as "Open the Gates of the Temple" was sung. Pageants, drills and receptions have been accompanied by musical selections.

The Grand Jurisdictions of Georgia, Louisiana, Arkansas and Oregon have had their Grand Chapter Chanters, or Vested Choir, all sisters gowned alike and perfectly drilled.

Escorts have included uniformed Knights Templar, DeMolay boys, Rainbow and Job's Daughters members.

With reverend ceremony "The Holy Bible" is opened upon every Altar. South Dakota, West Virginia, Iowa, Wyoming, Utah, New Jersey, Mississippi, Tennessee and North Carolina were honored by the presence of

the "Traveling Bible," which is now in its sixth year of travel around the world. This Book of Books is the property of R. T. King Chapter of Columbus, Ohio, and is sponsored by Brother W. S. Andres, Past Grand Patron. It has been used more than 1,500 times—has been in ten different countries, crossed the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, English Channel, Carribean Sea, Gulf of Mexico and Great Lakes. It is in Scotland for this year's session, but will return to the United States in 1933 to be at the World's Fair in Chicago.

The Flag of the United States of America needs no church banner above it, because it symbolizes Christianity in itself and is the living symbol of a Great Republic. Each Grand Chapter honors the National Emblem. The National Anthem is sung and the Pledge of Allegiance given and fitting tribute is paid in poetry and prose. In some States, Old Glory, The Union Jack, State Flags and Eastern Star Flag stand side by side in the Grand East.

Eloquent and witty addresses extending civic welcome are made by Governors of States, Mayors of Cities and representative heads of the Chambers of Commerce.

The splendid co-operation of the Masonic Fraternity is a source of inspiration and encouragement, fully expressed by the cordial welcome extended by Grand Masters of Masons, Imperial Potentates of Shrines and Grand Officers of Knights Templar, Scottish Rite and other Masonic bodies.

The Masonic Order recognizes the Eastern Star as its co-laborer in many States for their universal interest in caring for the aged and the dependent orphan.

There are forty-five Masonic and Eastern Star Homes, twelve exclusive Eastern Star Homes and ten States providing Orphanages.

The Mary Pinkney Ouzts Memorial, Eastern Star Home, at Greenwood, South Carolina, was dedicated September 4, 1930, and the Eastern Star Home at Littleton, Colorado, September 13, 1931.

South Carolina also has a Tubercular Cottage erected and furnished by Columbia Chapter No. 59.

The O.E.S. Florence Nightingale Home in Ontario is the only Eastern Star Home in Canada.

The Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Sister Minnie Evans Keyes, states that the Eastern Star is forming a golden chain around the world, reaching into far away Australia, as nearly every Grand Chapter has an Eastern Star Home.

Our Order is an international one. It is said that the sun never sets on our "Star." There are four sovereign bodies, The General Grand Chapter, Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland and the two independent Grand

Chapters of New Jersey and New York. The General Grand Chapter has supervision over 46 Grand Chapters in the United States, 7 in Canada, 1 in Porto Rico, 11 subordinate Chapters in Alaska, 4 in the Canal Zone, 5 in the Hawaiian Islands, 1 in the Yukon, 3 in Nova Scotia, 3 in Prince Edward Island, 1 in Mexico, 1 in the Philippine Islands and 2 in China.

Michigan is the oldest Grand Chapter, organized in 1867.

New Brunswick is the oldest Grand Chapter, organized in 1867.

Many Jurisdictions report a loss in membership. Illinois still holds the distinction of the largest Grand Chapter, with a membership of 196,149, a net loss for the year of 10,043. They have 850 chapters, with 201 in the city of Chicago.

Some one has said: "Coming together is a beginning, thinking together is unity, keeping together is progress, and working together is success." Such are the Schools of Instruction—they afford an opportunity for officers and members that could not be met otherwise. Several States have divided their jurisdictions into three districts, each supervised by an elective line officer. Proficiency in ritualistic work is attained under this splendid form of instruction. Some States present certificates to members attaining a rating of 95 per cent or better.

"Education means building lives of success." One of the outstanding features of our Order is the wonderful work being done by the Education Fund Committee, in assisting the youth of today to higher education. The Educational Fund which was first started in Louisiana is now maintained in more than forty states. Louisiana is the only state that does not charge interest on their loans.

In proportion to membership the Educational Fund of Utah is larger than any other jurisdiction. They have 18 Chapters with a membership of 2,930.

Iowa leads in the number of students (406) assisted.

North Carolina supports and educated more than 300 children.

Florida has an Eastern Star publication title "Home Echoes," edited by boys and girls of the Masonic Home. Georgia has a Masonic Home Print Shop. The Proceedings of Texas were printed and bound by students of the Print Shop of the Masonic Home School at Fort Worth, Texas.

Memorial services are conducted in all Grand Jurisdictions, honoring those who have joined the Grand Chapter above. Pages in all Proceedings are dedicated to their memory.

"They followed the star to the better land,
When the voice of the Master called clear,
They lovingly served with heart and hand
And answered the call without fear."

The Order of the Rainbow for Girls and Job's Daughters are sponsored in most every State and the organizations are growing rapidly. New York has an order known as the Daughters of Eastern Star and the Order of Beatitudes is sponsored by Florida.

Mrs. Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, made her first official visit to the Grand Chapter of Arkansas. She was a guest at many sessions, as was Mrs. Emma P. Chadwick, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron.

The Governor of South Carolina is also the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons.

A beautiful gavel made of olive wood from the Mount of Olives near Jerusalem was presented to the Grand Chapter of Florida, from Sister Marika Caravasios, Orthodox Greek, a member of Sebring Chapter No. 126.

Christmas and Easter Greetings were extended throughout Texas by their Worthy Grand Matron via radio.

New Hampshire reports the first new chapter in eight years.

Massachusetts records the first loss in membership in the history of their Grand Chapter.

The International Temple Fund is still growing.

A bugler from the State College sounded the "Call to Colors," for the Grand Chapter of New Mexico.

The Eastern Star Building at the Masonic Home in Ohio was a gift of the Grand Chapter.

Twenty-one children have been adopted from the Masonic Home at Louisiana.

Alaska has eleven Chapters, 800 miles apart.

We wish to thank our Worthy Grand Matron for the privilege we have enjoyed, and our Grand Secretary for her co-operation and assistance, also the Fraternal Correspondents of other Grand Jurisdictions for their splendid reports of our State of California.

As the Star of the East led the Wise Men of old, so have we followed here, there and everywhere, and now we are pleased to present our report for your approval.

Today is ours, Yesterday has slipped away, God has tomorrow.

Fraternally submitted,

EVA F. STEVENSON,

MINNIE V. COLLINS,

HAZEL T. SMOOT.

ALABAMA—Mrs. Pearl Dunlap Maynard—Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Joseph S. Southall—Worthy Grand Patron

Chartered Chapters, 248. Membership, 16,681. Net loss, 1838.

The Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Alabama, convened in the Grand Lodge Hall of Masonic Temple, at Montgomery, Tuesday evening, October 20, 1931. Music for the opening by Mrs. Elizabeth Glantz and Mr. R. B. Tisdale.

Knights Templar of Montgomery Commandery No. 4 dressed in full uniform marched into the spacious hall. After drilling, the Knights arranged themselves in a double line forming an arch of steel for the entrance of Pages, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons and Grand Officers.

The Pages dressed in pink satin with French Blue accessories, carried long stemmed roses with which an arch was formed.

The Grand Officers wore evening gowns of American Beauty Lace, and carried arm bouquets of Talisman Roses. After a specially prepared march they assumed their Stations.

Mrs. Louise Reed, Past Grand Matron, acting as Grand Marshal conducted the Opening. America was sung by the Assembly and the Pledge of Allegiance was given. Invocation by Mr. George A. Beauchamp, Past Grand Patron.

"Carry Me Back to Old Virginny" and "I Am Alone Because I Love You", were rendered by the Bicker-Steve Quartette.

Honorable Benjamin Meek Miller, Governor of Alabama, welcomed the Grand Chapter, on behalf of the State, and Honorable William A. Gunter, President of the City Commission of Montgomery, welcomed them to the City.

Liberty Chapter No. 254, Montgomery Chapter No. 180 and Elizabeth Armstrong Chapter No. 10, were represented by their Worthy Matrons, each bade a cordial welcome on behalf of the Eastern Stars of Montgomery.

Mr. James M. Jones, Jr., representing the Grand Lodge of Masons, Mr. Henry F. Williamson, the Royal Arch Masons and Judge David W. Crosland for the Knights Templar—greeted the Assembly on behalf of their several organizations, as did Mr. Claude Hendrix, Potentate of Alcazar Temple of the Mystic Shrine.

Mrs. Mary E. Causey, Associate Grand Matron, responded to the welcome addresses.

A Bible published in 1849, the property of Charity Chapter No. 1, was used for the opening of this 31st Session. It is time worn and ragged, having been in constant use since the Chapter was organized in 1890.

Distinguished Guests were present from Florida, Tennessee, Connecticut, New York, Mississippi, Georgia, Missouri and Kentucky. Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Alabama were introduced and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, presented with gifts of silver, escorted to the East and accorded Grand Honors. Twenty-three Grand Representatives were present. Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons serving during the Grand Matron's year, were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. Section Chairmen and Pages were introduced. Assembly Singing was enjoyed throughout the Session.

The Worthy Grand Matron installed officers in 15 Chapters, and acted as Grand Chaplain in her own Chapter as a memorial to Mother.—She was present at the opening of the Grand Lodge of Masons, and addressed the Grand Body. Together with her Grand Officers she was a guest at the Grand Assembly Order of the Rainbow for Girls, in Birmingham.

Marbury Chapter No. 370 and Julia Beauchamp Chapter No. 271 were consolidated.

Two new Chapters were constituted. Christmas and Easter Greetings were sent to all Chapters. All Chapters were requested to pay a fitting tribute to the memory of Robert Morris—on his Natal Day, August 31st. A picture of Robert Morris was presented to the Grand Chapter by Mrs. Etta B. Smith, Past Grand Matron, a gift from the grand-daughter of Robert Morris, who lives in Decatur, Alabama, and a member of Mary Lou Darcy Chapter No. 320.

The Worthy Grand Patron visited many Chapters and was especially grateful for the many courtesies extended. One dispensation for a new Chapter was granted.

The State is divided into three districts, Northern, Central and Southern, under the supervision of the Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress. The duty of these District Heads is to help in any part of the work, also to install officers and superintend Schools of Instruction. A detailed account is in the proceedings. All Chapters attaining a grade of 95% or better are given Proficiency Certificates by these Division Deputies.

A resolution that \$10,000 of the Home Fund be appropriated to the Masonic Home was adopted. A detailed account of gifts and their approximate value, and Chapters and Clubs donating same is contained in the report of the Masonic Home Committee. The delegates, members

and visitors of the Grand Chapter were taken by auto the Alabama Masonic Home, and shown through the building by the boys and girls.

A memorial service was held under the direction of Mrs. Julia Beauchamp, P. G. M. The Altar was draped in memory of those who had passed to the Grand Chapter above:

"There's a Road Beyond Tomorrow,
Where the skies are blue again.
There is hope to follow sorrow
Just as sunshine follows rain.
And although the rain is falling
And the skies are gray, not blue,
On the Road Beyond Tomorrow
God is waiting there for you."

Dr. Robert F. Lovelady, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M. was presented by the Grand Conductress, and escorted to the East. A short address was given extending Masonic Hospitality.

Mrs. Carrie Stern, Grand Esther, was called to her home on account of the death of a Sister. A message of sympathy was sent from the Grand Chapter.

Charters were granted to Edgar Waymen Chapter No. 396. Effie Moore Chapter No. 400 and Barbour County Chapter No. 378. Due to loss by fire a new Charter was given Dozier Chapter No. 357, free of charge.

A "Good Luck Drill", in honor of the Worthy Grand Matron by 26 Past Matrons of Jefferson County, 13 dressed in blue and 13 in pink, all wearing sun-bonnets, was well executed—a four leaf clover and horse shoe were formed. Alabama has a Hospital Visiting Committee, who report total number of members in hospitals, 73; visits made, 3026; Flowers 803 baskets and vases; 58 wreaths; Post cards and letters, 304; Fruit, candy and trays, 545; 33 Magazines and 2 quilts.

Preceding the Installation, a Pageant, "Tribute to our Heroines," written and directed by Mrs. Louise Reed, Past Grand Matron, was presented.

Mrs. Etta B. Smith, P. G. M. was Installing Officer, assisted by Pattie Whare, Grand Chaplain. Ruth Gillespie, Grand Marshal, and Blanch Hill, Grand Organist.

Past Grand Officers jewels were presented to the retiring Grand Officers.

After the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" and prayer, the Grand Chapter was declared closed.

32nd Annual Session to be held in Montgomery, Alabama, October 18-19-20, 1932.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mary E. Causey, Worthy Grand Matron.

James J. Jones, Worthy Grand Patron.

Florence G. Newsom, Grand Secretary.

ARIZONA

Total Chapters, 36. Membership, 5,767.

The Thirty-second Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Arizona was assembled in the Scottish Rite Cathedral, Tucson, Arizona, March 9, 1932.

At 2:15 P. M. Grand Chapter was called to order by Sister Blanche Whetsine, Past Grand Matron. Sister Esther Henning, Worthy Grand Matron, assumed her station and the gavel.

The Stars and Stripes were presented on the stage in tableau, the Flag flying in the distance and Sister Ruth Blankenship as the Statue of Liberty in the foreground. The "Star Spangled Banner" was sung and the Pledge of Allegiance given, followed by a tribute to the Flag by the Grand Marshal, Sister Shaw, a member of Queen City Chapter of Ontario, presented the Canadian Flag, and Sister Jane Wilson presented the Eastern Star Flag.

Eleven Past Grand Matrons and eight Past Grand Patrons were present. Brother Mark Sexton, Past Grand Patron of Oklahoma, and founder of the Order of Rainbow for Girls; Sister Sexton, Grand Warden of Oklahoma; and the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Arizona, Clarence Tully, were presented, escorted to the East and given Grand Honors.

The Worthy Grand Matron reviewed her work for the past thirteen months and said: "I was installed Friday, February 13th, and served thirteen months. I can say number 13 holds no unlucky thoughts for me." Sister Henning was able to visit all of the Subordinate Chapters individually. Among the Chapters she found the greatest courtesy and peace and harmony abounded everywhere.

Brother William W. Akers, Worthy Grand Patron, thanked the Grand Chapter for the honors bestowed on him and the opportunity for greater service to the Order as Grand Patron. He reported making fifteen Official Visits. He also felt the number 13 had been especially kind to him.

The very beautiful Memorial Service was conducted by the Grand Officers.

Report of the Educational Fund Trustee showed that nineteen loans had been made to girls during the year. A total of 53 were still being assisted by the Fund.

Sister Florence Drachman was Grand Installing Officer, assisted by Sister Anna B. Ming, Grand Marshal.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Ruby Woolf, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother Steele Woods, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Katherine Burgoon, Grand Secretary.

ARKANSAS

Number of Chapters 212.

Membership 14,065.

The fifty-sixth annual session of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star convened in the Albert Pike Memorial Temple on November 16th, 1931, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. It was called the Autumn Session.

The spacious auditorium with its softly shaded lights, whose beauty was enhanced by the most realistic autumn scene, where gently falling leaves with their golden hues, seemed like a mighty flower garden blossoming under the spell of our radiant star. Eighteen members of the choir from Liberty Chapter No. 402 entered, attired in long white net gowns over yellow satin, each carrying a small white bible, were in turn followed by the pages, whose long satin dresses were in lovely flame reds, while the Deputy Grand Matrons following were in gowns of lighter yellow. The choir circled the chapter room and assumed stations on either side in the East, forming an escort for the Pages and Deputies.

Most effective was the entrance of the Grand Officers, presenting a pleasing picture, in long dresses fashioned of a soft light yellow satin. A huge chrysanthemum was carried in each right hand, as they marched through the various figures. A star was formed, and deputies and pages stepped into places outlined a pentagon, this position being held while "Star in the East" was very softly sung. Arches were formed with the flowers, while the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the East.

The Grand Chapter stood at attention during the presentation of the National Emblem and the Pledge of Allegiance was followed by the sing-

ing of the National Anthem. The State Flag was presented and the State song "Arkansas" was sung by the Assembly.

The Mayor, Horace A. Knowlton, was pleasingly introduced by the Worthy Grand Matron, and the official welcome for the city of Little Rock was extended by him. He stated that a good many years ago his grandfather, W. K. Dobbins, was Worthy Grand Patron of Arkansas and about forty years ago his mother was Associate Grand Matron and he felt just a little bit like he was among friends. Quoting from his remarks: "I appreciate the privilege of speaking to an organization which stands for higher citizenship, loftier ideals, and Christianity. Civilization depends on the government, and civilization cannot progress without the Church and without fraternalism, such as you represent. Never was the need of co-operation greater than now, and we feel that an organization like yours, has been the means of helping make our State a better and happier place in which to live. Let us have greater confidence in ourselves and in each other; greater interest in our State and its affairs."

The Grand Marshal escorted Mr. C. Eugene Smith, Deputy of the Supreme Council in Arkansas for the Scottish Rite Bodies, to the East. In the course of his remarks he said "I am sincerely hopeful that this is the last time that I will have to greet you as 'ladies' inasmuch as I have finally seen the error of my ways and have been so bold as to petition for the work of the Order of the Eastern Star in one of the Little Rock Chapters. In fact, I was very much pleased to receive in the mail this morning, notice of my election to receive the degrees, and unless some unforeseen calamity occurs, Thursday night I will be initiated and at the next session of the Grand Chapter I will be able to say 'Sisters and Brothers'".

At this time the Worthy Grand Matron stated that a very distinguished guest was present, the Most Worthy Grand Matron, and asked the Grand Conductress to present her for introduction. In greeting Sister Schanbacher, the Most Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Grand Matron, Amy E. Stuttle, told her how happy she was that Arkansas should be her very first official visit and how honored she felt to be the first Grand Matron to welcome her officially to the United States, after which she was escorted to the East, introduced by the Worthy Grand Matron and given the Grand Honors. Mrs. Marguerite V. Dunn of St. Paul, Minnesota, Right Worthy Grand Trustee of the General Grand Chapter, and Mrs. Ann Castleton Dial, recently appointed member of the Credentual Committee of the General Grand Chapter, were escorted to the East. There were a number of other distinguished visitors introduced and cordially greeted. Fifteen Past Worthy Grand Matrons and eight Past Worthy Grand Patrons were presented. Others presented were the Deputy Grand Lecturers, Grand Representatives of other Jurisdictions, Pages and another distin-

guished brother, Andrew J. Russell, M. W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M. of Arkansas, who gave a most interesting talk on George Washington, the Father of our Country, and Martha Washington.

The address of the Worthy Grand Matron was interesting and instructive. She became an honorary member of 54 Chapters, also honored with membership in the Grand Chapter of Oklahoma and Tennessee and of the Past Matrons and Patrons' Club of each, also the Past Matrons' Club of Ft. Smith Chapter. She was successful in reaching every Chapter in the State with the assistance and splendid co-operation of her corps of deputies.

The Worthy Grand Patron in the course of his remarks stated that the past year has been one of the most happy and most treasured of his life.

The report of the Grand Secretary showed that there are 212 Chapters of record. Also, that requests have come from other states relative to their educational Loan Fund System which has proved a decided success.

The following is quoted from the Report of the Educational Loan Fund Committee:

"Here it will be interesting to recall some of the trying times when we were without a penny and had twenty-three students in college depending upon our promise to finance them through the year. After we had exhausted every avenue we knew to borrow money from banks and from friends, on December 28th we wrote our students we could no longer finance them.

On December 30th a good brother in our Order let us have \$850. enough to meet our January and February advances. On that day a letter was sent to all our students advising them we had sufficient funds for two months, and that we hoped with what we might collect from students and the Chapters of the State be able to contribute, to meet our obligations to them for the remainder of the school year.

Chapters were then notified of our financial condition, and an appeal was made for contributions. To this appeal the response was little less than miraculous. How you were able to respond so generously at that time of financial strain, we have not been able to figure out, but you saved us. By the end of February we had sufficient money for March advances; at the end of March, money was on hand for April advances; and so with May; and by the first of June we had all the student advances made and \$550 over. This was applied on our indebtedness, leaving a balance of \$300 yet to be paid. By the end of August, with the help of our Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer, this was paid with plenty on hand and

in sight to make loans to eight of our old students." * * * * * "To date sixty-nine loans have been made, the amount loaned being nearly \$13,000."

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Elizabeth Cotton, Worthy Grand Matron.
Mr. A. P. Greene, Worthy Grand Patron.
Mrs. Etta C. Lynn, Grand Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Emily Maxwell—Worthy Grand Matron
Eldrich Deller—Worthy Grand Patron

Chartered Chapters, 51 Membership 5065 Net gain 25

The 20th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of British Columbia, Order of The Eastern Star, convened in Legion Memorial Hall, New Westminster, June 16th and 17th, 1931.

Sister Jennie Cornett Past Grand Matron was escorted to the Grand East, by her daughter, Margaret Cornett, Sister Alice Savage Grand Marshal, Sister Rose Campell, P. G. M. as Grand Lectuerer and Lillian Wilson Grand Organist, were escorted to their respective stations by three of the Pages.

Grand Chapter was called to order by Sister Jennie Cornet, P. G. M. who directed the Grand Marshal to invite the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter Room. Pages and Ushers formed a semi-circle in the East. All Grand Officers were present.

A basket of roses was presented to the Worthy Grand Matron, on behalf of the Entertaining Chapter by Sister Mary E. Kirkham, Worthy Matron of Royal City Chapter No. 7 of New Westminster.

The Constitutional number of chartered chapters being represented Grand Chapter was duly openend and proclaimed so by the Grand Marshal.

The Grand Marshal presented the "Flag of our Country", the Assembly singing "O Canada," after which it was borne to the Grand East. Tribute to the Flag was given by Bro. L. C. Brockway, Associate Grand Patron who said in part: "In an organization such as ours, in which our whole ceremony is taught by symbols, it is but fitting that the practical completion of our opening ceremony in every Chapter is the presentation of that great symbol of our whole Empire, our Flag, the symbolic emblem of the *British Empire* and the *Dominions overseas*, of which our beloved Canada is the first and foremost part. In the folds of its colors Red is

an emblem of courage of truth, the White Cross an emblem of purity, and the Blue background an emblem of fidelity to kindred and friends."

A welcome to the city of New Westminster was given by Mr. Courtney, acting Mayor of New Westminster, who brought regrets from His Worship, Mayor Gray, who was unavoidably absent. He trusted that the deliberations would be very successful, that every one would feel very much at home and that all would want to come again. Worthy Grand Patron responded in behalf of the Grand Chapter.

Fraser Valley Chapters were represented by Bessie Innes, Worthy Matron of Fraser Chapter No. 30 of Ladner. "We take the greatest of pleasure in extending to every one of you our fraternal love and most cordial welcome." Sister Grace Wilcox very graciously replied, hoping their Session would be tempered with Peace, Harmony, Truth and loving Kindness, and that they might be guided by Him, Whose all-seeing eye is ever upon us.

Mrs. Maude L. Cullins, W. G. M. of Alberta, Mrs. Carrie Myers, W. G. M. and Bro. Matthies, W. G. P. of Washington, Mrs. Amelia Mattis, Grand Ruth of Washington, Mr. Floyd Ellis, Grand Sentinel of Washington and Sister Nan Martin, P. G. M. of Nebraska, were among the distinguished guests present. Two Past Grand Matrons and three Past Grand Patrons were escorted to the East and accorded Grand Honors. Ten Past Grand Matrons and three Past Grand Patrons of British Columbia were also escorted and accorded Grand Honors.

Sister Henrietta Findler, Past Matron of Ruth Chapter No. 22 of Saanichton, welcomed the Past Grand Officers.

Sister Daisy Smith of Chilliwack Chapter No. 49, responded for the 8 Pages who were introduced and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Margaret Campbell responded to the Worthy Grand Matrons welcome to the 12 Ushers also Sisters saying it was a pleasure for them to serve the Grand Chapter in this way.

Sister Grace Reed was presented by the Grand Conductress, she is the oldest member in British Columbia and attends every Session, she was welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and escorted to a seat in the Grand East and presented with flowers on behalf of Royal City Chapter No. 7 of New Westminster.

The Associate Grand Matron, Grace E. Wilcox, had the pleasure of presenting her mother and father, Sister and Brother Murer of Idaho.

A special session of Grand Chapter was called on Sept. 2nd, 1930 for the purpose of constituting Florence Chapter U. D., the session was held in Native Son's Hall at Courtney, the W. G. M. was assisted by many

Grand Officers and after the Constitution No. 53 was given this new Chapter. The Officers were installed and the Special Session closed.

The Worthy Grand Matron had an active year, her motto "Service above Self". Every Chapter in the Province was visited. Chapters were requested to be prompt in opening so as to close not later than 11:00 P. M. To strive for perfection in Ritualistic work. In conferring degrees to make work as impressive as possible. To cultivate the social side, by inviting nearby Chapters, and to make as many fraternal visits as convenient, especially to the smaller Chapters, observance of these instructions will fulfill my vision of a wonderful year, filled with golden deeds. Appreciation for all courtesies extended, and thanks to all officers and committees is contained in the report. Also a pleasure to have had the opportunity of installing the officers in many Chapters.

The O. E. S. Home Fund was started June 5, 1922, with the sum of \$44.14 from Robert Morris Chapter, donations from \$2 to \$100 have been received amounting to \$854.45. Grand total in fund, \$8,966.31. Grand Chapter donated \$100 to the fund. Benevolent Work is truly an inspiration.

Kerrisdale Chapter No. 38, Queen Esther Chapter No. 12, Princess Patricia Chapter No. 9, Marpole Chapter No. 35, Maple Leaf Chapter No. 19, Fraser Chapter No. 30, Queen City Chapter No. 5 and Victoria Chapter No. 17, combined their efforts and provided a fully equipped bed for the new Shrine Unit, in Queen Alexandria Solarium at Mill Bay. Grace Chapter at Powell River are helping to brighten the lives of children. In Nakusp Hospital, Grand Forks and Vernon, each O. E. S. Chapter is supporting beds and wards, throughout the Jurisdiction all Chapters are engaged in some service of Love.

The Worthy Grand Matron attended the Grand Chapters of Washington and Oregon and was a guest in many subordinate Chapters. Many Honorary memberships received, and find the general condition of all Chapters good.

The slogan of the Grand Patron was "Service," and True Happiness comes through service, for they who sow courtesy reap friendship, and they who plant kindness gather love, upon which the principles of our Order are based, "Love One Another."

To those who have passed to the Grand Chapter above, where sorrow cannot enter and parting never comes.

That somewhere back of the sunset,
Where loveliness never dies,
They live in a land of glory,
Mid the blue and gold of the skies.

Appropriate memorial service was conducted.

An invitation from the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Emma P. Chadwick, to carry the Canadian Flag and give a short talk at the General Grand Chapter in San Antonio, Texas was considered a very great honor by the Worthy Grand Patron. Many invitations were received by him and some accepted.

International Temple Fund of \$232.80 was transferred to the O. E. S. Home Fund.

Benevolent Fund—assistance given \$5,145.90.

22 Grand Representatives from other Grand Jurisdictions were presented, given red roses by the Pages and welcomed by Bro. Jno. N. McLeod, P. G. P.

Sister Mary Pope, Grand Rep. from Nebraska, replied:

"Life can hold no greater treasures
Than the friends whose love we share."

Voted that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron be the delegate to the General Grand Chapter, all expenses to be paid. Worthy Grand Patron, Bro. Deller, also to be a delegate.

The Assembly voted unanimously in favor of the organization of Job's Daughters. Bro. Jno. McLeod donated \$25 toward the formation. Sister Nan Martin, P. G. M. of Nebraska, is also Supreme Secretary of Job's Daughters, spoke in behalf of the Order.

Degree work of the Macoy Ritual of 50 years ago, was a social feature very much enjoyed.

The Installation of the newly elected and appointive Grand Officers was beautiful and impressive. Sister Ralphia was Installing Officer assisted by many other Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons.

Jewels were presented to the retiring Grand Officers. At this time, Sister Hazel Freeze, Grand Secretary, presented to the Grand Chapter the Past Grand Matrons Jewel which had belonged to her mother. Sister Maria Bryant Foster, which was presented to Sister Foster after she had presided at the Grand Chapter Session held in New Westminster in 1918. Sister Freeze wished this Jewel to be known as the Foster Jewel and that it be worn by each Worthy Grand Matron during her term of office, and expressed her pleasure that Sister Wilcox, a member of her own Chapter, was the first to wear this jewel.

Grand Chapter was closed with the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again".

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Grace E. Wilcox, Worthy Grand Matron.

L. C. Brockway, Worthy Grand Patron.

Hazel Freeze, Grand Secretary.

The 21st Annual Session to be held in Vancouver, June 21 and 22, 1932.

COLORADO

Total Chapters, 120.

Membership, 25,279.

The Thirty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the State of Colorado was held in the Municipal Auditorium, Colorado Springs, September 18, 1931.

This Session was known as the "Rose Session" and the Grand Chapter room had been transformed into a bower of roses. Sister Katie J. Davis, Past Grand Matron, and Brother Willard W. Adams, Past Grand Patron, formally opened the Grand Chapter Session. Worthy Grand Matron Sister Kate C. Adams and Worthy Grand Patron Brother Fred J. Kamm were escorted to the East and given Grand Honors. The Grand Chapter Officers resumed their stations.

The Flag of our country, the Colorado State Flag and the Eastern Star Flag were presented by Sister Lela C. Moore, Grand Marshal, who gave a fitting tribute to Old Glory. Pledge of Allegiance was given by the Assembly.

Many distinguished guests were presented and honored, among whom were Sister Carrie F. McLaughlin, Worthy Grand Martha and Past Grand Matron of Wyoming; Brother Leonard E. Wise, member of the International Temple Committee and Past Grand Patron of Colorado; Sister Blanche L. Innes, Worthy Grand Matron of Wyoming; Sister Viola V. Vincent, Grand Marshal of Oklahoma; Sister Laurene McKee, Grand Organist of Oklahoma; Sister Mary F. Elliott, Past Grand Matron; and Brother David Muir, Past Grand Patron of Wyoming.

Eleven Past Grand Matrons and ten Past Grand Patrons were introduced and honored.

On Sunday, September 13, 1931, amidst a throng of 3,000 people, the Eastern Star Home at Littleton was dedicated. So was brought to a successful completion the work started six years ago. Sister Kate C. Adams said, in dedicating this beautiful edifice: "I would dedicate this building to the use for which it was erected, to the high ideals of the

Eastern Star, to the tenderest and sweetest principles, to the wives, daughters, mothers, widows and sisters of Master Masons and in His Holy Name, and by virtue of the power vested in me, by the Grand Chapter of Colorado, Order of the Eastern Star, I do dedicate this building to the service of God, trusting that its doors will ever be unlocked with the Key of His teachings." The donor of the site for the Home, Brother Robert Russell, of Middlefield Farm, Littleton, a member of Weston Lodge No. 22, A. F. & A. M., was present at the dedication.

The Grand Matron reported that she had made eighty-nine official visits and expressed her heartfelt appreciation for the courtesies extended to her and the many honors bestowed upon her by the subordinate Chapters of the State and their members.

The Worthy Grand Patron also expressed his thanks for the pleasure and honor that had been his during the year as Grand Patron. He reported that he had been able to make fifteen of the Grand Matron's Official Visits.

The Associate Grand Matron reported that, at the request of the Worthy Grand Matron and acting under her authority and commission, she had made twenty-nine Official Visits.

Report of the Educational Loan Fund was most interesting. Since this fund was created in 1924, forty students have been assisted and eight new students had been helped during the past year.

A touching and beautiful Memorial Service was conducted by the Grand Officers for those Sisters and Brothers who, "Their work finished—had fallen into Eternal Sleep."

Sister Kate C. Adams, Grand Matron, assisted by Sisters Lela C. Moore, Grand Marshal, Ada Schrock-McClure, Grand Chaplain, and Helen V. Smith, Grand Organist, installed the Grand Officers for the ensuing year.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Katherine M. Jackson, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother Daniel S. DeNeed, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Nelle Wist, Grand Secretary.

CONNECTICUT

58th Annual Session, January 27-28, 1932.

Membership, 27,877.

Chapters, 97.

The Grand Chapter of Connecticut, Order of the Eastern Star was called to order by Jennie E. Stevens, Jr., Past Grand Matron, at 10:20 A. M., who extended greetings. The Grand Officers entered and assumed their respective stations.

The Honorable Samuel R. Spencer, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Connecticut, was introduced and welcomed the assembly. In the course of his remarks he referred to a text quoted by Governor Cross in his New Year's greeting to the people of the State of Connecticut "Bear Ye One Another's Burdens," saying that this is the spirit which animates every worth while man and woman in these troublous times.

The Most Worshipful Howard A. Middleton, Grand Master of Masons of Connecticut, also gave a very inspiring address.

Distinguished visitors present: Past Grand Matron, Jennie E. Stevens, a member of the Charters Committee of the General Grand Chapter; Blanche L. Pearson, Grand Conductress of Massachusetts; Maude S. Scampton, *Grand Ruth of Massachusetts*, were escorted to the East.

Helen Graham, Past Matron of Azalia Chapter No. 2, and the only living charter member of the Grand Chapter was present.

Thirty-eight Grand Representatives of the various jurisdictions responded to roll call; twenty-four Past Grand Matrons and fifteen Past Grand Patrons were presented and welcomed.

Many telegrams and letters were received from other Grand Jurisdictions.

Report of Committee on Necrology.

Two from the circle of Past Grand Matrons have been added to the list of honored dead.

Sorrow entered the home of the Worthy Grand Matron, Carolyn S. Lawrence during the year. On August 28th, her dear husband, Robert Lawrence, answered the call of the silent messenger.

The Grand Matron in her report referring to her official visits said: "I found a wonderful fraternal spirit among the members rendering unselfish service to each other and getting a broader vision of the great possibilities that lie before us in service to God, to country and each other."

She reported that she received honorary memberships in 92 Chapters, made sixty-three official visits and eighteen fraternal visits.

In the report of the Committee on Eastern Star Educational Assistance Fund, it was recommended that it would be better to wait a year before recommending to Grand Chapter a raise of 5 or 10 cents per capita to build up this fund, so that the work can be continued, it was suggested to the incoming Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron that they co-operate and present in every Chapter they visit a brief outline of this splendid work for education "Education means building lives of success—making our boys and girls citizens of the type we want them to be. What greater and better gift can we offer our country than to assist in providing means for the education of our youth."

The Worthy Grand Patron reported that he visited 81 out of the 97 Chapters throughout the Grand Jurisdiction.

A very impressive and beautiful installation closed this Grand Session.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Ida B. Nixon.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. George R. Sturges.

Grand Secretary, Mrs. Harriet I. Burwell.

DELAWARE

Total Chapters, 13.

Membership, 1,970.

The Grand Chapter of Delaware, Order of the Eastern Star, convened in its tenth annual session in the duBarry Room of the Hotel duPont Biltmore, Wilmington, Delaware, at 2:00 P. M., May 20, 1931.

Senior Past Grand Matron and Patron, Sister Julia M. Story and Brother Harry F. Newlin, presided during the opening of the Grand Session. After the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Irma Baker Barr, and the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Walter E. Dawdon, were presented and given the Grand Honors, a beautiful drill was executed by the Officers of Radiant Chapter No. 6.

Grand Secretary reported nine Chapters represented and seventy-six delegates present.

The Grand Marshal presented the American Flag and gave a fitting tribute, after which the assembly, led by the Grand Patron, gave the Allegiance to the Flag, and all joined in singing the "Star Spangled Banner." The State Flag of Delaware was presented and the Grand Chapter sang "Our Delaware."

Sister Keyes, Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter, was received and given the Grand Honors. Other distinguished guests were Sister Benjamin, Worthy Grand Electa, Past Grand Matron of Utah and Supreme Guide of the Supreme Council of Job's Daughters; Sister Annie Hoyt, Past Grand Matron of Virginia; Sister Bessie M. Mound, Past Grand Matron of Maryland; Sister Amanda Hickman, Junior Past Grand Matron of Maryland; Sister Katherine Merritt, Junior Past Grand Matron of District of Columbia; Brother C. C. Galloway, Past Grand Patron of District of Columbia; Brother Leonard Mason, Past Grand Patron of Maryland; and Brother C. H. Beech, Past Grand Patron of Maryland. These sisters and brothers were given a hearty welcome, escorted to the Grand East and given Grand Honors. Many visiting Grand Officers were also welcomed at this time.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of the State of Delaware were escorted, introduced and given Grand Honors.

The Grand Matron reported her visits to all Chapters in the State and complimented the presiding officers of these Chapters for the splendid condition and the slow but continued growth of their Chapters. She expressed her gratitude for many honors given her. Closing her interesting report with these beautiful words:

"My world has been filled with roses,
Each rose was filled with dew,
Every petal filled with love
For each one of you."

The Worthy Grand Patron reported that he had been happy to visit all subordinate Chapters and had deemed it a privilege to have assisted in the Installation of Officers of every Chapter but one during his term of office.

Report of the International Temple Committee had through their efforts and the generosity of subordinate Chapters collected \$532.70 for this most worthy cause.

A history of the first ten years of the Grand Chapter of Delaware was read by Sister Horn and ordered spread upon the minutes.

Sister Rose Newlin, Past Grand Matron, acted as installing officer.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Mary M. Clower, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother Frank L. Howard, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Etta M. Keys, Grand Secretary.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Total number of Chapters, 40. Total membership, 12,089

A special session of this Grand Chapter was held on April 11th, 1931, at the Masonic Temple in Washington, D. C. to pay the last tribute of respect to Sister Helen E. Barnard, Past Worthy Grand Matron. The Grand Chapter was opened by W. G. M. Amy C. Hollander, with all Grand Officers present. The Worthy Grand Matron announced the death of Sister Barnard, which occurred on April 8th, 1931, and appointed a committee on resolutions to report at the May session. The Grand Chapter then attended the funeral services, the burial services being performed by the Grand Officers, after which the Grand Chapter returned to the Masonic Temple and closed in short form.

On May 4th, 1931, the Grand Chapter held a stated session at Marian Temple in Washington, D. C., being called to order by P. G. M. Katherine S. Meritt, who instructed the Grand Marshal to invite all Grand Officers to enter the Chapter room. The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were graciously received by Sister Meritt. There being a constitutional number of Chapters represented, the Grand Chapter was opened in due form by the Worthy Grand Matron.

The presentation and pledge of allegiance to the American Flag was followed by announcement of the appointment of six Pages by the Worthy Grand Matron. Distinguished guests were then presented and escorted to the East, notably Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter, Minnie E. Keyes. The minutes of the special session of April 11th were read and approved, followed by the reading of the resolutions on the passing of Sister Helen E. Barnard. After disposal of the regular schedule of business, the Grand Chapter was closed in regular form by the Worthy Grand Matron.

The Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of the District of Columbia for the 36th annual session, convened in the Auditorium of the Masonic Temple, January 14th, 1932.

Past Grand Matron, Katherine S. Meritt, called the Grand Chapter to order and issued the usual instructions. All Grand Officers were in their stations. The Pledge of allegiance was made to the American Flag in the East and the ten Pages presented and given the Grand Honors. Then followed a reception of Grand Representatives from 44 Jurisdictions. They were welcomed by the Associate Grand Matron.

The Worthy Grand Matron reports having visited with the Worthy Grand Patron all of the Chapters in the jurisdiction, between September and November. They also visited jurisdictions in Maryland and Virginia.

The report of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home Board shows a wonderful work being done. It shows a total on hand of \$21,778.20, making a per capita of about \$1.80 per member.

In the address of the Worthy Grand Patron, we learn that he was Master of his Lodge and Worthy Grand Patron at the same time. He visited all constituent Chapters with the Worthy Grand Matron with one exception.

The Grand Secretary stated that she was pleased to say that she had served the Grand Chapter for 32 years.

There was realized \$1225.50 from 10% assessment for Masonic Employment Bureau.

The Grand Lecturer reported having visited all Chapters, been present at 89 rehearsals and held 18 schools of instruction.

The O. E. S. Temple Committee collected \$1668 from Chapters. The Trustees of the National Capital O. E. S. Temple reported a total of \$67,220.98. The Masonic and Eastern Star Home report that 115 are being cared for.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Worthy Grand Matron, Edith A. Williams.

Worthy Grand Patron, Paul B. Cromelin.

Grand Secretary, Rose A. Yost.

FLORIDA

Total Chapters, 162.

Membership, 16,654.

The Twenty-eighth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the State of Florida convened in the Auditorium of Daytona Beach on April 13th, 1932. The Auditorium was transformed into a beautiful tropical garden. Over the stage hung an illuminated star bearing the word "Service," the watchword of the Worthy Grand Matron during her year.

The Chapters of Jacksonville sang "Open Ye Portals" and promptly at 10:00 A. M., Past Grand Patron, Brother Bradford C. Webb, opened the Grand Chapter Session of the State of Florida. Sister Lena Bird, Past Grand Matron, welcomed the Grand Chapter Delegates and the many visitors from Sister Grand Jurisdictions. Little Jean Mae Donovan, charming daughter of the Worthy Grand Matron, accompanied by the Knights Templar of Oriental Commandery No. 9, Daytona Beach, made an imposing escort to the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mae T. Donovan, and Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Bob R. Milam, and other *Grand Officers into the Grand Chapter Room.*

A beautiful gavel made of olive wood from the Mount of Olives near Jerusalem was presented to the Grand Chapter by Sister Lulu M. Scott, Past Grand Matron. This was a gift from Sister Marika Caravasios, Orthodox Greek, a member of Sebring Chapter No. 126.

After a very impressive Flag Ceremony, Sister Donovan, Worthy Grand Matron, gave a fitting tribute to our Flag.

Among the many distinguished guests welcomed were Sister Annie Graham Ward, Worthy Grand Matron of Georgia; Brother Fred E. Briggs, Grand Patron of Massachusetts; Sister Helen M. Anderson, Past Grand Matron of Illinois; and Sister Lena Lamb, Past Grand Matron of Massachusetts.

This Grand Chapter maintains an Eastern Star publication titled "Home Echoes." Sister Villa E. Fisher, editor, reported splendid progress and invited the delegates to visit the print shop of this paper, where the work is done by young boys and girls of the Masonic Home.

Four years ago the "Order of Beatitudes" was instituted and sponsored by the Grand Chapter of Florida. It was reported that there were now seven "Mounts" in existence with a membership of 235 girls.

The trustees of the Masonic Home reported a total number of residents in the Home of 129. They expressed their gratitude for the interest shown by all and for the many gifts received during the year.

A Student Loan Fund having been instituted by the Grand Matron during her year, fifty-six Chapters were thanked for their cooperation and generosity.

Sister Mae Donovan, Worthy Grand Matron, assisted by Sister Hattie Bloomquist, Grand Chaplain; Sister Myrtle B. Smith, Grand Marshal; and Sister Myrtle L. Huston, Grand Organist, installed the Grand Officers.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Katherine McKay, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother George A. Miller, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Martha H. Carter, Grand Secretary.

GEORGIA

Mrs. Mary Thomas Bush—Worthy Grand Matron.

R. E. Elliott—Worthy Grand Patron.

Membership, 9756.

Net Loss, 1242.

The 30th annual session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Georgia, convened in the Volunteers Armory, at Macon, Ga., June 9th, 1931. A color scheme of lavender and yellow had been selected for the occasion. Many streamers were suspended from the ceiling, at the end of each was fastened a large butterfly.

The Grand Officers wore lavender sport dresses. Mrs. Lucille Suttles, Grand Organist, rendered a piano solo, before the Grand Session was called to order by Mrs. Lula Wisdom, Past Grand Matron.

The Atlantic Chanters, a band of singers, organized by Mrs. Suttles, Grand Organist, singing "America the Beautiful," preceded the Grand Officers into the Grand Chapter room. The Pages dressed in yellow organ-die with lavender velvet sashes, crowns of roses, caught together with large butterflies, carrying wands of gold, with a butterfly perched on top, exe-

cuted a beautiful drill then formed an aisle from the Altar to the Grand East as the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to their stations. All Grand Officers were present. The Grand Marshal carried our Country's Flag to the East. The "Star Spangled Banner", was sung, and the pledge of allegiance given. The Georgia State Flag was carried by the Associate Grand Conductress to the strains of "Glory, Glory to Old Georgia." A tribute to the United States Flag, and the State Flag was given by W. M. Sapp, of Dalton, Ga.

The welcome address was given by Miss Del Rey Adams, Past Grand Matron. The response by Mrs. Annie Graham Ward, Associate Grand Matron, who said, "It was a grand and glorious feeling to hear such words of cheer," as expressed in the cordial greeting extended them.

Mrs. Mae T. Donovan, Worthy Grand Matron of Florida, Mrs. Martha Carter, Past Grand Matron of Florida, were escorted to the East and accorded Grand Honors. Mrs. Ethel Moore, Grand Conductress of Alabama, Mrs. Mattie Creed, Associate Grand Conductress of South Carolina, and Myrtle Houston, Grand Organist of Florida, were present.

Fifteen Past Grand Matrons, 8 Past Grand Patrons, were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron who said; Some of you have been pioneers, all of you have been builders, we appreciate your presence.

The Associate Grand Patron, Bro. Rex Sharp, having moved to Dallas, Texas, on account of business was unable to attend the Grand Session and members were instructed to prepare to elect another brother as Grand Patron.

Grand Representatives were given Grand Honors and welcomed by Mrs. Eva Ware Sutton, Past Grand Matron. The Sectional Helpers who aided the Worthy Grand Matron to plan her itinerary and schools of instruction were welcomed by Brother G. W. Davisson, acting Associate Grand Patron, and responded to by Mrs. Lulu Jewett of the Dalton District.

Welcome to the Pages by the Worthy Grand Matron, as follows:
"God made the blossoms and the showers, God made the skies of blue.
God made the trees, the grass, the flowers, and blessed them with the dew.
God made the stars that shine at night, God made the sunshine too,
And then to make this world worthwhile, God made fine girls like you."
They were escorted to the stations assigned to them by the Grand Conductress.

Telegrams and letters for a successful session were received from Representatives from sister jurisdictions.

Junction City Chapter U. D. was constituted on June 13th and Cascade Chapter on June 17th, the Charters were presented and the officers installed.

Five loans from the Educational Fund for \$100.00, one for \$200.00 and one for \$25.00 were approved. Nine loans have been made during the year.

Christmas letter asking for donations for Masonic Home Christmas and Entertainment Fund was approved. Several Chapters were consolidated. By-Laws and Amendments approved. Financial conditions good, \$43,000.00 on hand in all assets.

Recommendation was approved that the State be divided into three sections, Northern, Middle and Southern, each section in charge of one Elective Grand Line Officer to give instruction and help in every Chapter.

A definite amount (\$400.00) is to be given by Grand Chapter each year for the Masonic Home. Representation on the Home Board was requested. The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron made several visits to the Home and find the children well and happy. At Alto we were shown the building that we helped the Masons build. 75 children and 6 nurses are quartered here. Invitations to other Grand Jurisdictions were received—was able to attend only one, that of Florida in Jacksonville, while there attended the Past Grands Banquet at the George Washington Hotel. Were honored guests at the Rainbow Assembly of Savannah, was much impressed by their ceremony.

On the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron to Atlanta, she was given the privilege of the floor of the Georgia Senate by special resolution drawn by Senator Render Terrell of Greenville, Ga. and the floor of the House of Representatives by resolution presented by Dr. George Brown of the Georgia House.

The Worthy Grand Matron reports very few Chapters in which discord exists. The misuse of the blackball seems to be a menace to the Order. It is merely a protection and should be used only as such.

The Worthy Grand Patron issued dispensations for two new Chapters. He received 33 invitations for Grand Chapter Sessions. Attended the one in Jacksonville, Florida. He was first to wear the Grand Patrons Jewel which passes in line of succession. A recommendation that the permanent Jewels for the P. G. M. and P. G. P. be of smaller size was approved.

Honorary membership in Rosemary Chapter was received and greatly appreciated. 214 visitors attended the Grand Chapter, visitors and members were invited to visit the Masonic Home—cars were provided by the Chamber of Commerce.

99 members passed to the "Great Beyond" during the year. fitting Memorial was given.

"Beautiful toilers, your work is done,
Beautiful souls, into glory gone;
Beautiful lives, with crowns well won,
God giveth you rest."

All printing has been done by the Masonic Home Print Shop.

Recommended that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron be the Delegate to the General Grand Chapter. While on vacation the Worthy Grand Patron visited the Grand Chapter of Quebec, Grand Chapter of New York, and District meeting in New Jersey.

The sending of Memorial cards and letters of condolence is a duty of the Grand Chaplain.

The two first pages of Georgia Proceedings are dedicated to the United States and Georgia Flags, which are printed in color. The pledge of allegiance beneath the United States Flag.

Sister Mae T. Donovan, W. G. M. of Florida, was introduced as Installing Grand Officer, assisted by Grand Chaplain, Grand Marshal and Grand Organist of Georgia. Past Grand Officers Jewels were presented and Grand Chapter closed.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Annie Graham Ward.

Worthy Grand Patron, L. M. Rhoden.

Grand Secretary, Mrs. Rowena C. Ward, P. G. M.

ILLINOIS

Mrs. Alice E. Williams—Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. John B. Allison—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 850. Membership, 196,149. Net loss, 10,043

The 57th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Illinois, convened at Medinah Temple, Cass and Ohio Streets, Chicago, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, October 6, 1931.

An organ recital by Sister Lillian Ackerman, Grand Organist, preceded the opening.

The Worthy Grand Matron and corps of Grand Officers, entered in perfect time to the rhythm of the music, they were dressed in white and the Worthy Grand Matron carried a beautiful colonial bouquet.

The Grand Secretary announced the constitutional number of Chapters present and the 57th session was formally opened. Songs by Sister Rose Holt, Past Worthy Grand Matron, the Pages, members of the Alice E.

Williams Club, and a reading by Sister May G. Fisher, were written by Nettie C. Kenner, Grand Secretary, Lillian Ackerman, Grand Organist and Louise Trautvetter, Mother Guardian, Rainbow Girls, and formed a part of the welcome given to the Worthy Grand Matron and her Officers.

Brother William A. Gronberg, Associate Grand Patron, approached the East and gave the tribute to the Flag, followed by the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," by the entire assembly.

Brother Thomas J. Houston, Imperial Potentate of the Imperial Council of North America, was received with a rain of applause. In well chosen words he welcomed all to the City of Chicago. Having been elected Imperial Potentate at the 57th Session of the Imperial Council, held in Cleveland, Ohio, he was particularly happy to greet the members of the 57th Session of the Eastern Star of Illinois, on behalf of the 22,000 members of Medinah Temple, the largest Shrine temple in the world. Sister Emma C. Hanson, Associate Grand Matron, responded to the address.

Brother John L. Brearton, Worthy Grand Sentinel of the General Grand Chapter, and Past Worthy Grand Patron of Illinois, was escorted West and East, and introduced with Grand Honors.

Sister Daisy W. Crist, Worthy Grand Matron; Bro. Albert S. Phippips, Associate Grand Patron; Nellie S. Glass, Grand Esther; Mary Nichols, Grand Warder, all of the Grand Chapter of Indiana, and Sister Ruth Young, Worthy Grand Matron of Mississippi, were escorted, introduced and accorded Grand Honors due their stations.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Illinois were escorted West and East, introduced, accorded Grand Honors and were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Grand Representatives were introduced by the Worthy Grand Matron. They were given Grand honors and addressed by the Worthy Grand Patron. Cecile E. Allison, Grand Representative of Kentucky, responded to the cordial welcome extended. In compliment to Sister Allison and her mother, Sister Emma Menefee, Past Worthy Grand Matron of Kentucky, the audience sang "My Old Kentucky Home." Brother Harry Lincoln Kelley, Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons of Illinois, was also introduced.

The report of the Worthy Grand Matron began with the watchword of the year "Simplicity", suggesting that the report eliminate non-essentials and present only a concise record of service in the discharge of the responsible position entrusted to her care.

Two reviewal Schools for the purpose of instructing commissioned Grand Lecturers were held, one in Springfield and the other in Chicago.

A recommendation that each Chapter set aside the coin collection taken on the night of the annual election, for the purpose of presenting a Christmas gift to each of the two homes, was very gratifying—total amount contributed \$4,013.24. The Home at Macon was presented with a Piano. This is the Sanitarium and has 51 patients. The Home at Rockford has 86 residents and was presented with a fine Radio.

The Worthy Grand Matron made 208 official visits, installed the officers in several chapters, and appreciated the Honorary memberships conferred.

Duplicate Charters were issued to Indianola Chapter No. 925 and Georgetown Chapter No. 305, owing to destruction of building by fire.

One hundred nineteen chapters were visited by the Worthy Grand Patron on the occasion of the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron. The Joint-Official Visits made it possible for the Worthy Grand Matron to visit a larger number of Chapters than had ever been visited before. One Chapter was visited that in its forty years existence had never been attended by a Worthy Grand Matron.

Illinois was among the first to send greetings and a welcome to the new Grand Jurisdiction of New Brunswick, Sister Emma Anderson, Grand Representative, was present at the Session.

Out of the total number of Chapters in Illinois (850), 201 are in Chicago, and 233 in Cook County. 5 Chapters have more than 1000 members.

The Obituary Committee of which Sister Rose Holt was chairman, had planned a beautiful but simple memorial honoring the memory of 1,970 members who had been called to the Grand Chapter above. Five white pedestals wound with garlands of fern placed at proper distances from the Star Point Officers, were circled with loops of fern to form the Pentagon. bouquets of white roses were placed on the chairs while Sister Rose Holt sang "In the Time of Roses."

Sister Bertha B. Cairns, Secretary of the Permanent Charity Fund Board of Directors, thanked the Chapters and members for the many donations to their cause. A beautiful statue for the rock-garden, presented by Circle Chapter, in memory of Sister Eleanor Nelson, a stone bench and bird-bath presented by Ben Hur Chapter in Memory of Sister Alva Doll, who passed away at the Home, an Air-way carpet sweeper, ivory dishes, glasses, water pitchers and individual tea pots, were a few of the gifts receiving special mention in addition to the piano and radio.

At the Schools of Instruction, total number of Chapters represented was 408, and total registration of members 3,535. At the Special Schools

held by commissioned Lecturers. 802 Chapters were instructed; 9,111 Officers and 13,278 members received instruction.

"The Nineteenth Grand Officer", a poem by O. C. and Ruth Flautt, was dedicated to Charles A. Williams, husband of Alice E. Williams, Worthy Grand Matron. It is printed in full in the Proceedings but space does not permit a copy here due to its length.

A motion that a gift of love of \$100, be given Sister Sue M. Simpson, Senior Past Grand Matron, and Brother William H. Bartels, was approved by the Finance Committee. The sum of \$250.00 was given to the Masonic Employment Bureau; \$200.00 to the Protestant Women's National Association Home; \$200.00 for the Martha Washington Home for Crippled Children; \$30.00 to the Custodian, Mr. John Thomas, and \$15.00 to the Assistant Custodian, Mr. Harry Heathering, for their services at the Annual Session. All were approved by the Finance Committee.

Sister Inez J. Bender, Past Worthy Grand Matron, has attended 43 consecutive sessions of the Grand Chapter of Illinois.

Sister Rose Holt, Past Worthy Grand Matron, was called the "Song Bird" of the Session.

A telegram was received from Mrs. Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, appreciating the action of the Grand Chapter of Illinois in adopting the Ritual as approved by the General Grand Chapter.

The newly elected and appointed Grand Officers were installed by the retiring Worthy Grand Matron, assisted by May Bromley Milroy as Grand Marshal, Ida M. Stacy as Grand Chaplain, Past Grand Matrons and Brother Harry Scroggins as Grand Organist. The "Lorraine J. Pitkin," jewel worn by the Worthy Grand Matron during her term of office and the "George J. Kurzenknebe," jewel worn by the Worthy Grand Patron, were presented to the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron by the retiring Grand Officers, who received Past Grand Jewels from the Grand Chapter.

The 57th Session was declared closed after the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," to meet in Danville, October 4-5-6, 1932.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Worthy Grand Matron—Emma C. Hanson.

Worthy Grand Patron—William A. Gronberg.

Grand Secretary—Nettie C. Kenner.

INDIANA

Number of Chapters. 449. Total Membership. 82,979.

The Grand Chapter of Indiana convened in the Murat Temple, Indianapolis, for the 58th Annual Session, April 27th, 28th, 1932. The opening was beautiful and was termed the "Daisy Session." A white picket fence with swinging gates, entwined with daisies, palms and ferns, filled the East.

Sister Ella Snyder, Past Worthy Grand Matron, called the Grand Chapter to order. By request of Sister Snyder, Bro. Harry E. Emmons, Grand Marshal, invited the Worthy Grand Patron to the East. The Worthy Patrons of Indianapolis formed an escort for the Worthy Grand Patron, Truman Yuncker, who invited the Worthy Grand Matron and other Grand Officers to enter the Chapter room. They were preceded by the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of Indianapolis Chapters. Each Grand Officer displayed a shoulder corsage of daisies of appropriate color, the colors blending with Costumes, decorations and lights.

Dr. Lewis Brown, 33° Mason, gave the invocation and the formal opening of Grand Chapter followed.

After presentation of Flags, Dr. Guy O. Carpenter paid a very glowing tribute to George Washington, this being the 200th anniversary of the birth of our first President.

A cordial welcome was extended to Sister Charlotte Callon, President of the 1932 Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of the Indianapolis Chapters, and was very graciously responded to by Mabel Carithers, Associate Grand Matron. The Worthy Grand Matron welcomed the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Indiana, and he in turn extended greetings from the Grand Lodge of Indiana.

Sister Crist invited all 33° Masons to approach the East, and they were escorted by the uniformed rank of De Molay. There were eight escorted.

Bro. Elmer F. Gay, Superintendent of the Indiana Masonic Home addressed the assembly; he referred to Eastern Star as the Mother of the Home. There is a Public School in connection with the Home, graded and high, under the supervision of the State Board of Education. The Home furnishes the building, equipment and pupils and the City of Franklin the teachers and supervision.

The Worthy Grand Matron reports having visited 425 Chapters, written approximately 1365 letters and installed the officers of 10 Chapters.

It is worthy of note that the Chapters of the State contributed \$5,496.31 to the Masonic Home Fund during the year.

The newly elected Grand Officers were installed by Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, assisted by Bro. A. J. Smith, Past Worthy Grand Patron of Indiana.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Worthy Grand Matron, Mabel Carithers.

Worthy Grand Patron, Albert S. Phillips.

Grand Secretary, Blanche M. Regett.

The next session is to meet in Indianapolis April 26, 1933.

IOWA

Mrs. Nellie Olander—Worthy Grand Matron.

Roy F. Short—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 470.

Membership, 79,961.

The Fifty-fourth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Iowa, convened in El Kahir Shrine Temple, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, October 27, 28, 29, 1931, and was called the Rainbow Session.

The Informal Opening took place Tuesday Evening, at 8:00 o'clock.

Brother John Hammill, Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter, escorted Sister Maria Jackson, Past Grand Matron, and Iowa's only living charter member, to the Grand East and presented to her the gavel. Sister Jackson called the 54th Annual Session to order and invited the processional to enter. Bugle Call. "Open the Gates of the Temple." Bugle Call.

Rainbow girls in white carrying rainbow tinted parasols.

De Molay boys in uniform.

Brother Philip A. Jerguson, Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter.

Sister Fannie B. Hammill, Past Grand Matron and General Grand Chapter Committee member.

Distinguished guests.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Iowa.

Grand Pages in pastel coloured evening gowns.

Shepherdess Guard Drill Team in uniforms of white.

Cedar and Malta Chapter Officers.

Grand Representatives.

Grand Chapter Committee members.

District Instructors.

Knight Templar escort in full uniform.

Grand Officers.

A semi-circle was formed in the Grand East by the De Molay boys and Rainbow girls. The opened Rainbow Parasols were placed as inserts in the stage scenery, forming a permanent Rainbow which beautified the entire Session.

The Processional music was in charge of Sister Maude Carringer, Organist of Cedar Chapter, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Occupying seats in the East when the Processional entered were Senator Chester Cole, Deputy Grand Master A. F. & A. M. of Iowa and Generalissimo of the Grand Commandery of Iowa; Bro. O. J. Kirketeg, Most Excellent Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter, R. A. M. of Iowa; and Miss Ruth Hoffman, Associate Grand Advisor of the Order of Rainbow Girls of Iowa.

The invocation was given by Brother Floyd Fillmore, Past Patron of Cedar Chapter No. 184, Mr. Hugh Orchard, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce, extended the civic welcome in behalf of the City of Cedar Rapids.

On behalf of the Hostess Chapters, Cedar No. 184 and Malta No. 415, Sister Nell Kunz, Worthy Matron of Malta Chapter bid all a cordial welcome, and hoped their stay in Cedar Rapids would be so pleasant that all would come again. Mrs. Edna Duncan, Associate Grand Matron, responding said the well chosen words of welcome from Malta and Cedar Chapter have found an echo in each of our hearts, and we feel the sincere greeting you express at our first meeting.

"For with every star that shines tonight
Far up in Heaven's blue
We'll pray a prayer that is laden down
With blessings rare for you."

Brother Milo Runkle, sang "Fear Not Ye, Oh Israel," accompanied by Mrs. Maude Runkle.

After the presentation of distinguished guests, and welcome by the Worthy Grand Matron, the Traveling Bible was reverently received and with a beautiful ceremony by District Instructors, was placed upon the Altar. "My Mother's Bible" sung by a vested choir concluded the ceremony.

The Grand Pages gowned in pastel shades were presented and escorted to the East, during the singing of "Only a Rose," by Sister Bernice Court-right, the roses carried by the Pages were gathered into a boquet, and presented to the Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother Roy F. Short, Worthy Grand Patron, called the Grand Chapter to order at 9:30 P. M. for the formal opening, and invited the Grand Officers to enter, all assumed their respective stations.

District Instructors presented the Flag of the United States, in an impressive ceremony, and placed it in the East.

Escort, Introduction and Honors for distinguished guests, as follows: Bro. Philip A. Jerguson, Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter; Bro. John Hammill, Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Patron of Iowa; Sister Fannie B. Hammill, a member of the Ritual Committee of the General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Iowa; Sister Annie Evans, Past Grand Matron of Nebraska; Twenty-three Past Grand Matrons and ten Past Grand Patrons of Iowa; as these Past Grands were escorted, Sister Bernice Courtright sang "Memories".

Remarks by Philip A. Jerguson, Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter followed. he expressed appreciation for the warm welcome received, and gave many interesting items concerning the General Grand Chapter, after which Honorary Membership in Iowa Grand Chapter was conferred upon him, and the Honor thus bestowed gratefully acknowledged.

Sister Loraine Finnicum, Grand Ruth of the Grand Chapter of Colorado was introduced and welcomed. Twenty-six Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions and twenty-three District Instructors were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

The Worthy Grand Matron addressed the Assembly in a very gracious manner.

"Memory has painted this glorious year,
With colors that never fade.
And we find at the end of the Rainbow,
The hearts of the friends we have made."

As the days made weeks—and weeks into months, the realization grew upon me that a mellow Rainbow framed this picture of the members kneeling at the Shrine of Friendship. My year of service has been a happy one, and with pride and pleasure, we note the increasing interest shown by the membership all over our State.

February 16th, 1931. Preston Chapter No. 451 having lost all records and property by fire, a duplicate Charter and customary supplies were sent without charge, and sympathy was extended in their loss. It was hoped by the Worthy Grand Matron that all Chapters not carrying insurance, would do so as soon as convenient. Worthy Grand Matron installed the officers in fourteen Chapters. January 21, 22, attended School of Instruction at Ottuma Chapter No. 112, all but two Instructors being present. On many Official visits was accompanied by the Worthy Grand Patron and wife. Visited in twenty-five districts and traveled 21,900 miles.

Notes of interest from Instructions' reports.

In one Chapter the Worthy Matron gives all of the Worthy Patrons part following the obligation.

One Chapter reports the membership of only one brother.

Twenty-three years of service in the same office are accredited to one Worthy Patron.

Pride was expressed by the Chapter whose efficient Chaplain is 82 years of age.

One Secretary has served 36 years and has had a perfect record to the Grand Secretary each year.

Another Chapter has three generations represented in its officers, Secretary, Star Point and Organist, the latter 69 years of age.

Many Fraternal Courtesies were granted, also received.

Christmas was spent at the Eastern Star Masonic Home at Boone, sixty pounds of dressed turkey was sent by the Worthy Grand Matron and Patron for the Home Family Christmas Dinner. There are 74 members in the home, 68 Sisters and 6 Brothers, 10 new members were admitted during the year. The oldest member is 90 and the youngest 61 years.

The Worthy Grand Matron accompanied by other Grand Officers attended the Grand Chapter of South Dakota and Nebraska, and received a certificate of Honorary Membership from the Nebraska Grand Chapter, attended the Informal Opening of the 88th Annual Communication of Grand Lodge A.F.&A.M. which convened in the Capitol Theatre, Clinton June 9th, 1931. The Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, in Sioux City on October 8th, and the Grand Assembly for Girls of the Order of the Rainbow, at which time the degrees were given, and was one of the most impressive ceremonies ever witnessed.

Life Membership Certificates are issued to those having completed fifty years of service, to our beloved Order. Three such, were issued during the year to two members of Orient Chapter No. 15, and one in Valley Chapter No. 26.

The Worthy Grand Patron gave a splendid report, completing seven years of active service for the Grand Chapter of Iowa. For the second time in the history of the Iowa Grand Chapter, a loss in membership is reported. Two new Chapters were instituted, East Gate No. 538 and Waveland Park No. 539 both in Des Moines.

A Financial explanation of the Grand Chapter Funds was given by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, and a recommendation that a committee be appointed to submit a budget to the Grand Chapter for a reduction program as soon as possible. (Carried).

\$1777.24 was received for the Home General Fund.

In the Educational Fund, 40,462.06 was received during 1930 and 1931. Since the starting of this fund 406 girls have been assisted, 71 are in school at present and 52 are asking for additional loans for 1932-33.

A beautiful memorial service was conducted by Edna Duncan, Associate Grand Matron. 799 members had answered the last call. This was called a Memorial Hour and a program of Instrumental and vocal selections was given and the placing of Floral Tributes on the Memorial Shrine by Sister Maria Jackson completed the ceremony.

As the 1931 were about to retire and the Rainbow lighted the East, each Grand Officer received a gift from the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron from the Pot of Gold.

A Rainbow appeared one evening,
Then the Stars came out to stay,
Leaving nothing else for the Rainbow to do,
But simply fade away.
Now the time that precedes that Rainbow,
Brings us memories of beautiful hue
And my Rainbow and I must vanish
But the memories we leave with you.

"The End of a Perfect Day" was sung by Sister Emily Sanborn.

Eugene Bruce the seven week old son of Zola Peterson, Grand Organist, was introduced and his picture appears in the proceedings.

Following the Installation of Grand Officers, many presentations were made—gifts of gold and silver and flowers to the new officers and jewels to those retiring. Past Officers jewels were presented to the Past Grand Matron and Past Grand Patron by the Grand Chapter, also the Thompson Jewel to the newly installed Worthy Grand Matron and the Kennedy Jewel to the Worthy Grand Patron, these to be worn during their term of office.

Many beautiful social affairs were given throughout the Session for the entertainment of the Guests.

There being no further business the 54th Session was brought to a close, in regular form.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Edna C. Duncan—Worthy Grand Matron.

George E. Ward—Worthy Grand Patron.

Adah G. Thompson—Grand Secretary.

The 55th Annual Session to again convene in Cedar Rapids, in 1932.

KANSAS

Total Chapters, 390.

Membership, 64,543.

The fifty-sixth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the State of Kansas was held in Mirza Shrine Temple, Pittsburg, Kansas, April 27th, 1932.

The thought of the "Spring Flower Session" was beautifully carried out in the gorgeous floral decorations and in the colorful lighting effects.

An organ recital by Sister Edna A. Petterson, Grand Organist, preceded the formal opening.

After the formal opening by Sister Bermetta H. Mills, Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother D. Clarke Kelly, Worthy Grand Patron, addresses of welcome were offered by the Hostess Chapters of Pittsburg.

Sister Olga Philip, Past Grand Matron, and Worthy Grand Chaplain of the General Grand Chapter, was lovingly welcomed and given Grand Honors. Other Past Grand Matrons, twenty-three in number, and Past Grand Patrons, numbering twelve, were similarly honored.

Opening her very interesting report, the Worthy Grand Matron said: "Let us give thanks for this Organization of the Eastern Star; for the fellowship of women and men in spiritual faith, moral endeavor and in the quest of trust." The Worthy Grand Matron expressed her pleasure at the healthy condition of the subordinate Chapters of the State, marveling at the fine spirit prevailing. She heartily congratulated her "District Aides" for their great help to her during the year. She reported having held all of the Schools of Instructions and making forty-one Official Visits, where she found an increasing interest manifested by the Officers of all Chapters.

The Worthy Grand Patron, Brother D. Clarke Kelly, reported two Chapters under dispensation. He had visited thirty-six Chapters and expressed his pleasure and thanks for the hospitality shown him by these Chapters.

The report of the Eastern Star Director on the Masonic Home Board was most interesting. Sister Jessie N. Thorp reported 122 men, 63 women, 55 boys and 46 girls as comprising the Home family. She expressed her gratitude for all the interest shown by various Masonic Bodies and to the Chapters of the State for their generous donations, the visits, which were so much enjoyed by all, and the wonderful entertainments given at various times throughout the year. In closing, Sister Thorp said:

"For we must share if we must keep

The blessings from above;

Ceasing to give, we cease to have;

Such is the law of love."

The Scholarship Board reported that in the six years this fund had been in existence, 48 loans had been made, aggregating an expenditure of \$12,915.00.

Sister Maud E. Wayman was Grand Installing Officer.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Margaret J. Stevenson, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother Ted C. Santor, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Della Bennett, Grand Sactetary.

KENTUCKY

Twenty-ninth Annual Session.

Membership. 26,534.

Number of Chapters, 310.

The Grand Chapter of Kentucky—the Rainbow Grand Chapter Session—convened in the City of Bowling Green for the Twenty-ninth Annual Session.

On Monday evening, October 12th, 1931, the informal opening of Grand Chapter took place at the lovely State Street Methodist Church.

Escorted by Knights Templar and members of Park City Chapter No. 128, the Grand Officers entered the Church, where addresses of welcome were extended—both fraternal and civic—and an interesting program took place.

A reception and ball at the Helm Hotel, sponsored by Park City Chapter No. 128 in honor of the Grand Officers and delegates, was held immediately following the program of welcome.

Tuesday morning, October 13th, the Grand Chapter was called to order in Denhardt Armory at 9:30 by Junior Past Grand Matron, Sister Blanche Le Compte, with Brother E. E. Nelson, Junior Past Grand Patron in his chair. The Armory was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and smilax and at the back of the stage was a beautifully hand-painted rainbow, carrying out the idea of the "Rainbow Session."

The entrance of the Grand Officers, preceded by the Pages, who bore wands decorated in rainbow hues, formed a beautiful picture, with the Grand Officers attired in lovely transparent velvet gowns, also of the rainbow hues (and appropriate to the colors of their various stations), with slippers to match.

The presentation of the Flag of the United States under the direction of Sister Bertha Kerler, Grand Marshal, assisted by Bro. T. Claude Carroll and Sisters and Brothers of the 30th district was very inspiring and an addenda presented by them, spelling out the word "Edna", the name of

the Worthy Grand Matron, was very pretty and impressive.

Sister Sarah H. Terry, Grand Secretary, and also Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, *pro tem.* of the General Grand Chapter, was presented for introduction. A lovely addenda was presented in honor of Sister Terry by the Past Grand Matrons, each presenting her with a lovely red rosebud, to which Sister Terry most graciously responded.

The following distinguished visitors were present and presented:

Worthy Grand Matron of Tennessee, Sister Maymie Stovall; The Grand Conductress of Tennessee, Sister Ruth Holcomb; Grand Master of the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Kentucky, John X. Taylor; also Past Grand Master, A. E. Oton and Past Grand Master, E. E. Nelsen.

Sixteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons were cordially welcomed.

Twenty-five Grand Representatives assembled in the West where they were cordially welcomed.

The Matrons and Patrons of 1931-1932 were cordially greeted.

The Worthy Grand Matron held schools of instruction in 26 districts. She gave a very interesting report of her official acts during the year, closing with these beautiful lines:

"I hope a little sunshine has been made to shine

In some one's life from words of mine:

I hope some heart has been less sad

And from my work some help has had.

I hope I have sown some kindly deeds.

Given advice and counsel to meet your needs.

And I have faith that in shadows blue at set of sun.

I shall be judged by what I have tried to do—not what I have done."

A very impressive memorial service was given on Tuesday evening under the direction of Sister Dora Grom, Grand Chaplain.

During the morning session Senator Allen W. Barkley accompanied by Bro. C. C. Regan, entered the Grand Chapter room amid much applause and gave a very inspirational and interesting address.

The Board of Relief reported that the Relief Work is growing. The donations this year have exceeded last year by one-third, and the Committee has extended three and one-half times the financial aid.

The thirteenth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Kentucky will meet in Lexington, Kentucky, the fourth Tuesday in October, 1932.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Opal Browning Baugh, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. Chas. M. Pommering, Worthy Grand Patron.

Mrs. Sarah H. Terry, Grand Secretary.

LOUISIANA

Total Chapters, 164.

Membership, 18,899.

The Ball Room of the Virginia Hotel was the place of meeting of the thirty-third session of the Grand Chapter of the State of Louisiana. This Grand Session was designated the Rainbow Session and the room was appropriately ablaze with flowers, and a huge rainbow, under which hung an emblematic Star made of flowers.

A vested choir of twenty members added much to the solemnity of the opening services. The Pages, in gowns of blue organdie, wearing capes of rainbow hues, added much to the colorful pageantry.

Grand Chapter was formally opened by Brother T. W. Parish, P. G. P., assisted by Sister Lorena W. Wortham, P. G. M.

The Grand Chapter of Louisiana was more than honored by having as their most distinguished guest the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, who was enthusiastically presented, welcomed and given Grand Honors. Many present and past Grand Matrons and Patrons of Sister Grand Jurisdictions were presented and duly honored.

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Neva L. Liner, expressed her great disappointment that her long illness during the year had prevented her making an Official Visit to all of the Chapters of the State; however, she reported that she had made 139 Official Visits and a number of unofficial visits. She thanked all of the Matrons and Patrons and the members who had so graciously received her. She recalled with pleasure her visit to the Grand Assembly of the Order of Rainbow for girls.

The Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Charles Heitkamp, reported three Chapters instituted.

It was interesting to note that the Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress were each given a district in the State, where they held schools of instruction and acted as Supervisors over their respective districts. Each of them expressed her pleasure at the opportunity given her for this signal service to the Order.

The Educational Committee reported twelve students materially assisted by the Grand Chapter.

Reports of the Eastern Star Relief Chapter showed that 146 brothers and sisters had been visited and given gifts of cheer during their illnesses. They reported 552 visits made to the sick.

Sister Camilla L. Barrow, P. G. M., and present Grand Secretary, was highly complimented on her appointment as a member of the Necrology Committee of General Grand Chapter.

The Superintendent of the Masonic Home for Children reported that twenty-one children had been adopted from the Home during the past year

and most heartily thanked the Chapters of the State for their generosity and support.

Installing Officers were Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, assisted by Sisters Bessie Holly and Lillian Eagles.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Eleanor S. Duncan, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother H. B. Hines, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Camilla Barrow, Grand Secretary.

MANITOBA

Ninth Annual Session.

Membership, 2120.

Chapters, 23.

The informal opening of the Ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Manitoba took place in St. Mary's Hall, Portage La Prairie on Tuesday evening, June 2nd, 1931, at eight o'clock, with the Grand Officers occupying their respective stations, with several Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons on the platform.

After the presentation of the flags, a tribute to the flag was given by Mr. Ferguson Irwin, Past Patron of Naomi Chapter, No. 11.

A Civic welcome was given by His Worship, the Mayor, Chas. J. Sharp, who was escorted by the Grand Marshal to the Grand East, and extended a warm welcome.

A Masonic welcome was given by Mr. Jos. E. Hyde, Master of Assiniboine Lodge No. 7, F. & A. M.

Responses were made by Mr. David Cooper, Associate Grand Patron and Bartlett J. D. Ellis, Worthy Grand Patron.

Nineteen Worthy Matrons and eight Worthy Patrons answered roll call and were addressed by the Worthy Grand Patron.

The Worthy Grand Matron presented the Pages, who were gowned in white with scarlet capes.

After a splendid musical program arranged by Electa Chapter No. 2 was given, adjournment was made to the Elks' Club Room, where a reception and dance concluded the evening's festivities.

Distinguished guests present were Mrs. Ina S. Gunison, Worthy Grand Matron of North Dakota and M. J. A. Mooney, Past Grand Patron of Saskatchewan.

The formal opening of Grand Chapter took place June 3rd, 1931 at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Parish Hall of St. Mary's Anglican Church.

After the Grand Marshal and Grand Chaplain escorted the Canadian Flag and the Flag of the United States of America to the Grand East, a salute to the Flag "O Canada" was sung; also "America," the latter in compliment to the distinguished guest from the sister Grand Jurisdiction of North Dakota.

The following is an excerpt from the report of the Worthy Grand Matron:

"We are members of a great fraternal organization, upon whose emblem the sun never sets. What a privilege to belong to such an Order, and what an opportunity for service it offers. In Manitoba our Order is becoming firmly established, and everywhere I hear expressed the thought, 'it is time we were working for a definite object; we should have a constructive program'. While we are not in a position to adopt a project of any great magnitude, we could, perhaps, make a beginning.

"One of the greatest opportunities for service is that of assisting worthy young people to obtain a higher education. Eastern Star scholarships. Student educational loan funds, form part of the program of many Grand Chapters. If you, too are of the opinion that we should have something to work for, some definite object, I ask you to give this subject your earnest consideration and come prepared to express your ideas and discuss the matter at our next annual session."

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. R. Olivia Sanders, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. David Cooper, Worthy Grand Patron.

Mrs. Jane Hodge, Grand Secretary.

MARYLAND

Number of Chapters 88. Total Membership 13,022.

The 33rd Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Maryland, Order of the Eastern Star, was held at the Lord Baltimore Hotel April 27th, 28th, and 29th, 1931.

The Grand Chapter was called to order by Sister Margaret Megenhardt, first Worthy Grand Matron of Maryland.

The Grand Officers wore dresses of an orchid shade, in fact, the whole color scheme of the entire session was orchid and was very effective.

Roll call of constituent Chapters was called and 75 Chapters were represented.

Mayor Broening was escorted into the Grand Chapter room and introduced. During the course of his remarks he said:

"It has been said that during these modern times, we have made such advancement that there is no further need for fraternal organizations, but I believe there is a greater need at the present time for fraternal organizations and especially an organization that has such principles as underlie this structure, the Order of the Eastern Star. The relief that has been brought about in the service of humanity, and the bettering of conditions of humanity in general have largely been due to this influence of fraternal organizations. They have contributed much to respectable living in our own country and in the development of our whole nation. It has made our nation a great source that has contributed much in the bettering of conditions throughout the whole world."

Tributes were given to the Flag of our Country, to the Maryland Flag and to the Eastern Star Flag.

Thirteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons were escorted to the East.

The following officers of the General Grand Chapter were present:

Sister Keys, Right Worthy Grand Secretary; Sister Smalley, Right Worthy Grand Trustee; Sister Benjamin, Right Worthy Grand Electa; and Brother Duvall, Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

There were present a number of Grand Matrons and Grand Patrons, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons and Grand Officers of other Grand Jurisdictions.

Then followed a reception to the Matrons and Patrons' Association of the District of Columbia, 1930 and 1931.

The Grand Lecturer and Deputies were then received. These sisters were all dressed alike in flowered Georgette dresses and made a very beautiful picture.

Telegrams and letters of greeting were received from many Grand Jurisdictions. Greetings were also received from the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Emma Chadwick.

The Worthy Grand Matron in her opening remarks said:

"Time in its never-ending flight has taken another fraternal year and bound it together with those years of our yesterdays and garnered our work for a harvest of memories."

She reported visiting 166 meetings. She also stated that the Committee on Education took charge of the raising of money for the Margaret Megenhardt Home for Job's Daughters; also that the Chairman of the Committee asked permission to send letters requesting donations for the educational fund, which was granted. Many Chapters responded generously. She further stated that there is much constructive work that can

be done by our Committee on Education and it behooves us to find some ways and means to keep up the good work. In the Worthy Grand Matron's report, under the heading "Just a bit of sunshine," she said "On one of our trips to Western Maryland we found a wee girl who needed some attention that could not be had owing to lack of funds in the family. We were privileged to have this little girl taken to a hospital in Frostburg and have her operated on so that she might wear shoes as other children do. The gratitude of a mother and father will go out to the Eastern Star as long as they shall live. We, too, were privileged to assist one of our Chapters in raising funds to have a Sister placed in the Home for Incurables. The Committee on Relief has done a noble work this year."

The Worthy Grand Patron in the course of his remarks said:

"So entirely pleasant and agreeable has been the work of the office that I hesitate to refer to it as duty, but would much prefer to think of it as a glorious opportunity for happy service." He reported constituting three Chapters and instituting two. He further stated it was his ambition to visit each Chapter once during the year and that his ambition had been realized.

The Grand Secretary reported an increase in membership of 337 over the previous year.

An invitation was extended to meet in Cumberland, Maryland, in 1932, which invitation was accepted.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Lulu Boucher, Worthy Grand Matron.

Charles Yaeger, Worthy Grand Patron.

Nellie Boyd, Grand Secretary.

MASSACHUSETTS

Number of Chapters 206.

Total Membership 63,272.

The 55th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Massachusetts was held at the Municipal Auditorium, Springfield, Mass., May 13th and 14th, 1931, and was termed "The Rose Session". The rose color was carried out on programs, badges and gowns; the stage was decorated with a marvellous display of roses of every hue, flowering plants as well as blossoms.

The Grand Officers, Assistant Grand Warders and five Pages wore rose-colored costumes, producing a colorful effect as all marched into the auditorium.

The Grand Chapter was opened at 10:00 A. M. by Sister Esther A. Parker, Past Grand Matron. All Grand Officers were in their stations

except the Associate Grand Matron, Sister Florence M. Henderson, who passed away March 15th, 1931, and whose chair in the west was draped and remained vacant throughout the session.

The National and State Flags were borne to the East by Col. Potter and Sergeant Childs of Naomi and Springfield Chapters respectively.

Distinguished guests: Brother Philip A. Jerguson, Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter; Sister Carrie A. Cushing, Worthy Grand Chaplain; Bro. Albert A. Thomas, Past Grand Patron and a member of the Jurisprudence Committee of the General Grand Chapter; Sister Frances Geer, Past Grand Matron of Connecticut and a member of the Committee on Distribution of the General Grand Chapter.

Five Worthy Grand Matrons, one Worthy Grand Patron and a goodly number of other Grand and Past Grand Officers honored the Grand Chapter with their presence and were duly welcomed as they arrived.

Greetings were received from Sister Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, and from Massachusetts' own Past Grand Matron, Sister Mattie L. Partridge, now living in San Diego, California.

Telegrams were received from Frances Haun, R. W. G. Conductress of the General Grand Chapter; Willa Jane Hellwig, W. G. M., California; Harriet J. Burwell, Grand Secretary, on behalf of the Grand Officers of Connecticut; from Grand Representatives and many others.

His Honor, Mayor Dwight R. Winter, of Springfield, was escorted into the room and given a cordial greeting by the Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Isadore Forbes, Past Grand Matron and Founder of the Isadore Forbes Benevolent Fund, was welcomed to the East and given the Grand Honors.

At this time the roll call of Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons showed there were 22 Past Grand Matrons and 16 Past Grand Patrons present.

A very beautiful memorial service was given by the members of the Grand Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron stated that in her official inspections of the Chapters throughout the State she was pleased to have the Worthy Grand Patron present with her at twenty-two inspections. She had the highest words of praise for the Deputy Grand Matrons and Deputy Grand Marshals who assisted her in the work of inspection.

The Worthy Grand Patron in the course of his remarks said:

"It is not what we profess to be but what we are that makes us one of the greatest organizations for disseminating the true principles of enduring Sisterhood and Brotherhood. Not in the secret signs, grips and passwords lie the strength and power we possess but the vital and energizing principles absorbed by each one of us from the lessons taught as we assemble about our Holy Altar."

The Grand Secretary reported in presenting an account of the Order's activities in this jurisdiction for the past twelve months, it might well be captioned "A year that was different." "For the first time in its history there has been a loss instead of a gain in membership: no new Chapters have been added to our roll. Owing to general business depression, two or three Chapters were obliged to ask for an extension of time in the payment of the Per Capita Tax". A little further on in her report she said: "And now we shall turn the cloud about that you may see its silver lining. Despite the seeming handicap we have grown in grace. The benevolent side of our Order has never for a moment ceased to function; it has brightened the lives of many. Friendship and good fellowship have remained paramount while figures are fleeting."

A collection taken for the Isadore Forbes Benevolent Fund resulted in \$504.01.

Sister Forbes then read the Seventeenth Annual Report of the Isadore Forbes Benevolent Fund of the O. E. S.

An extract from the report follows: "As usual we have contributed to those whose resources were nearly or entirely exhausted; providing necessary medical attendance, hospital service and fuel, as well as paying rent for families whose income was inadequate, or in many instances when the wage earner has been ill or temporarily out of employment; bringing comfort, encouragement and relief into the homes of our members, whose needs were brought to the attention of this committee."

The Fifth Annual Report of the Eastern Star of Massachusetts Charitable Foundation, Inc., was made. It stated that the Eastern Star Home at Orange and annex are now filled to capacity. That it is beyond doubt one of the finest institutions of its kind in the entire country.

The Installation ceremony was most impressive and colorful.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Margaret L. Sandholzer, Worthy Grand Matron.

Fred E. Briggs, Worthy Grand Patron.

Carrie A. Cushing, Grand Secretary.

MICHIGAN

Mrs. Mary W. Covell—Worthy Grand Matron.

Otto W. Bush—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 464 Membership, 101,668. Net loss, 1,742.

Grand Chapter Order of the Eastern Star of Michigan, organized in 1867, the oldest Grand Chapter in the World. The Sixty-fifth Annual Session convened in the Armory at Grand Rapids, October 13, 14, 15, 1931.

The Auditorium was decorated with a profusion of wistaria blossoms and vines of smilax. The color scheme was orchid and gold. The Pages were dressed in orchid and the Grand Officers wore cream lace over gold satin.

Promptly at 8:00 o'clock, Tuesday Evening, the annual session of the Grand Chapter of Michigan was called to order by Miss Mary Jarre Taylor of Oriental Chapter No. 32, who was General Chairman of the Convention. Brother Charles E. Cross, Master of Ceremonies, was escorted to the East. He welcomed the Assembly and invited the Worthy Grand Matron and other Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter room.

Brother Lou B. Windsor, Past Grand Patron, welcomed the Worthy Grand Matron and her official family in a very lovely manner expressing regret that Sister Emma C. Ocobock, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Michigan, who was to have shared with him the pleasure of the welcome was unable to be present due to illness. A letter from Sister Ocobock was read, extending the good wishes for the session and asking as a favor that the Grand Chapter use for the opening ceremony a gavel presented to her by the members of Alaska Chapter made from old walrus ivory, and used by her at the sixteenth Triennial Assembly of the General Grand Chapter in 1919. "Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron:

The kind of a Grand Session we wish for you
Is one that is made of dreams come true:
One that will warm, inspire and bless,
One that will bring you happiness;
One that is colorful and glad;
Oh, the best sort of Grand Session we've ever had."

A vocal selection "Open the Gates of the Temple", was sung by the Grand Chapter Soloist, Mrs. Nellie McMillan Sable, and silent prayer offered for the absent member.

The invocation was given by Rev. George McClung, Pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Grand Rapids. Grand Chapter was

formally opened all Grand Officers present except Associate Grand Matron and Grand Warder, vacancies filled by Mrs. Mary R. Watson, P. G. M. and Mrs. Emma Van Sluyter.

The Assembly stood at attention during the presentation of the National Emblem. The pledge of allegiance was followed by the singing of the National Anthem. Tributes to the American and Christian Flags were given by Brother Charles E. Cross, P. G. P. and Mrs. Mary R. Byrum, Past Grand Chaplain.

The Honorable Robert H. Dunn, Chairman of the State Public Utilities Commission, and Mr. George W. Welch, City Manager, were escorted to the East and presented by the Worthy Grand Matron. Greetings from Governor Wilber Brucker were brought by Mr. Dunn and Mr. Welch extended the welcome of the City of Grand Rapids.

Brother George Ferguson, Senior Grand Warden of Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. extended the Masonic welcome, and Brother Robert W. Baldwin, P. G. P. responded. Eighteen Past Grand Matrons and thirteen Past Grand Patrons, were escorted, welcomed and accorded Grand honors.

"Not for Self, but for Others" was the motto of the Worthy Grand Matron during her year of service, and in her report of activities she refers to the time given as a "golden year of days." One of the official letters was a questionnaire sent to subordinate Chapters, covering a period of nine months, so the returns can be tabulated for the yearly report of the Worthy Grand Matron. Donations from Chapters to the Educational Fund, added \$2,397.32 to the educational treasury during the year. The Schools of Instruction afforded an opportunity of meeting officers and members of more Chapters than would have been possible otherwise.

The Worthy Grand Matron attended the Grand Assembly of the Order of the Rainbow, held in the City of Jackson, and was much impressed with the work of the Order. It is her hope that in the near future every Chapter in the State of Michigan may sponsor either Rainbow or Job's Daughters.

The Grand Chapter of Indiana was attended in company with the Grand Secretary and Grand Esther. The Worthy Grand Matron had the pleasure of installing her sister as the Worthy Matron of Maywood Chapter No. 533 of Maywood, Illinois. Honorary membership in Chapters, Clubs and Associations was appreciated.

Eight Chapters have more than 1000 members. 287 members in 88 Chapters were granted Life Membership Certificates.

Three Chapters were constituted and one Charter granted for the new Chapter, and one Charter surrendered.

The report of the O. E. S. Villa Board gives an estimated valuation of buildings and grounds as \$80,000, improvements during the year, \$3000. number of children in home 64, twenty children between the age of eighteen months and ten years, and forty-four between eleven and eighteen years, two graduated from Adrian High School in June, the average maintenance per child per year \$395.00. The establishment of a permanent educational fund is advocated to assist students in branches of higher education.

\$3,500 was transferred from the General Fund to the Relief Fund.

\$10,638.00 was expended for relief during the year. With a per capita of seven cents per member the Relief Board has on hand as a working balance \$6,789.52.

A recommendation that a school of instruction be conducted by an elective or appointive Grand Officer, once each year in each Chapter Room was adopted.

A memorial Service outlined by Carrie B. Jennings, entitled "The Rosary," was conducted. Nine Sisters robed in white entered from the West and paused at the foot of a large white cross. At this point eighteen Sisters robed in silvery green, carrying arm boquets of yellow roses, marched in double file, forming a large cross around the Altar. The Chaplain marching alone carried a spray of yellow roses, her station was just west of the Altar. After the singing of a solo "Absent", by Sister Hazel Bacon, the Chaplain lighted two beautiful flowered candles on the Altar, reciting verses from "The Reaper." At the close of the reading, Sister Bacon sang "The Rosary". The retiring march included the forming of two crosses by the lines in green, while those in white presented a pantomime in the East. "Nearer My God To Thee," was sung by a quintet, Sisters Bacon, MacLachlan, Kipp, Palmer and Hanna. Memorial pages in the proceedings are dedicated to the memory of Mr. Frank T. Lodge, Past Grand Patron and Mrs. Bessie A. Gardner, Associate Grand Matron. Mrs. Emma C. Obocock, Past Grand Matron, entered into rest January 11, 1932, age 70 years, at Hanford, Mich.

Mrs. Minnie E. Keyes, Right Worthy Grand Secretary, and Mr. Philip Jerguson, Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter, were presented, welcomed and given Grand Honors.

An invitation to hold the 1932 session of the Grand Chapter in Detroit was accepted.

The Worthy Grand Matron elect and Worthy Grand Patron elect, and the Grand Secretary to attend the General Grand Chapter with all expenses paid. That an invitation be extended to hold the next Triennial session in Detroit in 1934, was also adopted.

Sister Minnie E. Keyes, R. W. G. S. of the General Grand Chapter, acted as Grand Installing Officer, and after the installation presented the retiring Grand Officers with their jewels of office on behalf of the Grand Chapter of Michigan.

By order of the Worthy Grand Matron the 65th annual session was declared closed.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

N. Belle Pike, Worthy Grand Matron.

Harry R. Martinson, Worthy Grand Patron.

Miss Genevive M. Nauman, Grand Secretary.

Next Session to be held in Detroit, October 1932.

MISSISSIPPI

Total Chapters 207.

Membership 13,443.

The twenty-sixth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the State of Mississippi was held in the Shrine Mosque Auditorium in Meridian, April 19, 1932.

Grand Chapter was called to order by Sister Gussie A. Evans, Past Grand Matron, and Brother Will H. Carter, Past Grand Patron. The Grand Chapter Officers entered the Grand Chapter room dressed in white and wearing yellow coats, the Pages in white with yellow capes and the Deputies in the Grand Matron's favorite color, pink.

The Historic Traveling Bible was presented by Sister Louise Mackey. Brother James R. Hood gave an interesting talk on the history of this famous Book.

After the presentation of the Flag and its reception by the Grand Assembly, an inspiring sketch was given, which had been arranged by the Worthy Grand Matron in honor of the Bi-Centennial.

This Grand Chapter Session had been designated the "Ruth" Session and a most beautiful story of Ruth, compiled by the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Ruth F. Young, was given by her.

Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, was an honored guest. Other distinguished guests were Sister Marguerite V. Dunn, Right Worthy Grand Warder of the General Grand Chapter; Brother Dr. Joe Green, Worthy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Mississippi; Sister Ruth Holcomb, Associate Grand Matron of Tennessee; Sister Merle Wooten, Grand Matron; Sister Crudgington, Past Grand

Matron, and Sister Griffin, Grand Conductress of the State of Tennessee; Brother George Cotton, Past Grand Patron, and Sister Elizabeth Cotton, Grand Matron, and Sister Sponenberger, Associate Grand Matron of Arkansas; Sister Mary E. Causey, Worthy Grand Matron of Alabama and Member of the Educational Committee of General Grand Chapter; Sister Julia Boney, Grand Marshal, and Sister Susie Lee Allen, Grand Ruth of the State of Alabama.

In welcoming the Grand Representatives a most novel entertainment was enjoyed. Sister Rachel B. Simmons used the idea of a Radio Broadcasting Station, with the call letters R-U-T-H and J-A-C-K. This hearty welcome was an inspiration to all.

Twenty District Deputy Grand Matrons answered roll-call. They were lovingly welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and all were graciously thanked by her for their co-operation.

Thirty-one Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons were introduced and given Grand Honors.

Sister Young, Worthy Grand Matron, had during her year of service visited Schools of Instructions and wherever possible made visits to individual Chapters. She had greatly enjoyed the Group Meetings which had been arranged by the Deputies. It was the privilege of the Worthy Grand Matron to attend and address the Grand Assembly of Order of Rainbow for Girls in Mississippi. Sister Young was highly honored by being asked to address the Grand Lodge of Mississippi, F. & A. M. She attended and addressed the assembly at the Robert Morris Day picnic at Richland School House.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John A. Redhead, reported a most interesting year of service, during which time he attended eight Schools of Instruction and made ten Official Visits. Brother Redhead is the Superintendent of the Masonic Home for Boys at Columbus, where he is greatly loved and admired by all who know him.

The Grand Chapter Memorial Service had been written by the Worthy Grand Matron and all Grand Officers participated in this Service.

This Grand Chapter is working toward the erection of an Eastern Star Home for the Aged. The report showed this fund growing in a most satisfactory manner. They assist their Masonic Brothers in the maintenance of a Boys Home at Columbus and a Girls Home at Meridian. Three charming girls from the Home in Meridian were presented and everyone gave them a most hearty welcome.

Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, was installing officer, assisted by Sister Marguerite V. Dunn, Right Worthy Grand Warder, and Sister Louise Mackey, Grand Marshal.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Ama Lee Hill, Worthy Grand Matron.
Brother Dr. Irwin I. Poque, Worthy Grand Patron.
Sister Myra C. Eaton, Grand Secretary.

MISSOURI

Lucille L. Pickerell—Worthy Grand Matron.
Carl A. Swenson—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters 531. Membership 75,801. Net Loss 1184.

The Auditorium of the new Scottish Rite Cathedral in Kansas City, was the meeting place selected for the 57th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of Missouri. Monday evening, October 13th, a reception was held for Grand Officers, Delegates and Visitors. Preceding the entrance of the Grand Officers, an Organ recital was given by Pearl Voepel, Organist of Ivanhoe Chapter No. 244, after which the National Emblem was borne to the East by members of the De Molay Chapter of Kansas City.

The Grand Officers, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, and Distinguished Guests, were escorted to reserved seats, by the Worthy Matrons of the Twenty second District. Mr. Elliot Jones, a member of the City Council, representing the Mayor of Kansas City, extended the Civic welcome.

Mrs. Nannie Brown, D. D. G. M. of the 22nd District represented the Hostess Chapters. After a splendid program, dancing was enjoyed in the Ball Room where a reception was held.

Tuesday morning at 10:00 o'clock Sister Nellie S. Cain, Junior Past Grand Matron, called the Session to order and addressed the Assembly.

The Grand Officers entered and assumed their stations. "Open the Gates of the Temple", was sung by Miss Margorie Kathans, as the Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons, Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons marched to the East and were seated.

The Flag of our Country was presented by the Grand Sentinel. America was sung and pledge of allegiance given, the tribute to the Flag was given by John W. Mueller, Associate Grand Patron.

Distinguished Guests were presented, introduced and accorded honors. Bessie B. Garth, Worthy Grand Matron of Texas; Lela S. Boles, Worthy

Grand Matron of Oklahoma; Viola V. Vincent, Grand Marshal of Oklahoma; Seven Past Grand Matrons and one Past Grand Patron of Kansas; Twenty-two Past Grand Matrons and ten Past Grand Patrons of Missouri.

District Deputy Grand Matrons were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron. Grand Representatives were escorted and welcomed in the East.

Twenty-two Pages were introduced. After the response, the Pages formed a semi-circle at the foot of the dais. A horseshoe of flowers and streamers was presented the Worthy Grand Matron, who expressed thanks for the "Good Luck" Ceremony.

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron assisted at many Installations.

The resignation of Grand Esther due to ill health, Grand Adab on account of change in residence, were accepted with regrets. Vacancies were filled by appointment and Installation held on night of Official Visit to the Chapters from which appointment was made.

The Worthy Grand Matron made 376 official visits; 4300 letters were written during year; 300 Christmas Greetings received; 505 dispensations issued.

Several Chapters were severely handicapped due to Bank failures.

Visits to the Masonic Home in St. Louis have been a great pleasure. On one occasion an inspiring address, by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Missouri, Bro. William R. Gentry, was given in the beautiful Eastern Star Chapel.

Complaints of the inefficiency of a secretary, discord in Chapters over the balloting, discourteous conduct of presiding officers, electing and installing contrary to the law, were some of the problems of the Worthy Grand Matron.

Charter of Morley Chapter No. 342 was destroyed by fire, duplicate issued in compliance with Sec. 148. Several Charters were arrested.

Dispensations for three new Chapters granted by Worthy Grand Matron.

Grand Chapters of Kansas and Nebraska were attended by Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. They were made honorary members.

Seven hundred eighty nine members of subordinate Chapters have crossed the "Great Divide." Memorial session was conducted.

Grand Lecturer reports Schools for Chapter Lectures held, 16 Schools for 537 Chapters. 423 Chapter Lecturers attended, 54 District Schools held, 2 sessions each. Worthy Grand Matron attended 33 of the District Meetings, all work well done, much interest shown.

The 1930 Matrons and Patrons Club of St. Louis presented a gift of \$1,975.00 to the Advisory Board of Masonic Home for use at the Home.

Four girls will attend Washington University from the Missouri Masonic Home. Lala Winningham has been selected for the scholarship provided by Grand Chapter. Two Freshmen and two Sophomores will attend the University. One student in the Hadley Vocational School and sixteen boys and girls in the Soldan High School.

September 4th, 1931. The Home Family consisted of 155 men, 145 women, 72 boys, 70 girls. A total of 442. Miscellaneous gifts and donations are presented by the Chapters and individual Members.

A pot of Gold, a gift to the children of the Masonic Home from the Order of Rainbow of Missouri, was presented by Bro. C. L. Stange.

A motion approved that the Worthy Grand Patron be sent as a delegate to the Dedication of the Washington Memorial at Washington, D. C.

The Worthy Grand Matron invited Sister Zoe Brooks Holman, Past Grand Matron, to act as Installing Officer. Jewels were presented to the retiring Grand Officers. All joined in singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." After prayer by the Grand Chaplain, the Grand Chapter was declared closed.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Adda F. Austin, Worthy Grand Matron.

John W. Mueller, Worthy Grand Patron.

Pearl E. Peabody, Grand Secretary.

The 58th Annual Session to be held in St. Louis, October 10, 11, 12, 1932.

MONTANA

Mrs. Mertie M. Brattin—Worthy Grand Matron.

Charles A. Rasmusson—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters 114. Membership 18,177 Net Loss 117

The Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Montana convened for the 42nd Annual Session in the Broadway Theatre, at Butte, Friday, August 21st, 1931.

The spacious stage was occupied by the Grand East and the Labyrinth. Beautiful rugs and "Gold" drapes on the Altar and Pedestals, in honor of the Golden Jubilee of Miriam Chapter No. 1 and Ruth Chapter No. 2, which occurred during the year, and a profusion of flowers were used. Gold and green was the color scheme.

Sister Lizzie O. Marsh, Senior Past Grand Matron, and Brother H. S. Hepner, Senior Past Grand Patron, were seated in the Grand East. Sister Marsh, who served as Worthy Grand Matron forty years before, called the assembly to order, and extended a brief but cordial welcome, presiding during the program which preceded the formal opening of Grand Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron and other Grand Officers entered from the West approaching the Grand East in two columns. The ladies wore pale yellow satin gowns. After the Officers were conducted to their stations, Grand Chapter was formally opened by the Worthy Grand Matron. All Grand Officers were present.

As the Bible was opened, "Searcher of Hearts" was sung by Mrs. Olive Olson.

The Associate Grand Patron escorted the Associate Grand Conductress and Grand Marshal, presented the Flag of the United States of America in the Grand East. A tribute to the Flag in song was given by Donovan Worden, Past Patron of Immanuel Chapter No. 54.

May the deliberations of this Grand Session be such, that the golden link of service in our emblematic golden chain will make us worthy of our Motto.

"Let the years be what they may,
Sunny days or showers;
Our memory of you will always be
None but pleasant happy hours."

This welcome was extended to the assembly on behalf of the Hostess Chapters by Mrs. Jeanette G. Fischer, Worthy Matron of Ruth Chapter No. 2. A golden key (in flowers) was presented to the Worthy Grand Matron.

Sister Anna W. Smalley, Past Grand Matron of Montana and Right Worthy Grand Trustee of the General Grand Chapter. Mrs. Matilda Kinne, Worthy Grand Matron of North Dakota, and Mrs. Mary E. Alverson, Past Grand Matron and present Grand Secretary of Oklahoma, were escorted to the East, introduced, given Grand Honors and presented with flowers. They were welcomed (in song) by Sister Ruth B. Heidel, Grand Adah.

Fifteen Past Grand Matrons and twelve Past Grand Patrons were escorted and welcomed by Charles A. Rasmusson, Worthy Grand Patron. Responded to by Mrs. Maude Marshall. To the tune of "Mother Machree" the Past Grand Officers were welcomed by Sister Ruth Ping, Grand Esther.

"There's a spot in our hearts which you Past Grands own:
There's a pleasant remembrance of kindnesses shown:
We honor and love for all you have done,

No one can replace you, where 'er we may roam.
Oh, we give you a welcome which you'll understand,
When we say "You're our best friends in all the broad land."
We pray that the Father great future has planned—
Oh, God bless you and keep you, dearest Past Grands."

Twenty-two Grand Representatives were present and welcomed by T. E. Smalley, Associate Grand Patron. On behalf of the 21,000 Master Masons of Montana, a Masonic welcome was given by Brother Rowland, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M.

Four Pages dressed in apple green were introduced by the Worthy Grand Matron and presented with wrist corsages.

Telegrams were sent to absent Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons.

The Worthy Grand Matron likened her year's work to a flight made in the good airship Montana, O. E. S., which had come to its hangar in safety. The ship was turned over to me with motors perfectly timed, and fuelled to capacity. The trail had been blazed; the co-pilots were faithful; the head winds of opportunity were favorable; the refuelling contacts were successfully made, and we are here to unload the cargo and prepare the ship for its next flight.

"Think truly, and thy thoughts
Shall the world's famine feed;
Speak truly, and each word of thine
Shall be a fruitful seed;
Live truly, and thy life shall be
A great and noble creed."

The travel down "Memories Lane," resulted in visits to all but one of 114 Chapters, these were memorable and pleasant occasions. The acquaintance of officers and members a real pleasure, and splendid co-operation was found in all Chapters. "One has not known real happiness until one has shared happiness with others."

The Golden Jubilee celebrations of Miriam Chapter No. 1, and Ruth Chapter No. 2 were attended. The Worthy Grand Matron installed the Officers of Fairview Chapter No. 115, at a joint installation with the Masonic Lodge, with Mr. Brattin, who is Grand Master of Masons, as their installing officer; also installed officers in her own Chapter, Richmond No. 62.

The Grand Chapter O. E. S. and Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of North Dakota held at Fargo, were attended by the Worthy Grand Matron and her husband, other invitations received but unable to attend.

The loss by fire of Masonic Hall of Redstone, and Masonic Hall at Worden was a great loss, but Chapter paraphernalia of Lecy and Jephthah Chapters was saved.

Three Chapters suffered loss through Bank failures.

Certificates of Proficiency recommended for members. (approved).

Recommended that the history of Montana O. E. S. be brought up to date.

Three visits were made to the Masonic Home during the year and the Worthy Grand Matron was honored in personally presenting a gift of \$5.00 to each of the 52 residents.

Order of the Rainbow for Girls and De Molay for Boys, are thriving institutions. all are interested in the youth of today.

Worthy Grand Patron reports no requests for new Chapters; he made thirteen official visits, and assisted at several Installations, and visited the Masonic Home.

The Silver Anniversary of Echo Chapter No. 38 was a delightful occasion.

Since the Woman's Building Fund was established in 1927, \$10,630.21 has been received from voluntary contributions from subordinate Chapters.

Student Loans are made from the Educational Fund.

Recreational Singing was led by Sister Lillian C. Cummings, of Electa Chapter No. 7. The four Ruths—Associate Grand Matron, Grand Chaplain, Grand Adah and Grand Esther, formed a pleasing quartette, that favored with several selections.

On Decoration Day each of the 43 graves in the Masonic Plot at Forestvale Cemetery were decorated.

Souvenir key rings with a copper tag bearing the Eastern Star Emblem were received from the Montana Hardware Department of the Annaconda Copper Mining Co.

Honorary Membership Certificates were presented to several distinguished guests.

Sister Anna W. Smalley acted as Installing Officer for the newly elected and appointed officers. Flowers and gifts were presented to them, and Jewels to the retiring Past Grand Matron and Past Grand Patron.

After the singing of "God Be With You Till We Meet Again", Grand Chapter was closed in Ample Form.

The forty-third Annual Session will be held in Helena, August 19-20, 1932.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Ruth A. Middleton, Worthy Grand Matron.

T. E. Smalley, Worthy Grand Patron.

Mrs. Mary S. Hugo, Grand Secretary.

NEBRASKA

Total Chapters 260.

Membership 37,325.

The Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of the State of Nebraska, met in its fifty-seventh annual session in the Elks Club, Omaha, on Tuesday morning May 10, 1932, at 9:30 o'clock.

Sister Nan Martin, Junior Past Grand Matron, opened the Session and the Grand Officers were escorted into the Grand Chapter Room by eight Pages dressed in colonial costumes. This Grand Chapter Session was called the "Colonial Session."

Distinguished guests present were Sister Maude Keyser, Past Grand Matron of Iowa and Chairman of the Credentials Committee of General Grand Chapter, and Sister Stella Yont, Past Grand Matron of Nebraska, a member of the International Temple Committee. Visiting Grand Matrons and Grand Patrons from Sister Grand Jurisdictions were escorted, introduced and given Grand Honors. Twenty Past Grand Matrons and six Past Grand Patrons of the State of Nebraska were presented and duly honored.

Twenty-five District Supervisors were presented and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Sister Ellen M. Fetterman, Worthy Grand Matron, gave a most interesting report of her very busy year and thanked her Grand Officers, Committees, District Supervisors and the general membership for their splendid co-operation at all times. Sister Fetterman said in closing:

"God bless you each and every one.

Best of friends beneath the sun."

Sister Orena Fleet, Grand Lecturer, was escorted to the East, introduced and gave a most interesting lecture on "The Ideal of the Eastern Star."

Report of the Trustees of the Educational Fund showed seventy-seven students had been helped since this fund was created in 1925, ten of whom had been assisted in the past year. Thirty-six of these loans having been repaid in full.

The Order of the Eastern Star in Nebraska, in conjunction with the Grand Lodge of Masons, supports a beautiful home at Fremont to which has been added another building called the Veazie Memorial Building. This building was made possible by the bequest of Brother Charles B. Veazie. Fifty-eight children are being cared for at the Home at this time.

The Initiatory Work was exemplified by various members of Omaha Chapters.

Sister Nan Martin, Past Grand Matron, was Installing Officer, assisted by Brother Rainsford O. Brownell, P. G. P., and Sister Cassie H. Redfield, P. G. M.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Louise Mantor, Worthy Grand Matron.
Brother Emmanuel D. Lundak, Worthy Grand Patron.
Sister Rose M. Owens, Grand Secretary.

NEW JERSEY

Martha W. Johnson—Worthy Grand Matron.
Henry F. Kleinfeldt—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters Membership 56,413 Net Gain 1061.

The Sixty-first Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of New Jersey was held in Asbury Park, May 20-21, 1931.

Six Emergent Sessions were called by the Grand Chapter of New Jersey for the institution of the following Chapters, Eatontown Chapter at Oakhurst, N. J., June 30, 1930. Acquakanonk Chapter at Passaic, N. J., February 7, 1931. Galilee Chapter at Sea Side Heights, N. J., Feb. 20, 1931. Clifton Chapter at Clifton, N. J., Mar. 9, 1931. Mountain Lakes Chapter at Mountain Lakes, N. J., March 14, 1931 and Livingston Chapter at Livingston, N. J., March 20, 1931. At all of these sessions all Grand officers present, and the Ritualistic Work was exemplified in a dignified manner, after the customary presentation of gifts, the acceptance speeches, the thank you's to neighboring Chapters for the use of paraphernalia, and selected musical numbers, these Emergent Sessions were declared closed.

The Sixty-first Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of New Jersey, convened in Convention Hall, Asbury Park, N. J. at 10 A. M. Wednesday, May 20, 1931. This annual meeting was called the "Colonial Grand Session." Pages and Ushers dressed in Colonial costumes and powdered wigs, gracefully stepping and bowing to the strains of a minuet played by organ and piano, preceded the Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons and Distinguished Guests to the East where they were seated.

The Grand Session was formally opened by Sister Sarah E. Marshall, P. G. M. and Brother Edgar B. Slockett, P. G. P. The Grand Officers were invited to enter and welcomed by Sister Marshall, the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to their stations in the Grand East and the other officers assumed their several stations, and Grand Chapter declared open in due form.

The "Eastern Star Traveling Bible," which is making a trip around the world as a messenger of "peace on earth, good will towards men," and had been sent to this Grand Chapter for use at this session was reverently received and placed upon the Altar. Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain, and a vocal solo "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," was rendered by the Grand Organist, Sister Dorothy Patterson.

Two American Flags were borne to the East by uniformed members of the Army and Navy, both veterans of the World War. A tribute written by the R. W. Grand Secretary, Emma E. Farrier, was given by Ethel McCollum, W. G. Marshal, after which the Assembly gave the Pledge of Allegiance and the National Anthem was sung.

Thomas F. Burley, Jr., Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, extended the welcome of the City of Asbury Park, appearing officially for the Mayor, who was ill, and thus deprived of the honor.

Most Worshipful Grand Master, W. Stanley Naughtright, with three members of his staff was escorted to the East and brought greeting from the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M. of New Jersey. The Most Worthy Grand Patron responded to this Masonic welcome. Brother George Kite, Junior Past Grand Patron and present Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of the State of New Jersey was escorted to the East and given Grand Honors.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron reported a very busy but exceedingly pleasant year, and expressed appreciation for the many courtesies extended. To the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons the following tribute was given:

These are the builders faithful
Who have guided and steered so clear
That our Star's ascent to the zenith
May grow brighter year by year.

The Angel of Death has entered the Grand Chapter and called to the Grand Chapter above 478 members, fitting memorial services were given to the memory of the departed.

"How sweet is her crown of victory
When her earthly race is run.
When, after strife and work and conquest,
Her Master acclaim's "Well done."

114 Dispensations were granted. A request of Esther Chapter No. 4 to exemplify the work to Bergen Lodge No. 47 F. & A. M. in their Lodge Rooms, Bergen Lyceum, was refused, feeling it the better policy that Chapters extend the invitation for Master Masons to visit them in their Chapter rooms that at all times they are honored by their presence.

The Eastern Star home at Barnardsville, New Jersey, is managed by a Board of Governors. The opening service on Sunday, September 28, was conducted by Rev. Loyal Y. Graham, Pastor of Central Presbyterian Church of Newark. Many gifts were sent to the home for the pleasure of the guests, Sister Jennie R. Thomas who is the Superintendent does all in her power to make it a real home

"Man can build a mansion
Of mortar, brick and stone
But it takes the heart and hand of a woman
To make of it a home."

The Annual Rally Day brings the members an opportunity of coming together as a large family and at the same time provides funds for the home. The Annual Home Day on Saturday, October 4, brought visitors from all parts of the State. There was an address by Bro. Donald J. Sargent, Grand Master of Masons for the State of New Jersey. Some 5000 Sisters and Brothers assembled on the grounds of the Home for this occasion. A drill was given by Essex Chapter, Order of DeMolay.

The Masonic Home at Burlington, was visited by the Most Worthy Grand Matron and M. W. Grand Patron, this was the first visit of the M. W. Grand Matron and she was much impressed, particularly so with the home for boys and girls.

The Grand Chapter Session of Connecticut was also attended.

Many Fraternal courtesies were exchanged, and many telegrams received from Sister Jurisdictions.

The Annual Pilgrimage to Bergen Pines Hospital, Oradell, N. J., on Sunday, May 25th, was an invitation from the National League of Masonic Clubs. A police escort was provided and the meeting held on the beautiful grounds, where a speakers stand was erected.

The first Eastern Star Temple in New Jersey is located at Trenton, and was dedicated on August 26, 1930.

Brother James G. Bridges, and Sister Agnes C. Bridges, Past Grand Matron and Patron, celebrated their Golden Wedding, on October 13, 1930. A special evening was set apart by Myrtle Chapter No. 172, to do honor to "The Sweet-hearts," as they are known to their many friends.

Many Grand Officers attended the 152nd Anniversary of Valley Forge, this is an annual pilgrimage of the Grand Chapter of Maryland.

Grand Officers Night at Electa Chapter No. 68, the initiatory work was given, as well as the Floral Ceremony, closing with the Candle Light Service, written especially for the Grand Officers by R. W. Grand Secretary.

Order of the Rainbow for Girls is enthusiastically supported.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron and associate officers were guests of honor at the several District Meetings. In all instances the business session was preceded by a dinner, the Colonial Idea was carried out in the decorations, gifts of gold were presented to the Most Worthy Grand Matron, and entertainment features completed the sessions.

Sister Amanda Hickman, Past Grand Matron of Maryland; Brother Leonard J. Mason, P. G. P. of Maryland; Sister Mamie E. Mason, Grand Ruth of Maryland; Sister Jennie L. Stevens, P. G. M. of Connecticut; Sister Louisa Brown, Grand Representative to New York from Georgia; Sister Sara Gerdes, Grand Trustee, were escorted, introduced and accorded Grand Honors. Sister Hoose, P. M. of International Chapter, Pekin, China, was also received in the East.

Twenty-two Past Grand Matrons and ten Past Grand Patrons of New Jersey were also accorded Grand Honors.

The appointment of a Grand Color Bearer as an added officer was adopted for subordinate Chapters only.

A sale of Postal cards to increase the Home Fund netted \$632.49.

Balance on hand in Home Fund, \$5,200.53. Special mention is given Sister Madge Irene Ebert and the Board of Governors for their work during the year.

By direction of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Officers, District Deputies and Fraternal Correspondents were escorted to the East, for her last time and accorded Grand Honors. A song of farewell "Aufwiedersehn," was rendered by Sister Dorothy Patterson.

The Past Grand Jewels were presented to the retiring Grand Matron and Grand Patron by Sister Rose Meyerhoff, P. G. M. and graciously accepted.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Martha W. Johnson, assisted by the W. Grand Marshal, Ethel McCollum, installed the officers elected and appointed.

Notice was read of the Corporation meeting to be held the following morning at the Berkley-Carteret Hotel, at 10:00 o'clock.

The Annual Session was closed with prayer by the Grand Chaplain and a solo. "When the Cares of a Long Day are Over."

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Isabelle C. Reinert, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. Lester A. Rhodes, Worthy Grand Patron.

Mrs. Emma E. Farrier, P. G. M., Grand Secretary.

Next Annual Session to be held in Atlantic City, May 19-20, 1932.

NEW MEXICO

Total Chapters, 49.

Membership, 5,572.

The thirteenth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the State of New Mexico was convened in the Armory at Las Cruces on Thursday, March 24, 1932. Sister Elizabeth C. T. Warren, Senior Past Grand Matron, called the Grand Session to order.

This Grand Chapter Session was called the Colonial Session and the Grand Chapter Officers entered the room beautifully gowned in colorful colonial costumes.

A Bugler from the State College sounded the "Call to Colors," whereupon the Flag of the United States was presented by the Grand Marshal; salute and pledge of allegiance were given by the Grand Chapter. The Flags of New Mexico and of the Eastern Star were escorted and fitting tributes were given to each.

The Civic Welcome was given by Mayor Troy C. Sexton, who expressed his great pleasure in having so many fair guests in Las Cruces, and invited everyone to call on him or the citizenry of the city for anything they could do to add to the comfort or the pleasure of the visitors.

Thirteen Past Grand Matrons and five Past Grand Patrons were presented and given Grand Honors. Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, sent greetings and regretted her inability to attend the Session, but promised a visit in the near future. Telegrams and letters from Sister Grand Jurisdictions were received and read.

Sister Edith H. Neel, Worthy Grand Matron, reported that during the first seven months of her year she had personally visited and inspected every subordinate Chapter in the State. She expressed her gratification at the condition of these Chapters and her gratitude at the welcome she had received everywhere. Thirty-two Chapters held Schools of Instruction.

Brother William W. Adair, Worthy Grand Patron, added his words of praise for the condition of the Chapters throughout the State and reported one dispensation for a new Chapter. He expressed his gratitude to the Most Worthy Grand Matron for his appointment as a Member of the Distribution Committee of the General Grand Chapter, thus bringing added honors to the Grand Chapter of New Mexico.

It was interesting to note that this Grand Chapter adopted a uniform Institution and Constitution Ceremony.

An entertainment given by the Las Cruces Rainbow Girls was greatly enjoyed by all. These charming girls, dressed in colonial costumes, made a beautiful picture as they danced the Minuet.

Sister Allie J. Kanen, Past Grand Matron, assisted by Sister Bertha M. Barker, Sister Grace T. White and Sister Irene Barclay, installed the Grand Officers for the ensuing year.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Fay Parrish, Worthy Grand Matron.
Brother Gordon Allison, Worthy Grand Patron.
Sister Jessie M. Morgan, Grand Secretary.

NEW YORK

No. of Chapters, 831. Total Membership, 146,304.

The 61st annual session of the Grand Chapter, order of the Eastern Star of the State of New York, was opened in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Commodore, New York City, Tuesday morning, October 14th, 1930, at 10 o'clock.

R. W. Lester G. Vicks, Grand Marshal, directed the reception of the Grand Officers and formally presented M. W. Maude R. Sturges, Grand Matron, and M. W. C. Edward Church, Grand Patron.

An address of welcome was given by R. W. Clarisse Gilman and responded to by R. W. Bessie Wood.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron stated that she officially visited every district and as a result of her visitations throughout the State, she was happy to report that even if there exists somewhere, sometimes, some malcontents, enthusiasm and fraternal spirit manifested by the greater majority of the members present at these wonderful meetings, prove conclusively that in the hearts of the greater number of our sisters and brothers blossoms of worthwhile aims and high ideals have smothered the weeds of unkindness.

Nineteen Past Grand Matrons, seven Past Grand Patrons and six visiting Past Grand Matrons were escorted to the East.

In the report of R. W. C. Edward Church, Grand Patron, he said: "My ambition has been to hold fast that which is good, to 'Speak no word of unkindness, nor neglect to defend the good name of a Sister or Brother'—and if I have been successful in this purpose, even in a measure, I shall feel fully repaid for whatever humble service it has been my pleasure to contribute to our great Order and its membership."

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

R. W. Emma J. Bergman, Grand Matron.
R. W. Irwin A. Conroe, Grand Patron.
M. W. Annie M. Pond, Grand Secretary.

NEW YORK

Number of Chapters, 746.

Membership, 148,279.

The 62nd Grand Chapter of the State of New York opened in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Astor, City of New York, on October 13th, 1932, at ten o'clock A. M.

Right Worthy James Westlin, Grand Marshal, welcomed the Grand Officers and formally presented M. W. Emma J. Bergman, Grand Matron, and M. W. Irwin J. Conroe, Grand Patron.

M. W. Emma J. Bergman, Grand Matron, presiding, opened the Grand Chapter session and presented twenty-one Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of the State of New York.

R. W. Mae Ireland, Grand Color Bearer, presented the flag, and the pledge of allegiance was given. The address of welcome was made by R. W. Nettie V. Higgins, Associate Grand Conductress, and response by R. W. Katherine J. Church.

M. W. Emma J. Bergman, Grand Matron, presented the Grand Officers, of which there were twenty-four.

The Grand Matron constituted one chapter at Mt. Vernon. There were eight chapters organized, and a recommendation by the Grand Matron that charters be granted these chapters.

This Independent Jurisdiction has an order known as the Daughters of the Eastern Star, under the leadership of a State Director, assisted by a staff of Junior Directors, and are termed Triangles.

In the report of the R. W. Grand Secretary, it is of note that while the number of chapters has decreased, the membership has increased.

The report of Laura Johnson, Grand Fraternal Correspondent, is filled with items of interest and is very commendable. We regret that space does not permit printing it.

The report of Grand Historian Emeritus Alonzo J. Burton, who is almost 90, states that the Order of the Eastern Star is a creation that was born in New York State in 1868. That we claim to be the parent body of the Order of the Eastern Star that today numbers nearly three million throughout the world. And every State in the Union acknowledges that the Chapter System known today as the Order of the Eastern Star was written by Robert Macoy of New York City, who at one time was Deputy Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York.

We would have you know, therefore, that New York State is the mother of the Order of the Eastern Star, and New York State is the parent body.

The report of the Educational Board is of considerable interest; to date forty-five students have finished their course, made possible by loans advanced by the Board. The purpose is to loan to members and the children of members, who are High School graduates, monies without interest, not to exceed \$400 annually, to obtain a professional, college or technical education. The Treasurer of the Board reports that the payment of loans has been very satisfactory.

The report of Special Committee on Educational Fund, which was approved and adopted, was that beginning with the school year 1932-1933 and until the constitutional fund is established, the financial aid given to any individual student during any school year shall not exceed \$350.00.

The next session of the Grand Chapter will be held October 11th, 12th and 13th, 1932.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

R. W. Nan Reid Coy, Grand Matron.

R. W. Louis P. Haubennestel, Grand Patron.

M. W. Annie M. Pond, Grand Secretary.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Anna G. Wheaton—Worthy Grand Matron.

Dr. Chas. F. Ross—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters. 61.

Membership, 13,293.

The 41st Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of New Hampshire, was convened at Tilton School Gymnasium, September 16, 1931 at 10:00 o'clock. A. M. Eastern Daylight Saving Time.

The Gymnasium was beautifully decorated, Star Point colors and an abundance of flowers being used.

Past Grand Matron, Frances B. Morrison, called the session to order and directed the Grand Marshal to invite the Grand Officers to enter. They were escorted by the officers of Ionic Chapter No. 20, of Franklin, after a very pretty line of march, the Worthy Grand Matron was escorted to the East under a circle of roses, held by the escorts. The Weber Quartet sang "Song of Praises", after which Grand Chapter was formally opened.

Flowers were presented to Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Marshal, from Peabody Chapter, by the small son and daughter of the Grand Marshal, Sister Beatrice H. Nordholm. All Grand Officers were present.

The National Flag and State Flag were presented in the East by Brother Harrold A. Smith, Grand Sentinel and Brother Guy Crane, Associate Patron of Puritan Chapter No. 29 of Milford, escorted by the Grand Marshal and Pages. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and all joined in singing the "Star Spangled Banner." The Pages were introduced and the Weber Quartet sang "Love is the light of the World."

His Excellency Hon. John G. Winant, Governor of New Hampshire, was escorted to the East by the Grand Marshal and presented by the Worthy Grand Matron, and in the name of the State was given an official welcome in part as follows: We are delighted to have you within our borders, not only as individuals, but your organization as a collective group intent on righteous action. We need you, we are living today in difficult times under circumstances that should bring out the best or worst in mankind, but may I suggest from the beginning we all start to work through life under rain and sunshine. To take life as it comes, work with our eyes on high always following that Star in the East.

Dr. Chas. Ross, Worthy Grand Patron, responded expressing appreciation for the cordial welcome given.

The Grand Marshal escorted John W. Crawford, Chairman of the Tilton Chamber of Commerce, to the East, he welcomed all in behalf of the Town of Tilton.

Bro. Orville E. Cain of Keene, Deputy Grand Master, represented the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of New Hampshire said, as I came from Keene this morning over the highway through Concord and reveled in the beauties which nature afforded, it seemed to me New Hampshire was particularly favored, and as I came into this gathering I am certain of it. We are proud of this organization of yours, we acknowledge the benefits which are derived in our localities, and in our State and in our Nation, through the existence of your wonderful Order.

The response by Bro. Wm. Sym, Associate Grand Patron, was followed by another address of welcome by Bro. Fred T. Sanborn, Past Grand Patron, on behalf of the Town of Tilton, many times we have acted as Host to Educational and Fraternal gatherings, but no group has been hailed with more pleasure than this meeting of the Eastern Star.

Address of welcome by Joel E. Nordholm, Associate Patron of Peabody Chapter, acting for the Worthy Matron of the home town Chapter, was responded to by Jestina W. Aldrich, Associate Grand Matron, who said the cordial reception they had received had made them forget the word "Stranger", and that all were Brothers and Sisters of one large family.

"There's an air of quiet hominess, that anyone can see,
That makes the Town of Tilton, a splendid place to be—
For its Peabody Chapter folks round here, the kindly ones and true
That give this place its charm and grace, good Tilton folks like you."

Distinguished guests were escorted and given Grand Honors: Carrie A. Cushing, Past Grand Matron of Mass. and Worthy Grand Chaplain of General Grand Chapter; Bro. Harry G. Noyes, Chairman of Committee on Charters of General Grand Chapter; Bro. George E. Danforth, Past Grand Master of Grand Lodge Free and Accepted Masons; Margaret B. Sandholzer, Worthy Grand Matron of Massachusetts; Clara B. Norton, Worthy Grand Matron of Vermont; Fred E. Briggs, Worthy Grand Patron of Massachusetts; Leon W. Webster, Worthy Grand Patron of Vermont; Sarah A. Shaw, Associate Grand Matron of Maine; Bertha P. Miller, Grand Treasurer and Past Grand Matron of Rhode Island; Helen A. Woodman, Grand Marshal of Massachusetts; Geneva Webster, Grand Esther of Vermont; Sister Davis, Grand Lecturer of Vermont; Sister Lombard, Past Grand Matron of Maine; Sister Rich, Past Grand Matron of Massachusetts; Sister Gardner, Past Grand Matron of Connecticut; Sister Spaulding, Past Grand Matron of Rhode Island; Sister Pawson, Past Grand Matron of Rhode Island; Sister Bullock, Past Grand Matron of Rhode Island; Brother Leland, Past Grand Patron of Vermont; Brother Foster, Past Grand Patron of Maine.

As the roll of Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons was called all stood and were greeted by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Many selections were given at different times by the Weber Quartett.

The Worthy Grand Matron served at many installations, and assisted by the Grand Marshal conducted four schools of instruction, granted 71 special dispensations, accompanied by the Grand Marshal, 46 Chapters were visited officially, and 5 unofficially, also attended the Grand Chapters of Massachusetts, Maine and Vermont. It was also her desire to visit every Rainbow Assembly in the State, but strength would not permit.

Recommended that Grand Chapter give 3c per capita each to the Benevolent Fund and Educational Fund for three years, and that Subordinate Chapters give 5c per capita to each fund for one year.

Worthy Grand Patron instituted the first new Chapter in eight years on February 25th, a charter was granted and it is known as Ragged Mt. Chapter No. 62.

He visited Chapters whenever possible, feeling that Grand Officers visits are an inspiration to all officers. Gratefully appreciates the courtesies and gifts to Mrs. Ross and himself.

He visited Grand Chapters of Rhode Island and Vermont, assisted at nine installations, and during the year traveled 7091 miles.

April 15, 1931 Martha Washington Chapter No. 6 of Goffstown, celebrated their 40th anniversary, this is the home Chapter of the Associate Grand Patron, attended this event with Mrs. Ross, the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Marshal.

Four Past Grand Officers and 115 members of subordinate Chapters, answered the final summons during the year, for these late members appropriate memorial services were conducted, by Ruth Chapter No. 16.

"No matter how heavy our loss is,
No matter how great our despair,
Doesn't Heaven seem nearer and brighter
To know that some loved ones are there?"

Cash in Benevolent Fund, \$4475.31. Educational Fund, \$1513.50.
\$1000 was paid out of the Benevolent Fund for the needy.

Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Secretary to be sent as delegates to the General Grand Chapter with all expenses paid.

The Masonic Home has 27 residents at this writing, youngest is 67 years old and blind, the oldest 92 years, average age 79 years, it has been arranged by the Worthy Grand Matron that each resident receive a new one dollar bill for their birthday. The Masons are adding 18 rooms to the home and increasing the size of the dining room, as they have many applicants on their waiting list.

The Degrees of the Order of Rainbow for Girls was exemplified by Keene Assembly No. 7, and thoroughly enjoyed.

New Jewels were presented to the Grand Chapter by Anna G. Wheaton, Worthy Grand Matron, and accepted for the Grand Body by Sister Lord Past Grand Matron.

The officers presented the Worthy Grand Matron with red roses just before her official retirement from the Grand East.

The Grand Marshal, Sister Nordholm, escorted the Installing Grand Officers to the East. Sister Anna W. Davis, Junior Past Grand Matron as Installing Grand Matron; Bro. Ansel W. Sanborn, Junior P. G. P. as Installing Grand Patron; Sister Florence M. Miner, P. G. Chaplain, as Installing Chaplain; Edith A. Gaudry, P. G. Marshal, as Installing Marshal; Edith I. Turner, P. G. Organist, as Installing Grand Organist.

"Where the Year is Dawning," sung by the Weber Quartette, was very effective as the newly elected and appointed officers entered, escorted by the retiring officers. An archway of red roses was formed by the officers of

Excelsior Chapter of Whitefield as the newly installed Worthy Grand Matron took her station in the East.

Past Grand Officers Jewels were presented to the retiring Worthy Grand Matron and Patron.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Jestina W. Aldrich, Worthy Grand Matron.

William Sym, Worthy Grand Patron.

Bessie P. Norris, Grand Secretary.

The next Grand Session will be held at the Maplewood at Bethelam, on September 14 and 15, 1932.

NORTH CAROLINA

Number of Chapters, 109.

Membership, 7,251.

The Virginia Dare Session of the Grand Chapter of North Carolina had a most inspirational beginning, when Rev. G. W. Perry preached a sermon to the visiting delegates on Sunday evening, June 7th, at the First Methodist Episcopal church, eulogizing the life of Esther.

The twenty-sixth annual session of the Grand Chapter of the State of North Carolina was held in the Parish house of Christ Episcopal Church in Elizabeth City opening at 10:00 A. M., Tuesday, June 9, 1931.

The Grand Officers, gowned in pastel shades, entered the Grand Chapter room through an arch of American Beauty roses formed by uniformed Pages. The costume worn by the Worthy Grand Matron was fashioned after the style of Virginia Dare's day, bringing back memories of the first white child born on American soil.

At each Grand Session the Trooping of the Colors is a most impressive and inspiring ceremony. The Pages formed an escort of honor, each carrying a shepherd's crook. Earnest and sincere tributes were paid the Eastern Star Flag, the Flag of North Carolina and the grandest of all flags, "Old Glory." Each tribute was followed by an appropriate song.

This Grand Session was highly honored by having the "Traveling Bible" as its most honored guest. Sister Maude E. Hester, P.G.M., paid a fitting tribute in which she outlined the history and travels of this copy of the Word of God. Saying in closing, "The Traveling Bible stands for Masonry and the Eastern Star."

Sister Gertrude Benjamin, Worthy Grand Electa, Past Grand Matron of Utah, was a distinguished guest; others were Grand Matron, Grand Patron and Grand Marshal of the State of Virginia, and many visiting Matrons and Patrons from Sister Grand Jurisdictions. They were heartily

welcomed. Eleven Past Grand Matrons and six Past Grand Patrons were presented and honored. Two Divisional Deputies and eleven District Deputies were presented and introduced.

Sister Daisy Mae Davis, Worthy Grand Matron, expressed her gratitude at the hospitality shown by Elizabeth City Chapter No. 44 and reported that it had been her happy privilege to attend thirteen District Meetings and was more than gratified at the interest shown and at the efficiency of the officers presiding. Seventy official visits were made. She thanked and congratulated Sister Donie Rich-Patton, Official Editor of the Carolina Eastern Star, which had found its birth during her year. In speaking of the work accomplished for the Order of Rainbow for girls, Sister Davis said: "No greater work can be done for our girls than to throw around them the bright light of our Star." Sister Davis found time during her very busy year, as Grand Matron, to accept the office of Grand Lecturer of this beautiful order and to attend the Tri-State Assembly and also to spend several days at the Rainbow Camp.

Brother C. D. Roberts, Worthy Grand Patron, reported two Chapters instituted. It was his privilege to visit Camp Rainbow and to be present at the organization of the Tri-State Assembly on July 25, 1930. He urged every member of the Order to give his interest and support to the splendid work being done by the Sponsors of this Order. He expressed his pleasure at the courtesy shown to him at all times and his gratitude for the high honor that had been his as Grand Patron.

Committee of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home located at Greensboro have housed eighty-three brothers and sisters. They acknowledged the assistance given them by the Eastern Star Chapters throughout the State. All delegates of the Grand Chapter were invited to visit the Home and see the splendid work that was being done.

North Carolina Grand Chapter maintains a very successful Educational Loan Fund, which is maintained by voluntary subscriptions of Chapters and individuals.

Sister Sallie Goodson, Brother J. A. McNorton and Sister Jesse Davis were installing officers.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Bessie R. Mangum, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother W. P. Henley, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Mary C. Weatherly, Grand Secretary.

NORTH DAKOTA

Worthy Grand Matron—Ida S. Grimson.

Worthy Grand Patron—Fred B. Black.

Chartered Chapters 112.

Membership 12,462.

The 37th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of North Dakota convened in the Masonic Temple at Fargo, at 9:30 o'clock, Thursday morning, June 18, 1931.

Promptly at 10:00 o'clock, Grand Chapter was called to order by Sister Tillie McGruer-Donald, Past Grand Matron.

"Open the Gates of the Temple" was sung by Sister E. J. Peterson, during the rendition of which little Gloria Anderson and Helen Dietz, slowly opened the gates leading to the Grand East.

"Radiant Star" was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Clara B. Wright.

Just prior to the entrance of the Grand Officers and their escorts, the O. E. S. Choir entered, forming a circle around the Altar. "To a Wild Rose" was sung by the Fargo Ladies Sextette, as the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the Grand East.

Flowers and ferns in profusion decorated the Auditorium, North Dakota's flower, the "Wild Rose", predominating everywhere.

After the Invocation by Brother H. P. Cooper, and the proper purging Grand Chapter was formerly opened.

All Grand Officers present, except the Associate Grand Conductress, Pearl M. May, whose position, due to illness was filled by Maude M. Adams, a Past Grand Matron.

The Grand Marshal and Grand Conductress retired and presented "Old Glory", and the "Union Jack". One verse of "America", and "God Save the King" and the International Hymn were sung after which the Pledge of Allegiance was given.

A tribute to the "Flags" expressing sentiment worthy of emulation was given by Worthy Grand Patron, Fred B. Black, as follows:

"Before us today are unfurled two flags, under the folds of one of these I first saw the light of day, and spent my boyhood—under the broad stripes and bright stars of the other. I have spent my youth and more mature years. One represents a glorious past, the other symbolizes a glorious future." "In words of another, when our Flag is translated into language, you read an inspiring human document, written in the blood of men who loved liberty and action, and conscience better than power of gold; a document written by the reflected light of the coming stars, that glisten now upon its fields of blue to illumine the pathway over which

lovers of liberty throughout the world may travel toward the Democracy of the future, in which all races shall unite to proclaim liberty and brotherhood throughout the world, and to all men and women of the earth."

Wishes for a successful Session was expressed by the presentation of flowers by the Worthy Matron of Sister Grimson's home Chapter.

Many distinguished visitors were present among them the following: Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, who, after her introduction and according to Grand Honors, was asked to introduce other members of the General Grand Chapter present, as follows: Mildred K. Shanbacker, R. W. Associate Grand Matron of Port Arthur, Ontario; Marguerite V. Dunn, R. W. Grand Ruth, and Past Grand Matron of Minnesota; Jane C. Evans, of Saskatchewan, of the Foreign Relations Committee; Minnie E. Rusk, Fargo, North Dakota, of the International Temple Committee.

On behalf of Mecca Chapter No. 5 and Orpah Chapter No. 10, Elsie Bordasch, W. M. of Orpah Chapter, presented beautiful flowers to each guest, appropriate remarks accompanying each presentation.

Brother Chas. D. Milloy, Grand Master of Masons was presented by Walter L. Stockwell, Grand Secretary, and after a splendid greeting once more setting the seal of Masonic approval upon the Order of the Eastern Star, he was greeted by Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Grimson, an added word of welcome was extended by the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Chadwick.

The absence of the Associate Grand Conductress, Pearl May, was deeply regretted and the following tribute was paid her by the Worthy Grand Matron:

"Not until each loom is silent
And the shuttles cease to fly,
Will God unroll the pattern
And explain the reason why.
The dark threads are as needful
In the Weavers skillful hand,
As the threads of gold and silver,
For the pattern which he planned."

A message of love and flowers, in Star Point colors, were sent to brighten the hours and express hope of a speedy recovery.

The first official act of the Worthy Grand Matron was the appointment of Grand Officers, Standing and Special Committees, and District Deputies 23 in number.

A deep regard for the "Order of the Rainbow" for Girls, was expressed by the W. G. M. in letters to the Deputy Grand Matrons asking them to stimulate this great work among the members in their districts, also requesting that the money usually spent for flowers for the Worthy Grand Matron on her visits be used to establish an educational Loan Fund, and to advocate "Denial Dollars", among members to increase this fund. A \$1000 Educational Loan Fund was established during the year.

1931 marks the tenth anniversary of the establishment of Home Fund.

A gift of \$500 left the Grand Chapter of North Dakota by the late Lora E. Kinney, Past Grand Matron, was gratefully acknowledged.

Rugby Masonic Lodge presented \$30 to the Student Loan Fund.

Flowers were placed upon the Altar in memory of members who had passed to the Great Beyond, appropriate music by the Choir and Soloists, accompanying the service.

Proficiency Examination, consisting of twenty questions and answers was recommended by a committee and adopted.

Wonderful inspirational addresses were given by Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron and Bro. Stockwell, Grand Secretary of North Dakota.

The O. E. S. Home Fund was increased by the receipt of \$722.07, the returns from fifty-one Chapters.

North Dakota has a Grand Historian, Sister Florence Hoskins, a summary of the histories of the subordinate Chapters is contained in the proceedings, and all very interesting.

Two major objectives of the Worthy Grand Matron were realized at this splendid session, first the organization of a Grand Assembly of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, of which the W. G. M., Ida Grimson, was given the title of Mother of the Assembly, and second the establishing of the Student Loan Fund.

After a very beautiful Installation Service by Kate C. Guy, assisted by Louise Harding, Grand Marshal and Blanch Lynn Whitmore, Grand Chaplain, the 37th Annual Session was closed in regular form.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Matilda E. Kinne, Worthy Grand Matron.

John A. Stormon, Worthy Grand Patron.

Minnie E. Rusk, Grand Secretary.

1932 Session to be held the 3rd week of June at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

OHIO

Mrs. Grace Sheffield—Worthy Grand Matron.
Robert L. Rohe—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 508.

Membership, 123893.

The 42nd Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Ohio, Order of the Eastern Star, convened in the Civic Auditorium, Toledo, Tuesday, October 27, 1931, at 7:30 P. M.

Previous to the opening a concert was given by Zenobia Shrine Band.

The meeting was called to order by Bro. J. Ernest Teare, Past Grand Patron of Ohio, and Past Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter, who invited the Grand Officers to enter.

The Grand Officers, in conventional evening attire, escorted by the Chanters of the 6th District, about one hundred in number, all in white robes and singing "O Come All Ye Faithful," and the Worthy Patrons of the 6th District in gowns of rainbow hue, entered the room, a very impressive sight was the forming of a Rainbow by these Worthy Matrons, back of the stations of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. At this time Brother Teare requested the Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress to escort the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron to their stations in the East.

In presenting the gavel to the Worthy Grand Matron, Bro. Teare expressed his appreciation for the honor that had been accorded him in calling the Grand Body to order.

Brother Teare was presented by the Grand Conductress, welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, escorted to the East, and extended the Grand Honors.

Sister Arra B. Jacobs, Past Grand Matron and member of the International Temple Committee of General Grand Chapter, was escorted to the East and given Grand Honors.

The Grand Officers assumed their Stations, Grand Chapter was formally opened and all joined in singing "My Faith Looks Up to Thee."

Bro. Teare presented a bouquet of red roses to the Worthy Grand Matron on behalf of the Matrons of District No. 6.

Nineteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons were presented at the Altar and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, who said in part: "Each of you have placed in this splendid structure a lasting stone of memory, engraved with your name and year of service. My heart goes out in gratitude to you tonight."

A quartette, Sisters Gilham, Hartung, Houston and McCleary, sang "Should Old Acquaintance Be Forgot."

Thirty-five representatives were assembled in the West, presented with red roses, and escorted to the East.

Deputy Grand Matrons were presented with flowers, escorted to seats in the East and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Sister Cora Vail, Chairman of Arrangements, was welcomed and thanked in an appreciative manner for her arrangement for the Session and success of same.

In presenting her husband, Dr. John Sheffield, the Worthy Grand Matron said: "Your smile has sped me on my journeys, and the same smile has welcomed me on my return."

Solo, "Angels of Glory," was sung by Bro. Harry G. Turvey, of Collingwood Chapter No. 184.

Greetings and best wishes from the more than 200,000 Master Masons in the State of Ohio was extended by Junior Past Grand Master Harry Grave, who represented the State in the absence of Judge Harvey F. Ake, Most Worshipful Grand Master.

Brother J. F. Edward Dohse, Associate Grand Patron, thanked the Junior Past Grand Master for the cordial greeting and wished for the Grand Lodge of Ohio a most prosperous and harmonious year.

Hon. William F. Jackson, Mayor of Toledo, represented the City, and although a 33rd Degree Mason, is not a member of the Eastern Star.

Welcome on behalf of the Masons of Toledo, by Brother Otto H. Hohly, 33rd Degree Commander-in-Chief Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, Valley of Toledo.

Worthy Grand Patron Robert L. Rohe responded to the two foregoing speeches, after which the session was recessed to reconvene at 9:00 A. M. Wednesday. Taps were sounded.

Wednesday promptly at 9:00 A. M. Sister Elma E. Hullinger, Junior Past Grand Matron, sounded the gavel, the Grand Officers entered and the Worthy Grand Matron assumed her station.

Bro. Harry S. Johnson, Past Grand Master and Grand Secretary of Grand Lodge, and four past Grand Patrons were escorted and given Grand Honors.

Report of the Worthy Grand Matron was an expression of gratitude for the privilege granted her in traveling the "Starlit Trail of Happiness" as their leader. Duties and problems moulded into memory a very happy year. Choosing as her symbol "The Rainbow of God's Promises," she found:

"The bluest of skies.
A flood of sunlight,
A soft spring shower,
Then the rainbow bright."

Appointed Grand Officers, Committees, and Deputy Grand Matrons, first official duty, enjoyed the privilege of installing officers in many chapters, assisted in many others. District meetings for ritualistic work were held and she was able to be present in all but four instances.

Appreciate the Honorary memberships conferred in many chapters and affiliated associations.

"There's a long long trail a-winding
Into my heart of dreams,
Where the love of friends is shining
And our bright Star gleams—
There's a whole glad year of greeting
Our Chapters so loyal and true,
And I'm glad that I've been traveling
Down the star-lit trail with you."

Thus the Worthy Grand Matron expressed her journey throughout the State on Official Visits. Your zeal has been an inspiration and your love and appreciation have encouraged me to give my best in word and deed.

May 20th a visit was made to the Masonic Home at Springfield, accompanied by the Associate Grand Matron and members of the O.E.S. Home Committee.

The Ohio Masonic Home is a grand and fitting monument to the cause of Charity and Brotherly Love. Here both the aged are cared for, and orphans reared and educated. Additional land needed for the Home was acquired in 1924 by the Grand Chapter at a cost of \$50,000. The Eastern Star Building was a gift of the Grand Chapter.

The correspondence has been a great joy, but heavy responsibility.

Personal thanks were extended to all present and past officers and members who had given such staunch support during the year.

Worthy Grand Patron granted dispensations for two new chapters, reports all Chapters in splendid condition, cordial hospitality everywhere, and ritualistic work given in commendable manner. Officers earnest in their desire to conduct affairs in accordance with laws of this Grand Jurisdiction.

Life Membership was conferred on Worthy Grand Patron in his home chapter, also Honorary membership in several others.

Leetonia Chapter No. 253 and Brownville Chapter No. 486 suffered losses through fire. Miriam Chapter No. 278 has the largest membership, 1698.

Reinsville Chapter No. 397 is the smallest, with 36 members.

Nine Chapters have more than 1,000 members.

Chartered Chapters, 508. Total membership, 123,893. Net Gain, 242.

Three funds are maintained: General Fund, O.E.S. Home Fund and Educational Loan Fund. Total in all funds, \$171,652.72.

Five thousand dollars was transferred from the O.E.S. Masonic Home Committee to the Educational Loan Fund of the O.E.S. Home Committee, to be used for loans to children of the Ohio Masonic Home at Springfield, to assist them in securing advanced education in accredited schools of learning in the State of Ohio. The amount loaned to each student not to exceed \$500 in any one year, nor more than four loans be made to any one applicant.

Memorial services for 1,242 members who had passed away were held on Wednesday evening. On the stage was a large broken column and the lovely flowers and effective lighting added much to the beauty of the occasion. Hazel L. Pierce was in charge of this feature, assisted by thirty-five Matrons and a double quartette.

At the completion of the business session Bro. Wm. L. Vail rendered a cornet solo, "The End of a Perfect Day." "Farewell to Thee" was played by the Grand Organist as the 1930-31 Officers retired from their stations.

A beautiful floral ceremony was given by Installing Grand Officers, assisted by the Associate Matrons of Districts 2, 3, 6, 13—sixty-one, all in gowns of white and silver. Scarlet and silver were the colors chosen by the Worthy Grand Matron elect. Scarlet Carnations were used in profusion.

A Vested Choir singing hymns preceded the elective and appointive Grand Officers into the Grand Chapter Room.

The Installing Grand Officer was Sister Sara E. Binder, P.G.M., assisted by Maude E. Gillman, P.G.M., as Grand Secretary, and Elma E. Hullinger, P.G.M., as Installing Chaplain. After remarks by the newly installed Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, the presentation of gifts and flowers and Jewels to the retiring Grand Officers, the Grand Chapter Session was closed.

Job's Daughters are an active organization in Ohio, and Bethel No. 1 is in Columbus.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Olive Williams, Worthy Grand Matron.

J. F. Edward Dohse, Worthy Grand Patron.

Bessie Fargo Boice, Grand Secretary.

The 43rd Annual Session to be held in Dayton, Ohio.

OKLAHOMA

Total Chapters, 277.

Membership, 52,884.

The twenty-fourth Annual Session of the Oklahoma Grand Chapter met in the Scottish Rite Temple, Guthrie, April 12, 1932.

Grand Chapter was called to order by Sister M. Alice Miller, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron.

Sixteen Pages in rainbow colors entered, forming a rainbow at each side of the Worthy Grand Matron's Station. The forty District Deputies, dressed in white and wearing red capes, formed a star around the Altar. The Grand Officers, in colonial costumes, completed the picture by forming a pentagon outside the Labyrinth and into this beautiful picture the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Lela S. Boles, and the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Gould Bryan, were escorted to the Grand East, introduced and given Grand Honors.

Old Glory, the Union Jack, Oklahoma State Flag and the Eastern Star Flag were escorted in a beautiful ceremony with fitting music. Sister Viola Vincent, Grand Marshal, paid the Tribute to the Flag.

Our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, was welcomed, introduced and honored. Sister Alice M. Miller, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, was likewise honored. Other distinguished guests were Sister Blanche B. Neal, Past Grand Matron and Chairman of the Distribution Committee of the General Grand Chapter; Sister Mildred B. Conkling, Past Grand Matron; Sister Bermetta Miller, Worthy Grand Matron of Kansas; Sister Belle P. Tomlinson, Grand Matron; and Brother George Dowell, Grand Patron of the State of Texas, and also many present and past grand officers from Sister Jurisdictions. These distinguished guests were most heartily welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Nineteen of Oklahoma's Past Grand Matrons and fourteen Past Grand Patrons were presented and honored.

Seventy-four Secretaries of Subordinate Chapters were introduced and welcomed by the Grand Secretary, Sister Maud C. Alverson.

The members and visitors of the Grand Chapter went to the Masonic Home during recess, where they were royally entertained by the Home Family.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported her pleasure in being asked by the Worthy Grand Patron to assist him in the Constitution of two new Chapters. She had, during her year, the pleasure of signing 117 Certificates of Efficiency. She attended 39 Schools of Instruction and 61 Chapters. Many visits were made by her to the Masonic Homes, where there are many members past eighty years of age. How they must have enjoyed these visits of their Grand Matron! Sister Boles is much interested in the Order of Rainbow for Girls and felt it was her good fortune to be present at the Grand Assembly in Shawnee, where her own dear daughter was installed as Grand Faith.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Gould Bryan, reviewed with pleasure his year of service and added thanks and appreciation for many kindnesses extended to him during the year. He is also keenly interested in the Order of Rainbow for Girls. He reported two Chapters instituted and wished for the "Baby Chapters" God Speed on their way.

An interesting talk by Mrs. Elizabeth House, State President of the W.C.T.U., was enjoyed by all.

The Grand Chapter of the State of Oklahoma aids the Masonic Lodges of the State in maintaining a Home for Boys and Girls, where are cared for 114 children. In the Home for the Aged 92 are members of the Home Family.

The Ritualistic and Initiatory work was exemplified by the Grand Officers, who conferred the Degrees on seven Rainbow Girls.

Grand Matron Sister Lela Boles was Grand Installing Officer, assisted by Sister Wells. Past Grand Matron.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Nyobia Hendricks, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother C. D. Walker, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Mary C. Alverson, Grand Secretary.

ONTARIO

Total Chapters, 206.

Membership, 25,309.

On Tuesday evening, June second, the Sixteenth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Ontario, Canada, opened informally in the Norman Room of the Royal Edward Hotel in Fort William. Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Right Worthy Associate

Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, was acting hostess. A most delightful evening was spent with addresses of welcome and congratulation and their respective responses being the order of the evening's entertainment.

At nine o'clock on Wednesday morning, June 3rd, 1931, the Grand Chapter of Ontario opened its Sixteenth Annual Session in the Royal Edward Hotel, Fort William. Sister Maud B. Shaver, Past Grand Matron, presiding. Grand Officers were escorted into the Grand Chapter Room. Sister Annetta Carruthers, Worthy Grand Matron, assuming the Gavel.

Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron; Sister Marguerite Dunn, Worthy Grand Ruth; and Sister Mary Margaret Atkins, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Saskatchewan, were presented and escorted to the East and given Grand Honors. The Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of this and other Grand Jurisdictions were also presented and escorted to the Grand East and duly honored.

The Grand Marshal presented the Union Jack, after which the National Anthem was sung.

A message of congratulations was sent to his Majesty King George V. as this was his birthday.

Sister Annette Carruthers, Worthy Grand Matron, read her report, giving an account of her stewardship for the year just passed. Sister Carruthers spoke with regret of the passing into the Grand Chapter Above of many members of this Grand Jurisdiction, and expressed her sympathy for Sister Grand Jurisdictions who had suffered losses of like nature.

Report of the Worthy Grand Patron, Dr. James M. Cation, was very interesting. He reported four new Chapters instituted.

The report of the O.E.S. Florence Nightingale Home Board showed this institution to be in a flourishing condition, with eleven girls and boys being cared for. The Board thanked the Chapters for their interest and generosity to these children.

Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, was installing officer on June 5th, 1931.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Anna Boyd, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother George Stevenson, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Ethel Malcom, Worthy Grand Secretary.

OREGON

Total Chapters, 146.

Membership, 26,263.

The forty-second annual session, Order of the Eastern Star of the State of Oregon, was called to order in the Masonic Temple, Portland, Oregon, on Tuesday, June 9, 1931, at 10:30 A. M. The Grand Session was formally called to order by Sister Rose J. Wilson, Past Grand Matron, assisted by Brother Robert A. Miller, Senior Past Grand Patron. The processional hymn, "Oh! Come All Ye Faithful," was sung by the Portland Matrons' Choir.

The entrance of the Grand Chapter Officers into the Grand Chapter room was preceded by the Pages, the Associate Matrons of Oregon. The Grand Marshal escorted the Grand Matron, Sister Carrie Jackson, and the Grand Patron, Brother Frank E. Mangold, to the East, and they were given Grand Honors, after which the Grand Officers assumed their respective stations.

"Old Glory," the flags of the State of Oregon and the Eastern Star Flag were presented and the "Star Spangled Banner" was sung by the assembly. A most beautiful and fitting tribute was given to the Flag by Brother Duncan P. Cameron, Past Patron of Cottage Grove Chapter No. 4.

This Grand Chapter Session of the State of Oregon was highly honored by having as their distinguished guest Sister Emma Plummer Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Oregon. As Sister Chadwick and her escort approached the Grand East, the Pages formed a colorful arch of long-stemmed roses through which the Honored Guest passed, to be met by the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Jackson, given the Grand Honors and presented with a lovely basket of yellow roses. Sister Emily Maxwell, Grand Matron of British Columbia, was introduced by the Grand Conductress, cordially received by the Worthy Grand Matron and also extended Grand Honors. The Past Grand Matrons, eighteen in number, and the Past Grand Patrons, nine in number, were escorted, introduced and duly honored.

Thirty-one official visits were made by the Worthy Grand Matron during her year of service and she expressed her gratitude for many courtesies extended to her throughout the entire State. Sister Jackson recommended that the members of the subordinate chapters repeat the Obligation at least once a year to refresh their memories and to keep ever before them the aims and purposes of our beautiful Order.

It was most interesting to note that the Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Conductress are appointed Grand Depu-

ties in this Grand Jurisdiction. Each Grand Deputy is assigned a portion of the State in which to hold Schools of Instruction.

An interesting report was given by the Masonic and Eastern Star Home Committee, who reported an average membership in the Home of eighty-four during the year. The Committee thanked those who had made possible Religious Services, and entertainments, and all of those who had made visits during the year, as well as all of those who had made donations and for the general great interest shown by the membership of the entire State of Oregon for those who had entered the Sunset of Life.

A very successful Student Loan Fund is maintained by the Grand Chapter of Oregon. Seventy-two girls, scattered all over the United States, have been beneficiaries of this splendid system.

Installation of Grand Officers was held on Thursday evening, June 11, 1931, at 8:30 P. M. Sister Emma Plummer Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron, was installing officer.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Minnie W. White, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother J. H. Hardy, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Nellie McKinley, Grand Secretary.

PENNSYLVANIA

Carrie M. Criswell—Worthy Grand Matron.

Harry Roberts Graham—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 471. Membership, 89,625. Net Gain, 1,566.

Grand Chapter of Pennsylvania—Thirty-seventh Annual Session.

Sunday afternoon, June 7, 1931, 2:30 P. M.

Dedication of Plaque—Honoring Chapters contributing 100 per cent to the Eastern O.E.S. Home, at the Home, 1196 East Washington Lane, Germantown, Philadelphia. Mrs. Florence A. Plummer, P.M., Norris-Penn Chapter No. 181, the Mistress of Ceremonies, was introduced by Mabel Hippler, D.D.G.M. of District 27-E.

Singing of the National anthem by the assembly, invocation by Rev. Z. Montgomery Gibson, Ph.D., Chaplain of the Home. Solo by May Nichols, of Progressive Chapter No. 147, was followed by the Dedication of the Plaque by Carrie M. Criswell, Worthy Grand Matron. In her address she said it was with pleasure and pride that the Home in Westview was opened to the aged members in the State. In 1928 it was definitely decided to establish an Eastern Home at Conneaut, and to the competent Past Grand Matron, Jane M. Roberts, Worthy Grand Matron, 1929-30, came the tremendous but pleasant duty of founding

the Eastern Home, and through her untiring efforts made possible the dedication on June 1st, 1929, entirely furnished and ready for guests, wholly without encumbrance. To encourage the work in the Chapters, Sister Roberts set a goal of \$1.00 per member and to all chapters who attained this goal one hundred percent, a Plaque would be placed in the Home with the names of the Chapters thereon. Today we are here to dedicate this Plaque, and to our Sister Jane Roberts I extend the honor of the unveiling. Sister Roberts said: "I take great pleasure in unveiling this tablet in loving memory of the chapters and members of our Order who have truly 'Seen His Star in the East'." Vocal music and benediction concluded the ceremony.

Divine services at the Baptist Temple, Broad and Berks Streets, were held on Sunday evening, with Rev. M. Joseph Twomey, D.D., Pastor, officiating.

The informal opening and reception was held on Monday evening, June 8, 1931, at 7:30 P. M., in the Metropolitan Opera House, Broad and Poplar Streets, Philadelphia. An organ recital on the Moller Artiste Organ, by Mrs. Adaline G. Arnold, P.M., opened the program, following the entrance of the Grand Officers. The Address of Welcome was given by Sister Lillie H. Harris, District Deputy Grand Matron, and General Chairman of the Executive Committee, who said Philadelphia extended a hearty welcome to the 37th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Pennsylvania. Our municipal motto is "Let Brotherly Love Continue." and may we add to this, "Let Sisterly Affection Prevail."

Invocation by Rev. William Barnes Lower, Pastor of Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church, Logan, Philadelphia, following which Sister Harris presented the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carrie M. Criswell, who in her own sweet way responded to the Address of Welcome. The Honorable Harry A. Mackey, Mayor of Philadelphia, welcomed on behalf of the city, hoping all would find the Quaker City "what it truly is, a City of Brotherly Love."

The Stars and Stripes were presented and a drill executed by Lu Lu Temple Legion of Honor, composed of veterans of the World War who are all members of the Lu Lu Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S. Sister Criswell, Worthy Grand Matron, accepted the flag for the Grand Chapter in a very gracious way, and commended the Drill Corp for their splendid exhibition, saying: "We exhibit as our symbol the Stars and Stripes—the loveliest and purest flag the World has ever seen."

"Bigger and Better Than Ever." presented by the combined chapters of Philadelphia and vicinity, an all-Victor Herbert program, under the direction of Sister Lorene Wolstenholme, District Deputy Grand Matron, District 27-A, completed the program, after which a reception was held for all Grand Officers.

Formal opening of the Grand Chapter took place on Tuesday morning at 10:00 A. M. Sister Arnold entertained with organ numbers from 9:30 A. M. until 10 o'clock. As the last strains of the music died away the curtain was lifted, revealing a beautiful Oriental setting, and made a picture for the opening of the Session which has never been surpassed, and one long to be remembered. The Grand Chapter was called to order by Sister Margaret B. Alexander, Past Grand Matron, who addressed the Assembly.

At the close of the Address, Oriental guards led the Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress as they escorted the Worthy Grand Patron and Associate Grand Patron to their stations. The Grand Officers entered, each carrying a beautiful basket of black velvet, studded with brilliants and filled with blue and yellow flowers, the colors of the City of Philadelphia, thus carrying out the Oriental setting arranged for the session.

The District Deputy Grand Matrons were invited to enter, and Grand Chapter was opened in Ritualistic form. The Flag was presented and carried to the Grand East. A beautiful tribute was given by Sister Margaret Lehman, D. D., G. M. of District 16-B. Vocal solo, "Star Spangled Banner," was sung by Mrs. Vera Kaighn Nirella, P. M., and "Oh, Sweet Mystery of Life," was given by the Philadelphia O.E.S. Chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Marion R. Mattman, P. M. Sister Mary Saunders, Senior Past Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Pennsylvania, extended greeting to the guests of the 37th Session.

Address of Welcome was given by Sister Lillian E. Morris, P. M., and the response by Sister Cora M. Davenport, Associate Grand Matron.

Twenty Pages and the Hostesses were welcomed and introduced by the Worthy Grand Matron. Grand Representatives of Sister Grand Jurisdictions were presented and greeted by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Grand Representatives were welcomed by the Associate Grand Patron, and Sister Bertha F. Myers responded in their behalf.

Many present and past Grand Officers and Grand Representatives present from New Jersey, Iowa, West Virginia, Maryland and Delaware were presented, escorted and accorded honors fitting their stations.

Eighteen Past Grand Matrons and five Past Grand Patrons of Pennsylvania were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

The Worthy Grand Matron records her year as three hundred and sixty-five golden days of "Love and Service," and thanks Divine Providence for health and strength to have been able to perform her allotted tasks.

The Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Marshal and Grand Star Points. presented a beautiful memorial in memory of those called to the Grand Chapter above. 696 members have answered the call, including the Grand Chaplain, Sister Mary M. Williamson, and the Senior Past Grand Matron, Sister Mary A. Strachen.

"Why mourn the dear departed,
Anchored safe where storms are o'er
On the Border Land we've left them,
Soon to meet and part no more."

The first meeting in November, designated as Educational Loan Fund night, requested the chairman of the committee to bring a message to their chapters concerning the fund, and to encourage the liberal donation to the fund that the work might continue.

The resignation of the Grand Secretary, Adeline W. Barnes, P. G. M., two months after the Grand Chapter Session, came as a complete surprise. Sister Barnes has served as Grand Secretary seventeen terms. On September 1st, Sister Onei W. Graham was appointed Grand Secretary Pro-tem.

After thorough consideration of the report of the Gratuity Fund Commission as adopted at the 36th Annual Session, recommend that it be presented for reconsideration at the next Annual Session.

Assisted the Worthy Grand Patron in the Constitution of the following Chapters: Joseph L. Mann Chapter No. 466, Veit Memorial Chapter No. 468, James W. Orr Chapter No. 467, and Colonel Joseph H. Thompson Memorial Chapter No. 469. Also was privileged to install the officers in many chapters.

Pennsylvania has two O.E.S. Homes, the Western Home at West View, Pittsburgh, and the Eastern Home at Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa. Eight visits were made to the Western Home and ten to the Eastern Home. A 1931 Chevrolet Sedan was presented to the Western Home by the Ro-Cris Star Club.

Honorary membership in many chapters and Life membership in her own chapter were greatly appreciated by the Worthy Grand Matron.

America Chapter No. 19 of Union City losing all paraphernalia and supplies, including Charter, by fire, all necessary supplies were replaced.

Worthy Grand Patron reports the constitution of five Chapters and Charters granted. Appreciation expressed for Honorary membership received and invitations and social courtesies extended.

Five Schools of Instruction were held. Recommended that Chapters in the County of Allegheny be given concurrent territorial jurisdiction.

Twenty-five dollars is donated annually for the upkeep of the Grand Chapter Room in Masonic Home, located in Philadelphia.

In the Educational Loan Fund, 1930-31, thirty loans were approved by the Worthy Grand Matron, representing a total of \$9,775.00. One loan was cancelled. Seventeen applications had to be refused because of limited available funds. During the past year seven students have made payments on their loans, three have paid their loans in full.

Five hundred dollars was allowed for the Worthy Grand Matron for expenses to the General Grand Chapter, to be held in Texas in October, 1931.

Sister Jane Roberts, Past Grand Matron, installed the newly elected Grand Officers, assisted by Carolyn C. Crawford, Grand Marshal; Arzella Huntsberger, Grand Organist; and Maude German, Grand Chaplain.

Past Grand Officers' Jewels were presented to Sister Criswell by Mary Saunders, P. G. M., and to Brother Graham by Frank C. Blessing, P. G. P. Both were accepted in a pleasing manner.

Many social events were provided for the guests during the session. Due to the lateness of the hour, speechmaking was eliminated. There being no further business, the Grand Chapter was declared closed in regular form at 3:45 A. M.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Cora M. Davenport, Worthy Grand Matron.

H. Carr Wolford, Worthy Grand Patron.

Margaret Alexander, P. G. M., Grand Secretary.

38th Annual Session to be held in Conneaut Lake Park, June 14, 15, 16, 1932.

PORTO RICO

The fifteenth annual session of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Porto Rico was held in Arecibo, P. R., April 12th and 13th, 1930.

Worthy Grand Matron—Mary D. de la Texera.

Worthy Grand Patron—Pdero Orpi.

Grand Secretary—Laura P. de Munoz.

The Grand Chapter was called to order by Bro. W. F. Lippitt, Past Grand Patron.

The Chapter room, with its white walls, was decorated with baskets of white flowers and ferns, with cages of singing birds among them.

The Grand Secretary reported a number of constituent chapters represented, and the Worthy Grand Matron opened the session in full form.

The Worthy Grand Matron introduced the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Chadwick, with a very lovely speech. The star points gave a beautiful drill and presented bouquets of symbolical flowers to Sister Chadwick. Each star point recited a pretty verse as she did so, then the Worthy Grand Matron tied all five bouquets with ribbons of appropriate colors and gave them to the Most Worthy Grand Matron.

The flag of the United States was presented, escorted to the East and saluted with Grand Honors.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons were then presented, and welcomed by Brother Orpi, Worthy Grand Patron. The response to Brother Orpi was given in Spanish by Past Grand Matron, Sister Fernandez Nater.

Address of welcome was made by the Worthy Matron of the Hostess Chapter of Arecibo, and the six pages were introduced.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron directed the Grand Conductress to present Sister Nater at the Altar, where she was informed that she had been appointed a member of Committee on Charter of the General Grand Chapter. Sister Nater was invested with the badge of her office by the Most Worthy Grand Matron.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported visiting all of the chapters. The Island chapters close for vacation during July and August. She reports eleven chapters active, two having given up their charters. She wrote 397 letters and received 342.

As a courtesy to the Most Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Grand Matron had an initiatory ceremony rendered by members of the several subordinate chapters. The work was in Spanish.

Sister Mary de la Texera was re-elected Worthy Grand Matron and installed by Sister Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron.

QUEBEC

Agnes Knowlton—Worthy Grand Matron.

Herman H. Dyer—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 30. Membership, 2,701. Net Gain, 134.

Grand Chapter of Quebec, Ninth Annual Session, Mount Royal Hotel, Montreal, Quebec.

The Grand Ball Room of the Mount Royal Hotel, Montreal, attractively decorated with flowers, palms, ferns, and flags, and lit by its

wonderful sparkling candelabra, was the gorgeous setting for the opening of the 9th Session of this Grand Chapter.

Sister Ethel M. Blake, Past Grand Matron, called the assembly to order for the informal opening, Wednesday evening, September 30, 1931.

The Worthy Grand Matron and other Grand Officers were invited to enter by the Grand Marshal. To the strains of "The Marathon," played by the Grand Organist, Bernice Tait, the Grand Officers were escorted through a beautiful drill by the members of the "Evelyn Hopkins" Patrol. A cross was formed around the Altar and Sister Isabella Innes, Past Matron of Montreal Chapter, sang the "Doxology," after which the Patrol formed a Guard of Honor as the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the East.

The Grand Marshal, accompanied by the Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, presented the Union Jack. "O Canada" was sung while at the Altar. The Flag was then borne to the East and placed in the standard while the assembly joined in singing "God Save the King" and "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

The Address of Welcome on behalf of the Hostess Chapters was given by Edith M. Stott, Worthy Matron of Westmount Chapter No. 9, who expressed the hope that the golden chain would be strengthened and the scope of activities broadened by this meeting, as all Sisters and Brothers are living symbols of the Fraternal Chain.

*"There's a deep sort of joy that we all understand
In the ring of the voice, and the clasp of the hand.
In the warmth of a smile that is friendly and true—
This greeting, my friends, is extended to you."*

The response was made by Mary A. E. Spence, Associate Grand Matron, who thanked the Worthy Grand Matron for this privilege, and on behalf of the Grand Chapter thanked them for their cordial welcome, saying:

*"It's a grand and glorious feeling
To hear such words of cheer,
And know that someone wants you
When they say, I'm glad you're here.
There's a thrill of hearty greeting
That the soul delights to feel,
And there's joy in loving welcome
From the friends we know are real."*

We would like our visit to be as pleasant as the perfume of the modest violet of Adah; the constancy of our fraternal love as unchangeable as

the yellow Jessamine of Ruth; our motives as Grand Officers and members as pure as the typical White Lily of Esther, so that our hope of the glorious hereafter in the Supreme Grand Chapter may be as green as the Fern of Martha, and the work of this Session cause us to love one another as warmly as symbolized by the red rose of Electa.

Reception of distinguished guests—Rhode Island was represented by Annie H. Blake, Worthy Grand Matron, and Nettie E. Thompson, Grand Marshal. Vermont by Clara N. Norton, W. G. M.; Leon W. Webster, W. G. P.; Addie F. Allen, Past Grand Matron and Grand Secretary; Geneva Webster, Grand Esther; Edna Abernathy, Grand Martha; Mary E. Davis, Grand Lecturer; Edna C. Billings, Associate Grand Conductress; Daisy B. Williams, D. D., Grand Matron; and Mrs. Annie Scott, Matron of the O.E.S. Home. Mrs. Mackay, of the Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland. These guests were presented, escorted and saluted with Grand Honors according to their stations.

Twenty-six Grand Representatives were present, and were welcomed by Thomas Hurn, Associate Grand Patron.

Grand Instructors. Pages and Worthy Matrons of Subordinate Chapters were welcomed and introduced by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Assembly singing—"O God, Our Help in Ages Past." The Floral Obligation was given by the Grand Officers. And the "Evelyn Hopkins" Patrol presented flowers to the Officers, and Little Joyce Tait, daughter of the Grand Organist, presented the Worthy Grand Matron with a bouquet of red roses.

Formal opening Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Following the call to order by William J. Mitchell, Past Grand Patron, and a solo, "The Prayer of Love," by Mrs. Isabella Innes, the Grand Officers entered and assumed their stations. The Worthy Grand Matron welcomed the Rev. Lloyd C. Douglas, Pastor of St. James United Church, Montreal, who offered a very inspiring invocation. All Grand Officers were present except the Grand Chaplain, which station was filled by Beatrice Bragg (pro tem).

The Union Jack was presented, the National Anthem sung, and a beautiful tribute to the flag given by Howard Warr, Worthy Patron of Justice Chapter.

A beautiful silk Eastern Star Flag to be used for the Annual Benevolent Collections was presented to the Grand Chapter by Elizabeth Carr, Worthy Matron of Electa Chapter No. 12 on behalf of the Worthy Matrons, Past and Present, of that Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron wished for the ninth session one of joy, harmony and inspiration.

Queen Esther Chapter No. 30 was constituted on November 13, 1931, and Duncan H. MacLeod Chapter No. 29 on the 24th of November. On both occasions the Worthy Grand Matron was assisted by the Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Marshal, Grand Secretary and other Grand and Past Grand Officers.

Three schools of instruction were held at each meeting. The Grand Instructor of the District conducted the business, and various Chapters exemplified the work. Nineteen representatives were appointed to represent Quebec in Sister Jurisdictions, and seventeen appointed to represent Sister Jurisdictions in Quebec. Two circular letters were sent to Chapters, one expressing the good wishes for the Christmas season, the other recommending that Past Matrons do the installing in their respective chapters, as the Jurisdiction was growing, and this to help lighten the duties of Worthy Grand Matron.

Installed the Officers in two chapters. Many other invitations received, but unable to accept. Received Honorary membership in Pinnacle Chapter No. 11 and King Edward Chapter No. 1. Attended the Rose Session of the Grand Chapter of Massachusetts, on May 12th, accompanied by Sister Horner, Associate Grand Conductress.

The Worthy Grand Matron visited all Chapters in the Grand Jurisdiction, and on all but two of the official visits was accompanied by the Worthy Grand Patron. The work of the Benevolent Fund is very gratifying—flowers, fruit, books and letters are sent at Christmas; many dinners are provided. To a request for contributions to the All-Masons Auxiliary Fund of the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children, the response was very generous—a total of \$425.00 was received. Worthy Grand Matron recommends that the Degrees be given in each chapter at least twice a year, even if there are no candidates. Also thinks it advisable to visit small chapters whenever convenient, as they need the encouragement lent by visitors.

The Worthy Grand Patron having been directed to reorganize Mizpah Chapter, U. D., he proceeded as directed and recommends that a Charter be granted at this session. On September 25th he had the honor of dedicating the new carpet in Pinnacle Chapter No. 11. Attended the three district meetings. Accompanied the Worthy Grand Matron on all but two official visits. Forty-two Proficiency Certificates issued by the Grand Instructors have been attested and approved.

The Grim Reaper has not spared us, but:

"Let us pause for a moment with reverent breath,
To speak of the angel whom mortals call Death,
The gavel has sounded which none disobey,
And for friends tried and true, we sorrow today."

Ten Sisters and nine Brothers have answered this last call.

The Benevolent Fund Committee report no call for aid during the year, and upon investigation find no one in need at the present time. Report cash in fund \$246.66.

Grand Instructors report: District No. 1, twenty-two efficiency tests given and certificates issued; District No. 2, eight tests given and certificates issued; District No. 3, twenty-five certificates issued. All chapters reported doing excellent work and fine spirit of cooperation shown.

An invitation from Prince of Wales Chapter and from District No. 1 to hold the next annual session in North Hatley was accepted.

A telegram was received from Most Worthy Grand Patron Philip A. Jerguson, regretting his inability to be present. Many other messages were received from Sister Jurisdictions.

Brothers John Morrison and William Mitchell, Past Grand Patrons, gathered the collection in the new silk Flag presented by the Matrons of Elect Chapter. Total amount collected, \$90.00.

The Installation of Officers was conducted by Sister Johnson and Brother Morrison. The Officers of Westmount Chapter No. 9 formed a Guard of Honor as the Worthy Grand Matron was escorted to the Grand East, while Sister Phyllis Smith sang "I Love You Truly." On reaching the East, she was presented with a basket of red roses on behalf of her own chapter, with this greeting:

"May these flowers, and this greeting,
Be a symbol pure and true,
From the members of your Chapter
Of their loyalty to you."

The "Star Point" ceremony was particularly attractive. While the Chapter room was in semi-darkness, five girls of Electa Chapter, dressed in robes of the colors of the Points, presented the emblems and flowers, while appropriate verses were recited by the Installing Officer.

Past Grand Officers jewels were presented the retiring Officers, and many gifts and flowers presented and accepted by the newly installed Officers.

The Session closed with the singing of "God Be With You Until We Meet Again." The Proclamation was made by Sister Evelyn Nicholson, Grand Marshal.

The next session to be held in North Hatley, October 5, 6, 7, 1932.
Mary A. E. Spence, Worthy Grand Matron.
Thomas C. Hurn, Worthy Grand Patron.
Evelyn H. Hopkins, Grand Secretary.

RHODE ISLAND

Membership, 8,136.

No. of Chapters, 24.

The thirty-sixth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Rhode Island was called to order at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, October 14, 1931, in the Masonic Temple, East Providence, by Sister Evelyn W. Spaulding, Past Grand Matron. There the spacious and beautiful assembly room, with its wonderful lighting effects, the splendid decorations of palms and a wealth of gorgeous pink dahlias, "Jersey Beauty," the Grand Officers, gowned in "Valencia Blue" georgette, and the Pages attired in white, wearing arm bands of blue satin bearing the word "Page," presented a pleasing and attractive setting for the session.

The Grand Officers entered, preceded by the Pages.

The flag was presented at the Altar by Bro. Myron S. Walden, Worthy Patron of Naomi Chapter No. 8, with Sister Nettie E. Thompson, Grand Marshal, and the Pages acting as escort. The pledge of allegiance was given, after which all joined in singing the National Anthem, and the flag was then borne to the East.

Distinguished guests present from the General Grand Chapter were:

Carrie A. Cushing, Worthy Grand Chaplain and Past Grand Matron and Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of Massachusetts.

Theodore E. Dexter, Worthy Grand Organist and Past Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of Rhode Island.

Frances A. Geer, *Member of the Committee on Distribution* and Past Grand Matron of Connecticut.

There were many other Grand Officers present from the Grand Chapters of Massachusetts, Connecticut and New Hampshire.

Eighteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons of the Grand Chapter of Rhode Island were cordially welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and escorted to the East and greeted with the Grand Honors.

The Grand Representatives were greeted by the Worthy Grand Matron and accorded the Grand Honors.

Letters of greeting were read by the Grand Secretary from Sister Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron; Sister Minnie E. Keyes, Right Worthy Grand Secretary; Sister Alcena Lamond, Right Worthy Grand Treasurer; Sister Effie Easton, Worthy Grand Esther; Sister Carrie F. McLaughlin, Worthy Grand Martha; Sister Gertrude Benjamin, Worthy Grand Electa; and Brothers George S. Dunlap and William A. Duvall, Right Worthy Grand Trustees of the General Grand Chapter.

Telegrams were received from Arthur A. Sherman, Worthy Grand Patron of Rhode Island; Willa Jane Hellwig, W. G. M. of California; Nettie C. Kenner, Grand Secretary of Illinois; Sarah H. Terry, Grand Secretary of Kentucky; Lillian C. Lott, Grand Representative, Ohio, and letters received from Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons and Grand Secretaries representing forty Grand Jurisdictions were announced. All expressed regrets and fraternal love and best wishes for a successful session.

Some of the thoughts expressed by the Worthy Grand Matron are as follows:

"My year has been one of happiness to me, and I hope in some way one of helpfulness to others. I wish I might endow words with inspiration that would convey to you a real record of the past year. I have faithfully tried to encourage our members to catch the vision of the Eastern Star, its teachings, its opportunities for service in every community, its beauty and its companionship. Whatever I have been able to do has been done in a spirit of love for our Order and for those great principles for which we stand."

"The work is done, how well
Only the Master knows:
One never sees the fruit
Of all the seed he sows—
It may be only our part
To patiently turn the sod—
One plants, another waters,
But the increase comes from God."

A memorial tribute was read, dedicated to the memory of Hon. Chester W. Barrows, Past Grand Patron, by Bro. Frank E. Ballou, Past Grand Patron and a member of his Chapter. Also, a tribute written by Bro. Theodore E. Dexter, Past Grand Patron and Past Patron of Queen Esther Chapter No. 2 in memory of Sister Mary F. Phillips, Senior Past Grand Matron, and read by Sister Estelle M. Duxbury, Worthy Matron of Sister Phillips' chapter.

This Grand Jurisdiction has a benevolent fund called the S. Penrose Williams Fund, named for its first Worthy Grand Patron and Grand Secretary for many years. It is a fund that can be used at any time for needy cases.

A thought expressed by Bro. Arthur A. Sherman, Worthy Grand Patron, follows:

"To my associates in the Eastern Star, may you enjoy to the fullest many years as happy as you have made this one for me, and may we all

continue to serve and in serving exemplify in our lives the principles which He, who knows our every thought, would have us follow."

The Grand Secretary reported a net increase in membership of 44.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Worthy Grand Matron, Ethel G. Abro.

Worthy Grand Patron, Wm. L. Marchant.

Grand Secretary, Bertha G. Haines.

SASKATCHEWAN

Total Chapters, 94.

Membership, 5,174.

The preliminary opening of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Saskatchewan, for the fifteenth Annual Session was held in Legion Hall at Saskatoon at 8:00 P. M. on May 19th, 1931, Sister Emily Rosche, Past Grand Matron, acting hostess, and Brother Maurice Case, Past Grand Patron, host. The Grand Chapter delegates were heartily welcomed by the Mayor of Saskatoon.

On Wednesday morning, May 20th, the Grand Chapter Officers entered the Grand Chapter room through a floral arch made by the Past Matrons of Saskatoon Chapter No. 4, preceded by little Betty Joan Hilliard. Sister Gertrude Smith, Past Grand Matron, sang "Star of the East," after which the flowers, gladiolas, were gathered into a huge basket and presented to the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Agar.

The Grand Marshal and Grand Chaplain presented the Union Jack and Old Glory at the Altar while "God Save the King" and "My Country 'Tis of Thee" were sung. The Flags were then placed in the East and given Grand Honors. Brother Thomson, Associate Grand Patron, paid fitting tribute to the two Flags.

As no General Grand Officers were present several telegrams of regret were read from Sister Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron; Sister Carmichael, P. G. M.; Sister Maude Cullens, A. G. M.; Sister Jean Peebles, A. G. C.; Sister Mary Vanstone, P. G. M.; and J. C. Cottingham, P. P. Also many greetings from present and past Grand Matrons and Patrons.

Eleven Past Grand Matrons and eight Past Grand Patrons were welcomed, introduced and given Grand Honors.

The Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Clara L. Agar, added her words of welcome and her gratitude at the hearty co-operation that she had experienced during her year of service. She reported that she had personally inspected 85 Chapters, installed the officers of three, making a total of 88 official visits. She recommended that the Province be divided into

Districts and that District Deputies be appointed to represent her and give instruction. This recommendation was approved and a committee to make the necessary division appointed.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother W. G. Manchester, reported the institution of four new chapters. He also expressed his appreciation for the courtesies and the honors extended to him through a very happy year.

Grand Chaplain reported the receipt of fifty-six memorial cards of Past Grand Officers of Sister Jurisdictions and the notice of fourteen members of their own Grand Chapter who had answered the Summons to the Supreme Chapter on High. A beautiful Memorial Service was held by the Grand Officers, who draped the Altar in loving memory of the departed.

Sister Rutherford, P. G. M., assisted by Brother Leigh, P. G. P., Sister Eva Boyd, Grand Marshal, and Sister Kate Craig, Grand Chaplain, were Installing Officers.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister M. Margaret Atkin, Worthy Grand Matron.
Brother Robert Thomson, Worthy Grand Patron.
Sister Violet M. Reilly, Grand Secretary.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Pearl Moody Monroe—Worthy Grand Matron.
Dr. Edgar Plowden Durant—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 80. Membership, 4,557. Net Loss, 283.

Rainbow Session.

"My heart leaps up when I behold
A Rainbow in the sky."

The Twenty-fourth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of South Carolina was held in the Hotel Columbia, Columbia, S. C., June 16, 17, 18, 1931.

A beautiful painting of the Judean Hills, in the background, with native pines, palms and ferns creating a woodland scene, and floor baskets of flowers in rainbow hues, formed the setting for the session.

Ivy entwined gates in the West were opened by Master David Lane Durant, and Miss Harriett Durant, during the singing of "Open the Gates of the Temple." by Mr. David Cuttino, Jr., Sister Ruth Bigby Danielson, J. P. G. M., and Brother G. Lloyd Ford, J. P. G. P., slowly approached the East, and Sister Danielsen sounded the gavel.

The Grand Chapter Chanters, composed of members from the tenth district, gowned in evening dresses of rainbow hues, carrying white hymnals from which hung garlands of sweet peas, singing "Holy, Holy, Holy," entered. While the Chanters sang "Lead, Kindly Light," the eight Pages entered, attired in white, carrying lighted torches. Preceded by two escorts, Sister Clara Scott and Sister Sadie G. Pierce, each carrying a Calla Lily, the Grand Chaplain entered and placed the "Traveling Bible" upon the Altar.

The Grand Officers entered while the Chanters sang "O, Come All Ye Faithful." They wore white evening gowns, and shoulder bouquets of Richmond roses. As the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the East, Miss Willie Blackwood sang "I Love You Truly." All Grand Officers were present:

A civic welcome was given by the Honorable L. B. Owens, Mayor of the city of Columbia, and the Masonic welcome by Honorable Ibra C. Blackwood, Governor of South Carolina, and Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of South Carolina, F.&A.M. They were introduced and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron. Brother O. Pennington, District Deputy Grand Patron of the Tenth District, spoke words of cordial welcome from the Hostess Chapter. The Associate Grand Matron, Sister Sara E. Hill, responded to all.

Brother Thomas W. Hornsby, Grand Sentinel, presented the Stars and Stripes as the Assembly sang "Star Spangled Banner." The Chanters sang "Carolina" as Sister Emmie B. Edmondson presented the flag of South Carolina, and Miss Willie Blackwood sang "Flag of the Eastern Star" as Sister Mattie Smyrl Creed carried the Eastern Star Flag. A tribute was given each flag by the Officer carrying it. Cotton gowns were worn by all officers at the request of the Worthy Grand Matron in deference to the Wear-Cotton Movement in the States of Dixie. They were particularly lovely in the rainbow colors.

Sister Gertrude E. Benjamin, Worthy Grand Electa of the General Grand Chapter, and Sister Elizabeth Frost McDaniel, member of the Educational Committee of the General Grand Chapter, were honored guests. Little Miss Cora Clyde Durant, Grand Chapter Mascot and small daughter of the Worthy Grand Patron, was unable to be present at the session due to illness. The Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons were welcomed in song by Miss Willie Blackwood. District Grand Matrons and District Deputy Grand Patrons, Grand Representatives, Pages, and Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons were welcomed and accorded proper honors, as were also the Junior Past Grand Matron of Georgia, Mary Thomas Bush; Junior Past Grand Patron of Georgia, R. E. Elliott; and Daisy Mae Davis, Junior Past Grand Matron of North Carolina.

A fitting Memorial Service held by the Grand Officers in the First Presbyterian Church, to honor the Loved and Lost, was called Memory Hour, thirty-two having answered the call.

The Worthy Grand Matron gave a pleasing report, eighty chapters were visited, more than 11,000 miles traveled. On September 4th, 1930, a home built on the grounds of the Connie Maxwell Orphanage in honor of the first Grand Matron, Sister Mary Pickney Outzs, was dedicated. The funds were contributed by the subordinate chapters and the Home is to be known as the Mary Pickney Outzs Memorial Home. It is located at Greenwood. The dedication was conducted by the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Officers. An elaborate program was given.

The Worthy Grand Matron was present at the dedication of a Tuberculosis Cottage at Ridgewood, erected and furnished by Columbia Chapter No. 59.

Judson Chapter No. 135, at Greenville; Loyalty Chapter No. 136, Charleston; and Eugene Chapter No. 137, at Kingstree, were constituted by the Worthy Grand Matron. A Charter was granted to Clover Chapter U. D.

The Worthy Grand Patron traveled 5,638 miles and visited sixty-eight Eastern Star Chapters. Life membership in their own chapters and honorary membership in several others were courtesies appreciated by the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

Proficiency Certificates are issued to members when perfect Ritualistic Work is given. Colored receipt cards are approved.

The Past Grand Matron and Patron of Georgia, and Past Grand Matron and Patron of North Carolina, in attendance at the session, were given Honorary membership in the Grand Chapter of South Carolina.

A tribute in verse was given to Robert Morris, the founder of the Order, by Sister Davis.

Letters and telegrams of fraternal greeting were received from the Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter and Grand Matrons of sister Grand Jurisdictions.

The Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Monroe installed the new Officers, assisted by the Grand Marshal and Grand Chaplain. Brother T. Lane Monroe, Past Grand Patron, had the pleasure of presenting a Past Grand Matron's jewel to his wife. A jewel was also presented to the retiring Past Grand Patron by Ruth DuBose Lawrence, Past Grand Matron, and a member of his own chapter.

An invitation to hold the Silver Anniversary Session of the Grand Chapter in Greenville was accepted. All business coming before the session having been concluded, the 24th Session was declared closed.

Sara E. Hill, Worthy Grand Matron.

Perry T. Hawkins, Worthy Grand Patron.

Ruth B. Danielsen, Grand Secretary.

Twenty-fifth session to convene at Greenville, South Carolina, the third Tuesday of June, 1932.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Membership, 20,270.

Number of Chapters, 58.

The forty-third annual session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of South Dakota, opened Wednesday morning, October 14th, 1931, at 9 o'clock at the Coliseum, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, Junior Past Grand Matron Lucille Poznansky and Junior Past Grand Patron Herbert H. Holdridge in the East.

Floor work by the Grand Chapter Pages, gowned in chiffon, ankle length, in pastel shades, was very beautiful. During the march they sang "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow," after which they retired.

The Grand Officers were invited to enter the Grand Chapter Room and were preceded by the Pages and the 1931 Worthy Matrons and Associate Matrons, who formed a hollow square, outlining the floor. The Grand Officers entered, executing an elaborate march.

The "Traveling Bible," which was used on the Altar during the Grand Chapter session, was honored during the opening in a ceremony arranged by Lucille M. Poznansky, Junior Past Grand Matron.

The following honored guests were presented and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, Anna Smalley, Right Worthy Grand Trustee of the General Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of Montana; Dr. George A. Pettigrew, Past Most Worthy Grand Patron and Chairman of the Committee on Distribution of the General Grand Chapter; Evelyn B. Warne, Chairman of the Credentials Committee of the Grand Chapter and Past Grand Matron of our own jurisdiction; Nellie A. Olander, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Iowa; Alton C. Kingsbury, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M. of South Dakota. These honored guests were separately presented at the Altar, after which they were escorted to the East and given Grand Honors.

There were twenty-three Past Grand Matrons and thirteen Past Grand Patrons presented and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron. There were other visiting Past Grand Matrons and Grand Officers presented. The

Grand Representatives, eighteen in number, were then presented and received by the Worthy Grand Matron.

A courtesy was extended to the Worthy Grand Patron by members of Loyalty Chapter No. 74 of Montrose, escorted by a group of Knights Templar in full uniform, No. 74 being the Grand Patron's home chapter. The members of this group also presented the Worthy Grand Matron with a basket of roses.

The Worthy Grand Matron, during the course of her remarks, stated that she had visited 105 chapters and conducted 101 schools of instruction. The Worthy Grand Matron stated that she had tried to impress upon each chapter the necessity of contributing to the temporary Home Fund until other means have been provided to care for our loved ones upon whom Fortune no longer smiles. She further stated that there were many worth while things to work for until we have a Home of our own; our boys and girls, Shrine Hospital, Children's Home, Camp Wanzer, Temporary Home Fund, Educational Fund, and many other worthy projects.

The Worthy Grand Patron, during the course of his remarks, said: "Someone has said: Coming together is a beginning, thinking together is unity, keeping together is progress, and working together is success." He further stated that the Grand Officers, Past Grand Officers and members have so graciously worked together with us this year that our burdens have been lightened and the fulfillment of our plans made possible.

An elaborate memorial program was rendered by the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons under the direction of Faye Wyth, Past Grand Matron.

Bro. Alton C. Kingsbury, Most Worthy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of South Dakota, was introduced and gave a short address. He said: "You Sisters of the O.E.S. may not all know just how much the Masons appreciate your good work."

"Almost in every case where you find a Masonic Lodge that is active you will also find an Eastern Star Chapter, that at least part of the credit is due to them for their activity. In a great many ways the O.E.S. is responsible for the good work that the Masonic Lodge is doing.

"Where the Eastern Star Chapter only dates back to Robert Morris days, which is not so far back, we as Masons go as far back, some say to the Garden of Eden, but the first written history was the formation of the Grand Lodge of England in 1717. This was when the Masonic Lodge broke away from Operative Masonry and started Speculative Masonry. Since that time Masonry has spread all over the universe.

"It is sad indeed that Robert Morris or some other good Mason could not have started a Chapter of the O.E.S. years before it was done."

An invitation to hold the 1932 Session of Grand Chapter at Aberdeen, South Dakota, was accepted.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Daphne C. Serles, Worthy Grand Matron.

Henry M. Reed, Worthy Grand Patron.

Angie M. Williamson, Grand Secretary.

TENNESSEE

Total Chapters, 258.

Membership, 22,054.

The thirty-second annual session of the Grand Chapter of Tennessee convened in the Scottish Rite Temple, Nashville, Tuesday morning, March 15, 1932.

This Session, appropriately called the "Spring Session," was opened by Past Grand Matron, Sister Lucy E. Cudgington, assisted by Past Grand Patron, Brother Hugh M. Stokes. The "Traveling Bible" was used during this Session. The American Flag, Eastern Star Flag and Tennessee State Flag, were escorted, and fitting tributes were paid to each.

Welcoming speeches were much enjoyed, being given by Judge Litton Hickman for the City of Nashville; Brother W. P. Chandler, Most Worshipful Grand Master of Tennessee and Past Patron of May Chapter No. 24; and Sister Effie Hobgood, representing the Hostess Chapters.

Fourteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons were escorted, introduced and given Grand Honors. Many present and Past Grand Matrons and other Grand Officers from Sister Grand Jurisdictions were welcomed and introduced. The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher; Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, Sister Frances Haun; Rev. W. V. Jarrett, Chairman on Charters of the General Grand Chapter, were enthusiastically received and given Grand Honors.

Sister Mamie P. Stovall, Worthy Grand Matron, gave a most interesting report of her year. In recording her Official Visits, she said: "As I come to this part of my report there is a little tightening of the heart strings as the memories of these pleasant visits flood my mind." One hundred thirty-two official visits were made, seven Schools of Instruction were held. The Worthy Grand Matron recalled with pleasure having spent Christmas Eve in the Masonic Home with the old ladies and the boys and girls who are so happy in this beautifully appointed "Home."

The Worthy Grand Patron, Brother W. H. Nienstadt, reported four new Chapters under dispensation. He highly complimented the Grand

Matron for the success of the Students' Loan Fund, which had been pioneered by her and which had met with much success.

An exemplification of the Ritualistic Work was given by Officers selected from the various chapters of Memphis.

Upon being asked to address the Grand Chapter, Sister Haun, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, gave a most inspiring address, stressing the need for unselfishness in our service to our neighbors everywhere, irrespective of creed or belief. She asked all members to keep ever before their minds our Sacred Obligation. She said: "I am thinking of this day as a page on which we are to write. Let us make our letters so that when the Great Inspector takes up the copy, it will please Him. Let us live our obligation, and keep each page part of a worthy record."

Sister Geneva Dodd, Past Grand Matron, assisted by Sisters Annie Lee Robinson, Anna LeMay and Lena C. Sharp, were installing Officers.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Sister Murrell Wooten, Worthy Grand Matron.

Brother James I. Walker, Worthy Grand Patron.

Sister Leta W. LeSueur, Grand Secretary.

TEXAS

Mrs. Bessie B. Garth—Worthy Grand Matron.

Wm. G. Vollus—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 664. Membership, 65,522. Net Loss, 809.

The Forty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was held in the Municipal Auditorium in Houston, beginning Monday, October 26th. As the guests registered, they were presented with a badge of the Session, a delegate's badge, a booklet of songs, note books and pencils; and tickets of admission for all the entertainment features furnished by the Houston Chapters.

The entire auditorium had been converted into a miniature Texas forest, hundreds of green pine trees, long gray Spanish moss and many white magnolia blossoms had been used, thousands of small five-pointed stars twinkled among the greenery. On floor standards, in wall brackets and banked high on the stage, were flags representing all Nations within the Grand Jurisdiction of the Order.

At 10 A. M. open house was held at Arabia Temple for all delegates and visitors. At 2 P. M. the Rainbow Girls exemplified their work. The Mother Advisors and Advisory Boards of the three Assemblies served as hostesses for this occasion. At 8 P. M. an entertainment and reception

honoring the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Bessie B. Garth, was held. A program by Arabia Temple Band, drill by the Drum and Bugle Corps, folk and classic dancing by pupils of the Abel School, also a drill by the Black Battalion, a group of girls from the Sam Houston High School. This was followed by a beautiful march by the Rainbow Girls, who formed a rainbow in front of the box where the Worthy Grand Matron of Texas and the Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter were seated, and sang "There is a Rainbow in the Clouds for You." A drill by the Shrine Patrol completed the evening affair.

Mrs. Maude B. Coffey, chairman of the local committee, called the meeting to order on Tuesday morning, and welcomed all to the Magnolia City—the City of Pines. We hope you have already felt the spirit of fellowship that permeates and penetrates the hearts of every member of every committee.

Dr. Harry G. Knowles, Pastor of the First Christian Church of Houston and Chaplain of Arabia Temple Shrine, delivered the Invocation.

The Honorable Walter E. Monteith, Mayor of Houston, extended the civic welcome; Mr. J. Dixie Smith, P. G. P., bid them welcome for the Masonic Bodies of Houston; and Mrs. Mamie Settegast, D. G. M., on behalf of the Hostess Chapters. Mrs. Tomlinson, Associate Grand Matron, responded to the welcome addresses. She said: "We are glad to come to your city, not only because it is the largest city in the largest State, but because it is the home of our Worthy Grand Patron. We thank you for your cordial welcome and wish for our Worthy Grand Matron a most profitable, harmonious and happy Session."

The Grand Session was formally opened by Past Worthy Grand Matron Velma B. Halley, who thanked the Worthy Grand Matron for the privilege accorded her, and was especially happy to greet the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Emma P. Chadwick, for the second time, having had the same pleasure one year ago, saying: "Life is made up of comparisons, and I can think of no more beautiful or more applicable one than that of the Sistine Madonna, said to be the most wonderful painting of mother love in the world today. With our Madonna-mother in our midst, surrounded by her official family, and Grand Matrons of other Jurisdiction breathing an atmosphere and spirit of love to the 70,000 Eastern Star hearts of this great state, no Grand Chapter has ever had a finer setting."

The Grand Officers were invited into the Grand Chapter, after the Worthy Grand Patron had assumed his station he was greeted as follows: "As the homing pigeon, you have fulfilled your mission and have returned to us laden with the fruit of your toils. It gives me an unusual pleasure to present you with the gavel of your authority."

Twenty-nine members of the Bill Vollus Club, dressed in conventional black, entered and performed an interesting drill, forming the square and compasses. They took places on the stage, forming a background for those that followed. These groups, five District and thirty Deputy Grand Matrons, twenty-four Pages, composed of the members of the Bessie B. Garth Club and Belle Tomlinson Club and members of the Examining Board. After the Grand Officers had assumed their stations, the assembled groups sang "The Eyes of Texas are Upon You."

All Grand Officers present except Grand Organist, due to illness, this station was filled by Mrs. Rhena Perry. Here the curtains on the stage were parted and a beautiful scene of Old Glory waving in the breeze, with Columbia standing beside, was greeted with the Salute to the Flag and the singing of "America." Mrs. Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron of Gen. Grand Ch., was presented at the Altar, and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron. She was escorted to the Grand East and given the Grand Honors.

Mrs. Laura B. Hart, P. M. W. G. M., and Mr. A. C. McDaniel, P. M. W. G. P., were next presented, both as Past Grand Officers of Texas.

The following General Grand Officers were presented and introduced by Sister Chadwick:

Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Sister Minnie E. Keyes, Michigan.
Right Worthy Grand Conductress, Sister Francis Haun, Tennessee.
Right Worthy Grand Trustee, Sister Anna W. Smalley, Montana.
Worthy Grand Warder, Sister Stella K. Drake, Oregon.
Worthy Grand Esther, Sister Effie Easton, California.
Worthy Grand Martha, Sister Carrie F. McLaughlin, Colorado.
Worthy Grand Electa, Sister Gertrude Benjamin, Utah.

Addie F. Allen, of Vermont; Frances Greer, of Connecticut; Verna Bullard, of Florida; Walter Stockwell, of North Dakota; Charles Townsend of Wyoming; and Frank Lynn, of Texas, all members of Committees of General Grand Chapter, were also introduced. All were given Grand Honors and seated in the East.

Sister Laura Hart welcomed these General Grand Officers and Sister Effie Easton of California responded.

Mrs. Mildred Knowles Schanbacher, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, and Marguerite V. Dunn, Worthy Grand Ruth, were presented later in the session. One of the outstanding features of the session was the unusual number of distinguished guests in attendance—ninety-seven Grand Officers representing twenty-nine Grand Jurisdictions.

The Pages were presented and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

The five chapters in each district receiving the highest rating for work during the year were given an honor rating and special seats reserved for their representatives.

“Little by little the time goes by,
Short if we sing through it, long if we sigh;
Little by little, an hour a day,
And another year has passed away.”

This verse prefaced the report of the Worthy Grand Matron, a splendid record of a busy year is recorded. Five schools of instruction were held; Deputy Grand Matrons appointed; Grand Representatives recommended to represent other Jurisdictions. Acting upon authority given me at the 1930 session, a new jewel was purchased for the office of the Worthy Grand Matron. Many interstate courtesies were exchanged. Many Dispensation were granted and eight refused. Because of irregularities on Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron were removed from office.

Life membership was conferred by the home chapter of the W. G. M. San Marcos No. 276. Honorary membership conferred by eighty-eight chapters, all of which are greatly appreciated.

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, accompanied by other Grand Officers, attended Grand Chapters of Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Missouri. Attended the institution of Concho Chapter U. D. on May 20th and the constitution of Wisteria Chapter No. 823 at Beaumont on November 8, and Delta Chapter No. 824 of Dallas on November 28.

Following the custom of all Grand Matrons, Christmas was spent at the O.E.S. Home and Masonic Home. Annual Homecoming Day was April 25. This was the fifth anniversary—a picnic lunch was served, and a program given both afternoon and evening. Fourteen boys and eleven girls were graduated from the Masonic Home School; a ten-dollar gold piece was given each student from the Order of the Eastern Star.

Attended the General Assembly of Order of Rainbow at San Antonio on June 10, accompanied by the Worthy Grand Patron.

A Christmas greeting via radio, through the courtesy of Station WFAA, Dallas, and an Easter greeting over KFJZ at Fort Worth, were invitations accepted with untold pleasure.

Worthy Grand Patron recommended that \$500.00 be appropriated yearly by the Grand Chapter of Texas to the Hostess Chapters for the entertainment of the Grand Chapter.

A report of the Board of Grand Trustees for the Home states that 31 persons have been assisted by the Benevolent Fund. Needy cases are taken care of and children helped to better education. There are 47 adults and 22 children residents at the present time.

A poem written by Bro. Jesse Edmonston dedicated to the Worthy Grand Matron was read by Sister Fay Stevenson.

Memorial services were conducted for those passing to the Great Beyond, 525 members having been summoned, among them two Past Grand Officers.

"Somewhere on the hilltop
Of that City that hath no pain,
They will wait in a beautiful doorway
To bid us welcome again."

An inspiring and interesting address was given by Sister Emma P. Chadwick, M. W. G. M., and remarks by many other General Grand Chapter Officers.

Sister Effie Easton complimented the State of Texas, regarding their procedure for the education of their boys and girls. They may begin at the kindergarten and go through college, with no expense other than the books required. Texas had the vision that students given this education will carry forth the legislation that is made.

All Distinguished Guests were voted Honorary Members of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

The Grand Chapter Proceedings of Texas, a volume of more than 800 pages, and many photograph reprints, was completely composed, printed and bound by students of the printing department, of the Masonic Home and School of Texas, located at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Norton B. Wellborn, Past Grand Matron of Texas, was the Grand Installing Officer. She arranged the elaborate pageant depicting the formation of the Order, entitled the "Vision of Robert Morris, Founder of the Order." There being so many visitors present enroute to the General Grand Chapter, and the Officers to be installed, those to preside over the Golden Jubilee Session of Texas, the Pageant was given in special compliment to them. The cast of characters were the founder, Robert Morris, the first Most Worthy Grand Matron, the first five Worthy Grand Matrons and the first five Worthy Grand Patrons, who formed the first General Grand Chapter. The Grand Officers carried small U. S., Texas, and O.E.S. Flags, and as they were installed and conducted to their stations each placed their flag in the standard prepared for them.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Belle P. Tomlinson, Worthy Grand Matron.

George S. Dowell, Worthy Grand Patron.

Miss Cora Posey, Grand Secretary.

Grand Chapter was closed at 1:30 A. M. to meet in its Golden Jubilee Session in Fort Worth in 1932.

UTAH

Susie Corfield—Worthy Grand Matron.

H. T. Johnson—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 18. Membership, 2,930. Net Loss, 16.

October 7, 1931, at 9:30 A. M., a Special Session of the Grand Chapter of Utah was called in the Masonic Temple at Salt Lake City. All Grand Officers were present except Grand Lecturer, Grand Organist and Grand Warder, these vacancies being filled by the Worthy Grand Matron as follows: Othelia Barkle, Grand Lecturer; Florence P. Ingols, Grand Organist; and Effie B. Langston, as Grand Warder.

This special session was for further consideration of the Constitution and Code of Laws.

The Constitutional number of Chapters being present, the session was opened with Prayer by Sister Carr, and the singing of America by the Assembly.

After due consideration the new Constitution and Code of Laws were regularly adopted and in full force and effect; the special session was declared closed.

Promptly at ten o'clock, October 8th, the 26th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter was called to order.

The first distinguished guest to be received was "The Traveling Bible." Brother W. S. Andres, Past Grand Patron of Grand Chapter of Ohio, who has the routing of the Holy Bible, sent the following message to the Grand Chapter O.E.S. of Utah.

"My beloved Sisters and Brothers: This message I send to you comes in the spirit of real Life, Love and Truth. Upon it is the touch of the 'Lone Star' State, coupled with the greetings of our own Grand Jurisdiction, Ohio—all convey choicest wishes. The Traveling Bible upon your Altar is witness of our heart beat and good intent. May the touring Holy Bible inspire all Utah to a closer relationship with God, the Father of all Peoples." The Holy Bible was placed upon the Altar by the Grand Conductress and a short history given by Junior Past Grand Matron Emma K. Laub. Following the ceremony of the Traveling Bible, conducted by members of Clara Barton Chapter No. 16, the Grand Officers retired.

"Open the Gates of the Temple," sung by Delia A. Culp, preceded the official entrance of the Grand Officers.

The Worthy Grand Matron and Officers were invited to enter by the Junior Past Grand Matron, Sister Laub. Prayer was offered by Sister Carr. All joined in singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," led by

the quartet, composed of Ruby C. Hosmer, Delia A. Culp, Chas T. Prisk and Dr. Vinton J. Clark.

The Grand Marshal, escorted by the Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, presented Old Glory in the Grand East, the National Anthem was sung and the Pledge of Allegiance given. The tribute to the Flag was given by P. M. Gauchat, Worthy Patron of Naomi Chapter No. 13. Original Stars and Stripes, "Old Glory," in conclusions stated: "We have room in this country for but one Flag, the Stars and Stripes. We have room for but one loyalty, loyalty to the United States and the American people. We have room for but one language—the language of Washington and Linclon."

Margaret J. Carter welcomed the Assembly on behalf of the Hostess Chapters. "There is a destiny that makes us one, none goes his way alone." We will endeavor to anticipate your every need, wish and desire and gratify it, if possible, and render you loving service at all times. Again we bid you welcome.

Another year, with its smiles and tears, has now been added to the countless cycles of the past. Another milestone has been measured in the pathway of life, reminding us of the swiftly passing years, and that we have come again to write another page in the history of our beloved Order.

"Yesterday has slipped away;
God has the tomorrow—
Only today is ours."

Such was the greeting of the Worthy Grand Matron, as she addressed the Grand Chapter, thanking them for the privilege of serving during the year, and setting forth some of the important happenings of her leadership. Assisted by other Grand Officers, she acted as installing officer in many chapters. Deeply appreciated the Honorary membership conferred by Mizpah Chapter on April 6th, the occasion of her official visit. Each chapter in the jurisdiction was visited twice, and all found to be doing splendid Ritualistic work.

Accepted the invitation of Sister Bula C. Malone, Worthy Grand Matron of Idaho, to attend school of instruction and official visit at Acacia Chapter, Malad, Idaho, in March, and the official visit of Mary F. Elliott, Worthy Grand Matron of Wyoming, to Esther Chapter No. 9 at Evanston, Wyoming, on April 21st, and was accompanied on this visit by Charlotte Stone, Worthy Matron, and Lottie Blessing, Conductress of Miriam Chapter No. 14, of Ogden, Utah.

A friendly and fraternal welcome was given the Grand Body by Ida May Nichols, Worthy Matron of Lynds Chapter No. 1, and responded

to by Winnifred H. Jarvis, Past Matron of Corinne Chapter No. 11, who thanked the Worthy Grand Matron for the courtesy extended her, and in conclusion said:

"Life has many varied ends,

But the best it brings is the love of friends."

Many distinguished guests were present, among whom was Sister Gertrude E. Benjamin, Worthy Grand Electa of the General Grand Chapter, and Past Grand Matron of Utah, Sister Blanche L. Innes, Worthy Grand Matron of Wyoming. Eleven Past Grand Matrons and seven Past Grand Patrons all were escorted to the East, given Grand Honors, and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and by Hazel E. Robbe, Grand Conductress. The response was by J. Wm. Stoner, Past Grand Patron.

Grand Representatives were welcomed by Christina Fraser Linke, Past Matron of Adah Chapter No. 15, who said: "My sisters, you are the links in the golden chain which unites our jurisdiction with the jurisdictions which you represent. We are united in one great purpose and we bid you a cordial welcome." The response by Lillie H. Culp, Past Matron of Mizpah Chapter No. 5, was followed by the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Fraternal greetings by letter and telegram were received from many present and past grand officers, personal friends, and from the Grand Secretaries for other Grand Jurisdictions.

The Worthy Grand Patron expressed his pleasure in being able to serve the Grand Chapter throughout the year. He attended many events with the Worthy Grand Matron, assisted at the Installations of Officers. He was invited with the Worthy Grand Matron to join with the officers and members of Corinne Lodge No. 5 in their ceremony of burning the bonds of the Masonic Temple. June 8th, 1931, attended the Installation of Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 1 of Salt Lake, and June 26th, Bethel No. 2 of Ogden, and urged all members to get behind this wonderful order for girls.

No new Chapters were formed during the year. Reports all ritualistic work being done uniformly well, urged each Worthy Matron to give her personal attention to the list of members and in conference with the Secretary suspend only when absolutely necessary, the depression having caused a great deal of suffering here as elsewhere and that charity should begin at home.

Utah is very proud of its Educational Fund. The jurisdiction is small, but all chapters are to be commended on their effort and assistance. In proportion to membership, the Educational Fund is larger than in any other jurisdiction.

Jesus said "Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted." Let us pause to pay a loving tribute to the memory of those who have passed to "Life Eternal," Brother Charles Rees, Past Grand Patron, and thirty-seven members of subordinate chapters having joined the Grand Chapter above.

"Stilled now be every anxious care,
See God's great goodness everywhere;
Leave all to Him in perfect rest.
He doeth all things for the best."

A solo, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," was sung by Lucile Soper.

Utah has an additional officer appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron, namely a Grand Lecturer, whose duty it is to visit and instruct each chapter. She reports a very pleasant year, with perfect cooperation on the part of all officers and members. In all cases one official visit and one drill was held with each chapter, and thirty-seven schools of instruction held.

An evening session on the first day convened at 8 P. M. for the purpose of an educational and musical program. The Reverend John E. Carver, of Ogden, in a beautifully illustrated lecture showed the building of King Solomon's Temple. Throughout the picture musical numbers were given, "The Holy City," by Myrtice Clinton Matson; "Star of the East," by Ruth B. Biddle; and "In the Cross of Christ I Glory," by the Quartet. The evening was concluded by a reception to the presiding Matrons and Patrons of Subordinate Chapters.

Prayer by Elva Day and the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" opened the second day's deliberations. At the request of the Worthy Grand Matron, all heads were bowed in silent prayer for God's blessing upon those who were ill.

Committee on Charity reported the expenditure of \$1,426.87 among the Chapters.

Report of Educational Fund Committee: Loans made from fund \$650.00; cash balance in fund, \$841.60; loan outstanding August 31, 1930, \$3,440.00; number of loans made to date, 22; number of students assisted, 14. A motion to transfer \$500.00 from the Treasury to the Educational Fund was approved.

A motion to allow \$250.00 to the incoming Worthy Grand Matron for expenses as delegate to the General Grand Chapter was approved.

The Worthy Grand Matron, assisted by Lydia A. Ditlow, as Grand Marshal, Florence P. Ingols, as Grand Organist, and Effie G. Carr, as Grand Chaplain, installed the newly elected and appointed Grand Officers. Jewels were presented to the retiring Grand Matron and Grand

Patron, and gifts of flowers to the newly installed officers. After the customary addresses by the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Patron, the 26th Annual Session was declared closed.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Rhoda A. Conley, Worthy Grand Matron.

George H. Ryan, Worthy Grand Patron.

Francis G. Shields, Grand Secretary.

The 27th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Utah will be held in the Masonic Temple, Salt Lake City, October 13, 14, 1932.

VERMONT

Membership, 13,423.

The Fifty-ninth Annual Session was called to order June 3rd, 1931, at two o'clock P. M. by Mary D. Mackay, Past Grand Matron. Upon presentation of the Flag, a very impressive tribute was paid to it by Capt. John B. Fowler, of the Vermont National Guard. After the invocation by Rev. E. P. Wood, the Assembly was welcomed by Linn D. Taylor, President of the Chamber of Commerce. This was followed with an address of welcome on behalf of the Masonic Bodies by Major C. Houghton, 33°. Response was made by Mr. Chas. E. Scribner, Worthy Grand Patron.

Many present and past Grand Matrons and Grand Patrons of neighbor states were introduced and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron.

After a very beautiful and impressive memorial service the Grand Chapter was declared at recreation by the Worthy Grand Matron until 9:00 A. M. Thursday.

Wednesday evening was devoted to reception and entertainment of Grand Officers and guests by Bingham Chapter No. 30. At 7:30 P. M. the exemplification of degrees of the Order of Rainbow girls was given by fifty-two members of the order. About 1,600 persons attended the reception to the Grand Officers.

The assembly was called to order at 9 A. M. Thursday by Mrs. Eugenia Pettee, Past Grand Matron, when a floral ceremony was given by the Associate Grand Matron, Sister Norton. The ceremony was given in verse and to Sister Norton much credit is due. The response by the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carick, was brief and to the point. After the report of Committee on Credentials, the assembly listened to the address of the Worthy Grand Matron, which carried with it some very lovely messages and beautiful verses. Sister Carrick commented upon the

splendid reports received from her representatives in Georgia and California, which she very much appreciated, they being the only reports received by her.

On October 3rd the Worthy Grand Matron and most of her official family attended the Grand Chapter session at Quebec, and were accorded a most cordial welcome, being royally entertained during their stay.

The Worthy Grand Matron visited 28 chapters and installed officers in six chapters. Honorary membership was given her by two chapters.

In her address to subordinate chapters, she closes with a very pretty verse:

"Love treasured and hidden away
Brings no increase at end of day,
But love shared spreads far and wide
And brings contentment at eventide."

The Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Chas. E. Scribner, in his opening remarks, dwelt on the responsibility of this office, the pleasure he derived and the whole-hearted response he received. His first duty in taking office was the appointment of eleven District Deputy Grand Patrons, as nominated by the voting delegates of the eleven districts. Each Deputy responded to the call and performed his duties very satisfactorily to the chapters and with pleasure to himself. Brother Scribner attended the School of Instruction with the Worthy Grand Matron at Montpelier. Each district in the Grand Jurisdiction was represented by a District Deputy. The meeting was directed by the Grand Lecturer, Sister Ingham, whose efficiency in her instructions created much interest. The meeting was largely attended by Grand Officers and subordinate members.

It is evident from the Worthy Grand Patron's report that he had a very busy year. He visited twenty-six subordinate chapters. He comments on the pleasure derived from his visit to the Eastern Star Home at Randolph and compliments the Grand Lecturer on her splendid work and shows his appreciation for the courteous treatment by the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer.

The Grand Secretary reports a total membership of 13,423.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Clara B. Norton, Worthy Grand Matron.

Leon W. Webster, Worthy Grand Patron.

Mrs. Addie F. Allen, Grand Secretary.

VIRGINIA

Twenty-seventh Annual Session.

The Grand Chapter of Virginia convened in Twenty-seventh Annual Session, Tuesday, May 12th, at 2:00 P. M., Masonic Temple, Richmond, Virginia, with Sister Louise Beale, Past Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother Marvin D. Switzer, Past Worthy Grand Patron, in the Grand East.

To the strains of a beautiful march, the Grand Officers entered the Grand Chapter room. Sister Emma Huddleston, Worthy Grand Matron, opened the Grand Chapter in regular form. The National Flag was presented and the Grand Body pledged allegiance to its colors.

The address of welcome was given by Gertrude Mallory Phillips, Past Matron of Holly Chapter No. 27, which was responded to by Sister Belva Martin Goad, Associate Grand Matron.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported in her experience in visitations to Chapters, *which numbered seventy-two, it had been a very happy one*; that she found the officers and members of the Chapters exercising a great earnestness of devotion for the upbuilding of the moral and social purposes of the Order; that the Chapters are doing splendid work; the ritualistic work is receiving careful study and is being exemplified in an impressive manner; the attendance at meetings good in the larger Chapters and fair in others, all of which tends to demonstrate that they are interested in our beautiful Order, its welfare and prosperity.

The Worthy Grand Patron reported that he had visited approximately thirty-five Chapters, and in each instance was accorded a most hearty welcome.

Hon. J. Fulmer Bright, Mayor of Richmond, Virginia, extended a hearty civic welcome.

Lieutenant-Governor James H. Price made the welcome already extended by the Mayor all the more hearty in his address to the Grand Body.

Sister Minnie E. Keyes, R. W. G. Secretary of the General Grand Chapter, was welcomed and given the Grand Honors. Sister Keyes stated that the Eastern Star is now forming a golden chain around the world, even reaching into far Australia, and that nearly every Grand Chapter has an Eastern Star Home for the aged and those going down the shady slope of life.

There were other distinguished visitors present, and many communications and telegrams received.

There was a pause in the deliberations of the Grand Chapter while the Grand Officers rendered a solemn and beautiful memorial service for those

of their own and sister jurisdictions, who since the last annual session of Grand Chapter have answered the last call.

A request of the Home Board for \$6,000 for maintenance of the Eastern Star Home for the coming year was approved by the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

The delegates, members and guests were invited to visit the Eastern Star Home, situated in one of the most beautiful and restful spots in Ginter Park, Richmond, Va. Automobiles conveyed the visitors to the Home, where they were received most cordially and shown over the building. They all felt their trip would never be forgotten.

A total of 90 Chapters represented with 614 votes registered, total number of delegates registered 502; visitors and members registered, 453.

The next meeting of the Grand Chapter of Virginia will be held the second Tuesday in May, 1932, at Roanoke, Virginia.

The following Grand Officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year:

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Belva Martin Goad, Worthy Grand Matron.
Clyde C. Shankle, Worthy Grand Patron.
Mrs. Henrietta M. Barbour, Grand Secretary.

WASHINGTON

Carrie T. Meyers—Worthy Grand Matron.
Fred Matthies—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 217. Membership, 39,488. Net Loss, 141.

The 43rd Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Washington, Order of the Eastern Star, convened in the First Christian Church of Bellingham, on June 18, 1931, and was called to order by Sister Isabelle Witherspoon, Past Grand Matron. All Grand Officers present except the Grand Marshal, this station being filled by Myra Dennett.

The Stars and Stripes was carried to the East by Maurine Myers, daughter of the Worthy Grand Matron, and the Union Jack by Sister June Magenheimer, wife of the Grand Organist. After the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" and "God Save the King," a tribute was given by C. V. Leach, of Olympia Chapter No. 36, who said in part: "Since the beginning of time, man has ever had a symbol that links the physical to the spiritual, the seen to the unseen, the creature to the Creator. To a free people, however, the flag is that emblem, that link of unity, destined through the travail of its birth to further weld the various elements into one harmonious whole."

The Invocation was given by Reverend Fife.

Geo. T. Desmond gave a tribute to the State Flag, and said: "It is with pride and pleasure that we have listened to the tribute given our National Flag by Brother Leach. This Grand Chapter feels that it should also pay tribute to our state flag, which is one of the forty-eight reasons why our National Flag is held in such high respect and esteem throughout the world.

"The State Flag has a field of green typical of the mountains and trees, surrounded by a border of gold typical of the golden harvest, and the likeness of Him whom we honor and revere as the Father of our country, was the gift of two members very dear to the hearts of all members in the State of Washington, Sister Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron, and Past Grand Matron; and Brother Steven J. Chadwick, Past Grand Patron."

The Grand Chapter is proud to have two of its members in the State of Washington serving the General Grand Chapter as Officers, Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron, and Linnie W. James, Worthy Grand Marshal. Sister James was escorted to the Grand East through an arch of long-stemmed red roses, heartily welcomed and saluted with Grand Honors. A telegram wishing the Grand Chapter success and a harmonious session was received from Sister Emma P. Chadwick, who was unable to be present, together with a request that all Past Grands be sent to the General Grand Chapter, to be held in San Antonio, Texas. This request was approved.

J. W. Kellogg, Mayor of Bellingham, extended a hearty welcome to all of the guests, wishing for all a pleasant stay in the city and only pleasant memories to carry to their homes. Masonic greeting was given by Wm. C. Bates, Most Worshipful Grand Master, F. & A. M. The Hostess Chapters were represented by Marie Hubbard, of Maple Leaf Chapter No. 58 of Bellingham.

Allie McLean, Associate Grand Matron, considered it a happy privilege to respond to these welcome addresses, and thanked the Worthy Grand Matron for the courtesy extended.

Many distinguished guests were present: Maude Cullens, Worthy Grand Matron of Alberta; Grace Wilcox, Worthy Grand Matron of British Columbia; and L. C. Brockway, Worthy Grand Patron of British Columbia, were welcomed, escorted and saluted with Grand Honors.

Nan Martin, Past Grand Matron of Nebraska; Florence Paterson, of British Columbia; Brother J. W. Clark, of British Columbia; Sister Emily Maxwell, Jr., Past Grand Matron of British Columbia, was heartily welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, presented with a colonial bouquet, and escorted to the East.

Florence Livingston, Associate Grand Matron of British Columbia; Hazel Freeze, Grand Secretary of British Columbia; Fannie McCleary, Grand Treasurer of British Columbia; Effie Schmeelk, Grand Conductress of British Columbia, were welcomed.

Alice Savage, Associate Grand Matron, and W. G. Scafe, Associate Grand Patron of British Columbia, were escorted, welcomed and saluted with Grand Honors. Grand Honors were extended to Sister Ward of Montana, Jennie Cornett and W. J. Cornett of British Columbia, and to fourteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Patrons of the State of Washington.

Grand Representatives were introduced, welcomed with Grand Honors, and presented with flowers. Pages appointed for the session were introduced.

The formal opening of Grand Chapter was conducted by the Worthy Grand Matron, Carrie T. Myers, and her Associate Grand Officers.

Musical selections by a quartet—Mamie Ray Smith, No. 198; Dora E. Craig, No. 43; Marie Vaughn, No. 126; and Newton C. Bader, No. 215. Solo, Newton C. Bader and Lora Oliver. Songs by the Pierce County Matrons and reading by Lou Miller, Grand Martha, were some of the entertainment featured during the session.

The memorial service was written by Esther Grisdale, Grand Chaplain.

Roy K. West, of Olympia, a highway patrolman known as the "Singing Speed Cop," was introduced. He favored the assembly with a number of Irish selections which were greatly enjoyed.

The privilege of serving the Grand Jurisdiction was fully expressed and appreciated by the Worthy Grand Matron in her report, and if comfort and assistance had been brought to any of the Sisters and Brothers, she felt amply rewarded. Many official acts are recorded in the report. At the Constitution of Tonasket Chapter No. 228 she was assisted by many of the Grand Officers, who also assisted her in the Installation of their Officers.

On August 24, 1930, in accordance with the wish of the Grand Chapter, headquarters were established at the Winthrop Hotel in Tacoma, during the Session of the General Grand Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons and the General Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, and greatly appreciated the assistance of Grand Officers and Sister members in Tacoma who assisted as hostesses during the Sessions. Installed Officers in several Chapters.

The Official Visits were a source of extreme pleasure, excellent work and a fine spirit of fraternalism in all chapters. An invitation from the Masonic Tribune of Seattle and the Washington Trestle Board of Olympia to send Christmas greetings through their papers was appreciated.

The Children's Foundation Fund Committee are commended highly for their efforts in furthering the welfare of needy children. Eight Board Meetings were held, nine applications for assistance were received, and four were granted; temporary assistance given several children. The wards of the O. E. S. Foundation for children at present comprise nineteen children from eight families, cost of maintenance per day \$1.08 for each child.

The Board of Trustees of the Masonic Home report eight meetings during the year, a net gain of nine men and two women, and a total membership of eighty-four men and fifty-eight women, and the annual cost per member has been \$413.13. Forty-five men and thirty-two women are being assisted outside of the Home, amounting to \$1,580.00 per month. An appropriation of \$95,000.00 recommended for the ensuing year.

A gift of \$300.00 from Ed. H. Touhey, a member of Alcyone Chapter, for the furnishing of a room in the Home at Zenith, in memory of his wife, Agnes Touhey, a Past Matron of Ivanhoe Chapter No. 97, was received and appreciated. \$18.50 was received from the Past Matrons Association of Yakima Valley for the Educational Fund. Since the institution of the fund January 5, 1928, fifty-eight applicants have been received and fifty-two completed. Many of these have been fully or partly repaid. Twenty-six applications were received during the past year.

The Worthy Grand Patron reports visiting one hundred and nine chapters, and traveling 8,434 miles. He had the pleasure of being the first Grand Patron to visit some of these chapters. Attended the School of Instruction at Spokane and Yakima, and at the request of the Worthy Grand Matron exemplified the secret work and gave the obligation. No new chapters instituted.

Two Past Grand Officers and 420 members of subordinate chapters answered the final summons. We miss them today, but

"We shall meet them in the morning,
When our work on earth is done,
At the river—blessed river—
We shall gather—one by one."

For the purpose of meeting the growing demand for better and more interesting Chapter sessions the Grand Chapter organized a Program Committee. Outside their own state they have received calls from Nova Scotia, Alaska and Arizona, also to provide the old work in full form for the Grand Chapter of British Columbia.

Past Matrons who wish to qualify for District Deputy Instructors must pass an efficiency test of 32 written questions and 16 oral questions prepared under the direction of the Worthy Grand Matron.

An invitation to attend the Grand Assembly Order of Rainbow for Girls, to be held in Yakima June 25, 26, 27, was extended by Thurza W. Hubner, a member of the Grand Advisory Board.

The invitation of Tacoma for the 1932 Session of Grand Chapter was accepted.

The Installation of the newly elected and appointed Grand Officers was conducted by Pearl E. Goist, Past Grand Matron, assisted by Fred Matthies, Worthy Grand Patron; Esther Grisdale, Grand Chaplain; Myra Dennet, Grand Marshal; and Charles Magenheimer, Grand Organist.

Twenty Past Matrons from Southeastern Washington marched in to the tune of "Old Gray Bonnet." They carried letters bearing the name of the Grand Matron in silver. Forming a circle in front of the Grand East, they paid the following tribute:

"The Past Matrons and Patrons
From down Southeast way
Have spelled your name in silver today.
We want you to know, dear Allie McLean,
That our love for you will always remain.
There are many Grand Matrons
That we have known
But few we could call
Our very own."

The Guernsey Memorial Jewel was given into the keeping of the Worthy Grand Matron by the Junior Past Grand Matron, Carrie T. Meyers, to be held by her during the year, and passed to her successor at the expiration of her term.

Past Grand Officers Jewels were presented to Carrie T. Myers and Fred Matthies. An invitation was extended by the Worthy Matron of Evergreen Chapter No. 1 to attend the Golden Anniversary of the Chapter late in the summer.

No further business appearing, the Grand Chapter was declared closed in regular form, with Sister Carrie T. Myers giving the "Farewell."

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Allie McLean, Worthy Grand Matron.

Robert E. Sullivan, Worthy Grand Patron.

Mabel C. Clark, Grand Secretary.

Forty-fourth Annual Session to be held in Tacoma, June, 1932.

WEST VIRGINIA

Twenty-eighth Annual Session.

Membership, 14,433.

Number of Chapters, 115.

The Twenty-eighth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of West Virginia convened at Huntington, West Virginia, September 29, 1931, and was called to order by Past Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Elizabeth Chafin.

Following a well worded address, the Grand Officers entered, executing a beautiful march. Mrs. E. W. Ohlson, Grand Guardian of Job's Daughters, entered next, carrying the Traveling Bible. She was escorted by a group of Job's Daughters' Pilgrims, dressed in Grecian costume, marching in cross formation and carrying lighted candles. Sister Ohlson gave an interesting presentation, the bible was accepted by the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Vera M. Easley, who made a very fitting response. The Grand Marshal presented the flag, escorted by a guard of honor. The Pages were introduced and escorted to their stations. There were a number of distinguished guests present, also eighteen Past Grand Matrons and ten Past Grand Patrons of West Virginia.

Sister Vera M. Easley, Worthy Grand Matron, in the course of her remarks, said:

"My symphony of life this past year is best expressed in the beautiful prayer of William DeWitt Hyde:

"Give me clean hands, clean words, and clean thoughts; help me stand for the hard right against the easy wrong; save me from habits that harm; teach me to work as hard and play as fair in Thy sight alone as if the world saw; forgive me when I am unkind and help me to forgive those who are unkind to me; keep me ready to help others at some cost to myself; send me chances to do a little good every day and grow more Christlike."

The Worthy Grand Matron reported that she had held forty schools of instruction. She paid a fitting tribute to those who have passed "The City Four Square" to the "Land of Fadeless Day," where the gates never close and where God shall wipe the tears away.

The Grand Secretary reported donations to the Home Fund in the amount of \$1,044.05 during the past year. The committee on Eastern Star Home reported progress.

The Twenty-ninth Annual Session will meet in Clarksburg, West Virginia, in 1932.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Mrs. Greek A. Park, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. Ona C. Jeffreys, Worthy Grand Patron.

Mrs. Etts M. Barns, Grand Secretary.

WISCONSIN

Forty-first Annual Session.

Membership, 54,883.

Chapters, 273.

The Grand Chapter of Wisconsin convened in its Forty first Session on October 6th, 1931, at 1:30 P. M. in the Scottish Rite Cathedral. All Grand Officers were present. After welcoming words by the Worthy Grand Matron, Laura J. Baker, the Worthy Grand Patron, James B. Wagg, instructed the Guard of Honor to retire and present the flag of our country. The colors were received and escorted to the East.

Messages of greeting from Emma P. Chadwick, Most Worthy Grand Matron, and P. A. Jerguson, Most Worthy Grand Patron, were read by the Grand Secretary, Helen M. Laffin.

Sister Rose Welch, Worthy Grand Matron of Minnesota, was escorted to the East. Bessie C. Watson, member of the Educational Committee of the General Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, and a Past Grand Matron of Wisconsin, was presented and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Twenty-one Past Grand Matrons and fifteen Past Grand Patrons were escorted into the Grand Chapter room, formed a semi-circle and were instructed to introduce themselves, after which they were escorted to their seats and presented with a little remembrance from the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

The Grand Pages were escorted into the Grand Chapter room and addressed by the Worthy Grand Matron, after which they were escorted to the East and then were escorted to their stations.

Brother Wm. R. Graves, Grand Master of F. & A. M. of the State of Wisconsin, was presented, escorted to the East and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron. He extended greetings from the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. and addressed the assembly. Brother Jas. Wagg, Worthy Grand Patron, responded.

Henriette Frey, Supreme First Messenger of the International Order of Job's Daughters, also Grand Guardian of the State of Wisconsin, was presented, welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and escorted to the East.

The address of the Worthy Grand Matron was very commendable, for it carried a sincerity of thought for those who were instrumental in making her year a success. A special tribute was paid to Past Grand Matron Clara E. Piper, who gave her first appointment and who passed away August 29th, 1928. It was a deep loss to her and the Grand Chapter. Tribute was also paid to those who passed away during the

year; among the list of deceased were four members of her Grand Chapter. Mention was made of departed members from all of the States where they occurred.

The number of invitations extended the Worthy Grand Matron was extremely gratifying, but with regret she had to decline over half of them, as she felt it her duty to be with her chapters officially and help when she could. However, she did visit two Chapters outside of her own jurisdiction and attended Grand Chapter in Minnesota.

The Worthy Grand Matron had the pleasure of constituting one chapter and instituting one. She also installed the officers of four chapters during the year.

Mention is made of the lovely fraternal spirit indicated in the courtesies extended Minnesota, Missouri and North Dakota. It is interesting to note that thirty dispensations were granted by the Grand Matron. Under the head of irregularities it was found that some chapters wear the badge on a ribbon around their neck; some chapters with over fifty members have no emblems.

One chapter balloted three times on a petition because a member was not sure how he balloted. Mention is made by the Worthy Grand Matron that it is not thoroughly understood that chapters are expected to take care of the Grand Officer when she arrives, either entertain her in the home or send her to a hotel and pay her expenses. She comes as your guest to help you and should be made to feel comfortable.

The Worthy Grand Matron takes pleasure in announcing that she recommended twenty-one sisters for appointment as Grand Representatives of other Grand Chapters and appointed seventeen sisters to represent Wisconsin. The Worthy Grand Matron was able to visit one hundred and twenty-seven chapters out of one hundred and forty-five. There were seventeen whom she wrote who could not accommodate her.

The address of the Worthy Grand Patron, James B. Wagg, carried much of interest and shows that he has a keen insight in matters needing adjustment, and he evidently smoothed the way for many who were in trouble, and should be commended for his splendid work.

The report of the Grand Secretary shows that in spite of the depression, the Grand Chapter has a small gain—less than in any previous year—but still a gain. *It has one new chapter and every chapter has paid its per capita tax, and most of the chapters have contributed generously to the Home Fund.*

The report of the Grand Lecturer, Sister Nettie B. Hobson, is one of interest, for it contains many helpful suggestions, also that Sister Hobson is intensely interested in her work.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Maxine Stenerson.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Oliver M. Paugh.

Grand Secretary, Mrs. Helen M. Laflin.

WYOMING

Mary F. Elliott—Worthy Grand Matron.

David A. Muir—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chartered Chapters, 42. Membership, 6,977. Net Gain, 102.

The Flag of the United States of America, and the Pledge of Allegiance, the State Flag of Wyoming, a picture of the Traveling Bible, and a history of same, and pictures of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, are contained in the front pages of this very interesting proceedings.

The informal opening of the Grand Session of Wyoming took place on Sunday morning, August 23rd, at the Methodist Episcopal Church. The Eastern Star Traveling Bible was used and Bishop Mead of Denver delivered an address.

At 8:30 o'clock in the evening one of the largest gatherings held by Wyoming Grand Chapter was called to order by Mrs. Millie Stewart, President of Laramie Past Matrons Club. The meeting was held in the University gymnasium.

All present and past Grand Officers were escorted to the East.

An Invocation was given by Dean Thornburg, followed by a vocal solo by Prof. George Edwin Knapp.

A cordial welcome was extended to all by Mr. Ralph E. McWhinnie, Registrar of Wyoming University, response was by David A. Muir, W. G. P., thanking all for the courteous reception extended to all Grand Chapter members. Mrs. Geo. Knapp favored with a vocal solo and Mr. Harry W. Thompson with a cornet number.

The 34th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Wyoming, Order of the Eastern Star, was officially opened at Laramie, Monday, August 24th, 1931.

Promptly at 9:15 Monday morning, the Grand Chapter was called to order by Mrs. Carrie Fisher McLaughlin, Past Grand Matron of Wyoming, and Worthy Grand Martha of the General Grand Chapter.

Mrs. Blanch Minick, of Rock Springs, accompanied by Mrs. Agnes Huckle, sang "Open the Gates of the Temple." Grand Officers were invited to enter by Sister McLaughlin.

Eighteen Job's Daughters entered and after a short drill presented each officer with a corsage.

The most distinguished guest, "The Traveling Bible," was placed upon the Altar by the Grand Conductress. A brief history was given.

Grand Chapter was opened in regular form—all Grand Officers present except Grand Warder, the vacancy being filled by Miss Isobel Geary. After the proper purging and the formal opening the doxology was sung.

The Flag was presented by the Grand Marshal, the Pledge of Allegiance given, and the National Anthem sung. A beautiful tribute in poetry and prose was given by Bro. Conrad Johnson.

An Address of Welcome from the Hostess Chapter, Alpha No. 1, was given by Kate Knicker, Worthy Matron, and responded to by Blanch L. Innes, Associate Grand Matron, who said in part: "We rejoice in the privilege of exchanging fraternal greetings, of reviewing the year's work, and of building and planning for the future of our order.

"The kingdom of our order is in the hearts of men.

And he who sows for friendship's sake shall reap his own again.

He who looks through Masonry to God, and looks through God to all mankind,

Learns more than sign or pass, or grip, learns God's and Man's relationship."

Mrs. Carrie F. McLaughlin, Worthy Grand Martha of the General Grand Chapter; Charles H. Townsend, Past Grand Patron; Leonard Wise, Past Grand Patron of Colorado; members of the International Temple Comittee; Sisters Fetterman and Adams, Worthy Grand Matrons of Nebraska and Colorado; Sister Yates, Associate Grand Conductress of Utah; Florence Christy, Supreme Guardian of Job's Daughters, were among the distinguished guests present. A cordial welcome was given by Estella Kline, a Past Grand Matron, and Grand Honors given.

Sixteen P. G. M. and six P. G. P. were presented at the Altar and welcomed by the W. G. M., Mary F. Elliott, and W. G. P., David Muir. Sarah Haskins, P. G. M., responded, a pink rosebud was presented to each Grand Officer, after which all were escorted to the East and given Grand Honors. Twenty-seven Representatives were escorted and welcomed by Brother Otis Barber, Associate Grand Patron. Twenty-five Worthy Matrons and twelve Worthy Patrons answered roll call and were welcomed by the W. G. M.

The report of the Worthy Grand Matron was a splendid account of an active year. Every chapter in the state was visited, including Pine Cone Chapter U. D. The Worthy Grand Matron traveled 4,000 miles and in all but one instance in her own car. Following are some notes of interest:

Chapter Treasuries show cash on hand approximately \$11,000.

Bonds and Investments total over \$14,000, with additional investments in Masonic Temple at Cheyenne and Casper.

Estimated valuation of Chapter property, \$12,000.

Officers in one Chapter wear robes. Another has six men as Officers.

One Worthy Matron lives 22 miles and another 40 miles from their respective chapters. Accompanied the Worthy Grand Patron at institution of two chapters, Big Pine April 25, 1931, and Pine Cone Oct. 11, 1931.

Attended the Grand Chapter of Iowa at Sioux City, having received the Degrees in Morning Star Chapter No. 108 of Iowa. It was a pleasure to be their guest on November 6, 1930.

Job's Daughters is a thriving organization in Wyoming. The future of our Order has glorious possibilities. Therefore:

"Build it well, whate'er we do,
Build it straight, and strong and true,
Build it clear, and high and broad,
Build it for the eyes of God."

The Worthy Grand Patron reported the institution of two chapters. He accompanied the Worthy Grand Matron on several occasions, installed the officers in several Chapters, also received Honorary membership in Pinedale Chapter No. 39.

Appropriate memorial services were held for those who had passed to the Chapter above during the year. The passing of Vera G. Jones, Past Grand Secretary, was a distinct loss:

"From our chain a link has fallen,
In the East a Star has set,
But enshrined on memory's tablet
Her true worth we'll ne'er forget."

Myrtle M. Sawyer, P. G. M., installed the newly elected and appointed officers, assisted by Media Wycoff, P. G. M., as Grand Marshal, Mary A. DeForest, as Grand Organist, and Rachael Lynn, as Grand Chaplain. After the presentation of Jewels to the retiring W. G. M. and W. G. P., there being no further business, the Assembly sang "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," and the 34th Annual Session was declared closed.

GRAND OFFICERS INSTALLED

Blanch L. Innes, Worthy Grand Matron.

Otis B. Barber, Worthy Grand Patron.

Harriet J. Eckerson, Grand Secretary.

Thirty-fifth Annual Session to be held at Rawlins, Wyoming, August 22, 1932.

History of the Traveling Bible in Proceedings, Wyoming, 1931.

APPENDIX C

General Grand Chapter Officers.

Grand Secretaries of other Grand Jurisdictions.

Representatives of other Grand Chapters in California.

Representatives of California in other Grand Jurisdictions.

Grand Officers 1873-1932.

Reports of Subordinate Chapters.

List of Extinct Chapters

Deputy Grand Matrons.

Standing Committees.

Amendments to Constitution.

Standing Resolutions.

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Michigan.....	Mrs. Mame J. Bates.....	2351 Echo Park Ave., Los Angeles
Minnesota.....	Mrs. Myra Moyse.....	1219 N. Alvarado St., Los Angeles
Missouri.....	Mrs. Pearl Elane Bosserman.....	8755 Holloway Drive, Los Angeles
Mississippi.....	Mrs. Jeanette O. Counter.....	298 Chenery Street, San Francisco
Montana.....	Mrs. Isabel Lemmon.....	120 W. Haley St., Santa Barbara
Nebraska.....	Mrs. Bessie Adelaide Pierce.....	1022 S. Gramercy Place Los Angeles
Nevada.....	Mrs. Mary S. Munns.....	38 Clayton Street, San Francisco
New Hampshire.....	Mrs. Reva Johns.....	1566 College Ave., Fresno
New Jersey.....	Mrs. Alice F. Hickie.....	1350 Turk Street, San Francisco
New Mexico.....	Mrs. Grace Ethel Stilgenbaur.....	Brawley, Imperial Co.
New York.....	Mrs. Elizabeth A. Barnard.....	263 So. Larchmont Blvd., Los Angeles
North Carolina.....	Mrs. Emma Riehl Leach.....	2204 D St., Eureka, Humboldt County
North Dakota.....	Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Cartwright.....	Alhambra
Ohio.....	Mrs. E. Mildred Higgins.....	Atascadero, San Luis Obispo County

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GRAND CHAPTER	REPRESENTATIVE	ADDRESS
Oklahoma.....	Mrs. Virginia Coate.....	1637 Victoria Ave.,
Ontario.....	Mrs. Lena Walker Stannard.....	1100 Pine Ave., Long Beach
Oregon.....	Mrs. Evelyn Powers.....	2416 Virginia Road, Los Angeles
Pennsylvania.....	Mrs. Margery K. Griest.....	822 N. Ardmore, Los Angeles
Porto Rico.....	Mrs. Georgia Anna Catherwood.....	703 Balboa Street, San Francisco
Quebec.....	Miss Gladys R. Huskinson.....	Quincy, Plumas County
Rhode Island.....	Mrs. Lily Louise Carren.....	Hayward, Alameda Co.
Saskatchewan.....	Mrs. Pauline Florence Pernau.....	2405 Green Street, San Francisco
Scotland.....	Mrs. Gretchen Babb.....	710 Crenshaw Blvd., Los Angeles
South Carolina.....	Mrs. Vera Musser.....	4312 10th Ave., Los Angeles
South Dakota.....	Mrs. Maude Bigelow Sibley.....	6450 W. Glenoaks Blvd., Glendale
Tennessee.....	Mrs. Willa Jane Hellwig.....	Alvarado, Alameda Co.
Texas.....	Mrs. Mary H. Wipperman.....	3533 Glenhurst Ave., Los Angeles
Utah.....	Mrs. Maude N. Haven, M.D.....	611 Baker Street, San Francisco
Vermont.....	Mrs. Lillian Davies Boorman.....	64 N. Wilson Ave., Pasadena
Virginia.....	Mrs. Kate M. Burson.....	Fillmore, Ventura Co.
Wisconsin.....	Mrs. Ethelmae M. Ware.....	1060 6th St., San Diego
Washington.....	Mrs. Elizabeth B. Wheeler.....	3835 W. 7th Street, Los Angeles
West Virginia.....	Mrs. Blanche Daisy Cary.....	Lodi, San Joaquin Co.
Wyoming.....	Mrs. Annie Marie Johnson.....	535 Geary Street, San Francisco

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GRAND CHAPTERS	REPRESENTATIVES	ADDRESS	COMMISSION EXPIRES
Alabama.....	Mrs. Pearle A. Mueller.....	Foley.....	July 31, 1933
Alberta.....	Mrs. Margaret I. Theobald.....	Lethbridge.....	July 31, 1934
Arizona.....	Mrs. Mary E. Lee.....	620 S. 3rd Ave., Tucson.....	July 31, 1934
Arkansas.....	Mrs. Jimmie O. Strozler.....	920 Marshal St., Little Rock.....	July 31, 1933
British Columbia.....	Mrs. Della Middleton.....	Washington.....	July 31, 1934
Connecticut.....	Mrs. Ruth Vermilyea.....	Windsor.....	Sept. 1, 1935
Colorado.....	Mrs. Blanche Allison.....	1719 S. Lincoln St., Denver.....	July 31, 1933
Delaware.....	Mrs. Sarah E. Ruggan.....	Wilmington.....	July 31, 1934
District of Columbia.....	Mrs. Estelle M. Catlin.....	2008 G St., N.W., Washington.....	July 31, 1934
Florida.....	Mrs. Mary S. Robinson.....	Orlando.....	July 31, 1934
Georgia.....	Mrs. Rose M. Ashby.....	384 Pulliam St., Atlanta.....	July 31, 1934
Idaho.....	Mrs. Bertha Grant.....	Lewiston.....	July 31, 1934
Illinois.....	Mrs. Clarabel Perry.....	333 Geneva Rd., Glen Ellyn.....	July 31, 1934
Indiana.....	Mrs. Marguerite Fisher.....	Nabb.....	July 31, 1935
Iowa.....	Mrs. Vera H. Caldwell.....	Boone.....	July 31, 1934
Kansas.....	Mrs. Hertha Benkelman.....	McDonald.....	Dec. 31, 1932
Kentucky.....	Mrs. Clara Regan.....	Covington.....	July 31, 1934
Louisiana.....	Mrs. Margaret S. Carnal.....	Lacompte.....	July 31, 1933
Maine.....	Mrs. Annette H. Hooper.....	Biddeford.....	July 31, 1933
Manitoba.....	Mrs. Jessie B. Kent.....	Winnipeg.....	July 31, 1934
Maryland.....	Mrs. Vallonio B. Pratt.....	Pasadena.....	July 31, 1933
Massachusetts.....	Mrs. Hattie M. Spicer.....	1140 Pleasant St., Casnovia.....	July 31, 1933
Michigan.....	Mrs. Carrie B. Fraleigh.....	Minneapolis.....	July 31, 1934
Minnesota.....	Mrs. Louise L. Johnson.....	Greenville.....	July 31, 1933
Mississippi.....	Mrs. Martha Coleson.....	5218 Euclid, Kansas City.....	July 31, 1933
Missouri.....	Mrs. Juanita Mauss.....	1024 2nd St., W., Roundup.....	July 31, 1934
Montana.....	Mrs. Anna W. Smalley.....	Fairbury.....	July 31, 1934
Nebraska.....	Mrs. Rose King.....	Winnemucca.....	July 31, 1934
Nevada.....	Mrs. Grace M. Brown.....	Salem.....	July 31, 1935
New Hampshire.....	Mrs. Ruth Hogarth.....		July 31, 1934
New Jersey.....	Mrs. Lillian Trussel.....		July 31, 1934
New Mexico.....	Mrs. Minnie H. Miller.....	1446 West 48th St., Los Angeles.....	July 31, 1935
New York.....	Mrs. Grace A. Peters.....	22 Center St., Hornell.....	July 31, 1933
North Carolina.....	Mrs. Janie Pons.....	Morgantown.....	July 31, 1935
North Dakota.....	Mrs. Florence M. Hoskins.....	Bismark.....	July 31, 1934
Ohio.....	Mrs. Anna Gaskins.....	New Richmond.....	July 31, 1933
Oklahoma.....	Mrs. Anna Lou Little.....	Minco.....	July 31, 1933
Ontario.....	Mrs. Ethel Amer.....	52 Bartholomew St., Brockville.....	July 31, 1933
Oregon.....	Mrs. Mabel Settlemler.....	Woodburn.....	July 31, 1934
Pennsylvania.....	Mrs. Margaret L. Eberly.....	Mohnton.....	July 31, 1934
Porto Rico.....	Mrs. Lynda Campbell.....	No. 1 at San Juan.....	July 31, 1934
Quebec.....	Mrs. Dorothy Mowat.....	Montreal.....	July 31, 1935
Rhode Island.....	Mrs. Dorothy L. Mair.....	106 Summit Street, East Providence.....	July 31, 1933
Saskatchewan.....	Mrs. Julia McCauley.....	Weyburn.....	July 31, 1934
Scotland.....	Mrs. Agnes Forgle.....	34 Silver Row, Falkirk.....	July 31, 1933
South Carolina.....	Mrs. Elizabeth McDaniel.....	1718 Hampton St., Columbia.....	July 31, 1933
South Dakota.....	Mrs. Elizabeth Carlson.....	Clear Lake.....	July 31, 1935
Tennessee.....	Mrs. Sallie D. Harris.....	700 Belvedere St., Memphis.....	July 31, 1935
Texas.....	Miss Johnnie Daniels.....		July 31, 1935
Utah.....	Mrs. Mary N. Burton.....	Eureka.....	July 31, 1933
Vermont.....	Mrs. Fannie F. White.....	Bennington.....	July 31, 1935
Virginia.....	Mrs. Mildred Hodges.....	Shenandoah.....	July 31, 1933
Washington.....	Mrs. Rhoda L. Dow.....	Elma.....	July 31, 1935
West Virginia.....	Mrs. Lucy Jacobs.....	Clarksburg.....	July 31, 1933
Wisconsin.....	Mrs. Olive M. Williams.....	Hurley.....	July 31, 1933
Wyoming.....	Mrs. Grace F. Williams.....	Evanston.....	July 31, 1935

GRAND OFFICERS

Elected since the Organization of the Grand Chapter of California
On the 9th day of May, A. D. 1873

Created by Act of the Grand Chapter of California

October, 1899

*WILLIAM SCHUYLER MOSES,
Venerable Past Grand Patron.

October, 1913

*KATE JOSEPHINE WILLATS,
Past Grand Matron.

October, 1930

SUSAN MILLS WILLATS
Grand Secretary Emeritus

May, 1873.

*George John Hobe.....G. P.
Maria Anderson.....G. M.
*George W. Simonton.....G. A. P.
*Anna Maria Elliott.....G. A. M.
*Henrietta Whitcher.....G. S.
Mary Ellen Gillespie.....G. T.

1877-1878.

*Rollin Corralus Gaskill.....G. P.
*Annie Elizabeth Douglas.....G. M.
†William Adams.....G. A. P.
*Harriet N. Norcross.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Lizzie J. Holmes.....G. T.

October, 1874-1874.

*George John Hobe.....G. P.
Mary Ellen Gillespie.....G. M.
†W. G. Doolittle.....G. A. P.
*Sarah Anderson.....G. A. M.
*Henrietta Whitcher.....G. S.
*Kate Richardson.....G. T.

1878-1879.

*Ianthus Jerome Rolfe.....G. P.
*Fena Woods Ford.....G. M.
†John W. Philbrook.....G. A. P.
*Malinda Charlotte Parker.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Anna L. Thomas.....G. T.

1874-1875.

*George John Hobe.....G. P.
*Henrietta Whitcher.....G. M.
†William S. Phelps.....G. A. P.
*Emily Rolfe.....G. A. M.
*Anna Maria Elliott.....G. S.
*Kate Richardson.....G. T.

1879-1880.

*Charles Lewis Thomas.....G. P.
*Eleanor Marie Owens.....G. M.
*Edward Swift West.....G. A. P.
*Hattie Elizabeth Major.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Sarah Elizabeth Barker.....G. T.

1875-1876.

*Jeremiah E. Whitcher.....G. P.
*Emily Rolfe.....G. M.
†John Quincy Adams.....G. A. P.
†Emilie Cartwright Swain.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. T.

1880-1881.

*Jerome Banks.....G. P.
*Sarah Jennie Mann.....G. M.
†Joseph W. Kinsley.....G. A. P.
*Eleanor Beck Farrington.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Mary Jane Reeves.....G. T.

1876-1877.

*Jerome Spaulding.....G. P.
†Ada Adelia Libbey.....G. M.
*John Carlton Marsh.....G. A. P.
†Elizabeth S. Bullard.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Mary Ann Springer Knox.....G. T.

1881-1882.

*Edward Swift West.....G. P.
*Frances Ellen Ryder.....G. M.
*John Bradford Cox.....G. A. P.
*Sarah Cassidy.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Mary A. Hasty.....G. T.

*Deceased

†Dimitied

‡Suspended

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER

1882-1883.

*Abram Farr Hitchcock.....G. P.
 *Mary Ann Flint.....G. M.
 *Andrew Jackson McPike.....G. A. P.
 †Caroline Secley.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Mary Matilda Holtz.....G. T.

1883-1884.

*Anderson Corbin Hartley.....G. P.
 *Mary Ann Flint.....G. M.
 *Darwin DeGolia.....G. A. P.
 *Mary Jane Mayhew.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Annie Elizabeth Briggs.....G. T.

1884-1885.

Fred Wm. Gustave Mocbus.....G. P.
 Mary Josephine Young.....G. M.
 *Justice C. Merrifield.....G. A. P.
 *Lucia M. Singletary.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Ella Marie Haun.....G. T.

1885-1886.

*Edmund Wilson Roberts.....G. P.
 *Abbie Elvenia (Krebs) Wilkins.....G. M.
 *Martin Jeremiah Wright.....G. A. P.
 *Carrie Augusta Kingsley.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Lora Virginia Ream.....G. T.

1886-1887.

*John Nelles Young.....G. P.
 *Mary B. Moore.....G. M.
 *Benjamin Franklin Bagley.....G. A. P.
 *Elizabeth Ferris Phillips.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 †Lovina Gibson.....G. T.

1887-1888.

*John Hatfield Gray.....G. P.
 Gertrude Swain Freeman.....G. M.
 *Jesse Beech Fuller.....G. A. P.
 Mary Sophonia Munus.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Isabel Denman.....G. T.

1888-1889.

*Thomas Flint.....G. P.
 *Mary Elizabeth Partridge.....G. M.
 *John McMurry.....G. A. P.
 *Elmira Frances West.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 †Calista Spaulding.....G. T.

1889-1890.

*Jesse Beech Fuller.....G. P.
 *Annie Elizabeth Briggs.....G. M.
 *George Thomas Shaw.....G. A. P.
 *Mary Louise Grohs.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Elizabeth Wardwell.....G. T.

1890-1891.

*Fred Lawrence Button.....G. P.
 *Mary Jeannie Parker.....G. M.
 *J. Avery Shepherd.....G. A. P.
 *Mary (Southworth) Brown.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Melissa Morey.....G. T.

1891-1892.

*Chauncey Carroll Bush.....G. P.
 *Mattie Ann Farnum.....G. M.
 *David Byron Todd.....G. A. P.
 *Kate Elizabeth Boyd.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Mary Anna Smith.....G. T.

1892-1893.

*Jacob Franklin Boller.....G. P.
 *Georgia Anna Mathfield.....G. M.
 *George Washington Stout.....G. A. P.
 *Emma Perkins.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Arvilla McHarvey.....G. T.

1893-1894.

*Allen Bosley Lemmon.....G. P.
 *Emma Hapgood.....G. M.
 *Zachary Taylor Gilpin.....G. A. P.
 *Margaret Belva Searles.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Sarah Isabelle Hubbard.....G. T.

1894-1895.

Thomas Flint, Jr.....G. P.
 *Augusta Dunn Wilson.....G. M.
 *Powell Samuel Lawson.....G. A. P.
 *Hattie Elizabeth Alexander.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Julia Marie Lubeck.....G. T.

1895-1896.

*James Bestor Merritt.....G. P.
 Carrie Louisa Peaslee.....G. M.
 †Roscoe Edwin Hewitt.....G. A. P.
 *Florence Miller.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Mary T. Dean.....G. T.

1896-1897.

James Robert Tapscott.....G. P.
 Ella Tyler Hall.....G. M.
 John Adam Gallup.....G. A. P.
 *Susan Rucker.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Isadora Horton.....G. T.

1897-1898.

†Harrison D. Rowe.....G. P.
 Eva M. Porter.....G. M.
 *Lewis Oliver Stephens.....G. A. P.
 †Belle Smith.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Jane Frances Raabe.....G. T.

*Deceased

†Dimited

‡Suspended

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1898-1899.

*Joseph Martin Lawrence.....G. P.
*Maria Akers Pierce.....G. M.
*George Louis Darling.....G. A. P.
†Marie L. (Coffin) Summerfield.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Kate Stephens Craig.....G. T.

1905-1906.

*Florin Leslie Jones.....G. P.
Georgiana Virginia Polhamus.....G. M.
*Curtis Jefferson Monroe.....G. A. P.
*Catherine Elizabeth Merritt.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
Helen Seeman.....G. T.

1899-1900.

*George Louis Darling.....G. P.
Fannie Thomas McCowen.....G. M.
*Charles Colfax Corbiere.....G. A. P.
Lulu Lucas.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
Isabelle Louise Vawter.....G. T.

1906-1907.

Casimir Jackson Wood.....G. P.
Anna Dreher Dudderar.....G. M.
George Wheeler Earl.....G. A. P.
Alice Frances Hickie.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Ida Hobart McCoy.....G. T.

1900-1901.

Ernest Woodbury Conant.....G. P.
*Maud Ella Bowes.....G. M.
*Benjamin Anthony Plant.....G. A. P.
*Ella Ada Miller.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Adaline Bloom Runyon.....G. T.

1907-1908.

Benjamin Brooks Cartwright.....G. P.
Emm Richl Leach.....G. M.
*Matthew Stewart.....G. A. P.
*Alice Stone Dozier.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Laura Pauline Butcher.....G. T.

1901-1902.

*Charles Edward Mitchell.....G. P.
Clara Abbott Giberson.....G. M.
*Claude Edouard de St. Maurice.....G. A. P.
Minnie Delta Brown.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Agnes Johnson.....G. T.

1908-1909.

*Alexander Rosborough Fraser.....G. P.
Annie Marie Johnson.....G. M.
Harry Clay Cooper.....G. A. P.
*Mary Ella Rankin.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Eliza C. Higgins.....G. T.

1902-1903.

Lyman C. Byce.....G. P.
Mabel Boyd Seymour.....G. M.
*Arthur Hill Millberry.....G. A. P.
*Emma Elizabeth Rupp.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Henrietta Heuer.....G. T.

1909-1910.

*Phineas Fanning Ferguson.....G. P.
*Rosa Josephine Burns.....G. M.
*Doctor John Paddock.....G. A. P.
*Lucy Anna Curtis.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
Marie Sherer.....G. T.

1903-1904.

George Francis McNoble.....G. P.
Chlo (Routzahn) Craig.....G. M.
†Erwin Sanford Logan.....G. A. P.
Agnes Conant.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
Annie Beauchamp-Barnes.....G. T.

1910-1911.

William John Mossholder.....G. P.
Ada Marsh Dalton.....G. M.
William Arthur Hicks.....G. A. P.
*Nellie Augusta Darling.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Josephine Martha Patten.....G. T.

1904-1905.

*Charles Joseph Willett.....G. P.
*Pauline Wetzlar Dohmann.....G. M.
Lorenzo Bailey Leavitt.....G. A. P.
Anna Nancy Skinner.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Emma Neale Rider.....G. T.

1911-1912.

John Liddle McNab.....G. P.
Lena Walker Stannard.....G. M.
George Gore Vanderlip.....G. A. P.
*Addie Lee Sleeper.....G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
*Lillian Bond Hammar.....G. T.

*Deceased

†Dimitied

‡Suspended

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER

1912-1913.

William Kirtley Chambers.....	G. P.
*Martha Gould Dinsmore.....	G. M.
*Briceno Amendez Fassett.....	G. A. P.
*Leah Nora Earl.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Charlotte Esther Jameson.....	G. T.

1913-1914.

*Fred Llewellyn Kincaid.....	G. P.
Minnie Hiner.....	G. M.
*Arnold Goodfriend.....	G. A. P.
Virginia Coate.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Theresa Josephine (Strong) Catron.....	G. T.

1914-1915.

Eldon Perry Mains.....	G. P.
Minnie Elliott Seymour.....	G. M.
Harry Ver Brike Brown.....	G. A. P.
Jennie Maude Wayman.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Laura May Macdermott.....	G. T.

1915-1916.

*Alrik Hammar.....	G. P.
Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler.....	G. M.
*Pliny Hayward Murphy.....	G. A. P.
Emma (Blanchard) Graves.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Eva Harriet Boyd.....	G. T.

1916-1917.

William Frank Holman.....	G. P.
Maude Noble Haven.....	G. M.
Arthur Theodore Biddle.....	G. A. P.
Nellie Dean Graham.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Georgia Anna (Gutches) Catherwood.....	G. T.

1917-1918.

*Robert Edgar.....	G. P.
Ivy Crane Shelhamer.....	G. M.
*Frank Alonzo Foye.....	G. A. P.
Mary E. Finlay.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Lena Rice Mallery.....	G. T.

1918-1919.

Darwin Willson Pierce.....	G. P.
*Elizabeth Mary Marshall.....	G. M.
Henry Charles Haake.....	G. A. P.
Margaret Elizabeth Sawyer.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
*Lillian Peers Beckley.....	G. T.

1919-1920.

Lew Edward Wallace.....	G. P.
Louise Mae Elsensohn.....	G. M.
Walter Vaughn Scott.....	G. A. P.
Ida Helen (Leonard) Fitch.....	G. A. M.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Gertrude Miller Meldrim.....	G. T.

1920-1921.

Effie Easton.....	G. M.
Roy Musser.....	G. P.
Maude Dezell Bradley.....	G. A. M.
Delos Albert Mace.....	G. A. P.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Annie Shingle Brasch.....	G. T.
Stella Morgan Linscott.....	G. C.
Maude Bigelow Sibley.....	G. C.

1921-1922.

Maude Dezell Bradley.....	G. M.
Delos Albert Mace.....	G. P.
Stella Morgan Linscott.....	G. A. M.
Ernest Eugene Noon.....	G. A. P.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Genevieve Case Norton.....	G. T.
Maude Bigelow Sibley.....	G. C.
Zella Whitford Samson.....	G. C.

1922-1923.

Stella Morgan Linscott.....	G. M.
Ernest Eugene Noon.....	G. P.
Maude Bigelow Sibley.....	G. A. M.
Guy Woodhams Brundage.....	G. A. P.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Sue Estelle Tuck.....	G. T.
Zella Whitford Samson.....	G. C.
*Ellen Josephine La Fontaine.....	G. C.

1923-1924.

Maude Bigelow Sibley.....	G. M.
Guy Woodhams Brundage.....	G. P.
Zella Whitford Samson.....	G. A. M.
Russell Bresee La Fontaine.....	G. A. P.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Georgia Esther Hunt.....	G. T.
Cora Spring Holland.....	G. C.
Hazael Marsh-Piper.....	G. C.

1924-1925.

Zella Whitford Samson.....	G. M.
Russell Bresee La Fontaine.....	G. P.
Cora Spring Holland.....	G. A. M.
Waldo Francis Postel.....	G. A. P.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Grace Diers Beckman.....	G. T.
Hazael Marsh-Piper.....	G. C.
Gladys Fitch-Pierce.....	G. C.

1925-1926.

Cora Spring Holland.....	G. M.
Waldo Francis Postel.....	G. P.
Hazael Marsh-Piper.....	G. A. M.
Raymond Hadley Griest.....	G. A. P.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....	G. S.
Beaie Adelaide Pierce.....	G. T.
Gladys Fitch-Pierce.....	G. C.
Pauline Ada Hause.....	G. C.

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1926-1927.

Hazael Marsh-Piper G. M.
 Raymond Hadley Griest.....G. P.
 Gladys Fitch-Pierce.....A. G. M.
 Henry Frank Pernau.....A. G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Birdie Eilers.....G. T.
 Pauline Ada Hause.....G. C.
 Myra Moyse.....A. G. C.

1929-1930.

Myra Moyse W. G. M.
 Walter Wadsworth Bradley.....W. G. P.
 Willa Jane Hellwig.....A. G. M.
 Joseph Mayo Argabrite.....A. G. P.
 Susan Mills Willats.....G. S.
 Gertrude Cormany Blair.....G. T.
 Elsie Mae McGiffin.....G. C.
 Grace Richardson Butterfield.....A. G. C.

1927-1928.

Gladys Fitch-Pierce.....W. G. M.
 Henry Frank Pernau.....W. G. P.
 Pauline Ada Hause.....A. G. M.
 Bert Richard Hollowoy.....A. G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Mattie Mitchell Charette.....G. T.
 Myra Moyse.....G. C.
 Willa Jane Hellwig.....A. G. C.

1930-1931.

Willa Jane Hellwig.....W. G. M.
 Joseph Mayo Argabrite.....W. G. P.
 Elsie Mae McGiffin.....A. G. M.
 John Lewis McDonald.....A. G. P.
 Stella Morgan Linscott.....G. S.
 Florence Newman.....G. T.
 Grace Richardson Butterfield.....G. C.
 Jessie Galbraith Morris.....A. G. C.

1928-1929.

Pauline Ada Hause.....W. G. M.
 Bert Richard Holloway.....W. G. P.
 Myra Moyse.....A. G. M.
 Walter Wadsworth Bradley.....A. G. P.
 Susan Mills Willats.....G. S.
 Anna Lancaster McKenney.....G. T.
 Willa Jane Hellwig.....G. C.
 Elsie Mae McGiffin.....A. G. C.

1931-1932.

Elsie Mae McGiffin.....W. G. M.
 John Lewis McDonald.....W. G. P.
 Grace Richardson Butterfield.....A. G. M.
 Lloyd Ellis Griffin.....A. G. P.
 Stella Morgan Linscott.....G. S.
 Grace Isabel Good.....G. T.
 Jessie Galbraith Morris.....G. C.
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				Initiated	Affiliated	Reinstated	TOTAL	Demitted	Susp'd N.P.D. or ass't	Exp'd or Susp'd	Deceased	TOTAL					
1 Golden Gate	1	May 10, 1869	341	14	2	...	357	10	9	...	3	22	1	\$91.50	\$50.10	\$33.40	\$336.00
2 Suisun	2	Mar. 12, 1870	209	27	1	...	236	5	...	...	3	8	2	52.00	30.30	20.20	202.00
3 Silver Star	3	Nov. 22, 1870	350	27	2	...	379	14	15	...	3	34	3	150.50	81.60	54.40	544.00
4 Oak Leaf	4	April 12, 1872	881	20	2	...	903	22	9	...	11	47	2	225.75	128.85	85.90	843.00
5 Evangeline	5	June 17, 1873	138	5	...	...	143	3	...	...	4	7	...	43.25	23.85	15.90	157.00
6 Evening Star	6	Oct. 9, 1872	123	5	1	...	129	1	...	...	1	7	...	32.25	19.05	12.70	127.00
7 Martha Washington	7	Dec. 28, 1874	286	5	...	...	291	3	5	...	2	10	3	67.00	38.70	25.80	253.00
8 St. John's	8	Jan. 5, 1875	108	1	1	...	110	3	...	...	2	8	...	28.50	15.30	10.20	98.00
9 Welcome	9	April 5, 1875	133	1	1	...	135	...	...	...	2	3	...	28.75	16.65	11.10	110.00
10 Lily of the Valley	10	May 11, 1875	324	17	5	...	346	...	...	...	6	17	2	85.25	47.55	31.70	318.00
11 Idlewild	11	Mar. 30, 1876	337	13	10	...	360	11	4	...	6	21	...	96.25	50.85	33.90	338.00
12 Vesper	12	Mar. 1, 1876	204	8	5	...	217	2	2	...	4	8	...	58.75	31.35	20.90	205.00
13 Acacia	13	Mar. 14, 1876	518	9	7	...	534	18	...	...	14	32	1	132.95	75.75	50.50	502.00
14 Fernside	14	Sept. 1, 1876	199	10	1	...	210	...	7	...	...	10	...	30.00	20.00	20.00	203.00
15 Northern Light	15	Sept. 11, 1875	117	1	...	...	118	7	...	...	...	7	3	25.50	1.50	...	...
16 Ivy	16	Dec. 7, 1876	586	9	2	3	600	21	10	...	3	34	...	23.00	16.20	10.80	111.00
17 Vacaville	17	Mar. 3, 1877	151	3	3	...	157	10	...	...	3	13	...	146.50	84.60	56.40	556.00
18 Silver Gate	18	July 14, 1877	165	5	...	...	170	2	2	...	1	8	4	38.00	21.00	14.00	139.00
19 San Jose	19	Sept. 7, 1877	710	3	...	...	726	13	6	...	2	163	...	33.00	21.30	16.20	158.00
20 Rose Valley	20	Feb. 21, 1878	524	28	10	1	563	3	9	...	13	694	2	151.00	103.80	69.20	691.00
21 Vernon	21	June 1, 1878	211	1	...	...	212	8	...	...	2	243	...	154.75	81.45	54.30	534.00
22 Naam	22	Mar. 3, 1879	643	1	...	...	647	37	...	...	8	204	...	151.50	80.40	50.40	294.00
23 Stella	23	May 24, 1880	281	11	8	5	299	22	7	...	12	71	...	153.50	87.90	58.60	360.00
24 Aurora	24	May 10, 1880	220	13	5	...	238	2	4	...	4	16	...	77.25	42.45	28.30	274.00
25 Lily of the Lake	25	Mar. 23, 1880	118	8	1	...	127	5	...	...	2	6	...	66.50	34.50	23.00	119.00
26 Arlet	26	Mar. 30, 1880	208	7	4	...	219	2	1	...	6	8	...	58.25	31.65	21.10	208.00

27	Redding	18, 1880	297	4	1	1	302	5	...	...	10	292	75.50	43.80	20.90	284.00
28	Ceanothus	May 22, 1880	51	2	3	1	54	6	...	...	12	54	14.50	8.10	3.10	28.00
29	Athena	July 7, 1880	226	6	1	235	223	4	...	...	13	223	59.75	33.15	22.10	223.00
30	Revelle	July 9, 1880	272	13	2	286	41	2	1	...	11	275	75.75	41.25	27.50	273.00
31	Whiteland	Mar. 23, 1881	154	2	...	156	82	2	...	...	5	157	39.00	23.60	13.20	184.00
32	Pleaser	Mar. 24, 1881	80	2	1	92	18	9	...	...	5	182	23.25	13.05	8.70	56.00
33	Hono	May 31, 1881	539	24	1	568	548	9	6	...	20	548	151.00	82.90	54.80	584.00
34	Alturas	June 3, 1881	162	1	2	165	161	1	1	...	4	161	41.60	24.00	16.00	137.00
35	Sincerity	June 24, 1881	109	6	5	115	108	1	3	...	3	108	30.00	16.15	10.80	107.00
36	Marysville	June 25, 1881	358	12	...	375	375	20	3	...	30	375	92.75	51.15	34.10	339.00
37	Fidella	June 28, 1881	372	14	...	389	389	17	7	...	24	382	97.40	54.30	36.20	360.00
38	Crystal	July 8, 1881	269	10	...	279	279	7	2	...	17	262	70.75	38.30	26.20	267.00
39	Kingsley	July 23, 1881	283	6	2	281	281	13	3	...	4	271	71.15	39.65	27.10	276.00
40	Silver Spray	Aug. 12, 1881	219	18	...	238	238	5	2	...	20	226	65.25	33.75	22.50	220.00
41	Xolo	Aug. 20, 1881	243	7	4	254	254	10	2	...	14	240	93.50	56.00	24.00	237.00
42	Morning Star	Sept. 27, 1881	378	5	3	386	377	17	6	...	6	377	93.00	53.40	35.60	358.00
43	Mountain Fern	Oct. 15, 1881	62	10	1	73	73	...	...	...	2	71	23.25	10.65	7.10	65.00
44	Camellia	Oct. 8, 1881	479	26	2	513	513	15	5	...	26	487	135.00	72.60	48.40	480.00
45	Unity	Mar. 17, 1882	393	11	2	407	407	5	11	...	6	385	101.75	57.45	33.30	386.00
46	Golden Star	Mar. 11, 1882	393	11	2	407	407	5	11	...	6	385	101.75	57.45	33.30	386.00
47	Friendship	Apr. 11, 1882	115	4	2	121	121	...	...	...	3	115	32.50	17.70	11.80	115.00
48	Ocean Spray	May 3, 1882	157	12	7	166	166	2	...	...	1	163	45.25	24.45	16.30	156.00
49	Queen Esther	Nov. 11, 1882	219	18	...	237	237	1	1	...	9	228	65.75	34.05	22.70	224.00
50	Electa	June 29, 1883	348	26	3	385	385	2	1	...	7	371	108.50	66.40	37.60	371.00
51	Magnolia	July 19, 1883	734	5	1	734	734	...	...	...	8	734	188	188	188	188.00
52	Esler	July 19, 1883	203	5	1	209	209	7	6	...	21	188	188	188	188	188.00
53	Silver Wave	Sept. 28, 1883	536	21	13	572	572	10	17	...	32	540	132.00	81.00	54.00	537.00
54	Rohnerville	Sept. 8, 1883	290	9	...	310	310	7	6	...	13	295	78.25	44.25	29.50	292.00
55	Azalia	Oct. 13, 1883	91	5	1	92	92	25	10	...	3	89	22.75	13.35	8.90	89.00
56	Marguerite	May 12, 1884	382	18	...	383	383	45	1	...	44	345	88.25	51.75	34.50	363.00
57	Ventura	May 12, 1884	345	18	...	363	363	45	1	...	44	345	88.25	51.75	34.50	363.00
58	Augusta	July 31, 1884	285	2	...	289	289	13	3	...	15	274	72.00	41.10	27.40	275.00
59	Sotomone	Sept. 3, 1884	137	8	2	140	140	4	1	...	8	132	34.25	19.65	13.10	134.00
60	Molino	Nov. 21, 1884	206	4	3	218	218	13	6	...	7	211	58.50	31.50	20.70	207.00
61	Veritas	Dec. 1, 1884	174	2	2	178	178	6	9	...	15	163	42.75	24.45	16.30	162.00
62	Valley of the Moon	April 18, 1885	234	10	2	248	248	17	25	...	13	231	63.75	34.65	23.10	225.00
63	Marshall	April 26, 1886	714	30	4	749	749	16	...	...	50	699	191.75	104.85	69.90	706.00
64	Rushing	July 30, 1886	215	3	4	220	220	6	3	...	8	213	54.75	31.95	21.30	208.00
65	Fallen Leaf	April 30, 1886	209	4	...	197	197	3	5	...	11	186	50.00	27.60	18.40	178.00
66	Madera	May 7, 1887	289	4	4	214	214	6	23	...	3	184	45.50	27.60	18.40	178.00
67	Heliotrope	Nov. 2, 1887	248	1	...	255	255	4	3	...	10	245	64.00	36.60	24.40	240.00
68	Tular	Mar. 22, 1888	135	13	3	151	151	6	1	...	7	144	44.00	21.60	14.40	145.00
69	Berkeley	Apr. 12, 1888	638	35	18	711	711	27	3	...	48	663	192.25	99.45	66.30	648.00
70	Southern Star	June 19, 1888	130	3	1	134	134	5	...	...	8	126	33.50	18.90	12.60	121.00

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				Initiated	Affiliated	Reinstated	TOTAL	Demitted	Susp'd N.P.D. or Res'm't	Exp'd or Susp'd	Deceased	TOTAL						
72 Beulah.....	99	Aug. 16, 1888	321	8		1	330	7	5		6	18	82.00	46.80	31.20	308.00		
73 Mirpah.....	100	Sept. 13, 1888	296	14	3		313	8	5		9	22	81.25	43.65	29.10	290.00		
74 Violet.....	102	Mar. 21, 1889	64	3	1		68	1	1	1	1	3	18.25	9.75	6.50	64.00		
75 Golden Wave.....	103	Apr. 5, 1889	278	8	6	1	293	8	9	6	4	21	75.00	40.80	27.20	267.00		
76 Josephine.....	104	June 28, 1889	477	6			483	9	6		2	17	119.50	69.90	46.60	459.00		
77 Hermosa.....	105	Oct. 13, 1888	598	27	8	5	638	26	5		6	37	167.50	90.00	60.00	597.00		
78 Laguna.....	106	April 11, 1890	408	27	10		503	9	2		9	29	138.25	72.45	48.30	466.00		
79 Corona.....	107	June 11, 1890	297	7	2	1	307	2	0		6	8	79.25	44.85	29.90	296.00		
80 Pasadena.....	108	July 24, 1890	733	9	8		750	57	3		14	71	177.50	101.40	67.60	679.00		
81 Elk Grove.....	109	Sept. 31, 1891	159	0			168	1	0		5	4	43.25	24.45	16.30	161.00		
82 Pomona.....	110	Aug. 31, 1891	371	6	3	2	385	16	10		3	1	94.50	53.10	35.40	354.00		
83 Ocean View.....	111	Sept. 19, 1891	163				169	5	6		2	1	42.00	23.40	15.60	152.00		
84 Hesperian.....	112	Sept. 30, 1891	237	10			247	12	16		2	30	56.25	32.55	21.70	221.00		
85 Santa Monica.....	113	Jan. 8, 1892	373	13	6		392	10	19		2	31	99.75	54.15	36.10	354.00		
86 Palm Leaf.....	114	Feb. 18, 1892	363	4	1	2	370	5	5		2	12	76.50	44.40	29.60	280.00		
87 Carle.....	115	Mar. 9, 1892	557	10	6	1	574	30	3		6	39	141.25	79.95	53.30	541.00		
88 Truckee.....	116	Mar. 15, 1892	114	6			120	1	5		3	1	31.50	17.10	11.40	119.00		
89 Columbus.....	117	Aug. 8, 1892	442	5	4		451	26	10		11	37	108.00	62.10	41.40	427.00		
90 Woodbridge.....	118	Sept. 17, 1892	218				218	9	10		3	22	48.25	28.95	19.30	199.00		
91 Anapola.....	119	July 5, 1893	323	8			331	2	4		4	10	83.75	47.85	31.90	314.00		
92 Tuolumne Star.....	123	Aug. 25, 1893	192	9	2	1	204	8	4		4	16	52.50	28.20	18.80	187.00		
93 Harmony.....	124	Nov. 10, 1893	396	6	2		404	14	6		2	22	99.00	57.00	38.00	365.00		
94 Bakersfield.....	125	Dec. 18, 1893	487	11	4		502	17	8		6	24	127.75	72.15	48.10	472.00		
95 Lucerne.....	126	Feb. 13, 1894	239	10	9		258	8	8		6	14	69.75	36.15	24.10	235.00		
96 Merced.....	127	Feb. 15, 1894	239	1			240	8	8		1	9	58.25	34.65	23.10	234.00		
97 Los Gatos.....	128	Mar. 19, 1894	289	6	4		299	10	4		5	19	75.00	42.00	28.00	281.00		
98 Sierra Star.....	129	June 12, 1894	56	2			58	3	3		2	5	14.25	7.95	5.30	54.00		
99 Clover Leaf.....	130	July 21, 1894	80	4			84	2	10		3	14	22.50	12.30	8.20	82.00		
100 Fidelity.....	131	Aug. 31, 1894	177	2			179	1	10		3	14	41.75	24.45	16.30	164.00		

101	South Gate.....	133	Dec.	24,	1894	641	4	5	2	652	20	7	14	41	611	1	157.00	91.50	61.00	608.00	
102	Angels.....	134	Dec.	18,	1894	81	1	1	1	82	2	1	1	3	79	1	20.25	11.85	7.90	76.00	
103	Semper Fidelis.....	135	June	3,	1895	171	2	1	1	173	6	1	1	1	172	1	44.00	25.80	17.20	172.00	
104	Centinela.....	136	June	10,	1895	116	11	3	1	130	6	1	6	12	118	1	36.50	17.70	11.80	120.00	
105	Clear Lake.....	137	Oct.	9,	1895	188	5	1	1	194	6	5	1	12	182	1	48.25	27.15	18.10	181.00	
106	Summit.....	138	Dec.	21,	1895	61	1	1	1	61	1	1	1	1	60	1	15.00	9.00	6.00	58.00	
107	Orestimba.....	139	Dec.	28,	1895	108	5	3	1	116	4	1	2	6	110	1	31.50	16.50	11.00	110.00	
108	Oakland.....	140	Jan.	2,	1896	425	6	4	5	440	21	7	7	35	405	3	105.50	60.30	40.20	409.00	
109	Miramonte.....	141	Jan.	8,	1896	268	6	3	1	277	5	1	2	7	270	1	72.00	40.50	27.00	268.00	
110	Copa del Oro.....	142	Jan.	23,	1896	426	8	4	1	439	20	7	1	5	33	4	106.50	60.30	40.20	401.00	
111	Norwalk.....	143	Feb.	12,	1896	219	8	5	1	232	10	4	4	3	229	1	63.75	34.35	22.90	220.00	
112	Lyra.....	144	Feb.	12,	1896	380	14	14	1	408	10	4	4	18	390	1	111.25	58.35	38.90	388.00	
113	Jasmine.....	145	Feb.	13,	1896	188	7	3	1	195	6	1	1	7	188	1	50.50	28.20	18.80	187.00	
114	Delano.....	146	Mar.	12,	1896	240	7	3	1	250	6	24	3	33	217	1	59.25	32.55	21.70	221.00	
115	Pearl.....	147	April	10,	1896	267	10	3	1	281	8	4	12	269	1	73.75	40.35	26.90	254.00		
116	Del Norte.....	149	May	15,	1896	193	15	6	1	209	5	1	4	9	200	1	57.50	30.00	20.00	196.00	
117	Lodi.....	150	April	28,	1896	320	14	3	1	337	21	3	3	24	313	1	86.75	46.95	31.30	304.00	
118	Chispa.....	151	June	6,	1896	326	9	4	1	340	10	32	3	45	295	1	80.25	44.25	29.50	325.00	
119	Mt. Shasta.....	153	Jan.	8,	1896	85	4	2	1	91	6	1	2	9	82	1	23.25	12.15	8.10	82.00	
120	Escondido.....	154	Feb.	5,	1896	149	4	1	2	156	8	3	1	12	144	1	38.25	21.45	14.30	145.00	
121	Mission.....	155	Dec.	19,	1896	533	9	1	1	544	12	1	11	23	521	1	135.25	78.15	52.10	522.00	
122	Penryn.....	159	Mar.	20,	1897	158	5	1	1	163	3	1	1	4	159	1	42.25	23.85	15.90	159.00	
123	Occident.....	160	June	19,	1897	200	13	2	1	215	9	1	1	11	204	1	58.25	30.45	20.30	195.00	
124	Gold Ridge.....	161	Jan.	6,	1898	291	7	5	1	304	6	4	2	12	292	1	79.00	43.80	29.20	295.00	
125	Crown.....	162	Mar.	7,	1898	151	3	1	1	155	5	1	1	6	149	1	39.25	22.35	14.90	144.00	
126	Scepter.....	163	Mar.	11,	1898	257	9	7	1	273	5	1	6	11	262	1	73.50	39.30	26.20	252.00	
127	Onisbo.....	164	April	29,	1898	153	2	1	1	155	7	2	1	10	145	1	37.25	21.75	14.50	147.00	
128	Crescent.....	165	June	15,	1898	58	2	1	1	60	1	1	1	1	59	1	15.75	8.85	5.90	59.00	
129	Esperanza.....	167	Feb.	11,	1899	399	9	1	1	410	3	1	5	8	402	1	105.50	60.30	40.20	392.00	
130	Los Angeles.....	168	Feb.	14,	1899	480	2	4	2	488	16	1	9	25	463	1	118.75	69.45	46.30	468.00	
131	Olive Branch.....	169	Mar.	29,	1899	214	5	1	4	224	10	9	4	23	201	1	53.25	30.15	20.10	204.00	
132	King Solomon's.....	170	April	4,	1899	341	17	1	1	359	11	16	1	5	33	2	89.50	48.60	32.40	331.00	
133	Carnation.....	171	May	12,	1899	305	10	1	1	316	11	1	7	18	298	1	80.00	44.70	29.80	294.00	
134	Lexington.....	172	July	18,	1899	213	8	2	1	224	5	2	5	12	212	1	58.00	31.80	21.20	217.00	
135	Long Beach.....	173	Aug.	7,	1899	568	12	11	1	592	18	39	6	63	529	1	143.75	79.35	52.90	568.00	
136	San Pedro Harbor.....	174	Aug.	18,	1899	512	18	3	2	535	10	12	1	5	28	507	1	137.00	75.90	50.60	509.00
137	Sisson.....	175	Sept.	23,	1899	121	11	2	1	135	3	5	3	11	124	1	37.50	18.60	12.40	123.00	
138	Miguelito.....	176	Dec.	26,	1899	222	6	2	1	230	9	9	2	20	210	1	56.25	31.35	20.90	223.00	
139	Orient.....	177	Mar.	21,	1900	182	4	4	1	190	6	1	3	9	181	1	49.00	27.00	18.00	180.00	
140	Berkeley.....	178	April	4,	1900	459	10	10	1	479	10	11	8	29	450	1	122.25	67.35	44.90	456.00	
141	Euclid.....	179	May	3,	1900	244	19	10	1	273	6	9	5	20	253	1	77.75	37.95	25.30	238.00	
142	Heber.....	181	May	29,	1900	169	5	1	1	175	1	1	3	4	171	2	45.25	25.35	16.90	161.00	
143	Valley Home.....	182	July	28,	1900	126	3	4	2	135	3	2	2	7	128	1	35.50	19.20	12.80	130.00	
144	California.....	183	Aug.	14,	1900	454	7	3	1	464	14	4	5	22	441	1	115.25	66.15	44.10	436.00	
145	Crockett.....	184	Aug.	7,	1900	133	3	1	1	136	3	1	3	3	133	1	34.75	19.95	13.30	136.00	

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146 Santa Paula	185	Sept. 22, 1900	286	11	6	1	304	8	17	...	4	29	1	77.00	41.10	27.40	283.00
147 Laurel	186	Sept. 22, 1900	274	8	2	1	284	13	5	...	2	20	1	70.75	38.45	26.30	265.00
148 Eagle	187	Oct. 27, 1900	40	1	...	...	41	1	...	...	...	1	...	10.50	6.00	4.00	41.00
149 Tehachapi	188	Jan. 16, 1901	106	6	...	5	119	12	3	...	...	18	...	29.25	15.15	10.10	101.00
150 Calistoga	189	Jan. 19, 1901	136	9	3	7	155	24	13	...	...	39	...	40.00	20.40	13.60	142.00
151 Sacramento	190	Mar. 7, 1901	500	8	2	1	511	24	16	...	...	47	...	123.00	70.80	47.20	483.00
152 Fullerton	191	Mar. 19, 1901	507	6	8	...	521	6	11	...	...	22	...	126.00	71.40	47.60	481.00
153 Pacific	192	Mar. 23, 1901	231	3	11	1	246	25	14	...	...	45	...	63.00	33.60	22.40	227.00
154 Alhambra	193	Mar. 25, 1901	440	4	3	1	449	11	6	...	...	44	...	104.75	60.75	40.50	412.00
155 Santa Clara	195	June 15, 1901	352	15	5	2	373	33	9	...	...	35	...	97.50	52.50	35.00	353.00
156 San Francisco	196	Sept. 16, 1901	271	13	1	...	287	11	6	...	...	21	...	69.75	37.65	25.10	256.00
157 Mt. Whitney	197	Jan. 11, 1902	196	1	...	...	216	3	3	...	...	8	...	61.50	31.20	20.80	198.00
158 Maspha	198	April 23, 1902	154	1	...	...	155	2	1	...	...	10	...	36.75	21.75	14.50	149.00
159 Ionia	199	April 29, 1902	140	...	...	...	140	8	1	...	...	12	...	32.00	19.20	12.80	134.00
160 Las Mariposas	200	May 27, 1902	124	7	1	...	132	1	...	...	...	1	...	36.75	19.65	13.10	127.00
161 Beckwith Star	201	June 25, 1902	90	1	...	...	91	1	7	...	...	9	...	21.00	12.30	8.20	82.00
162 La Paloma	202	Aug. 5, 1902	253	13	...	...	266	12	...	...	...	1	...	68.50	37.20	24.80	254.00
163 Sequoia	203	Sept. 1, 1902	248	19	3	2	310	6	2	...	...	19	...	86.25	45.15	30.10	293.00
164 Starr King	204	Sept. 26, 1902	236	13	2	...	253	11	11	...	...	3	...	64.50	34.20	22.80	240.00
165 Miramar	205	Sept. 30, 1902	327	12	3	...	344	14	17	...	...	35	...	84.50	46.20	30.80	326.00
166 Aloha	206	Oct. 4, 1902	58	1	...	...	59	1	...	...	...	1	...	15.00	8.70	5.80	58.00
167 Aretia	207	Dec. 8, 1902	278	4	2	...	284	6	...	...	...	13	...	70.75	40.65	27.10	268.00
168 Citrus	208	Feb. 25, 1903	215	3	5	...	220	5	...	...	...	15	...	53.50	30.60	20.40	209.00
169 Hollywood	209	Feb. 28, 1903	792	12	6	...	808	29	39	...	...	16	...	192.50	110.40	73.60	706.00
170 Palestine	210	Mar. 7, 1903	432	7	4	1	444	14	7	...	...	29	...	109.25	62.25	41.50	419.00
171 Colton	211	July 8, 1903	203	2	11	...	217	7	...	...	...	11	...	50.50	29.40	19.60	203.00
172 Gate City	212	Aug. 13, 1903	505	27	...	...	544	12	11	...	...	28	...	147.75	77.25	51.50	513.00
173 Palo Alto	213	Aug. 22, 1903	381	1	3	...	391	15	...	...	...	6	...	96.25	55.35	36.90	371.00
174 Almona	214	Sept. 5, 1903	208	5	3	...	213	2	1	...	...	5	...	54.50	31.20	20.80	205.00

175	San Rafael	215	Sept. 11, 1903	308	14	4	...	326	15	8	...	2	25	301	84.25	45.15	30.10	308.00
176	Sunset	216	Sept. 16, 1903	234	9	2	1	246	10	2	...	5	17	229	62.75	34.35	22.90	225.00
177	Loyalty	217	Sept. 22, 1903	530	9	8	1	548	13	20	...	2	35	513	136.75	76.95	51.30	506.00
178	Yosolano	218	Feb. 13, 1904	131	...	...	...	131	10	1	...	2	13	118	29.50	17.70	11.80	121.00
179	Mill Valley	219	Feb. 16, 1904	273	6	2	...	281	22	5	...	...	27	254	67.50	38.10	25.40	264.00
180	Pinole	220	Feb. 23, 1904	139	4	3	...	146	1	4	...	1	6	140	38.50	21.00	14.00	140.00
181	Golden Rod	221	April 2, 1904	185	...	1	...	186	2	...	...	1	3	183	46.25	27.45	18.30	180.00
182	Rio Vista	222	April 5, 1904	107	5	2	...	114	6	...	...	1	7	107	30.25	16.05	10.70	100.00
183	Loyal	223	April 27, 1904	116	7	3	...	126	1	5	...	2	8	118	34.50	17.70	11.80	122.00
184	Celandine	224	June 22, 1904	86	12	...	...	98	...	3	...	4	7	91	28.75	13.65	9.10	93.00
185	East Gate	225	Feb. 15, 1905	456	6	1	3	466	18	2	...	5	25	441	113.75	66.15	44.10	434.00
186	Oakdale	226	April 11, 1905	149	4	2	...	155	...	2	...	2	2	153	41.25	22.95	15.30	152.00
187	Monrovia	227	April 12, 1905	316	10	7	3	336	23	1	...	5	29	307	85.25	46.05	30.70	306.00
188	Yerba Buena	228	April 14, 1905	346	6	5	...	357	18	10	...	4	32	325	86.75	48.75	32.50	337.00
189	Imperial	229	April 17, 1905	410	19	2	3	434	10	1	...	3	14	420	115.50	63.00	42.00	409.00
190	Sapphire	230	April 17, 1905	152	8	...	...	160	6	1	...	2	9	151	41.75	22.85	15.10	155.00
191	Lower Lake	231	April 20, 1905	82	1	2	...	85	2	...	...	3	5	80	21.50	12.00	8.00	82.00
192	Bonner	232	April 29, 1905	87	3	...	...	90	...	...	...	...	...	90	24.00	13.50	9.00	90.00
193	Natoma	233	July 3, 1905	141	6	2	...	149	2	2	...	...	4	145	40.25	21.75	14.50	132.00
194	Los Ceritos	234	July 22, 1905	218	8	3	...	229	1	4	...	1	4	225	61.75	33.75	22.50	220.00
195	Keystone	235	Sept. 27, 1905	274	10	3	...	287	9	4	...	4	17	270	74.00	40.50	27.00	271.00
196	Glen Eyrie	237	Feb. 22, 1906	419	8	11	2	440	16	10	...	3	29	411	112.25	61.65	41.10	417.00
197	Jewel	238	Mar. 20, 1906	299	7	1	...	307	12	2	...	2	16	291	76.50	43.50	29.00	291.00
198	Monterey	239	Mar. 30, 1906	160	8	1	1	170	2	...	...	2	4	166	48.00	24.90	16.60	166.00
199	Buena Park	240	April 6, 1906	159	2	3	...	164	13	1	1	2	17	147	39.25	22.05	14.70	148.00
200	La Victoria	241	April 6, 1906	104	1	1	...	106	22	4	...	1	27	79	20.75	11.85	7.90	85.00
201	Needles	242	April 11, 1906	243	9	...	2	254	7	8	...	1	16	238	64.00	35.70	23.80	239.00
202	Elsinore	243	April 16, 1906	145	4	...	...	149	6	6	...	1	13	136	36.00	20.40	13.60	141.00
203	Milton	244	April 17, 1906	64	1	...	...	65	...	1	...	2	3	62	16.00	9.30	6.20	60.00
204	Ocean Park	245	May 10, 1906	315	6	1	...	322	8	11	...	4	23	299	†28.25	†44.85	†29.90	288.00
205	Plumas	246	June 11, 1906	112	20	...	1	133	2	...	...	...	2	131	42.75	19.65	13.10	127.00
206	Columbia	247	June 14, 1906	309	6	2	...	317	5	...	...	5	10	307	80.75	46.05	30.70	306.00
207	Hollenbeck	248	June 23, 1906	692	12	2	...	706	23	18	...	7	48	658	171.50	98.70	65.80	655.00
208	Acantha	249	Sept. 7, 1906	355	10	3	3	371	13	16	...	2	31	340	91.00	50.70	33.80	361.00
209	Sunnyvale	250	Mar. 14, 1907	159	9	2	...	170	1	6	...	3	10	160	45.50	24.00	16.00	160.00
210	Ideal	251	April 8, 1907	272	12	...	1	285	21	4	...	3	28	257	70.25	38.55	27.70	259.00
211	Casimir	252	April 13, 1907	279	16	6	...	301	11	1	...	2	14	287	82.75	43.05	28.70	280.00
212	Artesia	253	April 15, 1907	123	9	5	2	139	6	3	...	5	14	125	38.25	18.75	12.50	d118.00
213	North East	254	April 19, 1907	76	...	1	...	77	1	3	1	3	8	69	17.25	10.35	6.90	62.00
214	Richmond	255	April 22, 1907	400	17	2	1	420	8	2	...	3	13	407	111.00	60.90	40.60	401.00
215	Reedley	257	May 28, 1907	133	2	2	1	138	2	13	...	...	15	123	32.75	18.45	12.30	119.00
216	Oriental	258	Sept. 6, 1907	326	6	1	3	336	6	...	...	5	11	325	84.75	48.75	32.50	326.00
217	Seaside	259	April 17, 1907	205	17	6	5	233	10	4	...	1	15	218	66.00	32.70	21.80	223.00
218	Gardenn	260	Sept. 30, 1907	215	12	3	1	231	3	4	1	8	16	215	60.75	31.95	21.30	207.00

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				Initiated	Affiliated	Reinstated	Total	Identified	Exp'd or Susp'd or Ass'n Int'l.	Deceased	Total						
219 Dinuba	261	Oct. 28, 1907	156	5		1	162	1		2	3	159		42.25	23.85	15.90	155.00
220 Amity	262	Nov. 30, 1907	371	18	2		391	8	4	1	13	378		104.50	56.70	37.80	375.00
221 Highland Park	263	Jan. 13, 1908	392	7	3		402	5	2	3	10	392		103.00	58.80	39.20	388.00
222 San Diego	264	Jan. 17, 1908	618	20	12		650	23	19	7	49	601		166.25	90.15	60.10	591.00
223 Daylight	265	Feb. 6, 1908	425	8	17	2	462	5	9	13	27	425	2	118.25	63.45	42.30	408.00
224 Garvanza	266	Feb. 19, 1908	209	10	3	1	223	4	7	1	12	211		59.25	31.65	21.10	215.00
225 Golden Rule	267	Feb. 21, 1908	116	3			119	10	7		17	102		27.00	15.30	10.20	108.00
226 West Lake	268	Feb. 22, 1908	365	9		5	386	14	8	6	28	358		97.50	53.70	35.80	338.00
227 Parnassus	269	Feb. 27, 1908	439	20	3		462	7	3	4	14	448		123.50	67.20	44.80	450.00
228 Teeschooltz	270	Mar. 14, 1908	208	4	1	1	214	7	1		8	206		54.00	30.90	20.60	198.00
229 Monte Vista	271	Mar. 16, 1908	172	4			177	12			12	165		43.75	24.75	16.50	164.00
230 South Pasadena	272	Mar. 28, 1908	307	22	10		339	14	4	3	21	318		95.50	47.70	31.80	311.00
231 Santa Cruz	273	April 4, 1908	321	2	12		342	11		5	16	326		92.00	48.90	32.60	318.00
232 St. Helena	274	May 2, 1908	94	2	1		97	3		1	4	93		24.75	13.95	9.30	91.00
233 Burlingame	275	May 16, 1908	378	21	6		405	9	12	3	24	381	1	108.50	57.00	38.00	384.00
234 Signal	276	June 8, 1908	294	3	1		298	9	17	3	29	269		69.25	40.35	26.90	268.00
235 Athens	277	June 10, 1908	339	6	13		348	5	4	4	13	335	1	88.00	50.10	33.40	335.00
236 Vallejo	278	Sept. 26, 1908	456	12	2	5	475	6	12	4	22	453		120.25	67.95	45.30	458.00
237 Mystic Star	279	Nov. 24, 1908	158	5	1		164		2	3	5	159		42.75	23.85	15.90	158.00
238 Occidental	280	Jan. 22, 1909	77	1			78	10	2	2	14	64		16.50	9.60	6.40	71.00
239 Pleiades	281	Jan. 30, 1909	252	8	2		263	9	9		18	245		68.25	36.75	24.50	236.00
240 La Posa	282	Mar. 30, 1909	144	6		1	151	3	4	1	8	143		38.75	21.45	14.30	144.00
241 Ione	283	April 22, 1909	120	4			124	2			2	122	3	31.75	17.85	11.90	114.00
242 Albert Pike	284	April 26, 1909	598	27	4	3	632	15	20	10	55	577	3	159.00	86.10	57.40	568.00
243 Rising Light	286	May 28, 1909	446	9	9		464	29	8	1	38	428		115.50	63.90	42.60	419.00
244 Poinsettia	287	June 8, 1909	132	8	5	2	141	4		2	6	135		37.25	20.25	13.50	133.00
245 Fraternity	288	Nov. 23, 1909	480	7	2	1	490	17	5	4	26	464		120.50	69.60	46.40	466.00
246 Alamo	289	Jan. 13, 1910	191	5	5		203	7	4	1	12	191	2	53.25	28.35	18.90	178.00
247 West Gate	290	Feb. 1, 1910	352	9	1	1	363	17	6	1	24	339	1	89.50	50.70	33.80	344.00

248	Point Arena	291	May	31, 1910	75				75				1	1	74	18.50	11.10	7.40	75.00
249	Rose	292	June	11, 1910	382	9	3	2	306	2	12		5	19	377	100.25	56.55	37.70	377.00
250	Elvesta	293	July	30, 1910	449	11	2		462	10	11		5	26	436	115.50	65.40	43.60	424.00
251	Pleasanton	294	Sept.	22, 1910	162	8			170	3	3		3	9	161	44.25	24.15	16.10	166.00
252	Fresno	295	Sept.	30, 1910	405	9	7		421	9			4	13	408	110.00	61.20	40.80	393.00
253	Wietaria	296	Oct.	1, 1910	309	4	1	1	315	9	10		1	20	295	76.00	44.10	29.40	299.00
254	Fruitvale	297	Dec.	21, 1910	318	13	3		334	13	5		9	27	307	84.75	46.05	30.70	309.00
255	Golden State	298	Jan.	10, 1911	334	11		2	347	12	27		1	40	307	81.75	45.75	30.50	329.00
256	Sierra Madre	299	Jan.	23, 1911	93	8		19	121	17	2		3	22	99	29.25	14.85	9.90	99.00
257	La Mesa	300	Mar.	4, 1911	149	7			156	5			1	6	150	40.75	22.35	14.90	141.00
258	Ada	301	Mar.	23, 1911	508	6	1	1	516	22	18		3	43	473	121.75	70.95	47.30	478.00
259	Miriam	302	April	28, 1911	114	4	1	1	120	7	1			8	112	30.50	16.80	11.20	112.00
260	Golden Chain	303	April	29, 1911	357	14	5		376	9	7		3	19	357	98.50	53.40	35.60	348.00
261	Bethany	304	May	9, 1911	84			6	92	6	5		2	13	79	20.75	11.85	7.90	83.00
262	Ruth	305	May	12, 1911	170	10			180	5				5	175	48.75	26.25	17.50	170.00
263	Lindsay	306	June	13, 1911	154	12	4		170	4	5			9	161	48.25	24.15	16.10	152.00
264	Southland	307	Jan.	13, 1912	316	14	6		336	13			3	16	320	89.75	47.85	31.90	316.00
265	Mary E. Partridge	308	Jan.	18, 1912	445	11	4	1	461	16	4		9	29	432	115.25	64.65	43.10	440.00
266	Calkota	309	Feb.	17, 1912	75	6	1	1	83	8				8	75	122.25	111.25	17.50	271.00
267	Palos Verdes	310	Feb.	26, 1912	674	14	18	2	708	12	10		6	28	680	186.00	102.00	68.00	678.00
268	Imperial Crown	311	Mar.	27, 1912	210	4	1		215	4	6		2	12	203	53.25	30.45	20.30	196.00
269	Kingsburg	312	July	11, 1912	166	2			168	5	9		1	15	153	39.25	22.95	15.30	156.00
270	Eagle Rock	313	Sept.	12, 1912	268	8	6	1	283	8	13		3	24	259	71.75	38.85	25.90	254.00
271	Willits	314	Mar.	13, 1912	156		3		159	4	7		2	13	146	37.75	21.75	14.50	143.00
272	Moneta	315	Nov.	30, 1912	407	14	3		424	8	26		3	37	387	105.25	58.05	38.70	412.00
273	Alamitos	316	Feb.	1, 1913	159	5	4		168	2	5			7	161	44.75	24.15	16.10	159.00
274	Rose Croix	317	Mar.	10, 1913	390	8	4	7	409	11	15		1	27	382	101.00	57.00	38.00	384.00
275	Sierra	318	April	14, 1913	63	4	2	2	71	4	6			10	61	18.25	9.15	6.10	69.00
276	Inglewood	319	May	10, 1913	420	4	7		431	25	19		3	47	384	101.50	57.60	38.40	388.00
277	Concordia	320	June	3, 1913	143	9			152	3	18			21	131	37.25	19.65	13.10	143.00
278	Portola	321	June	16, 1913	152	7		1	160		10		1	11	149	40.75	22.35	14.90	149.00
279	Oxnard	322	June	28, 1913	157	9	1		167	8	3			11	156	44.00	23.40	15.60	158.00
280	Maricopa	323	July	12, 1913	169	11		1	181	4	1			5	176	49.50	26.40	17.60	165.00
281	Claremont	324	Mar.	4, 1914	118	5	4		127	4			1	5	122	35.00	18.30	12.20	122.00
282	La Puente	325	April	4, 1914	108	7	1	1	117	13	1			14	103	29.75	15.45	10.30	97.00
283	Wild Rose	326	April	22, 1914	93	3			96	5	5		2	12	84	22.50	12.60	8.40	88.00
284	Sunshine	327	May	12, 1914	126	3			129	9	6		3	18	111	29.25	16.65	11.10	114.00
285	Bowana	328	May	30, 1914	59				59				2	2	57	14.25	8.55	5.70	58.00
286	Wilshire	329	July	18, 1914	328	16	9	2	355	7	7		4	18	337	96.50	50.40	33.60	335.00
287	Chino Valley	330	July	21, 1914	103	3	2		108	5				5	103	28.25	15.45	10.30	103.00
288	Hayward	331	Sept.	23, 1914	259	3			262	11	5		1	17	245	62.25	36.45	24.30	252.00
289	Coronado	332	Oct.	14, 1914	122	17	3		142	1			1	2	140	44.75	20.85	13.90	125.00
290	El Rio	333	Dec.	5, 1914	110	3	2	1	116	2			2	4	112	30.50	16.80	11.20	112.00
291	Exeter	334	Feb.	26, 1915	114	13	1		128	2			1	3	125	38.25	18.75	12.50	126.00
292	Montebello	335	Mar.	17, 1915	269	17	12		298	8	14		3	25	273	82.75	40.95	27.30	271.00

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293 Riverview	336	April 13, 1915	176	2	..	..	178	12	..	..	..	12	166	42.50	24.90	16.60	164.00
294 Tait	337	May 22, 1915	412	16	10	1	439	5	..	1	2	8	431	120.75	64.65	43.10	416.00
295 Van Nuys	338	Sept. 10, 1915	283	12	9	1	305	7	10	..	2	19	286	81.50	42.60	28.40	283.00
296 Pentalfa	339	Dec. 29, 1915	161	4	..	..	165	9	2	..	..	11	154	40.50	23.10	15.40	155.00
297 Esparto	341	April 28, 1916	135	1	..	1	137	4	..	..	1	5	132	33.50	19.80	13.20	129.00
298 Manzanita	342	May 9, 1916	129	6	..	..	135	3	2	..	3	8	127	34.50	18.90	12.60	128.00
299 York	343	June 13, 1916	169	3	1	3	176	5	18	..	2	25	151	39.75	22.65	15.10	173.00
300 Atascadero	344	Sept. 2, 1916	111	6	..	..	117	2	..	1	3	114	..	31.50	17.10	11.40	112.00
301 South West	345	Oct. 9, 1916	251	6	3	..	260	5	..	4	9	251	..	67.25	37.65	25.10	245.00
302 Upland	346	Nov. 23, 1916	190	3	..	..	193	13	2	..	2	17	176	45.50	26.40	17.60	181.00
303 Yorba Linda	347	Feb. 9, 1917	137	5	..	2	144	11	..	1	12	132	..	35.50	19.80	13.20	132.00
304 Joaquin	348	April 16, 1917	218	8	1	1	228	15	16	..	1	32	196	53.00	29.10	19.40	208.00
305 Cacheville	349	April 24, 1917	78	1	..	..	79	..	..	1	1	78	..	20.00	11.70	7.80	77.00
306 Golden West	350	June 1, 1918	393	10	3	..	406	14	10	..	2	26	380	101.50	57.00	38.00	379.00
307 Tahquitz	351	Sept. 21, 1918	100	3	2	..	105	9	..	..	..	9	96	26.50	14.40	9.60	95.00
308 Burbank	352	Mar. 31, 1919	280	8	3	..	291	12	21	..	2	35	256	69.50	38.40	25.60	263.00
309 Pittsburg	353	June 26, 1919	183	4	1	..	188	1	2	..	2	5	183	48.25	27.45	18.30	184.00
310 Elysian	354	June 28, 1919	279	15	4	3	301	12	18	3	33	268	..	76.50	40.20	26.80	285.00
311 Golden Poppy	355	Aug. 4, 1919	341	7	3	1	352	14	25	..	2	41	311	82.75	46.65	31.10	321.00
312 Glen	357	Oct. 3, 1919	125	5	1	..	131	6	..	..	2	8	123	33.75	18.45	12.30	122.00
313 Corinthian	358	Dec. 15, 1919	160	12	6	..	178	8	..	..	2	10	168	51.00	25.20	16.80	161.00
314 Blythe	359	Dec. 30, 1919	72	5	1	1	79	2	9	..	1	12	67	19.75	10.05	6.70	75.00
315 Coachella Valley	360	Feb. 7, 1920	127	5	1	..	133	5	3	..	8	125	..	34.25	18.75	12.50	123.00
316 Fillmore	361	Mar. 13, 1920	183	7	2	..	192	4	3	..	2	9	183	50.25	27.45	18.30	182.00
317 Libertas	362	May 12, 1920	186	7	4	..	197	7	4	..	1	12	185	51.75	27.75	18.50	185.00
318 Lyman	363	May 15, 1920	87	3	1	..	91	4	..	..	1	5	86	23.60	12.90	8.60	87.00
319 Buena Vista	364	July 9, 1920	142	4	1	1	148	2	11	..	13	135	..	36.25	20.25	13.50	141.00
320 Chowchilla	365	July 29, 1920	70	5	1	..	76	7	2	..	9	67	..	19.75	10.05	6.70	67.00
321 Alethe	366	Aug. 23, 1920	406	22	5	..	433	16	17	..	4	37	396	112.50	59.40	39.60	393.00

322	Ramona Star	367	Sept.	15,	1920	274	7	2	283	4	4	10	273	72.75	40.95	27.30	274.00
323	Arbuckle	368	Sept.	21,	1920	103	1	1	104	2	6	3	101	25.75	15.15	10.10	104.00
324	Maxwell	369	Sept.	22,	1920	98	8	3	106	6	6	14	92	27.00	15.80	9.20	96.00
325	Corcoran	370	Nov.	30,	1920	101	3	2	108	2	1	2	102	28.00	15.80	10.20	101.00
326	Live Oak	371	April	13,	1921	72	5	1	78	4	1	6	72	20.50	10.85	7.20	74.00
327	Linden	372	May	2,	1921	71	1	1	71	1	1	1	71	17.75	10.85	7.10	69.00
328	Stockton	373	May	14,	1921	271	13	2	287	8	1	2	276	76.50	41.40	27.60	268.00
329	Lebanon	374	May	21,	1921	249	7	4	260	11	6	17	243	66.00	36.30	24.20	242.00
330	Thousand Oaks	375	May	27,	1921	285	9	5	200	11	7	2	278	78.75	41.85	27.90	274.00
331	Sunbeam	376	June	2,	1921	492	9	4	505	10	5	3	489	128.95	73.03	48.70	485.00
332	Westwood	377	June	9,	1921	174	10	1	185	4	8	1	179	48.00	25.50	17.20	178.00
333	Kearse	378	July	7,	1921	106	6	1	113	6	1	1	105	29.75	15.75	10.50	104.00
334	Grafton	379	July	14,	1921	53	2	2	54	1	2	1	53	12.95	5.10	3.10	50.00
335	Torrance	380	July	30,	1921	237	4	2	244	6	8	1	238	60.00	34.20	22.80	222.00
336	McCloud	381	Sept.	3,	1921	84	2	1	85	9	5	1	84	10.50	11.10	7.40	80.00
337	Crocker	382	Sept.	6,	1921	302	13	5	300	5	8	2	305	83.00	43.60	30.40	300.00
338	Bacon	383	Sept.	9,	1921	188	18	3	199	5	5	1	198	46.00	29.70	19.80	191.00
339	Concord	384	Sept.	28,	1921	177	16	1	185	8	6	1	171	81.00	25.50	17.00	168.00
340	Rainbow	385	Oct.	13,	1921	277	14	7	268	12	1	3	282	81.00	42.30	28.20	279.00
341	Alameda	386	Nov.	30,	1921	250	10	8	258	10	7	2	240	94.00	36.00	24.00	239.00
342	Silver Strand	387	Dec.	17,	1921	244	10	4	260	8	8	3	240	97.00	36.00	24.00	237.00
343	Victory	388	Dec.	11,	1922	188	16	2	206	14	15	1	176	62.75	26.40	17.60	179.00
344	Santa Ana	389	Mar.	8,	1922	305	13	8	306	14	20	3	289	92.75	43.35	28.90	291.00
345	Fall Brook	390	Mar.	8,	1922	70	1	1	71	9	2	1	60	13.50	9.00	6.00	62.00
346	Caledonia	391	Mar.	13,	1922	241	6	1	247	12	1	1	231	60.50	34.50	23.00	236.00
347	Elfin Easton	392	April	24,	1922	177	11	1	189	4	10	1	174	59.25	23.95	17.30	176.00
348	Bellevue	393	May	2,	1922	228	10	1	239	3	16	2	218	59.50	32.70	21.80	228.00
349	Point	394	July	6,	1922	99	1	1	102	3	22	1	96	26.00	14.40	9.60	100.00
350	Calver City	395	July	27,	1922	232	7	2	261	3	22	1	26	63.25	35.25	23.50	241.00
351	Sea Hook	396	Aug.	11,	1922	193	18	1	181	6	11	2	18	50.25	24.45	16.80	158.00
352	Bellflower	397	Sept.	6,	1922	218	15	5	189	6	15	2	14	48.50	26.10	17.40	173.00
353	San Fernando	398	Sept.	20,	1922	217	15	4	206	9	15	1	20	62.00	31.50	21.00	223.00
354	Bettina	399	Oct.	11,	1922	271	13	8	282	6	4	3	282	81.00	42.30	28.20	270.00
355	Riverdale	400	Nov.	29,	1922	80	3	1	83	1	1	1	83	22.25	12.45	8.30	81.00
356	Starlight	401	Dec.	9,	1922	381	12	5	400	19	10	3	32	100.50	55.20	36.80	381.00
357	Belvedere	402	Dec.	23,	1922	161	15	1	211	6	7	2	203	58.75	30.45	20.30	200.00
358	Lankershim	403	Jan.	19,	1923	308	16	3	329	6	4	1	14	87.75	47.25	31.50	310.00
359	Beverly Hills	404	Feb.	19,	1923	184	7	8	169	3	0	1	19	47.50	24.00	16.00	154.00
360	Andal Isl	405	Mar.	23,	1923	187	5	1	186	14	7	1	22	43.50	24.60	16.40	169.00
361	Stoam	406	Apr.	23,	1923	197	5	1	203	3	4	2	9	51.50	29.10	19.40	192.00
362	San Gabriel	407	Apr.	27,	1923	197	21	1	180	1	1	1	148	48.00	22.20	14.80	135.00
363	America	408	June	16,	1923	124	8	4	203	11	2	4	12	52.25	28.65	19.10	183.00
364	George Washington	409	July	3,	1923	245	12	15	261	6	3	2	191	69.25	36.75	24.50	241.00
365	Lake Merritt	410	July	10,	1923	219	15	3	238	11	5	1	224	64.75	33.45	22.30	213.00
366	West Adams	411	July	27,	1923	191	12	3	206	5	5	1	193	55.75	28.95	19.30	200.00

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				Initiated	Affiliated	Reinstated	TOTAL	Demitted	Susp'd N.P.D. or ass'm't	Exp'd or Susp'd	Deceased	TOTAL						
367 Estrella.....	412	Aug. 4, 1923	189	11	6	3	209	3	9	2	1	12	197	57.50	29.40	19.60	182.00	
368 Cabrera.....	413	Aug. 8, 1923	200	11	3	3	214	14	2	2	1	17	197	56.25	29.55	19.70	194.00	
369 Service.....	414	Aug. 13, 1923	304	14	3	5	326	9	25	1	7	41	285	79.75	42.75	28.50	283.00	
370 Loma Vista.....	415	Aug. 17, 1923	199	12	3	3	214	10	3	1	1	11	203	58.25	30.45	20.30	195.00	
371 Smyrna.....	416	Aug. 18, 1923	96	4	2	1	100	3	3	1	1	3	97	26.25	14.55	9.70	99.00	
372 Paterson.....	417	Oct. 12, 1923	69	4	2	1	75	3	4	1	1	4	71	20.50	10.50	7.00	68.00	
373 Arlington.....	418	Nov. 17, 1923	241	3	1	3	245	6	4	1	1	11	234	60.50	35.10	23.40	225.00	
374 Fort Sutter.....	420	Nov. 30, 1923	301	5	3	1	309	11	16	1	2	20	280	73.75	41.85	27.90	283.00	
375 Radiant.....	421	Jan. 19, 1924	293	9	10	1	308	6	5	4	4	15	213	62.75	31.95	21.30	205.00	
376 Glendale.....	422	Jan. 31, 1924	367	11	12	1	381	11	5	2	2	18	373	104.75	55.95	37.30	369.00	
377 Plymouth.....	423	Jan. 31, 1924	117	12	2	1	131	5	3	1	1	5	126	38.50	18.90	12.60	123.00	
378 Miami.....	424	Feb. 9, 1924	283	9	2	1	294	5	4	3	1	8	286	77.00	42.90	28.60	281.00	
379 Playa Linda.....	425	Mar. 1, 1924	190	12	1	1	203	4	3	1	4	11	192	54.50	28.80	19.20	191.00	
380 Security.....	426	Mar. 10, 1924	297	16	5	1	318	6	8	1	2	14	309	87.75	46.35	30.90	307.00	
381 Seaport.....	427	Mar. 29, 1924	143	7	1	1	151	5	8	1	1	14	137	38.25	20.55	13.70	131.00	
382 El Camino.....	428	Mar. 31, 1924	176	13	3	3	192	1	7	1	1	9	183	53.75	27.45	18.30	172.00	
383 El Cajon.....	429	May 17, 1924	104	12	2	2	127	10	7	1	2	20	87	22.75	12.75	8.50	88.00	
384 El Sereno.....	430	June 2, 1924	111	11	3	3	125	1	7	1	1	8	117	36.25	17.55	11.70	113.00	
385 Smartville.....	431	June 14, 1924	62	6	2	1	63	1	7	1	1	3	63	16.25	9.45	6.30	63.00	
386 Forest.....	432	June 21, 1924	140	6	2	2	148	4	7	1	2	13	135	37.75	20.25	13.50	138.00	
387 Foothill.....	433	July 26, 1924	232	13	2	2	248	10	4	1	1	14	234	66.50	35.10	23.40	240.00	
388 Trinity.....	434	Aug. 2, 1924	119	12	2	1	133	4	1	1	1	7	134	43.00	20.10	13.40	124.00	
389 Searchlight.....	435	Aug. 12, 1924	301	16	2	1	311	9	5	4	4	18	293	77.75	43.95	29.30	298.00	
390 Sunnyvale.....	436	Dec. 15, 1924	292	12	2	2	246	10	6	1	2	19	227	63.75	34.05	22.70	235.00	
391 Ascat.....	437	Jan. 30, 1925	207	14	1	1	222	5	4	1	1	9	217	61.75	32.55	21.70	210.00	
392 Lynwood.....	438	Feb. 19, 1925	162	12	1	1	170	4	5	1	1	9	161	44.25	24.15	16.10	160.00	
393 Guardian.....	439	Feb. 19, 1925	201	12	1	1	216	6	11	1	1	13	198	57.00	29.70	19.80	200.00	
394 Frieside.....	440	Feb. 27, 1925	138	11	3	3	152	13	1	1	1	13	139	41.75	20.85	13.90	134.00	
395 Utopia.....	441	Mar. 9, 1925	147	9	1	1	157	13	17	1	2	32	125	36.25	18.75	12.50	136.00	

386	Granada.....	442	Mar. 25, 1925	152	2	1	155	1	6	147	38.25	22.05	14.70	142.00
387	South Park.....	443	Mar. 26, 1925	284	12	3	286	2	17	284	74.00	39.60	26.40	269.00
388	Whittier.....	444	Mar. 18, 1925	204	17	4	206	3	1	211	63.25	31.65	21.10	207.00
389	Tonjuna.....	445	Apr. 18, 1925	124	4	2	126	1	2	127	34.75	19.05	12.70	128.00
390	Union.....	446	Apr. 27, 1925	211	13	2	213	0	12	205	59.25	30.75	20.50	210.00
401	Levellonia.....	447	May 6, 1925	64	18	2	66	2	1	71	22.75	10.65	7.10	67.00
402	Temple City.....	448	May 7, 1925	112	12	1	114	2	4	120	36.00	18.00	12.00	111.00
403	Manchester.....	449	May 18, 1925	208	11	3	210	2	1	221	65.25	33.15	22.10	204.00
404	North Star.....	450	May 29, 1925	56	11	3	58	2	4	59	18.00	8.85	5.90	55.00
405	Liberty.....	451	June 24, 1925	91	4	3	93	2	2	87	24.75	13.05	8.70	88.00
406	Canoga Park.....	452	July 7, 1925	108	5	1	110	3	10	114	31.50	17.10	11.40	109.00
407	Harding.....	453	July 18, 1925	169	3	1	171	3	5	167	18.25	10.05	6.70	70.00
408	Santa Maria.....	454	Aug. 4, 1925	152	10	2	154	18	9	154	39.50	20.10	13.40	135.00
409	Elmhurst.....	455	Aug. 7, 1925	148	10	2	150	4	1	155	44.75	23.25	15.50	159.00
410	Triangle Oro.....	456	Aug. 10, 1925	153	2	4	155	7	1	132	36.00	19.80	13.20	135.00
411	Chula Vista.....	457	Feb. 11, 1926	170	3	4	172	8	1	171	47.75	25.65	17.10	172.00
412	Chula Vista.....	458	Feb. 13, 1926	153	3	3	155	8	9	141	38.00	21.00	14.00	153.00
413	Whittington.....	459	Feb. 27, 1926	246	16	4	248	7	2	254	73.50	38.10	25.40	249.00
414	Justice.....	460	April 5, 1926	118	8	4	120	3	4	122	36.50	18.30	12.20	116.00
415	Harmonet.....	461	May 7, 1926	167	5	3	169	5	6	160	42.50	24.00	16.00	160.00
416	Que Gardens.....	462	May 8, 1926	168	20	4	170	3	1	187	58.50	29.05	18.70	182.00
417	Roseland.....	463	June 28, 1926	119	10	4	121	5	19	118	38.50	17.70	11.80	113.00
418	Metrose.....	464	July 29, 1926	116	3	6	118	1	4	123	35.25	18.45	12.30	118.00
419	Metrose.....	465	July 30, 1926	197	20	15	199	2	1	223	73.25	33.45	22.30	211.00
420	Star of the West.....	466	July 31, 1926	133	12	1	135	8	1	139	41.25	20.85	13.90	138.00
421	Rawthorne.....	467	Aug. 10, 1926	101	7	3	103	3	4	101	30.25	15.15	10.10	104.00
422	Roosevelt.....	468	Aug. 18, 1926	176	8	7	178	5	3	170	29.75	13.35	8.90	82.00
423	Arcadia.....	469	Aug. 18, 1926	127	6	4	129	5	5	131	37.75	19.65	13.10	130.00
424	Brilliant Star.....	470	Oct. 12, 1926	153	17	4	155	3	1	171	53.00	25.50	17.00	166.00
425	Lamanda Park.....	471	Nov. 20, 1926	130	7	1	132	2	6	130	38.00	19.50	13.00	131.00
426	Palisades.....	472	Jan. 15, 1927	137	9	2	139	2	1	145	41.75	21.75	14.50	142.00
427	Malta.....	473	Jan. 21, 1927	142	6	5	144	2	2	149	42.75	22.35	14.90	143.00
428	Bethel.....	474	Feb. 9, 1927	112	18	3	114	1	1	123	39.75	18.45	12.30	126.00
429	Fethel.....	475	Feb. 12, 1927	135	15	3	137	2	1	135	46.30	22.50	15.00	145.00
430	Normal Heights.....	476	Feb. 18, 1927	108	10	6	110	2	4	150	39.00	18.60	12.40	116.00
431	La Jolla.....	477	Mar. 7, 1927	98	5	3	100	4	4	124	26.00	14.10	9.40	92.00
432	Majestic.....	478	Mar. 12, 1927	204	7	3	206	4	1	94	56.50	30.90	20.60	202.00
433	Piedra.....	480	Apr. 14, 1927	156	15	6	158	7	3	206	52.50	25.20	16.80	164.00
434	Sanger.....	481	Apr. 26, 1927	92	5	2	94	2	2	168	27.25	14.25	9.50	95.00
435	Garden Grove.....	482	Apr. 28, 1927	115	6	1	117	6	4	95	31.50	16.80	11.20	112.00
436	Prudence.....	483	May 26, 1927	99	5	3	101	1	1	106	30.25	15.75	10.50	102.00
437	Big Bear.....	484	June 18, 1927	39	3	3	42	1	1	1	11.75	6.15	4.10	42.00
438	Glassell Park.....	485	July 13, 1927	192	6	2	194	4	1	134	51.50	29.10	19.40	186.00
439	White Pine.....	486	July 25, 1927	69	2	4	71	5	1	65	17.25	9.75	6.50	63.00
440	Orange Blossom.....	488	Aug. 16, 1927	111	7	4	113	1	1	121	35.75	18.15	12.10	120.00

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				Initiated	Affiliated	Reinstated	TOTAL	Demitted	Susp'd N.P.D. or ass'm't	Exp'd or Susp'd	Deceased	TOTAL					
441 Waseo.....	489	Oct. 1, 1927	103	13	4	...	120	3	1	...	1	4	...	37.50	17.40	11.60	108.00
442 Point Loma.....	490	Nov. 14, 1927	75	8	1	...	84	5	3	...	1	6	1	23.75	11.55	7.70	75.00
443 Palmyra.....	491	Dec. 5, 1927	98	13	1	...	112	2	3	...	1	6	...	33.50	15.90	10.60	100.00
444 Henry S. Orme.....	492	May 14, 1928	150	3	2	...	155	6	5	...	...	11	...	38.50	21.60	14.40	141.00
445 Jermain.....	493	May 25, 1928	173	29	13	...	215	7	...	...	3	3	...	73.75	31.65	21.10	202.00
446 Crescentia Valley.....	494	June 4, 1928	73	4	2	...	79	3	...	...	...	4	...	22.00	11.40	7.60	76.00
447 Beacon Ray.....	495	June 14, 1928	85	6	2	...	93	1	...	...	1	2	...	27.00	13.80	9.20	79.00
448 Nonpareil.....	496	June 16, 1928	56	2	1	...	59	1	...	...	...	2	...	15.75	8.55	5.70	57.00
449 Memphis.....	497	June 16, 1928	177	20	6	...	203	1	...	...	2	4	...	62.75	29.85	19.90	194.00
450 Composite.....	498	June 21, 1928	90	12	2	...	104	1	...	...	1	3	...	32.25	15.15	10.10	92.00
451 El Dorado.....	499	June 30, 1928	49	1	...	...	50	...	4	...	...	1	1	12.50	7.20	4.80	47.00
452 Jordan.....	500	July 12, 1928	99	11	1	...	111	...	...	...	...	4	...	32.75	16.05	10.70	100.00
453 San Barbara.....	501	July 14, 1928	46	2	7	...	55	3	...	...	...	3	...	17.50	7.80	5.20	51.00
454 All States.....	502	Aug. 8, 1928	138	8	10	...	156	2	4	...	1	149	...	46.25	22.35	14.90	151.00
455 Olivet.....	503	Aug. 13, 1928	91	7	10	...	108	2	...	...	...	106	...	55.00	15.90	10.60	93.00
456 Rosa M. Shattuck.....	504	Aug. 15, 1928	80	5	3	2	90	1	...	...	...	89	...	26.25	13.35	8.90	86.00
457 Besada.....	505	April 1, 1929	73	7	4	...	84	...	2	...	...	82	...	26.00	12.30	8.20	62.00
458 El Petrol.....	506	April 12, 1929	80	1	1	...	82	...	3	...	...	81	...	21.25	12.15	8.10	80.00
459 El Petrol.....	507	April 22, 1929	73	13	1	...	87	2	...	1	2	6	...	27.25	12.15	8.10	82.00
460 La Florida.....	508	April 24, 1929	88	3	...	...	91	...	...	...	...	89	...	23.75	13.35	8.90	91.00
461 San Diego.....	509	April 25, 1929	84	9	...	...	93	2	...	...	...	91	...	27.25	13.65	9.10	89.00
462 Wadsworth.....	510	April 27, 1929	52	4	...	...	56	...	...	...	...	54	...	15.50	8.10	5.40	51.00
463 Mar Vista.....	511	April 30, 1929	76	12	...	...	88	3	...	...	...	85	...	27.25	12.75	8.50	87.00
464 Point Firmin.....	512	May 4, 1929	85	18	3	...	106	3	1	...	2	101	...	35.75	15.15	10.10	93.00
465 Temple.....	513	May 11, 1929	101	11	...	...	114	3	5	...	1	106	...	32.50	15.90	10.60	99.00
466 San Antonio.....	514	May 19, 1929	98	9	2	1	100	3	...	...	...	106	...	32.00	15.90	10.60	100.00
467 San Antonio.....	515	July 31, 1929	58	4	4	...	66	2	...	...	...	64	...	20.00	9.60	6.40	62.00
468 Angeles Vista.....	516	Aug. 3, 1929	96	13	4	...	113	2	1	...	2	108	...	35.50	16.20	10.80	103.00
469 Holly Vista.....	517	Aug. 6, 1929	74	4	7	...	85	3	...	...	...	82	...	26.00	12.30	8.20	79.00

LIST OF EXTINCT CHAPTERS IN CALIFORNIA

No.	Name	Location	County	Instituted	Chartered	Charters
4	California.	San Francisco.	San Francisco.	{ Before Grand }	April 1873	Recalled—October 17, 1893
7	Alameda.	Alameda.	Alameda.	{ Chapter was }	April 1873	Surrendered—September 18, 1878
11	Rocklin.	Rocklin.	Placer.	{ Organized }	April 1873	Recalled—February 9, 1878
12	Amador.	Drytown.	Amador.	March 7, 1874.	October 14, 1874	Surrendered—October, 1880
15	Electa.	San Jose.	Santa Clara.	February 2, 1875	October 18, 1875	Surrendered—October 15, 1877
16	Rainbow.	Hydenville.	Humboldt.	April 3, 1875.	October 18, 1875	Recalled—October 22, 1891
22	Olive Branch.	Hornitos.	Mariposa.	March 21, 1876	October 17, 1876	Recalled—August 16, 1887
24	Centennial.	West Oakland.	Alameda.	October 11, 1876.	October 17, 1876	Surrendered—March 27, 1879
25	Harmony.	No. San Juan.	Nevada.	April 5, 1877	October 17, 1876	Surrendered—May 29, 1889
29	Queen Esther.	Windsor.	Sonoma.	April 5, 1877	October 16, 1877	Surrendered—October, 1880
32	Myrtle.	Headshurg.	Solano.	September 14, 1877.	October 16, 1877	Surrendered—November 10, 1885
34	Opal.	Winters.	Yolo.	April 18, 1878.	October 16, 1878	Surrendered—March 22, 1883
37	Adah.	{ Meridian }	{ Sutter }	May 24, 1879.	October 21, 1879	Recalled—August 16, 1887
38	Pacific.	College City.	Colusa.	November 21, 1879.	November 21, 1879	Surrendered—May 17, 1884
43	Woodbine.	Santa Cruz.	Santa Cruz.	May 8, 1880.	October 19, 1880	Surrendered—February 26, 1884
52	Quincy.	Walnut Creek.	Contra Costa.	June 21, 1881.	October 18, 1881	Recalled—August 16, 1887
54	Ophir.	Quincy.	Plumas.	June 21, 1881.	October 18, 1881	Recalled—August 16, 1887
64	Occidental.	Oroville.	Butte.	October 15, 1881.	October 18, 1881	Surrendered—August 28, 1885
69	Manzanita.	Martinez.	Contra Costa.	April 13, 1883.	October 18, 1883	Surrendered—January 9, 1889
70	Brilliant Star.	Calistoga.	Napa.	May 15, 1883.	October 17, 1883	Recalled—October 22, 1891
81	Flower Valley.	Oroland.	Colusa.	August 22, 1884.	October 22, 1884	Surrendered—October, 1895
87	Laurel.	St. Helena.	El Dorado.	February 11, 1886.	October 20, 1886	Surrendered—September 18, 1896
88	Mountain View.	{ Laurel }	{ Lassen }	April 16, 1886.	October 20, 1886	Revoked—October 21, 1921
91	Fall River.	{ Burgettville }	Shasta.	June 24, 1886	October 20, 1886	Recalled—August 23, 1897
98	Yosemite.	{ Glenburn }	Stanislaus.	June 20, 1888.	October 16, 1888	Surrendered—October, 1895
101	Elaine.	Oakdale.	Fresno.	March 11, 1889.	October 15, 1889	Surrendered—May 22, 1899
132	Chrysanthemum.	Reedley.	Fresno.	February 14, 1894.	October 15, 1895	Recalled—June 29, 1900
157	King Solomon's.	Sanger.	San Francisco.	April 20, 1897.	October 20, 1897	Recalled—October 10, 1898
158	Galt.	Galt.	Sacramento.	August 9, 1897.	October 20, 1897	Surrendered—August 1, 1907
180	Golden State.	{ Arbuckle }	Colusa.	May 26, 1900.	October 17, 1900	Surrendered—March 10, 1910
194	Hilda.	College City.	Calaveras.	May 10, 1901.	October 16, 1901	Surrendered—February 22, 1928

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No.	Name	Location	County	Instituted	Chartered	Charters
236	San Pedro	San Pedro	Los Angeles	February 6, 1906	October 17, 1906	Surrendered—May 12, 1910
256	Maricopa	Oakland	Alameda	April 30, 1907	October 17, 1907	Surrendered—October 21, 1921
285	Garvin	Randsburg	Kern	May 26, 1909	October 20, 1909	Surrendered—November 7, 1917
340	Loma	San Diego	San Diego	March 1, 1916	October 18, 1916	Revoked—October 21, 1921
356	University	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	September 10, 1919	October 22, 1919	Revoked—October 21, 1926
419	Park	San Francisco	San Francisco	November 26, 1923	October 23, 1924	Revoked—October 22, 1925
461	Mayflower	San Francisco	San Francisco	April 7, 1926	October 19, 1926	Surrendered—September 21, 1928
462	Angeles Mesa	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	May 6, 1926	October 19, 1926	Revoked—October 20, 1927
U.D.	Los Banos	Los Banos	Merced	October 14, 1912		Dispersed
U.D.	Alta Loma	Signal Hill	Los Angeles	August 16, 1926		Surrendered—October 12, 1913 Reinstated—October 19, 1927

LIST OF NEVADA CHAPTERS WITHDRAWN FROM THE JURISDICTION OF CALIFORNIA

No.	Name	Location	County	Instituted	Chartered	Withdrawn From California
120	Electa	Austin	Lander	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter	October 16, 1901
121	Ether	Reno	Washoe	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter	October 16, 1901
122	Adah	Reno	Washoe	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter	October 16, 1901
148	Martha	Wadsworth	Washoe	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter	October 16, 1901
152	Silver State	Winnemucca	Humboldt	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter	October 16, 1901
156	Argenta	Virginia City	Storey	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter	October 16, 1901
166	Iphigenia	Eureka	Eureka	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter	October 16, 1901

DISTRICTS AND NAMES OF DEPUTIES

Appointed by Grace Richardson Butterfield, Worthy Grand Matron

1932-1933

DISTRICTS	DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS	CHAPTERS
District No. 1.....	Mrs. Alma Thompson, of Ferndale Chapter No. 23, Ferndale, Humboldt Co.....	Ferndale No. 23 Camellia No. 63 Rohnerville No. 76 Del Norte No. 149 Arcata No. 207
District No. 2.....	Mrs. Laura M. Hall, of McCloud Chapter No. 381, 5 Longdale Ave., McCloud, Siskiyou Co.	Evening Star No. 10 Stella No. 39 Fidelity No. 131 Sisson No. 175 McCloud No. 381 White Pine No. 487
District No. 3.....	Mrs. Grace Sutfin, of Mystic Star Chapter No. 279, Corning, Tehama Co.....	St. John's No. 14 Welcome No. 17 Vesper No. 20 Northern Light No. 26 Redding No. 44 Molino No. 83 Mt. Shasta No. 153 Mystic Star No. 279
District No. 4.....	Mrs. Henrietta Stewart, of North Star Chapter No. 450, Fall River Mills, Shasta Co.....	Alturas No. 51 Esther No. 74 Eagle No. 187 Bonner No. 232 North East No. 254 North Star No. 450
District No. 5.....	Mrs. Carolyn G. Harlan, of Loyal Chapter No. 223, Williams, Colusa Co.....	Veritas No. 84 Marshall No. 86 Citrus No. 208 Loyal No. 223 Wild Rose No. 326 Eowana No. 328 Arbuckle No. 368 Maxwell No. 369
District No. 6.....	Mrs. Mary J. Heriot, of Beckwith Star Chapter No. 201, Box 277, Loyalton, Plumas Co.	Sincerity No. 53 Hesperian No. 112 Sierra Star No. 129 Beckwith Star No. 201 Celandine No. 224 Plumas No. 246 Portola No. 321 Westwood No. 377
District No. 7.....	Mrs. Hattie Ware, of Fidelia Chapter No. 56, 259 C St., Yuba City, Sutter Co.....	Vernon No. 35 Marysville No. 55 Fidelia No. 56 Josephine No. 104 Amapola No. 119 Lyman No. 363 Smartville No. 431

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District No. 8.....	Mrs. Ella Cayote, of Placer Chapter No. 49, Dutch Flat, Placer Co.	Evangeline No. 9 Aurora No. 40 Placer No. 49 Crystal No. 57 Mountain Fern No. 62 Truckee No. 116 Penrhyn No. 159 Bethany No. 304
District No. 9.....	Mrs. Margaret A. Davies, of Clear Lake Chapter No. 137, Lakeport, Lake Co.	Kingsley No. 58 Augusta No. 80 Ocean View No. 111 Clear Lake No. 137 Sapphire No. 230 Lower Lake No. 231 Point Arena No. 291 Willits No. 314
District No. 10.....	Mrs. Alice Caldwell, of Clover Leaf Chapter No. 130, Cloverdale, Sonoma Co.	Rose Valley No. 33 Morning Star No. 61 Sotoyome No. 82 Clover Leaf No. 130 Gold Ridge No. 161 Valley Home No. 182 San Rafael No. 215 Mill Valley No. 219 Riverview No. 336
District No. 11.....	Mrs. Florence Fitzgerald, of Vallejo Chapter No. 278, 1225 Santa Clara St., Vallejo, Solano Co.	Silver Star No. 3 Silver Gate No. 30 Silver Spray No. 59 Valley of the Moon No. Calistoga No. 189 Keystone No. 235 St. Helena No. 274 Vallejo No. 278
District No. 12.....	Mrs. Flora L. McDonald, of Ionia Chapter No. 199, Davis, Yolo Co.	Suisun No. 2 Vacaville No. 28 Yolo No. 60 Ionia No. 199 Yosolano No. 218 Golden Rod No. 221 Rio Vista No. 222 Esparto No. 341 Cacheville No. 349 Grafton No. 379
District No. 13.....	Mrs. Christine Herget, of Naomi Chapter No. 36, Rt. 3, Box 145, Sacramento.....	Naomi No. 36 Columbus No. 117 Sacramento No. 190 Ada No. 301 Rainbow No. 385 Fort Sutter No. 420 El Camino No. 428 Temple No. 513
District No. 14.....	Mrs. Gertrude H. Conant, of Wheatland Chapter No. 48, Wheatland, Yuba Co.	Wheatland No. 48 Friendship No. 67 Fallen Leaf No. 90 Heber No. 181 Natoma No. 233 Rose No. 292 El Dorado No. 499

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District No. 15.....	Mrs. Elizabeth Read, of Golden Star Chapter No. 66, Jackson, Amador Co.....	Golden Star No. 66 Queen Esther No. 71 Azalia No. 77
District No. 16.....	Mrs. Irene Green, of Lodi Chapter No. 150, 121 Pine St., Lodi, San Joaquin Co.....	Angels No. 134 Crescent No. 165 Milton No. 244 Ione No. 283 Elk Grove No. 109 Woodbridge No. 118 Lodi No. 150
District No. 17.....	Mrs. Floretta Graham, of Joaquin Chapter No. 348, 624 W. 10th St., Tracy, San Joaquin Co.	Onisbo No. 164 Live Oak No. 371 Linden No. 372 Homo No. 50 Pentalpha No. 339 Joaquin No. 348 Golden Poppy No. 355
District No. 18.....	Mrs. Marie B. Lilliehoarn, of Maspha Chapter No. 198, Brentwood, Contra Costa Co..	Stockton No. 373 Escallonia No. 447 Ariel No. 42 Crocket No. 184 Maspha No. 198
District No. 19.....	Mrs. Hazel Priest, of Thousand Oaks Chapter No. 375, 818 Oxford St., Berkeley, Alameda Co.	Almona No. 214 Pinole No. 220 Los Ceritos No. 234 Pittsburg, No. 353 Concord No. 384 Berkeley No. 178 Miramar No. 205 Acantha No. 249 West Gate No. 290
District No. 20.....	Mrs. Ida Ann Tiedemann, of Alameda Chapter No. 386, 3210 Thompson Ave., Alameda, Alameda Co.....	Thousand Oaks No. 375 Beacon No. 383 Point No. 394 Carita No. 115 Elvesta No. 283 Fruitvale No. 297 Alameda No. 386
District No. 21.....	Mrs. Emma Rose Olson, of Alethe Chapter No. 388, 5000 Fleming Ave., Oakland, Alameda Co.	Effie Easton No. 392 Foothill No. 433 Rosa M. Shattuck No. 504 Callz de Oro No. 457 Mary E. Partridge No. 308 Alethe No. 366 Lake Merritt No. 410 Loma Vista No. 415 Plymouth No. 423 Prudence No. 484
District No. 22.....	Mrs. Nola Willette Terry, of Athens Chapter No. 277, 3807 Laguna Ave., Oakland, Alameda Co.	Oak Leaf No. 8 Unity No. 65 Oakland No. 140 Athens No. 277 Golden Chain No. 303 Encina No. 519

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District No. 23	Mrs. Zola W. Weir, of Golden Wave Chapter No. 103, 7339 Holly St., Oakland, Alameda Co.	Golden Wave No. 103 Semper Fidelis No. 135 Orient No. 177 Pleasanton No. 294 Hayward No. 331 Elmhurst No. 455
District No. 24	Mrs. Elizabeth Bray Johnson, of Ivy Chapter No. 27, 26 Danvers St., San Francisco	Ivy No. 27 Harmony No. 124 Olive Branch No. 169 Yerba Buena No. 228 Richmond No. 255 Albert Pike No. 284 Fireside No. 440
District No. 25	Mrs. Maude Stelling Stephens, of California Chapter No. 183, 771 26th Ave., San Francisco	Golden Gate No. 1 King Solomon No. 170 California No. 183 Amity No. 262 Parnassus No. 269 Seaport No. 427 Trinity No. 434 Liberty No. 451
District No. 26	Mrs. Hertha Kemp, of Forest Chapter No. 432, 21 Guerrero St., San Francisco	Mission No. 155 Jewel No. 238 Ruth No. 305 Crocker No. 382 Geo. Washington No. 409 Forest No. 432 Justice No. 460 Roosevelt No. 470
District No. 27	Miss Dorothy Oppenheim, of Starr King Chapter No. 204, 335 Juanita Way, San Francisco	Starr King No. 204 Ideal No. 251 Occidental No. 280 Lebanon No. 374 Victory No. 388 Seal Rock No. 396 Brilliant Star No. 472
District No. 28	Mrs. Helen Tuttle Lightfoot, of Presidio Chapter No. 481, 40 Loyola Terrace, San Francisco	Beulah No. 99 San Francisco No. 196 Aloha No. 206 Imperial No. 229 Casimir No. 252 Golden West No. 350 Presidio No. 481 Nonpareil No. 496
District No. 29	Mrs. Della Cora Gregory, of Sequoia Chapter No. 203, 335 Durlston Road, Redwood City, San Mateo Co.	Miramonte No. 141 Laurel No. 186 Sequoia No. 203 Palo Alto No. 213 Sunnyvale No. 250 Burlingame No. 275

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District No. 30.....	Mrs. Lucile M. Schrader, of Jarman Chapter No. 493, Box 344, Gilroy, Santa Clara Co.	San Jose No. 31 Magnolia No. 73 Los Gatos No. 128 Santa Clara No. 195 Fraternity No. 288 Manzanita No. 342 Starlight No. 401 Jarman No. 493
District No. 31.....	Mrs. J. Blanche Clarke, of Idlewild Chapter No. 19, Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz Co.....	Lily of the Valley No. 18 Idlewild No. 19 Ceanothus No. 45 Athena No. 46 Reveille No. 47 Ocean Spray No. 68 Monterey No. 239 Santa Cruz No. 273 La Posa No. 282
District No. 32.....	Mrs. Beulah Viola Turnbow, of Violet Chapter No. 102, San Miguel, San Luis Obispo Co.	Bethlehem No. 95 Ramona No. 97 Mizpah No. 100 Violet No. 102 Corona No. 107 Miguelito No. 176 Atascadero No. 344 Cambria Pines No. 525
District No. 33.....	Mrs. Grace B. Leeper, of Electa Chapter No. 72, Box 792, Modesto, Stanislaus Co.....	Electa No. 72 Tuolumne Star No. 123 Summit No. 138 Orestimba No. 139 Oakdale No. 226 Wistaria No. 296 El Rio No. 333 Smyrna No. 416 Patterson No. 417
District No. 34.....	Mrs. Ruby Millhollen, of Raisina Chapter No. 89, Route 1, Box 182, Fresno, Fresno Co.	Raisina No. 89 Madera No. 92 Mercedes No. 126 Centinela No. 136 Las Mariposas No. 200 Fresno No. 295 Calkota No. 309 Concordia No. 320 Chowchilla No. 365
District No. 35.....	Mrs. Louisa Starnes, of Sanger Chapter No. 482, Sanger, Fresno Co.	Lily of the Lake No. 41 Heliotrope No. 93 Lucerne No. 127 Reedley No. 257 Eschscholtzia No. 270 Kingsburg No. 312 Corcoran No. 370 Riverdale No. 400 Sanger No. 482
District No. 36.....	Mrs. Josephine C. Barboni, of Martha Washington Chapter No. 13, Box 414, Visalia, Tulare Co.....	Martha Washington No. 13 Tulare No. 94 Palm Leaf No. 114 Dinuba No. 261 Monte Vista No. 271 Lindsay No. 306 Exeter No. 334 Woodlake No. 510

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District No. 37.....	Mrs. Grace I. Jones, of Maricopa Chapter No. 323, Box 759, Maricopa, Kern Co.....	Maricopa No. 323 Taft No. 337 Buena Vista No. 364
District No. 38.....	Mrs. Adelaide Mahan, of Bakersfield Chapter No. 125, 2211 17th St., Bakersfield, Kern Co.	Wasco No. 489 Faith No. 514 Bakersfield No. 125 Delano No. 146 Libertas No. 362 Caledonia No. 391
District No. 39.....	Mrs. Grace M. Mumaw, of Sunshine Chapter No. 327, 1205 Date St., Lancaster, Los Angeles Co.....	Security No. 426 Tehachapi No. 188 Mt. Whitney No. 197 Sierra No. 318 Sunshine No. 327 Kearsarge No. 378
District No. 40.....	Mrs. Pearl L. Pearson, of Fillmore Chapter No. 361, 550 Blaine Ave., Fillmore, Ventura Co.	Marguerite No. 78 Ventura No. 79 Santa Paula No. 185 Oxnard No. 322 Fillmore No. 361 Santa Barbara No. 501 Vallecito No. 523 Ojai No. 528
District No. 41.....	Mrs. Maude Randall, of Culver City Chapter No. 395, 542 Irving Place, Culver City, Los Angeles Co.....	Santa Monica No. 113 Ocean Park No. 245 Columbia No. 247 Culver City No. 395 Beverly Hills No. 404 Triangle No. 456 Pallades No. 474 Palms No. 491
District No. 42.....	Mrs. Mabel Baber, of Wilshire Chapter No. 329, 603 S. Citrus Ave., Los Angeles....	Hollywood No. 209 Wilshire No. 329 Elysian No. 354 Cahuenga No. 413 Radiant No. 421 Harding No. 454 Olivette No. 503 Holly Vista No. 517 Wil-Brea No. 520
District No. 43.....	Mrs. Blanche L. Peterson, of Betsy Ross Chapter No. 518, 1521 W. Santa Barbara, Los Angeles	Palestine No. 210 Larchmont No. 463 Roseland No. 465 Melrose No. 466 Malta No. 475 Bethel No. 476 Majestic No. 480 Betsy Ross No. 518
District No. 44.....	Mrs. Louise D. Myers, of Utopia Chapter No. 441, 2828 Fleur Dr., San Marino.....	Pacific No. 192 Golden State No. 298 Rose Croix No. 317 Arlington No. 418 Utopia No. 441 Beacon Ray No. 495 Menorah No. 497 Composite No. 498

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District No. 45.....	Mrs. Mabel M. Shedenhelm, of Glassell Park Chapter No. 486, 2826 Silver St., Los An- geles	East Gate No. 225 Highland Park No. 263 Garvanza No. 266 Eagle Rock No. 313 America No. 408 El Sereno No. 430 Glassell Park No. 486 Atwater No. 522
District No. 46.....	Mrs. Carrie M. McDonald, of Los Angeles Chapter No. 168, 1229 Burnside St., Los Angeles	Acacia No. 21 Los Angeles No. 168 Oriental No. 258 Daylight No. 265 West Lake No. 268 Pleiades No. 281 Sunbeam No. 376 Nimshi No. 424
District No. 47.....	Mrs. Ada M. Hayes, of West Adams Chapter No. 411, 2327 S. Mansfield Ave., Los An- geles	South Gate No. 133 Esperanza No. 167 Sunset No. 216 Loyalty No. 217 Siloam No. 406 West Adams No. 411 Ionic No. 446 Henry S. Orme No. 492
District No. 48.....	Mrs. Julia M. Dale, of Can- oga Chapter No. 452, Star Route, Canoga Park, Los Angeles Co.	Glen Eyrie No. 237 Van Nuys No. 338 Burbank No. 352 San Fernando No. 398 Lankershim No. 403 Glendale No. 422 Tujunga No. 445 Canoga No. 452 Crescenta Valley No. 494 Reseda No. 505
District No. 49.....	Mrs. Alice Hood, of South Pasadena Chapter No. 272, 830 Oneonta Drive, South Pasadena	Pasadena No. 108 Monrovia No. 227 South Pasadena No. 272 Southland No. 307 Melita No. 467 Lamanda Park No. 473 Altadena No. 526
District No. 50.....	Mrs. Effie Manzer, of San Gabriel Chapter No. 407, 420 E. Mission Drive, San Gabriel	Lexington No. 172 Alhambra No. 193 Sierra Madre No. 299 Ramona Star No. 367 San Gabriel No. 407 Granada No. 442 Temple City No. 448 Arcadia No. 471

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District No. 51...	Mrs. Alice Moore, of Sunnyside Chapter No. 436, 1017 W. 109th Pl., Los Angeles.....	Moneta No. 315 Sunnyside No. 436 Ascot No. 437 South Park No. 443 Manchester No. 449 Florence No. 477 Jordan No. 500 Angeles Vista No. 516
District No. 52.....	Mrs. Sue Cain, of Gardena Chapter No. 260, 757 W. 167th St., Los Angeles.....	Pearl No. 147 Gardena No. 260 Rising Light No. 286 York No. 343 Bell No. 393 Lynwood No. 438 Guardian No. 439 Bellflower No. 397
District No. 53.....	Mrs. Hilda Grace Marple, of Hawthorne Chapter No. 469, 226 W. Raymond Ave., Hawthorne	Carnation No. 171 San Pedro Harbor No. 174 Inglewood No. 319 Torrance No. 380 Playa Linda No. 425 Wilmington No. 459 Hawthorne No. 469 Point Firmin No. 512
District No. 54.....	Mrs. Jane Perry Foster, of Long Beach Chapter No. 173, 5287 E. First St., Long Beach, Los Angeles Co.....	Long Beach No. 173 Palos Verdes No. 310 Bettina No. 399 Service No. 414 Searchlight No. 435 All States No. 502 El Petrol No. 507 Mar Vista No. 511
District No. 55.....	Mrs. Minnie Simmons, of Hollenbeck Chapter No. 248, 4300 Kenwood Ave., Los Angeles	Lyra No. 144 Occident No. 160 Hollenbeck No. 248 Artesia No. 253 Montebello No. 335 Belvedere No. 402 Whittier No. 444 The Gardens No. 464
District No. 56.....	Mrs. Ruth L. Gregg, of Chispa Chapter No. 151, Anaheim	Norwalk No. 143 Chispa No. 151 Fullerton No. 191 Buena Park No. 240 Yorba Linda No. 347 Ami Tai No. 405 Brea No. 506 La Habra No. 508
District No. 57.....	Mrs. Elsie C. Gillogly, of Scepter Chapter No. 163, Orange, Orange Co.....	Hermosa No. 105 Scepter No. 163 Seaside No. 259 Santa Ana No. 389 Garden Grove No. 483 Laguna Beach No. 521 San Clemente No. 524

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District No. 58....	Mrs. Mildred E. Johnson, of Silver Wave Chapter No. 75, 725 Fairview Drive, San Bernardino, San Bernardino Co.	Silver Wave No. 75 Euclid No. 179 Colton No. 211 Gate City No. 212 Needles No. 242 Upland No. 346 Big Bear No. 485 Orange Blossom No. 488
District No. 59....	Mrs. Mary Grace Bower, of La Victoria Chapter No. 241, P. O. Box 161, Beaumont, Riverside Co.	Ungava No. 106 Copa del Oro No. 142 Crown No. 162 La Victoria No. 241 Elsinore No. 243 Miriam No. 302 Chino Valley No. 330 Tabquitz No. 351 San Geronimo No. 515
District No. 60....	Mrs. Charlotte E. Brooks, of Star of the West Chapter No. 468, Pomona, Los Angeles Co.	Pomona No. 110 Jasmine No. 145 La Paloma No. 202 Claremont No. 324 La Puente No. 325 Glen No. 357 Star of the West No. 468 San Dimas No. 509 Baldwin Park No. 527
District No. 61....	Mrs. Onal L. Elliott, of Normal Heights Chapter No. 478, San Diego, San Diego Co.	Southern Star No. 96 La Mesa No. 300 Corinthian No. 358 Silver Strand No. 387 Estrella No. 412 El Cajon No. 429 Santa Maria No. 453 Normal Heights No. 478
District No. 62....	Mrs. Isabella Hildich, of Southwest Chapter No. 345, National City, San Diego Co.	Escondido No. 154 San Diego No. 284 Poinsettia No. 287 Coronado No. 332 South West No. 345 Fallbrook No. 390 Chula Vista No. 458 La Jolla No. 479 Point Loma No. 490 Golden Rule No. 267
District No. 63....	Mrs. Hazel Erickson, of Imperial Crown Chapter No. 311, 939 Rockwood Ave., Calexico, Imperial Co.	Signal No. 276 Alamo No. 289 Imperial Crown No. 311 Alamitos No. 316 Blythe No. 359 Coachella Valley No. 360

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AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION 1932

Article I, Section 18:

2nd. In addition to the annual dues levied upon the subordinate Chapters, there shall be levied for each member whose name is borne upon the rolls at the date of the annual returns, such sum as the Grand Chapter shall prescribe at each annual session, which shall constitute a special fund to be denominated the Representative Fund, and it shall be the duty of the several Chapters to pay the said sum at the time and in the manner directed for the payment of their annual dues. All Chapters delinquent for Grand Chapter dues shall be fined five cents per member unless such fine be remitted by the Grand Chapter. Provided, however, that no dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment shall be payable by a Chapter upon any member, whose dues at the stated meeting in May of the calendar year in which such dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment would be otherwise payable, shall have been remitted for the next preceding six months period, because of the financial inability of such member to pay such dues: provided, however, that this remission of Grand Chapter dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment shall not apply to those members whose dues are remitted for any reason other than financial inability to pay, and provided further that said dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment shall not be remitted in the case of Officers of Chapters. Provided further, that the Secretary of the subordinate Chapter shall specify in her report to the Grand Chapter the names of the members whose dues, per capita tax, and/or assessment are remitted, and the reason therefor.

Article I, Section 26:

The Benevolent Fund is not intended to supplant or abrogate the charitable or benevolent work of the subordinate Chapters; it is created to supplement their labors and to assume responsibility when local burdens become too onerous or difficult to bear; the Benevolent Fund may be drawn upon to relieve distressed members of the Order in a sum not to exceed Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per month for any one person, upon request of the relief committee of a subordinate Chapter, and after due investigation by the district member of the Benevolent Fund Committee, in the following cases: (1) cases which, in the judgment of the Benevolent Fund Committee, are of such nature that a subordinate Chapter should not assume the burden; (2) case beyond the subordinate Chapter's ability to meet, and (3) cases in connection with which the subordinate Chapter has exhausted its means.

Article II, Section 26:

Six Rituals and six Books of Instruction shall be furnished to each subordinate Chapter, a copy of each to be held by the Worthy Matron.

Worthy Patron, Associate Matron, Associate Patron, Conductress and Associate Conductress. Two copies of the Syllabus shall be furnished to each Chapter, one for the Worthy Patron and one for the Associate Patron. Two copies of the Diagram of the Labyrinth shall be furnished to each Chapter, one copy for the Worthy Patron and one for the Conductress. Each Officer at the expiration of his or her term of office must return the Ritual, Book of Instruction, Syllabus and Diagram of the Labyrinth to the Worthy Matron.

Any member of the Order in good standing may purchase a copy of the Ritual and hold the same as his or her property. The Grand Secretary shall write the name and address of the purchaser on the inside cover of the book, at the time of purchase.

A fine of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Ritual.

A fine of Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Syllabus.

A fine of Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Book of Instruction.

Article III, Section 31a:

In the event any member of the Order of the Eastern Star who is a member of a subordinate Chapter under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of California shall suffer a final judgment of conviction of a crime classified as a felony under the law, or shall be adjudged an habitual criminal; it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Chapter of which the convicted sister or brother of her or his Chapter is a member, upon learning of such conviction, to procure, at the expense of said Chapter, two certified copies of such final judgment of conviction, one of which certified copies shall be filed in the records of the Chapter. Thereupon sixty days' notice in writing shall be given to such member by registered mail, forwarded to her or his last known place of address, notifying such member of the filing of such record of conviction in such Chapter and requiring such member within such period of sixty days to elect in writing, if she or he so desire, to have a trial in such Chapter on the charge of conduct unbecoming a member based on the offense or offenses of which she or he has been convicted in a Court of the Land; which written election shall be filed with the Secretary of such Chapter within said period of sixty days. If such member shall elect to have such trial in said Chapter, it shall be the duty of the Worthy Patron of such Chapter to prefer charges against such member based on the offense or offenses of

which said member was so convicted in such Court; and proceedings shall thereafter be taken in the same manner as provided for other trials by the Constitution and Regulations of the Grand Chapter. If no such election shall be filed by such member, as above provided, within such period of sixty days; then, at the next stated meeting, after such sixty days from the mailing of such notice shall have elapsed, the Worthy Matron shall announce to the Chapter the fact that such certified copy of a judgment of conviction has been filed and that the required notice thereof has been given, thereupon the member so convicted shall stand expelled from all the rights and privileges of the Order of the Eastern Star, and it shall be so noted in the minutes. The Secretary shall transmit to the Grand Secretary a copy of the record of such minutes, a certified copy of the final judgment of conviction, and a statement of the giving of the sixty days' notice and failure of such member to elect to have a trial in said Chapter.

Rule 19. Special Rules of Grand Chapter:

The Grand Secretary shall forward copies of the Proceedings for the preceding Grand Chapter year, as follows:

Three copies to each subordinate Chapter, one to be held by the Secretary as the property of the Chapter, one for the Worthy Matron of the succeeding Chapter year, and one for the retiring Worthy Matron; one copy each to the present and retiring Grand Officers and Deputy Grand Matrons; one copy to each member of the Committees on Jurisprudence, Constitution and By-Laws and Fraternal Correspondence; one copy to each Past elective Grand Officer; and three copies to the Grand Secretaries of other jurisdictions.

If there then be a sufficient number on hand she may furnish one copy to each member of the Order desiring one, for which she shall charge a reasonable sum to cover the cost of printing same and postage when required.

Decision No. 407 to read:

To be reinstated a suspended member must pay all dues and/or assessments accruing; however, if not contrary to the By-Laws, a Chapter may remit all or a part of the dues owing.

Delete Decisions Nos. 509 and 510.

STUDENT LOAN FUND RULES AND REGULATIONS

(Revised)

Sec. 1. FUND AND ADMINISTRATION. The Student Loan Fund heretofore established by this Grand Chapter, together with all additions which may subsequently be made thereto, shall be maintained as a permanent revolving fund and depleted only by unavoidable losses or expenses. It shall be administered by a Committee of three members to be appointed under Rule 5.

Sec. 2. USE AND CUSTODY. Said Fund shall remain in the custody of the Grand Treasurer and be kept separate from the General and other Funds of this Grand Chapter. It shall be held subject to and disbursed on order of the Student Loan Fund Committee for purposes herein provided. There shall be in the possession of the Grand Treasurer securities, cash or students' evidences of indebtedness, aggregating the total amount of the Fund, at all times except for such temporary period of time as certain promissory notes may be required by the Committee in the discharge of its duty. The Committee shall have authority to incur necessary collection expenses and to assign notes for collection; to compromise and adjust claims against students and/or their sureties; and to direct the sale at the best cash price obtainable of any and all securities belonging to the Fund other than student obligations.

Sec. 3. PURPOSE. The purpose of the Student Loan Fund is to provide the financial means of assisting, by cash loans, eligible students who are desirous of completing their education but financially unable to do so without such assistance.

Sec. 4. STUDENTS ELIGIBLE. Applicants for loans must be members of Eastern Star Chapters under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of California, minor children of such members or deceased members, or their adult sons and daughters who are eligible to membership in the Order at the time the application is presented.

Sec. 5. ACADEMIC AND POST GRADUATE STUDENTS. Loans to Students who have completed their junior year in regular collegiate or State Teachers College courses, and to such graduate students for post-graduate courses, shall be known as CLASS "A" loans. Applicants shall be unmarried and must attend an accredited institution within the State of California. The amount which may be loaned shall not exceed \$200.00 in the aggregate and not more than \$100.00 for one semester. Class "A" loans shall require the approval of a majority of the Committee.

Sec. 6. SPECIAL COURSE STUDENTS. Loans to Students for the purpose of enabling them to attend day or evening, trade, commercial or professional courses shall be restricted to those persons responsible for the

maintenance and support of their families or near blood relatives, and shall be known as CLASS "B" loans. Applicants shall be without marital restriction. The amount which may be loaned shall not exceed the actual cost of text books and tuition or the maximum provided under Sec. 5. Class "B" loans shall require the unanimous approval of the Committee.

Sec. 7. PERIOD OF LOANS. The period of every loan shall be for the least amount of time required for its repayment by the student in the exercise of good faith and endeavor. Every borrower shall agree as the minimum requirement to repay the amount borrowed in monthly installments, commencing with the third (3rd) month after graduation or discontinuance of school attendance, of not less than five (5%) percent per month. Every borrower shall execute a promissory note payable on demand for the amount loaned and agree that the Committee shall have the option of recovering any amounts due under the terms of the agreement or by demanding and enforcing payment of said note or notes.

Sec. 8. AGREEMENTS AND NOTES. All representations by applicants shall be in writing on a form provided by the Committee, and shall be deemed a part of the agreements signed by them. Each agreement must contain a provision requiring the applicant to execute a promissory note payable on demand for the amount requested, together with interest at four (4%) percent per annum, as a means of insuring proper control in the enforcement of conditions imposed and to facilitate the collection of amounts due where assignment or legal action is necessary.

Sec. 9. SECURITY FOR STUDENT LOANS. Every student borrower shall be required to obtain the signature of some responsible person, a resident of California and not related by blood or marriage, as surety for the full and faithful performance of the obligation assumed. It must be distinctly understood that persons signing as sureties will be held strictly in accordance with their contracts.

Sec. 10. APPLICATIONS FOR LOANS. When funds are available for loans Chapters will be furnished application forms on request and all applications shall originate in subordinate Chapters sponsoring the applicants. When a member of the Order is familiar with circumstances surrounding a deserving student who desires to apply for a Student loan, such member shall present them in the form of a resolution requiring the approval of the Chapter to a request for application forms and the appointment of an investigating committee by the Worthy Matron. Said resolution shall be read in open Chapter without previous notice and shall be carried by a majority vote. If carried the Worthy Matron shall immediately appoint the three Junior Past Matrons as a committee of investigation, to investigate particularly the scholastic record, character and

commendable virtues of the proposed applicant; the true financial resources of relatives and real need of our assistance; and the financial responsibility and relationship of the proposed surety for the loan. Their report shall be on a form to be provided by the Committee and supplemented by a copy of the original resolution and other data disclosing the relationship of applicant to other members of the Chapter and particulars concerning any existing indebtedness on the part of the applicant. All applications shall require the unanimous approval of the subordinate Chapter Committee and when approved shall be forwarded to the Chairman of the Student Loan Fund Committee. No Chapter shall be permitted to sponsor more than one student borrower until the first loan shall have been repaid in full.

Sec. 11. REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY STUDENTS. Borrowers and their sureties will be held strictly, in the repayment of loans, to the minimum monthly payment condition imposed under Section 7. and, on the failure to meet any or all of such payments when due the entire balance unpaid shall immediately become due and payable at the option of the Committee. Where indifference or a lack of good faith is apparent the Committee shall immediately take such action as is necessary to protect the Fund.

Sec. 12. RECORDS AND REPORTS. The Committee shall maintain separate individual files containing all data with respect to pending and approved applications for loans and such files shall be delivered by the Chairman to his or her successor in office. At each annual session of Grand Chapter the Committee shall render a complete report of its activities, but shall omit therefrom the names of the students referred to unless, in their opinion, special circumstances warrant full publicity. This report shall be followed by the reading of a statement of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial condition of the Fund.

Sec. 13. DISCRETION OF THE COMMITTEE. When the remaining unappropriated balance of the Fund is insufficient to cover pending applications preference shall be given by the Committee to small and short term applications. The Committee shall have full discretion in the matter of granting Student Loans and revoking loans previously authorized. It shall have authority to extend or postpone the repayment of loans, installments or parts thereof, for a reasonable time when such action seems warranted. It shall also have power and authority to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the efficient operation and management of the Fund, not inconsistent with the provisions herein contained.

Sec. 14. PRIOR RULES REPEALED. Except as to loans previously authorized, all prior rules and regulations are hereby repealed.

RESOLUTIONS

That Monterey and Pacific Grove Chapters have concurrent jurisdiction.

That Recommendation No. 13 of Willa Jane Hellwig, W. G. M., 1931, be approved: "I find that in many Chapters there are special funds made up or created by the returns from various activities, and that these funds are kept under various names and are more or less under the supervision of the donors or creators of such funds. I believe that all funds kept by our subordinate Treasurers should be under the full and absolute control of the Chapters."

That it be the declared policy of this Grand Chapter that there be an annual audit of its accounts; that the audit be made by a certified public accountant or accountants; that the appointment of the said accountant or accountants be made by the Committee on Finance; and that it be the policy of Grand Chapter to have the accounts of its Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Eastern Star Homes, and any other accounts under the control of Grand Chapter, audited at the same time and by the same accountant or accountants.

Committing the Grand Chapter to investment of surplus funds in United States Government Bonds.

That a 50-year Gold Emblem be presented to members who have belonged to the Order for 50 years, same to be sent to subordinate Chapters by the Grand Secretary upon proper application therefor and upon showing that the subordinate Chapter has, among its members, persons entitled to the Emblem.

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