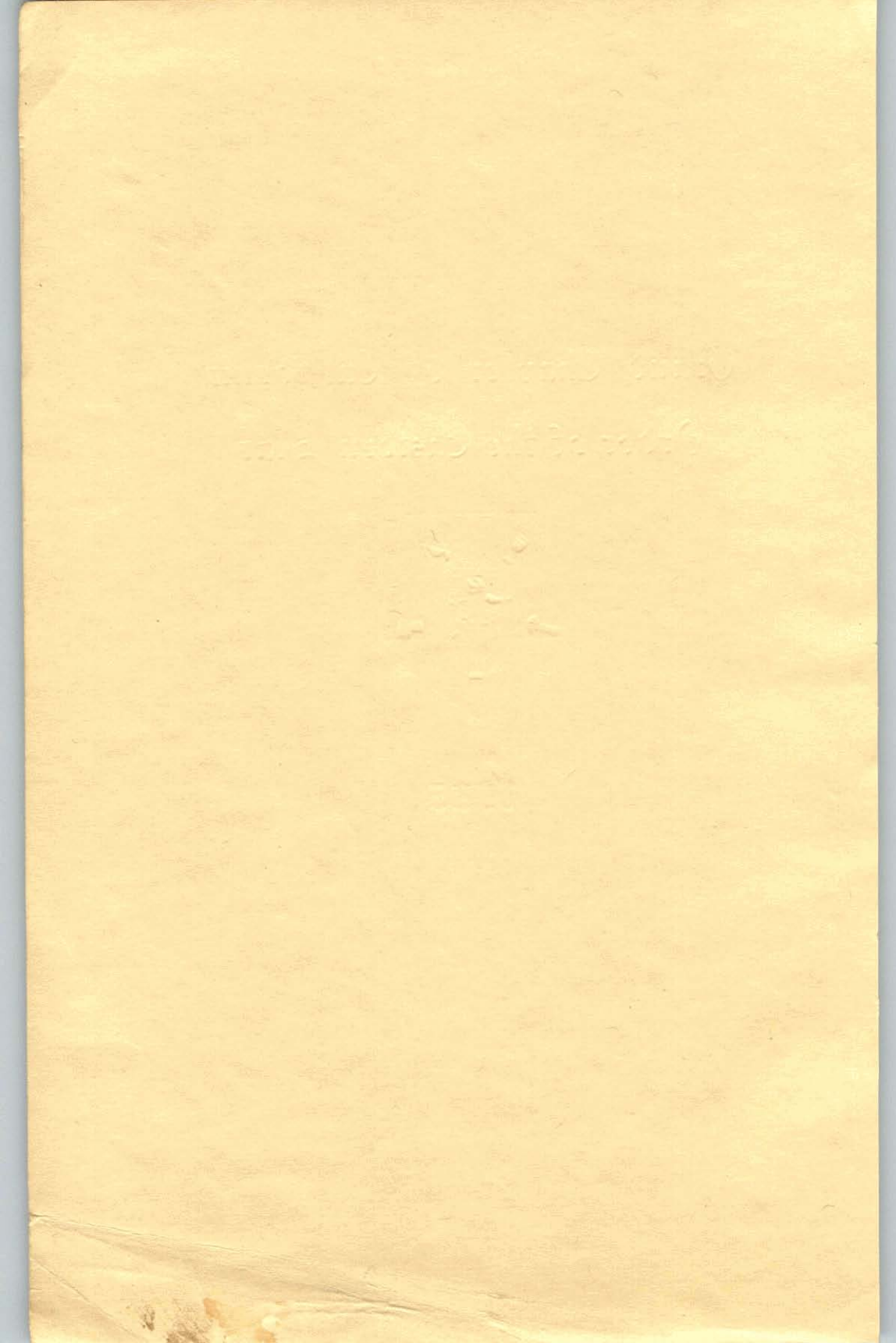


Grand Chapter of California
Order of the Eastern Star



1935



In Memoriam

The Proceedings of the 1935 Proceedings are Lovingly Dedicated
to the Memory of

Stella Morgan Linscott

WORTHY GRAND MATRON

of the Grand Chapter of California 1922-1923

Grand Secretary 1930-1935

She was verily one of God's noblewomen—not cast in any ordinary mold of human life and character. In personality, in purpose of mind and heart, in loyalty to loved ones and friends, in high principle and devotion to duty, she was noble in the truest sense. Of her it can well be applied:

" 'Tis only noble to be good,
Kind hearts are more than Coronets,
And simple faith than Norman blood."

We place high credit for what she was and what she achieved to herself—to her own making. And leaving that stand in the honesty of statement and fullness of meaning, nevertheless, we must recognize the law of succession in its inevitability and its inescapability. We are not origins but products. Always are there those before us, back of us, and entering into us contributing to us to make us what we are. And our immediate relationships—those closest to us in parentage are in this regard likely to exert upon us a strong potent influence.

Her native mentality was of the quality and capacity to receive the enrichment she gave to it by diligent application to the laws and principles governing the acquisition of knowledge. The "Royal Road" to such achievement is one of hard work from which she did not shrink no more than did she shirk any duty. She could say: "Duty as guide and guard alone I ask, though stern she be and unconcerned to please".

The lines in which her life and influence radiated and in which she expressed herself indicate a strength of personality impressive and attractive. Joanna Bailey has said:

"We live in deeds, not breaths,
In feelings, not figures on a dial;
We should count time by heart-throbs;
He lives most who thinks most,
Feels the noblest, acts the best."

Thus she lived, felt, and acted. Amen!

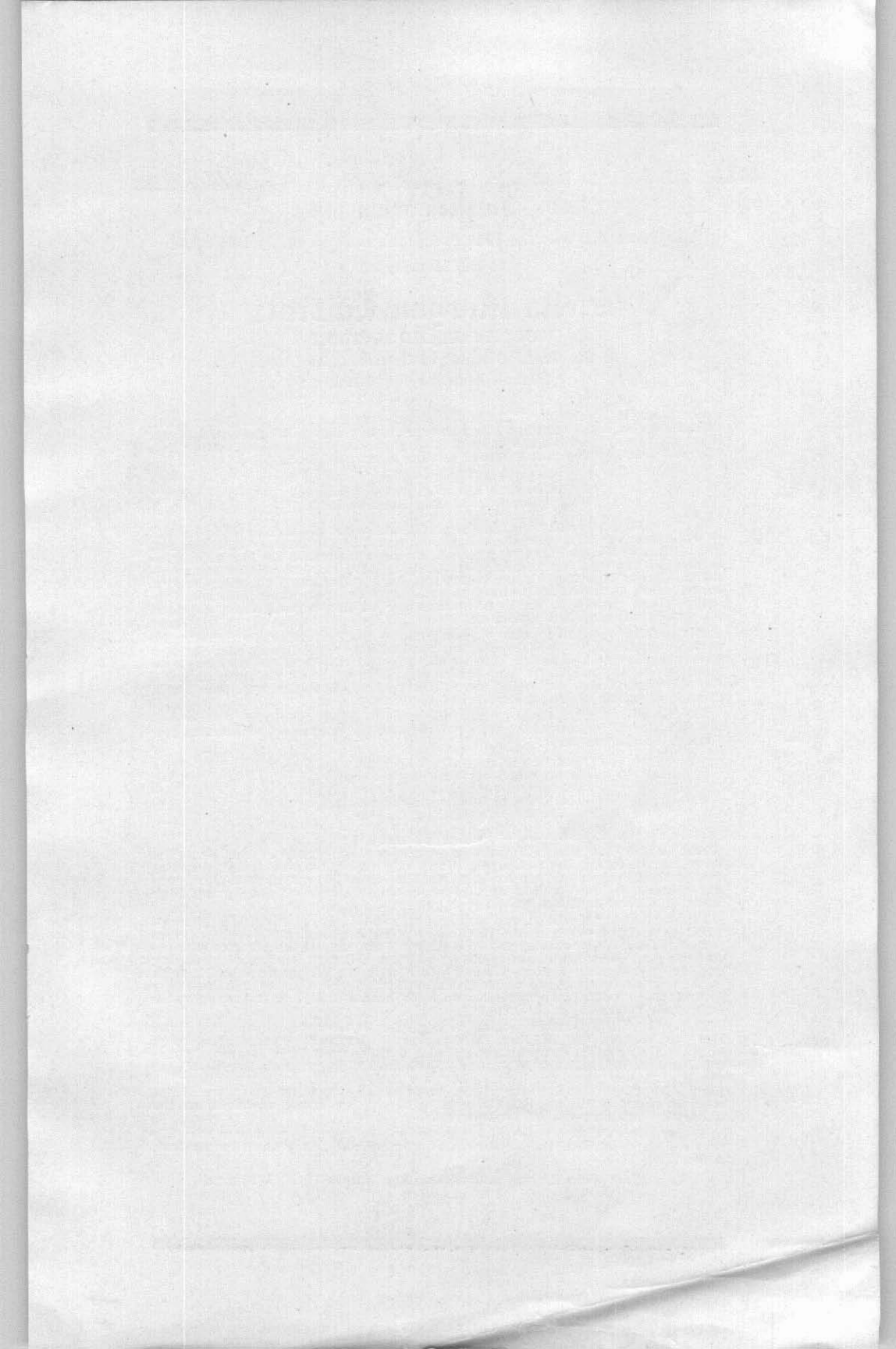
But in her life was also prominent a fine high-natured morality. She knew, for instance, the order, the litany of Ritual; but she also knew that that without moral quality and the application of it was hollow. You cannot conceive of her having any relationship to anything not having high moral teachings and standards.

Further, in her girlhood and young womanhood there was laid a groundwork of religion—religion in the form of instruction which unfolded into personal faith and experience. And may we not note that it is hardly questionable anywhere that the most persisting thing of the most enduring quality is in one's religion. We begin life with it. We go on into life with it. It is with us when we come to the end of life here. Our Rituals in the Church and in other organizations may be beautiful but their lasting value is in their religious teachings.

Today is not a terminal point in her life. It is a transition time from Here to There. Our undying faith makes it that. Our hearts are heavy, but we are comforted and strengthened with the words of Jesus: "I am the resurrection and the life", and "Because I live ye shall live also". If death stops the physical, it frees the spiritual. In this faith we follow the flight of her spirit to its everlasting home where God is, to the place Christ went to prepare for us. In this, you, beloved friends, are sustained as the burden of hereavement falls upon you.

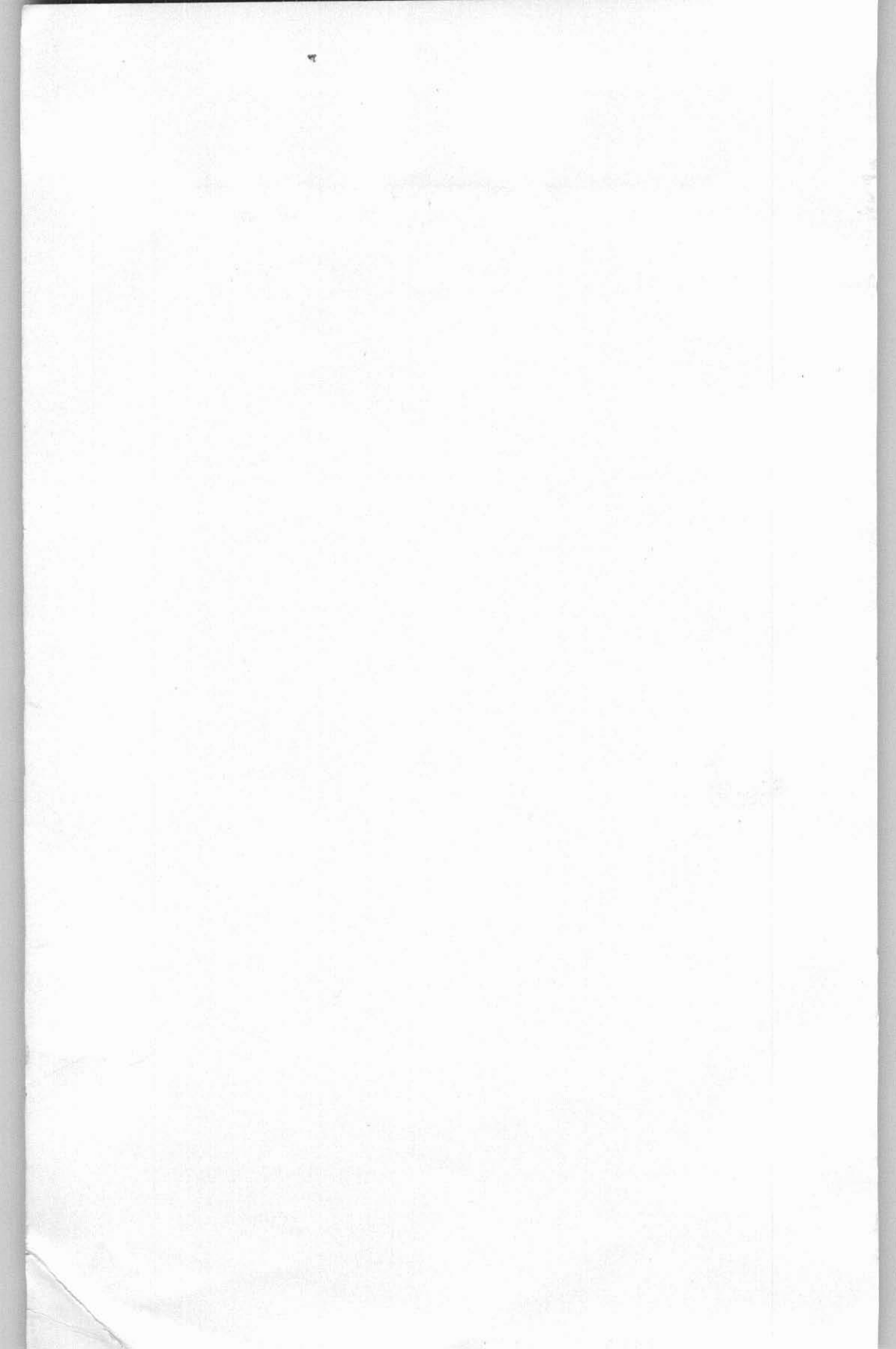
As my first words were—"She was one of God's noble women whose life was the expression of the nobleness of womanhood", they shall be my last. Amen!

(Excerpts from funeral address by Rev. James H. N. Williams.)





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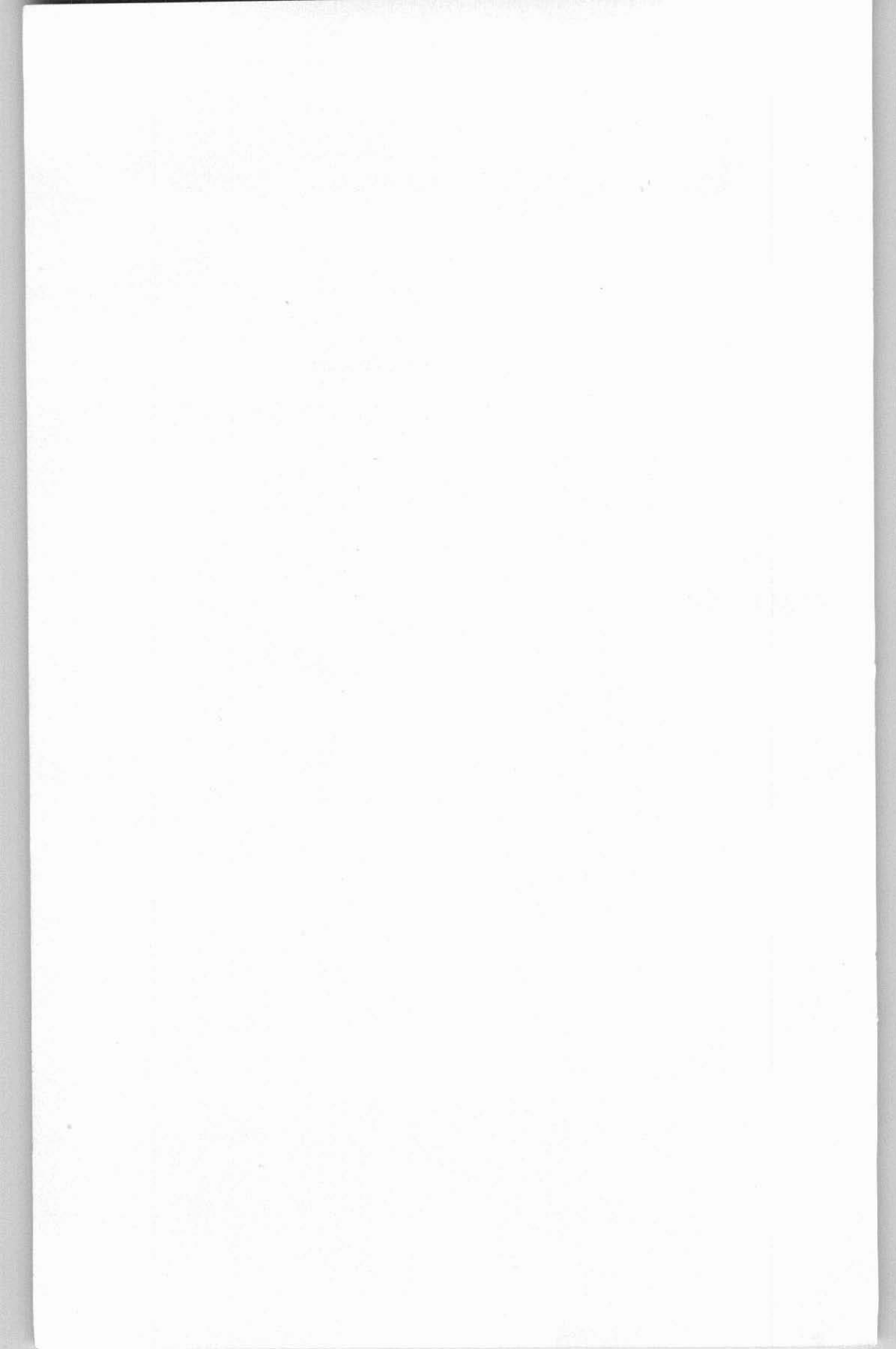




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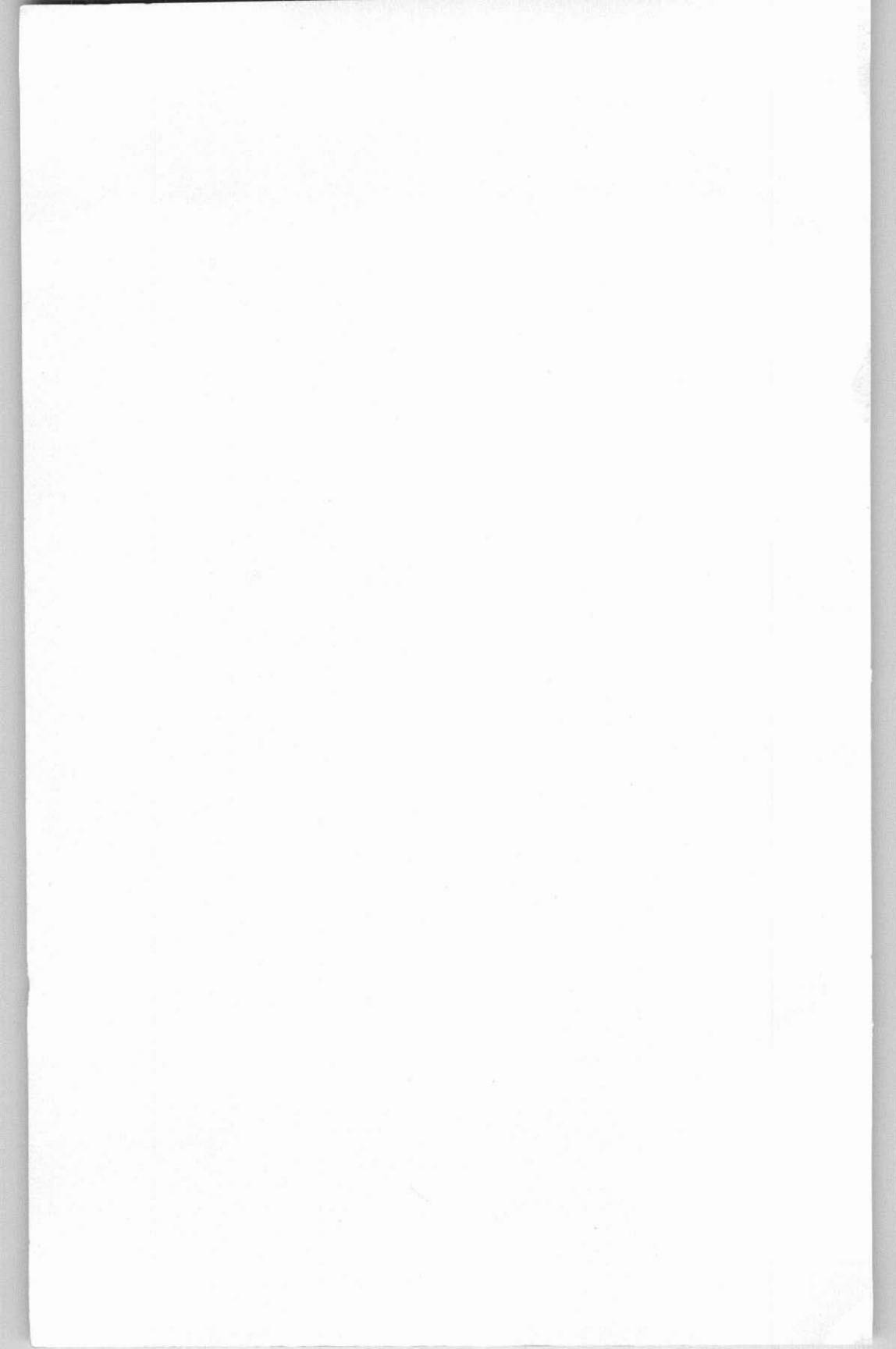


J. HARTLEY TAYLOR
Worthy Grand Patron





EFFIE EASTON
Right Worthy Grand Conductress



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Grand Electa

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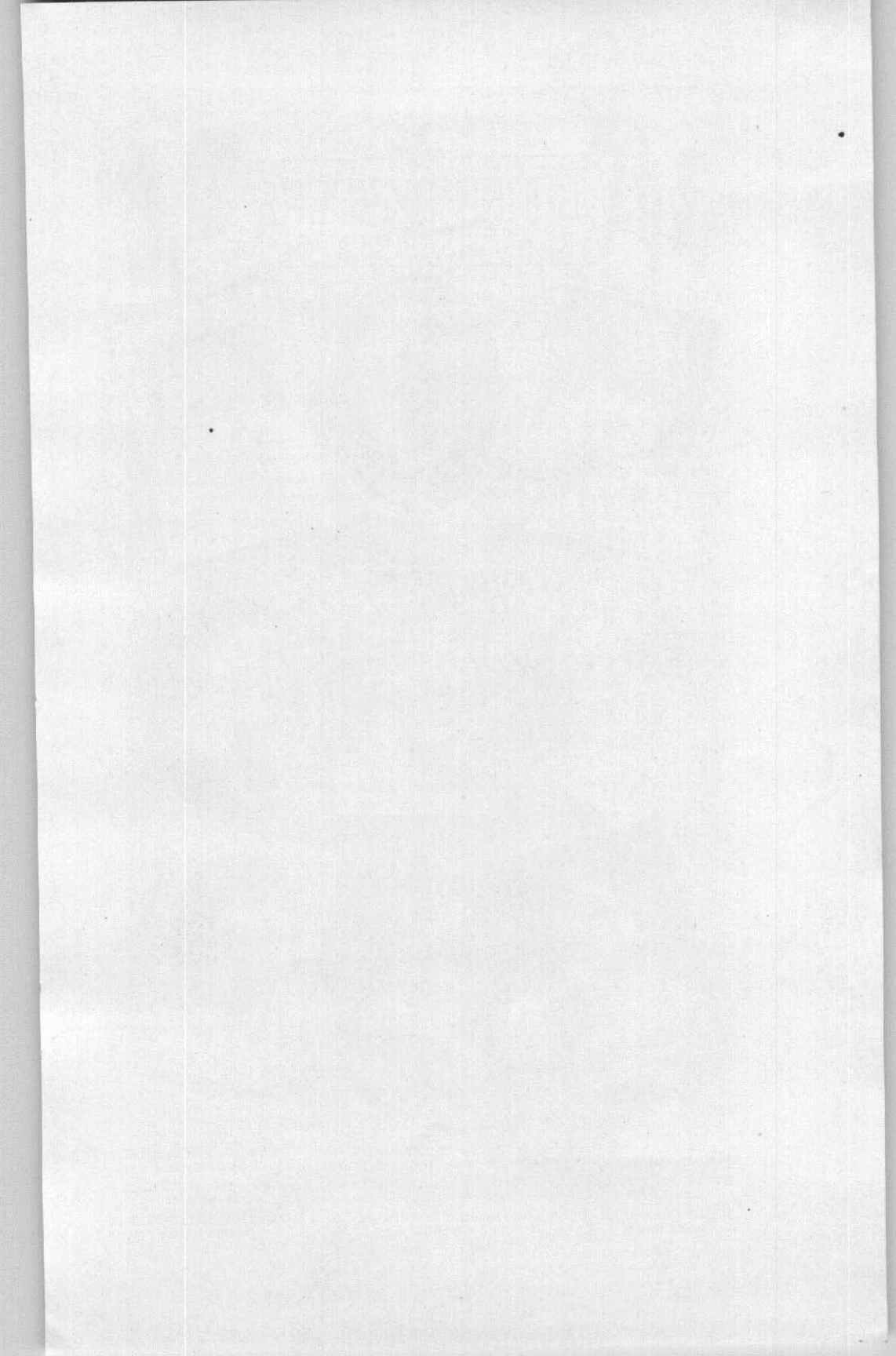
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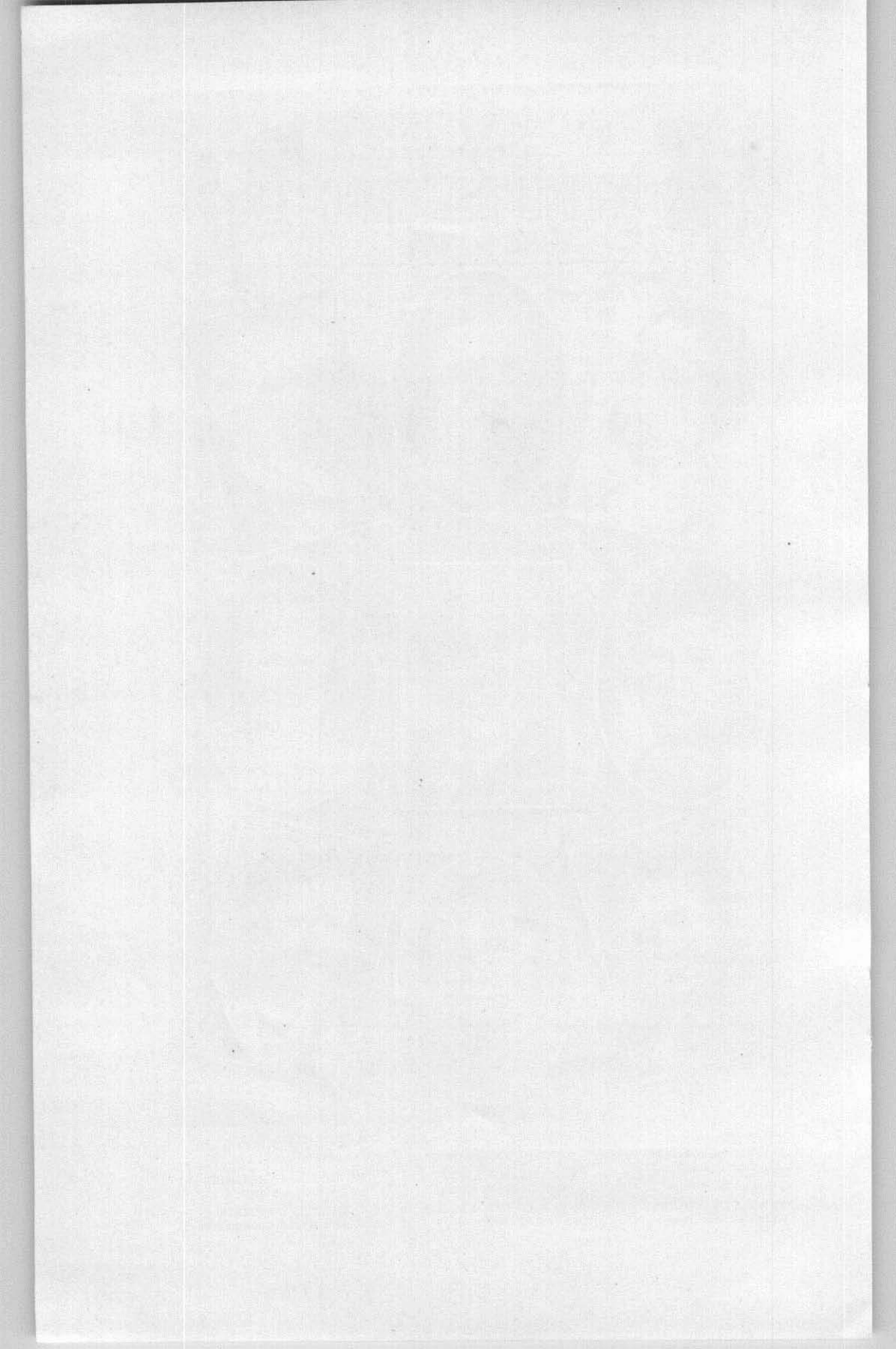
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EASTERN STAR HOME, ORISKANY, NEW YORK.



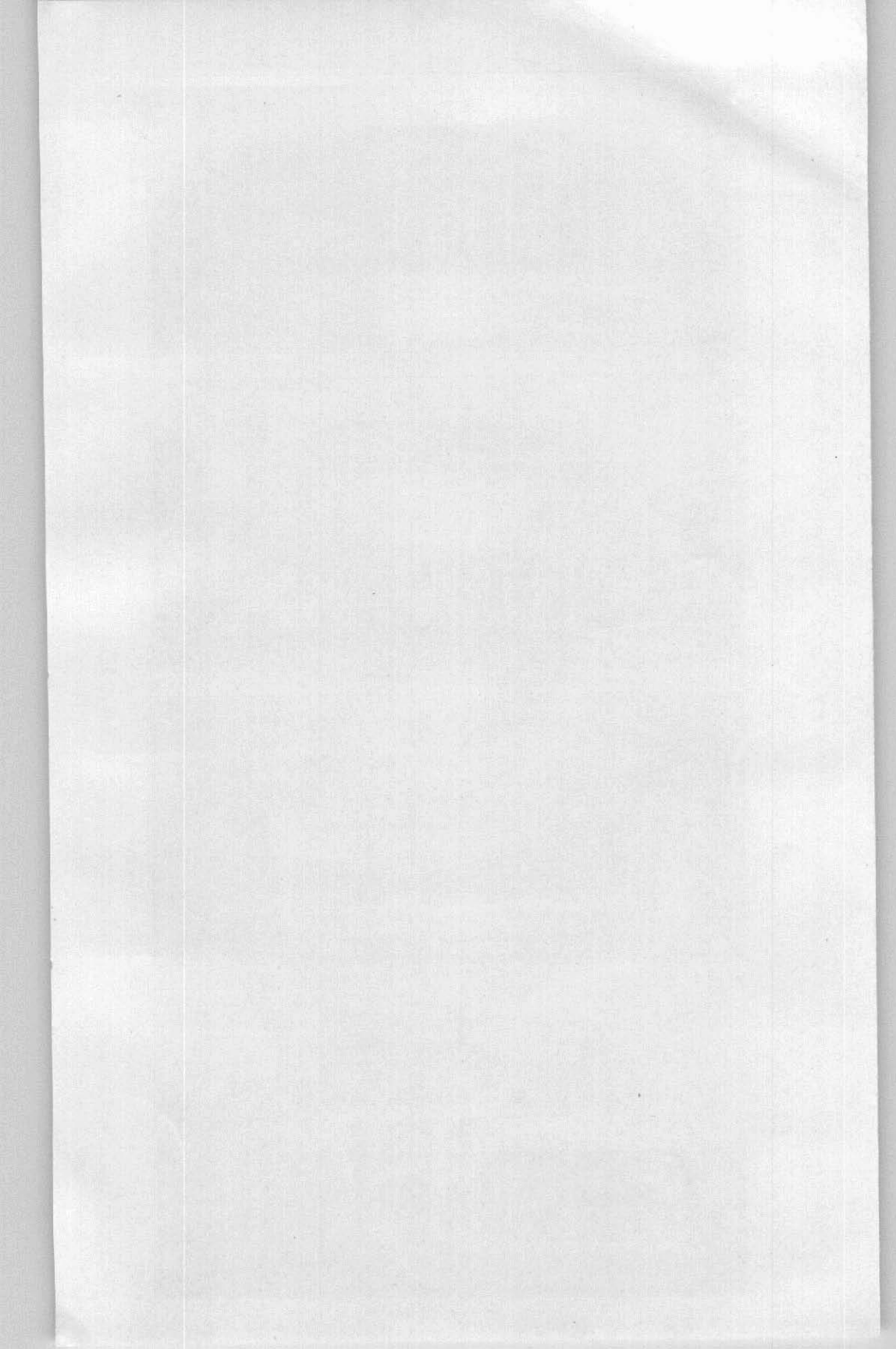
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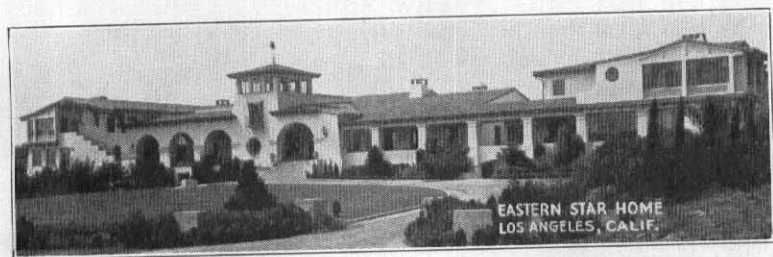


EASTERN STAR HOME, BOONE, IOWA.



EASTERN STAR HOME, ORANGE, MASS.





Legends of the Eastern Star Homes in the Several Jurisdictions

COLORADO

Name—Order of the Eastern Star Home (Denver) of Colorado.

Dedicated—September 13, 1931.

Resident Capacity—36 members.

Governed by a Home Board of Trustees which elects its own officers.

1st Home:

ILLINOIS

Name—Eastern Star Sanitarium (Macon) of Illinois.

Opened—First section built in 1897, named Eastern Star Sanitarium in 1924.

Resident Capacity—77 members, with waiting list.

Governed by a Board of Directors, which elects its own officers.

2nd Home:

Name—Eastern Star Home (Rockford) of Illinois.

Opened—First section built in 1922; second section in 1925.

Resident Capacity—103 members, with waiting list.

Governed by a Board of Directors, which elects its own officers.

IOWA

Name—Eastern Star Home (Boone) of Iowa.

Opened—First Home, October 18, 1905, destroyed by fire April 14, 1912. Second Home, built in 1917; new addition dedicated January 28, 1926.

Resident Capacity—85 members, with waiting list.

Governed by a Board of Trustees, which elects its own officers.

MASSACHUSETTS

Name—Eastern Star Home (Orange) of Massachusetts, Inc.

Opened—October 12, 1925.

Resident Capacity—35 members.

Governed by a Board of Directors, elected by the Grand Chapter—a corporation—managed and controlled by a corporate body known as the "Eastern Star of Massachusetts Charitable Foundation, Inc."

MICHIGAN

Name—Eastern Star Villa (Adrian) of Michigan.

Resident Capacity—70 children.

NEW JERSEY

Name—Eastern Star Home (Bernardsville) of New Jersey.

Opened—October 13, 1928.

Resident Capacity—50 members.

Governed by a Home Board of five, elected by Grand Chapter, which Board elects its own officers.

NEW YORK

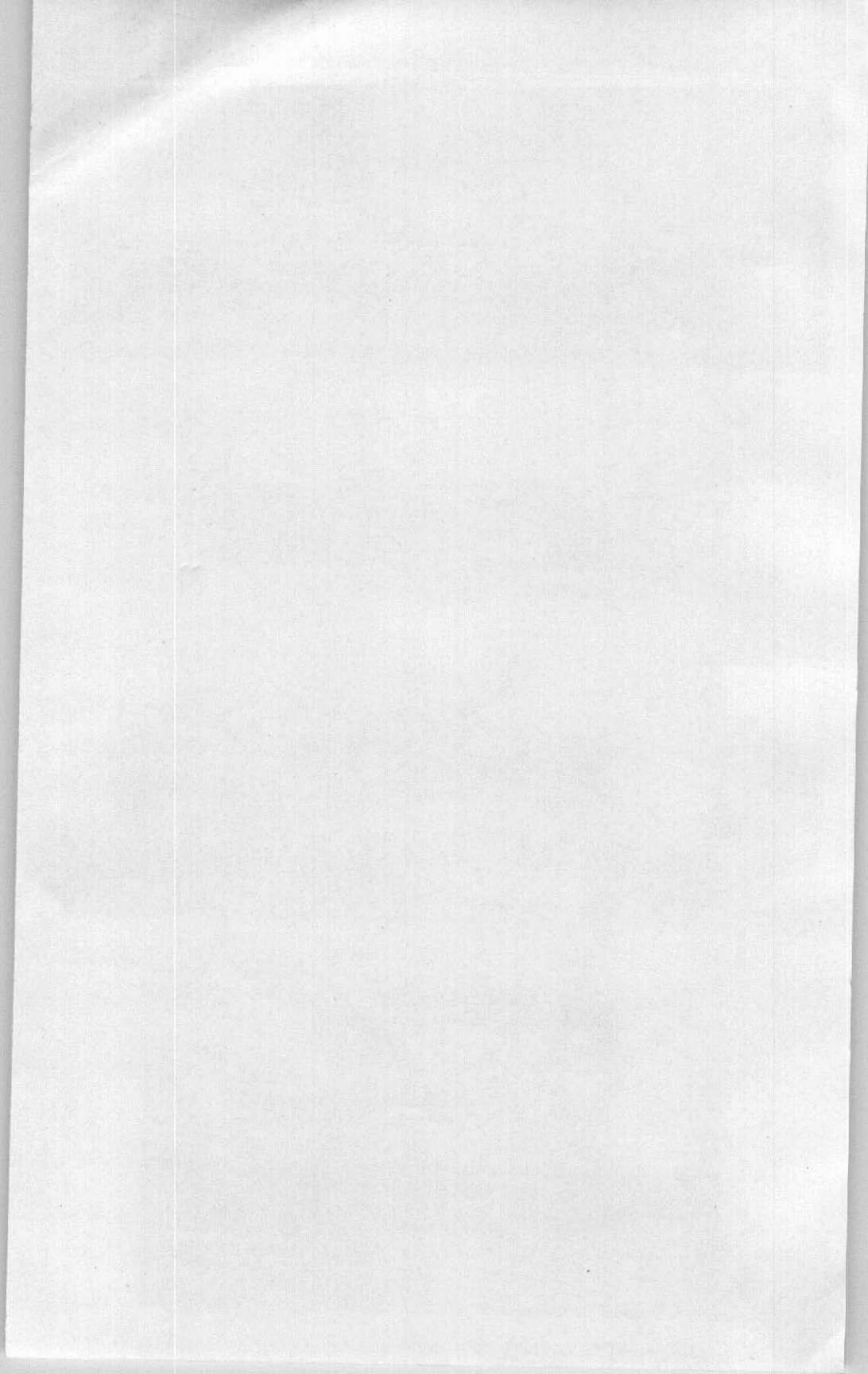
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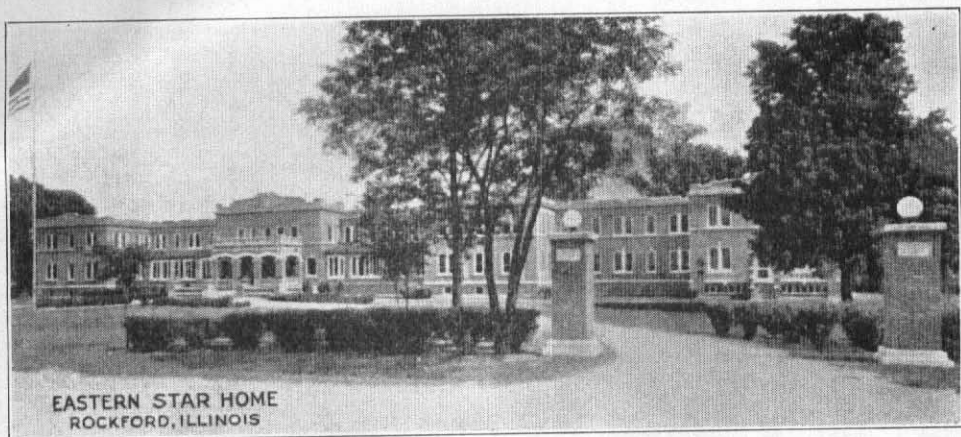
Dedicated—September 3, 1916.

Resident Capacity—75 members (1932).

Governed by a Home Board of Trustees, which elects its own officers.







EASTERN STAR HOME
ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS



EASTERN STAR SANITARIUM, MACON, ILLINOIS



EASTERN STAR HOME, RANDOLF, VERMONT

INFIRMARY NEW YORK

Name—Eastern Star Infirmary (Oriskany) of New York.

Dedicated—August 15, 1925.

Governed by a Home Board of Trustees.

ONTARIO

Name—Florence Nightingale Home (Agincourt). Only Eastern Star Home in Canada.

Opened—June, 1928.

Resident Capacity—20 children.

Governed by a Home Board of Trustees, through its Executive Committee. Board elects its own officers.

PENNSYLVANIA

Name—Eastern Home—at Germantown.

Resident Capacity—admitted—25 members (1935 report).

Governed by Home Board of Managers, which elects its own officers.

Name—Western Home—at West View, Pittsburgh.

Resident Capacity—admitted—22 members (1935 report).

Governed by Home Board of Managers, which elects its own officers.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Name—Eastern Star Home (Redfield) of South Dakota.

Date of Opening—October 9, 1935.

Resident Capacity—40 members.

Governed by a Board of Trustees.

TEXAS

Name—Eastern Star Home (Arlington) of Texas.

Date of Dedication—October 26, 1924. Two new wings added 1932.

Resident Capacity—Giving a capacity of about 150.

Governed by a Board of Grand Trustees, which elects its own officers.

VERMONT

Name—Vermont Eastern Star Home (Randolph).

Opened—1921.

Resident Capacity—23 members. Waiting list.

Governed by a Board of Trustees, which elects its own officers.

VIRGINIA

Name—Eastern Star Home.

Resident Capacity—20 members (1934).

Governed by a Board of Governors, which elects its own officers.

CALIFORNIA

Name—Eastern Star Home (West Los Angeles) of California, Inc.

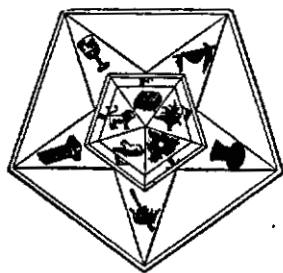
Date of Opening—March 1, 1933.

Resident Capacity—79 members.

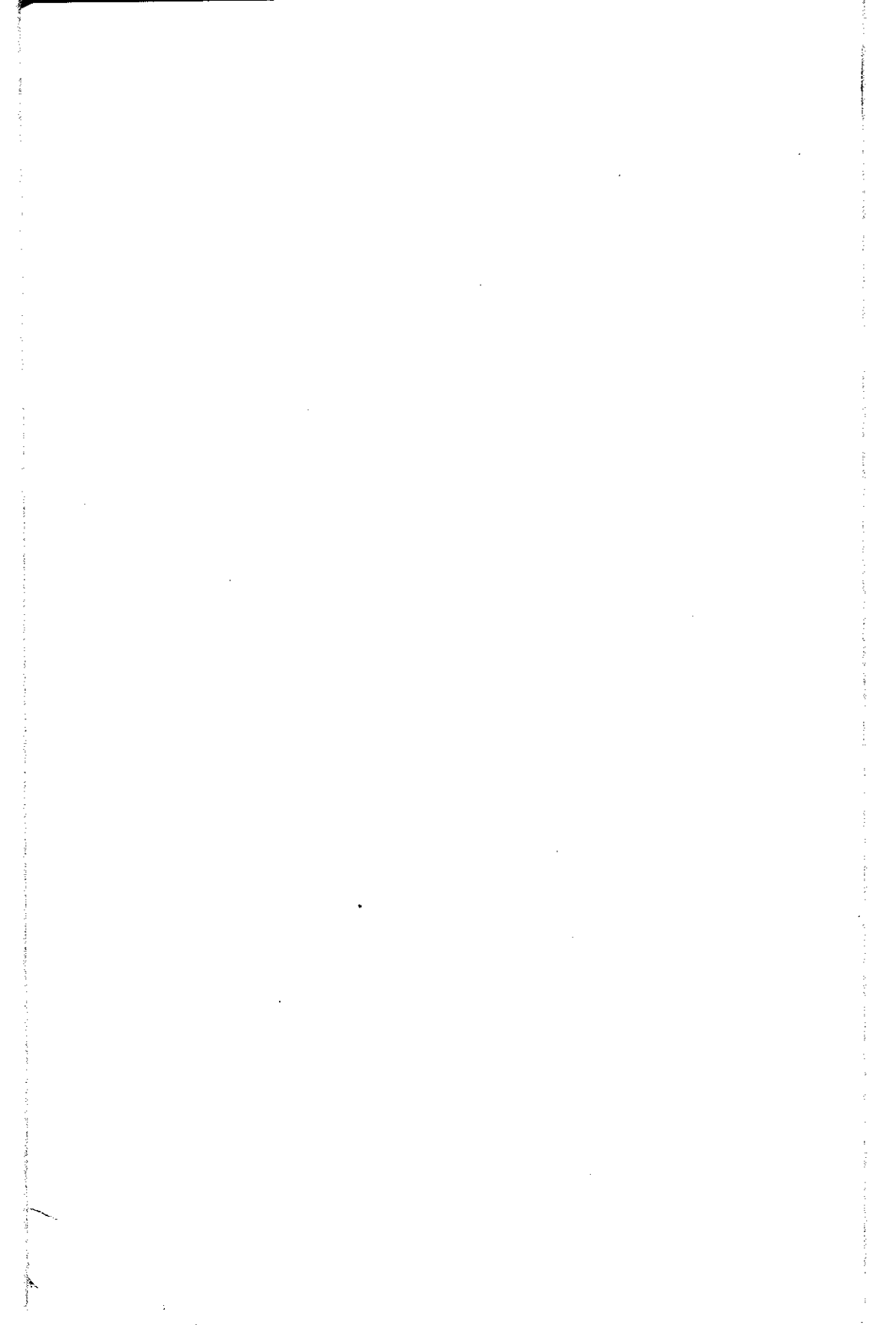
Administered by a Board of Trustees—finances controlled by Finance Committee, appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

PROCEEDINGS
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CORONADO, CALIFORNIA

October 15-18, 1935

HOTEL DEL CORONADO

TUESDAY

October 15, 1935.

The 62nd annual session of the Grand Chapter of California was held in the attractive circular ballroom of the Hotel del Coronado, Coronado City. A profusion of flowers on the stage and around the room made the indoor scene as beautiful as the outdoor setting. From the windows of the Chapter room could be seen the blue waters of the Pacific Ocean and a wealth of flowering hibiscus, bougainvillea and semi-tropical palms.

A half hour of music given by the Grand Organist, Brother Charles Anderson, and the vocal music of the Aeolian Quartette, added to the pleasure of the delegates. In addition, the assembly singing under the leadership of Sister Dr. Marian Tracie Whiting kept the delegates enthusiastic and in good humor throughout the entire session. Too much cannot be said in praise of the work of our Grand Organist and our Song Leader.

Promptly at ten o'clock Mr. Carl Zahn, bugler, played "Open the Gates of the Temple," and Sister Mary Josephine Young, Worthy Grand Matron in 1885, called the session to order.

Mary Josephine Young, Senior Past Grand Matron:

"Sisters and Brothers, members of the Order of the Eastern Star: It is my happy privilege to extend greetings to you on this occasion, the opening of the Sixty-second Annual Convention of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star.

"This is not the first time it has been our good fortune to meet in this city of charm. Those of us who were present on former occasions cherish fond memories of those delightful visits, and are anticipating the joy that is to be ours during the coming week.

"On behalf of the hostess Chapters—the seventeen Chapters of San Diego County—I have been delegated to extend cordial greetings, and a hearty welcome to this beautiful City of Coronado.

"For more than sixty years it has been our custom to meet in annual conference to review the record of our deeds, to contrast the results of our efforts with our opportunities, and where errors have been committed in the past to erect such safeguards as will prevent their recurrence in the future.

"When we witness the marvelous growth of our membership, the increased devotion to the principles of our Order—Truth, Charity and Loving Kindness, and the promise of greater usefulness in the future, we feel that our efforts have not been in vain.

"Our Grand Officers are in waiting, and will soon assume their stations. From them we will learn of the progress of the past year and will hear what they have to recommend for the future."

Sister Young then directed the Grand Marshal to escort the Junior Past Grand Matron, Sister Jessie Galbraith Morris, and the Junior Past Grand Patron, Brother Wallace Taylor Rutherford, into the Grand Chapter room. Sister Morris and Brother Rutherford extended greetings to the delegates and Sister Morris directed the Grand Marshal to escort the Pages, Deputy Grand Matrons and Grand Officers into the Chapter room.

The National, State and Eastern Star Flags were escorted to the East by the Worthy Patrons of Coronado and San Diego Chapters and the following tribute was given:

Tribute to Flag—Cora Spring Holland, Past Grand Matron:

"When freedom from her mountain heights
Unfurled her standard to the air
She tore the azure robe of night
And set the Starry banner there."

"This precious flag cost blood and treasure, men and money were sacrificed in the outset and more men and money have been required to preserve it. Hence it is dear to the patriotic citizen.

"In the capital of every state are sacredly preserved the battle flags—bullet ridden and blood-stained—carefully hung and guarded behind glass plate and rail. They remind beholders of the heroism of the men who went down in the storm of battle and of the Union they cemented with their blood.

"We preserve them not as relics of war, but as sacred mementos of the patriotism which they gave us and which has preserved our Nation.

"We honor this flag for the love of country it inspires, the national unity it symbolizes, the ideals for which it stands. When we speak of "love of country" just what do we mean? Do we refer to acres of land, to buildings, railroads, farm products, or all combined? No, we mean the form of government, the institution, the frame of civil society for which this flag stands.

"A few weeks ago, throughout the Nation, this national emblem was seen floating from every flag pole and masthead. It was a beautiful sight and commemorated the 148th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States of America. That document which is first and foremost of its kind in the world.

"The Constitution was no inspiration of the moment. It is a monumental contribution to the science of government, framed and executed by able men who saw far and pondered well. The

Constitution of the United States was visioned by George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison and Alexander Hamilton; fashioned by the matchless eloquence of Daniel Webster and the indisputable logic of John Marshall; and finally sanctified by the sacrificial blood of Abraham Lincoln—it stands today, the consummation of man's struggle for liberty and justice, the crowning glory of civilization.

“Loyalty to Constitution and Flag is not a partisan issue; it is a patriotic issue for it concerns all the world.

“ ‘If it is wrong to believe in the land that we love
And to pray for our flag to the good God above;
If its wrong to believe that our Country is best,
That honor's her standard and truth is her crest;
If placing her first in our prayers and our song
Is false to true reason, then we're glad to be wrong.’

“Where this flag leads we follow, for we know that the hand that bears it onward is the unseen hand of God.”

**Invocation—Brother Joseph Smith, Jr., Worthy Patron,
Southern Star Chapter No. 96:**

“Supreme Ruler of the Universe, we reverently invoke Thy blessing upon this convention here assembled. We thank Thee for the many blessings Thou hast bestowed upon us and may we never lose sight of Thy inspiration, remembering that there moves beside us that Eternal Friend who is ever ready to guide and support us through all the difficulties and trials that may come to us. May the work of our Order, founded upon Thy Holy Name, so influence our hearts and lives that we may have the fidelity of Adah, the devotion of Ruth, the courage of Esther, the faith of Martha and Eleeta's heroic fortitude. And, ever returning to that Holy Book as we walk by faith, not by sight, may we confidently believe that Thou wilt bring us safely to the end of our journey to Thy house, not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. Dispel whatever spirit of discord may here arise. Grant that this meeting thus begun in order may be conducted in peace and clothed in honor. All of which we ask in Thy name. Amen.”

Aeolian Quartette—Handel's “Largo”

**Address of Welcome—Brother Lloyd Ellis Griffin,
Past Grand Patron:**

“Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Honored Members who grace the East, Delegates, Sisters and Brothers:

“What a privilege, first to be honored in our fair city; our city with a Fair, with the presence of so many fine men and women, delegates from all over our great state, secondly to stand here and

in behalf of the Chapters of this district extend to you a most joyful welcome. Sisters and Brothers, you have before you four days of rare opportunity, rich and inspiring, to act as a great benefactor to mankind. Let us have the courage to be honest with one another, the courage to be just, and fair, the courage to speak the truth.

"If we have not that eternal principle within us, that spirit of doing right, that spirit of justice, that love of humanity, then all the degrees in the world will not make us real members of the Order in the true sense and spirit of its teachings.

"We welcome everyone here, the North, the South, the East and the West.

"We have assembled to review the splendid accomplishments of the past, to rejoice in the brilliant success of the present and to gain a vision of the unlimited possibilities of the future of this great Order.

"Worthy Grand Matron, may infinite wisdom be given you to carry the deliberations of this session to a splendid close and may the laws enacted reflect to the honor and credit of this Grand Chapter. Let us not forget 'That the eyes of the fraternity are now upon us, let us be just, be faithful and true.' In this spirit we bid you a glorious welcome. And may all of you ever cherish in your heart a pleasant remembrance of a most joyful visit."

OPENING

The sixty-second annual session was opened in regular form, the Worthy Grand Matron presiding, with the following Grand Officers in their stations:

Worthy Grand Matron.....	Minnie Viola Collins
Worthy Grand Patron.....	J. Hartley Taylor
Associate Grand Matron.....	Bertie Y. Todd
Associate Grand Patron.....	Edward C. Counter, Jr.
Acting Grand Secretary.....	Maud McWilliams Smith
Grand Treasurer.....	Anna Noyes Moneur
Grand Conductress.....	Rita May Cooper
Associate Grand Conductress.....	Mary Isabel Warner
Grand Chaplain.....	Edna A. Cannon
Grand Marshal.....	Maude Ethel Fluetseh
Grand Organist.....	Charles E. Anderson
Grand Adah.....	Corine Orban Melville
Grand Ruth.....	Winnie May Dean
Grand Esther.....	Rosina Elizabeth Nodder
Grand Martha.....	Kathryn M. Farwell
Grand Electa.....	Mamie G. Cooper
Grand Warder.....	Flora T. Whitney
Grand Sentinel.....	Ruth Arganbright

Escort

The Worthy Grand Matron directed the Grand Marshal and Grand Conductress to escort the following distinguished guests and members to the East, where each in turn was presented and where proper, given the Grand Honors:

Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Grand Conductress of the General Grand Chapter.

Sister Frances V. Bader, Worthy Grand Matron of Utah.

Sister Effie B. Langston, Associate Grand Matron of Utah.

Sister Jessie Griffen, Associate Grand Matron of Arizona.

Sister Abbie M. Schraga, Grand Marshal of Utah.

PAST GRAND MATRONS

Mary Josephine Young	Maude Bigelow Sibley
Clara Abbott Giberson	Zella Whitford Samson
Mabel Boyd Seymour	Cora Spring Holland
Emma Riehl Leach	Hazael Marsh-Piper
Annie Marie Johnson	Pauline Ada Hause
Maude Noble Haven	Myra Clara Moyse
Minnie Elliot Seymour	Willa Jane Hellwig
Ivy Crane Shelhamer	Elsie Mae McGiffin
Effie Easton	Grace Richardson Butterfield
Maud Dezell Bradley	Jessie Galbraith Morris

PAST GRAND PATRONS

Benj. B. Cartwright	Raymond H. Griest
Wm. J. Mossholder	Bert Richard Holloway
W. Frank Holman	Walter Wadsworth Bradley
Darwin Willson Pierce	Joseph Mayo Argabrite
Roy Musser	Lloyd E. Griffin
Waldo Francis Postel	Wallace Taylor Rutherford

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRONS

Minnie D. Brown	Jennie Maude Wayman
Emma Blanchard Graves	Margaret Sawyer
Ida Fitschen	

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRONS

Geo. W. Earl	Harry Cooper
Walter Vaughn Scott	

PAST GRAND SECRETARY

Susan Mills Willats

PAST GRAND TREASURERS

Isabelle L. Vawter	Eva H. Boyd
Annie Shingle Braseh	Sue Estelle Tuck
Georgia Hunt	Grace Diers Beekman
Bessie A. Pierce	Mattie Charette
Anna Lancaster McKenny	Mildred Blair Stone
Florence Newman	Grace I. Good
Gladys Huskinson Robinson	Clara Elizabeth Alvarez

PAST GRAND OFFICERS FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS

Sister Stella Parks, Past Grand Treasurer of New Mexico.
 Sister Ethelyn Geneva, Past Associate Grand Conductress of Iowa.

TRUSTEES OF THE EASTERN STAR HOME

Effie Easton, President.
 Darwin Willson Pierce, Vice-President.
 Hazael Marsh-Piper.
 Bert Richard Holloway.
 Willa Jane Hellwig.

Welcome—Effie Easton, Right Worthy Grand Conductress:

“Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Honored East, Members of this Grand Jurisdiction of the Order of the Eastern Star, State of California:

“It is now my privilege to welcome to this Pacific Coast those who are from out of the State and holding membership out of the Commonwealth of California. To those outside, theirs is the Great State, and, in welcoming them to this State we must say that we offer to them our heartfelt welcome to the gold and blue of the State of California. Our Worthy Grand Matron has outlined before us a picture of the Blue and Gold, and we are satisfied that when they leave for their homes just a bit of this picture will remain with them. In all the wealth of our words, in all the wealth of our affection, in all the wealth of the office which we occupy and they occupy, we bid them welcome.

(Sister Easton presents the present and past Grand Officers from other jurisdictions.)

“Sisters and brothers, we present to you this timber from other jurisdictions, timber that is part of the building of the States of Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Iowa. We welcome them to our jurisdiction and we say to them ‘God bless you for your goodness. May all your hopes for today, tomorrow and the hundreds of to-morrows that are facing you, be realized.’

“I also wish to welcome those distinguished members who have served the State of California for more years than some of you seated here have lived. They have been a part of the growth of this State. Our Senior Past Grand Matron, Sister Josephine Young, has worked on many committees. In 1921 she served Brother Musser and me as Chairman of Jurisprudence and

we found her of immeasurable help—her wise, calm and fair decisions helped us to make the year successful.

“In all of the fifteen centuries of the life of the Golden Rule, there has not been any mark made on it—a few scratches now and then, but no indentations—so we say there are no marks on the Golden Rule which we are pledged to follow.

“To the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of the State of California: How you have strived, how you have worked! Always with the best interests of the State of California and the good of the Order of the Eastern Star foremost in your minds. These services are distributed through the Proceedings for you to read, and we say to them, ‘We are proud to be seated in the East of this Grand Chapter with such servants as the Past Grand Matrons and the Past Grand Patrons, the honored and distinguished members of this Grand Jurisdiction’.”

Response—Myra Moyse, Past Grand Matron:

“Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, Members of this Grand Chapter, and Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Grand Conductress of General Grand Chapter:

“It is a genuine pleasure that is mine of responding to your gracious words of welcome in behalf of our distinguished guests and Past Grand Officers of our own Grand Jurisdiction. There is no privilege to be compared to listening to words of welcome unless it is responding to them.

“It truly is a distinctive honor to receive this cordial welcome from our much beloved Sister Effie Easton, one of the Grandest of General Grands of whom California is so justly proud.

“I am mindful of one thing ‘a little said and truly said can deeper joy impart, than lists of words that reach the head and never touch the heart’. The atmosphere of happiness and fraternal love which already surrounds us, makes us feel that ‘a cheery word with a friendly smile and a loving thought behind are the everlasting flowers of earth’.

“Our guests of other Grand Jurisdictions are here to receive inspiration and enthusiasm that they may carry home to their sister jurisdictions. May every word, thought and action of every member assist in promoting love, sympathy and friendship.

“And Worthy Grand Matron, those whom I represent, who have served our Grand Chapter in years past realize that our work is not completed and we hope to still assist with counsel and advice. We are here to serve rather than to be served; to make the problems of this Grand Chapter our problems and to work with our capable leaders in completing this splendid administration. From whatever Grand Jurisdiction we may have come, we pledge our faith once more in the teachings of our beautiful Order, and devote our energies anew to its service. May our labors together not only redound to the glory of our Father in Heaven whom we all honor and trust alike, to the advancement of our valiant Order, but be of some practical benefit to our country

socially, politically—a country which today demands leaders of courage and wisdom such as we have in our Order and is calling for the application of the spirit of brotherhood such as our Order teaches as the panacea for its difficulties.

“Worthy Grand Matron, I thank you for this courtesy extended to me. May infinite wisdom be given you to carry the deliberations of this session to a splendid close, and may the laws enacted reflect honor and credit to this Grand Chapter.”

The Associate Grand Matron, Sister Bertie Y. Todd, was escorted to the East and the following Grand Representatives were escorted to the Chapter room, presented by the Grand Marshal and welcomed:

Mabel Bettinson Grossinger.....	Alabama
Sadie Lumry.....	Alberta
Grace I. Good.....	Arkansas
Erna Boyce.....	British Columbia
Emma June Stanley.....	Connecticut
M. Josephine Young.....	Delaware
Louisa Starnes.....	Florida
Hazael Marsh-Piper.....	Georgia
Mabel Boyd Seymour.....	Illinois
Annie Shingle Brasch.....	Indiana
Nina Belt.....	Kentucky
Susan Mills Willats.....	Maine
Kathryn Winslow.....	Maryland
Elsie S. Holloway.....	Massachusetts
Myra Moyse.....	Minnesota
Viola Jenner.....	Missouri
Margaret MacKenzie.....	Mississippi
Emma Jane Rutherford.....	Montana
Bessie A. Pierce.....	Nebraska
Reva Johns.....	New Hampshire
Louisa Baker.....	New Brunswick
Thelma Bailey.....	New Mexico
Mary C. Entriiken.....	New York
Emma Riehl Leach.....	North Carolina
Mary E. Cartwright.....	North Dakota
Cora Spring Holland.....	Ohio
Elise Israel.....	Oklahoma
Lillian M. Holman.....	Pennsylvania
Zella Whitford Samson.....	Puerto Rico
Maude Mae McQuiddy.....	Rhode Island
Vera Musser.....	South Carolina
Willa Jane Hellwig.....	Tennessee
Maude Noble Haven.....	Utah
Ethelmae Ware.....	Wisconsin
Emma J. Hayner.....	Washington
Anna Noyes Moneur.....	West Virginia
Annie Marie Johnson.....	Wyoming
Eva M. Tremayne, Grand Representative of Missouri to Pennsylvania.	

Welcome—Bertie Y. Todd, Associate Grand Matron:

“Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Right Worthy Grand Conductress, Distinguished East, my Sisters and Brothers:

“Grand Representatives: It affords me genuine and sincere pleasure to have the privilege, through the courtesy of our Worthy Grand Matron, of extending to you a cordial welcome to this sixty-second annual session of the Grand Chapter of California. We appreciate your presence, bringing us fraternal greetings from our Sister Grand Jurisdictions, and reciprocate in the true spirit of our Order.

“May your sojourn at this Grand Chapter session be one of real joy to you and may our Star shine full on your path and lead you on through life’s labyrinth.

“I bid you welcome.”

**Response—Zella Whitford Samson, Past Grand Matron,
Representative of Puerto Rico:**

“Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of this Grand Chapter:

“Through the courtesy of our Worthy Grand Matron the privilege of responding to the fraternal welcome from our Associate Grand Matron, has been given to the Grand Representative of Puerto Rico.

“Sister Todd, we are happy to receive this cordial welcome you have given us. It is a joy and an honor to each Grand Representative present today and we accept it as coming from the Grand Chapter of California. Our presence here as representatives of Grand Chapters from remote corners of the world indicates the reality and heartiness of our acceptance.

“We bring you greetings and best wishes from the Grand Jurisdictions we represent. We are not meeting as strangers nor as visitors, but as one large family, with a unity of purpose and fraternity of action, gathered together from all parts of the Eastern Star world. We need these contacts so that from absorption and friction, from amicable discussion of the problems of others, we may learn how better to meet our own particular problems. We believe this banding together is a powerful factor for good throughout the world and that the Order of the Eastern Star has served as one of the instruments that has helped move civilization forward.

“I am sure we shall be wiser, better and happier for our days here together. It is a time of joy, of greeting, and of fellowship, and Worthy Grand Matron, we are looking forward to a happy and successful session—a time to be remembered—another milestone pleasantly passed in the life of our Order.

“Once again, Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Todd, and members of the Grand Chapter of California, we thank you for your welcome and hospitality.”

Solo—Sister Ruth Crandall Baker.

At twelve thirty the session was called from labor to refreshment.

TUESDAY—2 P. M.

October 15, 1935.

The Worthy Grand Matron declared the session at ease and requested Brother Clarence Morris to *escort the Governor of the State of California* to the Grand Chapter room. Sister Collins presented to the members His Excellency, the Honorable Frank F. Merriam, Governor of California.

Greetings—Hon. Frank. F. Merriam, Governor of California:

"Worthy Grand Matron and all these other dignitaries: (I only learned one title so I cannot give you the others.)

"I am happy to come to your organization, although I have no real message to bring to you. California is interested in all your sessions as every citizen of California should be, as California is what the citizens make of it. The government is made up of individuals and the government is going to be what the groups of individuals desire. Our civilization will be what you determine it shall be. You have the opportunity, and it is your duty, to register your wishes at elections. * * * I know some of your objectives. I know something of the ideals this organization has, and if these ideals could be adopted throughout the state and carried through to consummation, we would have a better State than it is today. I appeal to the members of this organization to apply the ideals of this fraternity to your activities in the building of a better community. * * * The State greets you, the State is interested in you, but the State can only benefit from your meeting and your activities as you are interested in the affairs of the State. I hope your fellowship and association at this meeting will cause you to go back to your homes more determined, more inspired, to carry on to a successful accomplishment the things for which this organization stands. To know you and to meet you is a matter of pleasure. California greets you."

The Worthy Grand Patron, Brother J. Hartley Taylor, responded, thanked the Governor and hoped we would have the pleasure of greeting him again.

Brother Morris then escorted the Hon. Frank F. Merriam from the Grand Chapter room and the session was called to order.

Brother Bert Copesey escorted to the East the representative of the Mayor of Coronado, Michael Faber, City Councilman and Worthy Patron of Coronado Chapter. The Worthy Grand Matron presented Brother Faber in a few well chosen words.

Civic Greeting—Michael Faber, City Councilman, Representing Peter McKenzie, Mayor of Coronado:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Honored and Distinguished East, Present Grand Officers, Sisters and Brothers:

"On behalf of our mayor and our city, I extend to you a most cordial greeting. We are deeply conscious of the great honor your presence reflects upon our community, and are truly grateful.

We are all proud of our little City of Coronado, where complete harmony and tranquility are prevalent at all times. I am sure that this ideal and enviable condition is directly traceable to the influence and practice of the benevolent principles of the Order of the Eastern Star—that influence permeates every worth while private enterprise in our city and is evidenced in every civic undertaking. I am most happy to inform you that every elected official of our city government is a Master Mason, and the majority are members of the Eastern Star.

“For an occasion of this magnitude and importance we are tempted to dress our city in its most colorful and gala attire, but we set aside that matter, for we considered to display bunting and tinsel would be to detract from the dignity and beauty of this session. We have therefore displayed only the precious emblem of our National Unity. We have erected at the base of our Community Pine Tree a simple verdant bower which embraces the sign carrying the simple beautiful letters “O. E. S.”. This sign we have superimposed by our city’s emblem, the Jeweled Crown, placed there to emphasize the grandeur of simplicity. As the green ray of our Eastern Star symbolizes hope and immortality, so likewise does our city emblem symbolize our hope that the Eastern Star may scintillate with increasing brilliance to the end of time.

“Worthy Grand Matron, we, the people of Coronado, fervently hope that your deliberations during this session may be rewarded by renewed inspiration and that your sojourn among us may bring you sweet repose and contentment and when your work is done we hope that you will be stimulated to cherish the desire to be with us again soon.

“I realize, Worthy Grand Matron, that it is the custom for a city’s highest official to present the key of the city to the highest official of an organization of this kind. But I refrain from doing so, not only because I doubt the utility of such a present, but primarily because our whole city is already unlocked to you. With the authority invested in me, I now most humbly and respectfully offer you the spiritual latchstring of our civic heart.”

Response—Edward C. Counter, Jr., Associate Grand Patron:

“Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers of this grand conference:

“To Brother Faber, Councilman, representing his Honor, the Mayor of Coronado:

“I wonder if the folks living in this part of the world realize the geographical importance of the situation of this fair City of Coronado. Here it lies at the gateway of a sister Republic, an ambassador of good will to that good sister Republic to the south. We often wondered through the years in which we have met with this Grand Body just why they knew how to dispense the hospitality that has been so generously and readily offered to us. We have found the answer today in Brother Faber. To them hospitality is their life, their very life blood. The two grandest words

in the English language, and the oldest, are Hospitality and Kindliness. They are the silver threads that twine their way through the fabric of man's inhumanity to man.

"On behalf of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, and the sisters and brothers assembled here, I thank you—truly you have kept well this secret of hospitality and kindness through the years. The silver thread is ever bright and true, and as sterling as the silver strand that surrounds your city. Thank you."

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

Walker Peddicord to Constitution and By-Laws.

Chas. Luck to Finance.

Ernest Lawrence to Distribution.

ADDRESS OF THE WORTHY GRAND MATRON

*Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand
Chapter of California, Sisters and Brothers:*

*Science says we may live again,
Philosophy says man wants to live again,
Ethics say a man ought to live again, and
Christianity says a man shall live again!*

Perhaps the greatest joy in our hearts today—this glad October day—as we meet to survey the accomplishments of the year just closing and rededicate ourselves to the work just ahead—the greatest joy is the knowledge that we are ever endeavoring to further the cause of Christianity through the lessons in our beautiful Order of the Eastern Star. I like the answer given by a great teacher who, when asked “What is a Christian”, replied: “A citizen of the United States, my dear sir!”

He was right—our loved America was founded on the Christian religion—and the two in their broadest sense are identical. Not only has the year brought to the waiting hearts of the members of our Order the gladness and the comfort of the Christian religion, but it has brought us a patriotic consciousness as well. No longer do we dare just to march—to sing our national songs—to wave the colors of the Stars and Stripes—that day is past. Today, we know that the real patriot does something about it!

It is as if the story told of Jane Addams has been revived! She was visiting a neighboring school—the children were lustily singing “My Country ’tis of Thee”. An hour later, Miss Addams passed an alley and saw one of the boys dumping garbage on the ground instead of putting it into the receptacle provided for it. Miss Addams turned into the alley and asked: “Weren’t you one of the boys singing this morning ‘My Country ’tis of Thee?’”. “Yes’m,” was the reply. “Well, this alley is a part of your country. It is for you to keep it clean and pleasant.”

We have been striving this year to dare to do whatever is possible in our devotion to help toward our country’s betterment. Let us ask this question: “What have we done?”. We might ask: “Have we done anything for our Order?”.

We acknowledge our year’s association one with another, beautiful in its purpose and gratifying in its results. That we live in a world of change must be recognized by every member of our great Order. It is not enough to say glibly that “human nature does not change” and that the age old problems will ever be the same—the problems of the new age are not so simple as that “New occasions teach new duties” and our members are gradually assuming them.

The challenge of the hour is still upon us. Are we rethinking of our part? Are we proclaiming a mighty God to men and women who are becoming members of our Order? As I ask you these questions, the memory of your loving kindnesses and the glad welcome you have so graciously accorded me comes over me and I only pray that every happy hour which you have given me may be multiplied four-fold.

May your happiness and comfort during this entire session be a part of your happiest memories.

IN MEMORIAM

We pause for a moment on this beautiful October morning in the midst of our joy of reunion to give expression to the thought that "God in His Wisdom knows best" in calling to His Heavenly Home those who have walked with us and whose work is ended here. We extend loving sympathy to those bereaved.

Chlo A. Routzahn-Craig, Worthy Grand Matron 1903-1904.

Stella Morgan Linseott, Worthy Grand Matron 1922-1923.

Ernest Eugene Noon, Worthy Grand Patron 1922-1923.

Lora Virginia Ream, Grand Treasurer 1885-1886.

Virginia Nellie Coate, Associate Grand Matron 1913-1914.

In other Grand Jurisdictions and to those in our Subordinate Chapters, whose loved ones have been called to their eternal rest, we assure them of our sympathy.

OFFICIAL ACTS

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

The following Grand Officers were appointed:

Edna A. Cannon (335)	Grand Chaplain
Maude Ethel Fluetsch (126)	Grand Marshal
Charles E. Anderson (238)	Grand Organist
Corine Orban Melville (144)	Grand Adah
Winnie May Dean (389)	Grand Ruth
Rosina Elizabeth Nodder (409)	Grand Esther
Kathryn M. Farwell (115)	Grand Martha
Mamie G. Cooper (401)	Grand Electa
Flora T. Whitney (209)	Grand Warder
Ruth E. Arganbright (412)	Grand Sentinel

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

District No. 1—Ebba M. Cullberg, Arcata No. 207.

District No. 2—Eunice Autenrieth, Stella No. 39.

District No. 3—Bess Eugene Lee, Redding No. 44.

District No. 4—Amy C. R. Jarman, Alturas No. 51.

- District No. 5—Louise B. Allard, Marshall No. 86.
District No. 6—Ethel W. Hurd, Westwood No. 377.
District No. 7—Charlotte M. Brink, Lyman No. 363.
District No. 8—Sadie Tudsbury, Penrhyn No. 159.
District No. 9—Esther Duncan, Augusta No. 80.
District No. 10—Charlotte E. Purvine, Morning Star No. 61.
District No. 11—Wilna V. Mitchell, St. Helena No. 274.
District No. 12—Yettah L. Torp, Suisun No. 2.
District No. 13—Viola Driver, Columbus No. 117.
District No. 14—Muriel A. Rice, Natoma No. 233.
District No. 15—Marguerite A. Rhodes, Milton No. 244.
District No. 16—Elizabeth Lillieo, Elk Grove No. 109.
District No. 17—Edna M. Christman, Golden Poppy No. 355.
District No. 18—Ruth W. Sharpe, Pittsburg No. 353.
District No. 19—Lillian D. Randall, Berkeley No. 178.
District No. 20—Ella Huettelman, Effie Easton No. 392.
District No. 21—Vara C. Keefer, Mary E. Partridge No. 308.
District No. 22—Eva Lillian Bruce, Unity No. 65.
District No. 23—Dora Richmond, Orient No. 177.
District No. 24—Elvira A. Brehaut, Yerba Buena No. 228.
District No. 25—Norine M. Dunlap, King Solomon's No. 170.
District No. 26—Tessie G. Armknecht, Mission No. 155.
District No. 27—Mazie G. Miller, Olive Branch No. 169.
District No. 28—Ida M. Denhard, Roosevelt No. 470.
District No. 29—Edwina Benner, Sunnyvale No. 250.
District No. 30—Edith L. Reed, Manzanita No. 342.
District No. 31—Sydwelle G. Burwash, Lily of the Valley No. 18.
District No. 32—Elvetta F. Grohl, Summit No. 138.
District No. 33—Pearl May Kilby, Calkota No. 309.
District No. 34—Anna G. Allen, Lily of the Lake No. 41.
District No. 35—Elizabeth Heiskell, Tulare No. 94.
District No. 36—Emma Jane Wright, Wasco No. 489.
District No. 37—Del Frances Wylie, Security No. 426.
District No. 38—Pearl A. Crook, Sierra No. 318.
District No. 39—Julia M. Howard, Ramona No. 97.
District No. 40—Cora R. Lewis, Vallecito No. 523.
District No. 41—May Benton, Palisades No. 474.
District No. 42—C. Enid Deeds, Holly Vista No. 517.
District No. 43—Vivian M. Brown, Larehmont No. 463.
District No. 44—Maude Mae McQuiddy, Malta No. 475.
District No. 45—Isabel Strathearn, America No. 408.
District No. 46—Bernice Harlan Bidwell, Acacia No. 21.
District No. 47—Marion E. Connerton, Loyalty No. 217.
District No. 48—Bess W. Showalter, Van Nuys No. 338.
District No. 49—Emma L. Powell, Lamanda Park No. 473.
District No. 50—Ethel Roper, Ramona Star No. 367.
District No. 51—Ethel J. Mattson, Angeles Vista No. 516.
District No. 52—Emma Mooney, Bell No. 393.
District No. 53—Edith Mae Kasper, Torrance No. 380.
District No. 54—Helen Miller, Searchlight No. 435.

- District No. 55—Elsie L. Vrooman, Occident No. 160.
 District No. 56—Ruth de Buxton, Norwalk No. 143.
 District No. 57—Inice E. Orton, Seaside No. 259.
 District No. 58—Bela G. Lynde, Gate City No. 212.
 District No. 59—Daisy E. Price, Copa del Oro No. 142.
 District No. 60—Jennie Montgomery, San Dimas No. 509.
 District No. 61—Bessie A. Reed, Silver Strand No. 387.
 District No. 62—Sarah F. Berger, Chula Vista No. 458.
 District No. 63—Esther J. Kavanaugh, Alamitos No. 316.

STANDING COMMITTEES

1934-1935

BENEVOLENT FUND DISTRICTS AND CHAIRMEN

- Mrs. Helen Margia Knight (155), General Chairman...609 Sutter St., S. F.
 No. 1—Mrs. Emma Riehl Leach (63).....2204 D St., Eureka
 No. 2—Mrs. Cecelia Chamberlain (53).....Greenville, Plumas Co.
 No. 3—Mrs. Mabel Boyd Seymour (36).....1605 H St., Sacramento
 No. 4—Mrs. Louise Baker (362).....611 Flower St., Bakersfield
 No. 5—Mrs. Kathryn L. Winslow (228).....2331 Cabrillo St., San Francisco
 No. 6—Mrs. Emma B. Graves (410).....1185 Holman Rd., Oakland
 No. 7—Miss Sue Estelle Tuck (68).....502 Forest Ave., Pacific Grove
 No. 8—Mrs. Bessie A. Pierce (268).....1023 S. Gramercy Pl., Los Angeles
 No. 9—Mrs. Georgia Bourne (281).....2048 DeFrance, So. Pasadena
 No. 10—Mrs. Marie V. Hammer (225).....2323 Scarff St., Los Angeles
 No. 11—Mrs. Cora M. Rosvall (345).....222 G St., Chula Vista

Credentials

- Zella Whitford Samson (279).....Corning
 Bessie A. Pierce (268).....1022 So. Gramercy Place, Los Angeles
 Clara Jesson (269).....1067 Ashbury St., San Francisco
 Melicent Cullen (396).....540 40th Ave., San Francisco
 Maude Bigelow Sibley (168).....645 W. Glenoaks, Glendale

Jurisprudence

- Waldo Francis Postel (196).....Kohl Bldg., San Francisco
 Lloyd Ellis Griffin (264).....3436 Voltaire St., San Diego
 Wallace Taylor Rutherford (235).....617 Wilson St., Napa

Constitution and By-Laws

- Dr. W. Frank Holman (168).....711 W. 43rd Place, Los Angeles
 Delos A. Mace (63).....Box 704, Eureka
 Emma Riehl Leach (63).....2204 D St., Eureka

Finance

- Dr. Maude Noble Haven (27) (3 yrs.).....611 Baker St., San Francisco
 Cora Spring Holland (225) (2 yrs.).....126 N. Ave. 54, Los Angeles
 Guy W. Brundage (57) (1 yr.).....Auburn

Warrants and Dispensations

- Jessie Galbraith Morris (362).....1915 18th St., Bakersfield
 Minnie Elliott Seymour (219).....Mill Valley
 Myra Moyse (503).....1219 N. Alvarado St., Los Angeles

Appeals and Grievances

- Robert Purl Easley (42).....Antioch
 Emma Blanchard Graves (410).....1185 Holman Road, Oakland
 Ruth E. Lawrence (352).....1019 N. Olive St., Burbank

Returns

- Joseph Mayo Argabrite (79).....215 W. 5th St., Los Angeles
 Pauline Ada Hause (150).....700 Mason St., San Francisco
 Maud Dezell Bradley (133).....527 E. Jefferson Blvd., Los Angeles

Distribution

- Russell B. LaFontaine (268).....2028 Sacramento St., Los Angeles
 Mabel Boyd Seymour (36).....1605 H St., Sacramento
 Raymond H. Griest (210).....504 Palm Dr., Hermosa Beach

Printing

- Grace Richardson Butterfield (124).....262 20th Ave., San Francisco
 Walter W. Bradley (178).....State Division of Mines, Ferry Bldg., S. F.
 Gladys Fitch Pierce (78).....409 E. Valerio St., Santa Barbara

Necrology

- Alta Ogden (209).....8035 W. Norton Ave., Hollywood
 Isabel Braine (401).....108 E. Humboldt St., San Jose
 Blanche Peterson (518).....1519 W. Santa Barbara Ave., Los Angeles

Pay of Members

Roy Musser (413).....	1204 W. 41st Place, Los Angeles
Annie Shingle Brasch (196).....	268 16th Ave., San Francisco
Elsie Mae McGiffin (317).....	2441 Glendower St., Los Angeles

Fraternal Correspondence

Minnie B. Williams (31).....	Rt. 3, Box 503, San Jose
Mary Isabel Warner (179).....	122 West H St., Ontario
Verna V. Westhoven (147).....	120 S. Mayo Ave., Compton

Education

Jule Balice (124).....	315 Lake St., San Francisco
Helen Bierma (406).....	649 N. Robinson St., Los Angeles
Beulah E. Ludlow (352).....	730 N. Angeleno St., Burbank

Publicity

Maidie E. Jopling (264).....	4151 Jackson St., San Diego
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Student Loan Fund

Albert C. McCloskey (392).....	5707 Fleming Ave., Oakland
Lena Walker Stannard (173).....	1100 Pine Ave., Long Beach
John Lewis McDonald (31).....	881 S. 11th St., San Jose

Grand Chapter Week Activities

Bert Copsey (332).....	444 H St., Coronado
Esther W. Hadley (345).....	2140 Highland Ave., National City
Joseph Smith, Jr. (96).....	5139 Hawthorne St., San Diego

SPECIAL COMMITTEES**Eastern Star Temple, Sacramento**

Herbert D. Wise (115).....	Alameda
Aaron Turner (293).....	Oakland
Walker Peddicord (196).....	San Francisco

Housing

Bertin Copsey (332).....	444 H St., Coronado
Helen L. Worden (332).....	659 I St., Coronado
Mabel Sutton Bettinson (300).....	Lemon Grove

Visiting

Elizabeth Gaudet (434).....	82 Stanton St., San Francisco
Ethel Dailey (284).....	115 De Soto St., San Francisco
Anna Depner (432).....	503 Waller St., San Francisco

Courtesies

Irma Lawrence (269)

Revision of Instruction Book

Minnie Viola Collins, Worthy Grand Matron
 Dr. Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron
 Zella Whitford Samson, Past Grand Matron
 Lillian Holman, Past Matron

Form for Election and Registration

Lillian Holman (163).....	711 West 43 Place, Los Angeles
Clara E. Alvarez (225).....	500 Court St., Los Angeles
Zella Whitford Samson (279).....	Corning

Nov. 1, 1934—Appointed Sister Maud Dezell Bradley, Past Grand Matron, to represent me at Wil-Brea Chapter No. 520.

Dec. 5, 1934—Appointed Dr. W. Frank Holman, Past Grand Patron, to represent me at Florence Chapter No. 477.

Mar. 28, 1935—Appointed Maud McWilliams Smith to act as Grand Secretary to fill the vacaney caused by the death of Grand Secretary Stella Morgan Linseott.

Apr. 26, 1935—Authorized the Acting Grand Secretary to issue a duplicate Charter to Mt. Whitney Chapter No. 197.

May 21, 1935—Appointed Dr. W. Frank Holman, Past Grand Patron, to represent me at Oriental Chapter No. 258.

SCHOOLS OF INSTRUCTION**October 23 to 26, 1934**

Held School of Instruction for Deputy Grand Matrons in Golden Gate Commandery Hall, San Francisco. The work was exemplified by the San Francisco Degree Team under the leadership of Dr. Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron.

Worthy Matron, Grace Richardson Butterfield, Harmony Chapter No. 124; Worthy Patron, Harry L. Dewey, California Chapter No. 183; Associate Matron, Mabel Bowen, George Washington Chapter No. 409; Associate Patron, E. J. Stanley, Beulah Chapter No. 99; Secretary, Catherine Yates, Seaport Chapter No. 427; Treasurer, Clara Jesson, Parnassus Chapter No. 269; Conductress, Lilas Seagrave, Beulah Chapter No. 99; Associate Conductress, Norine Dunlap, King Solomon's Chapter No. 170; Chaplain, Etta Benney, Fireside Chapter No. 440; Marshal, Chrissie Barron, Golden Gate Chapter No. 1; Organist, Cecil Hackmeier, Richmond Chapter No. 255; Adah, Florence Thomas, Justice Chapter No. 460; Ruth, Nellie Husted, Golden West Chapter No. 350; Esther, Elizabeth Johnson, Ivy Chapter No. 27; Martha, Eva Reinhart, Seal Rock Chapter No. 396; Electa, Stella Jensen, Crocker Chapter No. 382; Warder, Cora Gable, Imperial Chapter No. 229; Sentinel, Melicent Cullen, Seal Rock Chapter No. 396; Flag Bearer, Faustine Peddicord, San Francisco Chapter No. 196.

Substitutes: Lily Levy (251), soloist; Ethel Dailey (284), Tessie Armknecht (155), Norma Betts Funk (262), Barbara Fairgreve (155), Hertha Magnus (374).

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

Associate Grand Matron, Bertie Y. Todd; Associate Grand Patron, Edward C. Counter, Jr.; Grand Secretary, Stella Morgan Linscott; Grand Marshal, Maude Ethel Fluetsch; Grand Esther, Rosina Elizabeth Nodder; Grand Martha, Kathryn M. Farwell; Grand Electa, Mamie G. Cooper; Past Grand Matrons, Jessie Galbraith Morris, Grace Richardson Butterfield, Willa Jane Hellwig, Pauline Ada Hause, Emma Riehl Leach, M. Josephine Young, Stella Morgan Linscott, Maude Noble Haven, Zella Whitford Samson, Minnie Elliott Seymour, Clara Abbott Giber son; Past Associate Grand Matrons, Ida Fitzchen, Emma Blanchard Graves; Past Associate Grand Patron, Charles H. Haake; Past Grand Secretary, Susan Mills Willats; Past Grand Treasurers, Annie Shingle Brasch, Florence Newman.

October 30-November 2, 1934

Held School of Instruction for Deputy Grand Matrons in Masonic Temple, Pico and Figueroa, Los Angeles. The work was exemplified by the Southern California Degree Team under the leadership of Sister Lillian Holman, Past Matron.

Worthy Matron, Bessie A. Pierce, West Lake Chapter No. 268; Worthy Patron, Knowlton R. Bradley, South Gate Chapter No. 133; Associate Matron, Minnie R. Snow, East Gate Chapter No.

225; Treasurer, Eva H. Boyd, Chispa Chapter No. 151; Conductress, Elsie Mae McGiffin, Rose Croix Chapter No. 317; Associate Conductress, Grace E. Dequine, Westlake Chapter No. 268; Chaplain, Maud D. Bradley, South Gate Chapter No. 133; Marshal, Ethel G. Pembroke, Westlake Chapter No. 268; Organist, Mattie M. Charette, Esperanza Chapter No. 167; Adah, Frances L. Schroeder, Los Angeles Chapter No. 168; Ruth, Corine O. Melville, Lyra Chapter No. 144; Esther, Louise D. Robinson, Esperanza Chapter No. 167; Martha, Blanche L. Peterson, Betsy Ross Chapter No. 518; Electa, Grace I. Good, York Chapter No. 343; Warder, Clara E. Alvarez, East Gate Chapter No. 225; Sentinel, Georgia Bourne, Pleiades Chapter No. 281; Flag Bearer, Paul D. Robinson, Esperanza Chapter No. 167.

Substitutes: Vera P. Musser, Elaine Bosserman, Olive Moore.

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

Worthy Grand Patron, J. Hartley Taylor; Associate Grand Matron, Bertie Y. Todd; Grand Conductress, Rita May Cooper; Grand Adah, Corine Melville; Grand Chaplain, Edna Cannon; Grand Warder, Flo T. Whitney; Grand Secretary, Stella Morgan Linseott; Grand Ruth, Winnie Mae Dean; Grand Marshal, Maude Ethel Fleutsehr; Associate Grand Conductress, Mary Isabel Warmer. Past Grand Matrons: Cora Spring Holland, Maude Noble Haven, Maud D. Bradley, Elsie Mae McGiffin, Gladys Fitch Pierce; Past Grand Patrons: Bert Richard Holloway, Dr. W. Frank Holman, Joseph Mayo Argabrite, Benjamin F. Cartwright; Past Associate Grand Matron, Margaret Sawyer; Past Grand Treasurers: Mattie M. Charette, Grace Good, Bessie A. Pierce, Clara Alvarez, Georgia Hunt and Eva Boyd.

APPRECIATION TO LEADERS OF DEGREE TEAMS

The most valuable service given to me this year was received from the leaders and officers of the two Degree Teams. The beautiful work exemplified throughout our State this year is due to the splendid instruction received by the Deputy Grand Matrons from these Degree Teams. I owe a debt of gratitude to the two leaders, Dr. Maude Noble Haven and Lillian Holman, and appreciate their true worth. I was an officer on the San Francisco Degree Team for a number of years and the experience gained under the instruction of Dr. Maude Noble Haven is invaluable.

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS APPROVED

1934

Nov. 1—Composite Chapter No. 498—Changing meeting night.

9—San Geronio Chapter No. 515—Lowering affiliation fee.

15—Alhambra Chapter No. 192—Providing salary for Treasurer.

Victory Chapter No. 388—Lowering dues.

- 20—Lauralane Chapter No. 529—Providing allowance for delegate to Grand Chapter and amounts for entertainment.
All States Chapter No. 502—Omitting meeting in December.
- 28—Sierra Chapter No. 318—Raising fees and dues.
- Dec. 7—Reveille Chapter No. 47—Omitting meetings.
Fidelity Chapter No. 131—Reducing initiation fee.
- 24—Homo Chapter No. 50—Raising dues.
- 28—Fallen Leaf Chapter No. 90—Lowering fees and omitting meeting in July and August.
Holly Vista Chapter No. 517—Increasing allowance to Associate Matron for attendance at Grand Chapter.
El Camino Chapter No. 428—Omitting meetings; fixing salaries of officers; fixing allowances for Worthy Matron's expenses to Grand Chapter and for jewels.
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- Jan. 14—Manzanita Chapter No. 342—Providing for compensation for officers.
16—Redding Chapter No. 44—Raising dues.
Beacon Ray Chapter No. 495—Creating Relief Committee.
30—Santa Paula Chapter No. 185—Omitting meeting in July.
- Feb. 2—La Posa Chapter No. 282—Omitting meetings.
Crown Chapter No. 162—Providing compensation for Treasurer.
11—Coachella Valley Chapter No. 360—Omitting meetings.
14—Buena Vista Chapter No. 364—Changing meeting night.
20—Venus Chapter No. 534—Omitting meetings.
Gardena Chapter No. 260—Omitting meetings.
23—Presidio Chapter No. 481—Omitting meetings; providing allowance for Worthy Patron when attending Grand Chapter.
Roseland Chapter No. 465—Reducing affiliation fee.
24—Southland Chapter No. 307—Providing for financial statements by Secretary and Auditing Committee.
- Mar. 2—Victory Chapter No. 388—Deleting section regarding budget.
Justice Chapter No. 460—Changing meeting night.
9—Service Chapter No. 414—Changing meeting day and hour.
Beacon Ray Chapter No. 495—Omitting meetings.
22—Foothill Chapter No. 433—Omitting meetings.
Yolo Chapter No. 60—Amending sections to conform to Constitution.

- April 10—Lynwood Chapter No. 438—Stipulating amount for representative to Grand Chapter.
Lindsay Chapter No. 306—Revised to conform to Uniform Code.
- 17—Upland Chapter No. 346—Deleting section providing for social fund.
- 21—Composite Chapter No. 498—Increasing Secretary's salary.
Loyalty Chapter No. 217—Revised to conform to Uniform Code.
- 26—Wilmington Chapter No. 459—Revised to conform to Uniform Code.
Pasadena Chapter No. 108—Lowering initiation fee; providing for notification to members of proposed amendments to by-laws.
- May 10—San Rafael Chapter No. 215—Revised to conform to Uniform Code.
Malta Chapter No. 475—Omitting meetings; lowering fees; providing compensation for officers; stipulating allowance for Worthy Matron when attending Grand Chapter.
- 11—Mystic Star Chapter No. 279—Omitting meetings.
- 15—Yerba Buena Chapter No. 228—Lowering fees.
- 20—Heliotrope Chapter No. 93—Omitting meetings.
- 25—Caledonia Chapter No. 391—Omitting meetings.
- 27—Atwater Chapter No. 522—Lowering fees.
- June 1—Modesto Chapter No. 532—Omitting meetings.
Amity Chapter No. 262—Omitting meetings.
- 3—Keystone Chapter No. 235—Omitting meetings; lowering fees; providing for amendments.
- 10—America Chapter No. 408—Lowering initiation fee.
- 14—Acacia Chapter No. 21—Revision to conform to Uniform Code and Constitution.
- 15—Libertas Chapter No. 362—Omitting meetings.
- 20—Service Chapter No. 414—Omitting meetings.
- 25—Bettina Chapter No. 399—Omitting references to Constitution.
Clear Lake Chapter No. 137—Omitting meetings.
Cambria Pines Chapter No. 525—Providing for election of Trustees; omitting meetings.
Livingston Chapter No. 531—Omitting meetings.
Imperial Chapter No. 229—Omitting meetings.
- July 8—Patterson Chapter No. 417—Omitting meetings.
- 11—Alhambra Chapter No. 193—Omitting meetings; omitting references to Constitution; stipulating amount to be allowed Worthy Matron when attending Grand Chapter.
- 20—Sterling Chapter No. 533—Providing compensation for officers.

- Aug. 7—Casimir Chapter No. 252—Omitting meetings.
 15—Crockett Chapter No. 184—Omitting meetings; raising fees.
 23—Santa Barbara Chapter No. 501—Omitting meetings.
 30—Southland Chapter No. 307—Raising Life Membership fee.
 Sept. 17—Temple City Chapter No. 448—Omitting meetings; lowering affiliation fee.
 Acantha Chapter No. 249—Revision of by-laws.
 28—Yosolano Chapter No. 218—Omitting meetings.
 Oct. 8—Encina Chapter No. 519—Omitting meetings.
 12—Los Angeles Chapter No. 168—Raising dues.

SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS

To Re-Ballot:

1934

- November 14—Rising Light Chapter No. 286.
 November 26—Golden Wave Chapter No. 103.
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 December 7—The Gardens Chapter No. 464.
 December 7—Point Firmin Chapter No. 512.

1935

- January 14—Garden Grove Chapter No. 483.
 February 2—Mt. Whitney Chapter No. 197.
 February 7—Menorah Chapter No. 497.
 February 9—Valley of the Moon Chapter No. 85.
 February 9—Chowchilla Chapter No. 365.
 April 14—Santa Maria Chapter No. 453.
 June 8—Ocean Spray Chapter No. 68.
 July 19—Brilliant Star No. 472.
 September 3—Unity Chapter No. 65.
 September 16—Orange Blossom Chapter No. 488.
 September 24—Beverly Hills Chapter No. 404.

To Hold Annual Election After January 1st:

1934

- December 31—Eagle Chapter No. 187.

To Receive Under Six Months Residence:

1934

- November 13—Acantha Chapter No. 249.

1935

- February 26—Pleiades Chapter No. 281
 May 6—Signal Chapter No. 276.

To Receive and Ballot the Same Evening:

- March 29—Wil-Brea Chapter No. 520.

COMMISSIONS ISSUED:**To Grand Representatives of Other Grand Jurisdictions**

Alabama—Mrs. Mabel Bettinson Grossmyer.
Arizona—Mrs. Gladys Fitch Pierce.
British Columbia—Miss Erna Boyce.
Colorado—Mrs. Anna Nabor.
Connecticut—Mrs. Emma June Stanley.
District of Columbia—Mrs. Mildred McWilliams Neville.
Georgia—Mrs. Hazael Marsh Piper.
Idaho—Mrs. Leila Vevoda.
Iowa—Miss Olive Moore.
Kansas—Mrs. Corine Orban Melville.
Kentucky—Mrs. Nina V. Belt.
Massachusetts—Mrs. Elsie Shannon Holloway.
Montana—Mrs. Emma Jane Rutherford.
New Mexico—Mrs. Mabel H. Dominguez.
New York—Mrs. Mary Cherrie Entriken.
Oklahoma—Miss Elise Israel.
Oregon—Mrs. Clara Teall.
Pennsylvania—Mrs. Lillian Holman.
Quebec—Mrs. Anna Grimsley Allen.
Scotland—Mrs. Lillian C. Raymond.
South Carolina—Mrs. Vera Musser.
South Dakota—Mrs. Maude Bigelow Sibley.
Tennessee—Mrs. Willa Jane Hellwig.
Utah—Dr. Maude Noble Haven.
Vermont—Mrs. Louetta Nohrden.
Wisconsin—Mrs. Ethelmae Ware.

To Grand Representatives of California

Connecticut—Mrs. Olga C. Johnson.
Delaware—Mrs. Sara S. MacNamee.
Indiana—Charlene Harvey.
Michigan—Sara I. Wilson.
North Carolina—Mrs. Nelle Houn (unexpired term), Miss
Blanche Hardee.
North Dakota—Mrs. Ouita Weydahl.
New Hampshire—Mrs. Fannie B. Heald.
New Jersey—
New Mexico—Mrs. Minnie H. Miller.
Oregon—Mrs. Mabel Settlemier.
Puerto Rico—
Quebec—Mrs. Dorothy Allaston.
South Dakota—Mrs. Margaret Woolzmuth.
Tennessee—Mrs. Clara Renfro.
Texas—Mrs. Eva Adams.
Utah—Mrs. Susie Corfield.
Vermont—Mrs. Minnie Barber.
Washington—Mrs. Belle Price.
Wyoming—Mrs. Margaret Daley.

INSTALLATIONS

It was a very great pleasure to assist in the Installation ceremonies in various Chapters throughout the State, as follows:

December 3—Joint Installation of Sacramento Chapters:

Ada No. 301,
Fort Sutter No. 420,
Naomi No. 36,
Columbus No. 117,
Lauralane No. 529,
Sacramento No. 190;

December 4—Berkeley Chapter No. 178;

December 5—Valley of the Moon No. 85;

December 6—Parnassus No. 269;

December 8—Joint Installation of Long Beach Chapters:

Long Beach No. 173,
Palos Verdes No. 310,
Bettina No. 399,
Glassell Park Chapter No. 486;

December 11—San Pedro Harbor Chapter No. 174;

December 12—Whittier Chapter No. 444;

December 13—The Gardens Chapter No. 464;

December 14—Burbank Chapter No. 352;

December 15—Lyra Chapter No. 144;

December 20—Mill Valley Chapter No. 219;

December 22—Joint Installation of San Jose Chapters:

Starlight Chapter No. 401,
San Jose Chapter No. 31,
Fraternity Chapter No. 288,
Jarman Chapter No. 493;

December 26—Oak Leaf Chapter No. 8.

ITINERARY OF OFFICIAL VISITS**JANUARY**

2nd—Oak Leaf 8, Encina 519, Oakland 140.

3rd—Albert Pike 284, Golden Gate 1, Seal Rock 396.

4th—Carita 115, Alameda 386, Elvesta 293.

5th—Beacon 383, Miramar 205, Acantha 249, Point 394.

7th—Reveille 47, La Posa 282.

8th—Atascadero 344, Violet 102, Bethlehem 95.

9th—Ramona 97, Corona 107, Cambria Pines 525.

10th—Mizpah 100, Miguelito 176.

11th—Marguerite 78, Vallecito 523, Santa Barbara 501.

12th—Ventura 79, Santa Paula 185, Oxnard 322, Fillmore 361,
Ojai 528.

14th—Radiant 421, Hollywood 209, Holly Vista 517, Cahuenga
413.

15th—Occident 160, Montebello 335, Lyra 144, Whittier 444.

16th—Pleiades 281, Nimshi 424, Oriental 258.

- 17th—Palisades 474, Santa Monica 113, Triangle 456, Ocean Park 245.
18th—Pasadena 108, Altadena 526, Monrovia 227, Southland 307.
19th—Ramona Star 367, Arcadia 471, San Gabriel 407, Temple City 448.
21st—Seaside 259, Laguna Beach 521, San Clemente 525.
22nd—Poinsettia 287, Escondido 154, Fallbrook 390.
23rd—Silver Strand 387, Southern Star 96, Estrella 412, Corinthian 358.
24th—La Mesa 300, El Cajon 429, San Diego 264, Normal Heights 478.
25th—La Jolla 479, Point Loma 490, Santa Maria 453.
26th—Coronado 332, Southwest 345, Chula Vista 458.
28th—Alamitos 316, Imperial Crown 311, Signal 276.
29th—Alamo 289, Golden Rule 267.
30th—Blythe 359.
31st—Coachella Valley 360.

FEBRUARY

- 2nd—Needles 242.
4th—Mt. Whitney 197, Kearsarge 378, Sierra 318.
6th—Norwalk 143, Buena Park 240, Brea 506, La Habra 508.
7th—Ionic 446, West Adams 411, Sunset 216, South Gate 133.
8th—Henry S. Orme 492, Siloam 406, Loyalty 217, Betsy Ross 518.
9th—All States 502, Service 414, Long Beach 173, Searchlight 435.
11th—Libertas 362, Caledonia 391, Security 426, Bakersfield 125.
12th—Maricopa 323, Taft 337, Buena Vista 364, Faith 514.
13th—Wasco 489, Delano 146.
14th—Sanger 482, Heliotrope 93, Reedley 257, Kingsburg 312.
15th—Lily of the Lake 41, Coreoran 370, Lucerne 127, Riverdale 400.
16th—Lindsay 306, Palm Leaf 114, Exeter 334, Woodlake 510.
18th—Tulare 94, Martha Washington 13, Dinuba 261, Monte Vista 271.
19th—Concordia 320, Calkota 309, Raisina 89, Fresno 295, Venus 534.
20th—Eschscholtzia 270.
21st—Mercedes 126, Madera 92, Chowchilla 365, Livingston 531.
22nd—Summit 138, El Rio 333, Oakdale 226.
23rd—Las Mariposas 200.
25th—Electa 72, Wistaria 296, Smyrna 416, Modesto 532.
26th—Patterson 417, Orestimba 139, Centinella 136.
27th—Escalonia 447, Joaquin 348, Pentalpha 339.
28th—Tuolumne Star 123.

MARCH

- 1st—Caliz de Oro 457, Foothill 433, Effie Easton 392, Fruitvale 297.
- 2nd—Golden West 350, Presidio 481, George Washington 409, Forest 432.
- 4th—Sierra Madre 299, Granada 442, Alhambra 193, Lexington 172.
- 5th—The Gardens 464, Artesia 253, Hollenbeck 248, Belvedere 402.
- 6th—Copa del Oro 142, Crown 162, Ungava 106, Elsinore 243.
- 7th—La Victoria 241, Miriam 302, Tahquitz 351, San Geronio 515.
- 8th—Glen Eyrie 237, Crescenta Valley 494, Lankershim 403, Glendale 422, Tujunga 445.
- 9th—Pomona 110, Claremont 324, Star of the West 468, San Dimas 509, Baldwin Park 527.
- 11th—Sunbeam 376, Daylight 265 (1 P. M.).
- 11th—Moneta 315, Jordan 500, Manchester 449, Angeles Vista 516.
- 12th—Eagle Rock 313.
- 13th—Bethel 476, Melrose 466, Palestine 210, Majestic 480.
- 14th—Torrance 380, Point Firmin 512, San Pedro Harbor 174, Wilmington 459.
- 15th—Malta 475, Esperanza 167, Pacific 192, Utopia 441.
- 16th—Acacia 21, Los Angeles 168, Westlake 268.
- 18th—Hermosa 105, Santa Ana 389, Scepter 163, Garden Grove 483.
- 19th—Atwater 522, Glassell Park 486, El Sereno 430, Garvanza 266.
- 20th—Bettina 399, Palos Verdes 310, El Petrol 507, Mar Vista 511.
- 21st—Euclid 179, Orange Blossom 488, Upland 346.
- 22nd—Silver Wave 75, Gate City 212, Colton 211, Mojave Valley U. D.
- 23rd—Wilshire 329, Harding 454, Olivette 503, Wil-Brea 520, Elysian 354.
- 25th—Bell 393, Rising Light 286, Bellflower 397, Guardian 439.
- 26th—Women's Masonic Club, U. C. L. A., 2 P. M.
- 26th—Chispa 151, Fullerton 191, Yorba Linda 347, Ami Tai 405.
- 29th—Reception—Worthy Grand Patron, J. Hartley Taylor.
- 30th—Los Angeles reception.

APRIL

- 2nd—Jasmine 145, La Puente 325, La Paloma 202, Glenn 357.
3rd—Columbia 247, Beverly Hills 404, Culver City 395,
Palms 491, Westwood Hills U. D.
4th—South Park 443, Sunnyside 436, Ascot 437, Florence
477.
5th—Lynwood 438, York 343, Pearl 147, Gardena 260.
6th—Sunshine 327, Tehachapi 188.
8th—San Fernando 398, Van Nuys 338, Reseda 505, Canoga
Park 452, Burbank 352.
9th—Playa Linda 425, Inglewood 319, Carnation 171, Haw-
thorne 469.
10th—Beacon Ray 495, Roseland 465, Larchmont 463, Com-
posite 498.
11th—Highland Park 263, America 408, East Gate 225.
13th—Woodbridge 118, Lodi 150, Linden 372.
15th—Azalia 77, Crescent 165, Angels 134, Milton 244.
16th—Fort Sutter 420, Sacramento 190, Columbus 117, Naomi
36, Lauralane 529, El Camino 429, Rainbow 385, Adah
301.
17th—Grafton 379, Yolo 60, Esparto 341, Cacheville 349.
18th—Ione 283, Queen Esther 71, Golden Star 66.
20th—Friendship 67, Rose 292, Wheatland 48, Heber 181.
22nd—Unity 65, Atlens 277, Golden Chain 303.
24th—Melita 467, Lamanda Park 473, South Pasadena 272.
25th—Rose Croix 317, Golden State 298, Arlington 418,
Menorah 497.
26th—Loma Vista 415, Mary E. Partridge 308, Lake Mer-
ritt 410, Sterling 533.
29th—El Dorado 499, Fallen Leaf 90, Natoma 233.
30th—Onisbo 164, Elk Grove 109, Live Oak 371.

MAY

- 1st—Stockton 373, Golden Poppy 355, Homo 50.
2nd—Marysville 55, Fidelia 56, Smartville 431.
3rd—Crystal 57, Placer 49, Penrhyn 159, Bethany 304.
4th—Mountain Fern 62.
6th—Aurora 40, Evangeline 9.
7th—Ionia 199, Yosolano 218, Golden Rod 221.
8th—Josephine 104, Amapola 119.
9th—Vernon 35, Lyman 363.
10th—Veritas 84, Wild Rose 326.
11th—Eowana 328.
13th—Mystic Star 279, Vesper 20, Molino 83.
14th—Citrus 208, Marshall 86.
15th—Loyal 223, Maxwell 369, Arbuckle 368.
16th—Mt. Shasta 153, Northern Light 26, Redding 44, Wel-
come 17.
17th—Stella 39, Evening Star 10, Dunsmuir U. D.
18th—White Pine 487, McCloud 381, Sisson 175, Fidelity 131.

- 20th—Del Norte 149.
- 21st—Camellia 63, Arcata 207.
- 22nd—Ferndale 23, Rohnerville 76.
- 24th—Ocean View 111, Sapphire 230.
- 25th—Point Arena 291.
- 27th—Kingsley 58, Willits 314, Augusta 80.
- 28th—Clear Lake 137, Lower Lake 231.
- 29th—St. Helena 274, Calistoga 189.
- 31st—Suisun 2, Vacaville 28, Rio Vista 222.

JUNE

- 1st—San Jose 31, Starlight 401, Fraternity 288, Jarman 493.
- 3rd—St. John's 14.
- 4th—North Star 450, Alturas 51, Esther 74.
- 5th—Bonner 232, Eagle 187, North East 254.
- 6th—Westwood 377, Hesperian 112.
- 7th and 8th—Nevada Grand Chapter.
- 10th—Portola 321, Beckwith Star 201, Sierra Star 129, Celandine 224.
- 11th—Plumas 246, Sincerity 53.
- 12th—Truckee 116.
- 14th—Hayward 331, Orient 177, Golden Wave 103, Elmhurst 455.
- 17th—Los Gatos 128, Santa Clara 195, Willow Glen 530.
- 18th—Ceanothus 45, Athena 46.
- 19th—Ocean Spray 68, Monterey 239.
- 20th—Casimir 252, Amity 262, Occidental 280, Liberty 451.
- 21st—Morning Star 61, Riverview 336, Gold Ridge 161, Rose Valley 33.
- 22nd—Sotoyome 82, Clover Leaf 130, Valley Home 182.
- 24th—San Rafael 215, Mill Valley 219.
- 25th—Thousand Oaks 375, West Gate 290, Rosa M. Shattuck 504, Berkeley 178.
- 26th—Magnolia 73, Manzanita 342.
- 27th—Sunnyvale 250, Miramonte 141, Palo Alto 213.
- 28th—Semper Fidelis 135, Pleasanton 294.
- 29th—Matrons and Patrons of San Francisco (Initiation).

AUGUST

- 5th—Sequoia 203, Laurel 186, Burlingame 275.
- 6th—Yerba Buena 228, Fireside 440, Ivy 27, Nonpareil 496.
- 7th—Concord 384, Pittsburg 353, Maspha 198, Ariel 42.
- 9th—San Francisco 196, Beulah 99, Aloha 206.
- 10th—Ruth 305, Mission 155, Crocker 382, Ideal 251.
- 12th—Alethea 366, Prudence 484, Plymouth 423.
- 13th—Imperial 229, Lebanon 374, Victory 388.
- 15th—Silver Spray 59, Keystone 235, Valley of the Moon 85.
- 17th—Masonic Home at Decoto, 12:30 P. M.
- 17th—Los Cerritos 234, Almona 214, Pinole 220, Crockett 184.
- 21st—Roosevelt 470, Jewel 238, 1:30 P. M.

- 22nd—Richmond 255, Brilliant Star 472, Olive Branch 169,
Trinity 484.
23rd—Silver Star 3, Vallejo 278, Silver Gate 30.
24th—East Bay reception.
28th—Past Matrons' and Past Patrons' Association.
29th—San Francisco reception.

SEPTEMBER

- 3rd—Justice 460, Harmony 124, King Solomon's 170.
4th—California 183, Starr King 204, Seaport 427.
7th—Big Bear 485.
12th—Eastern Star Home.
17th—Lily of the Valley 18, Idlewild 19, Santa Cruz 273.
19th—Parnassus 269.
27th—Women's Masonic Club, U. C., Berkeley.

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

November 10th, 1934.

My dear Deputy Grand Matron:

The following are a few instructions for your guidance in your official visits:

I should like all visits for instruction to be made as early in the year as possible. Grand Chapter pays the expense of one official visit to each Chapter, except when otherwise ordered by me. When Chapters feel the need of further instruction, offer to meet with them privately on the day of your official visit if you can do so conveniently.

Keep a carefully itemized expense account. Mail same to the Grand Secretary, on the form provided for the purpose, as soon as you have made your last official visit. At the same time return the Syllabus and Diagram of Labyrinth.

Forward your tabulated reports of visits to me not later than July 1st, 1935.

You must see the exemplification of all branches of the work. Carefully examine all books of the Chapter, especially the ledger and cash book. See that the Secretary keeps copies of the printed quarterly list of suspensions, etc., sent out by the Grand Secretary. See that each Chapter has six copies of the Ritual and Instruction Book, two copies of the Syllabus and Labyrinth, and five copies of the Constitution and Digest, with the name of the Chapter and the titles of the officers inscribed thereon by the Grand Secretary.

Instruct the Chapters of the \$10 fine for loss of a Ritual and \$5 fine for loss of a Book of Instruction or Syllabus.

Advise the Worthy Matrons that the by-laws of the Chapter must be read in open Chapter prior to March 1st, 1935.

Enclosed you will find a suggested form for your letter of notification to the Chapters; a list of suggestions for music during initiation; and a division of the work if initiation is held on the night of my official visit.

Your position is one of instructor and I know you will visit your Chapters in a spirit of friendly helpfulness, remembering that all questions regarding the law of the Order, and its interpretation, should be referred to me.

With best wishes for a very happy year, I am

Fraternally,

Minnie Viola Collins,

Worthy Grand Matron.

CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

December 21st, 1934.

To All Members of the Order:

The season of gladness and tender thought is again with us. It is a time when many burdens are lightened by love, and new inspiration is gathered for darker days to come. This Christmas-tide should renew in every heart the kindliness that too often grows cold or is forgotten along the troubled paths we tread. We need to recall the sweet significances and the hallowed memories that are inseparable from this anniversary. Let me hope that the bells that so joyously proclaim anew the message of peace and good-will may reach to hearts attuned and open to entry of all the precious sentiments that are of this holy time.

The real spirit of Christmas is needed now more than ever to combat the selfishnesses and injustices that are stirring many to discontent and even to despair. It is but required that humanity shall seek out again in very truth the meanings of that life that began so long ago on this sacred day. May the example and inspiration of Him who walked and talked in Galilee be made the example to human lives, and the ills of the age would find healing and relief.

My sincere wish is that this high feast of Christendom may bring to all its choicest blessings, alike, material and of the spirit. May the days that follow be thereby influenced to an ever-increasing good. So will happiness of the New Year be assured.

Minnie Viola Collins,

Worthy Grand Matron.

February 13th, 1935.

To the Officers and Members of Subordinate Chapters
of the Order of the Eastern Star in California.

Sisters and Brothers:

In April of each year the Masonic Fraternity in California sets aside a week for "Public Schools". As Easter Sunday this year falls on April 21st, the Grand Master, Randolph V. Whit-
ing, has set aside the week commencing April 8th for the sixteenth observance of Public Schools Week in California.

In planning my itinerary I reserved the week which has heretofore been set aside, but I have just been notified of the change in date. The official visits scheduled for the week of April 8th will be held. If plans for my visit have not as yet been completed, I ask that something of an educational nature be given in the program. However, if arrangements have been completed for an initiation, or other entertainment, the plans may be carried out and an educational program arranged for one of the April meetings.

It is my request that the Chapters of the State cooperate in every way possible with the Masonic Fraternity in this observance and suggest that at least one meeting in April be devoted to an "Education" program. I urge the members of the Order to attend the meetings sponsored by the Masonic Lodges in their vicinities as it is important that we express our interest and lend our support to the grave problems concerning the welfare of the children of our great Nation.

With the hope that the observance of these "Education" days will be your first consideration, I am

Fraternally,

Minnie Viola Collins,
Worthy Grand Matron.

March 28th, 1935.

To the Officers and Members of Subordinate Chapters, O. E. S.,
State of California.

My dear Sisters and Brothers:

This is to officially notify you that I have appointed Sister Maud McWilliams Smith to act as Grand Secretary for the unexpired term of our dearly beloved Grand Secretary, Sister Stella Morgan Linscott, who passed to her Eternal Rest on March 26th, 1935.

Fraternally,

Minnie Viola Collins,
Worthy Grand Matron.

EASTERN STAR TEMPLE, SACRAMENTO

On recommendation of Jessie Galbraith Morris, Worthy Grand Matron, that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron appoint a Committee to make a survey and investigation of the entire situation surrounding the Eastern Star Temple at Sacramento, on November 9, 1934, I appointed Herbert D. Wisc, Past Patron of Carita Chapter No. 115, Alameda, Aaron Turner, Past Patron of Elvesta Chapter No. 293, Oakland, and Walker Peddicord, Past Patron of San Francisco Chapter No. 196, San Francisco. The following is the report of said committee:

To Minnie V. Collins, Worthy Grand Matron,
Grand Chapter State of California,
Order of Eastern Star:

Pursuant to your request, your committee, consisting of Herbert D. Wise, Aaron Turner and Walker Peddicord, presents its survey and investigation of the financial situation surrounding the Eastern Star Temple at Sacramento and the proposed change in the By-Laws of Sacramento Chapter.

Your committee, after considerable correspondence, arranged for a personal hearing of all concerned at Sacramento on December 29, 1934, and your committee left the bay district on that date at seven A. M. and arrived at the Eastern Star Temple at Sacramento at nine thirty-five A. M., where we met with the President and Secretary of the Temple Association and spent until noon going over their books and papers after making a personal survey of the Temple and equipment. Every courtesy was shown us by the above mentioned officers and by Past Grand Matron, Mabel Boyd Seymour. Luncheon was served at noon, all of the Board of Directors of the Temple Association being present, as was also A. Q. Robison, Special Deputy Superintendent of Banks in charge of the liquidation of the California Trust & Savings Bank which holds the deed of trust of approximately \$100,000.00 against the Temple. A general discussion took place during the meal, and after lunch Mr. Robison and his assistant, a Mr. Weston, had a private conference with your committee until two P. M., at which time your committee adjourned to one of the Chapter rooms where there were gathered at the invitation of your committee, representatives of five Chapters which meet in the Temple. There were present the Directors of the Temple Association, the Worthy Matrons, most of the Patrons, several of the Associate Matrons, Associate Patrons, Secretaries and a number of the members of the different Chapters, a gathering of at least fifty in all. We presided at the meeting and expressed the purpose of our visit and the desire of our Worthy Grand Matron for full information to enable her to determine what action was best for the Sacramento Chapters, the Order in general and the Grand Chapter.

We first heard from the Worthy Matron, Gertrude Sayre and Worthy Patron, Carl Koch of Sacramento Chapter, and then from the others present, after which a full and informal discussion was had, which was freely participated in by all. Your committee reported to the meeting, the result of their discussion with the representative of the bank, opinions as to the illegality of the proposal to return \$2.00 to the members of the Chapters and adjourned just in time to catch the 5:15 P. M. train for home.

We respectfully submit our unanimous summary and recommendation following our investigation of the affairs of the Eastern Star Temple at Sacramento so far as they bear upon the question of the approval of the by-law proposed by Sacramento Chapter, as follows:

At the outset, we wish to state that we are fully convinced that the members urging the proposed amendment to the Chapter's By-Laws under discussion were actuated by sincere belief, that the change proposed was proper in view of the fact that they were convinced that there was no hope of saving the Temple and their wish to save the members of their Chapter any further loss, all of which were due, we believe, to a misunderstanding of the attitude of the holders of the indebtedness.

Appraisement made at request of Superintendent of Banks by one Edward Polhemus for past fifteen years or more a resident of Sacramento and appraiser for the California Trust & Savings Bank, made within the past four or five months is as follows (not including furnishings and equipment):

Land	\$ 10,200.00
Improvements	102,000.00
Total Appraisement	\$112,500.00

We feel that although a sum equivalent to this appraisement could not be obtained on this market, that this Temple, which is only about six years old and modern in every way, could not at this time, with the present furnishings and equipment, be duplicated for \$125,000.00; the actual cost of the building was \$169,300.00 besides the cost of the furnishings and equipment. The Temple indebtedness now consists of a balance of about \$100,000.00 due the bank secured by a deed of trust and an unsecured note of \$7000.00 payable in three years without interest and approximately \$19,000.00 due to John Breuner Company on account of furnishings. The fact that the bank to which the indebtedness is owing is in course of liquidation, makes the problem more complex than it would otherwise be, although we have the personal assurance of the representative of the Superintendent of Banks that provided the agreement heretofore entered into be lived up to, the Temple will not be liquidated until the last possible moment which he estimates to be in three years. If the Chapters default in the agreement entered into by them with the Receiver of the Bank to apply the \$2.00 added to their dues to reduce the principal indebtedness to the bank and Breuner's, immediate foreclosure proceedings must be expected and a resultant total loss of the entire investment. Mr. Robison assured us that, if the Chapters live up to their agreement and turn over at once the money impounded by them consisting of the \$2.00 added to the dues and collected by them, he has no doubt that a grace of at least three years time will follow. In 1932 when the interest rate was reduced, an unsecured note for \$7000.00 without interest was given covering unpaid interest. This year in July when the current accrued unpaid interest amounted to over \$6000.00 and the Temple Association paid \$2000.00, Mr. Robison obtained a court order

waiving, in favor of the Association, over \$4000.00. At the present time the gross income from the Temple is approximately \$8391.70, the expense, including taxes, approximately \$5825.88, leaving an operating income of approximately \$2562.92, and if the \$2.00 which is collected from each member is paid as collected on account of principal on the existing indebtedness to the bank and Breuner's, and the net income paid on account of interest due each six months, then Mr. Robison will each six months petition the court for an order authorizing the acceptance of such amount, whatever it might be, in full for all unpaid interest accrued at that time.

Mr. Robison also assured your committee and the Directors of the Temple Association that, when and if any definite plan of refinancing was advanced, he could not only petition the court to waive the payment of the \$7000.00 unsecured note, but would advise a substantial reduction of the amount of the unpaid principal and will give all possible assistance to make a success of any practical refinancing plan.

We believe the project could be refinanced during the next three years through a careful and considered plan among the local affiliated fraternities with always the probability of easier money, currency inflation and the fact that if payments are made as above outlined, the loan scaled down with the approval of the court, a loan on the Temple would be considered a good, live, sound investment amply secured.

There are other points which your committee feels are very important and should be carefully considered, to-wit: that if the dues are reduced the Temple will be practically immediately lost, not only to the discredit of the Order, but the loss of a large financial investment and a beautiful tribute and monument to our Order and more important than all there are at the present time no adequate meeting places for the six Chapters that would undoubtedly have to move. Such halls as are available, we understand, cannot be compared with the Temple either in beauty or accommodation to meet their needs and the rents as now paid by the Chapters. The most that the members of the Chapters interested could possibly lose by being forced to pay the \$7.00 (\$2.00 over their original dues) would be \$2.00 a year for three years or \$6.00 a member over a spread of three years as against the possibility of saving their investment, a wonderful meeting place for at least three years and the knowledge that the members of the Order have lived up to the best of their ability to their obligations.

We have the impression that a very discouraged feeling with regard to the Temple project is quite general in some of the Chapters in Sacramento and that there is an inclination to consider this venture the primary cause of hardships and loss of members, which as a matter of fact are almost entirely the product of the time, the same conditions and hardships having been suffered by practically all orders in all parts of the state.

In past years the Hall Association and these Chapters have labored unceasingly on this undertaking and have made an enviable reputation for the Order both in Sacramento and elsewhere, the benefit of all of which will be lost to the Order if the Temple is forfeited. We believe that financial questions pertaining to the Temple should be considered matters for discussion at Hall Association meetings rather than in those of the Chapters (members of course being privileged, as they are said to be, to attend any Hall Association meeting), that all conversations and negotiations with the receiver of the bank should be conducted by the same persons, and that members should be especially careful to keep information as to the financial affairs of the Temple from becoming public property. We are sure that this last course will make it easier, not only to obtain cooperation from the receiver, but also for him to give it. A spirit of faith in the success of the venture and those entrusted with it must be created. We believe that the Matrons and Patrons and other officers of these Chapters have an opportunity for positive leadership which, if availed of, will be of great benefit to the Order and lasting satisfaction to themselves. We found those officers and members who attended the meeting earnest and sincere and believe that words of encouragement and inspiration from you would assist them greatly at this time.

Your committee therefore recommend that the proposed amendment permitting the change in the By-Laws reducing the amount of dues be not approved.

(Signed) Herbert D. Wise,
Aaron Turner,
Walker Peddicord.

Since the above report was written we have received a letter from A. Q. Robison in charge of the California Trust & Savings Bank of Sacramento and below is a copy of the same. This letter, in our opinion, confirms the good faith and friendly attitude of Mr. Robison toward the Hall Association:

“California Trust & Savings Bank

In Liquidation

January 3rd, 1935

Judge Herbert D. Wise
Tribune Tower
Oakland, California
My dear Judge Wise:

I am enclosing with this letter, an appraisal of the property of the Eastern Star Hall Association of Sacramento which has been brought down to date by our Appraiser.

I have just received a check for \$1075.00 from the Eastern Star Hall Association and I am today instructing my Attorneys to prepare a Petition which I will submit to the Court for

approval to accept the sum of \$1075.00 in full payment of the interest amounting to \$1994.63 which was due January 1, 1935 on the Eastern Star Hall Association loan.

I hope the information contained in the attached appraisal will meet your requirements.

Very truly yours,

A. Q. Robison,
Special Deputy
Superintendent of Banks."

Subsequently and on January 24th I wrote to the Worthy Matrons of the Sacramento Chapters the following letter, enclosing a copy of the Committee's report:

Although it will be some time before I will be able to be with you girls in Sacramento, my thoughts have been with you so much of late that I have decided to visit with you a little in advance by letter.

My especial thought to you is this: Please do not let yourselves be discouraged. There is such a marvelous opportunity for real service in Sacramento that I want you to meet it with a smile and make the most of it. Your Chapters have done a tremendously fine work, done most of it, in fact, during the continuance of the depression, and it is but natural that some of your members may be discouraged, may even be losing hope or be drifting away.

In the main I find that fraternal bonds are growing closer, rather than otherwise. Of course it is true that we have lost some members and, in Sacramento, due to the closing of the banks and to the city's position in the heart of a hard-hit agricultural area, you began to suffer earlier and have felt the effect of adverse times more severely than most parts of the jurisdiction. But times are definitely getting better and we are far richer spiritually for our troubles, which have drawn those of us who are really fraternally minded, closer together. It is our duty to make our members see this and appreciate what the Order can really mean to us.

It is my suggestion that you go over your membership list, taking in perhaps to assist you one or two of your line officers or other members best fitted in special cases to help you, and that you call personally on all the absentee, drifting, delinquent or discouraged members you can. Make it informal, publicizing neither your purpose nor that you are calling on any particular type of member. Get your Patron to follow the same plan with the men. Perhaps, with those whom you do not know, the Secretary can give you needed information. She can also give you their situation as to the payment of dues. Decide in advance what you can say to be cheery and helpful and give them the smiling optimism I have always found you to possess. Take an understanding interest in their situation and endeavor to ascertain if there is any way that you can help those in need of it. From some you may collect dues; as to others you may get information that will show that their

dues should be remitted; others may now be able to pay, at least in installments, if the load of delinquent dues is taken from them by remission of the delinquent amount or part of it. From some you may even get new members. If you make any financial plan as to any member, make it just as to that member and do not judge it by its effect upon your Chapter membership statistics. Endeavor to be of practical assistance to any in need of help. As to Chapter meetings, let them understand that they should not stay away because delinquent in dues or discouraged in spirit. Members will be there who will look for them and who will miss them if they are absent. Give them a cheery report of Chapter affairs and emphasize the happy times you are having.

As for the Temple, take it for granted that that is going to succeed. Never doubt it. Never lose faith in it. It is a tremendous accomplishment for the Order and for Sacramento and for the reputation of both it must and will succeed. Let no one cause you to waver in the least from that position. I would not bring it up for discussion, but, whenever it does come up, let your enthusiasm for this wonderful home for our Order be evident.

As to the two dollar increase in dues, do not let that become an issue. It is only substantially important as an issue may be made of it in the mind of anyone, for of itself it is only sixteen and two-thirds cents a month and it is for a great purpose.

You are really building two temples in Sacramento, the beautiful one in which you meet, and the spiritual temple of our ideals. Do not let discouragement mar the second one and it will not touch the first.

I never forget the story one of our Past Grand Patrons used to tell of the three workmen chipping stone in the dust and grime of the quarry. Asked what he was doing, the first said simply, without looking up, "I am quarrying stone"; the second, "I am earning five dollars per day"; but the last pointed to the top of the hill nearby and said, "I am building yonder temple".

Marvelous work was done at the start on the temple. It was easier then with the freshness and vigor of new enthusiasm. The greatest service is rendered sometimes, not only by those who start, but by those who follow through. It is not often the most recognized, but let us not worry about that. The greatest Washington was at Valley Forge and the greatest Lincoln was in the midst of the failures of the Army of the Potomac. How hard it must have been then to see that, as a professor I used to know once said, the only thing real is the ideal, because the things we call real are always changing; only the ideals, the visions, the goals are constant. Let us never waver from our faith that the temple and all that every brick of it represents of the ideals of the Sacramento Chapters are ours and ours to keep. Let us make every member feel these

things by having ourselves that simple faith in them that doubt cannot disturb. Then, I venture, it will hardly be a problem at all.

I feel that you and we are building temples this year more than ever, and there is reason to hope that the way will not be too hard. Even now things are getting better. You noticed that the last report of the Benevolent Fund Committee showed that calls for relief were already beginning to lighten and there are many other signs of improvement. There is no doubt of it, and it is our duty to carry a spirit of optimism to our members, to get them out of the habit of thinking depression thoughts and to lead them to a more hopeful, more happy view. **By faith and work we can do it, and contribute thereby to our Order in a way that will give us a lifelong knowledge of having rendered a service which time cannot destroy.**

I have a conviction that will not leave me, that 1935 is going to be a banner year in Sacramento—the turning point for better things both spiritually and materially and I could not help writing you about it.

This letter is very long and, if I have seemed to talk at you instead of with you anywhere in it, please forgive me. I have written it so, because of my faith in you and of the fine things I have been told about you by my other friends there. I have written you because I will not be able to see you until some time in April and because I am so hopeful that you will make this year the big, outstanding success for our Order in Sacramento that I know and pray it will be.

I enclose a copy of the report of the Temple Committee which I appointed at the direction of Grand Chapter. I believe you will be interested in it.

Faternally,

Minnie Viola Collins,

Worthy Grand Matron.

Upon my arrival in Sacramento in April I called a meeting of the Worthy Matrons of the respective Chapters interested and reviewed the situation with them and submitted a plan for them to follow. They signified their willingness to pursue the policy outlined. I believe this will be carried out along the lines suggested by the Committee and by me.

In view of the Committee's report I have taken no further action.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

As life and its meaning unfolds, we are impressed more and more with the opportunity for good which is presented during the few moments we call "Good of the Order". It is a time for ideas, for love, service, for plans. Let no one fail to speak from the goodness of his heart. Let no one member feel it his personal duty to monopolize.

Again, let me remind you to be ever watchfully prayerful that no worthy individual shall be shut out of the privileges of our Order. The use of the black ball is for a high and noble purpose. And may no one consider it his duty to use it for a personal reason. We are under bonds for the use of every privilege and he who misuses any of God's gifts may not hope to go unseathed.

I enjoyed visiting the Eastern Star Home and was present at two meetings of the Board of Trustees. I regret that my busy days precluded further visits. The visit of our Grand Officers scheduled for March 28th was cancelled on account of attending and officiating at the funeral of our beloved Grand Secretary, Stella Morgan Linscott.

This beautiful Home is a lasting monument to the Order in this State. To the Trustees who are giving so much of their valuable time, we owe a debt of gratitude. Comfort and happiness seem to predominate among the residents of the Home.

On March 26th a number of our Grand Officers visited the Women's Masonic Club U. C. L. A. and were served tea by the officers of Westwood Hills Chapter U. D. This beautiful club house is a most delightful meeting place for the young people of Masonic affiliation and we felt well repaid for our visit.

On August 17th, we visited the Masonic Home at Decoto and were delightfully entertained by the East Bay Past Matrons' Association. The Grand Officers enjoyed a most delicious luncheon as guests of Orient Chapter, the Chapter of Past Grand Matron Willa Jane Hellwig.

After a visit to this beautiful Home and meeting the Superintendent, Bro. Hartman, and the Matron, Sister Richardson, one appreciates more fully the happy environment surrounding those who call it "Home".

On September 12th the Grand Officers enjoyed their visit to the Eastern Star Home, which had been previously cancelled. It was a most beautiful day and will linger long in memory. We were most enthusiastically received by the members of the Board of Trustees and the guests of the Home and all enjoyed a most delicious luncheon. The luncheon was served by the members of the Southern Degree Team. The members of the team looked most attractive in their dainty aprons and caps. The remainder of the afternoon was spent visiting with the guests of the Home and viewing the beautiful building and grounds.

On September 27 we enjoyed a most delicious dinner and delightful evening at the Women's Masonic Club, U. C., Berkeley, with the young people of Masonic affiliation attending the University. One evening during the year is set aside for the Grand Officers to meet with these young students in this delightful club house, and it is one of the outstanding events of the year.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS

I have been honored many times this year by Chapters and present and past officers associations, and deeply appreciate this evidence of this respect and friendship for me. I shall enjoy meeting with them when time and opportunity permits me to do so.

RECEPTIONS

This year has been filled with so many beautiful events and delightful affairs that time and space will not permit mentioning each one. The thought given and time spent in planning and arranging these beautiful affairs overwhelms one.

The three outstanding events given in honor of the Grand Officers, I shall mention:

March 29th. I enjoyed the beautiful reception given to Bro. J. Hartley Taylor, Worthy Grand Patron, by his own Chapter, Eagle Rock, in the beautiful Scottish Rite Auditorium in Pasadena. The large audience and attendance of all the Grand Officers and entire group of Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of the Southland and many from the Northern part of the State evidenced his popularity.

March 30, Los Angeles reception. This beautiful evening with its gorgeous setting of blue and gold in the Sala de Oro at the Biltmore Hotel, given by the Chapters of Southern California and arranged by the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of Los Angeles, baffles description. A midnight supper followed this lovely reception and it was an evening long to be remembered. Appreciation to Ethel Alexander and Arthur A. Wood, Presidents of the Matrons' and Patrons' Associations, and their splendid committees.

August 24. The Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of the East Bay arranged a most lovely and outstanding reception in the beautiful Scottish Rite Temple in Oakland. This brilliant reception was preceded by a delicious dinner given in the dining hall, attended by hundreds of friends.

To Nita McLain and Dr. Clifford Phillips, Presidents of their respective groups of Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, and their most efficient committees, I express thanks.

August 29th. In the Civic Auditorium in San Francisco, a most brilliant reception was given by the San Francisco Chapters to the Grand Officers. This was under the direction and supervision of the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of San Francisco. The large audience which filled the vast auditorium to capacity, the beauty of the scene, the music, beautiful escort of the Marshals, and color of pageantry, will long remain in memory.

Grateful appreciation to Margaret Colson and Chas. Goff, Presidents of the San Francisco Matrons' and Patrons' Associations, and their splendid committees.

GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER**at Tampa, Florida, November 11, 1934**

The California delegation, numbering twenty-one, was as follows:

Minnie Viola Collins, Worthy Grand Matron;

J. Hartley Taylor, Worthy Grand Patron;

Bertie Y. Todd, Associate Grand Matron;

Past Grand Matrons: Mary Josephine Young, Clara Abbott Giberson, Emma Riehl Leach, Annie Marie Johnson, Minnie Elliott Seymour, Maude Noble Haven, M. D., Effie Easton, Maude Dezell Bradley, Stella M. Linscott, Zella Whitford Samson, Cora Spring Holland, Hazael Marsh Piper, Pauline Ada Hause, Willa Jane Hellwig, Grace Richardson Butterfield, Jessie Galbraith Morris;

Past Grand Patrons: Joseph Mayo Argabrite and Lloyd Ellis Griffin.

Bessie A. Pierce, Past Grand Treasurer and page to Effie Easton, Right Worthy Grand Conductress, left early in November for the twenty-first Triennial Assembly of the General Grand Chapter at Tampa, Florida. There were a number of Past Matrons and Past Patrons from California, Dr. D. E. F. Easton, Charles Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jesson and Mrs. Pauline de Mamiel.

The following is a resume' of the week spent at the General Grand Chapter Assembly:

On Sunday, November 18th, church services were held at 11 A. M. in Tampa, Florida in the Tampa theatre. "The Challenge of Tomorrow" was the text chosen by Dr. Chas. A. Raymond.

Monday, November 19th, the day was spent in greeting arrivals, registering, obtaining credentials.

In the evening a beautiful pageant was presented at the Coliseum, which was filled to capacity. At the back of the center of the stage was shown a large maple leaf of heroic size, emblem of Canada, the home of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mildred Schanbacher. Following a musical program, the maple leaf was seen to open to admit Sister Mildred Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, escorted by delegates and members from the seven provinces of Canada. Carrying the Union Jack and garlands of maple leaves, they grouped themselves around the Most Worthy Grand Matron, making a colorful picture. After the addresses of welcome and responses, the pageant "Star of Light" was presented. Beautifully gowned women in the delicate colors of the Star went through the intricate mazes as they portrayed in proper order the coming of the wise men, the coming of our Saviour and then the five points of our Star as represented in our Ritual. Over all shone the beautiful Star in the East, making all present feel a reverence with which the lessons of our Order should be interpreted.

On Tuesday, November 19th, at 10 o'clock A. M., the General Grand Chapter convened in its Triennial Assembly. The Assembly was called up as the vested choir, twenty-four women dressed in blue lace dresses with white net vested robes over them entered, taking their places in the East. They sang "Come Forth, Ye King of Glory". The Grand Marshal next escorted the Grand Guards, twelve men, all dressed in white suits, forming a semi-circle back of the stations of the Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron and Patron. Then came the ushers, a beautiful group of girls dressed in costumes to represent the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack. These ushers formed a line in the East facing West. Next came the flag bearers, each being costumed in the garb of the country which she represented, and carrying her country's flag. The Stars and Stripes and Union Jack led the procession, and as they took their places in the East behind the Stations of the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Patron, the choir sang "Oh Canada" in tribute to Sister Sehanbacher. Next came the pages, dressed in dainty blue gowns and took their places in the South and North. The General Grand Chapter officers then entered the Chapter room in proper order, dressed in beautiful blue georgette gowns, carrying arm bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums. You may well imagine the thrill of the delegates from California when Sister Effie Easton stepped to her station on the floor of General Grand Chapter. We truly felt that we were quite an important part of the General Grand Chapter and were there to do our part whatever that might be.

After a tribute to the flags and addresses of welcome and invocation, the formal opening of General Grand Chapter took place. The Most Worthy Grand Matron then read her report which was very interesting and is far too long to set forth any part of it here, except to mention that after the special committee meeting called with the consent of the Board of Right Worthy Grand Trustees which met with the Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, Right Worthy Grand Conductress and Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress to prepare a Book of Instruction to be presented at the Assembly for consideration, in order to obtain uniformity of ritualistic work; this book was accepted by the Assembly and issued. The Most Worthy Grand Matron's report describing her many visits to foreign ports, visiting the Chapters in far distant places, proved very inspiring and interesting.

The report of the Most Worthy Grand Patron was very comprehensive and instructive and his report cited many Eastern Star achievements, but time and space will not permit recording them here.

Upon Sister Mamie Lander, Chairman of General Arrangements, and her splendid committee depended the success of the session and enjoyment of the delegates.

Luncheons, dinners, receptions, motorcades to Lakeland, fish fry in the Civic Center, drive through citrus groves, to Bok

Singing Tower, motorcade to St. Petersburg, and many other points of interest were arranged for the enjoyment of the delegates.

On the evening of the Installation, part of the California delegation, including myself, in order to catch their train at 10:30 o'clock, had to leave the session at 9:45 and were unable to be present to see the officers installed.

Mrs. Frances Haun of Milan, Tennessee, was installed as Most Worthy Grand Matron and Wm. A. Duvall of Branchville, Maryland, was installed as Most Worthy Grand Patron; Sister Effie Easton was installed Right Worthy Grand Conduetress. Dr. Geo. S. Dunlap of Lincoln, Nebraska, was installed Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron. Dr. Dunlap died suddenly at his home in Lincoln, Nebraska, December 5th.

After the assembly and on Saturday morning, 439 delegates left Tampa, Florida, for the trip to Havana, Cuba, which I understand was most interesting and enjoyable.

There were 21 in the California delegation, but we had to our credit 22 votes, as our Associate Grand Patron, Edward C. Counter, Jr., gave his proxy to our Associate Grand Matron, Bertie Y. Todd.

There were only three States that had larger delegations than California, and Minnesota had the same number.

There were present 567 voting delegates, total votes, 605; there were 1434 out of town visitors, 2167 Florida visitors, making a total of 4741; one thousand estimated not registered, making an attendance of 5741.

We were further honored by having our Past Grand Patron, Brother Lloyd Ellis Griffin, appointed Chairman of the Tellers for Election.

The next Triennial Assembly will meet in September, 1937, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

In the message of our Most Worthy Grand Matron appears this thought: "If we hope to do our part to see the day when human hearts that run the world's machinery are more fully informed and better intentioned, let the teaching of our Order take concrete expression and may the acts of the Eastern Star speak so forcefully through deeds of charity and righteousness to a world in need that it will be perceived we are true followers of the Star in the East and stand for all that is good and noble".

RECOMMENDATIONS:

No. 1. Article II, Section 22 of the Constitution reads:

Suspension—Non-payment of Dues.

"Sec. 22. No Chapter shall expel members for the non-payment of dues and/or assessments levied by the Grand Chapter; but in case members shall have refused or neglected to pay their regular dues and/or assessments during a period of six months, they shall be notified by the Secretary by registered mail requiring a return receipt, that at the next stated meeting (after one month from said notifica-

tion) unless their dues and/or assessments be paid or good and satisfactory reasons be shown as the cause of such refusal or neglect, they will be suspended from all the rights and privileges of the Order. If neither of these things be done, the Secretary must read the list of the names of the delinquent members in open Chapter and the Worthy Matron must at such stated meeting declare them suspended, unless for special reasons shown the Chapter may otherwise determine; but members thus suspended, who shall at any time within six months from the date of such suspension pay the arrearages due at the time of such suspension, together with the additional dues and/or assessments which would have accrued against them to the date of such payment had they retained their membership, shall by such act be restored. Members who shall remain suspended for six months or more shall be restored to membership in the Order only, but not to membership in the Chapter, except by unanimous ballot; such suspended members desiring restoration to membership in the Chapter shall present, in writing, a petition for reinstatement which shall take the same course as a petition for membership; should the ballot not be unanimous, the member shall be entitled to a certificate stating the facts of such restoration, and such certificate shall be regarded as a legal dimit, sufficient for all the purposes thereof. A suspended brother shall not be restored unless he be in good standing in a Masonic Lodge at the date of such restoration."

Many inquiries have been made during the year as to the amount which should be paid by members who desire to be reinstated more than six months after suspension, and in order to clarify the Constitution on this point and have a definite rule, I recommend that the above section be amended to read:

"Sec. 22. No Chapter shall expel members for the non-payment of dues and/or assessments levied by the Grand Chapter; but in case members shall have refused or neglected to pay their regular dues and/or assessments during a period of six months, they shall be notified by the Secretary by registered mail requiring a return receipt, that at the next stated meeting (after one month from said notification) unless their dues and/or assessments be paid or good and satisfactory reasons be shown as the cause of such refusal or neglect, they will be suspended from all the rights and privileges of the Order. If neither of these things be done, the Secretary must read the list of the names of the delinquent members in open Chapter and the Worthy Matron must at such stated meeting declare them suspended, unless for special reasons shown the Chapter may otherwise determine; but members thus suspended, who shall at any time within six months from the date of such suspension pay the arrearages due at the time of such suspension, together with the additional dues and/or assessments which would have accrued against them to the date of such payment had they retained their membership, shall by such act be restored. Members who shall remain suspended for six months or more shall be restored to membership in the Order only, but not to membership in the Chapter, except by unanimous ballot, upon payment of the arrearages due at the time of such

suspension, together with the additional dues and/or assessments which would have accrued against them to the date of such payment had they retained their membership; such suspended members desiring restoration to membership in the Chapter shall present, in writing, a petition for reinstatement which shall take the same course as a petition for membership; should the ballot not be unanimous, the member shall be entitled to a certificate stating the facts of such restoration, and such certificate shall be regarded as a legal dimit, sufficient for all the purposes thereof.

A Chapter may remit all or a portion of the dues owing, but may not remit the Home assessments.

A suspended brother shall not be restored unless he be in good standing in a Masonic Lodge at the date of such restoration."

No. 2. I have found that frequently members who are notified of the Chapter's intention to suspend because of non-payment of dues, pay only a small portion of the amount owing in order to restrain the Chapter from suspending them. I therefore recommend that Decision No. 398 be amended to read:

398. A member may pay dues either in full or in part at any time prior to suspension, and the Secretary must receive the same and issue a receipt therefor; *however, unless a member pays a sufficient amount to place him in good standing, he should be suspended if proper notification has previously been sent in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution, and if the Chapter does not remit the unpaid portion.*

No. 3. I have found that Chapters are rather careless with the copies of the Labyrinth that are furnished the Officers and that many have been lost during the year. As greater care is taken of books, etc. when a fine is imposed for their loss, I recommend that the following be added to Article II, Section 26 of the Constitution:

"A fine of One Dollar (\$1.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Diagram of the Labyrinth."

No. 4. Many times an objection is raised to an applicant for affiliation after the petition has been balloted on, and as there is no provision in our Constitution for a rejection of this type, I recommend that the following paragraph be added to Section 19 of Article II, paragraph headed "Objection After Election";

"If after the election of a person to become a member by affiliation, and before the by-laws have been signed, objection be made personally, or in writing, to the Worthy Matron, by three or more members of the Chapter in good standing, such objection shall, unless withdrawn within thirty days, have the effect of a rejection by ballot and shall be so reported to the Grand Secretary. In such case the fee shall be returned and the back dues, if paid, retained by the Chapter."

No. 5. As the 1931 edition of the Ritual eliminated the provision that in the absence of the first four Officers at a stated or special meeting of a Chapter the Junior Past Matron present shall preside, I recommend that the clause "provided however, in the absence of the first four Officers at any stated or special meeting the

Junior Past Matron present shall preside" be eliminated from Section 9, Article II of the Constitution and from Section 2, Article II of the Uniform Code.

No. 6. Decision 365 reads:

"By-laws must be signed within sixty days after initiation or affiliation, and failure so to do will work a forfeiture of all the rights and privileges of membership."

As this is in conflict with the last clause in paragraph one of Section 16, Article II, and the last paragraph of Section 15, Article II of the Constitution, I recommend it be deleted.

No. 7. I can see no reason why a Chapter should not be permitted to do any portion of its regular business, including balloting and initiation, on the night of the official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron or Deputy Grand Matron, if on a stated meeting night, provided, of course, that in the case of the visit of the Deputy Grand Matron the work is also exemplified for the purposes of instruction if necessary. I therefore recommend that Decision No. 498 now reading:

"During the official visit of the Deputy Grand Matron no work shall be done on actual candidates, but the whole time shall be devoted to instructing the officers in their duties. On this occasion, Chapters having but one stated meeting monthly may ballot upon genuine candidates provided they first ballot upon a fictitious candidate, for the reason that the Deputy Grand Matron is there for instruction and could not demonstrate a genuine ballot in case of a possible mistake,"

be amended to read:

"When the visit of the Worthy Grand Matron or Deputy Grand Matron is on the stated meeting night of the Chapter any portion of the regular business of the Chapter may be transacted. Provided, however, that on the visit of the Deputy Grand Matron all portions of the work are also exemplified for the purposes of instruction, if necessary, as the Deputy Grand Matron could not demonstrate a genuine ballot in case of a possible mistake, nor make corrections in the manner of conducting initiation."

No. 8. Section 27 of Article II of the Constitution provides that Chapters send to the Grand Secretary in the annual report a list of members, but as this list has not been included in the report since 1927 I recommend that this section be amended to read:

"Sec. 27. The fiscal year shall end on the 31st day of May. Within thirty days thereafter each chartered Chapter shall annually transmit to the Grand Secretary a full and correct report of its transactions for the twelve months next preceding that date on such blank form as may be provided by the Grand Secretary. This report shall include the names, in full, of its Officers, Past Matrons, Past Patrons, the number and names of members initiated, affiliated, reinstated, dimitted, suspended, expelled or deceased, *the names of members whose dues were remitted in accordance with Section 18, Article I of the Constitution, all changes in names of members* and the amount due the Grand Chapter; said amount must accompany the report.

Each Chapter U. D. shall transmit a similar *report* from the date of its organization to the end of the fiscal year.

Any Chapter failing to have its said report in the Grand Secretary's office on the first day of July shall be delinquent."

No. 9. Section 21 of Article II of the Constitution reads:

"No Chapter shall receive a petition for the degrees from any person living within the jurisdiction of another Chapter in this State, unless the same be accompanied with a waiver of jurisdiction from the Chapter whose jurisdiction may be invaded."

As petitioners for initiation are not usually aware of our rules regarding waivers, nor acquainted with the Secretary or Worthy Matron of the Chapter within whose jurisdiction they reside, the requirement that the waiver be secured before a petition may be received works a hardship, and I therefore recommend that the above section be amended so that petitions may be received, but not balloted on without a waiver as is done in many other jurisdictions, making Section 21, Article II, read:

"A Chapter may receive a petition for the degrees from any person residing within the jurisdiction of another Chapter in this State, but such petition shall not be referred to investigating committee, or balloted upon, without a waiver of jurisdiction from the Chapter having jurisdiction. Such waiver shall be requested by the Secretary of the Chapter receiving the petition. Waiver may be granted upon a majority vote, provided, however, that if the person applying to such other Chapter shall have been previously rejected, the waiver shall be granted only upon a two-thirds vote. Any Chapter desiring waiver of jurisdiction over a petitioner residing within the concurrent jurisdiction of several Chapters, shall not be required to obtain the waiver from more than one of the Chapters, except that if the petitioner has been rejected, the waiver shall be obtained from the rejecting Chapter. Waiver of jurisdiction is void sixty days from date of issue."

No. 10. The adoption of recommendation No. 9 would make Decisions Nos. 51 and 157 contrary to the Constitution. I therefore recommend that Decisions 51 and 157 be deleted if the above recommendation is adopted.

No. 11. As all officers now rise during the opening ceremonies of a Chapter, I recommend that decisions 251 and 252 be deleted as they are contrary to the instructions contained in our instruction book.

No. 12. The Constitution of the Grand Chapter is supposed to be a permanent, basic law and should not be lightly changed, tampered with or amended. When amendments are proposed from the floor at the time Grand Chapter is in session, necessary consideration cannot be given to them either by the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws or by the delegates. I recommend that a change be made with reference to the manner in which the Constitution may be amended to the end that it will be more dignified and that more consideration and deliberation may be given to proposed amendments. I therefore recommend that Article V of the Constitution reading:

"Amendments to Constitution.

All amendments, revisions, or additions to this Constitution must be submitted in writing, and referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-laws.

Upon the report of said committee, if five-sixths of the votes shall be in favor of such proposed amendment, it shall be declared adopted, and from and after the close of that communication shall become a part of the Constitution.

If the vote in favor of such proposed amendment be less than five-sixths, but there be a majority therefor, it shall lie over for one year, and shall be published with the proceedings, under the caption of 'Proposed Amendments to the Constitution', and if at the next succeeding annual session it shall receive two-thirds of the votes given thereon, it shall be declared adopted, and from and after the close of that communication shall become a part of the Constitution."

be amended to read:

"All amendments, revisions or additions to this Constitution must be submitted in writing to the Grand Secretary not less than thirty days prior to the opening date of the annual session of the Grand Chapter and copies thereof shall be transmitted by her to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and members of the Committees on Constitution and By-Laws and Jurisprudence. Copies of all such proposed amendments shall be furnished each delegate at the time of registration.

Upon report of the *Committee on Constitution and By-Laws*, if five-sixths of the votes shall be in favor of such proposed amendment, it shall be declared adopted, and from and after the close of that session shall become a part of the Constitution.

If the vote in favor of such proposed amendment be less than five-sixths, but there be a majority therefor, it shall lie over for one year, and shall be published with the proceedings, under the caption of 'Proposed Amendments to the Constitution', and if at the next succeeding annual session it shall receive two-thirds of the votes given thereon, it shall be declared adopted, and from and after the close of that session shall become a part of the Constitution."

No. 13. I have found that many Chapters vote to omit certain meetings because of a holiday or otherwise and as this is contrary to the Constitution I recommend that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron notify all Chapters that meetings may not be omitted by vote of the members and that the by-laws be amended if it is desired to omit specific meetings in the year because of the vacation period, weather conditions or holidays.

No. 14. The chairman of the Committee on Education accumulates considerable valuable information and unless the data is contained in a permanent file much of the work is duplicated from year to year. I therefore recommend that the chairman of the Committee on Education be required to turn over to the office of the Grand Secretary, for permanent record, all of the data sent to the various Chapters during the year.

No. 15. In 1931, in accordance with a recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron, this Body adopted a resolution to use the regular subordinate Chapter opening for Grand Chapter. As the wording of the opening ceremony for a subordinate Chapter is not correct for Grand Chapter, I recommend that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron appoint a committee to revise the opening and closing ceremonies of Grand Chapter.

No. 16. In view of her faithful services as our Grand Secretary since 1931, I recommend that the Proceedings of this Grand Chapter for 1935 be dedicated to our late beloved Sister Stella Morgan Linseott and that her picture be inserted in the Proceedings.

NEVADA GRAND CHAPTER

I was indeed happy to visit the Grand Chapter of Nevada and am proud to say that we had 68 members from California in attendance at the session. It was most interesting and we enjoyed our visit.

ORDER OF RAINBOW FOR GIRLS, JOB'S DAUGHTERS AND DE MOLAY

These wonderful Orders are to be commended for the splendid work they are carrying on and my wish for them is continued progress and prosperity. No greater service can be rendered by any organization than to assist in the formation of ideals that will tend to benefit and to uplift the lives of young womanhood and young manhood.

MY HOME CHAPTER

Here is where I am unable to fully express all of my appreciation for the faith, loyalty and love which the members of my Chapter have shown me this year. You have enthused me by your many manifestations of affection and deep regard when I have been with you. The night of my official visit to you, which closed my official visits for the year, was by far the most outstanding event in my year. I can only say to these dear friends of mine, you have made possible this beautiful year of my life.

WORTHY MATRONS AND WORTHY PATRONS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

I address you this way, for you have carried out my most earnest wish—that you represent this vast group of officers working together for our beautiful Order under the colors of our State—"Blue and Gold". I feel sure you have recognized the wisdom of this vast group, working in perfect harmony and cooperation. I have been able to accomplish more because of you. For your earnest cooperation and faith in me, I am most deeply appreciative.

TO THE SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS

Dear Members: You are really the ones who have brought the Ship into port! Your kindness to me and to each other has made our association this year a beautiful link in a chain of Blue and Gold, which fascinates and holds us together. For every deed of kindness, for every understanding word, for every little bit of love and friendship, I thank you.

TO THE GRAND OFFICERS

Our year has been a most happy one and as the years pass I am sure the friendships formed this year will be strengthened by association. You have given me much to be grateful for, by attending official visits, your gifts, loving messages and many thoughtful courtesies. You have thought of me in so many ways that I cannot adequately express to you my gratefulness.

To you, dear Deputy Grand Matrons, I am proud of you. You little realize the wonderful service you have rendered to me and to our Order. What could I have done without you? Very little. As I traveled through the State and was greeted in each District by a co-worker, your service was greatly appreciated. I shall always value your friendships and hold them most dear.

PAST GRAND MATRONS AND PAST GRAND PATRONS

The quality of our Present turns on the success of Past achievements. To all Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, I give my most sincere thanks for the loyal support, the wise counsel and encouragement you have given me. May your love-service be ours to emulate for years to come.

I have not feared the valleys
Because, to you, they're past;
I have not feared the mountains,
You reached their top at last;
I have not feared the long roads,
They tried your weary bones;
I have not feared the rivers,
You found the stepping stones.
You've taught me that the highway
And the turmoil of the town
Have not made you weary,
So God bless your Has-Been Crown!

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE AND HOUSING COMMITTEE

I am sure the members of this Grand Chapter do not fully realize the vast amount of detail work these committees accomplished for their enjoyment and comfort. I wish particularly to express appreciation to Bro. Bert Copsey, for he was

willing to assume the responsibility of Chairmanship for the above Committees. I felt the duties were heavy, but it required just such a one as he, with enthusiasm and unlimited energy to fill the requirements. The success of this past week in arranging for all affairs, our comfort and enjoyment, is due to his untiring efforts, and the efforts of his splendid committees.

Please accept my sincere thanks.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON

You are indeed worthy of your title. Your hearty cooperation and confidence have exemplified the spirit we desire to perpetuate in our lives. May the future be filled with health and happiness for you and your family. I am truly grateful for the many courtesies you have extended to me during this year and for the privilege of your friendship and that of your beloved wife, Nettie B. Taylor.

ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON

I wish to express my thanks to you for your able assistance at the Schools of Instruction and your kind offers of assistance at other times and your presence at many of my official visits.

To the Associate Grand Matron and Associate Grand Patron, I wish for you all happiness and the same love and support that has been mine. May you continue in health and be supported in your work as I have been by true and loyal workers and friends.

GRAND SECRETARY

Your assistance has been most valuable and in every way a help to me. Please accept my love and appreciation for all that you have done. You have most ably carried on the work of the Grand Secretary's office since the death of our beloved Grand Secretary.

CLOSING

We have come now to the end of the year's highway! We are more joyful for the walk we have taken. We are all younger for the stimulating climb we've had.

The heart of a Grand Matron I am sure always sings joyously as she opens the windows toward the East for her successor—knowing well that through that window she will hear a new song and get the vision beautiful!

A Worthy Grand Matron is ever conscious also of the help given her by those who love her.

As I step away from the window in the East, I think of the loving cooperation of my good husband. Our friends have facetiously called him "the forgotten man". He has not been forgotten for he could not be. His spirit has run through and per-

vaded every success I have had. Because of his great understanding and the song in his heart, he has keyed every symphony. The stability of our beautiful work rests finally on the love which sacrifices.

Then as I remember (and I cannot forget) the helpful understanding things you have all done for me; it is with real enthusiasm and a humble heart that I place myself beside you in the private ranks and chant with you the prayer by Grace Crowell:

"I only need such few things, Lord,
Clean water, air and daily bread,
Plain garments, and a sheltering roof above my
head;
And work to do that I may keep
Thy gift of deep refreshing sleep.
I cannot pray for more than this:
A day of simple, quiet things,
Not the bewilderment a dawn so oft brings;
Not more possessions, Lord, I pray,
But calm and simplify my day."

Faternally submitted,
Minnie Viola Collins,
Worthy Grand Matron.

Referred to Committee on Distribution.

ADDRESS AND REPORT OF THE WORTHY GRAND PATRON

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

We have arrived at the glorious Round-up of 1935. This has been an outstanding year in my life, enjoying the pleasures and friendship of the thousands of new friends I have made in the State of California, and, more particularly, the closer friendship of the many hundred matrons and patrons who seem to have gone far out of their way, in many cases, to make the path which Mrs. Taylor and I have trod happier and brighter.

As the Grand Patron of the State of California, I question just what I have accomplished for the Order, even though I feel that I have given to it the best of whatever talent I may possess. I cannot show anything that I really have done that is worth while unless it may be that I have stimulated an interest in the meetings of the Chapters and have helped to strengthen the spirit of friendly goodwill that exists among the members.

There have been many opportunities presented to me to give dispensations to new Chapters this year. To each of the requests I gave careful consideration, but did not grant any of them as I felt that in each case more harm would be done by taking members away from Chapters already established than would be gained by the few new ones we would receive. Were dispensations granted as requested, we would have had many struggling Chapters which I do not feel would be beneficial to the Order. May I wish for these groups who attempted to form new Chapters that they may be later granted dispensations and that in the meantime they may gain strength which will make their loads lighter, and thus assure them of success when Chapters actually are instituted.

My one source of regret in my year's work is that I found it impossible to visit more Chapters in and around the Bay Region of San Francisco and Oakland. My program was first curtailed by illness and, second, by the pressure of business which was unforeseen by me in the early part of the year when I was making my plans.

I was very fortunate in having Sister Minnie V. as my Grand Matron, a woman with the ability and strength capable to carry her portion of the work, as well as mine when I was unable to do so. I am sure that through her encouragement and guidance the Eastern Star Chapters of the State of California have been inspired in the efforts they have put forth during the year.

While we have had a loss in membership for each of the preceding four years, this year shows that we are gaining

strength. I am sure our Sister Minnie V. has done much to turn the tide in membership.

The Grand Family has given Nettie and me a great amount of pleasure by their courtesy and congeniality. To the Matrons and Patrons and members of the subordinate Chapters, their hospitality and consideration will be a lasting memory for us. To my own Eagle Rock Chapter and to Gertrude Rose, my Matron in 1926, I owe a debt of gratitude, for it was through her inspiration that I became Grand Patron. For the loyalty and support of the officers and members of the Chapter, we shall be ever appreciative. The reception tendered me by them in the Scottish Rite Cathedral at Pasadena was an event we shall always remember with a great deal of pride and pleasure.

And now, my friends, I thank you one and all for the warm-hearted cooperation you at all times have accorded me.

J. Hartley Taylor,

Worthy Grand Patron.

Received, approved and ordered printed in Proceedings.

REPORT OF THE ACTING 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:

This report is in part a sad duty as it must review for you the work of the office of the Grand Secretary for the portion of the year when our beloved Sister Stella Morgan Linscott was with us in person, as well as for that period since March 26th, 1935, when she left us so unexpectedly. All of the surroundings in the office mutely remind us of her—her charin, her quiet humor, her understanding mind, her sweet smile still linger, and we often look up expecting to see her. Lovingly and peacefully she rests in the arms of God in that land where separation and death are known no more. A life such as hers does not end. Her faith, her love, her service will never die, but will live on in the hearts of those who knew her, her memory resting upon them like a benediction. My memory of our work together will always be a happy one, as close contact in the office only served to strengthen our bond of friendship—truly, she was one of God's noble women.

Immediately after the close of Grand Chapter last year all bills were paid; customary supplies were ordered for the Grand Officers and each officer was furnished with the books needed in the discharge of her duties.

Bonds were renewed by the Grand Secretary and the office force and a bond executed by the Grand Treasurer, all of which were turned over to the Worthy Grand Matron as required by the constitution.

At the direction of the Worthy Grand Matron commissions were delivered to the Deputy Grand Matrons. Commissions to represent California in other jurisdictions were forwarded as directed, and commissions received from other jurisdictions were given to the California representatives.

Christmas cards, receipts for dues for 1935, the annual list of Matrons, Patrons and Secretaries, the list of Grand Officers and committeemen and the itinerary of the official visits of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were sent to all Chapters and others entitled to receive them.

As authorized at the last session, the Instruction Books and the Constitution and Digest were reprinted and the necessary copies sent to the Chapters early in the year.

The Proceedings for 1934 were off the press and distributed to Chapters, Grand Officers, and others entitled to receive them, within one month from the close of last session. The Proceedings for 1935 are completed with the exception of the minutes of this session—copy was compiled, proof read and is ready for the final touch, the actual business of this meeting in Coronado.

Bids were secured for printing books and forms sold to subordinate Chapters and in all cases the contract was given to

the lowest bidder. An effort has been made to keep the cost of supplies as low as possible so a reduction may be made in the prices charged the Chapters. Owing to the splendid co-operation of the Secretaries and their compliance with the request that all supplies be paid for when ordered, we no longer have to carry "accounts receivable" for supplies.

The card index of members was brought up to date in accordance with the information contained in the 1934 annual reports, and the work has been started on the 1935 reports.

All meetings of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home were attended by Sister Linscott prior to her death, and I have attended the meetings since that time. All instructions of the Board have been promptly carried out.

Fifty year gold emblems were forwarded to Chapters to be presented to the following members:

EVENING STAR NO. 10
Laura May Wetmore, P. M.

NORTHERN LIGHT NO. 26
Sarah Jennie Rawlings, P. M.
Emma Elizabeth Smith, P. M.

SAN JOSE NO. 31
Milton A. Boulware, P. P.
Fannie Stockton

ROSE VALLEY NO. 33
Mary Josephine Hutchinson, P. M.

VERNON NO. 35
Mary Jeanette Fagan Woodworth,
P. M.

REDDING NO. 44
Elizabeth McKean, P. M.

REVELLE NO. 47
Harvey Eldon Abbott

FIDELIA NO. 56
Mary Bruce Krusick

MORNING STAR NO. 61
Nellie Louise Denman, P. M.
Eliza Jane Putnam
Elizabeth Goshen, P. M.
Sarah Mills

CAMELLIA NO. 63
Nellie Melendy, P. M.

UNITY NO. 65
Lulu Almira Anderson, P. M.

FRIENDSHIP NO. 67
Mattie Richardson Wiswell, P. M.

MAGNOLIA NO. 73
Carrie Rea, P. M.

ROHNERVILLE NO. 76
Rachel Samuels

SOTOYOME NO. 82
Georgia Allen
Emma Jane Terry, P. M.
Mary Ellen Bidwell
John Bidwell
Annie Beauchamp Barnes, P. G. T.

VERITAS NO. 84
Emeline Wilson

MARSHALL NO. 86
Mary Catherine Nordyke, P. M.
Lenora Marshall Neate, P. M.

FALLEN LEAF NO. 96
Elizabeth Frances Killough, P. M.

ESPERANZA NO. 167
Florence May Foster

GATE CITY NO. 212
Emma G. Pierce, P. M.
Mary E. Lewis

May 25th a Grand Chapter demit was issued to Clyde Perle Loranger of Galt Chapter No. 158.

At request of the Worthy Grand Matron a duplicate charter was sent to Mt. Whitney Chapter No. 197, the original having been lost.

The degrees of the Order were conferred by Chapters of this jurisdiction upon the following:

Lorraine B. Fisher, by Marysville Chapter No. 55 for Queen Anne Chapter No. 209 of Seattle, Washington;

Isabelle Greer by Maxwell Chapter No. 369 for Beggs Chapter No. 176 of Beggs, Oklahoma;

Rose Newton by Ivy Chapter No. 27 for Alpha Chapter No. 1 of Rossland, British Columbia;

Eva M. Kitts by Betsy Ross Chapter No. 518 for Orchid Chapter No. 1, Canal Zone.

Emma S. Burnett by Palos Verdes Chapter No. 310 for Sunbeam Chapter No. 465 of Dayton, Ohio.

Spokane Chapter No. 163 of Spokane, Washington, conferred the degrees of Sarah L. Copple for Southwest Chapter No. 345.

MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT

Membership June 1, 1934.....	98,460	
Increase 1934-1935	4,911	103,371
Loss 1934-1935		6,728
Membership June 1, 1935.....		96,643
Net loss for the year 1934-1935.....		1,817
Chartered Chapters June 1, 1935.....	486	
Chapters Under Dispensation June 1, 1935.....	3	489

While this statement would seem to indicate that the Order in California has declined during the past year, a comparison with the statement for 1933-1934 shows an improvement. During the fiscal year 1934-1935, 290 more members were admitted than in 1933-1934, and the loss this year was 944 less than last year, making a net loss for 1934-1935 of 1234 less than during the corresponding period in 1933-1934.

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

September 1, 1934 to August 31, 1935

Balance, cash on hand, September 1, 1934	\$168,115.65
Home operating fund.....	5,000.00

Receipts:

Grand Chapter dues, fees and miscellaneous	\$ 46,634.37	
Home fund assessments and donations	25,936.26	
Received from Home residents.....	7,451.92	
Interest received	9,544.30	
Collections on notes receivable.....	615.00	
Withdrawn from building and loan investments	1,100.00	
Liberty Loan bonds called.....	6,050.00	
Pacific Gas & Electric bonds called....	5,250.00	102,581.85

Total to account for.....	\$275,697.50
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Disbursements:

Grand Chapter expense.....	\$ 50,275.60	
Advances to Eastern Star Homes of California	3,941.99	
Expenses of Eastern Star Homes opera- tion	20,078.24	
Advances to students	150.00	
Expended on account of residents' properties	4,734.18	\$ 79,180.01
Balance, cash on hand, August 31, 1935		\$196,517.49

Deposition of Funds

On deposit with banks:

General fund	\$ 46,846.00	
Home fund	117,660.66	
Home operating fund.....	5,000.00	
Benevolent fund	18,298.90	
Students loan fund	2,338.04	
Home endowment fund	821.32	
Residents' properties	5,527.57	\$196,492.49

In Grand Secretary's office, petty cash fund	25.00

Total cash on hand, as above.... \$196,517.49

Several requests came to the office this year to have funeral services conducted for members from out-of-town. I wish to thank Sister Margaret Colson, Worthy Matron of Justice Chapter No. 460, for conducting the services for Sister Ella G. Cooke of Angels Chapter; Sister Ann Schley, Worthy Matron of Golden West Chapter No. 350 for conducting the services for Sister Sneddon, a member of a Chapter in Scotland; Sister Margaret Wrenn, Worthy Matron of Seaport Chapter No. 427 for conducting the services for Sister Caroline L. Hodge of Tuolumne Star Chapter; Sister Alberta McNeely, Worthy Matron of Yerba Buena Chapter No. 228 for conducting the services for Sister Theresa Shriner of Pomona Chapter; Sister Freda Cohn, Worthy Matron of Olive Branch Chapter No. 169 for conducting the services for Sister Elizabeth Rupe of Rose Valley Chapter; Sister Loretta Trezise, Worthy Matron of Victory Chapter No. 388, and Sister Vivian Brown, Deputy Grand Matron of the 43rd District for arranging with the Matrons of her District to conduct the services for Sister Agnes Rothnie of Ionia Chapter, Seattle, Washington. The immediate response of these Officers to the call for assistance in these cases was deeply appreciated.

Victories are won by cooperation. Too much praise cannot be given to the Secretaries of our subordinate Chapters for

their cooperation during the year. For the first time in history, all of the annual reports were received in the office of the Grand Secretary before the end of the first week in July. Very few corrections were necessary, so that by the end of July all adjustments had been made and the summary was ready for the Auditor—a month before he was due in the office. Fellow workers, you will never know how proud I am of this record of yours. I have thoroughly enjoyed the personal contacts made with the Secretaries through their associations in San Francisco, the East Bay and Los Angeles. Each group graciously invited me to act as sponsor after our Stella went Home—I could not take her place, no one could, but I hope I have been of some real service and help to you and that the friendships made will continue. Your loyalty and friendliness will always be remembered.

I wish to thank the Grand Officers, Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons and Associate Matrons and Patrons for the many courtesies extended to me. All of the invitations to parties were deeply appreciated, but as I cannot “burn the candle at both ends” and still give to the office the best that is in me, I was reluctantly compelled to decline most invitations for after Chapter affairs. I feel that the responsibility of the office deserves, and must have, the untired and untiring efforts of the Grand Secretary. “Business before pleasure” must be a Secretary’s motto.

It has been a pleasure to work with our Grand Treasurer, Sister Anna Noyes Moncur and I trust the friendship formed this year with her will grow with the years.

Since April we have carried on the work of the office without additional help except when it was necessary for me or Sister Fuetterer to be away from San Francisco. To my friend of long standing, my co-worker, Else Fuetterer, I extend grateful thanks for your helpfulness. Without your loyalty it would not have been possible for us to carry on the work of the office alone.

All I can say to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, is:

“Just as you are, you are noble,
Whatever you do, you do well,
Whenever you speak, you speak kindly,
You bring joy wherever you dwell.”

I thank you for the opportunity of serving Grand Chapter and you. If the office has been able to make your way a little easier we are very happy. To work with and for you has been a pleasure and these months have increased, if possible, the very high esteem in which I have always held you. I hope I have been worthy of the confidence you reposed in me when

you asked me to take my beloved superior's place, and that I have given you and the subordinate Chapters the service to which you are entitled.

My work as Acting Grand Secretary has been a pleasure—not a task—and I sincerely trust my conduct of the office has met with the approval of our subordinate Chapters and has been in keeping with the high standard of service set by my predecessors.

Fraternally submitted,

Maud McWilliams Smith,
Acting Grand Secretary.

This report, with Auditor's report, referred to Finance Committee.

REPORT OF AUDITOR

San Francisco, October 1, 1935.

To the Grand Chapter of California,
 Order of the Eastern Star,
 San Francisco, California.
 Dear Mesdames and Sirs:

In accordance with instructions received from your Finance Committee, we have made an examination of the accounts of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, including the accounts kept in Los Angeles covering the operation of the Eastern Star Home, for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1935.

Scope of Examination: We have examined or otherwise accounted for all assets shown on the annexed balance sheet and have included therein all liabilities which we were able to ascertain.

While we did not make a detailed examination of all transactions, we satisfied ourselves, by a thorough review and reference to the related supporting records, that the income and expenses shown on the annexed income account are substantially correct.

Recorded cash receipts for the year were traced to deposits in regular depositories. Disbursements were evidenced by paid cheques and supported by properly approved vouchers.

BALANCE SHEET COMMENTS

The following comments relate to various items appearing on the annexed balance sheet and further indicate the scope of our examination:

Cash on Hand and in Banks:

Following is a summary:

San Francisco:

The Anglo California National Bank..	\$35,467.27
Bank of America, N. T. & S. A.....	29,947.48
Bank of California, N. A.....	5,125.77
The San Francisco Bank.....	36,282.63
Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co...	29,191.17
Crocker First National Bank.....	24,790.69
Petty cash, Grand Secretary.....	25.00

\$160,830.01

Los Angeles:

Farmers & Merchants National Bank....	16,582.72
California Bank	13,527.19
Petty cash, Eastern Star Home	50.00
	30,159.91
	<u>\$190,989.92</u>

The balances on deposit were confirmed by correspondence with the depositaries and reconciled with records. The petty cash fund in the hands of the Grand Secretary at San Francisco was verified by count. We did not verify the petty cash fund of the Eastern Star Home at Los Angeles.

Investments In Securities: These securities, shown in detail in the schedule on pages 8 and 9, were verified by communication with the Anglo California National Bank, San Francisco, which, as trustee, is holding them for your account.

In accordance with past practice, we have stated these securities on the annexed balance sheet at market quotations as at August 31, 1935, which aggregated \$150,667.66 as compared with a total cost or book value of \$165,635.40. The difference of \$14,967.74 has been adjusted through surplus as follows:

Excess of cost or book value as at August 31, 1934—	\$25,194.19
Net increase in market quotations during year ended	
August 31, 1935	10,226.45
Excess of cost or book value at August 31, 1935..	<u>\$14,967.74</u>

Accrued Interest Receivable: This represents interest accrued but not due on savings accounts and securities. No amounts are included therein for interest on bonds in default or on the notes receivable for advances to students.

Investment in Eastern Star Home: The changes in this investment during the year were as follows:

	Book Value Aug. 31, 1934	Additions	Book Value Aug. 31, 1935
Buildings and grounds....	\$354,748.16	\$2,811.51	\$357,559.67
Furnishings and equipment	32,880.70	1,130.48	34,011.18
	<u>\$387,628.86</u>	<u>\$3,941.99</u>	<u>\$391,570.85</u>

We examined invoices covering the additions and found them to be proper capital charges.

No allowance has been made for depreciation of these properties since acquisition.

Residents' Properties: The cash on deposit with the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles, \$5,527.57, was verified by correspondence. The other properties, \$18,299.59, consisting of securities, real estate, life insurance policies, etc., were certified to us by Mr. D. W. Pierce, vice president of the board of trustees of the Home, at values ascribed to the properties by the Administrative Committee.

Against the total of assets in the Residents' Properties accounts, \$23,827.16, a reserve is provided amounting to \$23,772.85, as the assignments provide that properties revert to the residents in the event that they leave the Home. The difference between the reserve and the book value of the properties, \$54.31, represents an accumulation of net interest on the bank account. This interest has in the past been treated on the Grand Secretary's books as income of the Home Fund. While this accounting may be correct, it is possible that such income should apply to the Residents' Properties accounts and we call this to your attention for further consideration.

Eastern Star Homes of California, Inc.: This corporation, organized only for the purpose of holding title to property, maintains no accounting records for the corporation as such, and all operating and property accounts are maintained by the Grand Chapter and were examined by us.

Home operating accounts, however, are kept at the Home. These records kept in Los Angeles are practically duplicates of the Home operating accounts kept in the office of the Grand Secretary in San Francisco. With only a slight change in procedure, the operating accounts kept in Los Angeles could be eliminated, with a considerable saving of bookkeeping time and expense and the additional advantage of centralizing the accounting.

By devising and using an adequate reporting system the accounts covering residents' properties assigned to the Home could also be kept in the office of the Grand Secretary.

As all activities of operating and maintaining the Eastern Star Home are activities of the Grand Chapter of California, we recommend that all accounts in connection therewith be kept entirely in the office of the Grand Secretary, including the disbursing of funds in payment of individual invoices and all other operating items.

Annexed we submit the following schedules:

Balance Sheet as at August 31, 1935;

Income Account,

Surplus Account,

for the year ended August 31, 1935;

Investment in Securities as at August 31, 1935;

Grand Chapter Expenses,

Home Operating Expenses,

Profit on Sales of Supplies,

for the year ended August 31, 1935.

Very truly yours,

Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery.

GRAND CHAPTER OF CALIFORNIA
ORDER of the EASTERN STAR
BALANCE SHEET as at August 31, 1935

ASSETS:

	Total	General Fund	Eastern Star Home Endowment Fund	Home Endowment Fund	Renewal Fund	Students' Loan Fund	Representative Fund
Cash on hand and in banks.....	\$190,989.92	\$ 46,871.00	\$123,660.66	\$ 821.32	\$18,298.90	\$2,338.04	
Investments in securities at market quotations, details annexed.....	150,687.66	54,627.00	28,006.66	3,730.50	63,833.50	480.00	
Accrued interest receivable.....	1,868.43	494.42	604.97	27.35	696.10	35.29	
Investment in Eastern Star Home:							
Building and grounds.....	357,559.67		357,559.67				
Furnishings and equipment.....	34,011.18		34,011.18				
Inventory of provisions.....	138.38		138.38				
Unexpired insurance.....	598.84		598.84				
Saleable supplies inventory.....	1,702.78	1,702.78					
Accounts receivable.....	4.70	4.70					
Students' notes receivable.....	4,016.50					4,016.50	
Furniture and fixtures.....							
Grand Secretary's office.....	1,482.06	1,482.06					
Residents' properties assigned to Home:							
Cash on deposit with Farmers and Merchants National Bank, Los Angeles.....	5,527.57		5,527.57				
Other properties, appraised value.....	18,299.59		18,299.59				
Interfund accounts receivable, contra.....	13,792.20		342.51		500.87		\$12,948.82
Total assets.....	\$780,649.48	\$105,181.96	\$567,750.03	\$4,569.17	\$83,329.67	\$6,869.83	\$12,948.82
LIABILITIES, RESERVES and SURPLUS:							
Accounts payable.....	\$ 2,981.34		\$ 2,981.34				
Reserve for residents' properties assigned to Home.....	23,772.85		23,772.85				
Interfund accounts payable, contra.....	13,792.20	\$ 13,449.69		\$ 342.51			
Total liabilities and reserves.....	40,546.39	13,449.69	26,754.19	342.51			
Surplus, balance of funds, details annexed.....	740,103.09	91,732.27	540,995.84	4,226.66	\$83,329.67	\$6,869.83	\$12,948.82
Total liabilities, reserves and surplus.....	\$780,649.48	\$105,181.96	\$567,750.03	\$4,569.17	\$83,329.67	\$6,869.83	\$12,948.82

INCOME ACCOUNT AND SURPLUS ACCOUNT
For the year ended August 31, 1935

INCOME ACCOUNT:

Income:	Total	General Fund	Eastern Star Home Endowment Fund	Home Endowment Fund	Benevolent Fund	Students' Loan Fund	Representative Fund
Dues and assessments.....	\$ 65,143.11	\$25,923.25	\$ 25,048.01		\$14,171.85		
Interest	9,156.03	2,586.24	3,909.90		2,657.88	\$ 1.01	
Profit on sales of supplies, details annexed....	833.63						
Special dispensations and fines.....	210.00	210.00					
Charter fees.....	30.00	30.00					
Demits	3.00				3.00		
Donations for furnishings.....	808.00		808.00				
Donations from Activities Committee, 1932/34, and 1934 Ushers.....	250.00				250.00		
Profit on bonds sold.....	350.00		80.25		350.00		
Miscellaneous revenue.....	80.25						
Transfer from Home fund to Home Endowment fund.....			1.50	\$ 1.50			
Total income.....	<u>76,863.02</u>	<u>29,583.12</u>	<u>29,847.66</u>	<u>1.50</u>	<u>17,432.73</u>	<u>1.01</u>	
Expenses:							
Grand Chapter expenses, details annexed....	27,920.98	27,920.98					
Home operating expenses, details annexed....	23,059.58		23,059.58		6,947.23		\$6,600.68
Assistance to members.....	6,947.23						6,600.68
Expense of delegates to 1934 session.....	6,600.68						\$ 6,600.68
Total expenses.....	<u>61,528.47</u>	<u>27,920.98</u>	<u>23,059.58</u>		<u>6,947.23</u>		
Net income.....	<u>\$ 12,334.55</u>	<u>\$ 1,662.14</u>	<u>\$ 6,785.08</u>	<u>\$ 1.50</u>	<u>\$10,485.50</u>	<u>\$ 1.01</u>	<u>\$ 6,600.68</u>
SURPLUS ACCOUNT:							
Surplus, balance of funds, September 1, 1934, per books.....	\$717,542.09	\$87,605.78	\$227,233.91	\$4,135.91	\$72,098.17	\$6,918.82	\$19,549.50
Add: Net income, as above.....	12,334.55	1,662.14	6,785.08	1.50	10,485.50	1.01	6,600.68
Decrease in reserve for fluctuation in market value of securities.....	10,226.45	2,464.35	6,976.85	89.25	746.00	50.00	
Surplus, balance of funds, August 31, 1935.....	<u>\$740,103.09</u>	<u>\$91,732.27</u>	<u>\$540,995.84</u>	<u>\$4,226.66</u>	<u>\$83,239.67</u>	<u>\$6,869.83</u>	<u>\$12,948.82</u>

Boldface indicates deficit.

INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES
August 31, 1935

	Maturity Date	Interest Rate	Interest Payable	Face or Par Value	Cost or Book Value	Market Value Aug. 31, 1935
General fund:						
United States Fourth Liberty Loan bonds.....	1933-38	4½ %	Apr. & Oct. 15	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,022.00
United States Treasury bonds.....	1940-43	3 %	Jun. & Dec. 15	30,000.00	27,262.50	31,890.00
United States Treasury bonds.....	1946	3¾	Apr. & Oct. 15	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,086.00
United States Treasury bonds.....	1946-48	3	Jun. & Dec. 15	6,000.00	6,088.13	6,174.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Co., General and Refunding Mortgage Gold bonds.....	1942	5	Jan. & Jul. 1	1,000.00	3,438.00	4,230.00
Reclamation District No. 108, County of Colusa, California, bonds*	1938	6	Jan. & Jul. 1	5,000.00	5,050.00	2,500.00
Merced Irrigation District Gold bonds, First District, Fourth Division*	1958	6	Jan. & Jul. 1	5,000.00	5,068.25	2,525.00
South San Joaquin Irrigation District First Refunding bonds*	1973	5	Jan. & Jul. 1	1,000.00	990.08	640.00
South San Joaquin Irrigation District First Refunding bonds*	1976	5	Jan. & Jul. 1	3,000.00	2,968.80	1,920.00
South San Joaquin Irrigation District First Refunding bonds*	1977	5	Jan. & Jul. 1	1,000.00	989.60	640.00
The Eastern Star Hall Association of Sacramento, 1,000 shares of capital stock, par value \$5 per share				5,000.00	5,000.00	Nil
Total general fund securities.....				\$ 64,000.00	\$ 60,855.36	\$ 54,627.00
Home fund:						
Berkeley Guaranty Building & Loan Association: Full paid certificate No. PPC 1501.....	4 %	Jun. 1		\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
Pass book account; \$50.00 withdrawn monthly..	4	Jun. 1		215.26	215.26	215.26
State Mutual Building & Loan Association, Los Angeles, full paid certificate No. FM 7610.....	4	Jul. 1 Quar.		5,000.00	5,000.00	4,300.00
Guaranty Building & Loan Association, San Jose, full paid certificate No. 1035.....	2	Jan. & Jul. 1		5,000.00	5,000.00	3,050.00
Mutual Building & Loan Association, Long Beach, accumulative investment certificate No. 5989.....	None	Mar. & Sep. 17		10,000.00	10,000.00	8,000.00
Pacific States Savings & Loan Co., pass book certificate No. A 4542.....	4	Jun. & Dec. 31		9,916.28	9,916.28	6,941.40
Pacific States Savings & Loan Co., Fidelity participating certificate No. 17237.....	4	Jun. & Dec. 1		2,500.00	2,500.00	250.00
Pacific States Savings & Loan Co., Fidelity definite term investment certificate No. 17237.....	4	Jun. & Dec. 1		7,500.00	7,500.00	5,250.00
				\$ 43,131.54	\$ 43,131.54	\$ 28,006.66

*Bonds in default of interest.

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INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES, Continued

	Maturity Date	Interest Rate	Interest Payable	Face or Par Value	Cost or Book Value	Market Value Aug. 31, 1935
Revolvent fund:						
United States Fourth Liberty Loan bonds.....	1933-38	4½%	Apr. & Oct. 15	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,022.00
United States Treasury bonds.....	1940-43	3½%	Jun. & Dec. 15	30,000.00	27,262.50	31,890.00
United States Treasury bonds.....	1946-56	3½%	Mar. & Sep. 15	15,000.00	15,075.00	16,368.00
United States Treasury bonds.....	1946	3½%	Apr. & Oct. 15	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,086.00
Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., First Mortgage and Collateral Trust Sinking fund bonds.....	1937	5	Jan. & Jul. 2	5,000.00	4,918.75	5,262.50
Los Angeles Gas & Electric Corporation, General and Refunding Mortgage Gold bonds.....	1947	5½%	Jun. & Dec. 1	5,000.00	4,775.00	5,425.00
University Masonic Temple Association, Second Mortgage bonds*.....	1949	6	Jan. 1	1,300.00	1,300.00	780.00
Master Holding Corporation, 40 shares Class A Common and 40 shares Preferred Capital stock...				1.00	1.00	Nil
				\$ 60,300.00	\$ 57,332.25	\$ 63,838.50
Students' Loan fund:						
Petaluma & Santa Rosa Railroad Co., First Mortgage Sinking Fund Gold bonds.....	1943	5½%	Mar. & Sep. 1	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 480.00
Home Endowment fund:						
United States Treasury bonds.....	1910-13	3%	Jun. & Dec. 15	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,516.25	\$ 3,720.50
Grand total.....				\$171,931.54	\$165,635.40	\$150,667.66

*Bonds in default of interest.

GRAND CHAPTER EXPENSES

For the year ended August 31, 1935

Expense allowances:

Worthy Grand Matron	\$3,043.28	
Worthy Grand Patron	1,000.00	
Deputy Grand Matrons, official visits....	1,544.37	
Deputy Grand Matrons, schools of instruction	1,222.94	
		\$ 6,810.59

Salaries, Grand Secretary's office:

Grand Secretary	\$3,000.00	
Assistant to Grand Secretary.....	1,800.00	
Clerical	321.00	
		5,121.00

Salaries, other:

Grand Secretary Emeritus	\$1,800.00	
Grand Treasurer	200.00	
		2,000.00
Printing, binding, stationery, and postage....		5,339.45

Grand Secretary's office expense:

Rent	\$1,344.00	
Telephone and telegraph	227.53	
Sundry supplies and expense.....	792.48	
Depreciation of office equipment.....	322.43	
		2,686.44

Other Grand Chapter expense:

Convention expense, 1934.....	\$2,188.81	
Expenses of Grand Officers and Past Grand Officers to Grand Chapter convention in Florida	3,009.10	
Auditing	300.00	
Sundry expense	465.59	
		5,963.50
Total.....		<u>\$27,920.98</u>

HOME OPERATING EXPENSES

For the year ended August 31, 1935

Salaries	\$ 5,415.90
Provisions	8,435.05
Heat, light, power, and water.....	3,008.61
Insurance—fire, compensation, etc.....	1,598.26
Hospital and medical supplies and expenses.....	553.84
Funeral expense.....	412.20
Accounting and legal services.....	237.75
Traveling expense, trustees.....	728.45
Traveling expense, employees.....	64.68
Laundry expense	514.16
Janitor expense	157.49
Garden supplies and expense.....	30.40
General housekeeping supplies.....	102.21
Taxes	827.03
Telephone and telegraph.....	114.35
Stationery, printing, and postage.....	146.53
Office supplies and expense.....	29.44
Repairs and replacements.....	158.89
Allowances	144.60
Miscellaneous	379.74
Total.....	<u><u>\$23,059.58</u></u>

PROFIT ON SALES OF SUPPLIES

For the year ended August 31, 1935

Sales	\$ 4,061.66
Cost of supplies sold:	
Inventory, September 1, 1934.....	\$1,533.92
Purchases	2,278.50
	3,812.42
Less, inventory, August 31, 1935.....	1,702.78
	2,109.64
Gross profit.....	1,952.02
Expenses:	
Clerical services.....	600.00
Rent	300.00
Miscellaneous	218.39
	1,118.39
Net profit.....	<u><u>\$ 833.63</u></u>

REPORT OF GRAND TREASURER

To the Grand Chapter of California:

It is my pleasure to submit for your consideration the sixty-second annual report of the Grand Treasurer. It includes an itemized statement of money received and expended and securities owned.

I have on file for my perusal warrants signed by me. Accounts of checks drawn on the Revolving Fund are in the Grand Secretary's office.

Financial affairs are in excellent condition. As a safeguard bank balances have been kept at a minimum and funds have been kept invested.

Financial Statement

Summary of Receipts and Disbursements
September 1, 1934, to August 31, 1935

Balance, cash on hand, September 1, 1934	\$168,115.65
Receipts:	
From Grand Secretary.....	\$80,637.55
Withdrawn from Building and Loan Associations	1,100.00
Liberty Loan bonds called.....	6,050.00
Pacific Gas & Electric bonds called..	5,250.00
Interest	9,544.30
	102,581.85
Total to account for.....	
	\$270,697.50
Disbursements:	
Grand Secretary's warrants.....	79,180.01
Balance, cash on hand August 31, 1935..	
	\$191,517.49

Securities Held In Trust

United States Government bonds:

Liberty Loan bonds, fourth issue.....	4 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	\$ 4,000.00
Treasury bonds, 1940-43.....	3 $\frac{3}{8}$ %	63,500.00
Treasury bonds, 1946-56.....	3 $\frac{3}{4}$ %	15,000.00
Treasury bonds, 1946	3 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	4,000.00
Treasury bonds, 1946-48.....	3%	6,000.00

Public Utility Bonds:

Pacific Gas and Electric.....	5%	\$4,000.00
Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co....	5%	5,000.00
Los Angeles Gas and Electric Co.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	5,000.00
Petaluma & Santa Rosa R. R. Co.....	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	1,000.00

Reclamation District Bonds:

Mereed Irrigation District.....	Default	5,000.00
County of Colusa, District No. 108....	6%	5,000.00
South San Joaquin Irrigation.....	5%	5,000.00

Building and Loan Associations:

Berkeley Guarantee	4%	3,215.26
State Mutual, Los Angeles.....	4%	5,000.00
Pacific States Savings and Loan.....	4%	9,916.28
Fidelity Definite Term Certificate....	4%	7,500.00
Fidelity Participating Certificate.....	4%	2,500.00
Guaranty, San Jose	2%	5,000.00
Mutual, Long Beach	none	10,000.00

Miscellaneous:

University Masonic Temple Ass'n, Los Angeles, bonds	none	1,300.00
Eastern Star Hall Ass'n, Sacramento, stock, no dividends		5,000.00
Master Holding Company, stock, no dividends		2,000.00
Assigned by residents of Homes:		
Long Beach Building and Loan Co.....	2%	3,000.00

Total		<u>\$176,931.54</u>
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I want to express my sincere appreciation to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, whose loyal leadership has been an inspiration to me at all times. I have enjoyed my association with the members of the Grand Family and will always prize the friendships that have been formed.

It would not be befitting for me to make this report without a tribute to my coworker, Sister Stella Morgan Linscott, Grand Secretary, whose untimely death caused a link to fall from the chain of Grand Officers and another Star to rise in a better land. She will always be remembered in memory's tablet for her true worth, efficiency as an officer and a splendid member, who exemplified the principles of the Order of the Eastern Star and whom we can never forget.

"At home on the beautiful hills of God,
By the Valley of Rest so fair,
Some day, some time when our task is done,
With joy we shall greet her there."

The same spirit of cooperation has been manifest by Sister Maud McWilliams Smith, Acting Grand Secretary, and the efficient work carried on by this congenial coworker and her assistant, Sister Else Fuetterer.

I am grateful for the many courtesies shown by the members of the Grand Family and those members throughout the state whom I have been privileged to call my friends.

“And as I have no gold to give,
And only love can make amends
My only prayer is, while I live,
God make me worthy of my friends.”

Fraternally submitted,
Anna Noyes Moncur,
Grand Treasurer.

Referred to Finance Committee.

TRUSTEES' REPORT TO THE GRAND CHAPTER, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

Greetings:

Our Eastern Star Home was authorized and approved by the Grand Chapter of California, only after several years of careful consideration. The building of our Home for the aged members is an accomplishment of the study of sixty years past, and the only material result of the desire to do unto others. A monument to those who have dedicated their activities of loving kindness and aid to our aged members.

Let us operate in this spirit and think only of a continued success. By deeds—the earnestness of our members and of our youth organizations, have called out “go on with the great work you have begun”.

Your Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California herewith submits for your consideration its annual report for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1935, together with a roster of residents and financial statement of the operation of the Home.

Immediately after the close of Grand Chapter, October 20, 1934, the Trustees met as required by the constitution and organized as follows:

Effie Easton, President;

D. W. Pierce, Vice President;

Hazael Marsh-Piper, Acting Secretary in case of the absence of the Grand Secretary.

The following committees were appointed:

Committee on Finance: Willa Jane Hellwig, Hazael Marsh-Piper, D. W. Pierce.

Committee on Administration: D. W. Pierce, Hazael Marsh-Piper, Bert R. Holloway.

Committee on Home Policy: Hazael Marsh-Piper, Bert R. Holloway, Willa Jane Hellwig.

Committee on Admissions: Effie Easton, Hazael Marsh-Piper, Willa Jane Hellwig.

Committee on Residents' Properties Account: Bert R. Holloway, D. W. Pierce, Willa Jane Hellwig.

In addition to the annual meeting on October 20, 1934, the Board met at the Eastern Star Home December 13, 1934, January 24th, February 28th, April 25th, May 23rd, June 27th, July 25th, August 22nd and September 26th (Executive Meeting), 1935, in San Francisco.

FINANCE

Under the present arrangement the only funds handled by the Trustees are the funds known as the Residents' Properties Account and the Revolving Fund, which can be used only to pay the necessary expenses for the operation of the Home, reim-

bursed when cancelled checks and vouchers have been sent to the state office of the Order of the Eastern Star in San Francisco.

ENDOWMENT FUND

The Endowment Fund is growing slowly, a little greater each year.

It is the hope of the Board of Trustees that the future will see an accumulation in this fund large enough, so that through the interest earned therefrom a sufficient amount for maintenance will be received that will relieve the members from making the small contribution now being collected. This has been accomplished by the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home of Iowa.

A printed report in detail by the committees at the end of this report:

Committee on Admissions,
Committee on Residents' Properties,
Committee on Administration.

GIFTS

In the name of the residents of the Home and the Board of Trustees, we thank you for the generosity shown in the following list, and to the many organizations, associations and individual donors we say: you have truly builded better than you knew.

GIFTS DONATED TO THE EASTERN STAR HOME

1934-1935

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- Oct. 8—One set Dickens' works complete, one set Gibbons' Rome History; 61 volumes miscellaneous fiction; 3 sets stereoscopic views with stereoscope. Donated by Hattie B. Elrod, Past Matron Daylight Chapter No. 265.
- Oct. 17—3 pound box of chocolates. Donated by Maud Bradley, Past Grand Matron.
- Oct. 29—22 scarfs and night stand covers. Donated by Past Matrons' Association of Southern California, comprising: Crown Chapter No. 162, Tahquitz No. 351, Elsinore No. 243, Miriam No. 302, La Victoria No. 241, San Geronio No. 515.
- Oct. 30—1 davenport protector. Donated by Mrs. Dora Newcombe, South Gate Chapter No. 133.
- Nov. 10—70 books. Donated by Josephine Chapter No. 104, Chico.

- Nov. 19—36 books. Donated by Van Nuys Social Club.
- Nov. 23—44 books. Donated by Lily of the Valley Chapter No. 18, Watsonville.
- Nov. 24—Victrola and 4 dozen records. Donated by Miss Mella S. Nisbet, Inglewood Chapter No. 319.
- Nov. 27—1 box prunes, 2 jars marmalade. Donated by Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart and Miss Nellie Stewart, Past Matrons, Justice Chapter No. 460, San Francisco.
- Nov. 27—22 pots of jam and preserves. Donated by Mrs. Alma Cool, Worthy Matron Culver City Chapter No. 395.
- Nov. 29—7 religious books. Donated by Mrs. E. Harris, Brentwood.
- Nov. 29—64 individual cakes with names. Donated by Mrs. Emma M. De Coux, South Gate Chapter No. 133.
- Dec. 9—20 volumes Theodore Roosevelt, 37 volumes miscellaneous fiction. Donated by Cynthia Goodale, Henry S. Orme Chapter No. 492.
- Dec. 12—2 oil paintings, redwood and mountain scenes. Donated by Mrs. Norma Groebli, Burbank Chapter No. 352.
- Dec. 20—1 box grapefruit, 4 boxes dates, 20 jars jelly. Donated by Past Matrons and Patrons, 63rd District, El Centro.
- Dec. 21—1 box apples. Donated by Past Matrons and Patrons, Orange County.
- Dec. 22—Poinsettias. Donated by Culver City Chapter No. 395.
- Dec. 24—1 box oranges. Donated by Associate Grand Patron and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Counter, Jr.
- Dec. 24—4 dozen alligator pears. Donated by Mrs. Burner, Los Angeles.
- Dec. 24—Decorated cake. Donated by Mrs. Edna Reynolds, Palms Chapter No. 491.
- Dec. 24—Sack of walnuts. Donated by Bert R. Holloway, Past Grand Patron.
- Dec. 24—Box of Christmas gifts. Donated by Mrs. Elsie Holloway, Past Matron, Van Nuys Chapter No. 338.
- Dec. 24—Gifts for all members. Donated by Board of Trustees.
- Dec. 24—57 bags of candy. Donated by Glendale Chapter No. 422.
- Dec. 24—\$1.00 each to 5 guests. Donated by Mrs. Hazel N. Baker, Worthy Matron, Signal Chapter No. 276, El Centro.
- Dec. 24—3 boxes of candy. Donated by South Pasadena Chapter No. 272.
- Dec. 24—1 box of apples. Donated by Melita Chapter No. 467, Pasadena.
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- Jan. 1—12 jars of marmalade. Donated by Mrs. Ruth Worth, Worthy Matron, Radiant Chapter No. 421, Hollywood.

- Jan. 18—72 books. Donated by Van Nuys Social Club.
- Feb. 1—44 books. Donated by Social Club, Radiant Chapter No. 421.
- Feb. 10—Canary bird. Donated by Mrs. O. J. Pickering, Santa Monica Chapter No. 113.
- Feb. 11—18 books, several jars marmalade, peach jam. Donated by Social Club, Crescenta Valley Chapter No. 494.
- Feb. 13—57 books. Donated by Mr. and Mrs. James P. Lees, Monrovia Chapter No. 227.
- March 11—Large American Flag. Donated by Mr. and Mrs. M. Jensen, Past Patron and Past Matron Crocker Chapter No. 382.
- March 11—Bible, baton and gavel. Donated by Past Matrons' and Patrons' Association of Southern California, now disbanded.
- March 11—Renewed annual subscriptions for Saturday Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal, National Geographic, Mc-Calls, Good Housekeeping, Cosmopolitan, Woman's Home Companion, Collier's, Photoplay. Donated by the 1930 Past Matrons' Association of San Francisco.
- March 12—39 books. Donated by Lankershim Chapter No. 403.
- March 12—Cake board made by Mr. Holmes. Presented by Mrs. Anna N. Holmes, Worthy Matron, Lankershim Chapter No. 403.
- March 16—63 books. Donated by Past Matrons of Radiant Chapter No. 421.
- March 18—7 books. Donated by Mrs. W. E. Veeder, Los Angeles.
- April 12—Year's subscription "Good Housekeeping Magazine". Donated by Job's Daughters Bethel No. 26, San Francisco.
- April 19—9 poems. Donated by Mrs. Edna Morningstar, Los Angeles.
- April 21—Basket of Easter eggs for each guest. Donated by Palms Chapter No. 491.
- April 21—Box of Santa Cruz Sweets. Donated by Mrs. Hazael Marsh-Piper, P. G. M.
- April 22—68 books. Donated by Radiant Chapter No. 421.
- April 24—7 volumes History Freemasonry. Donated by Flora T. Whitney, Grand Warder.
- May 1—May Day pansy basket for each guest. Donated by Past Matrons, Columbia Chapter No. 247, West Los Angeles.
- May 1—49 books. Donated by Raisina Chapter No. 89, Fresno.
- May 2—8 books of fiction. Donated by Mrs. Loretta J. Peasgood, Past Matron Santa Monica Chapter No. 113.
- May 4—9 books of fiction. Donated by Myrtle Berry, Eagle Rock Chapter No. 313.
- May 4—7 books of fiction. Donated by Mabel Barton, Glassell Park Chapter No. 486.
- May 10—139 books. Donated by Glendale Chapter No. 422.

- May 25—5 yard linen table cloth. Donated by Mrs. Minnie Johnson, resident, Daylight Chapter No. 265.
- May 29—10 vases. Donated by Sunbeam Chapter No. 376.
- May 29—Home-made coffee cakes for all the guests. Donated by Mrs. Anna Kellar, Sunbeam Chapter No. 376.
- June 10—2 boxes of books. Donated by Golden Gate Chapter No. 1, San Francisco.
- June 21—Box of Dahlia Tubers. Donated by Past Associate Grand Patron and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Haake, Mill Valley.
- June 22—16 bound volumes National Geographic Magazines. Donated by Miss Myrtle Berry, Eagle Rock Chapter No. 313.
- June 22—10 volumes, The Source Book, Encyclopedic. Donated by Miss B. Barton, Glassell Park Chapter No. 486.
- June 27—Hand painted picture, boat scene. Presented by Vance T. Locke, Jr., West Los Angeles.
- July 4—Fire works. Donated by Caroline Hollenbeck and Henrietta Hoffmann, staff members.
- July 12—Jig-saw puzzles. Donated by Mrs. Hazael Marsh-Piper, Past Grand Matron.
- July 13—Piano. Donated by Mrs. Harriet Greenman, resident, Burbank Chapter No. 352.
- July 16—2 hand painted pictures. Presented by Past Grand Elective Officers of California in memory of Mother Boyd, Past Associate Grand Matron.
- July 18—80 books. Donated by Miss Emily Haines, Hermosa Chapter No. 105, Santa Ana.
- July 18—Jelly and jam. Donated by Angeles Vista Chapter No. 516, Los Angeles.
- Aug. 1—Book case. Donated by Miss Emily Haines, Hermosa Chapter No. 105.
- Aug. 15—Hand painted picture. Donated by Los Angeles Chapter No. 168.
- Aug. 16—13 books. Donated by Mrs. Anna T. Barkla, Past Matron, Van Nuys Chapter No. 338.
- Aug. 31—14 Dresser scarfs and night stand covers. Donated by Past Matrons' Association of Southern California, comprising: Crown Chapter No. 162, Tahquitz Chapter No. 351, Elsinore Chapter No. 243, Miriam Chapter No. 302, La Victoria Chapter No. 241, San Geronio Chapter No. 515.
- Sept. 9—2-year subscription "American Magazine". Donated by Westlake Chapter No. 268, Los Angeles.
- Sept. 14—Jewel Star, installed on peak of cupola of Eastern Star tower. Presented by Order of Job's Daughters of California.
- Sept. 16—Beaded screen for moving pictures. Presented by 1934 Matrons of San Francisco.
- Sept. 21—Picture in oil, Long Lake, High Sierra. Presented by Sunset Chapter No. 216, Los Angeles.

- Sept. 10—1932 Matrons and Patrons of Southern California (credited to the McGiffin Memorial, furnishing \$80.00; subscribed, \$20.00—single room), \$100.00.
- Sept. 16—1933 Matrons and Patrons Southern California (furnishing a room), \$75.00.
- Sept. 18—1934 Matrons' Association of Southern California (furnishing a room), \$100.00.
- Sept. 24—1932 San Francisco Matrons' Association, additional (furnishing a room), \$80.00; total \$200.00.

The Order of Job's Daughters has presented a symbol of the Eastern Star, which crowns the cupola of the Eastern Star Home. This scintillating star will be the only material sign indicating the purpose of the building. The installation of the Star will be dedicated following Grand Chapter by the Order of Job's Daughters. Announcement of day and time will be made at Grand Chapter.

For the two contributions from the combined efforts of the two girls' organizations, i. e., the Order of Rainbow for Girls, who gave the Sun Dial, and the Order of Job's Daughters, who gave the jeweled star surmounting the cupola on the central building of the Home. These two junior groups have left landmarks which will stand for a lifetime.

The gratitude of the Board of Trustees is extended to Brother Paul Morris Working, Past Patron, Columbia Chapter, No. 247, for the high type of service with which his report is replete. These services continue to be enjoyed by the residents of the Home, as well as by the weekly visitors who come for the purpose of being a part of these inspirational hours.

To the Board of Trustees:

As Director of the Inspirational Hour, in accordance with the request of Sister Effie Easton, President of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California, I herewith submit my report together with a summary of the Sunday afternoon programs held in the Garden Court Room during the past Grand Chapter year.

Forty-eight notable informal programs whose messages and music have exemplified the true purpose and spirit for which the Inspirational Hour was established, were presented in an effort to awaken enthusiasm, bring happiness, contentment and good cheer into the lives of those who live at the Home.

The Inspirational Hour has moved forward to a position of unique distinction, not only in the Home but also in the realm of Eastern Stardom. The interest shown by the attendance and the willingness of prominent denominational leaders, educators, artists, craftsmen, noted public figures and the southland's leading choral and radio celebrities, to contribute their talent, has gained for the hour widespread publicity in all parts of the country.

In my opinion, so long as instructive tongues continue to bring wise and serious truths, spiced with a bit of humor and good music to the attentive ear, the Inspirational Hour will accomplish the noble purpose for which it was established.

I am grateful beyond the measure of words to all those who have in any manner participated or contributed to the success of this fraternal activity at the Home. I am especially indebted to that quiet humanitarian from whose unselfish heart springs a sympathetic understanding which has given me the courage and confidence to undertake the task before me, Sister Amy Baldwin Werking, Past Matron of Columbia Chapter No. 247, and a familiar figure to many in the Eastern Star Chapters of the South has truly demonstrated her affection and patriotic loyalty to the Order of the Eastern Star and to the Home. Brother Rufus Wertenbaker, Past Patron, my esteemed friend, of Columbia Chapter has made his car available, either to take me to the meetings or to get speakers and soloists when necessary; his interest and loyalty has meant a great deal to me and I cannot compliment him too highly. Sister Ada Marsh Chick, of Pleiades Chapter No. 281, pianist, a guest at the Home, has always been willing and ready to aid me with classic music, her artistry and wide repertoire enables her to bring musical color to any theme; I keenly appreciate the part she has taken in the various programs. Ruth Paine, genial soloist of St. Alban's Episcopal Church, and instructor of music at the University High School, has rendered invaluable aid in authenticating music besides appearing on numerous programs as soloist. Brother Bert Richard Holloway, Past Grand Patron and member of the Board of Trustees, has visited frequently and otherwise shown a kindly interest in the programs, which has been very helpful to me.

Sincerely and Fraternally submitted,

Paul Morris Werking,

Director of the Inspirational Hour.

September 21, 1935.

The following inspirational programs were presented at the Eastern Star Home since the session of Grand Chapter held in San Francisco, 1934:

September 30, 1934

Dr. Charles E. Bacon, K. T., internationally famous as a leader in the Methodist-Episcopal denomination, a Hoosier who can justly claim to be a past master in the fine art of drawing word pictures, carried the large group assembled in the Garden Court Room to "Naples, Pompeii and Vesuvius". His observations and deductions were fascinating and practical. Ada Marsh Chick played a special arrangement at the piano as a prelude that included favorites from Italy. Sister Ethelyn Drake, sang selected hymns, she was accompanied by Leone Hicks Tryon, both are members of Columbia Chapter No. 247.

October 7, 1934

A group of twenty singers under the direction of Mr. Charles Tingle, of Van Nuys, presented a program of selected music which included solos by Mrs. Charles Lane, contralto; Mrs. Charles Tingle, soprano, and Mr. Clifton Mead, tenor. They were accompanied by Mr. Valentine Kay. Sister Elsie Holloway of Van Nuys Chapter No. 338 made the arrangements and introduced the group. Brother Bert Holloway made a short talk.

October 14, 1934

Rev. Wesley Goodson Nicholson, Pastor of Westwood Congregational Church, spoke and was accorded an enthusiastic reception. Rev. Nicholson sang two solos and led the singing of hymns. Mrs. Nicholson rendered a piano prelude.

October 21, 1934

Rev. Dora P. Neal, Associate Pastor of the First Christian Church of West Los Angeles, gave a very inspiring message under the title, "The Road to Happy Old Age". Special music, both vocal and instrumental, by members of the church choir added to the enjoyment of the hour.

October 28, 1934

The Treble Cleft Club, a group of Santa Monica Bay district women, under the direction of Sister Eva Farmer Korth, of Triangle Chapter No. 456, sang several numbers which preceded a very cheerful talk by Mrs. Lilly Galloway, of Venice, who was presented to the Home guests by Sister Rita Smith, past matron of Triangle Chapter.

November 4, 1934

Mr. Geoffrey Morgan, noted platform orator, educator and student of public affairs, gave his version in a most thrilling and eloquent manner of "The Secret of Happiness". Mr. Harold Sprenger, popular baritone who directs the choir at St. Augustine's By-the-Sea, sang several old English ballads. Leone Hicks Tryon, of Columbia Chapter No. 247 played the accompaniment.

November 11, 1934

Rev. Orris L. Enycart, pastor of the First Methodist Church of West Los Angeles, gave an interesting talk on "Peace In the Midst of Conflict". Sister Ada Marsh Chick, pianist, arranged and played an impressive prelude of classic numbers.

November 18, 1934

Sister Maude E. Randall, Past Matron of Culver City Chapter No. 395, presented a program of unusual interest which featured Mrs. Helen Stout Wright, widely known Southern California reader, a vocal chorus comprised of members of three

P. T. A. groups from Culver City, under the leadership of Sister Lila Sigrell, and closed very appropriately with a talk by Rev. A. K. Stewart, of the United Presbyterian Church of Culver City.

November 25, 1934

Rev. Edwin Weary, vicar of St. John's Episcopal Church of West Los Angeles, K. T., and 32° Mason, gave one of his uplifting talks. Members of his church choir under the direction of Mr. Rufus Wright, Past Patron of Columbia Chapter No. 247, brought special musical arrangements that made the afternoon doubly pleasant. Rev. Weary holds the distinction of being the first minister to hold an inspirational service at the Home.

December 2, 1934

Members of the University Masonic Club at the Westwood Campus presented a program supervised and arranged by Sister Lida Kempton, club hostess, which included Dr. Frank Herman Reinsch, associate professor of German at the University of California at Los Angeles, a distinguished Freemason, noted author of college text books and recognized authority on European affairs, who spoke on "The Life and Works of Selma Lagerlof". Mr. Jay Barbour, a pre-medical student at the University, sang several baritone solos and was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Madora Barbour, who also played several of her own compositions.

December 9, 1934

Dr. E. A. R. Torsch, teacher of the Pals Class of the First Methodist Church of Los Angeles, was the speaker on this inspiring program arranged by Mr. James H. Keller, the class leader. Miss Marjorie Tautenhahn, entertained with humorous readings, and Mr. Herbert Buckwalter sang selected solos. Dr. Torsch lead the singing of hymns, which is always greatly enjoyed.

December 16, 1934

The choir of St. Augustine's By-the-Sea, under the direction of Mr. Harold Sprenger, presented a program of Christmas music which included "Gloria From the Twelfth Mass" by Mozart. The soloists of the quartette were, Mrs. Jean Leslie Cornett, soprano; Mrs. Dorothy Keller, contralto; Mr. Davis McKay, baritone, and Grant Leslie, Past Patron of Santa Monica Chapter No. 113, tenor. Miss Matilda Dudley, organist at this historic Episcopal church in Santa Monica, was the accompanist.

December 23, 1934

Dr. Byron Holly, K. T., Past Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of South Carolina, a retired Episcopal clergyman, spoke on "Symbolism" and pointed to Christ's words as symbols of

God's love. Sister Helen Schmidt, a member of a Chapter in Texas, sang selected hymns; she was accompanied by Sister Jennie James of Nonpareil Chapter No. 496. The Christmas spirit prevailed in the decorative motif of the Garden Court Room.

December 30, 1934

A Christmas cantata, "The Wonderous Light", by Stultz, was presented by the choir of the First Baptist Church of West Los Angeles, under the direction of Mr. Herbert Hargreaves. Dr. Frederick Davies, pastor of the church, spoke on "Christmas Music, Its Origin and Meaning".

January 6, 1935

Dr. Charles E. Bacon, K. T., retired Methodist churchman of international prominence, beloved by all who know him at the Home, took as his topic "God's Big Check for the New Year". As on previous occasions, this entertaining world traveler, philosopher and humorist, held the large audience thrilled with his characteristic oratory. Sister Ada Marsh Chick, pianist, whose name has been linked with many notable figures in the music world, arranged a program of favorites selected from the works of old masters that was heartily received.

January 13, 1935

Rev. John Bryant, popular pastor of St. Alban's Episcopal Church of Westwood Hills, gave an appealing message entitled "The Value of Life". Marguerite McFaul Rasco, violinist and teacher of music in the public schools, led the song service and gave several violin interpretations, accompanied by Leone Hicks Tryon. Ruth Paine, soprano, leading soloist at St. Alban's and member of the University High School music department, sang delightful numbers, accompanied by Elizabeth Purcell.

January 20, 1935

Miss Augusta Rosenberg, prominent West Los Angeles attorney and chairman of the legislative department for Los Angeles County of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women, gave a review of "Current Topics" and picturesquely described some of the odd experiences which she had encountered in her legal practice.

January 27, 1935

Rev. Eldred Charles, pastor of the First Christian Church of Culver City, a prominent Mason and Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F. of California, traced the development of the church and pointed to the establishment of the doctrine of brotherly love by Christ and His followers. Sister

Martha Pearl Judy, charming chorister and leading soprano of the Arlington Baptist Church choir, was the soloist; her numbers were lyrics filled with joy. The hour closed impressively with a duet by Rev. and Mrs. Charles entitled "Follow Me".

February 3, 1935

Miss Este Antes, member of the Nineteenth Church of Christ Scientist, also of Columbia Chapter No. 247, arranged the necessary details so that members of this church could conduct the Inspirational Hour. Mrs. Olethea Berry was the first reader; Mrs. Lucy Jack, second reader. The piano prelude was played by Sister Cecily Phelen, of Columbia Chapter who also accompanied Helene Paulsen, soprano, her solo "God and God Alone Is Love", by Ward-Stephens, was superb.

February 10, 1935

Rev. Hugh W. Jamison, associate pastor of Trinity Methodist Church of Los Angeles, spoke on "God's Perfect Plan". The music was furnished by a quartette of young people from Trinity Church including Eleanor Frances White, soprano; Gladys McMullan, contralto; Dick Angell, tenor, and Rollard Lippmann, basso. Sister Ada Marsh Chick was the accompanist.

February 24, 1935

Marguerite Lamar Stearns, lyric soprano, formerly of the Chicago Civic Opera Company and widely known as a soloist in concert and light opera productions both in America and abroad since 1919, achieved a notable triumph with her program, "One Hour of Song". Mrs. Stearns, who is the wife of Theodore Stearns, noted American composer and chairman of the music department of the University of California at Los Angeles, ran the gamut of musical interpretation in the singing of nineteen songs representing widely varying types of compositions. Miss Orris Cook accompanied the soloist and played piano interludes. Dr. George Liebling, famous composer-pianist and last living pupil of Franz Liszt, and friend of Dr. and Mrs. Stearns, was an honored guest.

March 3, 1935

Miss Archine Van Norden, member of the Art Department of the University of California at Los Angeles, discussed "Art and Decoration and Their Relation to Happiness and Contentment". Miss Ruth Paine, lyric soprano, University High School faculty member, sang ballads that were inspiring and served to emphasize the speaker's theme. Leone Hicks Tryon, pianist, member of Columbia Chapter No. 247, was the accompanist. Sister Ada Marsh Chick, pianist, delighted the group with a prelude of especially selected numbers.

March 10, 1935

Miss Cecilia Irvine, head of the History Department of the University High School, a member of Columbia Chapter No. 247, with words for wings, carried the large audience which assembled in the Garden Court Room, to "Vienna, the City of Gay Music and Picturesque Festivals". Miss Irvine in her charming manner captured the imagination and admiration of her listening friends as she told of her visit and experiences in the old world atmosphere. Sister Ada Marsh Chick, pianist, whose music has most admirably contributed to the success of many inspirational programs, caught the spirit of the occasion and chose numbers which added romance and color to the topic of the day by playing "Moments Musical", by Schubert, "Wings of Song", by Mendelssohn, and the "Venitian Love Song", by Nevin.

March 17, 1935

Rev. and Mrs. Marshall Neal, of the First Christian Church of West Los Angeles, arranged a very fine program which included in addition to Rev. Neal's talk on "Tolerance", a colorful Biblical pageant by a group of young people from the church under the direction of Mrs. Neal. Mrs. Della Medill, led the song service and presented Mr. Joe Palmer, a Civil War veteran, who made a brief talk that was enthusiastically received.

March 24, 1935

Rev. Woodland Hudson, pastor of the First Christian Church of Montebello, was presented by Sister Mattie Charette, Past Grand Treasurer of the Grand Chapter of California and a Past Matron of Esperanza Chapter No. 167. Rev. Hudson sang selected solos with accompaniment by Sister Charette, who also played the opening prelude. The subject of his splendid talk was "The Joy of Christian Fellowship".

March 31, 1935

Rev. Gordon C. Chapman, pastor of the Westwood Community Church, traced the significance of names, using as a basis of his talk, "And They Were Called Christians". Nancy Kendall Robinson, noted choral director, who holds the warm affection of a host of friends in the Home who have enjoyed many of her splendid musical treats, presented and accompanied David Gordon Wallace and Sally Caroline Drews, whose solos were greatly enjoyed.

April 7, 1935

Dr. H. H. Heberly, of the United Brethren Church of Palms, took for his topic, "The Attainment of Joy". A group of soloists under the direction of Suzanne Rasmussen, sang appropriate hymns. Brother Theron Elliott Coe, Worshipful Master of Veteran Lodge No. 373, F. & A. M., was the featured soloist while Miss Grace Bennett, daughter of Sister Grace Ben-

nett, Worthy Matron of Palms Chapter No. 491, entertained with humorous readings. This very successful Inspirational Hour was arranged by Sister Bennett of Palms Chapter.

April 14, 1935

The Inspirational Hour was in charge of the Nineteenth Church of Christ Scientist. Mrs. Olethea Berry, first reader; Mrs. Lucy Jacks, second reader; Mrs. Anna Lower, organist, and Mrs. Dwight Crittendon, soloist.

April 21, 1935

Dr. Frederick Davies, pastor of the First Baptist Church of West Los Angeles, distinguished for his work on committees of the Northern Baptist Convention and in the field of foreign missions, made a brief talk on "Friends of the Risen Christ". A large choir from the church sang chorus numbers from Handel's "Resurrection". Mr. Herbert Hargraves was the director and Mrs. Thomas J. McDonough completed the arrangements, assisted by Miss Clara Zitlow of the music committee.

April 28, 1935

Rev. Ernest Caldecott, pastor of the First Unitarian Church of Los Angeles, and Sylvia Margolin, distinguished Southern California soprano soloist, were presented by Ada Marsh Chick, who for many years was organist of this church. Sister Chick was in charge of the program since I was unable to be present and I am profoundly grateful to her for the favor. According to reports, a high note of achievement was reached by Miss Margolin in her solo work and Dr. Caldecott's topic, "The Value of Friendship", emphasized those practical precepts which bring happiness and contentment to everyday living.

May 5, 1935

Rev. R. R. Detweiler, of the Community Church of North Hollywood, was presented by Brother Bert Richard Holloway, of Van Nuys, Past Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of California and a member of the Board of Trustees of the Home. Music by the Sylvan Quartette, famed for its accomplishments in music circles of Southern California, was a charming feature on this program. The members of the quartette were, Helen Knowles, Lillian Autler, Alethea Woodruff and Phoebe Schofield. Sister Maude Bigelow Sibley, Past Grand Matron of California, a member of Los Angeles Chapter No. 168, was a visitor and responded with a message of good cheer.

May 12, 1935

Mr. Arthur Carthew, National Park Naturalist, author, lecturer and member of the faculty of the University High School, told in a most interesting manner about "California's National Parks". Helen Schmidt, soprano soloist, member of Columbia

Chapter No. 247, sang "Mother Machree" as a special tribute to mothers. In response to requests from several guests of the Home, for some special observance for "Mothers' Day" I prepared a short talk entitled "Home and Mother" and exhibited etchings of my old home in Indiana which was built shortly after the state came into the Union.

May 19, 1935

Sister Ivy Crane Shelhamer, Past Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of California, and widely known leader at the Institute of Religious Science in Los Angeles, delivered a most fascinating philosophic discussion on "The Art of Living", in which she held that peace, harmony and love are the three essential elements in the life of every individual that must be recognized if success and happiness is to be achieved in the art of living. Appearing on the program with Sister Shelhamer was the noted Southern California tenor, Mr. Otto Ploetz, who sang "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise" and "Sweet Mystery of Life". It is a rare occasion that we are able to bring to the Inspirational Hour a speaker possessing such popularity, eloquence and pleasing manner and at the same time enjoy the thrill of superb music by a soloist with a colorful career such as that of Mr. Ploetz, who, in addition to being a soloist in the Pierce Brothers Quartette, has appeared on the famous Hollywood Bowl programs and his voice has been heard over both the Columbia and National Broadcasting networks. Ruth Paine, accomplished pianist and genial member of the University High School music department, was the accompanist. It is certain that the memory of this delightful hour will linger pleasantly with all who were privileged to be present.

May 26, 1935

Rev. Emil Paul Christ, veteran circuit rider of the northwest, related interesting experiences encountered in the early days of his ministry and particularly paid tribute to the eleven horses that carried him over the roads and trails of the northwest in his circuit-riding days. Many humorous incidents were called to mind when he contrasted horse-back ministry with present day conditions in the churches. Our genial Sister Augusta Craig, a guest at the Home, played the piano accompaniment while Rev. Christ led the singing of hymns.

June 2, 1935

Rev. Wesley Goodson Nicholson, pastor of the Westwood Hills Congregational Church, who is a keen student of world affairs and prominently identified in the Los Angeles area with social service and welfare activities, chose for his topic, in commemorating Memorial Day, "Remembering the Past I Press On". A sextette from the church choir, wearing rich red vestments sang impressive sacred music, thus adding colorful

effect. The members of the sextette were: Mrs. Glenn Young, Mrs. Evelyn Ruppert, Mrs. Constance Eby, Miss Ruth Holberlin, Mrs. Catherine Mahon and Mr. Ray Greenland. Mrs. Nicholson accompanied the group and opened the hour with an appropriate prelude.

June 9, 1935

Mrs. Ray Howard, Past Matron of Santa Monica Chapter No. 113, arranged a musical program of outstanding character which featured a large choir of thirty voices from the First Methodist Church of Santa Monica, under the direction of Mr. Albert Broad, widely known for his work in music circles of Santa Monica Bay district and elsewhere in the southland. A large audience, estimated to be ninety persons, was in attendance and following the music, Dr. Marvel Beem, Westwood Hills physician and surgeon, world traveler and lecturer, gave an intimate account of India and the Orient, which was illustrated by slides that he had taken on his most recent trip. Mrs. Vernon Young accompanied the choir.

June 16, 1935

The famed Pierce Brothers Chapel Quartette came to us through the kindness of Mr. Otto Ploetz, noted Southern California tenor; those artists appearing with Mr. Ploetz were: Merle Kuntz, Lundberg Goddard and John Vail, Worthy Patron of Loyalty Chapter No. 217. Mr. George Broadbent played the accompaniment and Brother Vail, in his characteristic manner, explained the significance of the songs which not only created interest but also brought a personal touch to the program which consisted largely of old time favorites. Mr. Lundberg Goddard gave a short talk that harmonized perfectly with the spirit of the music; his topic was "Live, Love and Laugh". The large audience was enthusiastic.

June 23, 1935

Rev. J. K. Stewart, of the United Presbyterian Church of Beverly Hills, selected a very novel topic, "How Is Your Eyesight?". He told of getting the opinions of several people concerning some of the ordinary things of life and pointed out how the individual who viewed things from the right angle could invariably see and understand more. Mrs. E. J. Hummel, choral leader in the church, sang selected solos, accompanied by Mrs. Gordon B. Ferguson. This proved to be a very successful program and we are indebted to Brother and Sister Clyde Scull of Beverly Hills Chapter No. 404 for this splendid contribution.

June 30, 1935

Theron Elliott Coe, Worshipful Master of Veteran Masonic Lodge No. 373, of West Los Angeles, arranged and presented

a patriotic program commemorating the Declaration of Independence, which featured an address by Rev. Joseph D. Ewers, Protestant Chaplain of the National Military Home, a member of Further Light Lodge No. 1180 of Danville, Ill. The subject of his discourse was "Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness", and his remarks were good and timely. The program was arranged by Brother Orrin Tryon, Past Master and chairman of the Committee on Education. The Veteran Lodge Quartette included Brothers Sard Frazier, Past Master and President of the Federated Craft of California; John Zuck, Past Master; Bud Enoch and Theron Coe, and their musical selections were very appropriate, some of which were sung by Masons during the revolutionary period. Leone Hicks Tryon was the accompanist. Brother John Zuck, Chaplain of the Lodge, delivered the invocation. It was a thrilling program and in every way conformed to the high ideals of Freemasonry.

July 14, 1935

Rev. George Richmire, K. T. 32°, pastor of Ocean Park Methodist-Episcopal Church and vice president of the Santa Monica Bay Ministerial Association, gave his short, stimulating and helpful talk, "Looking Up". Sister Louise Carroll, organist for Columbia Chapter No. 247, arranged the musicale which featured the gifted young violinist, Virginia Carroll, who played two groups representing works of such masters as Sarasate, Bach and Mendelssohn.

July 21, 1935

Rev. F. A. Earns, newly appointed Pastor of the First Baptist Church of West Los Angeles, took for his topic, "Digging Wells". Mrs. Thomas McDonough, member of the music committee of the church sang sacred songs and led the singing of hymns.

July 28, 1935

Bishop Charles Edward Locke, K. T. 32°, renowned figure in the Methodist-Episcopal church, gave his delightful and intensely interesting talk, "Being Old Better than Being Young". Martha Pearl Judy, versatile soprano soloist who achieved prominence for her work in the Temple Baptist choir of Los Angeles, sang her medley arrangement of old favorites, playing her own accompaniment. This Inspirational Hour brought together two outstanding people and survives as one of the highlights of the year. Dr. Locke gained nation wide recognition for his oration at President McKinley's funeral and likewise for his notable ministry in the principal cities of the Country. Sister Judy has established herself as a great favorite with the guests of the Home, not only because of her superb artistry and charm in singing the haunting melodies that appeal to all but also because of her cheery smile and friendly manner.

August 3, 1935

Sister Mildred Warren Wagner, Worthy Matron of Baldwin Park Chapter No. 527, very cleverly presented Rev. Francis Arant of the Covina Christian Church, who gave a short "pep" talk that proved to be very entertaining to those present. Mrs. Arant sang sacred numbers; she was accompanied by Mrs. Helen Stanton. It is gratifying to me that a Worthy Matron will take the time in the midst of a busy year to arrange an inspirational program for the Home and I congratulate Sister Wagner for making this successful contribution.

August 11, 1935

Rev. Marshal Neal, pastor of the First Christian Church of West Los Angeles, was in charge of the hour and made a short talk. Dora P. Neal, associate pastor of the church, presented a group of young people who entertained with readings, songs and a bit of colorful pageantry, which not only appealed to the eye but also effectively emphasized a Biblical truth. Mrs. Neal's unusual treatment of Bible episodes by means of the playlet or pageant has made her a popular figure at the Home.

August 18, 1935

Dr. A. Ray Moore, pastor of the First Methodist-Episcopal Church of Santa Monica, considered to be one of the best known ministers in the Southern California Methodist Conference and for nine years District Treasurer, talked on "The Joy of Living". It was a mighty fine talk that built up courage for the tasks ahead. Sister Ada Marsh Chick, played the piano accompaniment for the song service.

August 25, 1935

Rev. A. J. Soldan, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Santa Monica, distinguished in the realm of religion for his notable work among the young people as university pastor at Madison, Wis., and later as chaplain at Leavenworth penitentiary. A scriptural topic and a simple, wholesome, philosophical discussion proved to be very entertaining. Owing to the warm weather a very small group was on hand to hear the talk. Mrs. Soldan presided at the piano for the song service which preceded the pastor's talk.

September 1, 1935

Rev. W. N. Pierson, M. A., rector of St. Augustine's By-the-Sea, historic Episcopal church of the Santa Monica Bay district, was the speaker and Harold Sprenger, director of the church choir, sang baritone solos, accompanied by Sybil Willis, assistant church organist. The topic chosen by Rev. Pierson was "Looking at the Bright Side".

September 8, 1935

The Pals Class of the First Methodist Church of Los Angeles, a group of young men of college age, under the direction of Edgar D. Phillips, chairman of the class, made an informal visit which had for its purpose the spreading of good cheer and happiness with music, scripture and prayer. Dr. E. A. R. Torsch, teacher of the class, was the speaker and Charles Hazeltine was the soloist.

Paul Morris Werking,
Director of the Inspirational Hour.

To the Members of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home:

Another year of good-will and happiness has passed in our lovely Eastern Star Home. The health of most of our 58 members has been good. The peaceful friendly atmosphere plays an important part in keeping them well. Those of our members who are able to perform light duties do so cheerfully and happy that they are able to do something for their Home.

Almost every evening is taken up with the various activities. We have some very good bridge players who enjoy their game of cards. The Garden Club meets to discuss gardens, birds and flowers. Some of the members delight in making their individual gardens. The Historical Club meets to discuss current events. Once a week the Bible class meets. It is very impressive to hear them sing the old familiar hymns. This is a very interesting class. The reading circle meets in the afternoon and is well attended. One member reading aloud to the circle gathered around her. Some of the members keep busy in the sewing room. From the dramatic and musical talent we have many pleasing programs. All together we have a most interesting family in our Home.

We thank our Board of Trustees for all they have done for the comfort and happiness of our members. They have spent time and thought which has been a labor of love and sacrifice and have been the means of providing varied entertainment for the residents by interesting many Chapters in the Home. Our new Plymouth car has brought much pleasure to the Home.

The donations of books, magazines, sweets and other articles have been appreciated. The books have added greatly to the pleasure of our family. Most of the members love to read. We are very grateful to all who have contributed to the pleasures of the Home.

Our congenial, capable staff are doing their work well, each with a spirit of friendship, kindness and understanding heart toward the members of the Home.

The meals are carefully planned and prepared—a well-balanced diet for each meal.

The cooperation from our members is outstanding as well as the interest shown by many Chapters of the Order.

We feel that we have a wonderful Home, a joy and honor to the Order of the Eastern Star.

In memoriam to our departed sisters:

Mary Baker,
Roxanna Holford,
Minnie Roberts,
Addie Gilbert,

we dedicate these few lines:

Out of Life's Garden where bloom flowers of wonderful hue,
God planted a rose of rare beauty, the soul of our Sisters true,
He watched it unfold its petals, as day by day it grew,
Warmed by the rays of sunlight and kissed by the evening dew;
It wafted its own sweet message on wings like a carrier dove,
To the hearts and lives of others, a message of

Faith, Hope and Love.

Caroline Hollenbeck,

Acting Superintendent.

Many letters of appreciation of the Home in which the residents found a haven from "taxes, insurance and bills" have been received; quoting two of these letters:

"Eastern Star Home

January 24, 1935.

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

Just plain words can scarcely express the pleasure your Happy Greetings afforded us; and our thrill at being so generously remembered by you.

Please accept our heartiest thanks and appreciation of your kind thought towards us."

(Signed by all the residents of the Home.)

"Being one of the guests in this beautiful Home, I wish to express my appreciation for all you have done, and are doing for the members of the Home.

You have given us all the comforts that one can wish for—one could almost say you 'built better than you knew'. Our rooms are cheerful and home-like. The meals are splendid.

Our beloved superintendent is kind, gracious and efficient, making for us truly a home, surrounding us with love and kindness, which is far more to one than food and shelter for the body.

The rest of the staff are also very kind and helpful."

ENTERTAINMENT IN THE HOME

We are deeply indebted to the various Chapters, associations and organizations as well as individuals for the delightful luncheons, dinners and evenings of enjoyable entertainment, and all other activities which have added pleasure during the year to the residents of the Home.

Social Activities at the Eastern Star Home

October 1, 1934 to October 1, 1935

October 5. The 1933 Matrons of Southern California entertained the residents of the Home with a "Stunt Party", which was greatly enjoyed. After the program all assembled in the banquet room where refreshments were served.

October 13. Bethel No. 30 of the Order of Job's Daughters visited the Home and gave the exemplification of the degree work of their order. The work was beautifully given and an inspiration to all. Sister Ada Marsh Chick, acting as hostess for the occasion, was made an honorary member of this Bethel.

October 30. A Hallowe'en high jinks party was given by the residents. The evening's program and a one-act play entitled "U'll B Sprised", was arranged by Sister Helen Daniels. Supper was served in the banquet room by the light of the burning fireplace and lighted candles. The evening was brought to a close by dancing the old quadrille. Sister Jennie James, Past Matron of Nonpareil Chapter, San Francisco, presided at the piano.

November 9. A very jolly evening was enjoyed when East Gate Chapter No. 225 entertained members. A varied program of music and readings was presented. Following the program refreshments were served.

November 13. Torrance Chapter No. 380 sponsored a birthday party for the members whose birthdays occurred during the month. A delicious luncheon was served in the banquet room. Sister Elizabeth Ward, a resident of the Home, made a charming hostess for the occasion.

December 24. A yuletide program, presented by Patience Polard, reader; Jane Flint, marimba soloist; Frank Bourne Jacobson, pianist, and Doreen James, soloist, was greatly appreciated by the members of the Home. The program was brought to a close by all singing "Holy Night", the best loved Christmas carol. The programs, Christmas souvenirs, were decorated by Sister Inez Fitzgerald, one of our residents.

December 25. The happiest day of the year, Christmas. Our breakfast was followed by a processional to the garden court, singing "Adeste Fideles", led by flag and cross. The room was aglow with lights from the beautifully decorated tree and sparkling fire from the spacious fire place. Gifts from the Grand Chapter, Board of Trustees, and the former superintendent, Miss Elizabeth Brown, were distributed. A bountiful din-

ner climaxed the happiest Christmas of residents in the Home. Our thanks to all who contributed to our good cheer.

December 26. Glendale Chapter sent several automobiles to give those who cared to accept the courtesy, a ride to Hollywood to see the Christmas illuminations. Thanks to our escorts and a happy new year to all.

January 7. Once again The Cosmos Club of Los Angeles, of which Sister Helen Daniels, a resident of the Home is a member, brought to the Home a colorful pageant which was very much enjoyed. A cantata of Christmas carols was presented, also the sacred and colorful pageant which ended with the Nativity and the Three Wise Men, was arranged and directed by the president of the club.

January 8. Under the direction of Sister Hattie Allen, a resident at the Home, the Historical Department met in regular session. A report of the General Grand Convention, held in Tampa, Florida, was read. The reading of the report followed with a general discussion.

January 15. The Garden Section, of which Sister Harriet Greenman is president, met. The theme thought of the meeting was "What Is Age?"

January 17. A birthday party, given in honor of the members whose birthdays come in December and January, was one of the outstanding social events of the month. The fourteen honored residents were seated around a center table decorated in yellow and green with lighted candles. Flower decorations were arranged by Sister Hattie Allen, and Sister Helen Daniels made the favors. After a delicious chicken dinner, a social afternoon was enjoyed. In the evening, cards and other games were played.

January 18. Sponsored by Mrs. Hazel Shivel, a member of the Cosmos Club, the Accordion Band, under the direction of Mr. Bert Eberle, presented a program. The band is composed of twenty children between the ages of four and twelve years. The program was featured by the solo playing of Jerry White, four years old, and Jewel Eberle, seven. There were other special numbers by the more advanced pupils in the band.

January 18. Several members from Burbank Chapter surprised Sister Harriet Greenman, a resident of the Home, on the occasion of her birthday by giving an informal party in her honor, to which all the Home members were invited.

January 26. Thanks are due the Past Matrons of Radiant Chapter No. 421, for sponsoring a delightful program. The Corydon Marimba Band, and a string trio, violin, harp and 'cello, responded most graciously to several musical selections. The comedy skit, "Topsy and Eva", amused the audience.

February 1. Radiant Chapter inaugurated the month by giving a delicious chicken luncheon. About 200 sat around the tables, cleverly decorated. Visitors were shown through the Home during the day. Many played cards, after which a pleasing program was enjoyed.

February 8. Several of the members had the privilege of attending the Philharmonic Concert in Los Angeles. Mrs. Leland Atherton Irish made it possible for the ladies to enjoy such a rare treat.

February 11. The Crescenta Valley Chapter No. 494, presented a program for the entertainment of the members at the Home. A short skit, "Pokey Huntus", was enacted. Mr. Trimmer, accompanied by his daughter, played several selections on the old fiddle. The Chapter served refreshments.

February 13. The Do-Well-Club of Rose Croix Chapter, presented a highly enjoyable program. The featured entertainer was Chief Ho-Tc-Pi, who gave an enlightening talk on Indian customs, danced several Sioux Indian dances and sang several songs. Other numbers on the program were readings, vocal solos and selections on the accordion. America was sung by all. The affair ended with a grand finale, an old fashioned quadrille dance. Bags of candy were presented as Valentine remembrances.

February 14. Supper was served in the banquet room, which was specially decorated for the joint celebration of Lincoln's birthday and Valentine's day. After supper the members amused themselves by making Valentines. Prizes were given. Brother Walter Smithen played several numbers on the harmonica. Sister Helen Daniels read a brief resume' of Lincoln's early life and the origin of St. Valentine's day. Brother James Collins read a paper on the peculiarities of Lincoln.

March 5. Several of the ladies at the Home spent a very enjoyable afternoon as the guests of the Past Matrons of Malta Chapter. The ladies were taken to a "movie" matinee at the Fox Dome at Ocean Park.

March 7. "Adolescent Young," a one act play, was staged by the drama section of the Woman's Twentieth Century Club of Eagle Rock. The president of the club was introduced by Sister Evelyn Hobbs, a resident at the Home and a member of the club. The amusing satire on women's clubs was well staged and splendidly acted and proved to be a great success.

March 12. Queen Esther Auxiliary of Lankershim Chapter gave a program and birthday party in honor of some of the members of the Home. The unique kitchen band, composed of members from the auxiliary and the Community Church, made quite a "hit". Although it was the Worthy Matron, Sister Anna Holme's birthday, she reversed the order of things by presenting a large birthday cake to the honored residents. All the residents of the Home received a handkerchief.

March 13. Members of Mystic Circle of Pleiades Chapter No. 281 made a long anticipated visit to the Home. The residents and visitors assembled in the garden court where a short program was presented. The visitors were afterwards escorted over the Home grounds.

March 19. The Home members assembled in the garden court where a very entertaining program was presented by "Uncle Reamus" of Radio Land and Charles Royal. Moving pictures

were shown of Boulder Dam, wild game of Alaska and the Los Angeles Harbor. "Uncle Reamus" sang and played several comedy numbers and Charles Royal, who is an author and a pleasing entertainer, gave a reading.

March 26. Palms Chapter No. 491 presented a program of readings, songs and pictures that were fully enjoyed by the Home members. The girls' choir from Palms Brethren Church sang several numbers.

March 30. Carrying out in their table decorations and favors, the pink and blue color scheme, the Past Matrons of Monrovia Chapter No. 227 gave a pot luck luncheon to the members of the Home. Baskets filled with spring flowers were on the tables were beautifully decorated and Sister Flint had the place. After luncheon a short program was enjoyed.

April 4. On the occasion of her 85th birthday, Sister Mary Flint, a resident of the Home, was given a surprise luncheon by officers and members of Hermosa Chapter No. 105, Santa Ana. Sister Flint was greeted with a birthday song and was honored during the luncheon that was held in the banquet room. The tables were beautifully decorated and Sister Flint had the pleasure of cutting her own birthday cake. After the social hour the visitors were escorted through the Home.

April 16. San Pedro Harbor Chapter No. 174, of which Sister Mary Talman, a resident of the Home, is a Past Matron, presented a delightful program for our members. The program consisted of readings, pianologues, solos and group singing. Delicious refreshments were served. This being San Pedro Chapter's first visit to the Home the members had the pleasure of ushering the visitors through the grounds.

April 21. Easter proved to be an exceptionally happy day for the members of the Home. At noon a surprise birthday dinner party was held in the dining room for the members having birthdays in February, March and April. The dining room was beautifully decorated with Easter lilies, ferns and other flowers with a large cross in the center of the room. The ten honored guests were seated at the center table which was decorated with Easter flowers and candles. Place cards and a candy Easter basket as a remembrance from Palm Chapter were at each place. After a delicious chicken dinner birthday greetings were extended to all. The birthday party was brought to a close by all singing "God Be With Us 'Til We Meet Again".

May 6. The 1933 Past Matrons' Association provided an enjoyable treat for the Home residents by taking them to a moving picture show at Ocean Park.

May 10. Sister Ada Marsh Chick, a resident of the Home, was honored at a happy birthday party by her Chapter, Pleiades No. 281. Refreshments were served, followed by a program, consisting of readings on the life of Joyee Kilmer and his poetry; vocal and piano compositions were enjoyed by all.

May 10. In the evening Glendale Chapter No. 422 presented a musical program which was greatly appreciated. Duets, violin solos, readings, vocal solos, and the men's chorus of Glen-

dale Chapter comprised the program. Lovely refreshments were served in the banquet room.

May 27. Sunbeam Chapter No. 376 presented a pleasing program for the entertainment of the members of the Home. The social hour was turned over to our resident, Helen Daniels, a member of this Chapter. In her pleasing manner she introduced Regina Berman, pianist; Regina Abrams and Rose Thompson, soloists. "Prayer Perfect," was the closing number sung by the members of the Chapter. Refreshments followed.

May 22. One of the most impressive evenings ever enjoyed at the Eastern Star Home was the evening of May 22nd, when our beloved Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Grand Conductress and President of the Board of Trustees, honored us by her presence. The garden court was converted into a temporary Chapter room for this occasion and the residents of the Home filled the various offices. Sister Easton delighted the members by giving the Symposium of the Star, and as Sister Easton delivered each lecture everyone was most attentive and felt her inspiring presence. Her sacred message will linger long in our memory. On behalf of the members of the Home we dedicate this verse in memory of the impressive evening:

In the garden of remembrance there is a little sheltered spot,
Fragrant with the bloom of beauty, of the sweet forget-me-not.
And no flower in that garden, fairer, brighter, ever grew,
Than the little flower that whispers, "Always, we shall remember
you".

May 28. The 1929 Past Matrons' Association came in a body and entertained the members with a bridge party. Prizes were awarded and refreshments served.

May 29. Surprising Sister Evelyn Hobbs on the occasion of her birthday, members of Eagle Rock Chapter, to which she belongs, came to the Home in a body and showered her with many good wishes. Delicious refreshments were served.

June 19. Through the kindness of Montebello Chapter No. 335, a delicious luncheon was served in the banquet room. Tables were decorated in pastel shades with baskets of flowers. A program followed; the outstanding number was a skit enacted by Job's Daughters; Sister Helen Daniels gave a very amusing reading and Brother Smithen gave a short talk. Both are residents.

June 19. The meeting of the Garden Section was featured by a lively discussion of the theme topic, "What Is Success?". A pleasing recitation, "The Queen's Gift", was given by one of the members, dressed in costume. A play on the names of forty members was very cleverly executed. An exhibit of forty beautifully dressed dolls, completed the evening's entertainment.

June 20. Wilmington Chapter No. 459 paid the Home a visit, spending a social afternoon and serving light refreshments.

June 27. About 35 Home members spent a delightful evening as the honored guests of Columbia Chapter, West Los Angeles.

An entertaining program was presented followed by refreshments.

June 30. Seven of our members were honored at a happy birthday dinner. The honored members sat at the table decorated in the National Colors with a Flag waving at each place. A delicious chicken dinner was served. Sister Evelyn Hobbs thanked all for the delightful affair and Sister Emma Hamlin, 91 years old, and the oldest member in the Home, also gave a short talk.

July 4. The outstanding feature for the month was a patriotic program arranged by two of our capable residents, Sisters Chick and Daniels. Sister Hattie Allen, a resident, spent much time decorating for the occasion in National Colors. The program, all Home talent, was as follows:

- 1—Flag Bearer Brother Smithen
Poem—"The Flag Goes By"..... Sister Daniels
- 2—Eulogy to the Flag—
The Star Spangled Banner..... Sister Daniels
- 3—Singing—"The Star Spangled Banner".....
..... Sisters Hoffmann, James and Searce
All joined in Anthem
- 4—Patrick Henry and Liberty Bell..... Sister Johnson
- 5—Duett, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean".....
..... Sisters James and Searce
- 6—George Washington Sister Hollenbeck
- 7—How, When and Where the Song "America" was
first sung Sister Craig
All join in singing first verse of "America"
- 8—Solo, "Flag of the Free"..... Sister Hoffmann
- 9—The Birth of the Statue of Liberty..... Sister Strode
- 10—Tableau with Music: Statute of Liberty, Exemplifying
Peace
Brother Collins, Sisters Dykes, Kizer, Edson, Ward, Flint
and Spencer
- 11—A Tribute to Sister Margaret Bradley.....
..... Sisters Searce and James
Music by Sister Ada Marsh Chick

July 9. Three of the members of Palms Chapter spent the afternoon playing games with our ladies. Refreshments were served later in the afternoon.

July 15. Thirty-three of our members were entertained by Santa Monica Chapter No. 113. A cordial welcome was extended and a happy evening enjoyed. Refreshments were served and at a late hour the members departed for home.

July 25. The members of the Home assembled in the garden court where the "Cherie Chase Club for the Blind" presented a varied program consisting of instrumental, vocal and several delightful readings, complimentary to one of our residents, Sister Catherine Parker. After the program, refreshments were served in the social hall. It being Sister Parker's birthday, she

was presented with a large birthday cake. Mr. Geo. E. Chase, director of the club, had charge of the afternoon.

July 27. Belvedere Chapter No. 402 gave a pleasing program complimentary to Sister and Brother Smithen, residents of the Home and also members of the Chapter. The evening was a very merry one, the feeling of true fellowship was very outstanding. The "Borden's Milk" arranged the program, followed by delicious refreshments. Many of the visitors were escorted through the Home.

July 28. The monthly birthday dinner party, honoring six of our members, was held in the dining room. Tables were beautifully decorated in shades of blue and pink. Brother Smithen acted as toastmaster.

July 29. Angeles Vista Chapter No. 516 gave a tea for the members of the Home. It was their first visit to the Home so the afternoon was spent in getting acquainted with one another and being escorted through the grounds.

August 13. Through the kindness of Westwood Hill Chapter, U. D., transportation was provided for the members who cared to attend Chapter. Following the meeting a program was given which was greatly enjoyed.

August 14. The "get-together party" held in the social hall proved to be a great success. This was just a home gathering sponsored by Sister Jennie James, one of our staff members, and Sister Hattie Allen. About fifty of the residents turned out for the occasion. Various games were played and prizes awarded. At the close of the evening punch and wafers were served.

August 20. A very jolly evening was enjoyed when the "Good-Will Quartet" presented a varied program. Mr. Rathburn had charge of the entertainment.

August 22. The monthly birthday dinner party was held in the dining room. Besides honoring six of our Home members we had the pleasure of surprising Sister Effie Easton, President of the Board of Trustees, whose birthday also occurred during the month. This being the day of the Board meeting, the Trustees helped to celebrate this occasion. The tables were decorated with baskets of flowers and candles, the honored guests sitting at a special table. Brother Smithen, acting as toastmaster, called upon Sister Easton, who responded and gave an inspiring talk. Short talks were also enjoyed by the Board members and Home guests.

August 27. The members of Rising Light Chapter No. 286, Huntington Park, paid the Home a visit. A social afternoon was enjoyed and refreshments served.

September 12. One of the most outstanding events of the year was the official visit of our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, to the Home. A specially prepared luncheon was served to approximately 150 residents and guests, after which all gave their attention to many interesting speeches. The thoughts expressed by our Worthy Grand Matron were most thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated. As this was an official

visit of a Worthy Grand Matron to the Eastern Star Home, it will be one long to be remembered. The residents are most deeply grateful to Sister Collins and are looking forward to more such enjoyable affairs.

September 19. Several of the members of the Home were royally entertained by the members of Ocean Park Chapter No. 245 on their Chapter night. A bus was provided by the Chapter for transportation and upon arriving a most cordial greeting was extended to all. A very pleasing program was enjoyed, followed by refreshments served in the banquet room. The feeling of good fellowship prevailed and the residents will long remember this delightful evening.

RESIDENTS OF THE EASTERN STAR HOME

October 1, 1935

Mrs. Hattie Allen—Pasadena Chapter No. 108, Pasadena. Entered the Home March 1, 1933. Age 73. Birthday, July 28th.

Mrs. Alvina Bergner—Southgate Chapter No. 133, Los Angeles. Entered the Home March 1, 1933. Age 77. Birthday, August 7th.

Mrs. Charlotte Brackett—Alhambra Chapter No. 193, Alhambra. Entered the Home July 28, 1933. Age 84. Birthday, March 21st.

Mrs. Ella Barski—Columbia Chapter No. 247, West Los Angeles. Entered the Home June 21, 1933. Age 75. Birthday, January 8th.

Mrs. Alice Baer—Sunset Chapter No. 216, Los Angeles. Entered the Home March 1, 1933. Age 81. Birthday, December 29th.

Mrs. Margaret Bradley—Southgate Chapter No. 133, Los Angeles. Entered the Home March 1, 1933. Age 73. Birthday, April 13th.

Mrs. Genevieve H. Chapin—Yosolano Chapter No. 218, Winters. Entered the Home February 24, 1935. Age 68. Birthday, July 27th.

Mrs. Margaret E. Craw—Long Beach Chapter No. 173, Long Beach. Entered the Home February 28, 1935. Age 70. Birthday, September 20th.

Mrs. Ada Chick—Pleiades Chapter No. 281, Los Angeles. Entered the Home September 11, 1933. Age 70. Birthday, May 10th.

Mrs. Adda Clark—Harmony Chapter No. 124, San Francisco. Entered the Home April 30, 1933. Age 75. Birthday, August 18th.

Mrs. Adda Collins—Raisina Chapter No. 89, Fresno. Entered the Home February 19, 1934. Age 73. Birthday, June 15th.

Mr. James Collins—Raisina Chapter No. 89, Fresno. Entered the Home February 19, 1934. Age 73. Birthday January 14th.

Mrs. Ascha Cramond, Service Chapter No. 414, Long Beach. Entered the Home January 6, 1934. Age 87. Birthday, January 26th.

Mrs. Augusta Craig—Hollywood Chapter No. 209, Hollywood. Entered the Home January 6, 1934. Age 71. Birthday, November 30th.

Mrs. Annis L. De Barr—Highland Park Chapter No. 263, Los Angeles. Entered the Home February 28, 1935. Age 82. Birthday, January 7th.

Mrs. Helen Daniels—Sunbeam Chapter No. 376, Los Angeles. Entered the Home January 3, 1934. Age 67. Birthday, December 26th.

Miss Louise Ducrr—Marguerite Chapter No. 78, Santa Barbara. Entered the Home June 27, 1935. Age 66. Birthday, September 10th.

Mrs. Mary Edson—Silver Wave Chapter No. 75, San Bernardino. Entered the Home February 25, 1934. Age 70. Birthday, August 14th.

Miss Theresa Ernst—Veritas Chapter No. 84, Colusa. Entered the Home December 12, 1934. Age 77. Birthday, January 6th.

Mrs. Florence Fisher—Esperanza Chapter No. 167, Los Angeles. Entered the Home September 5, 1933. Age 74. Birthday, September 12th.

Miss Inez Fitzgerald—Magnolia Chapter No. 73, Gilroy. Entered the Home December 15, 1933. Age 84. Birthday, August 20th.

Mrs. Mary Fletcher—Occidental Chapter No. 280, San Francisco. Entered the Home January 11, 1934. Age 78. Birthday, September 4th.

Mrs. Mary Flint—Hermosa Chapter No. 105, Santa Ana. Entered the Home January 13, 1934. Age 84. Birthday, April 4th.

Mrs. Jessie Folsom—Berkeley Chapter No. 178, Berkeley. Entered the Home May 24, 1933. Age 78. Birthday, June 26th.

Mrs. Bertha Fox—Hollywood Chapter No. 209, Hollywood. Entered the Home January 3, 1934. Age 69. Birthday, October 21st.

Mrs. Harriet Greenman—Burbank Chapter No. 352, Burbank. Entered the Home March 30, 1934. Age 73. Birthday, January 18th.

Mrs. Lillie S. Hiester—La Posa Chapter No. 282, King City. Entered the Home September 13, 1934. Age 71. Birthday, April 12th.

Mrs. Mary Hill—Athens Chapter No. 277, Oakland. Entered the Home September 30, 1933. Age 69. Birthday, November 27th.

Mrs. E. W. Hobbs—Eagle Rock Chapter No. 313, Los Angeles. Entered the Home April 7, 1934. Age 73. Birthday, May 29th.

Mrs. Emma L. Hamlin—Casimir Chapter No. 252, San Francisco. Entered the Home April 11, 1934. Age 90. Birthday, June 26th.

Mrs. Laura Jewell—Rose Croix Chapter No. 317, Los Angeles. Entered the Home March 1, 1933. Age 76. Birthday, September 6th.

Mrs. Minnie K. Johnson—Daylight Chapter No. 265, Los Angeles. Entered the Home December 13, 1934. Age 68. Birthday, November 4th.

Miss A. L. Kloppenburg—Columbus Chapter No. 117, Sacramento. Entered the Home April 29, 1934. Age 76. Birthday, June 11th.

Mrs. Emma King—Norwalk Chapter No. 143, Norwalk. Entered the Home March 1, 1933. Age 74. Birthday, July 24th.

Mrs. Kate Keith—Orient Chapter No. 177, Centerville. Entered the Home June 28, 1933. Age 71. Birthday, August 5th.

Mrs. Ida Kizer—Fraternity Chapter No. 288, San Jose. Entered the Home September 12, 1933. Age 73. Birthday, November 19th.

Miss Ennie Lyman—Loyalty Chapter No. 217, Los Angeles. Entered the Home October 1, 1933. Age 70. Birthday, December 2nd.

Mrs. Kate Newby—Torrance Chapter No. 380, Torrance. Entered the Home December 21, 1933. Age 78. Birthday, November 12th.

Mrs. Mary Norwine—Pasadena Chapter No. 108, Pasadena. Entered the Home March 1, 1933. Age 78. Birthday, November 9th.

Mrs. Annie Oxman—Acacia Chapter No. 21, Los Angeles. Entered the Home June 5, 1933. Age 67. Birthday April 22nd.

Mrs. Stella Palmer—Point Chapter No. 394, Richmond. Entered the Home November 20, 1933. Age 79. Birthday, December 3rd.

Mrs. Katherine Parker—Los Angeles Chapter No. 168, Los Angeles. Entered the Home May 8, 1934. Age 77. Birthday, July 7th.

Mrs. Mary Reid—Redding Chapter No. 44, Redding. Entered the Home August 18, 1933. Age 76. Birthday, January 21st.

Mrs. Annie M. Saunders—Wistaria Chapter No. 295, Turlock. Entered the Home September 13, 1934. Age 72. Birthday, December 30th.

Mrs. Anna Simgen—Gardena Chapter No. 260, Gardena. Entered the Home March 25, 1933. Age 78. Birthday, July 7th.

Miss Louise Spencer—Euclid Chapter No. 179, Ontario. Entered the Home February 11, 1934. Age 73. Birthday, February 27th.

Mrs. Alicia Strode—La Mesa Chapter No. 300, San Diego. Entered the Home December 2, 1933. Age 71. Birthday, October 5th.

Mrs. Vilate Smithen—Belvedere Chapter No. 402. Entered the Home June 29, 1934. Age 70. Birthday, July 23rd.

Mr. Walter Smithen—Belvedere Chapter No. 402. Entered the Home June 29, 1934. Age 70. Birthday March 9th.

Mrs. Mary E. Talman—San Pedro Harbor Chapter No. 174. Entered the Home January 24, 1935. Age 68. Birthday, March 14th.

Mrs. Sarah Thatcher—Pacific Chapter No. 192, Los Angeles. Entered the Home February 14, 1934. Age 71. Birthday, June 19th.

Mrs. Emma Travis—Copa Del Oro Chapter No. 142, Redlands. Entered the Home March 2, 1934. Age 76. Birthday, June 8th.

Mrs. Margaret Turner—Southern Star Chapter No. 96, San Diego. Entered the Home April 7, 1934. Age 76. Birthday, April 19th.

Mrs. Clara Von Dorn—Ramona Chapter No. 97, Arroyo Grande. Entered the Home May 5, 1934. Age 70. Birthday, April 19th.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ward—Loyalty Chapter No. 217, Los Angeles. Entered the Home May 14, 1933. Age 78. Birthday, November 30th.

Miss Annie Wible—San Jose No. 31, San Jose. Entered the Home May 10, 1934. Age 82. Birthday, December 7th.

Mrs. Minnie Warren—Effie Easton Chapter No. 392, Oakland. Entered the Home April 1, 1934. Age 66. Birthday, April 1st.

Mrs. Mattie Withington—Santa Cruz Chapter No. 273, Santa Cruz. Entered the Home July 1, 1933. Age 88. Birthday, March 22nd.

In Memoriam

"The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;
He leadeth me beside the still waters."
(Ps. 23.)

"Unto Thee, O, Lord, do I lift up my Soul."
(Ps. 25.)

On the 26th of March, 1935, just at the dawn of day when all the universe was breaking forth into the glories of the spring time, the Omnipotent One sent an angel messenger to earth and gathered from our midst Sister Stella Morgan Linscott, our beloved Grand Secretary, to take her place in the Grand Chapter above.

There are many hills in California, but only here and there a snow crowned Mt. Shasta.

There are many trees in California, but only here and there a stately Sequoia.

There are many echoes in California, but only here and there an original voice.

There are many people in California, but only now and then a Native Daughter—

A true, staunch Stella M. Linscott.

Sister Linscott was not only the Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of California but also the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California and a messenger of Truth, Loyalty and genuine Service to all her Sisters and Brothers.

In Berkeley Chapter room where so many happy hours had been spent, loving Sisters artistically arranged all of Nature's blooms, fashioned into sprays, wreaths and pillows, the ever-loving expressions of cherished friends and fraternal associates.

Dainty lilies of the valley, stocks, sweet peas and roses of every hue, fragrant carnations, sweet scented violets and gardenias, dainty ferns, pure white Easter lilies, floral tributes of love and devotion.

And there amid this grandeur, our Sister Stella Linseott lay dreaming, with lightly folded hands clasping a spray of choicest orchids. While all around her countless friends from far and near had gathered to say "Farewell".

As they moved softly, lest the rustle of their feet disturb her peaceful slumber, there seemed to be a prayerful wish unuttered that she might, if only for a moment, open her sleeping eyes and gaze upon the heavenly scene before her—the tribute of undying friendship and affection.

And so the great world from which she came opened its arms and gathered her home.

"And the life that is now and the life that is to come is the richer and gentler for her spirit that has gone home."

"Some day I hope with you to stand
Before the throne at God's right hand,
And say to you at journey's end,
Praise God, you've been to me a friend—
Thank God for you."

"Each passing year robs us of some possession."

This year death gently called four Sisters from the fireside of our Eastern Star Home; God giveth his beloved sleep.

"Rejoice and be exceeding glad, for great is your reward in heaven."

Sister Lucretia Baker

Member of Oak Leaf Chapter No. 8, Oakland

Entered the Home April 12, 1934

Born February 8, 1859

Entered into rest February 19, 1935

Sister Roxanna Mary Holford

Member of Tulare Chapter No. 94, Tulare

Entered the Home January 11, 1934

Born April 2, 1852

Entered into rest March 22, 1935

Sister Minnie Marion Roberts

Member of Golden Gate Chapter No. 1, San Francisco

Entered the Home April 13, 1933

Born January 18, 1862

Entered into rest May 11, 1935

Sister Addie Millard Gilbert

Member of Nimshi Chapter No. 424, Los Angeles

Entered the Home March 8, 1934

Born August 23, 1856

Entered into rest September 16, 1935

"Sleep" is a word used many times in the Bible as a symbol of death. *Our beloved ones lie down in death and become unconscious to all things that hinder and hurt and harm, to live on in new power and strength in a greater life more beautiful than we know on earth.*

"They are not dead; they are just away."

Respectfully submitted,
Hazeal Marsh-Piper.

APPRECIATION

The Board of Trustees appreciates sincerely the thoughtfulness of our Worthy Grand Matron in setting a date in her official itinerary to include one for the Eastern Star Home of California.

September 12th will be long remembered by those who were present. It was a gala day for the residents, to those who came in the afternoon to meet and greet their Worthy Grand Matron. We hope this first official visit to this bounteous contribution of a Home from the members of the Order in California will become an annual event in the itinerary of the Worthy Grand Matrons of the future.

To the Degree Team of Southern California who conducted the service to guests and residents so efficiently that the smoothness of the luncheon was without confusion or delay, to which had been invited all Present and Past Grand Officers. The director of the Degree Team, Sister Lillian Holman was complimented many times.

To Sister Kathleen Brown (who was drafted into the management of the general preparations because of the Eastern trip of Sister Bessie A. Pierce) with the cooperation of the Home staff as assistants, who completed a major work with care and satisfaction to everyone present.

To Brother Leonard Wilson, Past Patron Golden State No. 298, who has given valuable counsel during the year, quoting from letter from Postmaster Henry B. R. Briggs of Los Angeles, addressed to Brother Wilson: "We have relocated a mail box for the particular use of the ladies in the Eastern Star Home, placing it where the Matron thought best. It was a pleasure to be able to take this action, serving the guests of the Home".

To Miss Edith Leary, secretary to Brother Wilson, who spent a day at the Home systematizing the reports and files pertaining to the residents.

To Sister Wiener, for the time and interest she gave in readjusting the pharmacy department of the Home, to which she added a generous contribution.

To D. S. Manuel, American Trust Co., who rendered valuable service in transfers of varied types in the interest of the guests and the Home.

The Committees on the Board of Trustees have been of valuable service, with no thought of the sacrifice of time demanded by each task requested of them.

CLOSING

The Board of Trustees submits no recommendations. We leave with our members, who will find data of value in these pages, a message written in the report of 1913 by the then Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Martha Gould Dinsmore, "This is hold together time in all the world; first, last and always we are a mutual corporation—interdependent. Duties may vary with capacity, but our main aim is identical".

Signed by a majority of the Board of Trustees.

D. W. Pierce,
Hazel Marsh-Piper,
Bert Richard Holloway,
Effie Easton.

REPORT ON ADMISSIONS—1935

The summary shows 64 guests, 6 of whom passed away since the opening of the Home, March, 1933; 58 residents in the Home October 1, 1935.

The report of the Board of Trustees of California on admission of the seven guests who have become residents in the Home since October 1, 1934, is herewith submitted:

- 2 were born in California;
- 5 were born in other states and countries;
- 6 were initiated in California;
- 1 affiliated from another state.

Name	Chapter	Location
Chapin, Mrs. Genevieve Hamilton	Yosolano No. 218	Winters
Craw, Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth	Long Beach No. 173	Long Beach
De Barr, Mrs. Annis L.	Highland Park No. 263	Los Angeles
Duerr, Miss Louise Bertha	Marguerite No. 78	Santa Barbara
Ernst, Miss Theresa	Veritas No. 84	Colusa
Johnson, Mrs. Minnie King	Daylight No. 265	Los Angeles
Talman, Mrs. Mary Evangeline	San Pedro Harbor No. 174	San Pedro

These residents have held office in their respective Chapters during years of active membership as follows:

Chapin, Mrs. Genevieve H.	Adah 1889	San Jose No. 31
	Organist	Yosolano No. 218
Johnson, Mrs. Minnie K.		Daylight No. 265
Talman, Mrs. Mary E.	Past Matron	San Pedro Harbor No. 174

MEMBERSHIPS HELD BY INITIATION AND AFFILIATION IN CALIFORNIA

6 by Initiation

12 by Affiliation

Representing membership in 11 Chapters

Daylight No. 265	Marguerite No. 78
Highland Park No. 213	Occidental No. 280
Hollenbeck No. 248	San Jose No. 31
Long Beach No. 173	San Pedro Harbor No. 174
Veritas No. 84	Wistaria No. 296
	Yosolano No. 218

One Membership held in state other than California, ten or more years ago:

Missouri	Anchor Chapter No. 54	St. Louis
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BIRTH STATES

California—Los Angeles, San Jose.
Alabama—Mobile.
Illinois—Collinsville.
Iowa—Logan.
Maine—Portland.
Pennsylvania—Bellvernon.

OTHER BIRTH COUNTRIES THAN THE UNITED STATES

Canada—Fox Harbor, Nova Scotia.
Germany—Baden.

BIRTH MONTHS	CHURCHES PREFERRED BY RESIDENTS
January .....2	Baptist
March .....1	Christian Science
July .....1	Episcopal
September .....3	Methodist
November .....1	Presbyterian
December .....1	Synagogue
	Unitarian

GAINFUL OCCUPATIONS FOLLOWED DURING ACTIVE YEARS

Graduate nurse	1
Insurance salesman	1
Newspaper reporter	1
Notary public	1
Teacher of Music.....	1
Teacher—schools	1

The Board of Trustees of the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S., desires to express gratitude to the following physicians, who have generously made the medical examinations for each applicant. Our appreciation for this service is sincere—we thank you:

Edward C. Boyce, M. D.....	Los Angeles
Clayton C. Campbell, M. D.....	Long Beach
Lynn H. Case, M. D.....	Santa Monica
D. E. F. Easton, M. D.....	San Francisco
William E. Guidinger, M. D.....	San Pedro
E. A. Julien, M. D.....	Turlock
R. E. Maxwell, M. D.....	Modesto
George E. Malsbary, M. D.....	Los Angeles
Rudolph R. Mueller, M. D.....	Los Angeles
Clara A. Silvia, M. D.....	Gilroy
A. A. Thurlow, M. D.....	Santa Rosa
J. W. Gullikson, M. D.....	Tacoma, Washington

The social welfare investigations which follow the medical examinations have also been a generous contribution to the greatest work of the Eastern Star, carried to a successful end in California, that of a home for our aged members. To these noble women the Board of Trustees records two simple words—thank you; also to the many county departments of social welfare that have shown splendid cooperation in these investigations.

Mrs. Rose Benninger.....	San Francisco
Mrs. Clara M. Gingg.....	Gilroy
Mrs. Lizzie May Gentry.....	San Pedro
Maude A. Haskell.....	Santa Monica
Mrs. Marie T. Hutchings.....	Santa Monica
Mrs. Amy E. Krueckel.....	Oakland
Miss Nina Magee	Santa Rosa
Mrs. Gladys Mansell.....	Long Beach
Mrs. Harriet B. Pitts.....	Modesto
Mrs. Rosie B. Roemer.....	Los Angeles
May Belle Slaney	Santa Monica

Many of the Secretaries from sister jurisdictions, as well as California, have rendered a real service in perfecting the Eastern Star histories of those who have become residents:

Mrs. Bessie Chism	Fresno No. 295	California
Mrs. Anna Edna Cereda	Silver Spray No. 59	"
Catherine Chappell	Magnolia No. 73	"
Miss Pearl Davis	Electa No. 72	"
Mrs. Maude A. Haskell	La Posa No. 282	"
Mrs. Bertha Ingmire	San Pedro Harbor No. 174	"
Winifred H. Kulzer	Norwalk No. 143	"
Mrs. Ruth Lieber	Los Angeles No. 168	"
Mrs. Celia Lobree	Casimir No. 252	"
Mrs. Frances P. McClain	Hollenbeck No. 248	"
Birdie Morford	Gold Ridge No. 161	"
Mrs. Pearl Nash	Highland Park No. 263	"
Alzier Persina	Alpha No. 1	New York
Mayme E. Porter	Vesta No. 6	Nebraska
Mrs. Christine Smith	Golden State No. 298	California
Mrs. Laura M. Smith	Rising Sun No. 51	Illinois
Mrs. Edna Julia Todd	Santa Monica No. 113	California
Mrs. Laura M. Totman	Veritas No. 84	"
Mrs. Anna W. Webster	Ocean Park No. 245	"
Miss Mary Yates	Ocean Spray No. 68	"

To Sister Daisy E. Halek, P. M., Treasurer of Victory Chapter No. 388, the Board of Trustees thanks you sincerely for the contribution of your time in compiling the material for the 1935 report of the Eastern Star Home.

Board of Trustees,
Eastern Star Homes of California.

Greetings:

Attached hereto you will find detailed report showing receipts and disbursements for the operation of the Home covering the period from September 1, 1934 to August 31, 1935—total expenditures, \$21,764.90. The statement also shows similar expenditures for the period from September 1, 1933 to August 31, 1934—total of \$20,744.53, or an increase for 1935 over 1934 of \$1,020.37.

You will note there is one item alone—that of provisions and food supplies—which has increased from \$5,771.75 to \$8,450.28, a total increase of \$2,678.53. Practically all other items of importance show a decrease in the operating expenses, with the exception of heat, which shows an increase of \$387.22; this was owing to the fact that it was found necessary to open the east wing of the building to guests and we have been heating almost twice the capacity that we did in 1934.

From September 1, 1934 to August 31, 1935, we served a total of 67,558 meals at a total expense of \$21,764.90, or an average of 32½¢ per meal—during the same period of 1934 we served 48,262 meals at a total of \$20,744.53, or an average of 43¢ per meal, so that the actual expense has been reduced during the current year by 11¢ per meal.

We now have 58 residents in the Home, all of whom seem to be happy and contented and we believe the administration at the present time is most efficient.

Respectfully submitted,

Administration Committee,
D. W. Pierce, Chairman,
Bert R. Holloway,
Hazael Marsh-Piper.

We submit herewith comparative operating statements of the Home for the fiscal years ended August 31, 1934 and 1935.

A summary of business for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1935, follows:

Cash on hand—September 1, 1934.....		\$ 908.57
Received from Grand Chapter—		
9/1/34 to 8/31/35 (net).....	25,073.78	\$25,982.35

Disbursements:

Building Improvements	261.51
Equipment Purchases	1,031.76
Residents' Properties Advances	25.25
Operating Expenses	21,764.90
Provisions Inventory	28.66

Total Disbursements	23,112.08
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Unpaid Vouchers:

August 31, 1934.....	\$ 871.77	
August 31, 1935.....	1,015.13	143.36 \$22,968.72

Cash on hand—August 31, 1935.....	\$ 3,013.63
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A comparison of the total cost per meal served for the two years, ending August 31, 1934 and 1935, as shown on Schedule "1" of the attached report, is as follows:

	Fiscal Years	
	1934-1935	1933-1934
Total Meals Served	67,558	48,262
Total Operating Expense	\$21,764.90	\$20,744.53
Net Cost per meal served.....	\$.3221	\$.4298

Should any further information or analysis be required we shall be pleased to hear from you.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. E. COLE,

Certified Public Accountant.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR HOMES

West Los Angeles, California

EXHIBIT "A"

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

	September 1, 1934, to August 31, 1935		September 1, 1933, to August 31, 1934	
Cash on hand—beginning of period.....	\$ 908.57		\$ 471.14	
CASH RECEIPTS:				
From Grand Chapter.....	\$25,393.34		\$22,196.95	
Less: Refunds to Grand Secretary.....	<u>319.56</u>	<u>25,073.78</u>	<u>22,196.95</u>	<u>\$22,668.09</u>
CASH DISBURSEMENTS:				
Assets Acquired:				
Building Improvements	261.51		971.85	
Housekeeping Equipment	58.53		102.50	
Rooms Equipment	25.11		48.50	
Dining Room Equipment.....	32.80		29.50	
Miscellaneous Equipment	<u>943.32</u>		<u>300.68</u>	
Less: Equipment Sold	<u>28.00</u>	<u>1,293.27</u>		<u>1,453.03</u>
Residents' Properties Advances.....		25.25		
Provisions:				
Inventory—beginning of period.....	109.72		140.32	
Inventory—end of period.....	<u>138.38</u>	<u>28.66</u>	<u>109.72</u>	<u>30.60</u>
Expenses—per Schedule "1".....	<u>21,764.90</u>		<u>20,744.53</u>	
Add: Vouchers Unpaid—beginning of period....	871.77		464.33	
TOTAL	<u>22,636.67</u>		<u>21,208.86</u>	
Deduct: Vouchers Unpaid—end of period.....	<u>1,015.13</u>	<u>21,621.54</u>	<u>871.77</u>	<u>20,337.09</u>
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		<u>22,968.72</u>		<u>21,759.52</u>
Cash on hand—end of period:				
In bank per Schedule "2".....		2,963.63		858.57
Petty Cash		<u>50.00</u>		<u>50.00</u>
		<u>\$ 3,013.63</u>		<u>\$ 908.57</u>

Boldface indicates red.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR HOMES
West Los Angeles, California

SCHEDULE "A"
STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE

	September 1, 1934 to August 31, 1935	September 1, 1933 to August 31, 1934	Net Difference 1935 Increase	Decrease
INCOME:				
Transient Meals Served.....	\$ 23.55	\$ 5.02	\$ 23.55	\$ 2.02
Miscellaneous Revenue.....	3.00			
Total Income	\$ 26.55	\$ 5.02	\$ 21.53	
EXPENSE:				
Accounting and Legal	257.75	1,378.75		1,116.00
Auto Expense	22.30		22.30	
Allowances paid to Guests.....	115.72	49.51	66.21	
Engineering Supplies	-	136.70		136.70
Freight, Express and Cartage	16.45	20.46		4.01
Funeral Expense	477.20	231.18	246.02	
Less: Refunds	65.00		65.00	
Garden Expense and Supplies	39.40	244.05		183.65
Heat	2,403.59	2,046.37	387.22	
Hospital Expense	-	62.84		62.84
Insurance—Fire, Auto, Compensation.....	287.57	144.73	142.84	
Insurance—Special	39.00	35.81	3.19	
Janitors Supplies	153.48	280.88		127.40
Kitchen Expense	1.67	43.62		41.95
Laundry Expense	514.16	408.80	105.36	
Light	307.11	242.94	64.17	
Miscellaneous	292.96	39.76	253.20	
Medical Services and Supplies	590.68	498.13	92.55	
Office Expense and Supplies	29.44	73.68		44.24
Postage	49.68	77.30		27.62
Power	231.50	262.73		
Provisions—Food Supplies	8,450.28	5,771.75	2,678.53	
Repairs—General	116.93	156.92		39.99
Replacements	49.47	116.87		67.40
Salaries	5,415.90	5,869.43		453.53
Stationery and Printing	97.42	47.77	49.65	
Supplies—General Housekeeping	106.67	275.89		169.22
Taxes and Licenses	836.55	810.84	15.71	
Telephone and Telegraph	141.35	354.80		240.54
Travel—Board Members	728.45	964.33		235.88
Travel—Employees and Guests	73.68	143.78		84.10
Water	75.09	78.84		3.75
Total Expense	\$21,791.45	\$20,749.55	\$ 4,080.72	\$3,038.82
NET EXPENSE TO EXHIBIT "A"	<u>\$21,764.90</u>	<u>\$20,744.53</u>	<u>\$ 1,020.37</u>	
MEALS SERVED:				
Guests of Home	58,220	40,051	14,169	
Employees	9,252	8,061	1,191	
Board of Trustees	86	150		64
Total	<u>67,558</u>	<u>48,262</u>	<u>15,296</u>	

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ORDER OF EASTERN STAR HOMES
West Los Angeles, California

SCHEDULE "2"

BANK RECONCILIATION
Farmers and Merchants National Bank
As of August 31, 1935

Balance per bank statement\$3,291.92

DEDUCT: Outstanding checks:

1935		Check Number	Amount	
Aug. 15	Caroline Hollenbeck	1576	\$37.50	
" 10	Goddard-Jackson Co.	1603	3.21	
" 31	Caroline Hollenbeck	1609	37.50	
" 31	Henrietta Hoffman	1610	25.00	
" 31	Genevieve Dykes	1611	20.00	
" 31	Agnes Brown	1613	25.00	
" 31	Eleanore Fritzius	1615	17.50	
" 31	Chas. Clinkaberry	1616	25.00	
" 31	Leslie Sachs	1618	17.50	
" 31	Cash	1621	43.58	
" 31	Jos. M. Argabrite	1623	25.25	
" 31	Bert R. Holloway	1624	3.48	
" 31	Willa Jane Hellwig.....	1625	23.85	
" 31	Maude McWilliams Smith.....	1626	6.00	
" 31	Effie Easton	1627	16.77	
" 31	Atlas Cornice Works	1630	1.15	328.20
BALANCE PER EXHIBIT "A".....				<u>\$2,963.63</u>

We are submitting herewith the Residents' Properties Accounts for the year ended August 31, 1935, and submit the following unaudited Exhibits and Schedules:

Exhibit "A"—Balance Sheet.

Exhibit "B"—Statement of Cash Received and Disbursed.

Schedule "1"—Statement of Investments.

Schedule "2"—Statement of Donated Property Control.

Exhibit "A" and Schedules "1" and "2" are as of August 31, 1935.

Exhibit "B" is for the period September 1, 1934, to August 31, 1935.

COMMENT

As each item on the Balance Sheet is self-explanatory or supported by schedules, our comment is limited to the following:

Schedule "1": The values placed on investments listed in Schedule "1" are per committee reports. Valueless investments and those with no market value are recorded at a nominal sum of \$1.00 each.

No accruals, of either Revenue or Liability, have been reflected in this accounting.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. E. COLE,

Certified Public Accountant.

EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA
 "Residents' Properties"
 Los Angeles, California

EXHIBIT "A"

BALANCE SHEET
 As of August 31, 1935

ASSETS

Cash in Farmers and Merchants National Bank—Los Angeles.....		\$ 5,527.57
Investments—Schedule "1":		
Bonds	\$ 1,596.35	
Insurance Policies	924.00	
Real Estate	12,594.00	
Stocks	187.00	
Sundry	2,998.24	18,299.59
Total		<u>\$23,827.16</u>

NET WORTH

Donated Property Control—Schedule "2":		
Income Cash	\$ 329.96	
Principal Cash	5,146.13	\$ 5,476.09
Investments	18,299.59	\$23,775.68
Income	53.17	
Expense	1.69	51.48
Total		<u>\$23,827.16</u>

EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA
Los Angeles, California
"Residents' Properties" EXHIBIT "B"

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIVED AND DISBURSED

September 1, 1934 to August 31, 1935

On Hand—September 1, 1934:

Names of Assignees of Property	RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
	Principal	Total	Principal	Total
Cash in banks		\$ 7,737.20		
Allen, Mrs. Hattie E.	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 5.54	5.54
Chapin, Genevieve Hamilton			6.82	6.82
Clark, Adda Jane			2.63	2.63
Collins, J. E. and Adda	1,472.25	1,532.25	185.47	286.45
Craw, Maggie E.	68.69	68.69	100.98	928.90
Daniels, Helen B.			1.40	1.40
DeBarr, Annie L.	121.96	121.96	5.87	5.87
Folsom, Jessie Carol			1.07	1.07
Fox, Bertha K.			2.77	2.77
Gilbert, Addie M.		4.60	6.36	6.36
Greenman, Harriett J.			162.39	162.39
Hobbs, Evelyn C.	1,782.62	1,977.41	1,081.46	1,335.60
Hofford, Roxanna	2.10	2.10	5.02	5.02
Kloppenburger, Anna L.	194.68	218.00	5.16	5.16
Oxman, Annie D.			1.42	1.42
Palmer, Stella M.	234.38	404.38	66.37	66.37
Parker, Catherine M.		11.25	4.65	4.65
Smithen, Mr. and Mrs. Waller	166.27	166.27	1.46	1.46
Strade, Alicia		9.42	62.71	62.71
Travis, Emma Eliza		7.34	9.42	9.42
Turner, Margaret Hudson	120.39	127.73	11.85	150.61
Tuttle, Sarah		59.44	4.95	7.95
Van Dorn, Clara Malvina	1,236.17	1,236.17	7.46	7.46
Warren, Minnie		83.00	8.43	8.43
Wife, Annie Adeline	312.79	349.00	67.79	1,353.33
Withington, Mattie		89.67	4.33	235.67
Totals	\$6,536.03	\$7,451.92	11.02	11.02
Interest on bank account		14.30	\$ 685.61	\$ 4,734.15
Check tax, telegram and stamps				1.67
Repaid to Grand Chapter			\$5,000.00	\$ 5,001.67
On Hand—August 31, 1935:				
Cash in bank				5,527.57
TOTALS			\$15,263.42	\$15,263.42

EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA
 "Residents' Properties" Los Angeles, California

SCHEDULE "1"

STATEMENT OF INVESTMENTS

As of August 31, 1935

BONDS:	From	Carrying Value
Fidelity Participating Certificate—Nominal Face Value \$210.22.....	Margaret Hudson Turner.....	\$ 84.09
Fidelity Definite Term Investment Certificate, in sum of \$630.66.....	Margaret Hudson Turner.....	252.26
Long Beach Building and Loan Association. Full paid certificate.		
Amount \$3,000.00	Mattie Withington	1,260.00
		\$ 1,596.35
INSURANCE POLICIES:		
Metropolitan No. 30414456. Amount \$114.00. Paid up policy.....	Adda Jane Clark	114.00
Metropolitan No. 16915820. Increasing life and endowment.....	Adda Jane Clark	116.00
Metropolitan No. 32607651. Straight endowment.....	Adda Jane Clark	102.00
Prudential No. 33777813. Paid up policy.....	Jessie Carol Folsom	135.00
Wisconsin Life Insurance Company. Paid up policy.....	Addie M. Gilbert	457.00
		924.00
REAL ESTATE:		
1919 Third Street, Fresno, California. Unincumbered.....	J. E. and Adda Collins.....	1,000.00
Undivided one-half interest in five acres of fig land, Fresno, Calif.		
Unincumbered	J. E. and Adda Collins.....	150.00
Lots 31 and 32, Orleavo Heights Tract, Vista, San Diego County, Calif.		
Unincumbered	Harriet Jane Greenman.....	1,094.00
Lot 22, Halloway Tract in the City of Long Beach, California.....	Maggie E. Craw.....	6,000.00
404 W. Richmond Avenue, Richmond, California. Unincumbered.....	Stella M. Palmer.....	1,200.00
443 No. Townsend Street, Los Angeles, California. Unincumbered.....	Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smithen.....	900.00
Portions of Lots 11 and 12, Block 772, C. C. Clay's Subdivision, Oak-		
land, California	Mrs. Minnie Warren.....	2,250.00
		12,594.00
STOCKS:		
10 shares—Southern California Edison Co. 6% Pfd.....	Catherine M. Parker.....	185.00
20 shares—New Plaza Hotel Co. of San Diego. Class B. Valueless.....	Alicia Strode	1.00
300 shares—Montezuma Petroleum Co. Valueless.....	Margaret Hudson Turner.....	1.00
		187.00
SUNDRY:		
Contract Receivable, Byron E. Horn and Leona E. Horn; re sale of		
Eagle Rock property.....	Evelyn C. Hobbs	1,457.38
Contract Receivable, Ray M. Nelson; re sale of Eureka property.....	Annie Adeline Wible	387.21
Contract Receivable, William J. Dentier; re sale 237 Fourth Street,		
Redlands	Emma Eliza Travis	379.61
Second Deed of Trust by Alfred L. Ohrn and wife; Sacramento		
property	Anna L. Kloppenburg.....	249.07
Account with Redlands Building-Loan Association.....	Emma Eliza Travis.....	273.97
Promissory Note by P. B. Zettler—due 5/1/20. Outlawed (\$100.00).....	Margaret Hudson Turner.....	1.00
Contract Receivable, Isaiah F. and Mary A. Harding; re sale of 104th		
Street property, Los Angeles	Evelyn C. Hobbs	300.00
		2,998.24
TOTAL INVESTMENTS TO EXHIBIT "A".....		<u>\$18,299.59</u>

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA

"Residents' Properties"

Los Angeles, California

SCHEDULE "2"

STATEMENT OF DONATED PROPERTY CONTROL

As of August 31, 1935

Names of Assignees of Property	Income Cash	Principal Cash	Investments	Total
Allen, Mrs. Hattie E.....	\$	\$ 694.46	\$	\$ 694.46
Chapin, Genevieve Hamilton ..	2.63	993.18		990.55
Clark, Adda Jane			332.00	332.00
Collins, J. E. and Adda.....	141.12	1,203.23	1,150.00	2,212.11
Craw, Maggie		860.21	6,000.00	5,139.79
Daniels, Helen B.	1.76	175.93		174.17
DeBarr, Annie L.		116.09		116.09
Folsom, Jessie Carol	1.07		135.00	133.93
Fox, Bertha K.		347.23		347.23
Gilbert, Addie M.		346.91	457.00	803.91
Greenman, Harriet Jane		162.39	1,094.00	931.61
Hobbs, Evelyn C.	40.27	481.05	1,757.38	2,198.16
Holford, Roxanna		624.60		624.60
Kloppenburgh, Anna L.	26.61	244.58	249.07	520.26
Oxman, Annie D.		178.58		178.58
Palmer, Stella M.	127.13	420.28	1,200.00	1,747.41
Parker, Catherine M.	9.79	4.65	185.00	190.14
Smithen, Mr. and Mrs. Walter ..	119.56	45.00	900.00	974.56
Strode, Alicia		303.18	1.00	304.18
Travis, Emma Eliza	4.51	106.37	653.58	542.70
Turner, Margaret Hudson	54.49	232.00	338.35	624.84
Van Dorn, Clara Malvina		1,227.74		1,227.74
Warren, Minnie	15.21	1,285.74	2,250.00	979.47
Wible, Annie Adeline	31.88	21.45	337.21	390.54
Withington, Mattie	136.65		1,260.00	1,396.65
TOTALS TO EXHIBIT "A" ..	\$329.96	\$5,146.13	\$18,299.59	\$23,775.68

Note: Bold figures indicate excess of expenditures over receipts

THE SAGAS OF THE EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA

The following historical research is a consecutive compilation of reports, motions and resolutions contained in the several proceedings of the past which is submitted for thought and study of and by the membership of the Order of the Eastern Star in California.

It is a simple matter to trace back from year to year the lack of success, under the system, in bringing to a concrete realization an occupied home for the handicapped and the underprivileged of those among us.

1878-1879—San Francisco, 7th Session

Saga No. 1.

Worthy Matron Susan H. Snook, Centennial Chapter No. 24, West Oakland, presented resolution that committee of five be appointed for the organization of a **Home and Aid Society** for Widows and Orphans—to report at the next session of Grand Chapter.

Adopted.

Committee:

Jerome Spaulding,
W. S. Phelps,
Annie E. Douglas,
Susan H. Snook,
Henrietta Whiteher.

1880-1881—San Francisco, 9th Session

No report.

1888-1889—San Francisco, 17th Session

Saga No. 2.

Resolution presented by Abbie E. Krebs that a committee of three be appointed to take steps for the foundation of a **Home**, to report at this session.

Adopted.

Committee:

Abbie E. Krebs,
Mary B. Moore,
A. C. Hartley.

The committee referred the matter back to Grand Chapter.

Sister Annie E. Douglas moved the committee on the Home be continued one year, with full power to act. Motion carried.

Brother McMurry offered a substitute motion that a committee of five Past Grand Matrons be appointed in place of original committee. Substitute adopted.

Committee:

Abbie E. Krebs,
Mary B. Moore,
Mary A. Flint,
Mary E. Partridge,
Annie E. Douglas.

Resolution—That \$1000.00 of the cash now in the Treasury of the Grand Chapter be set apart as a fund for the purchase of a suitable site for the erection of an Eastern Star Home for Widows and Orphans, and that in the future 25% of all dues from subordinate Chapters be placed in said fund.

A. J. McPike—1888-1889.
Rec. to Com. on Finance.

Said committee recommended that resolution be referred to the committee appointed by Grand Chapter for the purpose of submitting some plan covering whole subject.

Adopted.

Committee reported that \$500.00 would be sufficient to place at disposal of committee and that said amount be not designated as "for the purchase of a site", as we expect the site will be donated.

Motion carried.

1891—San Francisco, 19th Session

Saga No. 3.

Grand Matron's report: "I earnestly hope our Committee on the Home has succeeded in formulating some plan by which it is assured to be a reality in the near future, realizing the need of one more than ever. Mary J. Parker, Grand Matron."

Resolution adopted that Committee on Widows and Orphans Home amend report authorizing them to act in conjunction with the committee from the Grand Lodge on same subject matter.

Rabbi Voorsanger of the Grand Lodge Committee for a Masonic Home made a strong appeal for assistance, resulting in the **O. E. S. Home Fund Committee** name being changed to the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home Committee. Personnel of Committee to remain the same.

Vacancy occurring by the death of Annie E. Douglas, Past Grand Matron, M. Josephine Young, Past Grand Matron, was appointed.

Resolution unanimously adopted that the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home shall organize by selecting from among

their members a chairman and secretary, for the purpose of soliciting funds for the erection and maintenance of a Masonic Widows and Orphans Home.

1892—Oakland, 20th Session

Worthy Grand Patron C. C. Bush's report recommended by circular that subordinate Chapters place a mite box in the Chapter rooms to receive contributions for the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home Fund.

Same report: "Through the perseverance and persistence of the Sisters of the Order they have forced the objectors to the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home into silence and a forward movement has been made. This is not sufficient, unfortunate humanity cries out—'go faster'."

Worthy Grand Matron Mattie A. Farnum in her report gave a strong urge for the support of the Home, reminding the membership that our Order is dedicated to charity, truth and loving kindness, making a contribution of \$25.00 to the Home Fund.

The committee reports sum in hand to be about \$3,000.00, which they believe would be increased to \$5,000.00 by the next session.

Resolution adopted that the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home Committee be authorized to use the name, and that they have the sanction of the Grand Chapter in connection with any entertainment given by them during the coming year.

1893—San Francisco, 21st Session

The Grand Lodge committee stated it was necessary to make payment on land recently purchased for a Home site and asks for cooperation of the Eastern Star. Worthy Grand Patron refers to 1889 Proceedings, which had reference to a home to be exclusively under control of the O. E. S. That scope was changed at the 1891 session when Grand Chapter decided to cooperate with the Grand Lodge of Masons. O. E. S. committee, though composed of same people, became virtually a new committee with a change of name and purpose, as shown by instructions to act conjointly with committee appointed by the Grand Lodge. J. F. Boller, Grand Patron.

1894—Sacramento, 22nd Session

Reported that it was not possible to withdraw any of the Widows and Orphans Home funds on deposit in Peoples Home Savings Bank. Grand Treasurer had given usual six months withdrawal notice. Was informed all such notices had been declared off; bank going through liquidation; that in due time a portion of deposit will be paid.

Report of Committee on Finance: Total of \$1846.20 in Home Fund. \$1039.25 deposited in Peoples Home Savings Bank and \$806.95 received from Chapters deposited in the First National Bank, San Francisco.

Report of committee: During past year no business has been presented for consideration of the committee.

By motion of P. G. M. Emily Rolfe \$500.00 was ordered to be withdrawn in favor of Home Committee for manufacture of silver spoons to be sold for benefit of Home Fund.

1895—Los Angeles, 23rd Session

Grand Treasurer's Report: Balance on hand in the Widows and Orphans Home Fund, \$1853.60.

1896—San Francisco, 24th Session

Grand Treasurer's Report: Balance on hand in the Widows and Orphans Home Fund, \$1902.10.

Recommended: That the Eastern Star furnish the house, but make it in truth as well as in name a home. There was nearly \$2,000.00 in the Home Fund. The 131 Chapters were asked to contribute \$1.00 per capita so that the \$9,000.00 may be added to the fund for the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home.

Resolved and Adopted: That the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home Committee tender to the Trustees of the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home our assistance in fitting up and furnishing the building when completed and that said committee is hereby authorized and empowered to solicit subscriptions and to receipt for and disburse at its discretion all moneys now in the Home Fund, or which may hereafter be paid in aid of the Home.

1897—San Francisco, 25th Session

"Since our last annual session more has been accomplished in behalf of the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home than for several years past. Many Chapters have generously contributed to the Home Fund and we trust that the amount necessary to furnish the Home may be available before another year." Grand Patron's report, James Robert Tapscott.

Grand Treasurer's Report

Balance in Peoples Home Savings Bank.....	\$ 852.19
Dividend No. 3 in liquidation	31.18
Cash	1,417.98
Total in Home Fund.....	\$2,301.25

1898—San Francisco, 26th Session

Worthy Grand Patron Harrison D. Rowe's report states that the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home is completed, interior ready for furnishing and on October 12th will be ready for occupancy.

Grand Treasurer reports \$2,564.15 in the Widows and Orphans Home Fund.

Report of the committee: "It is estimated that \$6,000.00 will suffice to furnish the Home; with the money on hand and promised there will be at the disposal of this Grand Chapter about \$4,500.00. With a membership of 10,000 it would seem an easy matter to raise the balance required. Therefore, be it resolved, that the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home Committee is hereby authorized to pay to the Masonic Board of Trustees all money now in the Home Fund, or which may hereafter be collected by the Home Committee."

Signed by the committee:

Mary A. Flint, P. G. M., Chapter No. 45, San Juan,
Abbie E. Krebs, P. G. M., Chapter No. 27, San Francisco,
Mary B. Moore, P. G. M., Chapter No. 1, San Francisco,
Mary E. Partridge, P. G. M., Chapter No. 8, Oakland,
Mary Josephine Young, P. G. M., Chapter No. 115, Alameda.

Grand Treasurer reports a total of \$2,564.16 in the bank, of which \$821.91 remains in the Peoples Home Savings Bank.

1899—San Francisco, 27th Session

Saga No. 4.

Grand Patron's Report: "This Grand Chapter at this session should recognize the necessity of **building an Eastern Star Home**. I recommend that we begin this work and carry it forward to a speedy culmination. It may not be inopportune to say that members of our Order in the southern part of our jurisdiction are positive that a home should be built. Let us move in this at once."

Joseph M. Lawrence,
Grand Patron.

Dividend from Peoples Home Savings Bank in liquidation, \$135.01, leaving in hand of Peoples Home Savings Bank \$685.91, and with the Grand Treasurer, \$140.65.

Resolution carried that the sum of \$1,000.00 be placed in the hands of Committee on Masonic Widows and Orphans Home for furnishings, provided that Board of Trustees of the Grand Lodge give the Eastern Star credit for the amount of about \$4,000.00 already contributed and not credited to the Furnishing Fund.

By recommendation of the Finance Committee the Home Fund was credited with \$1,000.00.

1900—San Jose, 28th Session

Grand Patron's Report: "We have given largely of our means to the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home. However, charity begins at home. Unless some arrangement can be made whereby the Sisters of the Order, who have no claim on the Masonic Body, can be cared for, then it is our duty to make an effort to have an Eastern Star Home. My predecessor made the same appeal and I now renew it."

George L. Darling,

Grand Patron.

Grand Treasurer's Report: Total receipts Home Fund, \$866.55, including \$685.91 in pass book Peoples Home Savings Bank.

From estate of Past Grand Matron Sister Maria Anderson, \$475.00. Sister Maria Ann Anderson, the first Grand Matron to be elected and installed (May, 1873) in the Grand Chapter of California, serving from May, 1873, to October, 1873, at which session she presided, left by will \$475.00 for an Eastern Star Home.

1901—San Francisco, 29th Session

Grand Matron's Report: "The members of the Order in Southern California are realizing that there is no home for the Master Mason's widow or sister. I most earnestly recommend to the members of this Grand Chapter that we at once assist in carrying on this noble work. There is a sum of money in the hands of the committee for this charitable undertaking."

Grand Matron Maud Ella Bowes.

Committee on Distribution regarding the institution of a home recommends that a special committee be appointed to devise ways and means by which this work may be consummated.

Home Fund in Peoples Home Savings Bank, \$623.55, in liquidation, and Home Fund cash, \$243.00 in General Fund.

1902—San Francisco, 30th Session

Report of Committee on Masonic Widows and Orphans Home:	
Money in Peoples Home Savings Bank.....	\$623.55
Grand Treasurer	243.00
Hands of Committee.....	350.00

and a few dozen silver spoons.

We recommend above be turned over to Masonic Home Trustees for the benefit of the girls' education in music, to cover cost of instruments and instructor.

The committee's recommendation was adopted and the committee **discharged**.

Committee:

Mary A. Flint,
Abbie E. Krebs,
Mary Josephine Young,
Mary B. Moore,
Mary E. Partridge.

1903—Sacramento, 31st Session

Total receipts Home Fund.....	\$1,438.30
Balance in Peoples Home Savings pass book.....	623.55
Past Grand Matron Mary Josephine Young reported	\$814.75

turned over to Masonic Widows and Orphans Home for Girls.
Cash for the balance of the 11 silver spoons turned over to the Trustees for the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home.

Report adopted.

Acknowledgment of the receipt of check for \$814.75 from the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Grand Lodge for the Masonic Widows and Orphans Home stated: "The thanks of the Board were unanimously tendered to the O. E. S. for its handsome contribution".

1904—San Francisco, 32nd Session

Peoples Home Savings Bank pass book.....	\$561.17
Dividend from Peoples Home Savings Bank.....	41.60
Dividend from Peoples Home Savings Bank.....	20.78

Total of.....\$623.55

Saga No. 5.

Past Patron James E. Gordon presented following resolution: That a committee of five be appointed to devise ways and means for the purchase of a suitable site for the erection of an **Eastern Star building** thereon to be used as a home for aged and infirm members. Said committee to act in securing options, raising funds, soliciting subscriptions, providing no debt be incurred by which this Grand Chapter may be held liable. Said committee shall have power to fill vacancies.

Referred to Committee on Finance, which committee referred same back to the Grand Chapter.

Resolution then considered and adopted.

Res.: Committee of five be appointed to investigate the project to build an Eastern Star Home and report thereon at next session of the Grand Chapter.

Grand Patron announced committee would be left to the incoming **Grand Patron**.

1905—Los Angeles, 33rd Session

Report of Grand Matron Paulina Dohrmann: "I sincerely hope that our Eastern Star Home Committee has formulated a plan looking to its establishment in the near future."

Southern California Masonic Home at San Gabriel was paid an official visit by the Grand Matron.

Report of committee, adopted, signed by James B. Merritt, P. G. P.; Mabel B. Seymour, P. G. M., and E. W. Conant, P. G. P.:

"That opening of the doors of the Decoto Home to children of the Eastern Star and the establishment of a new home at San Gabriel in our opinion renders the existence of this committee useless and we ask to be discharged."

Report adopted.

1906—San Francisco, 34th Session

Pass book of Peoples Home Savings Bank.....	\$561.20
An appropriation asked and granted to the Southern California Masonic Home of	500.00

1907—Santa Barbara, 35th Session

Pass Book Peoples Home Savings Bank, September 8, 1907.....	\$561.20
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Saga No. 6.

Resolution adopted: "Whereas the question of an Eastern Star Home has never been satisfactorily settled,

Resolved, that a committee of five be appointed to correspond with similar institutions and submit at the next annual session a complete report as to desirability of establishing such an institution in this state."

Committee:

James E. Gordon, P. P.,
 Abbie E. Krebs, P. G. M.,
 Paulina W. Dohrmann, P. G. M.,
 James B. Merritt, P. G. P.,
 Kate Josephine Willats, Grand Secretary.

1908—San Francisco, 36th Session

Committee appointed sent circular letters to each Chapter inquiring as follows:

- 1—Do you favor an Eastern Star Home?
- 2—Would you favor small per capita tax to maintain such a home?
- 3—Should each Chapter care for its own by assessment?

To 1—Many voted not until the plans were submitted and location known.

2—Answers equally divided.

3—A small percentage voting that Chapters would care for its own.

Report recommended to be left to the next session.

1909—San Francisco, 37th Session

Report on Peoples Home Savings Bank pass book not noted.
Matter of Eastern Star Home not noted.

1910—San Diego, 38th Session

October 23, 1910, Peoples Home Savings Bank dividend, \$20.78.
Matter of Eastern Star Home not noted.

1911—San Francisco, 39th Session

Report on Peoples Home Savings Bank pass book not noted.
Matter of Eastern Star Home not noted.

1912—Los Angeles, 40th Session

Recommendation of Finance Committee that three trustees be appointed to care for investments, whose duty shall be to invest and receive from the Grand Secretary such sums of money as the Grand Chapter shall direct and invest same in approved interest-bearing securities.

Referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

Report of committee was adopted by Grand Chapter.

Committee: Casimir Jackson Wood, P. G. P.; P. F. Ferguson, P. G. P.; Charles Willis Norton, P. P.

Report on pass book Peoples Home Savings Bank not noted.
Eastern Star Home Committee report not noted.

1913—Santa Cruz, 41st Session

Saga No. 7.

Report of Grand Patron Brother William K. Chambers: "We are in great need of an Eastern Star Home. We have in Southern California an Eastern Star Home Association, organized and incorporated in California. This organization has purchased six acres, located near the famous Palisades of Santa Monica. They have a balance of \$1200.00 in the bank. It is the intention of the Board of Directors to build a comfortable home for the aged members of the Order."

Grand Matron Martha Gould Dinsmore report: "I respectfully call the attention of this Grand Chapter to the needs of an Eastern Star Home and to the work that is now being undertaken along that line by the Home Association."

The following resolution was presented by H. R. Braden, Patron of West Gate Chapter No. 290: "That a committee of

seven be appointed to consider a plan by which relief can be emphasized and presented to the next annual meeting of the Grand Chapter. Recommend that Sister Martha Gould Dinsmore be a member of this committee."

Referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, which recommended that it be referred to the incoming committee to be reported on next year.

Adopted.

1914—San Diego, 42nd Session

Grand Patron Fred L. Kincaid reports that with members of the Board of Directors of the Eastern Star Home Association of Southern California he visited the site purchased for the purpose of building a home for the aged and commends their example to the members of the Order north of Tehachapi.

A letter was received by E. W. Conant, P. G. P. from Sister Dinsmore, P. G. M., calling attention to the resolution of H. R. Braden, which was adopted at the last session.

A letter was received by E. W. Conant, P. G. P., from P. G. M. Martha G. Dinsmore, in which she requested him to bring to the attention of the members of the Grand Chapter the following resolution, adopted at the last session:

"That a committee of seven be appointed by the Worthy Grand Patron to consider a plan by which the importance of charity could be more strongly emphasized and presented to the next annual meeting of the Grand Chapter".

Signed:

H. R. Braden.

Brother Conant stated that the appointment of a committee had been overlooked by the Grand Patron of last year. He therefore moved that the Grand Patron appoint a committee in conformity with above resolution.

Motion carried.

The Grand Patron announced he would appoint the committee later.

1915—San Francisco, 43rd Session

Report of Martha Gould Dinsmore, P. G. M.: "The committee has found a splendid beginning of an Eastern Star Home for the aged near the site of Santa Monica. An Eastern Star Home site has already been purchased. We believe that this is not the opportune year to take definite action in the Grand Chapter upon the establishment of an Eastern Star Home, but we ask for an extension of time and that a permanent committee on charity be established by this Grand Chapter, whose work shall be to ascertain ways and means of maintaining an Eastern Star Home in this state and bring a full report before the next Grand Chapter."

Report adopted.

P. G. M. Abbie E. Krebs presented the following resolution:

"That a committee on charity as recommended by Sister Dinsmore in her report be appointed by the Grand Chapter and that Sister Dinsmore be the chairman."

P. G. P. Brother Darling recommended that the word "relief" be substituted for "charity" in Sister Krebs' resolution. Sister Krebs accepted the change.

Resolution adopted.

1916—Santa Barbara, 44th Session

A letter is recorded from P. G. M. Dinsmore to P. G. M. Dohrmann, members of the Committee on Relief, in which she refers to the struggle for an Eastern Star Home since 1891. The letter closes thus:

"I am quoting a great thinker of the day when I say: 'this is hold together time in all the world'. First, last and always we are a mutual corporation—interdependent. Duties may vary with capacity, but our main aim is identical—to make the most for and out of each other."

Quoting from a letter to P. G. M. Dinsmore by P. G. P. F. L. Kincaid, to whom she had assigned the phase of the Home question, dealing with possibility of building on "Masonic Home Grounds": "By personal interview with many Masons in the matter of conducting an Eastern Star Home on the premises at Decoto or San Gabriel, I have come to the conclusion that any such move would meet with serious opposition."

"Further, as to the cost of maintaining a home, I believe that a per capita tax of fifty cents on each member of the Eastern Star would maintain a home for 100 or more Sisters."

A lengthy report from the committee by the chairman P. G. M. Paulina Dohrmann, in which she defines the raising of funds for Eastern Star Homes in many jurisdictions, was presented.

Sister Dohrmann asked for subscriptions for immediate relief. A collection taken realized \$207.47.

On motion duly seconded and carried, it was ordered that the money collected at the Grand Chapter for the Benevolent Fund be turned over to the chairman of the committee, Sister Dohrmann.

1917—Oakland, 45th Session

Statement of Paulina Dohrmann, chairman of the committee, shows the financial transactions, which net \$847.82.

Report approved by Minnie Hiner, P. G. M., and Fred L. Kincaid, P. G. P.

Referred to Committee on Finance, which committee recommended that the funds collected for an Eastern Star Home be returned to the several persons and Chapters.

Report adopted.

(The report which broke the heart of Paulina Wetzlar Dohrmann, P. G. M.)

1918—Santa Cruz, 46th Session

Saga No. 8.

The chairman of the Benevolent Fund Committee, Sister Helen Knight, P. M., referred to the Grand Chapter the following generous offer, with the recommendation that said property be investigated as a possibility for rehabilitation work:

"General J. O. Royer, a member of Anaheim Lodge No. 207, F. & A. M., offers to donate $8\frac{1}{2}$ acres in Orange County, conservatively worth \$15,000.00, to be used as an **Eastern Star Home.**"

Submitted by Harry O. Henderson.

Report accepted and following resolution presented by H. R. Braden, P. P., and adopted:

"Resolved that a committee, of which P. G. M. Rosa J. Burns, P. G. M., shall be chairman, be appointed to investigate the offer of General Royer and to make a recommendation to the Grand Chapter at its next annual meeting.

Resolution adopted.

1919—Santa Cruz, 47th Session

Report from the Special Committee appointed at the last session that "owing to epidemic and unsettled conditions of the country for several months and about the same time having elapsed before the appointment of your committee, the committee was informed by the donor that the offer was withdrawn".

1924—Pasadena, 52nd Session

Saga No. 9.

Relative to furniture for living room of the Masonic Home at Decoto bills amounting to \$2607.38 were presented and ordered paid, as per the offer of Grand Chapter so to do previously made.

P. P. H. Y. Gibson, President of the Board of Directors of the Eastern Star Home Association of Southern California, presented a lengthy report of that Association to the Grand Chapter, signed: "H. Y. Gibson, President, and Maud Decell Bradley, Vice President", elected May, 1924, in which he describes the property owned by the Association of **six acres lying between the City of Los Angeles and the City of Santa Monica**, a site called West Gate Heights, stating the property is rented as a

nursery for avocado stock; at the present time property is valued at approximately \$6,000.00 per acre, and the organization has about \$2,000.00 cash in the treasury.

On behalf of the Grand Chapter, P. G. P. Delos A. Mace thanked Brother Gibson for the splendid report and moved that same be received and printed in the proceedings.

Carried.

1925—Santa Cruz, 53rd Session

Grand Matron Sister Samson's report, in which she expresses thanks for being appointed an honorary member of the Executive Committee of the Eastern Star Fashion and Home Exposition, which was given for the benefit of Eastern Star Home Association of Southern California, and said, "This is an excellent beginning of a home that will undoubtedly prove a great benefit", and recommends that a committee of five be appointed whose duty it shall be to thoroughly investigate and report at the next regular session of this Grand Chapter as to the advisability and practicability of **establishing an Eastern Star Home**.

Reference from report of Benevolent Fund Committee as to property rights, referred to the committee: "Your committee wishes to state that the necessity for having such a round-about way of transferring property as noted is due to the fact that the Grand Chapter of California is not an incorporated body. Therefore it is necessary to have the conveyance made either to trustees or to some banking institution."

The Worthy Grand Matron was given permission to withdraw from her annual report: "to appoint a committee to investigate and report at the next session of Grand Chapter the advisability of establishing an Eastern Star Home".

This was referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

Worthy Grand Matron Sister Samson stated: "Sisters and Brothers, during my travels throughout this year visiting the various Chapters, I have been frequently asked what is the Eastern Star doing in a constructive way. With that thought in view, I made the recommendation. I am wondering **whether or not** it is the desire of this Grand body to make an **Eastern Star Home** its ultimate object. Therefore, Worthy Grand Patron, I move that we take a rising vote to obtain the expression of the members of the Order."

The motion carried and was unanimously adopted.

1926—Coronado, 54th Session

Past Grand Matrons, Sisters Zella Whitford Samson, Minnie Hiner and Maud Dezell Bradley, presented a full report on the Eastern Star Home as the result of a survey of many jurisdictions and closed with: "In presenting to you this report we are placing before you an opportunity to do something really worth

while. An Eastern Star Home would be the monument of service that the members in California could build. Should this Grand Chapter decide to sponsor a home we would recommend that a site committee be appointed from different parts of the state and report back their findings at the next Grand Chapter."

The report was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The recommendation contained in the report of the Special Committee on **Eastern Star Home**, referring to the appointment of a site committee, was adopted.

1927—Santa Cruz, 55th Session

Saga No. 10.

Grand Patron Ray Griest report: "I recommend a consideration of the problem of an **Eastern Star Home** and its maintenance and that a program consistent with good business policy be laid down, looking to the ultimate establishment of such a home".

Referred to Committee on Finance, which reported: "We fully concur in the suggestions of the Worthy Grand Patron and believe that no action should be taken by this body towards the financing of a home until necessary funds have actually been provided".

Adopted.

Report of Committee on Home Site, by Fred W. Miller, Chairman, presents working organization plan for definite selection of five trustees to make final choice of site; that a per capita tax of \$1.00 a year for a period of five years, same to be used solely for the purpose of acquiring and maintaining a suitable home or homes; that Grand Chapter loan to said trustees \$10,000.00, without interest, for the purpose of carrying into effect the terms and conditions of this resolution, same to be repaid to Benevolent Fund as soon as available from per capita tax. Resolution to be in force and effect from and after date of adoption.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Committee on Finance referred report to Jurisprudence Committee.

Motion to levy first assessment of \$1.00 for Eastern Star Home carried.

Worthy Grand Matron Hazael Marsh-Piper made a member Eastern Star Home Committee.

F. W. Miller resolution committee of five be appointed on working plan to report at next session of Grand Chapter carried.

Home site—"This Grand Body has not the power to authorize the purchase of real property in its own name."

"Grand Chapter at session of 1917 ratified Decision 585: 'the Grand Chapter has a legal right to levy an assessment for Eastern Star Home'."

1928—Sacramento, 56th Session

Grand Treasurer reported up to October 10, 1928, \$25,123.25 had been collected.

Resolution W. G. M. Gladys Fitch Pierce that an assessment of \$1.00 be collected prior to the next session for purpose of an Eastern Star Home.

Report by P. G. M. Maud Dezell Bradley, Chairman Eastern Star Home Committee, recommended by resolution "that for the purpose of holding property, real and personal, that seven trustees be selected by this Grand Chapter for the purpose of administering the Home, five of whom shall be elected, the other two being the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron in office, together with necessary resolutions to complete organization for the handling of business and for the conducting and operation of an Eastern Star Home or Homes".

Referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

"Resolved that all money or funds or property now or which may hereafter be acquired by the Eastern Star Home Fund be immediately transmitted to the said trustees by the Grand Secretary, or other officers or persons securing the same."

Referred to same committee.

Reported that the investigation of two sites had been accomplished. Committee requests further time to investigate other sites. Referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

Committee on Sites: Hazael Marsh-Piper, P. G. M.; Pauline Ada Hause, P. G. M.; Cora Spring Holland, P. G. M., Fred W. Miller and Maud D. Bradley, P. G. M., Chairman.

Wire from D. W. Pierce, P. G. P.: "Sincerely hope that this session will take sound and permanent action towards establishing an Eastern Star Home, thus placing our Order on a constructive basis".

Constitution and By-Laws Committee: "Time has come for this Grand Chapter to determine whether or not it shall commit itself definitely to an Eastern Star Home activity and establish the office of trustees and grant them certain powers and property rights and control of funds now the property of this Grand Chapter. Your committee makes no recommendation."

Refers resolution back to this Grand Body. (Unanimous vote, 1925 to build Eastern Star Home.)

P. G. P. Postal moved the adoption of the amendment to the Constitution as presented by the Home Committee, including the changes made and accepted by the Committee at the morning session.

Vote by roll call: 1430 ayes; 38 noes.

Resolution adopted and quoted in full in the 1928 proceedings, the last line being: "Eastern Star Home Fund shall only be paid out upon proper authorization of said Trustees".

Adopted and now a part of the Constitution.

Motion of P. G. P. Postel that Committee of five, including Worthy Grand Matron-elect, be appointed by her to continue work of Eastern Star Home Committee until next session of Grand Chapter.

Motion carried.

Motion: \$1.00 assessment be referred to Finance Committee.

Committee recommended it be not adopted, because there was approximately \$100,000.00 in the Eastern Star Home Fund.
(Note: Find no specific recording approaching this figure.)

Because committee finds that it will be at least two years before there will be need of any actual money after building organization. They are not at liberty to buy a site for Eastern Star Home without the consent of this Grand Body.

(Committee in 1927 "that no steps be taken toward financing a home until funds have been provided". Adopted.)

1929—Coronado, 57th Session

A complete and full report by the president, Maud Dezell Bradley, P. G. M.

Recommendation that care be taken in selection of a Board of Trustees to be selected from those who have the confidence of delegates and members, who should be capable men and women of known business ability and conservative. (Referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws and Committee on Jurisprudence.)

Grand Treasurer's Report: Home Assessment Fund, \$80,401.50.

Election of Board of Trustees resulted in order named: Maud D. Bradley, Effie Easton, D. W. Pierce, Bert R. Holloway, Hazael Marsh-Piper.

P. G. M. Maud D. Bradley recommended that we accept by gift the property in Los Angeles County offered by the Eastern Star Home Association of Southern California. Seconded by D. W. Pierce, and the vote to be taken by ballot. Roll call vote: Ayes for the acceptance of the site, 1010; Noes, 706.

Constitution unanimously amended relative to regulating the payment of the \$1.00 assessment.

In accordance with the report of the Worthy Grand Matron, Gladys Fitch Pierce, October 16, 1928, which was referred to the proper committee, was approved and adopted by Grand Chapter, relative to the mandatory edict and became a part of the Constitution by resolution, that if the assessment as levied by Grand Chapter in 1927 is not paid on or before January 1, 1930, members will be subject to suspension, as provided by Section 22 of Article II of the Constitution, adopted.

Following resolution that an assessment of \$1.00 be levied against each member borne upon the rolls for the Eastern Star Home Fund for the ensuing year was adopted.

1930—Oakland, 58th Session

Investment by the Board of Trustees in building and loan certificates, amounting to \$50,000.00, were secured through competent advice.

Full and complete report of the Eastern Star Home.

In accordance with the Constitution, after they had drawn their numbers, the results for service of the elected Board were as follows: Maud D. Bradley, 5 years; Hazael M. Piper, 4 years; Effie Easton, 3 years; D. W. Pierce, 2 years; B. R. Holloway, 1 year.

Interpretation of the Constitution by the attorney for the Board, J. Karl Lobdell, that the Trustees take no part toward the formation of a corporation until the Grand Chapter by appropriate amendment of its Constitution authorizes such action, which will necessitate the repeal or revision of certain amendments adopted at the 1928 session, particularly those which provide that the trustees shall act under a trust agreement.

Amendment recommended by the attorney for the Board was submitted by trustees to Article I, signed by all the trustees.

P. G. M. Maud D. Bradley's report states that the trustees found themselves in an embarrassing position because of lack of authority for the operation or maintenance of an Eastern Star Home; also reports that Board has entered into an agreement for the taking over of the West Gate Heights property, **free of all encumbrances, as a gift** to the Grand Chapter for a home.

Also report submits prepared studies, perspective designs, block plans, etc., for building for the proposed home. Report signed by full Board.

Referred to Committee on By-Laws—as to a resolution on the Home—was adopted.

Resolution submitted by **Finance Committee** that the investment of surplus moneys in the Eastern Star Home Fund shall be, with the exception of designated bank accounts, **vested in the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home**. Resolution adopted.

P. G. M. Pauline Hause submitted resolution that assessment of \$1.00 for each member borne upon the rolls be levied, to be collected in manner prescribed in paragraph 3 of Section 18, Article I of Constitution. Adopted.

Additional assessment collected from 1928, \$13,966.90.

Total assessment collected, \$105,821.00.

1931—Coronado, 59th Session

Grand Matron's report recommends an assessment of \$1.00 for 1931 be levied. Grand Matron Willa Jane Hellwig.

Grand Treasurer reports the Home Fund as part of the General Fund; total for the Eastern Star Home, \$222,591.84.

The assessment for the current year amounted to \$109,443.50.

Building and loan certificates are listed and noted with other *Grand Chapter investments*.

Full report of Home, signed by all Trustees.

Report shows the first picture of the Eastern Star Home under construction.

Total income to date, August 31, 1931, shows \$325,124.34.

The report of the Trustees adopted.

Resolution was adopted to send Home report to each Chapter.

1932—San Francisco, 60th Session

Grand Matron Elsie Mac McGiffin's report: "To me the greatest good that has ever come to our Order is the building of the Eastern Star Home".

Recommendation that instructions be sent secretaries that 1932 assessment must be collected, according to the Constitution.

Recommendation adopted.

W. G. P. John L. McDonald's report: "It has been an education and a revelation to me to see the methodical and careful manner in which the business of the Board of Trustees is transacted".

In General Fund noted Eastern Star Home Funds, \$217,740.40.

On deposit with banks, \$171,340.55.

Assessment 1932, \$103,840.84.

Building and loan certificates reported under heading of *Securities of the Grand Chapter, not listed as Eastern Star Home Certificates*.

Motion that payment of the assessment be made in one payment adopted.

Full and complete report of Home, signed by all Trustees.

Objection of auditor to disbursements being made on the basis of warrants signed by trustees.

1933—Long Beach, 61st Session

Report of Grand Matron Grace R. Butterfield that the home now completed and fully equipped was one of the outstanding events of her year.

W. G. P. Lloyd Griffin: "Much has been accomplished at the Home. The mounting problems are many. I wish to express my appreciation to those who have served on the Home Board since its inception, realizing now that they have given liberally of their time, energy and money, to make this home a monument to our Eastern Star. Few have any conception of the tremendous amount of energy that one can spend on this Board, but the satisfaction which one receives is real compensation and in a measure offsets the criticism that always goes with a service of this kind. I count the dedication of this beautiful home one of the most impressive ceremonies of my year, erected to God and dedicated to womanhood and motherhood".

Full and complete report of the Home for the year signed by all of the Trustees.

Jurisprudence Committee resolution: (a) "That entire matter of jurisdiction over Grand Chapter Funds, particularly Eastern Star Home Funds, both as to investment and to depositories, be definitely determined by this Grand Chapter, to the end that there be no confusion over these matters".

(b) "The investment of \$50,000.00 in said building and loan securities was reported in 1930 to this Grand Chapter by the Trustees of the Eastern Star Home (page 208 of Proceedings 1930). Recorded, adopted. Your committee believes that this Grand Chapter, in addition to the adoption of that report, either ratify or disaffirm specifically the acts of said trustees.

Resolution that the actions and investments made by the Eastern Star Trustees, as shown by the report adopted by the Grand Chapter in 1930, be ratified and approved.

Adopted.

The Finance Committee's report on Rules and Regulations of the Home, recommending that the fifteen years residence in California be reinstated and to consider reducing the age limit to not less than sixty years, was not adopted.

Recommendation that the Home be granted a revolving fund of \$2,500.00, this revolving fund to be replenished on request of the Trustees, when accompanied by vouchers covering the amount which has been expended.

Adopted by the majority of the committee.

The minority report of the committee: "We cannot conceive that it is the intention of this Grand Chapter that the elected trustees should not have exclusive control over all management funds and affairs relative to the Eastern Star Home".

Minority report not adopted.

Resolution to amend to the effect that the Trustees of the Eastern Star Home are hereby authorized to create and maintain an Eastern Star Home Endowment Fund for the benefit of the Eastern Star Homes of California. All money in this fund to be invested in the same manner as other Eastern Star Homes and the income therefrom devoted to maintenance and support of the Eastern Star Home or Homes of California.

Adopted.

P. G. Patron E. E. Noon motion (1) that the Grand Secretary be directed to transfer to the newly created Endowment Fund approximately \$3,900.00 already donated to the Home Trustees; and (2) that we do now appropriate a sum sufficient to augment that fund to the grand total of \$25,000.00, to be taken from our General Fund, which now has more than \$150,000.00 in the bank.

No. 1 carried; No. 2 lost.

P. G. P. Roy Musser, on motion recommended that a 50c assessment for the benefit of the Eastern Star Home be levied on each member carried on the roll for the year 1934; amended that it be 25c; carried as amended.

1934—San Francisco, 62nd Session

Grand Matron Jessie G. Morris report: "Many members and non-members have complimented our Order on the accomplishment of this tremendous project. Few who see it can realize the hours of labor, worry and anxiety that such an undertaking means to the Trustees. All honor to them for their generosity in giving so freely of their valuable time and thought".

Full report of the Trustees for the year 1933-1934, signed by all Trustees, submitted.

1934 assessment of 25c amounted to \$24,271.75.

Motion P. G. P. Griest that 50c assessment for Eastern Star Home be levied for the year 1935, amended by P. G. P. Postel that assessment be 25c. Motion to amend carried by vote of Grand Chapter.

Constitution amended to provide for a residents' properties account, in which shall be kept all the money received from the sale of property assigned to said trustees by residents of the Home, or any money accruing by way of income. There shall be delivered immediately to Trustees all such money now in possession of the Grand Treasurer for the purpose of establishing such fund. Report adopted and Constitution amended.

The unselfish pioneers of our Order, the names of many of these servitors who struggled and suffered to "aid the destitute and distressed", are unfamiliar to our fast growing membership.

Lest we forget those who served from year to year the following names are recorded. A new name on the committee appeared only when a name was missed by death.

We dedicate this research in memory of those who have passed, and offer a tribute to those who are still serving among us.

The Pioneers

First Committee—1878-1879

Jerome Spaulding,
Annie E. Douglas, P. G. M.,
Henrietta Whiteher, P. G. M.,
Susan H. Snook, W. M.,
Centennial Chapter No. 24,
Oakland;
W. S. Phelps, W. P.,
Centennial Chapter No. 24,
Oakland.

1888-1889

Abbie E. Krebs, P. G. M.,
Mary B. Moore, P. G. M.,
Mary A. Flint, P. G. M.,
A. C. Hartley, P. G. P.,
Mary E. Partridge, G. M.

1892

Mary J. Parker, P. G. M.,
Mary Josephine Young, P. G. M.,
Mattie A. Farnum, G. M.

1898

Mary A. Flint, P. G. M.,
J. L. Lawrence, G. P.

1900

George L. Darling, G. P.

1902

Mary A. Flint, P. G. M.,
Abbie E. Krebs, P. G. M.,
Mary Josephine Young, P. G. M.,
Mary E. Partridge, P. G. M.
(Committee discharged.)

1904

Paulina W. Dohrmann, G. M.,
James B. Merritt, P. G. P.,
James E. Gordon, P. P.

(1879-1904, first 25 years of endeavor for an Eastern Star Home.)

Signed by majority of Board:

D. W. Pierce,
Hazel Marsh-Piper,
Bert R. Holloway,
Effie Easton.

Referred to Committee on Distribution.

MINORITY REPORT, BOARD OF TRUSTEES,
EASTERN STAR HOMES

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

When I accepted the honor you bestowed upon me at last Grand Chapter session of serving this Grand Chapter as one of the Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, I did so in a spirit of helpfulness with the same motto ever before me that was my guide during the years I served this Grand Chapter:

"I would do what conscience said was right,
What reason said was best;
I would do with all my main and might,
I would do my duty, trust the rest."

With this honor came a responsibility, and with the responsibility a duty. Using my own reasoning power and the dictation of my own conscience, I deemed it my duty to offer this minority report.

You are fully aware that I have been the minority member of the Board of Trustees during my year of service. I have had the friendliest of feeling toward all, but have had the courage of my convictions at all times.

In compiling the report for this Grand Chapter the members of the Board of Trustees did so without any consideration of my viewpoint, and never having seen the report or been consulted in its preparation until it was presented to me at the Executive Committee's meeting called by our President in the latter part of September, I could not in good conscience permit my name to be attached thereto. As a matter of fact, I questioned the legality of the meeting because neither the Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Grand Patron, and/or the Grand Secretary had been invited to attend this meeting nor been notified thereof, and I deemed this an evasion of the law as well as a discourtesy to them.

Nevertheless, the meeting was proceeded with upon the theory that it was an executive session and the presence of these Grand officers was not necessary. May I quote Article I, Section 29 of the Constitution: "Seven trustees shall be selected by this Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star, five of whom shall be elected at the first Annual Session of this Grand Chapter at the time, place and in the manner of the election of Grand Officers, after the adoption of this amendment, and the other two of whom shall be the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, who shall be ex-officio Trustees." Further, Section 34 reads: "The Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer shall serve as Secretary and Treasurer respectively, of said Trustees."

The Eastern Star Home is a part of this Grand Chapter, and the law provides that all books and records should be kept in the office of the Grand Secretary, which of necessity must be in a fireproof building. May I quote Article I, Section 12, Paragraph 8 of the Constitution: "To keep her office, with all books, papers,

and records of this Grand Chapter in a fireproof building in the City and County of San Francisco."

And yet it is very apparent that neither the books nor the papers or records of the Eastern Star Home are in the custody or the possession of the Grand Secretary. As a result of the fact that the books are not kept in the office of the Grand Secretary, this Grand Chapter is put to a considerable expense by reason of long distance telephone calls when certain information is desired by the auditors, and I would call your attention to the fact that the auditors' reports for the years 1932, 1933, and 1934 carried a recommendation to the effect that these records be kept in the office of the Grand Secretary, and while I have not seen the report of the auditors for this year, I dare say that a like recommendation will be included therein.

Then, too, if the books and records of the Eastern Star Home were kept in the office of the Grand Secretary, the services of a bookkeeper and the attendant expense would be entirely eliminated, thus making a saving to the Grand Chapter of several hundred dollars per annum.

Among the committees you will note the appointment of Willa Jane Hellwig as Chairman of Finance, and yet I cannot offer a report of my work on this Committee for the past year because I did but two things—namely, followed the request of the Trustees that I go to the Grand Secretary's office and get a complete record of finance and other information pertaining to the Home. This, our late sister Stella Morgan Linseott, graciously prepared for me and it was furnished to the Board. I was also asked to confer with the Finance Committee of the Grand Chapter relative to the purchasing of some Government bonds. In view of the fact that I find that our law very definitely sets out what securities may be purchased, it was quite evident that an investment of this character could not be made.

This, my Brothers and Sisters, constitutes a complete record of my work on the Finance Committee.

I objected to any Trustee having a "hobby," as it was termed at the Executive Meeting, and having cuts made of other homes throughout the country without any idea of the cost or the approval of any other member of the Board of Trustees. Do you realize that these cuts and the printing of them in the preliminary reports and the Proceedings will cost you, members of this Grand Chapter, approximately Two Hundred Dollars—a sum sufficient to furnish a room in our Home? It also represents the 1935 assessment of over eight hundred members and could be used far more advantageously in the operation of the Home itself. I believe in being charitable, but in this instance charity begins at Home.

I also objected to the publication of nearly twenty pages of excerpts from published Proceedings of this Grand Chapter—quotations of the opinions, etc., of former Grand Officers or members, relative to a "prospective" Home. Certainly no purpose is served in printing these excerpts at a cost exceeding \$3.00 a page.

For the same reason, the excessive cost of its publication, I objected to the printing of the detailed report of the Director of the Inspirational Hour, as well as the Legends of the Eastern Star Homes in the several jurisdictions, and the Sagas of the Eastern Star Homes of California, which in all covers some 48 pages.

The suggestion was made at our first meeting after Grand Chapter last year that the Trustees meet quarterly, instead of every month. When the Home was under construction more frequent meetings were necessary, but to give you an idea of the cost of these meetings, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1935, the cost was approximately \$725.00, and the year previous the cost was over \$900.00. I am sure the quarterly meetings are sufficient to carry on our business, as we convene at ten o'clock, have an hour for lunch, and adjourn at two, three, or four o'clock, and in one instance adjourned before lunch. My objection is based upon the fact that the money contributed by the loyal members of the Eastern Star for the maintenance of the Home should be used as far as possible in the maintenance of the Home, and not otherwise.

When I assumed the Trusteeship I found the Matron of the Home, who had been serving over a year, was not a member of the Order nor a citizen of the United States. I naturally objected to that, as I am sure we have many efficient and worthy members who would be happy to serve us, and to whom the compensation paid would be most helpful. The night nurse, who was appointed as Acting Matron, is still serving until such time as the majority of the Board can find someone to replace her.

Having placed our confidence and trust in each member of the Board of Trustees, I recommend no Trustee serve over five years. We change Grand Matrons each year to create new enthusiasm, as each Grand Matron has new thoughts, ideas, and ideals to impart, so it would be with the Trustees of the Home.

I am of the opinion that the operating or revolving fund at the Eastern Star Home is far in excess of what it should be, as I believe that \$500.00 is ample to carry as a petty cash fund, because after all, all bills and payrolls should be paid directly through the Grand Secretary each calendar month.

In line with this recommendation, may I call your attention to the fact that the Masonic Homes at Covina and Decoto have operating funds in this amount. I further recommend that all of that portion of the report commencing with the lower half of page 8, to and including page 32; and commencing at page 50, to and including page 70, together with the insert between pages 48 and 49, be deleted from the Majority Report of the Board of Trustees.

In view of the fact that the Board of Trustees instructed the Grand Secretary to withdraw from the Berkeley Guaranty Building and Loan Association the money which was invested in the certificates of that corporation without authority to do so under the law, I would respectfully recommend that this Grand Body specifically ratify the action of the Board in this regard.

Having been the Worthy Grand Matron while the Home was under construction, and at the laying of the cornerstone, and having at all times when the opportunity presented itself, spoken to the members of the good to be accomplished in the Home and of the necessity of carrying on the work we have begun, I feel that I am competent to make these recommendations.

Respectfully submitted,

Willie Jane Hellwig,
Member, Board of Trustees,
Eastern Star Homes of California.

Referred to Committee on Distribution.

The Worthy Grand Matron announced Brother Walker Peddicord, appointed Chairman of the Election Board.

At five thirty the session was called from labor to refreshment.

WEDNESDAY, 9 A. M.

October 16, 1935.

The Acting Grand Secretary read the minutes of Tuesday which were approved as read.

The Chairman of the Credential Committee, Sister Zella Whitford Samson, Past Grand Matron, read a partial report of the Committee, which was accepted. (Complete report will be found on pages 215 to 234.)

Motion: Past Grand Patron, Brother Wallace T. Rutherford, moved that the Chapters Under Dispensation be granted voting privileges at this session as they have been operating Under Dispensation for a longer period than ninety days. The motion was seconded and carried.

The Worthy Grand Matron announced Brother Walker Peddicord would act as Chairman of the Election Board, with the following members to serve on the Board:

Harry Piper, Ann Gordon, Scott Betts, Ethel Alexander, Zady Johnson, Arthur A. Wood, Caroline Meyer, Barbara Fairgrieve, W. G. Scott, Elise Israel, Flo McDonald, Howard Burdick, Anna Depner, Zelda Minkler, James Robinson, Nellie Husted, Winston Squires, Monella Jackson, Louise Thatcher, Reuben Bourn, Annie Neilan, Sallie Liberman, Ira Heckinger, Chester Pratt, Nina Crawford, Charles Luck, Marian Tillery, Cap Carter, Ira Moyse, Pauline Boatman, Hertha Magnus, John Lambie, Mary Elkins, Thurie Lynn, Knowlton R. Bradley, Nola Terry, Estella Morrison, Ernest O. Lawrence, Walter Derbyshire, Anna Mohlfeldt, Robert P. Easley, George Dalmas, Louisa Starnes, Mildred Dinges, Bernice Pellow, Thomas Colson, Daisy W. Newberry, Jule Balice, Elizabeth Gaudet, Grace Butterfield, Viola Jenner, Bert McCloskey, Hazel Barry, Wellington Snider.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR REVISION OF REGISTRATION AND ELECTION PROCEDURE

The following report was read by the Chairman, Sister Lillian Holman:

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

In accordance with the resolution adopted at the last session of Grand Chapter, the Worthy Grand Matron appointed the undersigned to investigate and make recommendations with a view to revising and improving our system of registration and election.

After a careful investigation of the methods used in various organizations, we concluded that the system as used in the Masonic Grand Lodge, with modifications, would be most practical for use of the Grand Chapter.

Credential blanks for the first four officers (blue) were sent to each Chapter Secretary. These blanks were for the use of the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, Associate Matron, Associate Patron or Elected Representative of the Chapter. Secretaries were instructed to advise the office of the Acting Grand Secretary how many blanks (yellow) were needed for Past Matrons and Past Patrons who planned to attend the session. Blanks (white) for Grand Officers and Past Elective Grand Officers were made out and mailed to the respective Chapter Secretaries of these members. Registration books to be used for voting were made up in the office of the Acting Grand Secretary. Delegates present the credential blank, properly filled out and with the Chapter seal attached, to a member of the Credential Committee who validates it with a rubber stamp. Stub of the certificate is detached and members of the Committee are assigned to the task of checking the delegate as "registered" in the voting books.

Grand Officers and Past Grands are registered as such and are also registered in the book as Past Matrons or Patrons in their respective Chapters. Having the books checked in this way by designated Committee members should expedite the entire registration.

Each election book contains at least 48 Chapters. We recommend that the election procedure be as follows: Chapters to vote in numerical sequence at each booth. Only five Chapters to be at a booth at any one time. If the delegates of a Chapter are not present when it is time for that Chapter to vote, they will have to wait until all Chapters voting at that booth have voted in order not to impede the progress of the election. In the same manner, if none of the registered Past Matrons or Patrons of a Chapter are present when it is the turn of that Chapter to vote, they shall have to wait until all other Chapters have voted at that booth. We firmly believe this system will simplify our election and will prevent the booths from being crowded as they have been in the past.

We further recommend that the polls be closed as soon as the last Chapter has voted, so that the time heretofore lost waiting for stragglers may be used for the counting of the ballots. As

Grand Chapter opens on Tuesday and all delegates are aware of the constitutional provision that election of Grand Officers shall take place at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning, we feel that this procedure will not be a hardship on delegates.

Fraternally submitted,

Clara Elizabeth Alvarez,
Zella Whitford Samson,
Lillian M. Holman.

Report accepted and referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

The hour for election having arrived, the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, in accordance with requirements of the Constitution, read the names of the members nominated for the following offices:

Associate Grand Patron:

Leonard Wilson, Frank D. Cruse

Grand Secretary:

Elsie Mac McGiffin, Maud McWilliams Smith

Grand Treasurer:

Josephine L. Fisk, Louise Robinson

Associate Grand Conductress:

Margaret MacKenzie, Maude E. Fluetsch

Trustee, Eastern Star Home:

Bert R. Holloway, Jessie G. Morris

At 12:27 the polls were declared closed. At 3:30 P. M., all ballots having been counted, the session was called from labor to refreshment.

EXEMPLIFICATION OF THE WORK

The work of a subordinate Chapter was demonstrated by the Degree Team of Southern California under the able leadership of Sister Lillian M. Holman.

REPORT OF THE ELECTION BOARD

At 4:45 P. M. the session was called to labor and the Chairman of the Election Board, Brother Walker Peddicord, announced that the following members had received the majority of votes cast and the Worthy Grand Matron declared them elected to serve for the ensuing year:

Bertie Y. Todd.....	Worthy Grand Matron
Edward C. Counter, Jr.	Worthy Grand Patron
Rita May Cooper.....	Associate Grand Matron
Frank D. Cruse.....	Associate Grand Patron
Maud McWilliams Smith.....	Grand Secretary
Josephine L. Fisk.....	Grand Treasurer
Mary I. Warmer.....	Grand Conductress
Maude E. Fluetsch.....	Associate Grand Conductress

Jessie Galbraith Morris elected Trustee of the Eastern Star Home for the ensuing five years.

Motion: That the work of a subordinate Chapter, as exemplified by the Degree Team of Southern California, be adopted.

Carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS AND DISPENSATIONS

The following report was read by the Chairman, Sister Jessie Galbraith Morris, Past Grand Matron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Members of Grand Chapter:

Your Committee on Warrants and Dispensations has examined all books and records returned from the three Chapters under dispensation during the past year.

All essential requirements of Grand Chapter have been complied with; we therefore recommend that charters be granted and numbers assigned as follows at this session to

Westwood Hills Chapter No. 535

Dunsmuir Chapter No. 536

Mojave Valley Chapter No. 537.

Respectfully submitted,

Minnie Elliot Seymour,

Myra Moyse,

Jessie Galbraith Morris.

Report Adopted.

At 5:10 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

WEDNESDAY—8:45 P. M.

October 16, 1935.

The minutes of Wednesday morning and afternoon sessions were approved as read.

The Acting Grand Secretary read the following letter from Calkota Chapter No. 309:

“Kerman, California, April 1, 1935.

Acting Grand Secretary,
Grand Chapter, O. E. S.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Sister Secretary:

At a meeting of Calkota Chapter No. 309 held on Wednesday, March 27th, the Chapter voted to ask the Grand Chapter for concurrent jurisdiction in the districts of Helm, Tranquility and Mendota.

We, the members of Calkota Chapter, feel that we are entitled to this consideration due to the age of our Chapter and the fact

that we are having such a struggle for existence at the present time.

Ten of our present active members come from Helm and Mendota.

Fraternally yours,

Ardis R. Huggins, Seety."

The letter was referred to the Jurisprudence Committee. (No action was taken on this request, owing to the fact that similar request was not received from other Chapters effected.)

REPORT OF GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER, TAMPA, FLORIDA

The Associate Grand Matron, Sister Bertie Y. Todd, was escorted to the East and read the following report:

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

On the evening of November 14, 1934, your Worthy Grand Patron and wife, Associate Grand Matron, eight Past Grand Matrons and Patrons and one Past Grand Treasurer departed for Tampa, Florida, where the twenty-first Triennial Assembly of General Grand Chapter was to be held, November 18th to 23rd.

It was indeed a rare privilege to have as traveling companions such a congenial group, and I was thoroughly convinced that each truly merited the title of "Grand".

We arrived at Tampa Sunday, where we were met by those who had preceded us, making a total of twenty-nine in attendance from California.

Religious services were held Sunday, November 18, in the Tampa Theater, followed by a sacred concert in the afternoon.

Monday was given over to registration, rehearsal, luncheons and a reception given by the Tampa Woman's Club. The setting and events of Monday evening at the Coliseum were indeed inspiring. Following the musical program, an immense maple leaf at the back of the stage was seen to open, to admit Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, escorted by the delegates and members from the seven provinces in Canada, carrying the Union Jack and garlands of maple leaves. After several addresses, a beautiful pageant "Star of Light" was presented. Women members of Tampa Chapters, beautifully gowned in the delicate colors of the Star, portrayed the coming of the Wise Men, the coming of Our Saviour and formed separately the five points of our Star.

The twenty-first Triennial Assembly of the General Grand Chapter was officially opened November 20, 1934, at ten o'clock A. M., and was called to order by George Atwood Pettigrew, Past Most Worthy Grand Patron. The Worthy Grand Marshal was instructed to invite the General Grand Chapter officers to enter the Chapter Room. The baton used by the Worthy Grand Marshal was a small wand with a lighted Star, made for the occasion by Dr. George S. Dunlap, Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron.

The first to enter was the vested choir, composed of twenty-four women. Taking their places in the East, they sang "Come Faith, Ye King of Glory". Next came the Grand Guards, twelve men dressed in white, who formed a semi-circle back of the Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron and Patron. Then came the Ushers, a group of girls dressed in costumes to represent the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack. They formed a line in the East facing West, through which passed the Flag Bearers, each in the costume of the country which she represented, carrying her country's flag. The Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack led the procession. The Eastern Star Flag and Eastern Star Emblem were in line also. As these were placed in the East, the choir sang "Oh Canada", in tribute to Sister Schanbacher. Following these came the pages dressed in blue gowns, who took their places in the South and North. The California delegates were pleased and proud that our dearly beloved Past Grand Treasurer, Sister Bessie Adelaide Pierce, had been selected to serve with this group by the Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, Sister Effie Easton and our own Effie. The General Grand Chapter officers came next, dressed in blue, carrying yellow chrysanthemums. The Most Worthy Grand Matron and all other officers assumed their respective stations. Past Most Worthy Grand Patron George M. Hyland delivered a tribute to the flags. Past Most Worthy Grand Patron Alfred C. McDaniel, an address on our Emblem.

Addresses of welcome, responses and presentations completed the morning session. Three Most Worthy Grand Matrons and five Most Worthy Grand Patrons were presented.

Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday was filled with the reading of reports of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Patron, Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Right Worthy Grand Treasurer, Right Worthy Grand Trustees and several committees. The Most Worthy Grand Matron reported visits to every state in the United States of America, all the Canadian Provinces, Mexico, Cuba, Panama, Hawaii, China, Philippines, Porto Rico, Jamaica, Honduras and Japan. Right Worthy Grand Secretary reported total membership in Order Eastern Star, 1931, 2,068,123; 1934, 1,899,266—loss of members, 158,857. California was fourth in the purchase of Rituals since the last report, the number being 3856. Reported that General Grand Chapter has cooperated with Grand Chapters in exchange of a used Ritual for a new one at half price. This has cost the General Grand Chapter \$22,665.87 since the last session. She recommended "That on and after January 1, 1935, the exchange of Rituals, giving a new one for an old one at half price, be discontinued". In answer to questionnaire, most states have an Educational Plan.

Members from subordinate chapters were introduced and each extended greetings to the members of General Grand Chapter from their respective chapters.

A committee was appointed by the incoming Most Worthy Grand Matron to revise the opening ceremony of General Grand Chapter to conform to the Ritual. Sister Effie Easton is a member of this committee.

A motor trip through the country, surrounding Tampa, to Bok Singing Tower was enjoyed by the delegates on Thursday. Thursday evening, after the reading of various reports, a very beautiful memorial service entitled "A Garden of Sacred Memories" was presented by the members of Tampa Chapters.

The International Temple Committee reported the amount in the Treasury and funds being held by certain jurisdictions to be sent in when a building is started will total about \$350,000.00. The committee offered the following resolution: That a joint committee, consisting of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Patron, members of the Board of Right Worthy Grand Trustees and the members of the incoming International Temple Committee (said Temple Committee to be composed of four members), be authorized to proceed with the erection or purchasing of an Eastern Star Temple at Washington, D. C. That they be instructed to either purchase a suitable site and erect a proper building or to purchase an existing building, proper and suitable for the use of this General Grand Chapter, as a permanent home. That they be limited in expenditure for said site and building to the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00), leaving the balance in said fund as a trust fund, the interest to be used for maintenance of said building. That they continue their efforts to make the Temple fund equal \$1.00 per member and that as said fund is accumulated the proceeds be placed in trust fund, the interest only being available for maintenance of said Temple.

Friday being the time set for election, the Credentials Committee reported 567 delegates. We of California were pleased indeed to have our Past Grand Patron, Brother Lloyd Ellis Griffin, appointed Chairman of Tellers. The following were elected: Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Frances Haun, Milan, Tennessee. Most Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. William A. Duvall, Branchville, Maryland. Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, Mrs. Anna W. Smalley, Roundup, Montana. Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron, Mr. George S. Dunlap, Lincoln, Nebraska. Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Mrs. Minnie E. Keyes, Washington, D. C. Right Worthy Grand Treasurer, Mrs. Flora E. Campbell, Washington, D. C. Right Worthy Grand Conductress, Mrs. Effie Easton, San Francisco, California. Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, Mrs. Marguerite V. Dunn, St. Paul, Minnesota.

I pause for just a moment to pay tribute to California's representatives in General Grand Chapter, Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Grand Conductress and Past Grand Matron of California. Her ability to serve wherever placed, her charm and gracious manner have endeared her to every officer and member of General Grand Chapter. How honored we of California feel that so representative a woman has been selected from our Grand Chapter who will very soon guide the destinies of Our Order throughout the world. May happiness and success attend her every effort.

The Registration Committee reported 567 delegates, 1434 out-of-state visitors, 2167 Florida visitors, 593 Tampa registrations, 1000 estimated not registered; total, 5741 in attendance.

The Ritual Committee reported a few minor changes in the Ritual. After a few reports Friday evening, the installation of officers with Mildred K. Schanbacher presiding was next in order. Tennessee's tribute to our newly elected Most Worthy Grand Matron was a beautiful and colorful pageant. Three beautiful gavels were presented to Sister Haun, one from Brother J. H. Moore, Past Patron of Smyrna Chapter, and the one used by Sister Haun to close General Grand Chapter, made from the wood of a black locust tree in the yard of Robert Morris Home in La Grange, Kentucky.

Florida, true to the traditions of the South, made our visit a happy one with motor trips, luncheons, dinners and a willingness to serve us in every way possible. Many took advantage of the post convention trip to Havana, Cuba.

I am most grateful for the opportunity of visiting Florida as your Associate Grand Matron.

Fraternally,

Bertie Y. Todd.

Report was received and ordered published in the Proceedings.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETURNS

The following report was read by the Chairman, Bro. Jos. M. Argabrite, Past Grand Patron:

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

Your Committee on Returns submits the following report for the fiscal year ending May 31st, 1935:

Total membership, June 1st, 1934.....	98,460		
Increase			
Members Initiated	3,392		
Members Affiliated	1,285		
Members Reinstated	234	4,911	103,371
Decrease			
Members Demitted	2,844		
Members Suspended (non-payment of dues) ..	2,714		
Members Suspended or Expelled (other causes)	34		
Members Deceased	1,136		6,728
Membership June 1st, 1935.....			96,643
Net loss in Membership.....			1,817
Chartered Chapters May 31st, 1935.....	486		
Chapters Under Dispensation May 31st, 1935	3		489

1935 HOME ASSESSMENT REPORT

Number of Members May 31st, 1935.....96,643

Deduct

Number of Members in Homes..... 231

Number of Members for whom dues were
remitted in accordance with the Consti-
tution1,933 2,164 94,479

1935 Home assessment, 25c on 94,479 Members \$23,619.75

Add

Assessments due on Reinstatements..... 301.25 \$23,921.00

We wish to particularly commend the Secretaries for their promptness in sending the reports to the office of the Grand Secretary; all reports were received before the 7th of July.

Respectfully submitted,

Maud Dezell Bradley,
Pauline Ada Hause,
Joseph M. Argabrite.

Report Adopted.

REPORT OF THE PRINTING COMMITTEE

The following report was read by the Chairman, Sister Grace Richardson Butterfield, Past Grand Matron:

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of California:
Sisters and Brothers:

Early in April, 1935, your Committee on Printing sent copies of specifications of the 1935 Proceedings to the following printers, with the request that they bid on same:

Pernau-Walsh Printing Company,
Wolfer Printing Co.,
A. D. Tate,
Walter N. Brunt Press.

When the bids were opened, May 1st, the bid from Pernau-Walsh Co. was found to be the lowest and the contract was awarded that firm.

Respectfully submitted,

Gladys Fitch Pierce,
Walter W. Bradley,
Grace Richardson Butterfield,
Committee.

Report Adopted.

At 10:15 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

THURSDAY—9:30 A. M.

October 17, 1935.

The minutes of Wednesday evening's session were approved as read.

REPORT OF THE SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

The following report was read by the Chairman, Sister Elizabeth Gaudet:

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, State of California:

The following is a partial list of the calls made by the members of the Sunshine Committee during the past year:

I was able to locate Mrs. Dora Clinton at 935 Buchanan Street, San Francisco. Sister Clinton is a member of Fremont Chapter, No. 366. I called four times. Found the Sister very feeble, but not in need of help.

Called many times on Mrs. Louise C. Hawkins, 4210 Balboa Street, Apartment 303, San Francisco. Sister Hawkins is a member of Queen Esther Chapter, No. 3, Indiana. She is unable to leave her apartment and is very lonely.

Called five times on Mrs. Mary Winters, Past Matron of Mizpah Chapter, No. 100, Santa Maria, California, and took flowers. Sister Winters has lost her eyesight. I have also written to the Worthy Matron of Mizpah Chapter regarding Sister Winter's condition.

Visited Sister Irene Johnson, Worthy Matron of Cloverleaf Chapter, Cloverdale, at the Children's Hospital, San Francisco, four times and sent flowers. I am happy to say Sister Johnson was able to leave the hospital and resume her work as the Matron of her Chapter.

I attended the funeral of Sister Mary Sneddon, late a member of Gambus Chapter, No. 13, under the Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland. Also called on the family.

Visited Miss Craige DeBora, formerly a member of East Gate Chapter, No. 225, Los Angeles. I found she had demitted six months or more before I called. I called three times but could not help her in any way.

I want to add, Worthy Grand Matron, that I was very happy to play a small part in your wonderful year, and hope the work of this committee has brought a little happiness and sunshine into the lives of some of our members.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Gaudet,
P. M. Trinity Chapter,
Chairman.

Report Accepted.

The Worthy Grand Matron announced the appointment of Sister Nellie Husted and Brother Bert R. Holloway to fill vacancies on the Student Loan Fund Committee.

The Acting Grand Secretary read a resolution presented by Bro. D. E. F. Easton regarding a correction in the Manual for Trials. Referred to the Finance Committee. (See page 187.)

REPORT OF THE STUDENT LOAN FUND COMMITTEE

The following report was read by the Chairman, Bro. A. C. McCloskey:

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

During the year now ended your Committee approved only one new student loan in the amount of \$100.00 and advanced the sum of \$50.00 on another loan previously approved. Repayments collected from student borrowers amounted to \$615.00, leaving \$4016.50 outstanding in loans on August 31, 1935, and \$2338.04 cash in bank available for loans. Since that date an additional payment of \$200.00 has been received from one graduate student.

Under the present existing conditions we feel well pleased with the progress made by student borrowers in reducing their indebtedness. They number fourteen in all, and we know of five who are still unemployed. Payments were received from nine, including three of those unemployed.

The following discloses the financial condition of the Student Loan Fund as of August 31, 1935:

ASSETS

Cash, Bank of America.....		\$2,338.04
Bond, market value		480.00
Accrued interest receivable		35.29
Students Notes		
Total	4016.50	
Less reserve for loss.....	560.00	3,456.50
Total assets.....		\$6,309.83

LIABILITIES

Surplus	\$6,309.83
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Two problems are causing your Committee some concern. The first is the matter of employment for these young people in whose education we have money invested. Right now we have four able-bodied girls of the highest type in character, personality and education, who are seeking permanent positions which will enable them to meet their obligations to our Fund. Somewhere among the membership of this Order are members who could use or help us place these girls. Carry that thought back to your Chapters and communicate with us at once if any of you have a suggestion which may assist in any way.

The second problem is our failure to receive more applications for loans. We are satisfied that the requirement which forces applicants to present their applications before their own Chapters is not the real reason. Nor is it because our maximum loan is now only \$200.00. This we know from the number of inquiries made on behalf of students who are not seniors. These people are willing to present their applications to their sponsoring Chapters, but we are authorized to lend only to seniors. The reason for this rule is that if we lend to a freshman, sophomore or junior year student, we have no assurance that such student will be able to finance her cost of education beyond that particular year and, in any event, we would have to wait for three or four years probably before repayments would commence on the loan. During this time our money would be unnecessarily tied up and unavailable for other loans. Therefore, it seems advisable to continue, in college courses, of lending only to seniors amounts not exceeding \$200.00.

Originally, when this Student Loan Fund was established, its purpose was to assist boys and girls in securing such an education in college, technical or trade schools, as would better enable them to undertake the active duties of citizenship and of life. That was in 1924, but subsequent committee rules have resulted in restricting all loans made to college students only. We now have a provision in our rules which permits us to lend to students attending trade, business or high schools, but it is restricted to students who are responsible for the support of their families or near blood relatives. Its purpose was to provide a means of helping a member who had become a widow, forced with the necessity of supporting her children. The restrictions make it impractical for any other purpose.

We feel the time has passed when we should exclude all of our membership from the benefits of this Fund, except the few whose children become seniors at college and in need. The great majority would be better served if we were able to assist their children in becoming self-supporting after they had graduated from high school. Children may pursue academic studies through high school on advice of teachers, parents, or their own volition, in the hope or expectation of entering college, only to find that they have been unable to earn the necessary credits or their parents are unable to meet the expense. Then they have nothing at which they can turn other than manual or common labor. Repeatedly we have denied application forms to students entering college, or in their first, second or third years. We do not know what has become of them or what, if any, arrangements they were able to make.

It seems the Committee should have authority to make the same maximum loan of not exceeding \$200.00 to students pursuing any trade, business or professional course, the purpose of which is to make such student self-supporting, as it has in the making of loans to seniors at college. And this authority should be without further or any restriction, other than the present requirements concerning the method or presentation and approval of the application. Section 6 of the Student Loan Fund Rules reads as follows:

"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 restrictions. 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."

We recommend that this section be amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 6. Special Course Students. Where it appears applicants eligible under Section 4 desire to attend day or evening trade, business or professional schools, and where the assured purpose is to enable such students to become self-supporting or to materially improve their earning power, the Committee shall have authority to approve such loans by majority vote. Loans under this section shall be known as Class 'B' loans and shall not exceed the maximum of \$200.00 provided for Class A loans."

The adoption of this recommendation will enable us to take care of our own adult membership, it will enable us to come to the assistance of those who are forced to discontinue their college education prior to graduation, and those who were not even able to commence it. It will keep our money in circulation and accomplish real and lasting benefits.

The duties and responsibilities of your present Committee are now ended. Its Chairman has served as such for the past seven consecutive years and takes this opportunity of acknowledging with grateful appreciation the confidence so expressed by these seven presiding Worthy Grand Matrons.

The duties and responsibilities of the founder of our Student Loan Fund have also ceased and she is deserving of full credit for whatever good we have accomplished. Stella Morgan Linscott has travelled on. In 1924 she caused the establishment of this Fund by donating a \$1000.00 bond, and it is recorded on page 201 of the Proceedings of 1924 as the gift of a "Friend of the Order". Typical of her generosity, reserve and quiet dignity. Few people give \$1000.00 bonds with the title "Friend of the Order" as the only clue to identity. She was indeed a "Friend of the Order" and one of the few members who have honored Grand Chapter just as much as Grand Chapter ever honored her.

Respectfully submitted,

Albert C. McCloskey,
Nellie F. Husted,
Bert Richard Holloway.

Report accepted and referred to Constitution and By-Laws and Finance Committees.

REPORT OF THE DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE

The following report was read by the Chairman, Bro. Ernest O. Lawrence:

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

Your Committee on Distribution, to whom was referred the reports of the Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Auditor, the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes and the minority report of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes, wishes to suggest the following disposition of the subject matter contained therein.

To the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws:

Recommendations of the Worthy Grand Matron numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, and all amendments to by-laws approved by the Worthy Grand Matron.

The report of the special committee for revision of registration and election procedure.

To the Committee on Finance:

The report of the Grand Treasurer, the financial statement contained on pages 47 and 48 of the Grand Secretary's report. Financial statements, auditors' reports and report on Residents Properties Accounts contained on pages 40 to 49, inclusive, of the report of the Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes. The report of the Auditors contained on pages 54 to 63, following report of the Grand Treasurer.

To the floor of this Grand body for its consideration and action, Recommendation No. 15 of the Worthy Grand Matron.

To the Jurisprudence and Finance Committees:

The minority report of the Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes.

Respectfully submitted,

Mabel B. Seymour,
Ernest O. Lawrence.

Report Adopted.

NECROLOGY SERVICE

A most beautiful necrology service in memory of the members of the Order who have passed "beyond praise or censure" during the past year, was given under the direction of Sister Alta M. Ogden, Chairman of the Committee.

The lights were dimmed and candles lighted at each Star point. Southern Matrons, in white gowns and mortar boards, formed a Cross between the Altar and the East and chanted the Lord's Prayer. The Altar was then draped by the Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, and the Grand Chaplain offered a prayer. At this point the curtains on the stage parted and a beautiful garden scene unfolded with two angels standing before the heavenly portals, behind which stood an angel. As Sister Ruth Crandall Barber sang "There is No Death", the gates opened to admit the angel bearing a scroll with the names of the Past Grand Elective Officers who had "gone ahead" this year. The Chairman of the Committee then gave the following address, in the midst of which the Conductresses draped a vacant chair at the Secretary's station in memory of our beloved late Grand Secretary, Sister Stella Morgan Linscott.

"Once more we pause in our Grand Chapter routine to pay love's tribute to those of our number who have finished their mission on earth. Once more we gather around the altar lovingly draped for them. The altar, eternal emblem of truth, sacrifice, faith and love, around which we all knelt to pledge our lives for service. That the prayer 'Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven' may be more fully fulfilled.

"We humbly bow to the Father's will. We here sincerely acknowledge the depth of our devotion and genuine admiration for those who so recently accompanied us in life's wondrous drama of eternity. Only silence can bespeak our grief at parting.

"But above the altar, there gleams a wondrous star whose rays ever remind us of the marvels of the universe, the romance of the Infinite, where no sun, moon, or star ever sets but to rise again. The glorious universe forever young. And as we listen here in the candle light, out of the ether there comes a cry, words never uttered before the rising of the Star of the East, words throbbing through the ages, 'I am the Resurrection and the Life'. 'He that believeth on Me shall never die'.

"Life is only a colorful rainbow that spans brilliantly the extremes—Birth and Death. Rainbows are illusions. They are not what they seem. Life is a dreamland of hopes, doubts and fears, a tangled maze of joy and sorrow, sunshine and tears. But

"Life is only a bridge. Death is not the goal.
The body is a chrysalis, but winged is the soul.
From wintry earth, unfailing dawns
The Miracle of Spring,
Across the night's infinitude
The steady planets swing.

So sure of nature's ageless round
 Of this as sure are we,
 When our frail craft from life sets sail
 These dear ones we shall see.
 Thou livest in Thy living word,
 As when its cadence first was heard,
 Above the turmoil, noise and strife,
 'I am the Resurrection and the Life.' "

Stella Morgan Linscott, Grand Matron of 1922-1923. Lovingly called Golden Jubilee Matron. Past Grand Secretary, October 24, 1930-March 26, 1935.

Ernest Eugene Noon, Worthy Grand Patron 1922-1923. Our Golden Jubilee Grand Patron.

"They do not die who leave their thought
 Imprinted on some deathless page.
 Themselves may pass, the spell they wrought
 Endures on earth from age to age."

"Stella Morgan Linscott, gentle, wise, steadfast, loving and beloved, we are justly proud to present you as our delegate to the Father's court.

"Leaf by leaf the roses fall,
 Drop by drop the streams run dry;
 One by one answer His call
 As the roses fade and die.
 But the roses bloom again
 And the streams come back anew.
 Death is only the emblem;
 Life and victory ensue.
 The soul awakes and wondering sees
 In her fair hands the golden keys;
 The grave is only the golden gate,
 Both rich and poor its blessing wait.
 The path leads on to the Father's throne;
 He is waiting and watching for His own.
 So we say to our loved ones 'Good Night, then
 Until the roses bloom again.' "

Respectfully submitted,
 Alta M. Ogden,
 Isabel Braine,
 Blanche Peterson.

A duet by Sister Whiting and Brother Vale concluded the service.

Immediately following this service the session was called from labor to refreshment.

THURSDAY—1:30 P. M.

October 17, 1935.

The Acting Grand Secretary read the following telegram:

“Sacramento, Calif., Oct. 14.

Grand Secretary, Order of Eastern Star:

Greetings from your capital city and best wishes for a successful convention stop Sacramento would be highly honored if chosen as host city to your nineteen thirty six convention and at this time extends a formal invitation and sincerely urge its acceptance stop All Sacramento civic, county and business organizations are in accord in extending this invitation and await your coming with patience.

. Mayor Arthur D. Ferguson,
Sacramento Lodge No. 40.
City Manager James S. Dean,
Sacramento Lodge No. 40.
Harold J. McCurry,
President Chamber of Commerce,
Union Lodge No. 58.
Roy Clair,
Manager Sacramento Convention Bureau,
Washington Lodge No. 20.”

The Worthy Grand Matron set the hour of three P. M. for receiving invitations for the next session.

REPORTS OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

The following reports were read by the Chairman, Sister Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron:

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

In July, 1935, letters were received from several firms of certified public accountants applying for the business of auditing Grand Chapter accounts, namely:

Ruckstell & Land.

A. C. McCloskey.

Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery.

A majority of the Committee favoring the last named accountants, the contract was awarded to Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery, whose report presents the financial status of the Grand Chapter for the year ending August 31, 1935.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven.

Report Adopted.

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

During the fiscal year 1934-1935, various bonds belonging to the Grand Chapter have been called for redemption, with an offer in each case of advantageous exchange for other bonds. The following is a list of the securities called:

U. S. Liberty Loan bonds, 1st issue (redeemed).....	\$ 50.00
U. S. Liberty Bonds, 4th issue (redeemed)	
Exchanged for 3¼% Treasury Bonds.....	4,000.00*
Redeemed for cash (June, 1935)	6,000.00
Redeemed for cash (October 15th).....	4,000.00
South San Joaquin Irrigation Bonds	
Held in escrow for reissue under government recon-	
struction loan	5,000.00
Merced Irrigation Dist.	
Sold for cash	2,641.15
Pacific Gas & Electric, 1st and refunding gold bonds,	
redeemed June 1st	5,250.00

(*This exchange allowed before decision on interpretation of our law.)

The action of Grand Chapter in 1931 and again in 1932 specifically decreed that this Grand Chapter is committed to investment of surplus moneys ONLY in Liberty Loan Bonds. This action allows no exchange of any securities unless specifically ordered by Grand Chapter.

The only sales that have been authorized are in the case of the irrigation and reclamation bonds, which were ordered sold as soon as advantageously possible, the proceeds to be reinvested in Liberty Loan Bonds.

All Liberty Loan Bonds have now been called for redemption. Each issue "called" provided the privilege of exchanging same for Treasury Bonds, but no such exchange having been authorized, your Finance Committee was obliged to accept cash at par for the called bonds on the date of redemption. Thus interest money that might have been obtained was necessarily lost, and an excess of cash is now also necessarily on deposit in various banks.

Therefore, your Committee offers the following resolutions:

(1) The investment of Grand Chapter surplus funds shall be made only in United States Treasury bonds, provided that in case such bonds are called before maturity, the Finance Committee is empowered to arrange for most advantageous exchange for other U. S. Treasury bonds.

(2) That the American Trust Company, San Francisco, be added to the list of designated depositories for Grand Chapter funds, as at the present time it is difficult to place over \$15,000.00 in any one bank owing to the cheapness of money.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven.

Report Adopted.

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

At the 1934 session bonds and securities belonging to the Grand Chapter of California were ordered to be placed by the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Secretary in a safe keeping account in a bank (see Section 22, Article I of the Constitution), but no provision was made for the withdrawal of same. Due to the "calling" of several of these securities for redemption, it has been necessary to withdraw same from the safe keeping account, and it seemed a proper procedure that the same persons who placed the securities in the account should have authority to withdraw them for redemption.

Your Committee now recommends that this procedure in the case of the Berkeley Guaranty Building & Loan certificates be ratified and that the Worthy Grand Matron and the Grand Secretary be authorized to withdraw securities from the safe keeping account when called for redemption.

Respectfully submitted,

Maude Noble Haven,
C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,

Committee.

Report Adopted.

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

Section 21, Article I, 3rd paragraph, of the Constitution reads:

"Provided, further, that the funds of this Grand Chapter, including Eastern Star Home funds, except as herein provided, may be invested in securities when said investments have been approved by a majority of the Finance Committee and the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron."

The Committee recommends that the following be added to this section:

"In case such investments become frozen assets and an opportunity for liquidation is presented, such funds may be ordered withdrawn only by the Finance Committee and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron."

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Maude Noble Haven,
Cora Spring Holland,

Committee.

Report Adopted.

The Acting Grand Secretary read a resolution presented by the 1934 Patrons' Association of Southern California regarding amendments to the Constitution. As the subject matter was fully covered by a recommendation made by the Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Patrons, through Bro. Wallace T. Rutherford, Past Grand Patron, asked that same be withdrawn.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

The following report was read by the Chairman, Sister Jule Balice:

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

There are special days in our lives which rise above the level of ordinary events. I count this such a day, when, through the courtesy of our Worthy Grand Matron, mine is the pleasant privilege of speaking for those who have been associated with me in this delightful service. Just as the first little crocus that dares the nip of a frost-bitten March wind unfolds its petals to the warm rays of the sun, so our hearts expand in gratitude to you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, for the great and distinctive honor and precious privilege of serving you in the Garden of Fraternity.

When the appointment on this Committee was received we were in doubt as to what an Educational Committee would stand for, but requests started to come in and we were brought to the realization that there was a great work to do, and while this work has occupied many hours of time, it has been a pleasure because it has served to bring us in closer touch with the Chapters, and enabled us to be of service in helping the busy Matrons solve some of their various problems.

We have endeavored to answer all requests and wish to thank the Worthy Matrons for their letters of appreciation.

The following is a brief summary of requests received: Installation and Jewel Marches, Tribute to Flag, Tribute to George Washington, Presentations, Programs for all occasions, including Mother's Day and Valentine Day, Obligation Degree, Memorial Service, Public School Week, History of the Order, Past Matrons and Past Patrons Night, Dedication Ceremony, Candle Light Ceremony, Songs for Community Singing, Music for Colonial Degree, Playlets and Poems. Many Matrons received four or five programs. Total requests sent, 269. Chapters served, 69. Statistical report attached.

After a careful analysis of the requests received we make the following suggestions:

The most important duty is to make your Chapter meetings interesting and thereby increase the membership.

Our greatest aim should be to gain a clearer knowledge of what it means to be a member. It is the ultimate ideal of a perfect organization to have each member learn and practice the principles of our Order.

Have educational programs, study your Constitution and By-Laws, the Obligation, Labyrinth and Landmarks of the Order.

Have a round table discussion, what my membership in the Order means to me, and why I owe it to the Order to make myself acquainted with its lessons, teachings and principles.

In your educational programs have the members prepare questions, and have a speaker of authority present prepared to answer all questions to the satisfaction of all.

We feel these varied programs will stimulate the interest in the meetings.

The written ritualistic lessons are easy, but the hidden lessons that lie beneath the Symbolisms are not written, and if we search and find those hidden lessons we will receive a broader understanding of the teachings of the Order of the Eastern Star.

APPRECIATION

Worthy Grand Matron, serving with you as a Worthy Matron in 1925, and as one of your Chairmen during your Golden Year, will always be a cherished memory.

To my co-workers in this field of service, though miles apart, we worked as one and I sincerely thank you for your cooperation and fine friendships.

The loving memory of our beloved Grand Secretary, Sister Stella Morgan Linseott, will always be to me an inspiration for her many loving kindnesses. To Maud McWilliams Smith, Acting Grand Secretary, and her able assistant, Else Fuetterer, I am most grateful for their helpful advice. They were never too busy to be of service.

And to all, who by their helpful suggestions and constructive advice, facilitated my work, I offer my sincere appreciation.

Each one of us represents a link in the golden chain which is symbolical of the labyrinth of human life. By binding these links closer together we find our field of service reaches to the four corners of the land.

Fraternally submitted,
Jule Balice,
Chairman.

SUPPLEMENT

Your Committee reports the sum of \$50.00 allotted at last Grand Chapter has taken care of the expenditures and recommends a similar amount be allowed the Committee selected to serve in the coming year.

Fraternally,
Jule Balice,
Chairman.
Beulah E. Ludlow,
Helen Bierman.

REQUESTS

History of Order	26
Obligation Degree	30
Tribute to Washington.....	35
Installation Drills	22
Jewel Marches	30
Memorial Services	19
Presentations	23
Programs for All Occasions, including Mother's Day and Valentine Day	42
Flag Ceremony	12
Past Matrons and Past Patrons Nights.....	10
Public Schools Week	12
Candle Light Ceremony	3
Dedication Ceremony, Bible	1
Songs for Community Singing	1
Music for Colonial Degree.....	1
Poems	1
Skits	1
Total.....	269

Report Accepted and Referred to the Finance Committee.

PRESENTATION OF CHARTERS

The Worthy Grand Patron, Brother J. Hartley Taylor, with words of praise and encouragement, presented charters to the representatives of the three Chapters operating Under Dispensation.

Sister Ida Davis, Associate Matron of Mojave Valley Chapter, responded for the Representatives. She thanked the Worthy Grand Patron and said "We shall carry these charters back to our Chapters with pride and are happy to share in the promotion of the principles and ideals of our beautiful Order".

REPORTS OF CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS COMMITTEE

(Worthy Grand Patron presiding)

The following reports were read by the Chairman, Bro. W. Frank Holman, Past Grand Patron:

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

During the year I have had occasion to look over the amendments to the by-laws as proposed by Chapters before their approval by the Worthy Grand Matron. As the amendments were all in order, I recommend that the action of the Worthy Grand Matron be approved.

Fraternaly submitted,

W. Frank Holman,

Report adopted.

Chairman.

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

Referring to recommendation No. 1 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

This addition to this section is to clarify the exact procedure of regaining membership after having been suspended for non-payment of dues and in the opinion of your committee would eliminate much inquiry and correspondence concerning this procedure which has heretofore been necessary.

We therefore recommend that Article II, Section 22, be amended to read:

"Sec. 22. No Chapter shall expel members for the non-payment of dues and/or assessments levied by the Grand Chapter; but in case members shall have refused or neglected to pay their regular dues and/or assessments during a period of six months, they shall be notified by the Secretary by registered mail requiring a return receipt, that at the next stated meeting (after one month from said notification) unless their dues and/or assessments be paid or good and satisfactory reasons be shown as the cause of such refusal or neglect, they will be suspended from all the rights and privileges of the Order. If neither of these things be done, the Secretary must read the list of the names of the delinquent members in open Chapter and the Worthy Matron must at such stated meeting declare them suspended, unless for special reasons shown the Chapter may otherwise determine; but members thus suspended, who shall at any time within six months from the date of such suspension pay the arrearages due at the time of such suspension, together with the additional dues and/or assessments which would have accrued against them to the date of such payment had they retained their membership, shall by such act be restored. Members who shall remain suspended for six months or more shall be restored to membership in the Order only, but not to membership in the Chapter, except by unanimous ballot, *upon payment of the arrearages due at the time of such suspension, together with the additional dues and/or assessments which would have accrued against them to the date of such payment had they retained their membership*; such suspended members desiring restoration to membership in the Chapter shall present, in writing, a petition for reinstatement which shall take the same course as a petition for membership; should the ballot not be unanimous, the member shall be entitled to a certificate stating the facts of such restoration, and such certificate shall be regarded as a legal demit, sufficient for all the purposes thereof.

A Chapter may remit all or a portion of the dues owing, but may not remit the Home assessments.

A suspended brother shall not be restored unless he be in good standing in a Masonic Lodge at the date of such restoration."

Respectfully submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,

Walker Peddicord,

W. Frank Holman,

Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Constitution amended.

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

Recommendation No. 3 of the Grand Matron's report:

As fines for loss of Ritual, Syllabus and Book of Instruction are already provided for in this section, and as we believe the Grand Matron's point to be well taken in the case of the loss of a Diagram of the Labyrinth, we recommend the following be added to Article II, Section 26, of the Constitution:

"A fine of One Dollar (\$1.00) shall be imposed for the loss of a Diagram of the Labyrinth."

Respectfully submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Constitution amended.

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

Recommendation No. 4 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

Since there is no provision in our laws for objection in the case of affiliation, and this recommendation would make proper provision, we recommend that the following paragraph be added to Section 19, Article II, section headed "Objection After Election":

"If after the election of a person to become a member by affiliation, and before the by-laws have been signed, objection be made personally, or in writing, to the Worthy Matron, by three or more members of the Chapter in good standing, such objection shall, unless withdrawn within thirty days, have the effect of a rejection by ballot and shall be so reported to the Grand Secretary. In such case the fee shall be returned and the back dues, if paid, retained by the Chapter."

Respectfully submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Constitution amended.

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

Recommendation No. 5 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

Since this provision in our Constitution is not in accord with the Ritual which is our supreme law, we recommend that the clause "provided however, in the absence of the first four Officers at any stated or special meeting the Junior Past Matron present shall preside", be eliminated from Article II, Section

9 of the Constitution and from Article II, Section 2 of the Uniform Code.

Respectfully submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Constitution and Uniform Code amended.

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

Recommendation No. 6 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

As this decision is in direct conflict with the paragraphs referred to, and as we believe subordinate Chapters should have discretionary powers to determine when the circumstances warrant an extension of the time for more than sixty days, we recommend that Decision No. 365 be deleted from the Digest.

Fraternally submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Decision deleted.

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

Recommendation No. 7 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

It no doubt is clear to all that a Chapter may have important business which should receive attention, and especially Chapters having but one meeting night in each month, and we believe it is possible to receive the necessary instructions by the Deputy Grand Matron and also transact any other necessary business of the Chapter, therefore recommend that Decision No. 498 be amended to read:

"When the visit of the Worthy Grand Matron or Deputy Grand Matron is on the stated meeting night of the Chapter any portion of the regular business of the Chapter may be transacted. Provided, however, that on the visit of the Deputy Grand Matron all portions of the work are also exemplified for the purposes of instruction, if necessary, as the Deputy Grand Matron could not demonstrate a genuine ballot in case of a possible mistake, nor make corrections in the manner of conducting initiation."

Fraternally submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Bro. Wallace Rutherford, Past Grand Patron, moved, as an amendment to the recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron, that the recommendation to and including the words "if necessary" be adopted. Motion lost.

Original recommendation adopted and Decision No. 498 amended.

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

Recommendation No. 8 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

It would hardly seem worth while for the Chapter Secretaries to compile in their report every year the names of all of the members since it is a matter of record in the office of the Grand Secretary and as provision is made for the reporting of initiates, affiliates, reinstatements, demitted members, suspensions, expulsions, deceased members or changes in names, this would be a much shorter and simpler plan and eliminate much duplication of work. Therefore recommend that Article II, Section 27 of the Constitution, be amended to read:

"Sec. 27. The fiscal year shall end on the 31st day of May. Within thirty days thereafter each chartered Chapter shall annually transmit to the Grand Secretary a full and correct report of its transactions for the twelve months next preceding that date on such blank form as may be provided by the Grand Secretary. This report shall include the names, in full, of its Officers, Past Matrons, Past Patrons, the number and names of members initiated, affiliated, reinstated, demitted, suspended, expelled or deceased, *the names of members whose dues were remitted in accordance with Section 18, Article I of the Constitution, all changes in names of members and the amount due the Grand Chapter; said amount must accompany the report.*

Each Chapter U. D. shall transmit a similar report from the date of its organization to the end of the fiscal year.

Any Chapter failing to have its said report in the Grand Secretary's office on the first day of July shall be delinquent."

Faternally submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,

Walker Peddicord,

W. Frank Holman,

Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Constitution amended.

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

Recommendation No. 9 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

We believe this to be the proper procedure since it places the proposition of obtaining a waiver in the hands of the Secretary of the Chapter who is familiar with the constitutional requirements and the necessary steps for the Chapters to pursue are all clearly stated, so no mistake should be made, we therefore recommend that Article II, Section 21, of the Constitution be amended to read:

"A Chapter may receive a petition for the degrees from any person residing within the jurisdiction of another Chapter in this State, but such petition shall not be referred to investigating committee, or balloted upon, without a waiver of jurisdiction from the Chapter having jurisdiction. Such waiver shall be requested by the Secretary of the Chapter receiving the petition. Waiver may be granted upon a majority vote, provided, however, that if the person applying to such other Chapter shall have been previously

rejected, the waiver shall be granted only upon a two-thirds vote. Any Chapter desiring waiver of jurisdiction over a petitioner residing within the concurrent jurisdiction of several Chapters, shall not be required to obtain the waiver from more than one of the Chapters, except that if the petitioner has been rejected, the waiver shall be obtained from the rejecting Chapter. Waiver of jurisdiction is void sixty days from date of issue."

Fraternally submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Constitution amended.

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

Recommendation No. 10 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

As these decisions as stated by the Worthy Grand Matron are in conflict with the above, we recommend Decisions Nos. 51 and 157 be deleted from the Digest.

Fraternally submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Decisions deleted.

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

Recommendation No. 11 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

As these Decisions, numbered 251 and 252, are in conflict with our Instruction Book, we recommend they be deleted.

Respectfully submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Decisions deleted.

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

Recommendation No. 13 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

The Committee recommends that the recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron be complied with.

Respectfully submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

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

Recommendation No. 14 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:
The Committee recommends the adoption of the suggestion of the Worthy Grand Matron.

Respectfully submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

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

Recommendation No. 2 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

This addition by the Worthy Grand Matron in this recommendation, provides that one who has been regularly notified of arrearages and impending suspension may not postpone that action by paying a small amount, or amounts not sufficient to place him in good standing. We therefore recommend that Decision No. 398 be amended to read:

"398. A member may pay dues either in full or in part at any time prior to suspension, and the Secretary must receive the same and issue a receipt therefor; *however, unless a member pays a sufficient amount to place him in good standing, he should be suspended if proper notification has previously been sent in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution, and if the Chapter does not remit the unpaid portion.*"

Fraternally submitted,
Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Decision amended.

Motion: Past Grand Matron Maude Noble Haven moved that Decision No. 257 be eliminated from the Digest as it is contrary to the present manner of doing the work. Motion carried and decision eliminated.

The Worthy Grand Matron declared a short recess and instructed the Marshal to escort the Worthy Matrons of the Sacramento Chapters to the East, where they were presented. Sister Gertrude Sayre, Worthy Matron of Sacramento Chapter No. 190, extended an invitation to Grand Chapter to come to Sacramento in 1936 and presented Mr. Roy Clare. Mr. Clare extended an official civic invitation and presented the Worthy Grand Matron with a Sacramento "Gold Days" souvenir, which she graciously accepted.

Invitation referred to the Finance Committee.

The Session was called to order, the Worthy Grand Matron presiding.

REPORT OF THE JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

The following report was read by the Chairman, Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron:

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

Your Jurisprudence Committee to which was referred the minority report of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes report as follows:

First, we report that as a matter of parliamentary procedure a minority report is always in order when there is not agreement and accord with the report of the majority.

With reference to the so-called "executive session" of the Board of Trustees, your Committee reports that in accordance with Article I, Section 29, of the Constitution, the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron are ex-officio trustees and therefore they, and each of them, should be invited to attend all sessions of the Board. And furthermore, in accordance with Article I, Section 34, the Grand Secretary and the Grand Treasurer are authorized to serve as Secretary and Treasurer respectively of said Trustees and therefore said officers should likewise be invited to attend all sessions of the Board. In this regard your Committee further reports an executive session is simply a business session from which the general public is excluded and under no reasonable construction should the Grand Matron, the Grand Patron, the Grand Treasurer, or the Grand Secretary be excluded.

With reference to the books and records of the Eastern Star Home referred to in the said minority report, your Jurisprudence Committee advises that all books, papers, and records of the Grand Chapter must, in accordance with Section 12, Article I, of the Constitution be kept in the office of the Grand Secretary, and as the Eastern Star Home is in fact a creature of the Grand Chapter, the records of the Home properly belong in the office of the Grand Secretary. In view of the fact that the Constitution already provides for the keeping of the records of Grand Chapter in the office of the Grand Secretary no action is required at this time. Your Committee is in accord with the recommendation with respect to the said records as shown in the minority report.

With reference to quarterly meetings of the Board as against monthly meetings, your Committee advises that quarterly meetings are entirely in order and there is nothing in the law which would militate against having monthly meetings. As far as the cost of monthly meetings as against quarterly meetings, this is a matter which is properly within the scope of the Finance Committee as far as recommendations are concerned.

With reference to that portion of the minority report dealing with employees of the Home, not members of the order nor citizens of the United States, your Jurisprudence Committee recommends that this Grand Chapter establish a rule that all employees of the Home must be members of the Order of the Eastern Star. Your Committee feels that there are many deserv-

ing and many well-qualified members of the order who would enjoy and who need this employment.

With reference to that portion of the report containing the recommendation that no trustee serve over five years, your Jurisprudence Committee feels that this is a matter of policy rather than one of law or jurisprudence. Your Committee feels that on each successive election of trustees, the Grand Chapter will use its own judgment as to the value of rotation as against perpetuity in office.

Other matters contained in the minority report properly belong to some other committee and your Jurisprudence Committee therefor make no recommendation without direct reference.

Respectfully submitted,

Waldo F. Postel,

Lloyd E. Griffin,

Wallace Rutherford,

Committee.

Report adopted.

Motion: Bro. D. W. Pierce, Past Grand Patron, moved that the consideration of the Home reports be made a special order of business for ten o'clock tomorrow morning. Motion lost.

Several motions regarding the disposition of the Majority and Minority reports of the Trustees were made at this time and withdrawn.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION

Brother Ernest O. Lawrence for the Committee on Distribution moved that that portion of the majority report of the Trustees not specifically referred to committees in the original report of the Committee on Distribution, be adopted.

Carried.

Motion: Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron, moved the adoption of the majority report of the Trustees exclusive of those portions referred to Committee.

Carried.

REPORTS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The following reports were read by the Chairman, Sister Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron.:

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

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the majority report of the Trustees of the Home (that portion covering finan-

cial statements and the Auditor's report, pages 40 to 49) approves same and recommends its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

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

Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the minority report of the Trustees considers that this matter is fully covered by the recommendation in the Auditor's report of Grand Chapter for 1935. We have a recommendation for that and we have nothing further to offer on this matter in the Trustees report. I will therefore read our recommendation on the Auditor's report:

"We approve the recommendation of the Auditor that all accounts in connection with the Eastern Star Homes be kept entirely in the office of the Grand Secretary, including the disbursements of funds in payment of individual invoices and all other operating items, as also Residents' Properties Accounts, and we suggest that a system be installed in both cases similar to that employed by the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M. of California.

"We recommend that Section 21 of Article I of the Constitution be amended to this effect."

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Motion: Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron, moved that consideration of this report be divided, acting separately on the Operating Funds at the Home and the Residents' Properties Accounts.

Carried.

Motion: Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron, moved that all accounts in connection with the Home be kept in the office of the Grand Secretary.

Carried.

Motion: Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron, moved that the Residents' Properties Accounts stay at the Home.

Carried.

Motion: Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron, moved that that portion of the minority report of the Trustees, dealing

with the revolving fund, be referred to the Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

Carried.

Motion: Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron (with the consent of Sister Willa Jane Hellwig, Past Grand Matron), moved the adoption of the minority report with the exception of that portion dealing with the Revolving Fund and the last paragraph on page three dealing with the omission from the Proceedings of certain portions of the majority report.

Carried.

Sister Effie Easton, Past Grand Matron, explained to the members that no discourtesy was intended when the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were not invited to be present at the so-called "executive meeting" of the Board in September.

Brother Paul Werking addressed the members on his Inspirational Hours at the Home and thanked the Board for the privilege of serving.

At 5:20 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

THURSDAY—8 P.M.

October 17th

The Acting Grand Secretary announced the "going Home" of our beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Clara Abbott Giberson, at six o'clock Thursday afternoon, at the Coronado Hospital. The delegates stood in silence for a moment and Brother John Vale sang a hymn.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES

The following report was read by Sister Emma Blanchard Graves, Past Associate Grand Matron, member of the Committee: Worthy Grand Matron, Members of the Grand Chapter of California:

Our Chapters in the State of California have had a most harmonious year, therefore the Committee on Appeals and Grievances has no report to make.

Fraternally submitted,

Robert Purl Easley,
Emma Blanchard Graves.

Report accepted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL
CORRESPONDENCE

The following preliminary portion of the report was read by the Chairman, Sister Minnie B. Williams: (For balance of report see pages 395-465.)

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:

Our Worthy Grand Matron drafted us for a duty which, like so many duties sincerely undertaken, has proved to be an opportunity and a privilege. Through the performance of an allotted task, we have come to know this wonderful Order of ours in a comprehensive way that might otherwise never have been our good fortune.

We sit in our own Chapter rooms, engrossed by the ritualistic and fraternal activities which immediately surround us, and we are in danger of remaining oblivious to the tremendous implications of our far-flung organization.

The Golden Chain of the Order of the Eastern Star encircles the globe. Anchored to the everlasting security of the Holy Bible, it binds together in unity of faith, aspiration and idealism, faithful hearts the wide world over. The beautiful orb of light, in its daily cycle, at every point in its ceaseless journey, casts its revealing ray upon our brethren, wearing on their breasts the square and compass of Masonry, and wherever its beams reflect from this time-honored and achievement-honored symbol, not far away always glows the effulgent star of hope which signifies the Order of the Eastern Star.

Our brothers and sisters raise their eyes with Ruth in China, with Martha our members in the Philippines pledge anew their hope and faith in immortality, in our neighboring Republic of Mexico our star flashes its message of light, purity and joy. No part of the British Kingdom but has some faithful group proclaiming proudly that it has seen his Star in the East. Alaska, Hawaii, Porto Rico and Nova Scotia gather around their chapter altars to symbolize the unbroken chain.

In our own dear country our Order does proud homage to our beautiful flag of freedom. A difference of environment, of racial origin, of industries and of traditions may differentiate the peoples of remote portions of our country, but only in those things which are superficial and inconsequential. In the rigorous clime of the states which form our northern boundary, in the teeming centers of the eastern seaboard, in the wide fertile prairies of the middle west, the balmy, languorous southland and our own beloved and venturesome west, we are one in our undying devotion to our flag and we, of the Eastern Star, are one in our love, for the exalted principles of our Order.

The economic travail which the world has suffered has not passed our Order unscathed. In the reports of the proceedings of almost all of our Grand Chapters, wheresoever disbursed about the globe,

we can glean stories of heroic persistence against untoward circumstances. Bravely our brothers and sisters have labored at the wheel, proudly they have held their heads erect in the face of adversity, bravely they have carried on without faltering or diminished faith.

It has been a proud and victorious year for our great fraternity. Still do the unwavering beams from our Star in the East send forth their constant message of hope undefeated.

None can read the records of our many jurisdictions without swelling pride and appreciation. Strong and beautiful is the golden chain which binds us together. God, willing, it will remain unbroken throughout the eternal ages.

Fraternally submitted,
Minnie B. Williams,
Mary Isabel Warmer,
Verna V. Westhoven.

Report adopted.

The minutes of the morning and afternoon sessions of Thursday were approved as read.

The Worthy Grand Matron announced no resolutions would be received after twelve o'clock, noon, Friday.

Motion: Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron, moved that the Grand Chapter and all subordinate Chapters in California pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States before Chapters are declared opened and that a committee be appointed to draft a suitable resolution.

Carried.

The Worthy Grand Matron appointed Sister Cora Spring Holland a committee of one for this purpose.

The Acting Grand Secretary read a resolution presented by Sisters Pauline Ada Hause, Past Grand Matron, and Emma Blanchard Graves, Past Associate Grand Matron, regarding amendment to decision No. 27. Referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws. (See page 201.)

The Worthy Grand Matron announced all bills for the session should be presented before noon on Friday.

At 9:15 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

FRIDAY—9:20 A. M.

October 18th

REPORTS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Sister Maude Noble Haven, Chairman, made the following reports:

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

In order to bring before the assembly the matter of the Residents' Properties Accounts, I move that the action taken yesterday

upon the motion of Brother Postel that the Residents' Properties Accounts remain in Los Angeles, be rescinded.

Seconded by Brother D. W. Pierce, Past Grand Patron, and carried.

Motion: Sister Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron, then moved that all Residents' Properties Accounts be, within the next three months, transferred to the Grand Secretary's office in San Francisco and that a system duplicating that now in operation in the Masonic Grand Lodge be installed, provided such system will amply protect the Grand Chapter.

Seconded by Brother D. W. Pierce and carried.

Motion: Sister Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron, then moved that Section 21 of Article I of the Constitution be amended to provide for this transfer.

Seconded by Brother D. W. Pierce and carried.

Referred to the Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

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

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the recommendation of the Committee on Education that said committee be allowed \$50 for the coming year, approves same and will make allowance therefor in the Budget.

Fraternally submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Report adopted.

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

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the invitation of Sacramento for the 1936 session of Grand Chapter, reports that there is a sufficient fund in the treasury to cover the necessary expenses, and recommends we accept the invitation.

Fraternally submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Report adopted and invitation accepted.

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

Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the resolution presented by Brother D. E. F. Easton reading:

"Whereas: When the Manual for the Conduct of Trials was printed in 1933, due to an error in printing, Decision No. 565 was jumbled, and does not make sense, and

"Whereas: When the Constitution and Digest of Laws was issued in 1934, Decisions Nos. 564-575, inclusive, were not printed therein, memo being made that they would be found in the aforesaid Manual,

"Therefor: To correct this mistake I suggest that printed correction slips be prepared and inserted in the remaining Manuals on hand, and also that enough slips be printed to supply those already issued, the same to be included in whatever corrections or changes in the Constitution may be mailed following this Session of Grand Chapter."

approves same and recommends that the necessary slips be printed and included in whatever corrections or changes in the Constitution may be mailed following this session of Grand Chapter.

Fraternally submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

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

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the reports of the Acting Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer approves same and recommends their adoption.

Fraternally submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PAY OF MEMBERS

The following report was read by the Chairman, Brother Roy Musser, Past Grand Patron:

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

Your Committee on Pay of Members respectfully submits the following report 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 Standing Committees and Representatives of Chapters:

SUMMARY

Grand Officers	\$ 276.05
Deputy Grand Matrons	1,047.05
Past Grand Matrons	404.95
Past Grand Patrons	192.90
Past Grand Elective Officers	497.25
Committee Chairmen	119.25
Chapter Representatives	7,971.20
Total	<u>\$10,508.65</u>

GRAND OFFICERS

Minnie Viola Collins, Worthy Grand Matron, San Francisco.....	\$23.35
J. Hartley Taylor, Worthy Grand Patron, Pasadena.....	5.45
Bertie Y. Todd, Associate Grand Matron, San Luis Obispo.....	15.50
Edward C. Counter, Jr., Associate Grand Patron, San Francisco.....	23.35
Maud McWilliams Smith, Acting Grand Secretary, San Francisco.....	23.35
Anna Noyes Moneur, Grand Treasurer, Yuba City.....	26.60
Rita May Cooper, Grand Conductress, Sacramento.....	22.75
Mary Isabel Warmer, Associate Grand Conductress, Ontario.....	6.30
Edna A. Cannon, Grand Chaplain, Montebello.....	4.15
Maude E. Fluetsch, Grand Marshal, Merced.....	18.80
Charles E. Anderson, Grand Organist, San Francisco.....	23.35
Corine Orban Melville, Grand Adah, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Winnie May Dean, Grand Ruth, Santa Ana.....	3.85
Rosina E. Norder, Grand Esther, San Francisco.....	23.35
Kathryn M. Farwell, Grand Martha, Alameda.....	23.35
Mamie G. Cooper, Grand Electa, San Jose.....	22.15
Flora T. Whitney, Grand Warder, Hollywood.....	5.15
Ruth E. Arganbright, Grand Sentinel, San Diego.....	.50

PAST GRAND MATRONS

Mary Josephine Young, Berkeley.....	23.35
Clara Abbott Giberson, San Francisco.....	23.35
Mabel Boyd Seymour, Sacramento.....	22.75
Emma Riehl Leach, Eureka.....	36.00
Annie Marie Johnson, San Francisco.....	23.35
Minnie Eliot Seymour, Mill Valley.....	23.65
Maude Noble Haven, San Francisco.....	23.35
Ivy Crane Shelhamer, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Effie Easton, San Francisco.....	23.35
Maud Dezell Bradley, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Maude Bigelow Sibley, Glendale.....	5.05
Zella Whitford Samson, Corning.....	28.15
Cora Spring Holland, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Hazael Marsh Piper, Santa Cruz.....	20.85
Pauline Ada Hause, San Francisco.....	23.35
Myra Moyse, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Willia Jane Hellwig, Alvarado.....	22.85
Elsie Mae McGiffin, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Grace Richardson Butterfield, San Francisco.....	23.35
Jessie Galbraith Morris, Bakersfield.....	13.65

PAST GRAND PATRONS

Benjamin B. Cartwright, Alhambra.....	5.05
William J. Mossholder, San Diego.....	.50
W. Frank Holman, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Darwin W. Pierce, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Roy Musser, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Waldo F. Postel, San Francisco.....	23.35
Raymond H. Griest, Hermosa Beach.....	5.35
Bert R. Holloway, Van Nuys.....	5.45
Walter W. Bradley, Berkeley.....	23.35
Joseph M. Argabrite, Los Angeles.....	4.75
John L. McDonald, San Jose.....	22.15
Lloyd E. Griffin, San Diego.....	.50
Wallace T. Rutherford, Napa.....	23.40

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRONS

Minnie D. Brown, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Emma B. Graves, Oakland.....	23.35
Margaret E. Sawyer, Bakersfield.....	13.65
Ida Fitschen, San Francisco.....	23.35
Maude Wayman, San Francisco.....	23.35

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRONS

George W. Earl, Oakland.....	23.35
Harry C. Cooper, Oakland.....	23.35
Walter V. Scott, Los Angeles.....	4.75

PAST GRAND SECRETARY

Susan Mills Willats, San Francisco.....	23.35
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PAST GRAND TREASURERS

Isabelle L. Vawter, Ocean Park.....	5.05
Eva H. Boyd, Anaheim.....	4.05
Annie Shingle Brasch, San Francisco.....	23.35
Sue E. Tuck, Pacific Grove.....	21.05
Georgia E. Hunt, San Bernardino.....	6.25
Grace D. Beckman, Lodi.....	21.90
Bessie A. Pierce, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Mattie M. Charette, Montebello.....	4.15
Anna L. McKenney, Marysville.....	26.60
Mildred Blair Stone, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Florence Newman, Sacramento.....	22.75
Grace I. Good, Los Angeles.....	4.75
Gladys Huskinson Robinson, Auburn.....	23.70
Clara E. Alvarez, Los Angeles.....	4.75

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Robert P. Easley (Appeals and Grievances), Antioch.....	22.30
Alta Ogden (Necrology), Los Angeles.....	4.75
Minnie V. Williams (Fraternal Correspondence), San Jose.....	22.15
Jule Balice (Education), San Francisco.....	23.35
Albert C. McCloskey (Student Loan Fund), Oakland.....	23.35
Helen M. Knight (Benevolent Fund), San Francisco.....	23.35

DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS

Name	Dist. No.	Address	Amt.
Ebba M. Cullberg	1	Arcata	\$36.45
Eunice Autenrieth	2	Yreka	35.50
Bess Eugene Lee	3	Redding	31.10
Amy C. R. Jarman	4	Alturas	40.05
Louise B. Allard	5	Willows	27.40
Ethel W. Hurd	6	Westwood	36.10
Charlotte M. Brink	7	Biggs	27.15
Sadie Tudsbury	8	Newcastle	23.60
Esther Duncan	9	Dos Rios	27.80
Charlotte E. Purvine	10	Petaluma	24.25
Wilna V. Mitchell	11	St. Helena	23.90
Yettah I. Torp	12	Suisun	23.30
Viola L. Driver	13	Sacramento	22.75
Muriel A. Rice	14	Fair Oaks	22.75
Marguerite A. Rhodes	15	Stockton	21.55
Elizabeth Lillico	16	Elk Grove	22.35
Edna M. Christman	17	Stockton	21.55
Lillian D. Randall	19	Berkeley	33.55
Ella Huetteman	20	Oakland	23.35
Vara C. Keefer	21	Oakland	23.35
Eva Lillian Bruce	22	Oakland	23.55
Dora Richmond	23	Alvarado	22.85

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Name	Dist. No.	Address	Amt.
Elvira A. Brehaut	24	San Francisco	23.35
Norine M. Dunlap	25	San Francisco	23.35
Tessie G. Amknecht	26	San Francisco	23.35
Mazie G. Miller	27	San Francisco	23.35
Ida M. Denhard	28	San Francisco	23.35
Edwina Benner	29	Sunnyvale	22.30
Sydelle G. Burwash	31	Watsonville	20.40
Elvretta F. Grohl	32	Knights Ferry	21.10
Pearl May Kilby	33	Helm	20.90
Anna G. Allen	34	Lemoore	16.90
Elizabeth Helskell	35	Tulare	16.25
Emma Jane Wright	36	Wasco	14.20
Pearl A. Crook	38	Bishop	17.35
Julia M. Howard	39	Pismo Beach	15.20
Cora R. Lewis	40	Carpinteria	10.85
May Benton	41	Los Angeles	4.75
C. Enid Deeds	42	Los Angeles	4.75
Vivian M. Brown	43	Hollywood	5.15
Maude Mae McQuiddy	44	South Pasadena	5.00
Bernice H. Bidwell	46	Hollywood	5.15
Marion E. Connerton	47	Los Angeles	4.75
Bess W. Showalter	48	Van Nuys	5.45
Emma L. Powell	49	Pasadena	5.45
Ethel Roper	50	Monterey Park	5.45
Ethel J. Mattson	51	Los Angeles	4.75
Emma Mooney	52	Huntington Park	4.95
Edith Mae Kasper	53	Torrance	5.45
Helen Miller	54	Long Beach	5.45
Elsie L. Vrooman	55	Downey	4.75
Ruth de Buxton	56	Norwalk	4.65
Inice N. Orton	57	Huntington Beach	5.35
Bela G. Lynde	58	San Bernardino	6.25
Daisy V. Price	59	Riverside	5.10
Jennie Montgomery	60	San Dimas	5.85
Bessie A. Reed	61	San Diego	.50
Sarah F. Berger	62	Chula Vista	.70
Esther J. Kavanaugh	63	Holtville	10.60

No.	Chapter	Amount	No.	Chapter	Amount
1	Golden Gate	\$23.35	66	Golden Star	25.55
2	Suisun	23.35	67	Friendship	23.50
3	Silver Star	23.05	68	Ocean Spray	21.05
8	Oak Leaf	23.35	71	Queen Esther	25.55
9	Evangeline	26.10	72	Electa	20.30
10	Evening Star	40.00	73	Magnolia	20.35
13	Martha Washington	16.50	74	Esther	47.05
14	St. John's	35.10	75	Silver Wave	6.25
17	Welcome	31.75	76	Rohnerville	36.00
18	Lily of the Valley	20.40	77	Azalia	24.35
19	Idlewild	20.85	78	Marguerite	12.45
20	Vesper	28.70	79	Ventura	11.70
21	Acacia	4.75	80	Augusta	39.80
23	Ferndale	36.50	82	Sotoyome	25.00
26	Northern Light	33.20	83	Molino	28.40
27	Ivy	23.35	84	Veritas	27.00
28	Vacaville	23.45	85	Valley of the Moon	24.20
30	Silver Gate	22.90	86	Marshall	27.40
31	San Jose	22.15	89	Raisina	17.40
33	Rose Valley	24.60	90	Fallen Leaf	24.25
35	Vernon	27.05	92	Madera	17.95
36	Naomi	22.75	93	Heliotrope	16.95
39	Stella	35.50	94	Tulare	16.25
40	Aurora	25.85	95	Bethlehem	16.90
41	Lily of the Lake	16.90	96	Southern Star	.50
42	Ariel	22.30	97	Ramona	16.05
44	Redding	31.10	99	Beulah	23.35
45	Ceanothus	21.30	100	Mizpah	17.20
46	Athena	21.75	102	Violet	17.15
47	Reveille	19.90	103	Golden Wave	23.35
48	Wheatland	26.30	104	Josephine	27.75
49	Placer	24.75	105	Hermosa	3.85
50	Homo	21.55	106	Ungava	5.10
51	Alturas	40.05	107	Corona	15.50
53	Sincerity	28.85	108	Pasadena	5.45
55	Marysville	26.60	109	Elk Grove	22.35
56	Fidelity	26.60	110	Fomona	6.25
57	Crystal	23.70	111	Ocean View	30.30
58	Kingsley	25.95	112	Hesperian	36.10
59	Silver Spray	23.40	113	Santa Monica	5.10
60	Yolo	24.75	114	Palm Leaf	15.10
61	Morning Star	24.25	115	Carita	23.35
62	Mountain Fern	25.20	116	Truckee	26.35
63	Camellia	36.00	117	Columbus	22.75
65	Unity	23.35	118	Woodbridge	22.10

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119	Amapola	27.30	216	Sunset	4.75
123	Tuolumne Star	21.65	217	Loyalty	4.75
124	Harmony	23.35	218	Yosolano	23.80
125	Bakersfield	13.65	219	Mill Valley	23.65
126	Mercedes	18.80	220	Pinole	23.05
127	Lucerne	16.70	221	Golden Rod	23.35
128	Los Gatos	22.05	222	Rio Vista	23.30
129	Sierra Star	35.95	223	Loyal	26.75
130	Clover Leaf	25.30	224	Celandine	34.20
131	Fidelity	32.70	225	East Gate	4.75
133	South Gate	4.75	226	Oakdale	20.35
134	Angels	25.05	227	Monrovia	5.45
135	Semper Fidelis	22.20	228	Yerba Buena	23.35
136	Centinela	19.65	229	Imperial	23.35
137	Clear Lake	26.80	230	Sapphire	29.65
138	Summit	21.10	231	Lower Lake	26.00
139	Orestimba	20.20	233	Natoma	23.30
140	Oakland	23.35	234	Los Cerritos	22.75
141	Mira Monte	22.40	235	Keystone	23.40
142	Copa del Oro	6.45	237	Glen Eyrie	5.05
143	Norwalk	4.65	238	Jewel	23.35
144	Lyra	4.85	239	Monterey	21.00
145	Jasmine	5.66	240	Buena Park	4.65
146	Delano	14.45	241	La Victoria	6.15
147	Pearl	5.15	242	Needles	12.65
149	Del Norte	40.80	243	Elsinore	5.30
150	Lodi	21.90	244	Milton	24.05
151	Chispa	4.05	245	Ocean Park	5.10
153	Mt. Shasta	30.80	246	Plumas	28.40
154	Escondido	2.15	247	Columbia	5.10
155	Mission	23.35	248	Hollenbeck	4.75
159	Penrhyn	23.50	249	Acantha	23.20
160	Occident	4.65	250	Sunnyvale	22.30
161	Gold Ridge	25.10	251	Ideal	23.35
162	Crown	4.75	252	Casimir	23.35
163	Scepter	3.95	253	Artesia	4.55
164	Onisbo	23.75	254	North East	47.30
165	Crescent	25.75	255	Richmond	23.35
167	Esperanza	4.75	257	Reedley	17.10
168	Los Angeles	4.75	258	Oriental	4.75
169	Olive Branch	23.35	259	Seaside	5.35
170	King Solomon's	23.35	260	Gardena	5.25
171	Carnation	5.45	261	Dinuba	17.00
172	Lexington	5.25	262	Amity	23.35
173	Long Beach	5.45	263	Highland Park	4.75
174	San Pedro Harbor	5.45	264	San Diego	.50
175	Sisson	33.10	265	Daylight	4.75
176	Miguelito	14.95	266	Garvanza	4.75
177	Orient	22.60	267	Golden Rule	10.80
178	Berkeley	23.35	268	West Lake	4.75
179	Euclid	6.30	269	Parnassus	23.35
181	Heber	23.25	270	Eschscholtzia	17.80
182	Valley Home	24.85	271	Monte Vista	16.95
183	California	23.35	272	South Pasadena	5.15
184	Crockett	22.90	273	Santa Cruz	20.85
185	Santa Paula	10.50	274	St. Helena	23.90
186	Laurel	22.85	275	Rurlingame	22.90
187	Eagle	46.05	276	Signal	10.60
188	Tehachapi	9.70	277	Athens	23.35
189	Calistoga	24.10	278	Vallejo	23.05
190	Sacramento	22.75	279	Mystic Star	28.15
191	Fullerton	4.15	280	Occidental	23.35
192	Pacific	4.75	281	Pleiades	4.75
193	Alhambra	5.05	282	La Fosa	18.25
195	Santa Clara	22.20	283	Ione	24.95
196	San Francisco	23.35	284	Albert Pike	23.35
197	Mt. Whitney	18.60	286	Rising Light	4.95
198	Maspha	22.10	287	Poinsettia	1.60
199	Ionis	23.10	288	Fraternity	22.15
200	Las Mariposas	24.40	289	Alamo	11.10
201	Beckwith Star	28.70	290	West Gate	23.35
202	La Paloma	5.55	291	Point Arena	28.55
203	Sequoia	22.65	292	Rose	23.25
204	Starr King	23.35	293	Elvesta	23.35
205	Miramar	23.20	294	Pleasanton	22.30
206	Aloha	23.35	295	Fresno	17.40
207	Arcata	36.45	296	Wistaria	19.95
208	Citrus	27.80	297	Fruitvale	23.35
209	Hollywood	5.15	298	Golden State	4.75
210	Palestine	4.75	299	Sierra Madre	5.35
211	Colton	5.25	300	La Mesa	1.00
212	Gate City	6.25	301	Ada	22.75
213	Palo Alto	22.55	302	Miriam	5.65
214	Almona	24.00	303	Golden Chain	23.35
215	San Rafael	23.75	304	Bethany	24.35

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305	Ruth	23.35	394	Point	23.20
306	Lindsay	16.35	395	Culver City	5.05
307	Southland	5.40	396	Seal Rock	23.35
308	Mary E. Partridge	23.35	397	Bellflower	4.65
309	Calkota	17.80	398	San Fernando	5.65
310	Palos Verdes	5.45	399	Bettina	5.45
311	Imperial Crown	10.95	400	Riverdale	20.90
312	Kingsburg	18.85	401	Starlight	22.15
313	Eagle Rock	5.05	402	Belvedere	4.75
314	Willits	26.85	403	Lankershim	5.25
315	Moneta	4.75	404	Beverly Hills	5.05
316	Alamitos	11.00	405	Ami Tai	4.15
317	Rose Croix	4.75	406	Siloam	4.75
318	Sierra	17.85	407	San Gabriel	5.15
319	Inglewood	5.25	408	America	4.75
320	Concordia	18.00	409	George Washington	23.35
321	Portola	28.50	410	Lake Merritt	23.35
322	Oxnard	11.50	411	West Adams	4.75
323	Maricopa	18.15	412	Estrella	4.50
324	Claremont	6.05	413	Cahuenga	5.15
325	La Puente	5.75	414	Service	5.45
327	Sunshine	7.30	415	Loma Vista	23.35
328	Rowana	31.30	416	Smyrna	20.15
329	Wilshire	4.75	417	Patterson	20.50
330	Chino Valley	6.30	418	Arlington	4.75
331	Hayward	22.85	420	Fort Sutter	22.75
333	El Rio	20.35	421	Radiant	5.15
334	Exeter	16.50	422	Glendale	5.05
335	Montebello	4.15	423	Plymouth	23.35
336	Riverview	25.15	424	Nimshi	4.75
337	Taft	15.40	425	Playa Linda	5.35
338	Van Nuys	5.45	426	Security	13.65
339	Pentalpha	21.20	427	Seaport	23.35
341	Esparto	24.15	428	El Camino	22.75
342	Manzanita	21.60	429	El Cajon	1.10
343	York	4.75	430	El Sereno	4.75
344	Atascadero	16.60	431	Smartville	28.35
345	South West	7.75	432	Forest	23.35
346	Upland	5.75	433	Foothill	23.35
347	Yorba Linda	4.75	434	Trinity	23.35
348	Joaquin	21.55	435	Searchlight	5.45
349	Cacheville	24.95	436	Sunnyside	4.75
350	Golden West	23.35	437	Ascot	4.75
351	Tahquitz	6.10	438	Lynwood	4.95
352	Burbank	5.25	439	Guardian	5.05
353	Pittsburg	22.40	440	Fireside	23.35
354	Elysian	4.75	441	Utopia	4.75
355	Golden Poppy	21.55	442	Granada	5.05
357	Glen	5.05	443	South Park	4.75
358	Corinthian	5.50	444	Whittier	4.85
359	Blythe	13.20	445	Tujunga	5.50
360	Coachella Valley	9.55	446	Ionic	4.75
361	Fillmore	10.25	447	Escallonia	20.90
362	Libertas	13.65	448	Temple City	5.25
363	Lyman	27.15	449	Manchester	4.75
364	Buena Vista	16.30	450	North Star	36.50
365	Chowchilla	18.35	451	Liberty	23.35
366	Alethe	23.35	452	Canoga	5.75
367	Ramona Star	5.45	453	Santa Maria	5.25
368	Arbuckle	26.50	454	Harding	4.75
369	Maxwell	27.80	455	Elmhurst	23.35
370	Corcoran	16.15	456	Triangle	5.10
371	Live Oak	22.15	457	Caliz de Oro	23.35
372	Linden	22.65	458	Chula Vista	7.70
373	Stockton	21.55	459	Wilmington	5.45
374	Lebanon	23.35	460	Justice	23.35
375	Thousand Oaks	23.35	463	Larchmont	4.75
376	Sunbeam	4.75	464	The Gardens	4.75
377	Westwood	36.10	465	Roseland	4.75
378	Kearsarge	16.70	466	Metrose	4.75
379	Grafton	25.00	467	Melita	5.40
380	Torrance	5.45	468	Star of the West	6.25
381	McCloud	34.20	469	Hawthorne	5.25
382	Crocker	23.35	470	Roosevelt	23.35
383	Beacon	23.20	471	Arcadia	5.35
384	Concord	24.15	472	Brilliant Star	23.35
385	Rainbow	22.75	473	Lamanda Park	5.45
386	Alameda	23.35	474	Palisades	5.10
387	Silver Strand	5.0	475	Malta	4.75
388	Victory	23.35	476	Bethel	4.75
389	Santa Ana	3.85	477	Florence	5.25
390	Fallbrook	2.05	478	Normal Heights	5.0
391	Caledonia	13.65	479	La Jolla	1.10
392	Effie Easton	23.35	480	Majestic	4.75
393	Bell	5.05	481	Presidio	23.35

No.	Chapter	Amount	No.	Chapter	Amount
482	Sanger	17.40	510	Woodlake	19.00
483	Garden Grove	4.15	511	Mar Vista	5.45
484	Prudence	23.35	512	Point Firmin	5.45
485	Big Bear	15.10	513	Temple	22.75
486	Glassell Park	4.75	514	Faith	15.40
487	White Pine	34.40	515	San Geronimo	7.50
488	Orange Blossom	6.30	516	Angeles Vista	4.75
489	Wasco	14.20	517	Holly Vista	5.00
490	Point Loma	.80	518	Betsy Ross	4.75
491	Palms	4.75	519	Encina	23.35
492	Henry S. Orme	4.75	520	Wil-Brae	4.75
493	Jarman	22.15	521	Laguna Beach	5.30
494	Crescenta Valley	5.20	522	Atwater	4.75
495	Beacon Ray	4.75	523	Vallecito	11.35
496	Nonpareil	23.35	524	San Clemente	3.15
497	Menorah	4.75	525	Cambria Pines	20.25
498	Composite	4.75	526	Alladena	5.35
499	El Dorado	24.10	527	Baldwin Park	4.65
500	Jordan	4.75	528	Ojai	12.75
501	Santa Barbara	12.45	529	Lauralane	22.75
502	All States	5.45	530	Willow Glen	22.15
503	Olivette	4.75	531	Livingston	19.20
504	Rosa M. Shattuck	23.35	532	Modesto	20.30
505	Reseda	5.75	533	Sterling	23.35
506	Brea	4.55	534	Venus	20.90
507	El Petrol	5.45		U.D. Westwood Hills	5.05
508	La Habra	4.45		U.D. Dunsmlr	32.70
509	San Dimas	5.85		U.D. Mojave Valley	7.35

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, 1936, 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.

Respectfully submitted,

Elsie Mae McGiffin,
Annie Shingle Brasch,
Roy Musser,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

The minutes of the session of Thursday evening were approved as read.

REPORTS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

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

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred recommendation No. 16 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report approves same and recommends that the proceedings of this session be dedicated to our late beloved Grand Secretary, Sister Stella Morgan Linscott, Past Grand Matron.

Fraternally submitted,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

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

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the report of the Student Loan Fund Committee approves the recommendation proposed and recommends it be adopted. (See page 159.)

Faternally submitted,
C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

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

Several bids have been received for making 200 14 carat gold 50-year emblems, according to certain specifications, namely from Gelhous & Staniels, Walter Jewelry Company, Albert Samuels Company. The lowest bid was offered by the first named company and we recommend the contract be awarded Gelhous & Staniels.

Faternally submitted,
C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted.

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

Regarding our investments in Pacific Gas & Electric Company General and Mortgage Gold Bonds (page 60 of the Auditor's report), the bond department of the Anglo-California National Bank has advised that as there is strong probability of these bonds being called for redemption at par in January, 1937, it would be wise to dispose of them now.

We therefore offer the following resolution:

That the Finance Committee, 1935-1936, be authorized to sell these bonds, if they deem such action advisable.

Faternally submitted,
C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Recommendation not adopted.

REPORT OF THE BENEVOLENT FUND COMMITTEE

The following report was read by the General Chairman, Sister Helen Margia Knight, who presented the members of the Committee:

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

The chairman of your Benevolent Fund Committee is happy to report that this last year we have been able to meet all applications for assistance which have been properly presented and yet

keep within fifty per cent of our budget allowance. This is due partly to a better general condition, partly to the fact that many members have found relief through some of the government channels, and partly to the ruling adopted at last Grand Chapter session which limits the amount for each individual case.

The following distributions have been made:

District No. 1—Emma R. Leach, Chairman.

Rohnerville Chapter, No. 76.... \$300.00 \$ 300.00

District No. 2—Cecilia Chamberlain, Chairman.

Portola Chapter, No. 321..... 120.00

Esther Chapter, No. 74..... 40.00

****Redding Chapter, No. 44..... 192.23 352.23

District No. 3—Mabel Boyd Seymour, Chairman.

Aurora Chapter, No. 40..... 195.00

Silver Star Chapter, No. 3..... 110.00

Ada Chapter, No. 301..... 90.00

Naomi Chapter, No. 36..... 100.00

Naomi Chapter, No. 36..... 300.00

Columbus Chapter, No. 117..... 50.00

Ada Chapter, No. 301..... 180.00

Veritas Chapter, No. 84..... 40.00

Sacramento Chapter, No. 190... 180.00

Columbus Chapter, No. 117.... 140.00 1,385.00

District No. 4—Louise Baker, Chairman.

Martha Washington Chapter,

No. 13 160.00

Bakersfield Chapter, No. 125.... 150.00

Tulare Chapter, No. 94..... 225.00

Monte Vista Chapter, No. 271.. 180.00

Caledonia Chapter, No. 391.... 180.00

*Raisina Chapter, No. 89..... 120.00 1,015.00

District No. 5—Kathryn Winslow, Chairman.

Albert Pike Chapter, No. 284... 220.00

Victory Chapter, No. 388..... 100.00

Mission Chapter, No. 155..... 90.00

Jewel Chapter, No. 238..... 75.00

Harmony Chapter, No. 124.... 5.00

Ideal Chapter, No. 251..... 80.00

Richmond Chapter, No. 255.... 120.00

San Francisco Chapter, No. 196. 100.00

**Ideal Chapter, No. 251..... 20.00

****Nonpareil Chapter, No. 496.... 20.00 830.00

District No. 6—Emma B. Graves, Chairman.

Santa Cruz Chapter, No. 273.. 135.00

Berkeley Chapter, No. 178..... 70.00 205.00

District No. 7—Sue E. Tuck, Chairman.

Santa Paula Chapter, No. 185.. 300.00

Ceanothus Chapter, No. 45..... 60.00 360.00

District No. 8—Bessie A. Pierce, Chairman.

Eagle Rock Chapter, No. 313...	110.00	
Lankershim Chapter, No. 403...	120.00	
San Fernando Chapter, No. 398.	120.00	
Alhambra Chapter, No. 193....	120.00	
Moneta Chapter, No. 315.....	120.00	
Santa Monica Chapter, No. 113.	40.00	
Rose Croix Chapter, No. 317...	120.00	
Long Beach Chapter, No. 173..	120.00	
Garvanza Chapter, No. 266.....	240.00	
Santa Ana Chapter, No. 389...	120.00	
Rose Croix Chapter, No. 317...	120.00	
Eagle Rock Chapter, No. 313..	10.00	
Triangle Chapter, No. 456.....	90.00	
All States Chapter, No. 502....	150.00	
Fullerton Chapter, No. 191.....	75.00	
Artesia Chapter, No. 253.....	25.00	
***Lankershim Chapter, No. 403...	110.00	1,810.00

District No. 9—Georgia Bourne, Chairman.

Southland Chapter, No. 307....	175.00	175.00
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District No. 10—Marie V. Hammer, Chairman.

Playa Linda Chapter, No. 425..	350.00	350.00
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District No. 11—Cora M. Rosvall, Chairman.

Elsinore Chapter, No. 243.....	45.00	
San Diego Chapter, No. 264....	120.00	165.00
Total benevolence		\$6,947.23

*Paid through Kathryn Winslow, Chairman District No. 5.

**Paid through Georgia Bourne, Chairman District No. 9.

***Paid through Marie V. Hammer, Chairman District No. 10.

****Paid through Helen M. Knight, General Chairman.

Special skillful medical attention and hospital care were secured at a minimum cost by your General Chairman for a distressed member's twelve year old daughter who was the victim of an accident which resulted in internal injury of a serious nature, also for one of our Sisters who was herself the victim of an automobile accident.

We have many letters of appreciation from Sisters to whom the Order of the Eastern Star has indeed been an "angel of mercy."

Our District Chairmen have as usual been most painstaking in their personal investigation of all appeals and in their follow-up work. To them and to our Worthy Grand Matron and our Acting Grand Secretary, your General Chairman tenders her sincere thanks.

None of us realize more fully than do your Benevolent Fund Committee the big part which our beloved Order has played in alleviating mental distress during the disturbed period through which we have passed during the last six years. True benevolence does not mean merely giving indiscriminately. It means working

together with loving hearts to help bring cheer and sunshine into the homes of our members and to help them build health and happiness not for today alone, but for today and through the years to come. We have tried to bring into our work an understanding, a feeling of benevolence akin to that which was one of the greatest forces in lifting humanity from brute creature at the very dawn of civilization and has been a great force in that civilization ever since.

Our world today is standing at the cross roads. War or peace, prosperity or distress—that is the seemingly unanswerable question which spells uncertainty for all of us.

Justice, equality, rights—these are fine words, fine ideals, but before they will be achieved true benevolence from one to another will always be necessary.

With thousands of groups of mankind fighting for supposed rights, with thousands of minorities battling for their convictions against other minorities with equally strong convictions of prior rights, with our whole modern world in a state of upheaval, it is inspiring to know that our splendid Order still sees "His Star in the East" holding over all battles, all divisions, all conditions, the hand of fellowship and benevolence.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Knight,
General Chairman, Benevolent Fund
Committee.
Emma R. Leach, District No. 1,
Sue Estelle Tuck, District No. 7,
Louise W. Baker, District No. 4,
Emma Blanchard Graves, District No. 6,
Georgia O. Bourne, District No. 9,
Mabel B. Seymour, District No. 3,
Kathryn L. Winslow, District No. 5,
Cora M. Roswall, District No. 11,
Bessie A. Pierce, District No. 8.

Report adopted.

Motion: Brother D. W. Pierce, Past Grand Patron, moved that the Grand Secretary be instructed to change the word "Auditor's" to "Finance Committee" on page 68 (page 143), paragraph three, of the Trustees' report, before same is printed in the Proceedings.

Carried.

Motion: Recommendation No. 15 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report having been referred to the Grand Body for action, the Worthy Grand Patron was requested to preside. Upon proper motion, the recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron that the incoming Worthy Grand Matron appoint a committee to revise the opening and closing ceremonies of Grand Chapter, was adopted.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

Your special committee to which was referred the motion regarding the pledge of allegiance to the Flag offers the following recommendation:

That the pledge of allegiance to the Flag be given by the members of subordinate Chapters and Grand Chapter before the said Chapters be declared open, the exact time to be determined by each succeeding Worthy Grand Matron.

Fraternally submitted,
Cora Spring Holland.

Recommendation adopted.

Motion: Upon proper motion, the matter of all employees of the Home being members of the Order was reconsidered.

Motion for reconsideration carried.

Motion: The original motion that all employees of the Eastern Star Home be members of the Order.

Amendment: That all employees of the Home be members of the Order of the Eastern Star, as far as possible.

Vote on the amendment lost.

Vote on the original motion carried.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

The following report was read by Brother Walker Peddicord:
To the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

On Report of Special Committee for Revision of
Registration and Election Procedure

This committee divides its report into three parts, the first as to the recommendations on registration procedure and the second and third on election procedure.

First, as to registration procedure. There is now no specific procedure required by our law. It being the duty of the Grand Secretary to keep the records of our membership and to perform such other duties in regard thereto as are appropriate to her office, of Chapter Secretaries to do the same in their Chapters, it becomes the duty of the Grand Secretary, in their turn the Chapter Secretaries and in its turn the Committee on Credentials, each to do the part appropriate to such office or committee to properly identify and record the members of Grand Chapter in attendance at its annual sessions.

Your committee approves the excellent recommendations made as to registration procedure, but recommends that their details should not be enacted into law, but remain merely a suggestive guide for the accomplishment of the result, full power as to details remaining in the general terms now used. The report of this special committee will, of course, be published in the Proceedings and readily available for reference.

Second, as to the recommendations on the subject of election procedure. Practically the same situation is to be found here also. None of the recommendations made requires any change in Special Rule 16 which governs the manner of conducting elections. With only a few restrictions as to method, the election board there created is charged with the general duty to "See that the ballots are properly deposited and tallied."

Your committee approves the excellent recommendations as to election procedure, but recommends that their details be not enacted into law, inflexible as it is in character, but remain, as in the former case, a suggestive guide for the accomplishment of the result, published, of course, for convenient reference, in the Proceedings.

Third, on the subject of election, the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws further recommends the amendment of Section 15 of Article I of the Constitution, which now reads as follows: "The elective officers are, Grand Matron, Grand Patron (whose titles shall be Worthy), Associate Grand Matron, Associate Grand Patron, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, who shall be elected by ballot. A majority of all votes cast shall be necessary for a choice. All Grand Officers shall hold their offices for the term of one year or until their successors are elected and installed."

The proposed amendment would insert after the words "who shall be elected by ballot," the following proviso to-wit: "Provided that any of such officers, except the Associate Grand Patron, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer and Associate Grand Conductress, may be elected by a motion carried unanimously, authorizing someone to cast the ballot for the Grand Chapter; provided, further, however, that in the event any person is proposed for any other such elective office in Grand Chapter, and such person does not at the time of the election hold the office immediately below that to which an election is to be made, then and in that event, such person may not be elected by motion as aforesaid. Should there be one dissenting vote, the election must proceed by ballot."

Section 15 of Article I, as so amended, would then read as follows:

ELECTIVE GRAND OFFICERS

"The elective officers are, Grand Matron, Grand Patron (whose titles shall be Worthy), Associate Grand Matron, Associate Grand Patron, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, who shall be elected by ballot; provided that any of such officers, except the Associate Grand Patron, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer and Associate Grand Conductress, may be elected by a motion carried unanimously, authorizing someone to cast the ballot for the Grand Chapter, provided, further, however, that in the event any person is proposed for any other such elective office in Grand Chapter, and such person does not at the time of the election hold the office immediately below that to which an election is to be made, then and in that event, such person may not be elected by motion as aforesaid. Should there be one dissenting vote, the election must proceed by

ballot. A majority of all votes cast shall be necessary for a choice. All Grand Officers shall hold their offices for the term of one year or until their successors are elected and installed."

If this amendment is made, it will be necessary also to change a detail of the wording of Section 31 of Article I of the Constitution, to the end that it may be clear that trustees for the Home shall be elected by ballot. That section now reads as follows:

"Each year this Grand Chapter, at the time, place and in the manner of the election of its Grand Officers, shall elect one Trustee for said Eastern Star Home or Homes to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of term, which election shall be for a term of five years, and also such other Trustee or Trustees to fill such other vacancy as may occur by resignation or other cause, in which event the latter election shall be for the unexpired term or terms."

The phrase "in the manner of election of its Grand Officers" should be changed to read "in the manner of the election of such of its Grand Officers as are required to be elected by ballot."

Section 31, as so amended, would then read as follows:

"Each year this Grand Chapter, at the time, place and in the manner of the election of such of its Grand Officers as are required to be elected by ballot, shall elect one Trustee for said Eastern Star Home or Homes to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of term, which election shall be for a term of five years, and also such other Trustee or Trustees to fill such other vacancy as may occur by resignation or other cause, in which event the latter election shall be for the unexpired term or terms."

If these amendments are made, it will also be necessary to add a sentence to Rule 16 of the Special Rules. This rule refers to the manner of conducting elections. It should be amended by adding the following sentence:

"In the case of the casting of a ballot on election to the office of either Grand Matron, Grand Patron, Associate Grand Matron or Grand Conductress, by motion unanimously carried, as provided in Section 15 of Article I of the Constitution, the ballot ordered cast by such motion shall be deposited at any convenient voting booth and shall be immediately reported orally by such board."

Respectfully submitted,

Emma R. Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. F. Holman.

The recommendations in this report were adopted and the Constitution amended.

The following reports were read by the Chairman, Brother W. Frank Holman, Past Grand Patron:

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

Your committee to which was referred the resolution introduced by Sisters Hause and Graves reading:

"We, the undersigned, beg leave to submit the following amendment to Decision 27 of the Digest, page 69, as follows:

"Decision 27. At the installation of officers of a subordinate Chapter, in case the retiring Marshal is unable to act, the appointment of a Marshal for the evening rests with the installing officer."

"Amended to read as follows: Dec. 27. At the installation of officers of a subordinate Chapter, in case the retiring Marshal is unable to act, or has been elected to an office in the Chapter, the appointment of a Marshal for the evening rests with the installing officer."

approves same and recommends its adoption.

Fraternally submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and decision amended.

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

Report on the Student Loan Fund Committee Amendment

Section 6 of the Student Loan Fund rule reads as follows:

"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 Section 5. Class B loans shall require the unanimous approval of the committee."

The proposed amendment reads as follows:

"Sec. 6. **Special Course Students.** Where it appears applicants eligible under Section 4 desire to attend day or evening trade, business or professional schools, and where the assured purpose is to enable such students to become self-supporting or to materially improve their earning power, the committee shall have authority to approve such loans by majority vote. Loans under this section shall be known as Class B loans and shall not exceed the maximum of \$200 provided for Class A loans."

The Committee recommends the adoption of this amendment.

Fraternally submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Student Loan Fund rules amended.

(Worthy Grand Patron presiding.)

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

Report on Recommendation No. 12 of the Worthy Grand Matron's report:

In paragraph two of the proposed amendment we recommend that after the words "such proposed amendment" these words be inserted: "or any revision thereof recommended by said committee" which would make Article V of the Constitution read:

"All amendments, revisions or additions to this Constitution must be submitted in writing to the Grand Secretary not less than thirty days prior to the opening date of the annual session of the Grand Chapter and copies thereof shall be transmitted by her to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and members of the Committees on Constitution and By-Laws and Jurisprudence. Copies of all such proposed amendments shall be furnished each delegate at the time of registration."

Upon report of the *Committee on Constitution and By-Laws*, if five-sixths of the votes shall be in favor of such proposed amendment, or any revision thereof recommended by the committee, it shall be declared adopted, and from and after the close of that session shall become a part of the Constitution.

If the vote in favor of such proposed amendment be less than five-sixths, but there be a majority therefor, it shall lie over for one year, and shall be published with the proceedings, under the caption of 'Proposed Amendments to the Constitution,' and if at the next succeeding annual session it shall receive two-thirds of the votes given thereon, it shall be declared adopted, and from and after the close of that session shall become a part of the Constitution."

We recommend the adoption of the Grand Matron's recommendation as amended.

Fraternally submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,

Walker Peddicord,

W. Frank Holman,

Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Article V of the Constitution amended.

(Worthy Grand Matron presiding.)

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

Report on the Revolving Fund as Suggested in the Minority Report

Your committee is of the opinion that Article I, Section 21, of the Constitution should be amended to read, beginning at line 21 which reads as follows: "Also that the Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, etc.," shall be changed to read as follows: "Also that the Trustees of the Eastern Star Home shall be authorized to establish a fund in an amount not to exceed \$500, to be deposited in the name of the Grand Chapter of California, Eastern Star

Home, in some designated depository in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, and said fund shall be subject to check signed by the President or Vice-President of the Board of Trustees and countersigned by the Matron or Assistant Matron of the Home and shall be used only to pay necessary petty expenses for the operation of the Home. This fund shall be replenished on request of the Trustees when accompanied by a voucher covering the amount which has been expended."

Fraternally submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,
Committee.

Brother D. W. Pierce, Past Grand Patron, moved that the checks be signed by the Grand Secretary.

Sister Hazael Marsh Piper, Past Grand Matron, offered as an amendment that the checks bear two signatures.

A substitute motion was presented by Brother Waldo F. Postel, Past Grand Patron, that the Revolving Fund remain at \$5000.00 and the cash for that amount remain in Los Angeles. That all checks against the Revolving Fund be signed by the Grand Secretary upon receipt of vouchers O. K.'d by the Board of Trustees. That the Board have a petty cash fund of \$500.00.

Substitute motion carried.

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

Residents' Properties Fund or Account

Your committee recommends that Article I, Section 21, be amended to read as follows:

"Provided, further, that there be created in addition to the fund above referred to a fund to be designated as the 'Residents' Properties Fund or Account' in which shall be kept all of the money received from the sale of property assigned to said Trustees by residents of the Home, or any money accruing by way of income or otherwise from any of the properties heretofore referred to. The Trustees shall, at each annual session of the Grand Chapter, make a complete and detailed report of said fund.

"Provided, further, that the funds of this Grand Chapter, including Eastern Star Home funds, may be invested in securities when said investments have been approved by a majority of the Finance Committee and the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron."

Fraternally submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,
Walker Peddicord,
W. Frank Holman,

Report adopted.

Committee.

(Amendment to Article I, Section 21, as finally adopted, will be found on page 208.)

REPORTS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The following reports were read by the Chairman, Sister Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron:

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

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the Auditor's report begs leave to state we approve the recommendation of the Auditor that all accounts in connection with the Eastern Star Homes be kept entirely in the office of the Grand Secretary, including the disbursements of funds in payment of individual invoices and all other operating items, as also Residents' Properties Accounts.

Fraternally submitted,
C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Report adopted.

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

Your Committee on Finance recommends that a per capita assessment of 50 cents be levied on all members of the Order in California for the year 1935-1936 for the purpose of maintenance of the Eastern Star Homes.

Fraternally submitted,
C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Brother Waldo F. Postel offered as an amendment that the amount be 25 cents. The amendment carried.

Vote on the original recommendation, as amended, carried.

At 12:20 the session was called from labor to refreshment.

FRIDAY—2:15 P. M.

October 18th

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COURTESIES

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, officers and members of the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S.:

After a lapse of four years, this Grand Chapter has again held its session in the familiar setting of Hotel del Coronado—a setting combining beauty and convenience and recalling to mind other noteworthy and momentous assemblages of this Grand Body.

The privilege of attending this sixty-second annual session of the Grand Chapter is one which has been a delight to experience and will be a joy to remember. This is so for many reasons, among them being the capable planning of our Worthy Grand Matron, Minnie Viola Collins, and the gracious and efficient manner in

which she and her sterling associate, Worthy Grand Patron J. Hartley Taylor, have presided over the deliberations of this convocation.

This Grand Chapter would be remiss in a natural sense of appreciation were it not to gratefully acknowledge the courtesy extended and helpful service rendered by the management of this hotel. Especially are we grateful for this public address system which has aided greatly in the transaction of the business. The tireless labors and unstinting efforts of Mr. Alberto Campione, Resident Manager, and Mr. E. R. Tiedemann, Associate Manager, have contributed much to the comfort and pleasure of this Grand Session.

The success of this convention is due, in a great measure, to the laudable and successful efforts of Brother Bert Copsey, Past Patron of Coronado Chapter, Chairman of the Activities Committee, and Chairman of the Housing Committee. May I quote Mr. Copsey's own words from the San Diego "Masonic News", referring to the many duties devolving upon those committees: "If we shall have contributed to making this Grand Session a successful and enjoyable one, we shall feel amply repaid." Knowing Brother Copsey, it cannot be doubted that this expression was sincere; and that being so, he and his committee may indeed feel abundantly compensated. Their efforts have been a major contribution to the success and enjoyment of this session of the Grand Chapter.

The reference to the "Masonic News" leads to an expression of appreciation of the courtesy of Brother MacGardner in furnishing to the delegates copies of the very interesting special Grand Chapter edition of that publication.

Deserving of particular recognition and praise, are Sister Nina A. Kirby, President of the San Diego County Matrons' Association, and Brother Joseph Smith, Jr., President of the San Diego County Patrons' Association, for their conscientious efforts during the entire year, to make this Grand Session a happy and successful one.

For the splendid cooperation of the seventeen Chapters of San Diego County; for the beautiful flowers found in our rooms, and to Coronado Chapter No. 332 for the use of their paraphernalia, we are truly grateful and deeply appreciative.

Our appreciation of the presence of, and the message delivered to this Grand Body by His Excellency Frank F. Merriam, Governor of California, is genuine and sincere.

Also may we express our thanks to Brother Michael C. Faber, representing the Mayor of Coronado, Mr. Peter MacKenzie, for his words of greeting and welcome. And may we, through Brother Faber, say "Thank You" to the City of Coronado for the use of the ballot boxes.

To the General Grand Chapter Committee members and other distinguished visitors, we extend fraternal greetings and thanks. Your presence here has been an inspiration to us.

We regret very much the absence of our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Frances Haun, and the worshipful Grand Master, Mr. Earl Warren, F. and A. M. of California, at this Grand Session. We acknowledge with thanks their letters of greeting and good wishes.

Our sincere thanks is due to all who so kindly remembered our session with messages, by telegram and letter.

Thanks and appreciation of this Grand Chapter is extended to Sister Alta M. Ogden and her committee in presenting to this session their tribute of love to those of our members who have been called to take their places in the heavenly Grand Chapter above.

We are especially grateful to Past Grand Matron Cora Spring Holland for the very beautiful tribute given to our National Emblem.

This Grand Chapter acknowledges with thanks the splendid work of our song leader, Dr. Marian T. Whiting, and our Grand Organist, Brother Charles E. Anderson. Also the very splendid instrumental and vocal numbers rendered by Mr. Carl Zahn, bugler; Ruth Crandall Baker, John Vale, Aeolian Quartette, and Bonham Brothers' Boys Band.

We thank the Degree Team of Southern California for the exemplification of the ritualistic work. It was beautifully rendered.

To Sister Maidie Jopling for her splendid work on the Publicity Committee. Through her efforts we have had pictures and articles in the San Diego papers every day.

To the Southern California Associate Matrons' Drill Team may we say "Thank you" for your very splendid drill.

To the pages and ushers who have served so faithfully throughout the session, and to all others who have added in any way to the welfare and happiness of this Grand Chapter session, we extend our sincere thanks and appreciation.

May I be pardoned for a word of personal thanks. The Worthy Grand Matron's delegation to me, a Past Matron of her own Chapter, Parnassus No. 269, of the duty of making this report, is esteemed as a most gracious and pleasing recognition. It is a task made one of extreme satisfaction by the fact that any praise given of courtesies extended to this Grand Chapter, is so well merited that it can be nothing but heartfelt and sincere.

Respectfully submitted,

Irma Gilman Lawrence.

Report accepted.

The Worthy Grand Matron requested the Acting Grand Secretary to send letters to those mentioned in the report.

REPORT OF PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

My appointment as Publicity Chairman for this sixty-second session of Grand Chapter has been a most interesting one, and I wish to thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, and our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother J. Hartley Taylor, for the pleasure they have given me by this appointment.

Shortly before this Grand Chapter session, I contacted all three of our local daily papers and made plans for articles and pictures to appear daily. The editors were very willing to cooperate, and we outlined a series of articles to begin Friday, October 12th, with a pre-convention write up and pictures, and to continue daily until the close of the session. This plan has been carried out, with daily stories and pictures. Photographers have been on hand daily.

I am very grateful to the San Diego Union, Evening Tribune, and San Diego Sun for their cooperation. And especially am I grateful to those Grand Officers and members who so graciously posed for pictures when requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Maidie Jopling,

Publicity Chairman.

Report accepted.

Motion: Brother D. W. Pierce, Past Grand Patron, moved that the next annual session of the Grand Chapter be held in the City of Sacramento. Seconded by Sister Maude Noble Haven, Past Grand Matron.

Motion carried.

REPORT OF CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS COMMITTEE

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

We recommend the adoption of the following amendment to Article I, Section 21, of the Constitution, in line with recommendations already adopted by this Grand Body:

Strike out all of the first paragraph of Section 21, Article I, of the Constitution commencing with the words, "also that the trustees" appearing in line 20 of said Section 21, and insert in lieu thereof the following language: "Also a revolving fund shall be established for the Eastern Star Homes in the amount of \$5,000.00 to be known as the operating fund, to be used in the operation of the Eastern Star Homes, the money for which fund shall come from Eastern Star Home funds, said revolving fund to be deposited in the name of Grand Chapter of California, Eastern Star Homes Operating Fund in some designated depository in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said revolving fund shall be subject to check signed by the Secretary but only for and upon receipt of vouchers bearing the approval of the Board of Trustees of said Eastern Star Homes in a manner and by the person or persons designated by said trustees and shall be used only to pay necessary current expenses for the operation of the Home. This revolving fund shall be replenished when necessary by proper warrant drawn against Eastern Star Home funds in the manner provided for in the replenishment of the Grand Chapter revolving fund herein above referred to.

"The sum of \$100.00 drawn from Eastern Star Home funds shall be placed in the hands of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes for petty cash purpose to be used in any manner

authorized by the said Board of Trustees of said Eastern Star Homes."

Fraternally submitted,

Emma Riehl Leach,

Walker Peddicord,

W. Frank Holman,

Committee.

Recommendation adopted and Constitution amended.

The minutes of Friday morning were approved as read.

The Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Collins, announced Sister Giberson's body would be sent to Salinas this afternoon.

Motion: Sister Maude Noble Haven moved that flowers be sent to accompany the remains.

Motion carried.

Sister Haven for the Finance Committee, recommended adoption of this motion.

Motion adopted.

BILLS

The following bills were presented and referred to the Finance Committee:

To Alta M. Ogden, Chairman Necrology Committee:

Purchase of Golden Gates.....	\$ 10.00	
Cartage, painting, crating.....	3.00	
Freight L. A. to Coronado.....	.78	
Costumes for Angels:		
Rental of wigs.....	10.00	
Material	4.02	
Scroll—printing	1.50	
Music—Solo Ruth C. Barber.....	7.50	
Flowers and Shrubs	17.00	\$ 53.80

To Bert Copsey, Chairman Housing Committee

 Stenographic Services for committee..... 18.00

To Bert Copsey, Chairman Activities Committee

 Flowers for decorating Chapter hall and
 rooms

\$219.19

 Music and entertainment for stunt nite and
 ball

102.00

 Badges, etc., for committees and reception
 at Exposition

81.50 402.69

To Maidie Jopling	
Flowers for Mrs. Giberson	10.00
To Helen M. Knight, General Chairman Benevolent Fund	
Expenses September, 1934, to September 1935	22.50
To Emma B. Graves, Benevolent Fund District 6	
Postage	1.36
To Mabel B. Seymour, Benevolent Fund District 3	
Postage and phone calls	5.30
To Cora M. Rosvall, Benevolent Fund District 11	
Postage	1.50
To Kathryn Winslow, Benevolent Fund District 5	
Postage	1.96

REGRETS

The Acting Grand Secretary announced that many letters and telegrams of regret and good wishes had been received, and read the following which were ordered filed:

Oakland, California, Oct. 14.

Mrs. Minnie Viola Collins,
Worthy Grand Matron, Order of Eastern Star,
Hotel del Coronado.

Regret that important Masonic engagements in this part of State prevent my acceptance of your kind invitation to attend Grand Chapter. Our Deputy Grand Master is unable to attend for similar reasons; however, I send you fraternal greetings and trust your convention will be most successful.

Earl Warren,
Grand Master of Masons of California.

Omaha, Nebr., Oct. 16.

Maud McWilliams Smith,
Hotel del Coronado.

The Association of Grand Secretaries extends to the Grand Chapter of California tender sympathy in memory of Sister Stella Linscott.

Rose M. Owens,
President.

Omaha, Nebraska, Oct. 19, 1935.

Mrs. Minnie Viola Collins,
Worthy Grand Matron, O. E. S.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Sister Collins:

Referring to our correspondence of last month, I now regret to tell you that it will be impossible for me to come to you for your Session this year.

Again let me say how I appreciate your invitation and assure you that I wish for you much joy and happiness as you close your term of service.

I hope to visit California next year and have the pleasure of meeting and knowing you at that time.

Please extend fraternal greetings and best wishes to all your members, and remember me especially to our Right Worthy Grand Conductress, Sister Easton.

Sincerely and fraternally,
Frances Haun,
Most Worthy Grand Matron.

Berkeley, Cal., Oct. 14.

Maud McWilliams Smith,
care Grand Chapter, O. E. S.,
Hotel del Coronado.

The Women's Masonic Club of the University of California at Berkeley sends greetings to the Grand Chapter, O. E. S. We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the work you have done in aiding this organization and assure you that we will do our utmost in adhering to the ideals which you have set before us.

Dorothy Murphy,
President Women's Masonic Club.

The Worthy Grand Matron presented Sister Rachael Wylie, Grand Guardian of Job's Daughters.

Rachael Wylie, Grand Guardian, Job's Daughters:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers: It is indeed a pleasure for me to be here this afternoon to represent the Order of Job's Daughters. I am sure that many of you are thoroughly familiar with the organization and with the wonderful work it is doing in California and other States. We who are working with them are striving to teach them, not only the principles of Job's Daughters, but those of the Eastern Star, hoping and knowing that in the future they will be worthy to be members of this great organization.

"I am here on behalf of the organization to extend to your Grand Officers, all members of the Order, all Masons, DeMolays and girls' organizations, an invitation to attend the dedication of the Star on the Eastern Star Home in West Los Angeles, which was given to the Grand Chapter last year by Job's Daughters. The Star is completed and on the Home and Sunday has been chosen as the day on which we will dedicate it. The ceremony will take place at 3 o'clock. The girls will take part in the dedication in their official robes, and I extend to you all a most hearty invitation to attend. I hope that by your attendance you will show the girls you are supporting them."

Effie Easton, Past Grand Matron:

"Worthy Grand Matron, Sisters and Brothers, I desire to emphasize the invitation to be present at the dedication of the Star

on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The address of the Eastern Star Home is 11725 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, and it would be good to have everybody there."

REPORT OF THE GRAND CHAPTER WEEK ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

The following report was read by the Chairman, Bro. Bert Copsey:

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

Your Grand Chapter Activities Committee begs leave to submit the following report:

Each year this Committee, which is beginning to be a very important part of this Grand Chapter, finds something new in the line-up of its duties. Sometime ago this Grand Body voted to pay its own way at conventions; I have followed out this rule and have not called on any Chapter to meet one penny of expense—this of course has no reference to the various delegates' associations putting on their stunts.

Your committee has endeavored to conduct the activity affairs with the least possible expense and to the greatest benefit to all concerned. The amount of \$750 specified in the budget for the committee has been sufficient to defray all expenses and I see no reason for recommending a change. The total expense of the Activities Committee has been \$402.69, leaving a balance in the fund of \$347.31. There being enough left in the fund to defray the expenses of the Housing Committee which amounted to \$262.13. If the total expenses of the two committees, \$664.82, were drawn from the Activities Committee allotment there would still be a balance of \$85.18.

The committee did not have the good fortune to draw on any public, city, or outside convention funds, so we have a more or less independent financial feeling as we are not under obligations to anyone for our entertainment.

I found the duties of the Activities Committee and the Housing Committee, in many cases a duplication, so being chairman of both I have practically combined the committees and eliminated much correspondence and saved considerable time. I therefore recommend that the Housing Committee be a part of the Activities Committee, and listed with other sub-committees. This should bring all the business pertaining to the convention under one head.

If the results of our work have been satisfactory, it may be traced to the many conditions that have made it possible.

First, I want to express my thanks to you, Worthy Grand Matron, for the kind and cheerful way in which you have made decisions for me, and also for appointing my two able and willing associates on this committee, Sister Esther W. Hadley and Brother Joseph Smith, Jr. They have certainly played the part of "right

and left bower'' well. Their duties have been numerous and we owe them gratitude for their untiring efforts.

We are grateful to the Matrons and Patrons of San Diego County for their cooperation and assistance, likewise to the Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons—especially the Associate Patrons for the help they have given the Worthy Patrons in ushering.

Although it is the intention of this Grand Chapter to keep the burden of the convention off the resident delegates, they have responded most willingly whenever asked.

I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to Sister Mabel M. Markley, President of the Past Matrons and Patrons Association of San Diego County, and her Past Matrons, for conducting and serving at the reception for the Grand Officers at the Exposition.

As these two committees have required so much personal attention, I have naturally been deprived of much in my business and home, and it has meant weeks of burning the midnight oil, but with all that in mind, I feel well repaid by the appreciation the delegates have expressed to me for the many pleasures they have had while here.

To the Hotel del Coronado, and its managers, I owe my personal thanks, especially to Mr. Ernest Tiedemann, who has responded instantly to every request. Last, but not least, my dear family has been my inspiration behind my work here, and when I return to them I know they will be pleased if I have done my job well. May I attribute my success to the above mentioned and extend to you a most cordial invitation to come again.

Fraternally submitted,

Esther Wilder Hadley,
Joseph Smith, Jr.,
Bert Copsey.

Report adopted.

REPORT OF THE HOUSING COMMITTEE

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

Although not customary in the past, your Housing Committee believes it necessary to submit a report as experiences of this year may be beneficial to a future committee.

It is difficult to get hotels to make reservations far ahead of the convention as they cannot take the chance of overselling their accommodations, but the committee must make arrangements as early as possible in order to formulate all plans by the time the Session convenes.

Your committee was put to considerable additional expense due to the fact that many rumors were started which created much extra correspondence. A rumor was circulated that the convention could not be held in Coronado as the balcony of the hotel had been condemned; also that the Navy personnel had taken practically all accommodations and that deposits were being refunded on that account. Right here I want to say that no deposit was ever returned unless requested. It is true that accommodations were limited, but at all times we had something to offer.

I was quite fortunate to find a member of the Order to assist me as secretary in this work, and she has been most proficient and faithful—I refer to Sister Rose E. Werner.

Even though words of sympathy were expressed to me by former Housing Committee chairmen, I did not realize what I was up against; however, I am happy to say it was not so terrible after all.

You might be interested to know that we handled \$6560 in reservation deposits and there has only been difficulty with a \$10 post office money order, which the Post Office Department expects to straighten out in a few days.

Although this has been a difficult and trying task, the successful accomplishment has been the result of the spiritual guidance of a former Housing Committee Chairman, our beloved Sister Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler, who has been my guiding Star.

Fraternally,

Bert Copsey,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

At this time the Worthy Grand Matron asked the Presidents of the Worthy Matrons' groups to approach the East. Sister Collins presented these officers, and on behalf of the Worthy Matrons of 1935, presented to the President of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, Sister Effie Easton, \$489.00 for the purchase of chimes for the Home. Sister Easton thanked the 1935 Matrons for their generous gift.

At 4:30 P. M. the session was called from labor to refreshment.

FRIDAY—8:45 P. M.

October 18, 1935

The minutes of Friday afternoon's session were approved as read.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

The following report was read by the Chairman, Sister Zella Whitford Samson, Past Grand Matron:

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

The Committee on Credentials begs leave to report as follows:
The attendance at this session:

Grand Officers	18
Past Grand Officers	54
Deputy Grand Matrons	58
Worthy Matrons	399
Worthy Patrons	117
Associate Matrons	369
Associate Patrons	73
Elected Representatives	9
Past Matrons (not included above).....	588
Past Patrons (not included above).....	212

Total	1897
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Chartered Chapters represented.....	483
Chapters Under Dispensation represented.....	3

Total	486
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Chapters Nos. 232 and 326 not represented.

GRAND OFFICERS

Worthy Grand Matron.....	Minnie Viola Collins
Worthy Grand Patron.....	J. Hartley Taylor
Associate Grand Matron.....	Bertie Y. Todd
Associate Grand Patron.....	Edward C. Counter, Jr.
Acting Grand Secretary.....	Maud McWilliams Smith
Grand Treasurer.....	Anna Noyes Moncur
Grand Conductress.....	Rita May Cooper
Associate Grand Conductress.....	Mary Isabel Warmer
Grand Chaplain.....	Edna A. Cannon
Grand Marshal.....	Maude E. Fluetsch
Grand Organist.....	Chas. E. Anderson
Grand Adah.....	Corine Orban Melville
Grand Ruth.....	Winnie May Dean
Grand Esther.....	Rosina Elizabeth Nodder
Grand Martha.....	Kathryn M. Farwell
Grand Electa.....	Mamie G. Cooper
Grand Warder.....	Flora T. Whitney
Grand Sentinel.....	Ruth E. Arganbright

DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS

Dist. No.		Dist. No.	
1.	Ebba Cullberg	32.	Elvetta Grohl
2.	Eunice Autenrieth	33.	Pearl Kilby
3.	Bess E. Lee	35.	Elizabeth Heiskell
4.	Amy C. R. Jarman	36.	Emma Wright
5.	Louise Allard	38.	Pearl Crook
6.	Ethel Hurd	39.	Julia Howard
7.	Charlotte Brink	40.	Cora Lewis
8.	Sadie Tudsbury	41.	May Benton
9.	Esther Duncan	42.	C. Enid Deeds
10.	Charlotte Purvine	43.	Vivian Brown
11.	Wilna Mitchell	44.	Maude McQuiddy
12.	Yettah Torp	46.	Bernice Bidwell
13.	Viola Driver	47.	Marion Connerton
14.	Muriel Rice	48.	Bess Showalter
15.	Marguerite Rhodes	49.	Emma Powell
16.	Elizabeth Lillico	50.	Ethel Roper
17.	Edna Christman	51.	Ethel Mattson
19.	Lillian Randall	52.	Emma Mooney
20.	Ella Huetteman	53.	Edith Kasper
21.	Vara Keefer	54.	Helen Miller
22.	Eva Bruce	55.	Elsie Vrooman
23.	Dora Richmond	56.	Ruth DeBuxton
24.	Elvira Brehaut	57.	Inice Orton
25.	Norine Dunlap	58.	Bela Lynde
26.	Tessie Armknecht	59.	Daisy Price
27.	Mazie Miller	60.	Jennie Montgomery
28.	Ida Denhard	61.	Bessie Reed
29.	Edwina Benner	62.	Sarah Berger
31.	Sydwelle Burwash	63.	Esther Kavanaugh

PAST GRAND MATRONS

Mary Josephine Young	Maude B. Sibley
Clara Abbott Giberson	Zella W. Samson
Mabel Boyd Seymour	Cora S. Holland
Emma Riehl Leach	Hazael Marsh Piper
Annie Marie Johnson	Pauline A. Haase
Maude Noble Haven	Myra Moyse
Minnie E. Seymour	Willie Jane Hellwig
Ivy C. Shelhamer	Elsie Mae McGiffin
Effie Easton	Grace R. Butterfield
Maude D. Bradley	Jessie G. Morris

PAST GRAND PATRONS

Benjamin J. Cartwright	Raymond H. Griest
William J. Mossholder	Bert R. Holloway
W. Frank Holman	Walter W. Bradley
Darwin Willson Pierce	Jos. M. Argabrite
Roy Musser	Lloyd E. Griffin
Waldo F. Postel	Wallace Taylor Rutherford

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRONS

Minnie D. Brown	Margaret Sawyer
Jennie M. Wayman	Ida Fitschen
Emma B. Graves	

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRONS

George W. Earl	Walter Scott
Harry Cooper	

PAST GRAND SECRETARY

Susan Mills Willats

PAST GRAND TREASURERS

Isabelle L. Vawter	Mattie Charette
Eva H. Boyd	Anna McKenny
Annie S. Brasch	Mildred Stone
Sue E. Tuck	Florence Newman
Georgia Hunt	Grace I. Good
Grace D. Beckman	Gladys Robinson
Bessie A. Pierce	Clara Alvarez

REPRESENTATIVES

Golden Gate No. 1

Olive Eggers Petry W. M.
 Caroline Bixby Gage A. M.
 Kate Linne P. M.
 Margaretta Neyn P. M.
 Chrissie Gray Barron P. M.
 Louise Bell Yandell P. M.
 Bernice Fellow P. M.

Suisun No. 2

Elinor Pfister A. M.
 Yettah Imogin Torp P. M.

Silver Star No. 3

Regina S. Holloway W. M.
 Annie Leora Potter A. M.

Oak Leaf No. 8

Laura Eleanor Bardwell W. M.
 Dorothy E. Knowlton A. M.
 Frances Jane Plunkett P. M.
 Anna Louise Chubb P. M.
 Uriel P. Wood P. M.
 Christine A. Young P. M.
 James A. Plunkett P. P.
 George W. Earl P. P.

Evangeline No. 9

Lyda M. Talbot W. M.
 Katie Eddy A. M.

Evening Star No. 10

Mary Alma Parker Rep.
 Mary Alma Parker P. M.
 Alexander Parker P. P.

Martha Washington No. 18

Carolyn Edwards Carter W. M.

St. John's No. 14

Caroline Peirce A. M.

Welcome No. 17

Gertrude Foudahn Rep.
 Gertrude Foudahn P. M.

Lily of the Valley No. 18

Emma R. Brinkworth W. M.
 Celistia Schenbacher A. M.
 Eda Kitchen P. M.
 Sydelle Burwash P. M.
 Floyd D. Burwash P. P.

Idlewild No. 19

Angele Reynolds W. M.

Vesper No. 20

Mary A. Carlson A. M.

Acacia No. 21

Alma Wright W. M.
 Francis V. Hall W. P.
 Carmelita Sebbby A. M.
 Minnie Delta Brown P. M.
 Mabel Pritchard P. M.
 Emma Jane Hayner P. M.
 Josephine L. Fisk P. M.
 Elizabeth Trebelcock P. M.
 Olive C. Hall P. M.
 Bernice H. Bidwell P. M.

Ferndale No. 23

Flo Belle Blackburn Rep.
 Flo Belle Blackburn P. M.
 Minnie Pozanac P. M.

Northern Light No. 26

Vivian Hootman W. M.
 Catherine Atkins P. M.

Ivy No. 27

Gussie Knudsen W. M.
 Lillian B. Williams A. M.
 Clara A. Giberson P. M.
 Maude Noble Haven P. M.
 Stella F. Delatour P. M.
 Mabel I. Wood P. M.

Vacaville No. 28

Effie Alta Stewart A. M.

Silver Gate No. 30

Alice Fish W. M.
 Ruth Dalton A. M.

San Jose No. 31

Wilda Carter Mette W. M.
 Vida E. Triplett A. M.
 Mary C. Entriken P. M.
 Mabel B. Chrisman P. M.
 Florence H. McDonald P. M.
 Pearl Colley P. M.
 Minnie B. Williams P. M.
 Henry H. Bluell P. P.
 Clarence A. Colley P. P.

Rose Valley No. 33

Adele M. Lane W. M.
 Hazel M. Eymann A. M.

Vernon No. 35

Ethel Stafford W. M.
 Ruth C. Miller A. M.

Naomi No. 36

Marguerite W. Smith W. M.
 Mabel B. Seymour P. M.
 Florence L. Newman P. M.

Stella No. 39

Mamie Wohlfert W. M.
 Eunice G. Autenrieth P. M.

Aurora No. 40

Nellie Beatrice George W. M.
 Kathrine Jones P. M.

Lily of the Lake No. 41

Vera M. Soderstrom A. M.

Ariel No. 42

Dorothy Baird Kelly W. M.
 Raymond Owen Kelly W. P.
 Jeannette F. Easley P. M.
 Robert Purl Easley P. P.

Redding No. 44

Auta Pearl Dallas A. M.
 Bess E. Lee P. M.

Ceanothus No. 45

Alma E. Nyland W. M.

Athena No. 46

Helen Marie Riffe W. M.
 Mabel Claire Cooper A. M.
 Fern Brooks P. M.
 Mildred M. Earle P. M.

Reveille No. 47

Ellen L. Underwood W. M.
 Frances L. Williams A. M.
 May Ellen Lacey P. M.
 Mabel Warnock P. M.
 Anna Eliz. Rossi P. M.
 Annie C. Winkler P. M.

Wheatland No. 48

Elizabeth Swetzer A. M.
 Gertrude H. Conant P. M.

Placer No. 49

Lillian MendesW. M.

Homo No. 50Clara Anne Mayo.....W. M.
Florence Drew DannerA. M.**Alturas No. 51**Josephine Mabel Ebbe.....W. M.
Helen Monroe MorganA. M.
Amy JarmanP. M.**Sincerity No. 53**

Elizabeth S. Nelson.....W. M.

Marysville No. 55Mabel E. GrantW. M.
Margherita StolpA. M.
Anna L. McKenneyP. M.
Zady Whipple JohnsonP. M.**Fidella No. 56**Verna McLean Sexton.....W. M.
Annabelle MartinA. M.
Anna Noyes MoncurP. M.
Hattie A. WareP. M.
Gladys Merle Bremer.....P. M.
Authelena F. McPherrin.....P. M.**Crystal No. 57**

Evelyn C. Swett.....W. M.

Kingsley No. 58Hilma HansenW. M.
Nina BankerP. M.**Silver Spray No. 59**Evelyn SpencerA. M.
Ned SpencerP. P.**Yolo No. 60**

Florence McDermottA. M.

Morning Star No. 61May Cole Behrens.....W. M.
Pearl Bonham MacKenzie.....A. M.
Lois PurvineP. M.**Mountain Fern No. 62**

Bessie M. CheekW. M.

Camellia No. 63Rosanne HornbrookW. M.
Emma Riehl Leach.....P. M.**Unity No. 65**Lillian H. AdkinsW. M.
Frederick J. BischoffW. P.
Verna Mildred Brearley.....A. M.
Eva Lillian BruceP. M.
Robert R. BruceP. P.**Golden Star No. 66**

Thelma McFaddenW. M.

Friendship No. 67Jennie LiottaW. M.
Lila May PembertonA. M.**Ocean Spray No. 68**Ethel May Bastedo.....W. M.
Sue E. TuckP. M.**Queen Esther No. 71**

Elsie HartwickW. M.

Electa No. 72Kittie BriggsW. M.
Jessie Sadie BrutA. M.
Gerald Maurice BrutP. P.**Gilroy No. 73**Elizabeth LawtonW. M.
Clarice RiandaA. M.**Esther No. 74**

Cora DunlapW. M.

Silver Wave No. 75Mae ClarkW. M.
Edward Louis Falls.....W. P.
Mabel B. Robinson.....A. M.
Edith Nelson Ulrich.....P. M.
Edward J. Burger.....P. P.**Rohnerville No. 76**Lulu Belle Johnson.....W. M.
Marjorie Chase Connick.....A. M.**Azalla No. 77**

Cora Mae Poe.....A. M.

Marguerite No. 78Mona CatlinW. M.
Myrtle KnightenA. M.
J. Osmond Knighten.....A. P.
J. Osmond Knighten.....P. P.**Ventura No. 79**Carrie G. Henderson.....W. M.
Alma E. Freeman.....A. M.
Isabel M. Graves.....P. M.
Joseph Mayo Argabrite.....P. P.**Augusta No. 80**Wilbur W. Duncan.....A. P.
Esther DuncanP. M.
Wilbur DuncanP. P.**Sotoyome No. 82**Marie RichardsonW. M.
Minnie MothornA. M.**Molino No. 83**

Shirley W. Boudreau.....A. M.

Veritas No. 84California ComfortA. M.
Ida VannP. M.
Helen HouchinsP. M.**Valley of the Moon No. 85**Eva DavidsonA. M.
Nina EberhardtP. M.**Marshall No. 86**Elizabeth Fell Murphy.....A. M.
Harry C. BellA. P.
Harriet E. BellP. M.
Louise B. AllardP. M.**Raisina No. 89**Leslie DietrichA. M.
Arthur L. Colvin.....A. P.
Reva JohnsP. M.
Viola JennerP. M.**Fallen Leaf No. 90**

Jessie Belle Stevens.....W. M.

Madera No. 92

Florence P. Roontz.....W. M.

Hellotrope No. 93Ottie Belle White.....A. M.
Nina HansenP. M.**Tulare No. 94**Madeline CochranW. M.
Elizabeth HeiskellP. M.**Bethlehem No. 95**

Ruth G. AndersonA. M.

Southern Star No. 96

Lois L. Sorkness.....W. M.
 Joseph Smith, Jr.W. P.
 Josephine SimonsA. M.
 Leigh H. Slocum.....A. P.
 Lucy Louise Dannals.....P. M.
 Agnes Hulda Johnstone.....P. M.
 Priscilla McNutt.....P. M.
 Edna Lowell Taylor.....P. M.
 Louise Kaidel Gruebele.....P. M.
 Ethelmae M. Ware.....P. M.
 Mame Monroe Brogle.....P. M.
 Artie Smith Ritchie.....P. M.
 Clara Eliz. Locell.....P. M.
 Cora Oga Smith.....P. M.
 Genevieve Irene Dort.....P. M.
 Eva May Fikes.....P. M.
 Amelia R. Boyd.....P. M.
 Harry Smith Johnstone.....P. P.
 Eugene M. Barton.....P. P.
 William Bradner Smith.....P. P.
 Melvin England Rice.....P. P.
 Walter L. Alston.....P. P.
 William Pringle Beer.....P. P.

Ramona No. 97

Edna May Lierly.....W. M.
 Lorenzo Wm. Lierly.....W. P.
 Barbara Nash McCoy.....A. M.
 Julia M. Howard.....P. M.
 Lorenzo Wm. Lierly.....P. P.

Beulah No. 99

Catherine Morrison.....W. M.
 Margaretha McGowan.....A. M.
 Adelaide Schultz.....P. M.
 Ida Fitschen.....P. M.
 Emma June Stanley.....P. M.
 Albertina Rapp.....P. M.
 Nellie Artigues.....P. M.
 Lilas Seagrave.....P. M.
 Janet Young.....P. M.
 Annie Neilan.....P. M.
 Bertha Milly.....P. M.
 Margaret Martens.....P. M.
 Edward J. Stanley.....P. P.

Mizpah No. 100

Edith Willis.....W. M.
 Veda Dalessi.....A. M.

Violet No. 102

Irene McConnell.....W. M.
 Bert Turnbow.....A. P.
 Beulah Turnbow.....P. M.
 Bert Turnbow.....P. P.

Golden Wave No. 103

Irene M. Kuhwarth.....W. M.

Josephine No. 104

Margaret D. McRae.....W. M.
 Eunice S. Fish.....A. M.
 Mary Elaine Rodgers.....P. M.

Hermosa No. 105

Vera Jacoby.....W. M.
 Henrietta Bohling.....A. M.
 Wilford G. Lewis.....A. P.
 Mabel J. Tarpley.....P. M.
 Marion Burr Wallace.....P. M.
 James A. Tarpley.....P. P.

Ungava No. 106

Nellie P. Followell.....W. M.
 Daisy V. Price.....P. M.
 Elmer E. Kightlinger.....P. P.

Corona No. 107

Loretta Mulholland.....A. M.
 Lafe Todd.....A. P.
 Lottie Lang.....P. M.
 Bertie Y. Todd.....P. M.
 Lafe Todd.....P. P.

Pasadena No. 108

Mary C. Krug.....W. M.
 Bessie Geibel.....A. M.
 Loren Otis.....A. P.
 Maude Fiske Parks.....P. M.
 Ada Minnie Goin.....P. M.
 Charles V. Goin.....P. P.

Elk Grove No. 109

Mary V. Brown.....W. M.
 John W. Lillico.....A. P.
 Elizabeth R. Stevens.....P. M.
 Elizabeth Lillico.....P. M.
 James Lillico.....P. P.

Pomona No. 110

Alameda M. Hubbard.....W. M.
 George A. Ritter.....W. P.
 Lucy W. Stevens.....A. M.
 Charles Gillette.....A. P.
 Elizabeth M. Ziegler.....P. M.
 Victor L. Hubbard.....P. P.

Ocean View No. 111

Ruth Kent Hood.....A. M.

Hesperian No. 112

Maud Lund.....W. M.
 Florence S. Talbott.....P. M.

Santa Monica No. 113

Lois B. White.....W. M.
 Johanna Hasbrouck.....A. M.
 Ethel B. Rau.....P. M.
 Mary E. Francis.....P. M.
 Mabel F. Curtis.....P. M.
 Wallace F. Hasbrouck.....P. P.
 Ray E. White.....P. P.

Palm Leaf No. 114

Violet Poundstone.....W. M.
 Nell Pratt.....A. M.
 Ralph Jones.....A. P.
 Esther Jones.....P. M.
 Everette Cloer.....P. P.

Carita No. 115

Anna L. Rowley.....W. M.
 Pearl O. McCoy.....P. M.
 Minnie L. Smith.....P. M.
 Kathryn M. Farwell.....P. M.
 Mary Josephine Young.....P. M.

Truckee No. 116

Hannah J. Stewart.....W. M.

Columbus No. 117

Mary Brown Spencer.....W. M.
 Viola Driver.....P. M.

Woodbridge No. 118

Ruth B. Whitney.....W. M.
 Lerifa R. Smith.....A. M.
 Erma L. Boyce.....P. M.
 Grace Diers Beckman.....P. M.

Amapola No. 119

Lura Vaughan.....A. M.

Tuolumne Star No. 123

Dorothy E. Barron.....W. M.

Harmony No. 124

Margaret I. Paulson.....A. M.
 Annie M. Johnson.....P. M.
 Grace R. Butterfield.....P. M.
 Jule Balice.....P. M.
 Charlotte Riebling.....P. M.
 Wilhelmina Kell.....P. M.
 Beatrice Jameson.....P. M.
 Mary E. Fairey.....P. M.

Bakersfield No. 125

Katherine JaynesW. M.
Linnie ShackelfordA. M.
Gertrude HamiltonP. M.
Nellie CritesP. M.

Mercedes No. 126

Helen M. HellerW. M.
Lettie WilsonA. M.
Maude E. FluetschP. M.
John A. FluetschP. P.

Lucerne No. 127

Dottie VerueA. M.

Los Gatos No. 128

Ianthia O. NerellW. M.

Sierra Star No. 129

Alice Helen KirpatrickW. M.
Elmer John KirkpatrickA. P.

Clover Leaf No. 130

Irene JohnsonW. M.

Fidelity No. 131

Ethel MilnerW. M.

South Gate No. 133

Mildred BrodieW. M.
Wilda U. FriedmannA. M.
Maud Dezell BradleyP. M.
Mabel Lena HarrisP. M.
Rosie B. RoemerP. M.
Nellie BowenP. M.
Knowlton R. BradleyP. P.

Angels No. 134

Agnes AdamsA. M.

Semper Fidelis No. 135

Sarah R. StroubeW. M.
Stanley E. StroubeW. P.
Marion M. WagonerA. M.
Stanley E. StroubeP. P.

Centinela No. 136

Florence Eliz. MottA. M.

Clear Lake No. 137

Lillian M. ReeseA. M.
Leo Max ReeseA. P.

Summit No. 138

Abbie B. GrohlA. M.
Elvetta GrohlP. M.
John Beede GrohlP. P.

Orestimba No. 139

Minna WahlhausA. M.
Blanche LevertonP. M.

Oakland No. 140

Clarice E. MevesW. M.
William NodderW. P.
Edna L. SteeleA. M.
Lester L. StelleA. P.
Walter L. KightlingerP. P.

Mira Monte No. 141

Leona HeiligA. M.

Copa Del Oro No. 142

Hazel OlsonW. M.
Imogene OsburnA. M.
Estelle MorrisonP. M.

Norwalk No. 143

Florence J. WilliamsW. M.
Agnes A. BridgeA. M.
Ruth de BuxtonP. M.
Thelma G. VanderleekP. M.

Lyra No. 144

Florence StoneyW. M.
Elizabeth HerrickA. M.
Corine MelvilleP. M.
Ruth M. WendtP. M.
Homer F. HillhouseP. P.

Jasmine No. 145

Nell MaceW. M.
Faye RodeckerA. M.
George RodeckerA. P.

Delano No. 146

Clara McCawleyA. M.
Lorna Lee AmmonsP. M.

Pearl No. 147

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 Irving Murfett P. P.

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Edna Mensing W. M.
 Louise Tray A. M.

Lamanda Park No. 473

Mabel I. Fairweather W. M.
 Nellie Lacey A. M.
 Emma J. Powell P. M.
 Clarence E. Lacey P. P.
 W. Blake Fairweather P. P.

Palisades No. 474

Lula McCall A. M.
 Charles H. McCall W. P.
 May Benton P. M.
 Jessie Sutherland P. M.
 Elizabeth Paxton P. M.
 Audley Sutherland P. P.

Malta No. 475

Irene Kohler W. M.
 Stella Blanker A. M.
 Lee D. Mathews A. P.
 Bessie E. Lant P. M.
 Crista L. Moulton P. M.
 Maude M. McQuiddy P. M.
 Emily Hale P. M.

Bethel No. 476

Ethel Hetzel W. M.
 Arthur Higham W. P.
 Mary Higham A. M.
 Edythe C. Hetzel P. M.
 Edythe Lippincott P. M.

Florence No. 477

Adele E. Burch W. M.
 Nellie Bright A. M.
 Ora L. Burch P. P.

Normal Heights No. 478

Bessie V. Robinson W. M.
 Minor J. Hyde W. P.
 Anna Lasselle A. M.
 Earl H. Robinson A. P.
 Marie D. Reasoner P. M.
 Opal L. Elliott P. M.
 Grace E. Schneider P. M.
 Norah J. Robbins P. M.
 Loren J. Elliott P. P.
 Harlan Robbins P. P.

La Jolla No. 479

Pearl D. Higgins W. M.
 Darrell C. Dyer W. P.
 Ann Lundberg A. M.
 Luther Brown A. P.
 Genevieve Redding P. M.
 Ana A. Spencer P. M.
 Esther W. Rohde P. M.
 Clara L. McGaw P. M.
 Maud E. Dyer P. M.
 Frederick H. Perry P. P.
 Frederick J. Higgins P. P.

Majestic No. 480

Helen Grant Johnston W. M.
 Walter B. Othmer W. P.
 Emma K. Hagan A. M.
 Charles C. Carter A. P.
 Letha M. Houston P. M.
 Esther S. Jackson P. M.

Presidio No. 481

Hazel Barry W. M.
 Mary Miner A. M.
 Pauline Boatman P. M.

Sanger No. 482

Lucile Leffel W. M.
 Jean S. Renfrow A. M.
 Louisa Stanner P. M.
 Blanche Besserman P. M.
 James Leffel P. P.

Garden Grove No. 483

Ethel C. Shauer W. M.
 Ernest O. Fulson W. P.
 Alice T. Smith A. M.
 Lucy M. Henry P. M.
 Charles B. Henry P. P.
 Leonard W. Shauer P. P.

Prudence No. 484

Merle I. Brothers W. M.
 Inez Kelly Lozier A. M.

Aimee I. Lozier P. M.
 Arthur Lozier P. P.

Big Bear No. 485

Maude Williams A. M.
 Mamie C. Stillwell P. M.

Glassell Park No. 486

Daisy Hopkins W. M.
 Albert M. Clark W. P.
 Minnie L. Houston A. M.
 Myrtle Witt P. M.
 Mae M. Clark P. M.
 Wiley E. Houston P. P.

White Pine No. 487

Irene Mallory W. M.

Orange Blossom No. 488

Dode Klink W. M.
 Benjamin F. Bulen W. P.

Wasco No. 489

Amy M. Little W. M.
 Winifred D. Cokely A. M.
 Jennie S. Jacks P. M.
 Emma J. Wright P. M.

Point Loma No. 490

Edythe F. Kenline W. M.
 Harry P. Sweet W. P.
 Gladys B. Nelson A. M.
 Nels I. Berge A. P.
 Carrie L. Mason P. M.
 Olive M. Sweet P. M.
 Ida R. White P. M.
 Ethel H. Dougherty P. M.
 Mary C. Lee P. M.
 Edwin V. White P. P.
 Edgar Hastings P. P.
 Thomas C. Mason P. P.

Palms No. 491

Grace C. Bennett W. M.
 Silvanus Emery Patterson W. P.
 Ruby Gerritson A. M.
 Roy E. Steckel A. P.
 Hazel B. Steckel P. M.
 Mildred S. Rentchler P. M.
 Lawrence Rentchler P. P.

Henry S. Orme No. 492

Florence Mott W. M.
 Erma Smith A. M.
 James F. Lewis A. P.
 Louisa G. Hoffmann P. M.
 Grace Tassell P. M.
 Cynthia Goodale P. M.
 J. Wellington DeYoe P. P.
 Fred O. Hoffmann P. P.

Jarman No. 493

Ann Merrill W. M.
 Kathryn Nelson A. M.
 George Peterson A. P.

Crescenta Valley No. 494

Lena G. Mead W. M.
 Esther Anderson A. M.
 Marion L. Tillery P. M.

Beacon Ray No. 495

Marian Frederickson W. M.
 Robert J. Federhen W. P.
 Leita M. Stanley A. M.
 Maye S. Federhen P. M.
 Georgia Gardener P. M.
 Helen Alger P. M.

Nonpareil No. 496

Elizabeth Gray A. M.

Menorah No. 497

Bess Spellens W. M.
 Jack Malloy W. P.
 Bertha Fox A. M.
 Sally Liberman P. M.
 Mary Goldfard P. M.
 Sol Friedland P. P.

Composite No. 408

Rita Finnerman W. M.
 Lena E. Bloch A. M.
 Pauline Pearlman P. M.
 Ida Bloch P. M.

El Dorado No. 499

Jean Cantrell W. M.

Jordan No. 500

Esther Shenton W. M.
 Lillian D. Beach A. M.
 Erwin W. Inter A. P.
 Frank Beach P. P.

Santa Barbara No. 501

Lela Eichelberger W. M.
 Garnet R. Lloyd A. M.

All States No. 502

Winifred Cutting W. M.
 Edward McKee Rudd W. P.
 Viola L. Rasenor A. M.
 Adaline I. Harbaugh P. M.
 Bernice Rudd P. M.
 Dalota K. Burnham P. P.
 Harry F. Rasenor P. P.

Olivette No. 503

Flossie F. Gunther W. M.
 Myra C. Moyse P. M.
 Ira Moyse P. P.

Rosa M. Shattuck No. 504

Ethel Campbell A. M.
 Ruth R. Wiley P. M.
 Edith Soleim P. M.

Reseda No. 505

Mildred Hayes W. M.
 Marie Cooper A. M.

Brea No. 506

Jessie M. Cox W. M.
 Rosalyne Jackson A. M.
 Myrtle Y. Clayton P. M.

El Petrol No. 507

Genevieve L. Krepps W. M.
 George Child W. P.
 Bessie Sheldon A. M.
 Lillian Childs P. M.
 Mabel Child P. M.

La Habra No. 508

Gerna Holzgrafe W. M.
 Edna Leutwiler A. M.
 Ruth J. Davis P. M.

San Dimas No. 509

Pearl Holmes W. M.
 Edith McLean A. M.
 Jennie Montgomery P. M.

Woodlake No. 510

Gladys Harvey A. M.
 De Witt C. Cole A. P.

Mar Vista No. 511

Leora Seguire W. M.
 Faye Foraker A. M.
 Dorothy N. Jones P. M.
 Edna Roach P. M.

Point Firmin No. 512

Edna Ryan W. M.
 Sam M. Law W. P.
 Anna Bell Grady A. M.
 Homer G. Stewart A. P.
 Karl J. Caldwell P. P.
 Guy C. Grady P. P.

Temple No. 513

Ulah French W. M.
 George H. French P. P.

Faith No. 514

Carrie E. Russell W. M.
 Mamie Sutliff A. M.
 Maude Farner P. M.
 Franklin F. Ruddell P. P.

San Geronio No. 515

Paula L. Schilling W. M.
 Virginia Robinson A. M.

Angeles Vista No. 516

Caroline Ferrel W. M.
 Scott Betts W. P.
 Julia Betts A. M.
 Ethel J. Mattson P. M.

Holly Vista No. 517

Mary Ritchie W. M.
 Campbell Forsyth W. P.
 Ina Ellis Keith A. M.
 Carl H. Rieves A. P.
 C. Enid Deeds P. M.

Betsy Ross No. 518

Marguerite Long W. M.
 Edward T. Harris W. P.
 Ethel G. Nern A. M.
 Blanche L. Peterson P. M.
 Bruz Long P. P.

Encina No. 519

Valeta E. Gede W. M.
 Henry Gede, Jr. W. P.
 Dora C. Schneider A. M.
 Henry Gede, Jr. P. P.

Wil-Brea No. 520

Vivian Tingle W. M.
 Ray Schauer W. P.
 Ruth Trick A. M.
 George M. Adair A. P.
 Ida P. Smith P. M.
 Pansy VanBuren P. M.
 Ellen Endres P. M.
 Jeanette Watson P. M.

Laguna Beach No. 521

Venla Shrewsbury W. M.
 Mabel M. Lambert A. M.
 William T. Lambert A. P.

Atwater No. 522

Cathryn Miller W. M.
 Amelia K. Brand P. M.
 Bessie A. Bugbee P. M.
 George L. Bugbee P. P.

Vallecito No. 523

Genevieve Shorkley W. M.
 Bessie Hudson A. M.
 Cora R. Lewis P. M.
 Zella Jane Manuel P. M.

San Clemente No. 524

Inez C. Holmes W. M.
 William Holmes W. P.
 Lydia J. Bartlett P. M.
 Ellen A. Shork P. M.
 Fred C. Shork P. P.

Cambria Pines No. 525

Lillian Emma Evans W. M.
 Byrdella Howard A. M.
 Arlene M. Genardini P. M.

Altadena No. 526

Florence Whittemore W. M.
 John W. MacLeod W. P.
 Lura Hodges A. M.
 Nannie Pengilly P. M.
 Gertrude Hughes P. M.
 Grant Pengilly P. P.
 Fred Whittemore P. P.
 Walter Hodges P. P.

Baldwin Park No. 527

Frances Maxson W. M.
 Lura G. Alexander P. M.

Ojai No. 528

Dora Boardman W. M.
 Jennie Griffin A. M.

Lauralane No. 529

Alva Hardin W. M.

Willow Glen No. 530

Juanita Hallin W. M.
 Ardis Wancke A. M.
 Charles Fernish A. P.
 Harriet J. Breuer P. M.

Livingston No. 531

Harriet Lee W. M.
 Charles L. Garvin W. P.
 Charles L. Garvin P. P.

Modesto No. 532

Phillippa Kerr W. M.
 Frank Shaw W. P.
 Florence Shaw A. M.
 Frank C. Shaw P. P.

Sterling No. 533

Therese Luck W. M.
 Agnes Fischer A. M.
 Raymond Nivola A. P.
 Nola W. Terry P. M.
 Grace M. Perry P. M.
 Charles A. Luck P. P.
 Milton J. Terry P. P.

Venus No. 534

Savilla Chaney W. M.

Westwood Hills U. D.

Mae M. Bischoff W. M.
 Bryan Wilton Harper W. P.
 Lulu Sinclair A. M.
 Daisy Newberry P. M.

Dunsmuir U. D.

Hazel Lee Peterson W. M.

Mojave Valley U. D.

Ida E. Davis A. M.

The new system of registration greatly facilitated the work of the committee and made it possible for delegates to be registered without undue delay.

Respectfully submitted,

Bessie A. Pierce,
 Clara Jesson,
 Melicent Cullen,
 Maude Bigelow Sibley,
 Zella Whitford Samson,
 Committee.

Report adopted.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The following Budget was read by Brother C. A. Luck:

BUDGET

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

Your Committee on Finance submits the following budget for the fiscal year 1935-1936:

ESTIMATED REVENUE

General Fund:

Per capita tax on 94,000 members, Grand Chapter dues	\$23,500.00
Per capita tax on 4,500 Initiates and Affiliates.....	2,250.00
Charter fee, 3 Chapters.....	90.00
Special dispensations and fines.....	200.00
Interest	2,400.00
Profit on sale of supplies.....	600.00

Representative Fund:

Per capita tax, 5 cents on 94,000 members.....	4,700.00
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Benevolent Fund:

Per capita tax, 10 cents on 94,000 members.....	9,400.00
Interest	2,400.00

Student Loan Fund:

Interest	100.00
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Total	\$45,640.00
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EXPENDITURES

General Fund:

Salary, Grand Secretary.....	\$ 3,000.00
Salary, Assistant Grand Secretary.....	1,800.00
Salary, Grand Treasurer.....	200.00
Printing, Binding, Stationery and Postage.....	6,000.00
Allowance, Worthy Grand Matron for expenses.....	3,000.00
Allowance, Worthy Grand Patron for expenses.....	1,000.00
Allowance, Grand Secretary Emeritus.....	1,800.00
Allowance, Standing Committees, 1935.....	1,000.00
Expense Official Visits Deputy Grand Matrons.....	1,500.00
Expense Schools of Instruction, Deputy Grand Matrons	1,500.00
Rent, Office of Grand Secretary.....	1,344.00
Contingent expense, Office of Grand Secretary.....	750.00
Office supplies, Office of Grand Secretary.....	200.00
Telephone, Telegraph service, Office Grand Secretary..	250.00
Audit	400.00
Premium Surety Bonds.....	150.00
Jewel, Worthy Grand Matron.....	150.00
Jewel, Worthy Grand Patron.....	75.00
Grand Organist, Session 1935.....	25.00
Grand Sentinel, Session 1935.....	25.00
Stenographer, Session 1935.....	240.00

Appropriations, Session 1935:	
Incidental expenses, donations to ushers.....	100.00
Miscellaneous Bills:	
Activities Committee	402.69
Benevolent Fund Committee.....	32.62
Necrology	53.80
Housing Committee	18.00
Flowers, Mrs. Giberson.....	10.00
Representative Fund:	
Mileage, Session 1935.....	10,508.65
Benevolent Fund:	
To cover benevolences 1935-1936.....	8,000.00
Total	\$43,534.76

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 \$43,534.76 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,

C. A. Luck,
Cora Spring Holland,
Maude Noble Haven,
Committee.

Budget adopted.

Motion: Brother Joseph Smith, Jr., for the Ushers, moved that the \$100 allotted to the Ushers be given to either the Orphans Fund or the Home, as the Finance Committee wishes.

The Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, said the gift would be received and given in accordance with the instructions of the Ushers and with the thanks of the Grand Chapter.

Brother Raymond H. Griest, Past Grand Patron, on behalf of the Southern California Matrons' Association of 1927, presented \$75.00 to the Worthy Grand Matron for the Eastern Star Home. This is the balance of the pledge of \$225.00 made by this group. The Worthy Grand Matron graciously accepted the gift for the Board of Trustees of the Home.

INSTALLATION

A colorful and spectacular Installation Ceremony closed the sixty-second annual session.

The retiring Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, and the retiring Worthy Grand Patron, Brother J. Hartley

Taylor, installed the Officers, assisted by Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin, Past Grand Matron, who installed the Worthy Grand Matron and Sister Effie Easton, Right Worthy Grand Conductress, who installed the Worthy Grand Patron. Sister Bessie A. Pierce, Past Grand Treasurer, acted as Marshal, assisted by Sister Maud Dezell Bradley, Past Grand Matron, as Honorary Marshal; Sister Pauline Ada Hause, Past Grand Matron, acted as Marshal for the installation of the Worthy Grand Patron; Sister Edna Cannon acted as Chaplain and Brother Chas. E. Anderson acted as Organist.

The Worthy Matrons of 1935, wearing their blue and gold capes, and carrying yellow chrysanthemums, formed a Pentagon around the Star when the retiring Worthy Grand Matron and Patron were escorted to the East.

The Associate Matrons, carrying coral colored muffs or sunshades, and wearing heart shaped hats, formed a huge heart around the central Star; as the heart was formed curtains near the stage parted to reveal a beautiful silver fan behind which were several Associate Matrons gowned as "old fashioned girls"; the fan opened and in the center of the picture was a gold medallion locket; in the heart of the locket as it opened stood the incoming Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Todd was escorted to the Altar by the "old fashioned girls" and the heart tableau was held until after she was conducted to the East.

The Associate Patrons formed a square and compass around the Altar for the installation of the Worthy Grand Patron. A similar fan tableau was formed for Brother Counter, Associate Patrons being in the foreground and the locket being the insignia of the Masonic Fraternity.

Vocal and instrumental music and the chorus of Los Angeles Associate Patrons added to the beauty of the ceremony.

Bertie Y. Todd, Worthy Grand Matron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers: As the Gates of the Temple are closed at eventide and opened with the first rays of the rising sun, so time has closed upon a year of work well done, and tomorrow it will be opened upon a new year. A year filled with great responsibilities—responsibilities that call for Divine Guidance, wisdom and strength—responsibilities that call for your love and your loyalty and responsibilities that call for one's humbleness.

As we enter upon the work of the new year I trust that the spirit of cooperation may be so dominant in our lives that we shall permit nothing to mar the peace and happiness of our year's work together. Let us be one splendid body weaving the gems of the past years into the pattern designed by the Master Weaver. "Service Before Self."

I feel particularly humble when I realize the heights attained and the splendid achievements of the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of our Grand Chapter, wondering if I shall be able to measure up to the standards of their goal. I shall need their

constant encouragement and support and I rely with confidence upon their lenient judgment of any mistakes which may be made.

I trust that for each mistake you will plant in your heart a flower of forgetfulness—for disappointments a flower of love and encouragement, and for any good accomplished a rose of remembrance.

The members of my Chapter, Corona No. 107, and the Chapters of my District have traveled a great distance to be present at my installation. May I ask them to rise. I appreciate your presence; the love and loyalty you have shown during my years of service to the Grand Chapter. May I ever prove worthy of your confidence in me.

The Order of the Eastern Star is just what we as individuals deem to make it. Here we are taught the sublime virtues of our Order, the spirit of love for God and love for man. Let each of us feel that we are a necessary part of our great Order laying aside all personal differences and grievances and work unitedly as a united effort will more than bring about desired results. Let us strive to make this a Golden Rule year. This we can do by remembering our obligation and by living it in our daily lives. This is not a human idea but a Divine command, for our Master has said: "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them, for this is the law and the prophets."

If we work upon marble it will perish; if on brass time will efface it; if we rear temples they will crumble in the dust, but if we work upon immortal souls and imbue them with the principles taught by the heroines of our Order—fidelity, constancy, purity, faith, hope and love—we engrave on these tablets something which will brighten all eternity and reflect with increasing fidelity, constancy and purity the faith, hope and love of Him whose Star we have seen in the East.

I cannot reflect upon the years given in service to Grand Chapter without being reminded of one whose loss we feel so keenly. Brother Jimmie McGiffin. What a great blessing is a friend. One who can relieve your cares by his conversation, your doubts by his counsels, your sadness by his good humor and whose very looks give you comfort. Such a friend Sister Elsie Mae McGiffin and Brother Jimmie McGiffin have been to me. Their home has been my home, their friends my friends. I cannot express in mere words my love and gratitude to them.

The sun is just rising on the morning of a new day. What can I wish that this day may bring to me. Nothing that shall make the world or others poorer, nothing at the expense of others; but just those few things which in their coming do not stop with me but rather touch me as they pass and gather strength. Friends who understand me and yet remain my friends—a work to do which has a real value, without which the world would feel the poorer—an understanding heart, a sense of humor and the power to laugh. A few moments of quiet and silent meditation, the sense of the presence of God, and the patience to wait for the coming of these.

I am deeply grateful to the members of the Order of the Eastern Star in California. You have bestowed upon me the highest honor within your power to bestow upon a member.

My most earnest prayer for the coming year will be that the Supreme Architect of the Universe may guide our footsteps in ways of pleasantness and paths of peace and may all our doing reflect honor upon his holy name.

Edward C. Counter, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron:

Sister Bertie Y. Todd, my Worthy Grand Matron, only once in a man's lifetime comes this opportunity of service with a woman like you. You have spread sunshine and happiness all this year. Tonight we stand on the edge of the roadway of the year to come—that roadway may have some valleys and some deserts, and some hills to climb, too, and in the presence of our Sisters and Brothers I repledge my assistance and my help and my tribute to you this year. May I be there at the foot of every hill and at the bend of every road to help you along. I know the fragrance of your personality and your presence will turn those deserts to flowers and valleys to sunshine and spring along this fraternal road.

To our Junior Past Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, who has given to this Grand Chapter a year of gorgeous blue and gold with the terrestrial gold of her heart and the celestial blue of her smile, she has given us a year that will ever be remembered.

To J. Hartley Taylor, Junior Past Grand Patron, I tender my humble thanks for the opportunity to serve in your absence and for the courtesies extended to me this year that I might tread this path a little better.

To Sister Pauline Ada Hause, Past Grand Matron, who served our Order as Worthy Grand Matron when I was Worthy Patron in 1929, this Sister treads the path of righteousness and I know that she was proud and happy to be able to stand near the Altar upon which rests the Holy Bible which is her light and her whole life.

And, as I raised my eyes to the East I was greeted by the presence of our Right Worthy Grand Conductress, Sister Effie Easton. Her presence is an inspiration, so how can I falter on my path of fraternalism with the inspiration of the pledges given to me by her.

To my own Chapter, San Francisco Chapter No. 196, to my members and my Past Matrons and Past Patrons who have stood behind me all these years, I want you to share this honor which has been bestowed upon me.

The grandest thing that our Heavenly Father has given to man is woman. And, behind the scene at every bend of the road, to cheer me on and to help me, and to guide me, and to counsel me, she stands ready to help—for a man cannot be a man without the counsel of a good comrade—and I am blessed in having such a one, my dear wife, Jeanette.

I am blessed with three Mothers—one spiritual and two in person—and although they are not here tonight, I feel their moral support. For their guidance I am grateful.

To you, Sisters and Brothers of this Grand Body, I thank you for this golden opportunity of service.

Where we meet tonight, almost four hundred years ago there came out of the heat and dust of the southwest desert, a noble Spaniard by the name of Francisco Vazquez Coronado, with three hundred of his Spanish followers and many natives. They were in search of the seven lost cities of Sbola, the lost Inca cities of gold. His search for these lost cities was in vain and he returned to Spain with their mystery unsolved.

Tonight, mythically, you have found these seven cities of golden opportunities, and from them I am selecting two. The first one I dedicate to Service—service to me in the fraternal path that I tread means the good of the Order, and the good of the Order to me is the chance for you and me to display that personality in betterment of the work that is tendered to us, be it subordinate or Grand Chapter. All I ask is that you take the stories of those five points of our Order to your Chapter, that you may help level the walls of misunderstanding and create a new bond of sisterly and brotherly understanding.

The other city of gold that I am selecting I am dedicating to the memory of a friend, Sister Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler, Past Grand Matron. And the city I am about to name to me is one of reverence, and when I repeat the word "reverence" I seem to hear playing somewhere "Onward Christian Soldiers." In my mind's eye I see a scene in a small Gothic Church, high on the banks of the Hudson, above old Fort Putman at West Point. There each Sabbath morning 1100 gray clad purposeful men of tomorrow march into the Church and quietly take their places in their respective pews. As they stand there erect, with heads bent, there comes down a light through the stained glass windows of the nave and it seems to mingle itself with the gay colored flags hanging there, the scarlet of the artillery, the blue of the infantry and the gold of the cavalry, and together it spreads its soft benediction of light on these men as they repeat together audibly the Prayer for Heavenly Guidance which they have learned as plebes:

"Oh God, our Father, Searcher of men's hearts, help us to draw nearer to Thee in truth and in sincerity. May our religion be filled with happiness and our worship of Thee be natural. Strengthen and increase our admiration for honest dealing and clean thinking. Suffer not our hatred of hypocrisy and deceit ever to diminish. Encourage us in our efforts to live above the common level of life and to never be content with half a truth when the whole may be had. Make us to choose the harder right rather than the easier wrong. Kindle our hearts in friendship towards mankind and fellowship: help us in our play and in our work to keep physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight."

This is but part of this beautiful Prayer, but this much holds a lesson from which we might all profit.

This Grand Chapter session is about to close. We are about to turn our faces homeward. May I humbly thank you for the honor bestowed upon me and mine, and say my last adieu with the last line of this prayer of reverence: "All of which we ask in the name of the Great Friend, Master of men."

Willa Jane Hellwig, Past Grand Matron:

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

I have had many honors bestowed upon me in my life, but never one more appreciated than the honor that has been bestowed upon me this evening to express to our Junior Past Grand Matron the affection, the devotion and the love of the members of this Grand Chapter.

Sister Minnie Viola Collins, our Junior Past Grand Matron, Grand Chapter has indeed been proud of you. They have been proud of your every effort. And may I reiterate the words of the minister at the divine services on last Sunday evening when he said, "We do not look at the person, but we look at the character". And, Sister Minnie Viola Collins possesses a beautiful character, a pleasing personality and an amiable disposition—all making a wonderful woman.

Sister Minnie Vee, you have been indeed a very wonderful friend and I am happy to pin upon your breast the love of this Grand Chapter as expressed in this beautiful jewel that it is their pleasure to give you. Do not think that this is compensation for your services. That would indeed be impossible. But as the diamonds shed their light, we know that your life is depicted in the principles of the Order and in the lessons of the heroines of the five points of our Star. You possess the fidelity, the constancy, the loyalty, the faith and the love of our heroines in your character, as depicted in their characters.

Accept this jewel, Minnie Vee, with the love, the admiration, and the devotion of this Grand Chapter, knowing that we appreciate your every effort and the wonderful way that you have guided the destinies of this Grand Chapter, not only through this year, but through all your years of service.

And when we have friends that are so true
That in our very souls we love them,
We want the glad jewel of blue
To gleam as all the skies above them.
'Tis more than wishing joy and wealth
That kindly fortune may attend you
That you may have success and health
And that our God may bless you.

Minnie Viola Collins, Junior Past Grand Matron:

This jewel which has been presented to me by one whom I hold most dear, presented to me as my jewel from the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, is an insignia of my service given to our Order this year as your Worthy Grand Matron.

Five years ago I stood before this Altar when the one who presented my jewel to me tonight was Worthy Grand Matron and I was her Grand Marshal. The service which I have given has been one of love. I shall ever wear this jewel with joy,

gratitude and love—joy for the privilege of serving our beautiful Order, gratitude for the friends I have made, and love for our beautiful Order.

My year of service as Worthy Grand Matron has ended, but the blessings which have come with it have been many and are priceless possessions of mine. When I accepted the leadership of our Order in California with our Worthy Grand Patron, I was not unmindful of the many responsibilities I was assuming. I knew that my part was service and I knew that your part was cooperation. How well I have given that service rests with you. This part I know, that I have had your cooperation and your loyalty. I wish now to express my appreciation to my co-worker, Brother J. Hartley Taylor, Junior Past Grand Patron, for his assistance and for his many courtesies extended to me. I have enjoyed my year of service with you, Brother Taylor, and have enjoyed the privilege of serving with one so fine and so splendid.

To my Worthy Matrons, my Worthy Patrons, Grand Officers all, I owe whatever success I may have had to you and am deeply grateful. I shall always treasure your faith in me.

Our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron, I wish for you a year of splendid achievements and joy unbounded. To the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, I am proud to take my place in your ranks and be one of you, and I trust that I may still have the opportunity as a Past Grand Matron to give constructive service to our Order.

Lloyd Ellis Griffin, Past Grand Patron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Members of Grand Chapter: *Someone* who was making a public address once said that he was used to people looking at their watches while he was talking to them, but the thing that bothered him was this—putting it up to their ears to hear if it had stopped while he was talking.

May I say to our Junior Past Grand Patron, Brother J. Hartley Taylor—if you will stand, please, so that they will all know who you are. The time-honored custom has come to me tonight to present to you the jewel of your office. If I may become personal for just one moment and speak from my experience of knowing Brother J. Hartley Taylor as a man, as a Mason, as a friend, as a Grand Patron—Brother J. Hartley, we have learned to like you for many reasons. First, your sincerity of purpose, your belief in the Order, your endeavor to do good to your fellow-man. There is another thing about you that we like particularly well, and that is your wife, Sister Nettie. Without her I really don't know how you would have made this year. I believe, and I know that you believe, in this Order, in the teachings of the Order, and I know that you know of no dividing line in this state between the west, the south, the north or the east.

Brother Hartley, in joining this Order of the Eastern Star, we naturally learned many lessons. You and I belong to many other Orders. Some of them have inscribed on their Altars different mottos. One of them is this: "The faults of our brothers

we write upon the sands; their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory". Another is this: "If I cannot speak good of a brother, I will not speak evil of him". Another is this: "He went about doing good".

And Brother Hartley, if I should be called from here tonight and I wanted someone to say something kind of me, I know of no better saying than to have someone express this thought: "He went about doing good". And I can say this of you, Brother Hartley, that in your years of service to this Order, you have gone about doing good. And I present to you, Brother Hartley Taylor, this pentagon of five sides—representing a man, a Mason, a friend, a gentleman and last a Junior Past Grand Patron.

J. Hartley Taylor, Junior Past Grand Patron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Honored East, Sisters and Brothers: Brother Lloyd Griffin really made my speech for me. He also warned me that the hour is getting late, and I feel that if I were to say to you "thank you" at this time I would take enough of your time. I cannot stop at that, though. I must say just a few words. I must say to my Grand Matron that I appreciate the courtesy and the privilege of serving with her this year, along with the other Grand Officers. This year the Eastern Star has been very kind to me. I have had a very enjoyable year and wish to thank all those with whom I have come in contact who have made it so. I could not wish more for the new officers than that, because I feel that no one could have had a grander year than we have had. I thank you.

CLOSING

At midnight, the Sixty-second Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California was closed by the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Bertie Y. Todd.

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Proceedings of the Sixty-second Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, held in the City of Coronado, October 15, 16, 17 and 18, 1935.



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto affixed the Seal of the Grand Chapter of California, O. E. S., this twenty-fifth day of October, A. D., 1935.

Maud M^cWilliams Smith
Grand Secretary.

**Sacred to the Memory
of
Loved Ones
in the
Jurisdiction of California
and
other Grand Jurisdictions**

"Death is the golden key that opens the palace of eternity."

"What is death? A little broadening of a ripple
Upon the Eternal shore.
A little loosening of the bands that cripple—
This and nothing more.
What's death? A parting of the cloud above us
Which hides the sun.
A golden vision of the soul that loved us
And labor done.
What's death? The opening of a perfect flower;
No watcher sees
The silent spirit, whom at twilight hour
The bondman frees.
What's death? God's mercy strange
Uncomprehended;
The undiscovered goal;
The land of promise when the toil
Is ended—
The day-dawn of the soul."

In Memoriam

Chlo A. Routzahn-Craig

WORTHY GRAND MATRON

Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1903-1904

Entered Into Rest October 30, 1934

The sudden "going home" of Sister Chlo A. Routzahn-Craig, Past Grand Matron, came as a great shock to her many friends in the Order of the Eastern Star, and our hearts are sad. Sister Craig was a charter member of South Gate Chapter No. 133 and served as Worthy Matron in 1897. Later she became a member of Pacific Chapter No. 192 and then of Ocean Park Chapter No. 245. The fine attributes of her character, her charm and grace, made all who knew her love her.

"Sunset on earth, and peace
In love God given;
Sunset on earth, and peace,
Sunrise in Heaven."

In Memoriam

Lora Virginia Ream

GRAND TREASURER

**Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1885-1886**

Entered Into Rest March 3, 1935

Sister Ream was initiated in Evening Star Chapter No. 10 in 1875 and became a charter member of Stella Chapter No. 39 on May 24, 1880, serving as the first Worthy Matron.

“One who made Love, Trust and Charity the
keynote of her heart;

Who strove in life's every task to take a noble
part.

Through whose life the light of our Order sent
its radiance near and far;

And through whose deeds of kindness ever shone
the glory of our beautiful Eastern Star.”

In Memoriam

Stella Morgan Linscott

GRAND SECRETARY

**Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of
California, Order of the Eastern Star
1922-1923**

Entered Into Rest March 26, 1935

With a keen sense of irreparable loss and with saddened hearts we announce the passing of our dearly beloved Grand Secretary and Past Grand Matron, Sister Stella Morgan Linscott.

Sister Linscott was initiated in Sequoia Chapter No. 203 on November 10, 1902, and affiliated with Berkeley Chapter No. 178 in 1904, serving the Chapter as Worthy Matron in 1915. She served the Grand Chapter as Grand Conductress in 1916-17 and was the First Elected Grand Conductress, 1920-21.

Sister Linscott was ever kindly in thought, word and deed and was a living embodiment of the age-old admonition "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them". Her cheery smile, her keen sense of humor and loving thoughtfulness of all who came in contact with her endeared her to all members of the order.

We extend heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family and sorrowing friends. May God, in His infinite wisdom, grant them peace and understanding.

"I cannot say, and I will not say
That she is dead—she is just away!
With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand,
She has wandered into an unknown land,
And left us dreaming how very fair
It needs must be, since she lingers there.
And you, Oh, you, who the wildest yearn
For the old-time step and the glad return,
Think of her faring on, as dear
In the love of There as the love of Here.
Think of her still as the same I say;
She is not dead—she is just away!"

In Memoriam

Virginia Nellie Coate

ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON

**Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1913-1914**

Entered Into Rest May 6, 1935

**Sister Coate was initiated in South Gate Chapter No. 133
in 1901 and served as Worthy Matron in 1909**

**"What is death? A little parting
In the clouds above us that hide the sun;
A golden vision of souls that love us
And labor done."**

In Memoriam

Ernest Eugene Noon

WORTHY GRAND PATRON

**Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1922-1923**

Entered Into Rest September 7, 1935

**Brother Noon became a member of Artesia Chapter
No. 253 on October 7, 1913, and served as Worthy
Patron in 1919.**

“He was a friend whose heart was good,
Who walked with men and understood.
His was a smile men loved to see,
His was a hand that asked no fee
For friendliness or kindness done;
And now that he has journeyed on,
His is a fame that never ends—
He leaves behind uncounted friends.”

In Memoriam

Clara Abbott Giberson

WORTHY GRAND MATRON

**Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1901-1902**

Entered Into Rest October 17, 1935

Sister Giberson was initiated in Ivy Chapter No. 27 in 1890 and served as Worthy Matron in 1895. In October, 1895, she was appointed Grand Conductress of the Grand Chapter.

Her death came as a shock to her many friends as she was attending Grand Chapter when she was taken seriously ill on Thursday morning and passed to her eternal sleep about six o'clock of the same day.

A gentle, true and loving spirit—always kindly and charitable to all with whom she came in contact.

“Sleep on, dear sister, such lives as thine
Have not been lived in vain,
But shed an influence rare, divine,
On lives that here remain.”

In Memoriam

Albert Virgil Hughes

Worthy Patron-elect, Euclid Chapter No. 179

Charles Wellington Bennett

Worthy Patron, Alameda Chapter No. 386

George Bennett

Associate Patron, Sanger Chapter No. 482

Irwin B. Schnabel

Worthy Patron, Friendship Chapter No. 67

In Memoriam

In Loving Memory of Past Matrons and Past Patrons
Who Entered Into Rest During the Year 1934-1935

GOLDEN GATE NO. 1

Fred. William Gustave
Moebus

SILVER STAR NO. 3

S. Ada Ford

OAK LEAF NO. 8

May B. Gilpin

EVANGELINE NO. 9

William Edmond Meservey

MARTHA WASHINGTON NO. 13

Edward Milton Perdew

ST. JOHN'S NO. 14

Elizabeth H. Gehm

VESPER NO. 20

Florence G. Weeks
Marion Judson Cheatham

FERNDAL NO. 23

Jennie Hall

IVY NO. 27

Bessie Johnson
Maie Watson Hendry

VERNON NO. 35

Esther Mould

STELLA NO. 39

Lora Virginia Ream

AURORA NO. 40

Mary Adell Chipman

ATHENA NO. 46

Mary Jane McCloskey

REVELLE NO. 47

Francis Alvin Abbott
John E. Steinbeck

WHEATLAND NO. 48

Lizzie Roddan

MARYSVILLE NO. 55

Isaac Curtis Evans

FIDELIA NO. 56

Caroline Woodworth

UNITY NO. 65

Carrie Goodfriend
George Howard Ingham

FRIENDSHIP NO. 67

Ida May Chandler
Carrie Augustus Gladding

SILVER WAVE NO. 75

Mattie Rebecca Berkley

ROHNERVILLE NO. 76

Harry Ellsworth Hurlbutt

AZALIA NO. 77

Mary Early
Ida Jones
John W. Dietz

MARGUERITE NO. 78

Samuel John Heyl

VENTURA NO. 79

Frank Carlton Doty
Edward James Reynolds
David John Reese

MARSHALL NO. 86

John Hiram Graves

HELIOTROPE NO. 93

Parris Allen
Herman J. Lohman

SOUTHERN STAR NO. 96

Mary Katherine Flint
Rosina Matilda Hertzburn
Perry Alfred Richey

BEULAH NO. 99

Sarah Jacobs
Adolf Fitschen

MIZPAH NO. 100

Jane Boyd
Nettie Earl

HESPERIAN NO. 112

Amanda Cramer
Jules Alexander

PALM LEAF NO. 114

Delmar Trowbridge

CARITA NO. 115

Theresa J. Catron

TRUCKEE NO. 116

John Sherritt

COLUMBUS NO. 117

Ella Mae Lambert
George J. Harris

In Memoriam

AMAPOLA NO. 119
Howard P. Short

HARMONY NO. 124
Frank Kerrigan

BAKERSFIELD NO. 125
Charles Richard Dennen

MERCEDES NO. 126
Elizabeth Johnston Baker

LOS GATOS NO. 128
Jessie James Cornell

SOUTH GATE NO. 133
Nellie Virginia Coate
Edward G. Binz

CENTINELA NO. 136
John Frederick Muth

ORESTIMBA NO. 139
Leland Harris Parker

LYEA NO. 144
Sarah Ann Swain
Nellie Frampton

JASMINE NO. 145
Thomas Griswold

PEARL NO. 147
Edward M. James

LODI NO. 150
Mary E. Hill

CROWN NO. 162
Ella A. Seares

ONISBO NO. 164
Sarah Elizabeth Nistrath

ESPERANZA NO. 167
Ida Jane Street

KING SOLOMON'S NO. 170
Arthur MacDonald Blade

CARNATION NO. 171
Florence Mangold

LEXINGTON NO. 172
Elbert J. Dodson

**SAN PEDRO HARBOR
NO. 174**
Lydia Petty

BERKELEY NO. 178
Stella Morgan Linscott
Margaret Gray

EUCLID NO. 179
Amy Alma Benedict

CALIFORNIA NO. 183
Alida Louise Berg
Isadora Horton
Charles Jacob Benninger

CROCKETT NO. 184
Charles Philip Thomas

LAUREL NO. 186
Harry Augustus Peckham

TEHACHAPI NO. 188
George Peppitt
Dick Shackelford

SACRAMENTO NO. 190
Josephine Gellate

FULLERTON NO. 191
William T. Brown
Edward J. Jones

SANTA CLARA NO. 195
Hannah Daisy Percival

MT. WHITNEY NO. 197
Katherine Watterson

LAS MARIPOSAS NO. 200
Bessie H. Farnsworth
Jennie M. Helm
Hjalmer Kylberg

LA PALOMA NO. 202
Martha Ella Coltrin

STARR KING NO. 204
Mellisa Beanston

MIRAMAR NO. 205
Roy Clifford Fernald

ALOHA NO. 206
Lillis George Brann

CITRUS NO. 208
Joseph Evert Ehorn

HOLLYWOOD NO. 209
Harriet Jane Watson
George Lingo

PALESTINE NO. 210
Fred C. McKinnie

In Memoriam

SUNSET NO. 216

Ida Shumaker
Metta Fox

GOLDEN ROD NO. 221

Frank Freeman Marshall
George Wyman Morse

RIO VISTA NO. 222

Agnes Maud Stewart

EAST GATE NO. 225

Luther L. Yates

OAKDALE NO. 226

Le Grande Crow
Harry Spencer Crowe

MONROVIA NO. 227

Albert Jay Walker

SAPPHIRE NO. 230

Harry A. Doidge

BONNER NO. 232

Thomas B. Sizer

NATOMA NO. 233

Minnie Imhoff

LOS CERRITOS NO. 234

Olive Wilson Reed

JEWEL NO. 238

Emma Louise Nunan

MILTON NO. 244

Charles Wise Rhodes

OCEAN PARK NO. 245

Chlo A. Craig

HOLLENBECK NO. 248

William Albert Engle

ACANTHA NO. 249

Bertie Ernest Scoble
Alfred C. Curtis

SUNNYVALE NO. 250

John K. Durst

GARDENA NO. 260

Lila Fanset Bickford

SAN DIEGO NO. 264

Lillian Rosimer MacNeill

WEST LAKE NO. 268

Elizabeth Bettina Wheeler
Anna Morris Wintermuth

SANTA CRUZ NO. 273

May Coral Moore

ST. HELENA NO. 274

John Hiram Allison

ATHENS NO. 277

Miriam A. Joseph

VALLEJO NO. 278

Minnie Fitzgerald

PLEIADES NO. 281

Martha Cole Harmon

ELVESTA NO. 293

Henry Elkamp

FRESNO NO. 295

Mamie Bedford Johnson
Margaret Jane Hertweck
Robert Hall Ellithorpe

WISTARIA NO. 296

Ellen Forsmark
Della B. Heisser
Emma C. Borglin

FRUITVALE NO. 297

Clara Elizabeth Haley

GOLDEN STATE NO. 298

George E. Cota

PALOS VERDES NO. 310

David Thomas Keightley

EAGLE ROCK NO. 313

Augustus Ruggles Rose

ROSE CROIX NO. 317

Albert Gillman
Joseph Henry Heckman
James J. McGiffin

PORTOLA NO. 321

Nellie P. Groves

EOWANA NO. 328

Ira Earl True
Rufus Gideon Stites

EL RIO NO. 333

Florence Almata Ripley

MONTEBELLO NO. 335

Bertha Freeland Sharp

ATASCADERO NO. 344

William M. Crilley

In Memoriam

UPLAND NO. 346

Nettie Avery

CACHEVILLE NO. 349

Mabel G. Woodard
Sarah Friend Hayden

ELYSIAN NO. 354

Frank P. Howard

ALETHE NO. 366

David Samuel Gittings

ARBUCKLE NO. 368

Samuel Alva Pendleton

WESTWOOD NO. 377

Henry Garfield Oates

RAINBOW NO. 385

Francis Gerald Cocking

ALAMEDA NO. 386

Josephine Marie Blakeslee

FALLBROOK NO. 390

Harry Duthie
Douglas M. Hendrickson

CALEDONIA NO. 391

Lottie E. Whittemore

RIVERDALE NO. 400

Sophie Lizzette Hubbard

FOREST NO. 432

Mildred Lurline Boomer

SUNNYSIDE NO. 436

Lena Mae Stoffer

CALIZ DE ORO NO. 467

Avis Albert King

ARCADIA NO. 471

Edna M. Bolz

SANGER NO. 482

George Bennett

PALMS NO. 481

Charles Joseph Goodman

OLIVETTE NO. 503

Hazel Ross

WOODLAKE NO. 510

Josephine Goldman

TEMPLE NO. 513

Flora Vesta Adams

WIL-BREA NO. 520

Etta Mae Kenneman

REPORTS OF THE DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS

EBBA M. CULLBERG, District No. 1

Arcata Chapter No. 207, Arcata—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Books kept by a very capable secretary who takes much interest in all affairs of the Chapter. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This, my home Chapter, is presided over by a capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, supported by splendid officers. Many Past Matrons and Past Patrons with devoted members working for the best interests of the Chapter. We are exceptionally privileged in having the first Worthy Patron, now at the age of eighty years, still taking an active interest in this Chapter. He is now serving his sixth year as flag bearer.

I am grateful to the officers for the pleasant surprise given me on the night of my official visit and for the love and loyalty shown me at all times. I deeply appreciate the thoughtfulness and help of the members of Arcata Chapter. This year of service to my own Chapter as Deputy will always be a happy memory.

Camellia Chapter No. 63, Eureka—Date of visit March 15, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Kept beautifully by a very capable secretary. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very efficient Worthy Matron and an excellent Worthy Patron, supported by splendid officers. Officers have given much time and attention to their work and have reached a high degree of efficiency. Their ritualistic work at all times rendered in a beautiful and impressive manner. It has given me much happiness to be associated with this fine Chapter.

The officers and members have been exceptionally kind and gracious to their Deputy Grand Matron, and I deeply appreciate their friendship and cooperation.

Del Norte Chapter No. 149, Crescent City—Date of visit March 20, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Neatly and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An excellent corps of officers and a splendid Worthy

Matron and Worthy Patron. This is the only Chapter in Del Norte county. The officers are to be commended on the excellence of their work. I sincerely appreciate the courtesies extended to me. I have enjoyed working with this fine group of officers. I felt honored and happy to have a delegation from this Chapter present at all of my official visits to the other Chapters. They traveled many miles to be in attendance at these meetings and I am deeply grateful for their interest in their Deputy.

Ferndale Chapter No. 23, Ferndale—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Neatly and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The oldest chapter in my District and one of which I am very proud. It is particularly noted for its hospitality and cordial greeting to visitors. A lovely Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, supported by splendid officers. I deeply appreciate the thoughtfulness, love and loyalty shown me. One of the happiest remembrances of my year will be of the nights spent in this Chapter room, and of the friendships I have made.

Rohnerville Chapter No. 76, Fortuna—Date of visit March 28, 1935. Condition of books: Good. All books neatly and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, with faithful officers, anxious to excel in their work. The officers and members have been lovely to me and it has been a pleasure to work with this Chapter. I wish to express my appreciation for their cooperation and the kindnesses and courtesies extended to me.

EUNICE AUTENRIETH, District No. 2

Dunsmuir Chapter U. D., Dunsmuir—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is growing steadily in membership. Not yet a year old, it seems to be progressing nicely and general condition is good. Officers are more than interested and anxious to turn out fine work.

Evening Star Chapter No. 10, Etna Mills—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Dia-

gram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers are conscientious in their work and hospitality is outstanding in this Chapter. The officers and members come from a long distance to attend. This is the oldest Chapter in District No. 2.

Fidelity Chapter No. 131, Dunsmuir—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: The condition of these books is excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An earnest Matron and Patron and an interested membership are in attendance. The officers are doing fine work. Hospitality is outstanding.

McCloud Chapter No. 381, McCloud—Date of visit April 15, 1935. Condition of books: The books are in good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is supported by a fine corps of officers and interested members on the side lines. Hospitality is a noted asset to the Chapter.

Sisson Chapter No. 175, Mt. Shasta City—Date of visit April 24, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A Matron and Patron who are interested in the welfare of the Chapter, and the officers are most sincere in their work.

Stella Chapter No. 39, Yreka—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The general condition of this Chapter is good. My own Chapter has been untiring in its efforts to do good work, as have all the Chapters in my District. I am deeply appreciative to my seven Chapters for all the love and hospitality shown me.

White Pine Chapter No. 487, Weed—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. The books are in fine shape. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The feeling of hospitality prevails here. The officers are doing fine work and the condition of the Chapter is very fine.

BESS EUGENE LEE, District No. 3

Molino Chapter No. 83, Tehama—Date of visit April 1, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. on the night of my official visit. Work was exemplified in a very commendable manner. Splendid corps of officers, giving their hearty cooperation to a sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and Patron. Sincerely appreciate the friendship of this Chapter and am grateful for their loyal support and many courtesies.

Mt. Shasta Chapter No. 153, Anderson—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. In excellent condition. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. Very earnest and sincere corps of officers led by a splendid Worthy Matron and Patron. Work very commendable on the night of my official visit. It was a great pleasure to serve this Chapter and I keenly appreciated their many courtesies.

Mystic Star Chapter No. 279, Corning—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; kept in a neat manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid and hospitable Chapter. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with a charming and very capable Worthy Matron and a splendid Worthy Patron. They are supported by a very fine corps of officers. Work well exemplified. This is the home Chapter of our beloved Past Grand Matron Sister Zella Whitford Samson. I am deeply grateful to her for many kindly considerations. The courtesies extended to me as their Deputy Grand Matron will long be remembered and were greatly appreciated.

Northern Light Chapter No. 26, Millville—Date of visit April 13, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened 2:05 P. M. Worthy Matron was ill on day of my official visit. All other officers present. Work splendidly done. Very fine and capable officers, earnest in their endeavors to perfect their work. I am grateful for the opportunity to have served so fine a Chapter. Their kindness to me at all times will never be forgotten.

Redding Chapter No. 44, Redding—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. All officers present on night of my official visit. The exemplification of the work was most praiseworthy. Very charming and efficient Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron, supported by a loyal corps of officers. I appreciate and am grateful to our dearly beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Minnie Viola Collins, for the honor she bestowed on this, my home Chapter, this year, and the rare privilege which has been mine in serving her in our Third District as Deputy Grand Matron. The loyalty given me and the love shown me by my home Chapter will ever be cherished.

St. Johns Chapter No. 14, Weaverville—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. on the night of my official visit. Very fine exemplification of the work. They have a lovely and capable Worthy Matron, a very fine Worthy Patron, loyal officers. This is a most hospitable Chapter. I am indebted to them for many kindnesses and I trust the friendships formed in this lovely Chapter will ever remain.

Vesper Chapter No. 20, Red Bluff—Date of visit May 6, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:03 o'clock on the night of my official visit. All members present except Worthy Matron, who was absent on account of illness. The work was very splendidly done. Very interesting corps of officers, eager for instruction and striving for perfection. I am deeply appreciative to this Chapter for their loyal support and cooperation, their many courtesies extended to me; I shall always think of them with pleasure.

Welcome Chapter No. 17, Shasta—Date of visit March 23, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:30 P. M. All stations were filled on my official visit. Snow-blocked roads kept many from attending. Secretary was absent on account of illness. Had a very good attendance, notwithstanding the weather. Work very well done by officers present

and other members filling the various stations. A gracious Worthy Matron and splendid supporting Worthy Patron. I am deeply grateful to this Chapter for many kindly considerations as their Deputy Grand Matron.

AMY C. R. JARMAN, District No. 4

Alturas Chapter No. 51, Alturas—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: In splendid condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Wonderful Matron and Patron. Chapter growing and doing splendid work. I was accorded courteous treatment and good reception. On their way to do a wonderful work this year. All officers present except Sentinel.

Bonner Chapter No. 232, Cedarville—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Charming and very capable Worthy Matron. Splendid corps of officers and doing splendid work. So gracious to me on my official visit. I shall never forget their kindness. It was a joy to serve them.

Eagle Chapter No. 187, Eagleville—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: Books in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The O. E. S. own their own building and are very proud of the fact. It is a small Chapter but is full of spirit. Wonderful Matron and Patron. Very friendly and hospitable and all are working hard for their little Chapter. Very gracious to me, for which I feel very appreciative.

Esther Chapter No. 74, Adin—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Was very graciously received. Couldn't do enough to make things pleasant for me, for which I am truly grateful. Very earnest corps of officers and I think will do effective things this year. Some prospective members.

North East Chapter No. 254, Ft. Bidwell—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: Books in excellent condition.

Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter in good condition. Very enthusiastic. Very capable Worthy Matron and Patron. Splendid corps of officers. Officers and members were lovely to me and I more than appreciated their kindness and hospitality. All officers present.

North Star Chapter No. 450, Fall River Mills—Date of visit May 6, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Work was well done by officers under the leadership of a very capable Worthy Matron and Patron. The courtesies shown me will never be forgotten. They seem to exude graciousness.

LOUISE BRERETON ALLARD, District No. 5

Arbuckle Chapter No. 368, Arbuckle—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Fine corps of officers anxious for instruction. Work well done on the night of my official visit.

Citrus Chapter No. 208, Orland—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid corps of officers, most of whom are letter perfect in their work. Chapter opened promptly.

Eowana Chapter No. 328, Stonyford—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very fine Worthy Matron and Patron in this little Chapter. Many officers are Past Matrons and Patrons who come many miles for Chapter meetings. Very anxious for instructions and most hospitable.

Loyal Chapter No. 223, Williams—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Fine corps of officers led by an excellent Worthy Matron. Work well done on the night of my official visit.

Marshall Chapter No. 86, Willows—Date of visit March 20, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very fine corps of officers. On the night of my official visit nearly every officer was letter perfect. Chapter opened promptly. This, my own Chapter, celebrated its 50th birthday this year.

Maxwell Chapter No. 369, Maxwell—Date of visit April 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very fine corps of officers, all working toward perfection. Chapter opened promptly. Work very well done on the night of my official visit.

Veritas Chapter No. 84, Colusa—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid corps of officers, anxious to do perfect work. Attendance very good. This Chapter has just celebrated its 50th birthday.

Wild Rose Chapter No. 326, Princeton—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Fine corps of officers, many of whom are Past Matrons and Patrons. Chapter room very small. Wonderful spirit of friendliness and good will among members.

ETHEL W. HURD, District No. 6

Beckwith Star Chapter No. 201, Beckwith—Date of visit March 9, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A small Chapter doing good work under difficulties. Most of the officers have to travel long distances over mountain roads. Very anxious for instruction. Very kind and courteous to their Deputy.

Celandine Chapter No. 224, Loyaltan—Date of visit March 30, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the

Labyrinth, 2; *Quarterly Circulars* not kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very earnest officers, conscientious, gracious, appreciative and anxious for instruction. Very kind and courteous to their Deputy.

Hesperian Chapter No. 112, Susanville—Date of visit February 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the *Labyrinth*, 2; *Quarterly Circulars* not kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid group of officers doing excellent work and always ready for instruction. Sidelines proud of the fine work done by their officers. Am grateful for the courtesies shown me and for the close friendship existing between this Chapter and my own.

Plumas Chapter No. 246, Quincy—Date of visit March 13, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the *Labyrinth*, 2; *Quarterly Circulars* kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers doing good work under a very efficient Worthy Matron. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Visitors receive a cordial welcome. Everyone most gracious to the Deputy.

Portola Chapter No. 321, Portola—Date of visit March 8, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the *Labyrinth*, 2; *Quarterly Circulars* kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid Chapter, with a very efficient Worthy Matron and corps of officers, anxious for instruction. Every courtesy shown their Deputy.

Sierra Star Chapter No. 129, Sierraville—Date of visit May 4, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the *Labyrinth*, 2; *Quarterly Circulars* kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere, earnest and hospitable Chapter. Most officers are Past Matrons. Membership scattered and officers work under difficulties as road conditions prevent them from getting together for practices. Very lovely to their Deputy and very courteous to all visitors.

Sincerity Chapter No. 53, Greenville—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the *Labyrinth*, 2; *Quarterly Circulars* kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere Chapter working under great difficulties. Almost impossible for all officers to be present at all practice meetings because of

long distances to travel over impassable roads. Officers eager for instruction under the leadership of a fine Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Every courtesy extended their Deputy. Fine Masonic support.

Westwood Chapter No. 377, Westwood—Date of visit March 11, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers doing excellent work. It has been a joy to work with these officers, who are eager to maintain the high standard set for them by previous corps of officers. Every courtesy shown me throughout the year. Splendid support from sidelines.

CHARLOTTE MCKENZIE BRINK, District No. 7

Amapola Chapter No. 119, Oroville—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers anxious to receive instruction and to do their work well. Much effort is made to make meetings interesting to all. Past officers very helpful. Many calls and attention given to members in sickness or distress. My sincere appreciation for kindness and co-operation.

Fidelia Chapter No. 56, Yuba City—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A capable and friendly corps of officers, doing very excellent work. Lovely music adds much. Am proud to have your honored member, Sister Anna Moncur, Grand Treasurer, a member of my District. Past officers very helpful. I sincerely thank all for their love and many courtesies extended to me at all times.

Josephine Chapter No. 104, Chico—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid work, exemplified in a dignified and efficient manner. Promptness a marked feature. Fine support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. For perfect cooperation and the many courtesies that I have received, I am truly grateful.

Lyman Chapter No. 363, Biggs—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Work exemplified in an excellent manner. Officers ready to cooperate. Past Matrons and Past Patrons very loyal. I have been very happy to serve my own Chapter and all the lovely Chapters of the 7th District. My sincere thanks for the many kindnesses extended to me, and I especially appreciate the lovely evening planned in my honor.

Marysville Chapter No. 55, Marysville—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very lovely Chapter, with efficient officers, doing splendid work. A pleasure to visit at all times, and I have thoroughly enjoyed working with them. Past officers very helpful. Every courtesy shown me has been greatly appreciated.

Smartville Chapter No. 431, Smartville—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This chapter has an exceedingly small hall and the officers live many miles apart, but what they lose by these handicaps they make up in love, charity and hospitality. The officers are anxious to do their work well and deserve much praise. It has been a pleasure to serve them, and I am grateful for their many kindnesses to me.

Vernon Chapter No. 35, Gridley—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a very active Chapter and enjoys a splendid social life in their own Chapter and many others throughout the state. Officers anxious to do perfect work and they have succeeded to a marked degree. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I wish to thank the officers and members for their many courtesies to me at all times. It was a great pleasure to serve them.

SADIE TUDESBURY, District No. 8

Aurora Chapter No. 40, Grass Valley—Date of visit March 4, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid corps of officers, anxious to do their work well. A fine spirit of happiness and good fellowship. I am grateful to the members and officers for the many courtesies shown me. They have helped to make my year as Deputy a happy one.

Bethany Chapter No. 304, Colfax—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers doing good work. It has been a joy to work with these officers who are eager to maintain the high standard set for them by their capable and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Very hospitable and harmonious. Good Masonic support. I deeply appreciate all the kindness shown me by officers and members at all times.

Crystal Chapter No. 57, Auburn—Date of visit February 28, 1935. Condition of books: Good. New Secretary this year, but trying very hard to follow every detail. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. A splendid corps of officers, anxious to attain perfection in their work. Good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A spirit of harmony and generous hospitality prevails, and my associations with the members and officers have been a real joy to me.

Evangeline Chapter No. 9, Nevada City—Date of visit February 19, 1935. Condition of books: Good; very efficient Secretary, who has been in the office 22 years. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very hospitable. A splendid corps of officers under leadership of capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work well done. 62nd anniversary celebrated June 18th. Good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Instructions very kindly received. I am very happy for the friendships made with the officers and members, and wish to thank them for the many courtesies to me at all times.

Mountain Fern Chapter No. 62, Georgetown—Date of visit March 28, 1935. Condition of books: Good; Secretary has been ill, but very efficient Secretary pro tem. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An interested corps of officers guided by a most gracious Worthy Matron and capable and efficient Worthy Patron. Very anxious to do their work well. Making good progress. Good Masonic support. Very hospitable and appreciate visitors. I wish to thank the officers and members for their many courtesies. It was a pleasure to serve them as their Deputy.

Penrhyn Chapter No. 159, Penryn—Date of visit February 12, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A gracious and capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid corps of officers doing good work. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons, of which I am proud to be one. Good Masonic support. Very hospitable. This is my own Chapter, which I am very proud and happy to serve.

I hope in my duties, which have been a pleasure to me, I have succeeded in maintaining the ideals of our beautiful Order. My associations with the lovely groups of officers and members of the 8th District will always be one of my happiest memories.

Placer Chapter No. 49, Dutch Flat—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A loyal group of officers and members, many living quite a distance. An efficient and capable Worthy Matron, who travels one hundred miles to her Chapter meetings, and an interested Worthy Patron preside over a splendid corps of officers, who strive at all times to do their work well. Splendid Masonic support. Very hospitable. It has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter, and I wish to extend thanks for all kindness shown me.

Truckee Chapter No. 116, Truckee—Date of visit June 4, 1935. Condition of books: Good; very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a striving little Chapter of loyal members, some of whom travel quite some distance to attend Chapter meetings. A lovely group of officers under the guidance of a sincere and

earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Very hospitable. The work was well done on the night of my official visit, and I appreciate their faithfulness, their loyal support and their most generous hospitality to me at all times.

ESTHER DUNCAN, District No. 9

Augusta Chapter No. 80, Covelo—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: All Chapter books in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my home Chapter, of which I am proud to be a member. Chapter is presided over by an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have the welfare and prosperity of the Chapter at heart. All these lovely officers exemplified the work in a most splendid manner. I am proud of the Worthy Patron, whose exemplification of his work is worthy of high praise. There is loyal support given by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. To them and to the officers and members of Augusta Chapter, I express my gratitude for all they did to make this a happy year for me. It has been a joy to serve you as Deputy Grand Matron. The night of my official visit will long be a cherished memory.

Clear Lake Chapter No. 137, Lakeport—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: All books of Chapter in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is very homelike and hospitable and is presided over by a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who are tireless in promoting the prosperity of their Chapter. These officers exemplified the work in a very creditable manner. For their friendliness, cooperation and many courtesies, I express my sincere appreciation. It has been a pleasure to serve as your Deputy.

Kingsley Chapter No. 58, Ukiah—Date of visit April 1, 1935. Condition of books: All books of Chapter in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An efficient and most gracious Worthy Matron, assisted by a capable Worthy Patron preside over this lovely Chapter. His exemplification of the ritualistic work was a credit to his Chapter. These officers exemplified the work in a dignified and very worthy manner. Their excellent work is the result of attendance and attention at all meetings. I have

enjoyed my work with this Chapter and to the officers and members I express my sincere thanks for their graciousness and friendliness and to the Worthy Matron for her kindness on day of my official visit.

Lower Lake Chapter No. 231, Lower Lake—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: All Chapter books in good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most sincere and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron preside over this Chapter. Their officers are loyal and all are doing very good work. This is a friendly and happy Chapter and all visitors receive a warm welcome. Their hospitality and warm friendliness on my visits there will long be remembered by their Deputy.

Ocean View Chapter No. 111, Mendocino—Date of visit March 16, 1935. Condition of books: All books of Chapter in splendid condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. I am happy to report the efficiency of Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and their loyal corps of officers. Harmony and happiness prevail in this Chapter. I deeply appreciate their friendliness and cordial welcome on my visits there. They will always be a happy memory. To the Worthy Matron my sincere thanks for her hospitality on night of my official visit.

Point Arena Chapter No. 291, Point Arena—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: All Chapter books in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was rendered in a creditable manner by a very capable Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron, who are being supported by a fine corps of officers, all doing excellent work. I am grateful for their kindness and many courtesies extended to me on my visits to this happy Chapter.

Sapphire Chapter No. 230, Fort Bragg—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: All Chapter books in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most capable Worthy Matron presides over this Chapter, assisted by a loyal and helpful Worthy Patron. The work was exemplified in a splendid manner by all of these lovely

officers. This Chapter is enjoying a happy and prosperous year. I am deeply grateful for the wonderful reception and many courtesies on this, my last official visit. It was a happy climax and I shall always remember this evening with much happiness.

Willits Chapter No. 314, Willits—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: All Chapter books in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron preside over this Chapter, supported by a loyal corps of officers. The work was exemplified in a most creditable manner. I thank these officers for their splendid cooperation and attention at all meetings. It has been a pleasure to work with you. I deeply appreciate your friendly greetings and hospitality. My official visit here will always be a happy memory.

CHARLOTTE PURVINE, District No. 10

Cloverleaf Chapter No. 130, Cloverdale—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Generous hospitality and a warm feeling of friendship exists in this Chapter. The officers are most loyal and conscientious and very faithful to their work. It has given me much pleasure to work with this corps of officers. Although the Worthy Matron has been handicapped by serious illness she has been able to carry on and to conduct most of her meetings. She has been most capable and very gracious in her work. I find that in this Chapter they not only teach the beautiful principles of our Order but they really put into practice those teachings for they "Help One Another", and they "Love One Another".

Gold Ridge Chapter No. 161, Sebastopol—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. There is a strong feeling of love and loyalty, one toward another, in this Chapter so that it is, indeed, a great pleasure to visit this Chapter. What a joy it has been to work with this group of officers! They have been willing to sacrifice any of their time or their own pleasures in order to give more time or service to their Chapter. A most loyal and earnest group of officers and all doing splendid work. Splendid support from the members. A very friendly and hospitable Chapter.

Mill Valley Chapter No. 219, Mill Valley—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter holds its meetings in a very beautiful hall. The officers are very enthusiastic over their work and much cooperation is given to the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, not only by the officers but by the members as well. The music is exceptionally good. The work is beautifully done by all the officers. This is, indeed, a very fine Chapter.

Morning Star Chapter No. 61, Petaluma—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Perfect. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very beautiful Chapter room where the officers exemplified their work in a very perfect and beautiful manner. A very sweet and gracious Worthy Matron presides over this Chapter, ably assisted by a very capable Worthy Patron. This Chapter has a pipe organ and the music is exceptionally good. There is a dignity in this Chapter which adds much beauty and charm to it. It enjoys the loyal support and heartiest cooperation from all the members. A feeling of good fellowship exists here. I am, indeed, proud and happy to call this Chapter my own.

Riverview Chapter No. 336, Guerneville—Date of visit March 15, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has a very large and beautiful hall where the officers can exemplify their work to very good advantage. The interest which these officers have shown in their work and the time which they have devoted to it certainly shows that their efforts have not been in vain, for each station has been filled perfectly and the work has been beautifully done. A very friendly and hospitable Chapter and one you enjoy visiting.

Rose Valley Chapter No. 33, Santa Rosa—Date of visit March 25, 1935. Condition of books: All books were in excellent condition with the exception of the Associate Conductress' Ritual. The pages were loose and falling out. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a very large Chapter and a beautiful one, indeed! A very gracious, charming and most conscientious Worthy Matron presides over

this Chapter, ably assisted by a very fine Worthy Patron and a most loyal corps of officers. The work is beautifully done and the large attendance at the meetings speaks well for the interest and support of the members.

San Rafael Chapter No. 215, San Rafael—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work exemplified by this group of officers is worthy of the highest praise. They are a group of very sincere and earnest workers and strive to do their very best. They have a very fine, large hall where they can exemplify their work to very good advantage. It has been a great pleasure to work with this group of officers for they have given me their heartiest cooperation. A very sweet and conscientious Worthy Matron presides over this Chapter, ably assisted by a very capable and most reliable Worthy Patron. A very fine Chapter, indeed!

Sotoyome Chapter No. 82, Healdsburg—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sweet, gracious and most charming Worthy Matron presides over this Chapter, assisted by a very splendid and efficient Worthy Patron. There is a feeling of cheerfulness and friendliness that exists among all the members that is felt by anyone visiting this Chapter. The officers cooperate in every way and the work is beautifully and perfectly done. The members are most loyal and give to this Chapter splendid support. A very fine Chapter, indeed!

Valley Home Chapter No. 182, Windsor—Date of visit February 27, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sweet and capable Worthy Matron presides over this Chapter, assisted by a very faithful and loyal Worthy Patron. It has been a great joy to work with these officers for they have been so faithful, so earnest and so sincere. Their work is beautifully done. A warm feeling of hospitality and friendliness exists in this Chapter that is so very desirable in our beautiful Order.

WILNA V. MITCHELL, District No. 11

Calistoga Chapter No. 189, Calistoga—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good. All records and accounts properly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Handicapped by sickness and the loss of several officers, the loyal members have worked hard for the best interests of the Chapter. The earnest endeavors of the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron and other officers resulted in very satisfactory work for the official visit. I believe that two meetings a month, instead of the one held now, would create a greater interest in the Chapter. The Worthy Patron and his wife, the Warder, are to be especially commended for their fidelity, traveling a long distance over mountain roads, in all kinds of weather, to every meeting and practice. I appreciate the friendships formed in this Chapter and thank the members for their kindness to me.

Keystone Chapter No. 235, Napa—Date of visit May 9, 1935. Condition of books: All books and records in good condition, due to work of faithful officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The splendid Eastern Star spirit and the high standard maintained make Keystone worthy of the honor of having Junior Past Grand Patron Wallace Taylor Rutherford among its membership. The cordial hospitality extended and the outstanding work of the officers under the leadership of a gracious Worthy Matron and her husband, who has been a helpful Worthy Patron, have made it a great pleasure to attend the meetings; my official visit will always remain a happy memory. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very active, giving the Chapter strong support. I am most grateful for the cooperation and many courtesies I have received during the entire year.

Silver Gate Chapter No. 30, Benicia—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers have taken a keen interest and have given loyal support to their lovely Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, who as President of the Silverado Patrons and Associate Patrons Association, has spared no effort, not only for his own Chapter, but for the whole District. The officers' rendition of the work is beautiful. A congenial, friendly spirit pervades the Chapter at all times.

It has been a real pleasure to meet with them and I only regret that it has not been possible to be with them more often.

Silver Spray Chapter No. 59, Napa—Date of visit May 2, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. All records kept in very satisfactory manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Led by a most lovable Worthy Matron and an efficient and enthusiastic Worthy Patron this Chapter has enjoyed one of the most successful years it has had for some time. The meetings have opened promptly and all officers have been interested and proficient in their work. I have enjoyed my work with this friendly Chapter and truly appreciate their courteous attentions and gracious hospitality. This Worthy Matron has further shown her efficiency as the capable President of the Silverado Matrons and Associate Matrons Association.

Silver Star Chapter No. 3, Vallejo—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Neatly and accurately kept by officers who have served for many years. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter, one of the oldest in the State, had the distinction of celebrating its 65th anniversary this year. Its splendid condition is a testimony of the years that have gone into its building. Under the leadership of an unusually talented Worthy Matron and an outstanding Worthy Patron the fine corps of officers have done excellent work. Clever programs have made the meetings interesting and well attended. Their "Friendship Night" was the means of more closely uniting the Chapters of the District. Their cordiality and many courtesies have made my every contact with the members of this Chapter a real joy.

St. Helena Chapter No. 274, St. Helena—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An atmosphere of harmony and hospitality radiates from this little Chapter. Guided by a charming Worthy Matron and a loyal Worthy Patron the officers have made every effort to be a credit to their Deputy Grand Matron. I am very proud of their good work and most grateful for their loving and faithful support. The reception of a number of new members has given encouragement for the future of the Chapter. It has been a rare privilege to serve as Deputy to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron,

Minnie Viola Collins, and I deeply appreciate the honor conferred upon my Chapter through my appointment. Many thanks to every Chapter in the district for the thoughtful planning of each delightful meeting arranged for my official visit and for the countless expressions of love and friendship which have all helped to make this year of service one of the happiest of my life. I wish to thank the Silverado Associations for their cooperation and support. They have been a tremendous force in strengthening the warm fraternal tie existing in the Eleventh District.

Vallejo Chapter No. 278, Vallejo—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Carefully and neatly kept by conscientious officers. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This progressive Chapter has had an excellent year under the leadership of a sweet, capable Worthy Matron and an efficient Worthy Patron who are justly proud of their splendid corps of officers. It has been a privilege to work with them, for their enthusiasm, promptness and attention have produced most commendable work. The large attendance is the result of the carefully planned meetings. The support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons is outstanding. I sincerely thank the members for the delightful evenings spent with them.

Valley of the Moon Chapter No. 85, Sonoma—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter, situated in historic Sonoma, had the honor of observing its 50th anniversary on the night of the installation of officers, and this has, indeed, been a golden year. The efficient Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron have been enthusiastic leaders. The interpretation of the work by the lovely Star Points has added to the impressiveness and beauty of the ceremonies of the Order. The cordiality extended to visitors makes one always feel at home in this Chapter.

YETTAH I. TORP, District No. 12

Cacheville Chapter No. 349, Yolo—Date of visit March 23, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This small Chapter is headed by a very gracious Worthy Matron and splendid Patron. The

officers are anxious for instruction and were very considerate of their deputy. They do very nice work. I am very happy that Cacheville Chapter is in my District as I have made many friends. I appreciate their courtesies greatly.

Esparto Chapter No. 341, Esparto—Date of visit February 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid Chapter. An efficient Worthy Matron and Patron leads a fine corps of officers. The members lend a wonderful support to the officers. Cordial welcome given to all visitors. Especially nice to the Deputy. Officers anxious for instruction. It has been a great pleasure to work with these officers and to meet the members.

Golden Rod Chapter No. 221, Dixon—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: In good condition; beautifully kept; no delinquent members. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A growing Chapter with excellent music and a very efficient corps of officers led by a splendid Worthy Matron. All sincere in their efforts to do the work well and to live up to their obligation. Initiation beautifully done. Masonic support unusually good. Splendid attendance by members. Very courteous to visitors. Officers and members did all in their power to make my visits happy ones. I shall always remember their kindness.

Grafton Chapter No. 379, Knights Landing—Date of visit April 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; Grafton Chapter only had one delinquent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is very dear to me. Only 53 members but each one actively interested. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron anxious to do their work well. The splendid corps of officers welcomed instruction. They were very kind and courteous to their Deputy Grand Matron and I am well pleased with their work. It has been a pleasure to work with this Chapter. I shall remember this Chapter and its members as long as I live.

Ionia Chapter No. 199, Davis—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Good; only 7 delinquents. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Ionia Chap-

ter has an efficient corps of officers doing fine work. An efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid attendance the night of my official visit. Very hospitable. This Chapter has so many wonderful members. I am very happy to have had this opportunity to work with them. It has been a great pleasure that I shall always remember.

Rio Vista Chapter No. 222, Rio Vista—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Rio Vista Chapter is noted for its hospitality. The officers are sincere in their efforts to do their work well. The members give wonderful support to the officers. Fine Masonic support. All visitors are given a warm welcome and the Chapter does much for its members who are ill or in distress. It has been a joy to work with this Chapter whose members have endeared themselves to me. I shall never forget them.

Suisun Chapter No. 2, Suisun—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This historical old Chapter, Suisun No. 2, has a splendid corps of officers who do their work well. They are anxious for instruction and extend a hearty welcome to all visitors. Excellent music. My home Chapter has done all in its power to make my year as Deputy a happy one. They have given me their hearty support which has meant more than I can say. They have given me lovely gifts and a wonderful reception. I am proud to belong to Suisun Chapter No. 2.

Yosolano Chapter No. 218, Winters—Date of visit March 15, 1935. Condition of books: Secretary's book in splendid condition; Treasurer's book not available on account of illness. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has a delightful spirit of comradeship. They have a gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The officers are willing to receive instruction and extend a hearty welcome to all visitors. They have been so kind in so many ways that I shall always cherish my associations with them. Excellent music is rendered at all times.

Yolo Chapter No. 60, Woodland—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as pre-

scribed by the Constitution. A very nice Chapter. Officers doing very nice work. A gracious Worthy Matron who has been anxious to please. Very hospitable to visitors. Past Matrons and Past Patrons give splendid support. I am deeply grateful for the many kind invitations and flowers extended by Yolo Chapter. Also their courteous reception on my official visit.

Vacaville Chapter No. 28, Vacaville—Date of visit April 5th, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has an excellent corps of officers doing nearly perfect work. An efficient and charming Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The Worthy Patron gives his ritualistic work, including the last lecture, in a most impressive manner. The Worthy Matron is very anxious to do her work well and has excellent support from both officers and members. I wish to thank them for all the pleasures they have given me. My year as Deputy Grand Matron has been a great joy.

VIOLA DRIVER, District No. 13

Adah Chapter No. 301, Sacramento—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Secretary and Treasurer keeping books up to date and in a neat manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The Worthy Patron gives his lectures in initiation ceremony beautifully. Officers are sincere in their desire to do their work in an efficient manner, the work being rendered in a most pleasing manner. I thank the Chapter for a lovely evening, and for their many kindnesses shown me.

Columbus Chapter No. 117, Sacramento—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: Books in good condition, neatly kept and accounts closed after each meeting. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very gracious and hospitable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A splendid corps of officers, exemplifying their ritualistic and floor work in a very pleasing manner. It has been a pleasure to instruct these officers. This is my own home Chapter. I thank the Worthy Matron and Patron and all officers for the lovely evening given me on my official visit, and many other courtesies extended to me.

El Camino Chapter No. 428, North Sacramento—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; Secretary and Treasurer keeping books up to date. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very sincere and earnest Worthy Matron and Patron supported by a splendid corps of officers. All instructions graciously received, making it a pleasure to work with these officers. All officers doing splendid work. They have been friendly and cordial to me at all times, and I truly appreciate their charming hospitality and friendship. I thank them for the lovely evening on my official visit.

Fort Sutter Chapter No. 420, Sacramento—Date of visit March 5, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Efficient corps of officers, the Worthy Matron being very gracious in her presiding, and having a capable and sincere Worthy Patron. Harmonious and hospitable Chapter. A lovely meeting for the Deputy, every courtesy extended to her. All officers very much interested in their ritualistic work. Chapter opening promptly at 8 o'clock P. M.

Lauralane Chapter No. 529, Sacramento—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The Baby Chapter of my District. All officers enthusiastic workers, exemplifying the ritualistic work in a creditable manner. Many courtesies and kindnesses extended to me. A very beautiful evening given me on my official visit. An evening that will linger in my memory always.

Naomi Chapter No. 36, Sacramento—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Very good condition, work being completed after each meeting. The books are kept very neatly. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers doing excellent work under the leadership of a very energetic and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. A large attendance of membership. Loyal support from Past Matrons and Patrons. A beautiful evening given the Deputy. Chapter opened promptly at 8 o'clock P. M. This is the home Chapter of our Mabel Boyd Seymour, Past Grand Matron. The many courtesies to me this year are deeply appreciated.

Rainbow Chapter No. 385, Sacramento—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent, and very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was beautifully exemplified. A most capable and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by a loyal and energetic corps of officers. Past Officers and members giving their support to present officers. A very harmonious Chapter, extending cordial greetings to all who attend. It was a pleasure to work with these officers, and I thank them most sincerely for a lovely evening on Deputy night and many other courtesies shown me.

Sacramento Chapter No. 190, Sacramento—Date of visit March 1, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent, and very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The Chapter is in excellent condition. Very hospitable; a splendid corps of officers, a very charming Worthy Matron, and a very capable Worthy Patron. Officers doing good work, and full of enthusiasm. A very beautiful evening given me on my official visit. A very good attendance. Every kindness and courtesy possible shown me. Due to an automobile accident the Worthy Matron was unable to preside over her Chapter for several months. The Associate Matron presided during her absence in a most capable and charming manner, her work being beautifully given.

Temple Chapter No. 513, Sacramento—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; books kept exceptionally neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Efficient officers doing splendid work under the guidance of a sweet and charming Worthy Matron. Chapter opened promptly at 8 o'clock with all officers present. A most enjoyable evening was spent and I thank the officers and members for the courtesies extended to me.

MURIEL A. RICE, District No. 14

El Dorado Chapter No. 499, El Dorado—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: In splendid condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All officers and

members interested and doing splendid work. This is a very homey, pleasant Chapter and very cordial to visitors. They are very sociable. I wish to thank them for their splendid love and loyalty to me. They have surely been wonderful to me.

Fallen Leaf Chapter No. 90, Placerville—Date of visit March 11, 1935. Condition of books: All in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid Matron and very efficient officers. A large number of new members this year. It is a pleasure to visit them as everyone is made to feel welcome. Officers very willing, and it was a great pleasure to instruct them. Wish I could have visited them oftener. I deeply appreciate all they have done for me.

Friendship Chapter No. 67, Lincoln—Date of visit February 16, 1935. Condition of books: All in good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid feeling of friendship as they live up to their name. Fine help from Past Matrons and Patrons. Officers show a spirit of cooperation. Began promptly on time on the night of my official visit. My thanks are given them for the many courtesies extended to me this year.

Heber Chapter No. 181, Roseville—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Secretary and Treasurer very conscientious in their work. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All officers are very good and have a splendid feeling of cooperation. Much harmony prevails. Officers very willing to be instructed and anxious to have work right. All were present and ritualistic work done beautifully. I deeply appreciate all they have done for me and the many beautiful friends I have made. They have ever been good to me and made my year very happy.

Natoma Chapter No. 233, Folsom City—Date of visit February 25, 1935. Condition of books: All in excellent condition with a very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my own beloved Chapter and I am very proud of it. The instruction was received very graciously. The meeting began on time and a splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a very efficient corps of

officers did their work in a very pleasing manner. I am very grateful to all the Chapters in my district for making my year such a happy one. It has, indeed, been a great pleasure to work with them all. I wish to thank my Chapter for all the courtesies they have extended to me this year.

Rose Chapter No. 292, Roseville—Date of visit March 8, 1935. Condition of books: All in splendid condition, under a very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid Matron and Patron and a most excellent corps of officers. It has been a pleasure to instruct them. A fine attendance at all meetings. All officers were present and work was beautifully done. They have been very courteous to me and I wish to thank them very much.

Wheatland Chapter No. 48, Wheatland—Date of visit March 6, 1935. Condition of books: All kept in splendid condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most splendid Chapter and a very efficient corps of officers. Wonderful help from Past Matrons and Patrons. Instruction was received in a splendid spirit and all work for the harmony of the Chapter. Worthy Matron is very efficient. I thank them for the many lovely things they have done for me.

MARGUERITE A. RHODES, District No. 15

Angels Chapter No. 134, Angels Camp—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers were very anxious to receive instruction and do their work well.

Azalia Chapter No. 77, San Andreas—Date of visit February 5, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable and earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by an interested corps of officers anxious to do good work. Very cordial and hospitable.

Crescent Chapter No. 165, Murphys—Date of visit January 25, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Con-

stitution. A gracious Worthy Matron and a very sincere Worthy Patron, assisted by a splendid corps of officers anxious to have their work perfect. Very hospitable.

Golden Star Chapter No. 66, Jackson—Date of visit February 7, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron with the welfare of her Chapter at heart. Officers doing good work.

Ione Chapter No. 283, Ione—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very charming Worthy Matron and a capable Worthy Patron, supported by a good corps of officers who were anxious to do good work. Good Masonic support.

Milton Chapter No. 244, Milton—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron doing good work. A loyal corps of officers doing their work well. A spirit of real friendliness prevails in this Chapter. This is my home Chapter of which I am very proud.

Queen Esther Chapter No. 71, Sutter Creek—Date of visit March 9, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very earnest and capable officers doing good work. Past officers giving good support to their Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron.

ELIZABETH LILLICO, District No. 16

Elk Grove Chapter No. 109, Elk Grove—Date of visit March 16, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very gracious and capable Worthy Matron and fine Worthy Patron whose every thought is for the welfare of the Chapter. Splendid group of officers rendering beautiful work. Every courtesy extended to me. For the many acts of kindness and for the cooperation of the officers and members I am deeply grateful. My official visit to my Chapter will always be a very pleasant memory.

Linden Chapter No. 372, Linden—Date of visit February 22, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid harmony and happiness are very evident in this Chapter. A very sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a lovely corp of officers all working together for the best interests of their Chapter. Work splendidly exemplified. I sincerely appreciate their generous hospitality and cooperation.

Live Oak Chapter No. 371, Galt—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 4; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An efficient Worthy Matron and loyal Worthy Patron, a corps of officers eager for instructions and to do their work well. I enjoyed meeting with them and wish to thank them for their hearty cooperation and gracious hospitality.

Lodi Chapter No. 150, Lodi—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was exemplified in a splendid manner. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron displaying great interest in all details of the ritualistic work. Warm hospitality and the best cooperation always awaited me at Lodi Chapter.

Onisbo Chapter No. 164, Courtland—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The harmony and happiness attest the excellent condition of this Chapter. An efficient and gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with the cooperation of a nice corps of officers are doing creditable work for their Chapter. A splendid spirit of friendliness. I wish to thank the officers and members for their very kind hospitality each time I visited their Chapter.

Woodbridge Chapter No. 118, Woodbridge—Date of visit March 9, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very efficient Worthy Matron and fine Worthy Patron with a very capable corps of officers all eager for instruction. I have enjoyed very

much working with this group of officers, and greatly appreciate the many courtesies extended to me.

EDNA M. CHRISTMAN, District No. 17

Escallonia Chapter No. 447, Escalon—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This thrifty little Chapter is deserving of much praise. The officers do their ritualistic work beautifully. A wonderful spirit of harmony and cooperation prevails. I have been accorded every courtesy and shall always remember the happy evenings spent with them.

Golden Poppy Chapter No. 355, Stockton—Date of visit April 3, 1935. Condition of books: Good; find them very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers were present and work beautifully done. Opened promptly and exemplified all branches of the work. All officers and members congenial. I am very proud to be a member of this Chapter and deeply appreciate the many kindnesses shown me during my year as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Homo Chapter No. 50, Stockton—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers and members of this Chapter are enjoying a very pleasant year under the leadership of a charming Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Thoroughly enjoyed my work with them and am grateful to them for their many courtesies to me this year.

Joaquin Chapter No. 348, Tracy—Date of visit February 7, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter was very hospitable and I enjoyed every evening spent with them. A most delightful group of officers who received their instructions very graciously. Will often think of my association with this splendid Chapter and thank them for many favors.

Pentalpha Chapter No. 339, Manteca—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Laby-

rinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter doing nicely under the able leadership of a very gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. I was received most cordially by officers and members at all times and thank them for many pleasant evenings.

Stockton Chapter No. 373, Stockton—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers and members of this fine Chapter have been most delightful. Their lovely Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are enjoying splendid support and the work has been done very ably by a capable corps of officers. I shall long remember my evenings spent with this Chapter.

RUTH SHARPE, District No. 18

Almona Chapter No. 214, Walnut Creek—Date of visit March 16, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with such a zealous group of officers that they rehearsed once a week for months. This Chapter has such a spirit of hospitality that it reminds one of a happy family. It was a real joy to work with these officers and I thank them for all the love and courtesy shown to me.

Ariel Chapter No. 42, Antioch—Date of visit March 4, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was beautifully rendered by a splendid corps of officers. A very efficient and earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Very friendly spirit prevails with excellent support from the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I deeply appreciate the happiness this splendid Chapter has added to my year.

Concord Chapter No. 384, Concord—Date of visit March 6, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid corps of officers working under the guidance of a charming

Worthy Matron and a very efficient Worthy Patron. Wonderful support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons at all meetings. It has been a real joy to work with this Chapter and I sincerely thank them for all their courtesies to me.

Crockett Chapter No. 184, Crockett—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers efficient and doing good work under the leadership of a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Good attendance and support from the past officers and members. My visits were a pleasure, and I deeply appreciate the many acts of love and loyalty shown to me.

Los Cerritos Chapter No. 234, Martinez—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A lovable, efficient Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron with an excellent corps of officers, who are very anxious to be perfect in their work. A very friendly Chapter with good attendance of the members and loyal support of past officers. I shall always remember and thank this Chapter for the friendship and love shown to me during this year.

Maspha Chapter No. 198, Brentwood—Date of visit March 13, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers doing very creditable work under the leadership of a very efficient Worthy Matron and a very conscientious Worthy Patron. Past officers ever ready to help. An excellent spirit of hospitality always prevails. It has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter and I sincerely thank them for all courtesies.

Pinole Chapter No. 220, Pinole—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very enthusiastic Worthy Matron and a capable Worthy Patron supported by a loyal corps of officers. Untiring support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A very hospitable Chapter. My associations with them have been most pleasant, and I sincerely thank them for the many courtesies shown to me.

Pittsburg Chapter No. 353, Pittsburg—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An earnest and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by an excellent corps of officers. This is my own beloved Chapter, of which I cannot say enough in praise. We have a beautiful new Masonic Temple which makes our meetings more interesting than ever. Loyal support of past officers and members. We have had many new members in this District and also kept most of the old members. I wish to say "Thanks" to all my District. This has truly been the happiest year of my life and I will never forget your many acts of love and thoughtfulness.

LILLIAN D. RANDALL, District No. 19

Acantha Chapter No. 249, Richmond—Date of visit March 8, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers are sincere and efficient and have the cooperation of the membership. They have been courteous and kind to me and it has been a pleasure to work with them.

Beacon Chapter No. 383, Richmond—Date of visit April 20, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers are efficient and friendly, interested in doing their work well. I have enjoyed my work with them and their many courtesies to me.

Berkeley Chapter No. 178, Berkeley—Date of visit March 5, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers are efficient and interested in the welfare of the members of the Chapter. The past officers are loyal. I am proud to say that this is my own Chapter. I have appreciated the courtesies extended to me during this year as Deputy Grand Matron.

Miramar Chapter No. 205, Richmond—Date of visit February 15, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the

Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers are interested in doing good work and have been gracious to me at all times.

Point Chapter No. 394, Point Richmond—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a friendly, harmonious little Chapter with the officers and members working loyally for its support. They have treated me as their friend and I have enjoyed the friendship.

Rosa M. Shattuck Chapter No. 504, Berkeley—Date of visit February 25, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers are interested in promoting closer friendship among the members of the Chapter. They are courteous and kind to me always.

Thousand Oaks Chapter No. 375, Berkeley—Date of visit February 18, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All of the officers are capable and efficient and enjoy doing their work well. One has a feeling of good fellowship in this Chapter, and it has been a pleasure to be their Deputy Grand Matron.

Westgate Chapter No. 290, Berkeley—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The officers are sincere and capable and are wholeheartedly interested in the welfare of the members and the Chapter. I have enjoyed their friendship and their many courtesies.

ELLA HUETTEMAN, District No. 20

Alameda Chapter No. 386, Alameda—Date of visit March 15, 1935. Condition of books: Very good and very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present and wearing Jewels. These splendid officers

exemplified the work in a most commendable manner. A very sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have the support of not only the corps of officers, but the members and Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I wish to thank this Chapter for the many courtesies extended to me. All my work with this Chapter has been most enjoyable and it has been a pleasure to have served as your Deputy Grand Matron.

Carita Chapter No. 115, Alameda—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present with the exception of the Associate Conductress who was ill. All Jewels worn by officers. This Chapter has a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The sincerity of the officers is reflected in the splendid manner in which they exemplify their work. There is an atmosphere of warm hospitality and friendliness in this Chapter. The officers have splendid support from the Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended to me at all times and I shall always have many pleasant memories of this lovely Chapter.

Caliz de Oro Chapter No. 457, Oakland—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of Books: Very neat and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M.; with the exception of Martha, all officers were present, wearing Jewels. This is a very splendid Chapter with a spirit of friendliness and sociability. A very splendid corps of officers under the leadership of a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. On the night of my official visit the work was given in a most gratifying manner. Good support given by the Past Matrons and Past Patrons and members. I sincerely wish to thank this Chapter for the many courtesies and kindnesses shown me this year, and I shall hold beautiful memories of this Chapter.

Effie Easton Chapter No. 392, Oakland—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present with the exception of the Marshal who was ill. All Jewels were worn by officers who exemplified the work in a most beautiful manner. It has been a great joy and pleasure to serve this Chapter as this is my

home Chapter and one of which I am very proud. I wish to express my appreciation to our very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron for their many courtesies extended to me this year. The kindness and courtesy shown me by our splendid officers and members shall always be a beautiful memory. I wish to thank our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, for the privilege of serving as Deputy Grand Matron.

Elvesta Chapter No. 293, Oakland—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Very good, very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This splendid Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M.; all officers present with the exception of the Associate Conductress. This Chapter has a very sincere and capable corps of officers who exemplify the work in a most gratifying manner. All officers wore Jewels. A very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have been most gracious and kind to me. It has been a pleasure to work with the officers of this Chapter and I wish to thank you for your hospitality and many courtesies extended to me. This Chapter has splendid support of their Past Matrons and Past Patrons and enjoys wonderful music. I will always have many happy memories of this Chapter.

Foothill Chapter No. 433, Oakland—Date of visit March 13, 1935. Condition of books: Very neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:05 with all officers present, rendering the work in a most commendable manner. A very happy and harmonious Chapter led by a sincere and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All Jewels were worn by the officers. I shall always have a very beautiful memory of this Chapter and I do greatly appreciate your many courtesies and kindnesses to me. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

Fruitvale Chapter No. 297, Oakland—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and very well kept by both the Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. with all officers present and all Jewels worn. It has been a joy to work with the sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and their fine corps of officers who exemplified the work in a most efficient manner. Splendid support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Deputy received very graciously at all times and I wish to thank you for your many kindnesses.

This Chapter will always be one of my pleasant memories. There is an atmosphere of warm hospitality and friendliness in this Chapter. Good Masonic support.

VARA C. KEEFER, District No. 21

Alethe Chapter No. 366, Berkeley—Date of visit March 25, 1935. Condition of books: Very well kept; neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. The work was splendidly exemplified due to a very efficient corps of officers, with whom it has been a very great pleasure to work. Thank you all for the many courtesies shown to me this year.

Lake Merritt Chapter No. 410, Oakland—Date of visit March 15, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; neat and accurate; splendid system. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. The work was beautifully done by a very earnest and efficient corps of officers. To work with officers, each one so ready to do his or her part so willingly, has, indeed, been a pleasure, and I have sincerely enjoyed my association with this Chapter and thank them for their many courtesies.

Loma Vista Chapter No. 415, Oakland—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The meeting opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Warder. The work was very well done and I have been most happy to serve this lovely Chapter as Deputy Grand Matron. Thank you for your many courtesies.

Mary E. Partridge Chapter No. 308, Oakland—Date of visit February 22, 1935. Condition of books: Perfectly kept; neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. The work was exceptionally well done by a splendid corps of officers. I am proud to state that this is my own Chapter. The loving tributes accorded me on my official visit have made me deeply sensible to the true worth

of my Chapter friends and I am sincerely grateful for your many kindnesses, especially to my Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron.

Plymouth Chapter No. 423, Oakland—Date of visit March 6, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except the Chaplain and Martha. The work was exemplified in a very impressive manner by an earnest corps of officers; I am deeply grateful for the many kindnesses shown to me.

Prudence Chapter No. 484, Oakland—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The meeting opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present except Esther. The work was beautifully done and I wish to commend this corps of officers for their earnest endeavors to do their very best at all times. Thank you for many happy hours in this harmonious Chapter.

Sterling Chapter No. 533, Oakland—Date of visit March 20, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; a very splendid system being used. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. This earnest corps of officers exemplified the work in a most impressive way and I am very proud to be their Deputy. This Chapter is just one year old but with the wonderful spirit of cooperation their efforts are being crowned with success, and I wish to express my sincere appreciation for their many courtesies.

EVA LILLIAN BRUCE, District No. 22

Athens Chapter No. 277, Oakland—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10; all officers present except Associate Patron. This Chapter is supported by a very sincere and thoughtful Worthy Matron and a splendid Worthy Patron. Work was exemplified in a pleasing manner. All officers anxious to do good work.

I am very grateful for the cordial reception with which I have been received, and for the many lovely courtesies extended to me. My official visit will always remain in my book of sweet memories.

My thanks and sincere appreciation for many courtesies extended to me throughout my District and to each Chapter for the beautiful "Official Visit" nights each planned with much thought for my happiness and pleasure, yet each one unique.

Encina Chapter No. 519, Oakland—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened 8:25; all present but Esther, who was ill. This little Chapter deserves much credit for working under very trying conditions. All instructions very kindly received by officers. A most charming and capable Worthy Matron and a loyal Worthy Patron, who have the welfare of their Chapter at heart. This Chapter radiates hospitality and friendliness and I am indeed grateful for the many courtesies and loving kindness extended to me at all times. My official visit will always remain a sweet memory and it has been a privilege to serve Encina Chapter as their Deputy and to enjoy the friendship and generous hospitality.

Golden Chain Chapter No. 303, Oakland—Date of visit February 18, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with all officers present. Jewels worn. A splendid group of officers working harmoniously under the guidance of a gracious and sincere Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron. It has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter, and I am deeply appreciative of the many courtesies extended to me at all times, and especially on my official visit when the work was so beautifully exemplified. There is a splendid support given by the Past Matrons and Past Patrons of this Chapter. It has been an extreme pleasure to serve this Chapter, and I extend to all the officers and members my most sincere thanks for their many courtesies. This year has given me many new friends and happy memories to recall in the future.

Oakland Chapter No. 140, Oakland—Date of visit March 6, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10; all officers present except Associate Patron. A splendid

group of officers under leadership of a gracious Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron. Long lecture was given by Worthy Patron in a very pleasing manner.

The work was exemplified in a very pleasing manner on the night of my official visit. The many acts of kindness and courtesy extended to me will always be a happy memory. I deeply appreciate all the cooperation, loyalty and real spirit of friendship in my association with the officers and members of this Chapter. I am very grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron for making it possible for me to serve as your Deputy Grand Matron.

Oak Leaf Chapter No. 8, Oakland—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:15; all officers present. Jewels worn. The work was exemplified in a beautiful and inspiring manner by a most capable and sincere corps of officers under the leadership of a most efficient and gracious Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron. Past Associate Grand Matron from British Columbia was escorted on my official visit. I am deeply grateful for the many expressions of love, and enjoy the friendship of these officers and members. It has been a real pleasure to serve them and I hope that in my official duties I have in a small measure helped to maintain the standard set by our Worthy Grand Matron and the high ideals of our beautiful Order. My work with the splendid Chapters in my District will always be a sweet reminder of one of the happiest years of my "Eastern Star" life.

Unity Chapter No. 65, Oakland—Date of visit March 25, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened on time. All officers present but Chaplain. Jewels worn. A very capable and efficient Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron who are always anxious to please. A splendid corps of officers working in harmony and striving for the best interest of the Chapter. This is my home Chapter, of which I am proud to be a member. It has been a pleasure to serve as their Deputy Grand Matron, and I hope that in my official duties I have succeeded in maintaining the high ideals of our beautiful Order. The work has been a pleasure and the contacts and friendships I have made will always be a joyful reminder of a very happy year of service. The work on my official visit was beautifully done and will always remain in my book of sweet memories. Am happy to report that three of our members have received their

50-year emblem and the fourth will receive hers in June. These sisters and brother well deserve these emblems for they have been loyal and faithful to their Chapter all these years. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies extended to me, and am grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron for allowing me the privilege of serving these lovely Chapters.

DORA RICHMOND, District No. 23

Elmhurst Chapter No. 455, Oakland—Date of visit February 20, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Condition of the Chapter very good under the guidance of a happy and kind Worthy Matron and pleasing Worthy Patron. Splendid corps of officers eager to do their work correctly. I shall always value their kindness and splendid cooperation.

Golden Wave Chapter No. 103, San Leandro—Date of visit February 15, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid corps of officers. A thoughtful and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Good attendance and the spirit of cheerfulness and welcome prevails. I thank the officers and members for their courtesies and consideration.

Hayward Chapter No. 331, Hayward—Date of visit April 26, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid corps of officers under the guidance of a most lovable and capable Worthy Matron and conscientious Worthy Patron who are kind and courteous to all. I deeply appreciate their spirit of friendliness and sincerity.

Orient Chapter No. 177, Centerville—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Orient, my own dear Chapter, is having a delightful and successful year with splendid officers led by the youngest Matron the Chapter has ever had and being assisted by a generous Worthy Patron, her father. To each officer and member of my own Chapter and to the officers and members of my District I extend my sincere thanks for your many courtesies and splendid cooperation.

Pleasanton Chapter No. 294, Pleasanton—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work given in a creditable manner. A home-like and hospitable Chapter led by a gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. I deeply appreciate the pleasant hours spent with the officers of this Chapter.

Semper Fidelis Chapter No. 135, Livermore—Date of visit March 18, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work is excellent. The officers are conscientious. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are efficient and gracious. I value highly the pleasant associations with this Chapter.

ELVIRA ARMBRUST BREHAUT, District No. 24

Albert Pike Chapter No. 284, San Francisco—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid in every detail. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An exceptionally large and prosperous chapter with a wonderful fraternal love existing between the officers and members. A proficient and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their devoted officers exemplifying our ritualistic work in a very creditable manner. Optional charge very well rendered. Past Matrons and Patrons are ever faithful. Interesting and well planned meetings are enjoyed by many. Opened at 8:15 P. M. Received most graciously and kindly on my official visit, and at all times by this admirable Chapter, for which I am sincerely grateful, and hope for their continued friendship.

Fireside Chapter No. 440, San Francisco—Date of visit May 15, 1935. Condition of books: Very good and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A warm welcome is heartily extended to all who enter Fireside Chapter. The creditable work and admirable principles of our order are being exemplified by a very conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. An earnest and sincere corps of officers are striving to do their work well. Past Matrons and Patrons are always willing to assist. Opened at

7:50 P. M. Optional charge well given. The cordial welcome extended to me on the night of my official visit and the loving cooperation of the officers and members has endeared this home-like Chapter to me.

Golden Gate Chapter No. 1, San Francisco—Date of visit May 17, 1935. Condition of books: All books very efficiently kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Our oldest Chapter still maintaining the high standards of our Order. A very gracious and sincere Worthy Matron with her splendid Worthy Patron are assisted by lovely and capable officers. Unique programs and artistically decorated tables are enjoyed by the members. Optional work sincerely given and floor work exceptionally well done. Past Matrons and Patrons justly proud of Golden Gate No. 1. Opened at 8:10 P. M. The thoughtfully planned evening for my official visit shall never be forgotten and I am very grateful to the officers and members for receiving me so graciously at all times.

Ivy Chapter No. 27, San Francisco—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Precise and exceptionally well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Sociability, hospitality and refinement ever radiate from this large, old successful Chapter. Excellent and enthusiastic officers doing beautiful work under the exacting and competent leadership of their Worthy Matron. Faithful assistance given by a sincere Worthy Patron who gives the optional charge conscientiously. Past Matrons and Patrons staunch and true. Home Chapter of Dr. Maude Noble Haven and Clara A. Giberson, Past Grand Matrons. Opened at 7:40 P. M. I can never repay the officers and members of Ivy Chapter for their many acts of loving kindness to me and will always dearly remember my official visit, and my year as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Nonpareil Chapter No. 496, San Francisco—Date of visit May 20, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. San Francisco's baby Chapter where a spirit of good fellowship prevails. Officers eager for instruction and doing splendid work. Worthy Matron very devoted and earnestly striving for the good of her Chapter. Worthy Patron ever helpful and especially proficient in the initiatory and optional work. Past Matrons and Patrons ever helpful. Opened at 7:45 P. M.

My association with the officers and members of our baby Chapter has been indeed most happy and pleasant and I am very thankful for their love and loyalty.

Seal Rock Chapter No. 396, San Francisco—Date of visit February 22, 1935. Condition of books: All books very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A friendly and hospitable Chapter. Ritualistic work well rendered by all officers including their charming and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Optional charge fluently given. On the Grand Matron's official visit the escort work was particularly praiseworthy as this was only six days after their first meeting. Past Matrons and Patrons cooperate. My first official visit was to Seal Rock Chapter and a very happy one. Opened promptly at 7:30 P. M. It has been indeed a pleasure to serve this lovely Chapter and I deeply appreciate the many acts of love and kindness extended to me.

Yerba Buena Chapter No. 228, San Francisco—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent and particularly well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. My own Chapter, of which I am very proud to be a member and happy to serve as Deputy Grand Matron. A very efficient and alert Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with their splendid officers preside with dignity. Optional charge impressively given. Well attended and congenial meetings are followed by appropriate programs. Past Matrons and Patrons lend their support. Past Grand Matron Ella Tyler Hall, our esteemed member. Opened at 8:00 P. M. On my official visit the dinner and overflowing meeting and tribute paid by my 1930 Worthy Patron and officers will always be my most cherished memory. My sincere thanks and appreciation to the officers and members for all they have done to make my year so wonderfully happy.

NORINE M. DUNLAP, District No. 25

California Chapter No. 183, San Francisco—Date of visit March 20, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Presided over by a most charming Worthy Matron and a loyal Worthy Patron, this Chapter is enjoying a happy and successful year. The officers are extremely conscientious, do

good work and open all meetings on time. The fact that the Right Worthy Grand Conductress of the General Grand Chapter, Sister Effie Easton, is a Past Matron and member of California Chapter, is an added inspiration to these officers. She, as well as other Past Matrons and Past Patrons, takes an active interest in the affairs of the Chapter. My visits to California Chapter were a pleasure at all times and I want to especially thank the Worthy Matron for a very happy year.

Harmony Chapter No. 124, San Francisco—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Exceptionally neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The name accurately describes this lovely Chapter. The most marvelous support is given by the officers and members to their beloved Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid attendance has been an added inspiration to these officers whose work is excellent. The worthy Patron is president of the 1935 Patrons' Association and is admired and respected by all. I have considered it a privilege to know and work with these officers and I want to thank them sincerely for their courtesies to me. To the Worthy Matron the night of my official visit will always be one of my most beautiful memories and I am grateful for the happiness you have given me.

Justice Chapter No. 460, San Francisco—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very happy and harmonious Chapter under the direction of an efficient Worthy Matron and a Worthy Patron, whose kindness has endeared them to all. The officers are sincere in their efforts to do good work and unusual enthusiasm is shown by members. Although comparatively young in years this Chapter is already known for its splendid co-operation. My year as their Deputy has been an extremely happy one. The beautiful reception extended me on the night of my official visit will remain one of my most cherished memories. May I always keep the friends I have made in Justice.

King Solomon's Chapter No. 170, San Francisco—Date of visit March 23, 1935. Condition of books: Exceptionally well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very harmonious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron assisted by a splendid corps of officers are adding another successful year to the history of this Chapter. Their ritualistic work

has been excellent and I am justly proud for it is my home Chapter. Every effort has been put forth, both by officers and members, to make my year a happy one, and I am very appreciative of the spirit of love and kindness with which I have been greeted. To serve as Deputy of the 25th District under our beloved Worthy Grand Matron has indeed been an honor. I count her friendship as one of my most cherished possessions, and thank her sincerely for this beautiful year.

Parnassus Chapter No. 269, San Francisco—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Very clean and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the supervision of a splendid Worthy Matron and a Worthy Patron whose ritualistic work is worthy of the highest praise, this Chapter forges steadily ahead. All officers are doing excellent work and should be especially commended for their close attention and attendance at all rehearsals. This Chapter has splendid support from the Past Matrons and Past Patrons who take a keen interest in all activities. It is our Worthy Grand Matron's home Chapter, where she is dearly loved by one and all, and I count it a real privilege to serve as their Deputy.

Seaport Chapter No. 427, San Francisco—Date of visit March 25, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Guided by a clever Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron, this Chapter is progressing very satisfactorily. A corps of officers who are sincere in their efforts to do good work made instruction a pleasure. Splendid support is given by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I particularly want to thank Seaport Chapter for conferring an honorary membership on me. The many courtesies extended to me by the officers and members of this hospitable Chapter have made my year one of great happiness.

Starr King Chapter No. 204, San Francisco—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the leadership of a conscientious and hard working Worthy Matron, assisted by a jovial Worthy Patron and a loyal corps of officers, this Chapter is enjoying a successful year. The ritualistic work was given in a creditable manner. Many cour-

tesies have been extended to me by this little Worthy Matron and I want to sincerely thank her for her untiring efforts in my behalf.

TESSIE G. ARMKNECHT, District No. 26

Crocker Chapter No. 382, Daly City—Date of visit February 4, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Work beautifully rendered by a most efficient corps of officers under the leadership of a very earnest and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A cordial greeting extended to all who enter this Chapter room.

Forest Chapter No. 432, San Francisco—Date of visit March 28, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A 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. It has been a pleasure to work with these officers and enjoy the spirit of happiness and good-fellowship which prevails. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies shown me.

George Washington Chapter No. 409, San Francisco—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron assisted by a fine corps of officers. It was a real pleasure to instruct these officers and the work was exemplified in a most impressive manner. Past officers and Masonic brothers are loyal and willing workers. I fully appreciate the warm welcome extended to me on all occasions.

Golden West Chapter No. 350, San Francisco—Date of visit April 6, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A lovely and friendly Chapter doing excellent work under the leadership of a capable and sincere Worthy

Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. My visits were a pleasure at all times and I am grateful to them for the many courtesies extended to me.

Ideal Chapter No. 251, San Francisco—Date of visit April 3, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; capable Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid meeting presided over by a very gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. I am proud to have served this lovely Chapter and I thank them for their many courtesies.

Mission Chapter No. 155, San Francisco—Date of visit March 23, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, with a corps of sincere and earnest officers, who exemplified the work perfectly. The Past Matrons and Patrons are loyal and helpful. A fine spirit of good fellowship and happiness is manifested in this, my home Chapter, and I deeply appreciate the honor our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, 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 at all times. I am indeed grateful.

Presidio Chapter No. 481, San Francisco—Date of visit April 24, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. 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. There is an atmosphere of warm hospitality and friendliness in this Chapter. Very active socially, the members keenly interested. 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.

Ruth Chapter No. 305, South San Francisco—Date of visit April 27, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars,

lars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a hospitable and friendly Chapter. Most earnest and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Officers are young, happy and enthusiastic, making the work enjoyable and interesting. Work exemplified in a beautiful manner. It has been a joy to have the privilege of working with these officers. Their kindness and courtesy to me will always be a pleasant memory.

MAZIE G. MILLER, District No. 27

Amity Chapter No. 262, San Francisco—Date of visit May 27, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A lovely Chapter presided over by a most gracious Worthy Matron and a very capable Worthy Patron, supported by a wonderful corps of officers. The officers are to be complimented on the lovely rendition of the work on my official visit. I wish to thank the officers and members for making the night of my official visit such a happy one and I will long cherish the memory of the many happy evenings spent with Amity Chapter.

Brilliant Star Chapter No. 472, San Francisco—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. It has truly been a pleasure to work with this Chapter. The work as put on by these eighteen lovely young officers is a credit to our Order. The lovely Worthy Matron and fine Worthy Patron leave nothing undone to make every meeting night an outstanding one. I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the kindness and courtesy shown me.

Casimir Chapter No. 252, San Francisco—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most charming Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron preside over this Chapter. This Chapter is truly outstanding for its hospitality. Lovely corps of officers and most efficient Secretary. The many courtesies extended to me as a Deputy Grand Matron are deeply appreciated and will long be remembered by me.

Liberty Chapter No. 451, San Francisco—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the

Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very hospitable Chapter under the guidance of a charming and capable Worthy Matron and very conscientious Worthy Patron. The Worthy Patron is to be complimented upon the manner in which he gives the optional. All officers do splendid work. I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me and it has been a pleasure to be Deputy of this lovely Chapter.

Occidental Chapter No. 280, San Francisco—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. While this is a small Chapter the officers work very hard. It is presided over by a lovely Worthy Matron and very capable Worthy Patron. I have enjoyed working with this Chapter and appreciate the courtesies extended to me.

Olive Branch Chapter No. 169, San Francisco—Date of visit April 15, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is presided over by a charming Worthy Matron and a very conscientious Worthy Patron and a lovely corps of officers, whose work is excellent. A very faithful and capable Secretary. This is my home Chapter and I deeply appreciate the confidence placed in me by the Worthy Grand Matron to represent her in these various Chapters. The wonderful night given me on my official visit will long be remembered by me.

Richmond Chapter No. 255, San Francisco—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the guidance of a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron the officers of this Chapter are to be complimented on the splendid manner in which they exemplify the work. Great enthusiasm is displayed by them in everything they do. My sincere thanks to the officers and members for the many courtesies extended to me.

Trinity Chapter No. 434, San Francisco—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has a very efficient Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, as-

sisted by a splendid corps of officers who give their work in a very creditable manner. Good fellowship prevails and I have enjoyed my visits with this Chapter. I wish to thank them for the wonderful hospitality shown me.

IDA M. DENHARD, District No. 28

Aloha Chapter No. 206, San Francisco—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Work well rendered and a real pleasure to instruct these officers. Chapter opened promptly at 8 o'clock. All courtesies shown me have been greatly appreciated. I have enjoyed all my meetings with the officers and members of this Chapter.

Benlah Chapter No. 99, San Francisco—Date of visit March 11, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Beautiful spirit of hospitality and good will prevailing at all meetings. Loyal and efficient officers present their work in a very beautiful and impressive manner. Chapter opened promptly at 8 o'clock. It was a pleasure to serve this Chapter and I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended me by the officers and members. Very capable presiding officers, enjoy wonderful support from the Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

Imperial Chapter No. 229, San Francisco—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid corps of officers doing excellent work. A good attendance of members and loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. This Chapter exemplifies a fine spirit of fraternity and hospitality. Chapter opened promptly at 7:30 o'clock. Very courteous to me and it has been a pleasure to work with this Chapter. Optional given.

Jewel Chapter No. 238, San Francisco—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 1:30 P. M. An excellent corps of officers very proficient in their work; well supported by Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

A delightful and harmonious spirit prevails with the officers and members. It has been a pleasure to meet with these officers and members and I appreciate the many lovely courtesies shown me at all times.

Lebanon Chapter No. 374, San Francisco—Date of visit May 16, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8 P. M. A very lovely Chapter to instruct. A splendid corps of officers who are anxious to do perfect work. Work excellently rendered. Courtesies and beautiful thoughts extended to their Deputy will always be a pleasant memory. Optional given. A real pleasure to serve this delightful Chapter.

Roosevelt Chapter No. 470, San Francisco—Date of visit February 20, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 1:30 P. M. A splendid corps of officers doing splendid work under leadership of an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Optional given. All members ballot. This is my home Chapter, which I love dearly and of which I am very proud. I sincerely thank the members of my Chapter 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.

San Francisco Chapter No. 196, San Francisco—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8 P. M. A splendid corps of officers, all working with their Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron for perfection. Optional given. This is a delightful Chapter to visit, as a wonderful spirit of hospitality prevails. I have always been graciously received and appreciate the many pleasant evenings spent with the officers and members of this Chapter. This is the home Chapter of our Associate Grand Patron Edward C. Counter, Jr.

Victory Chapter No. 388, San Francisco—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, assisted by fine corps of

officers, who are anxious to do the work in a creditable manner. It was a pleasure to work with them as all instructions were graciously received. Thanks for all courtesies shown me. Chapter opened promptly at 8 o'clock.

EDWINA A. BENNER, District No. 29

Burlingame Chapter No. 275, Burlingame—Date of visit May 2, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by a very fine corps of officers. Work was very well done and the initiatory work was made very impressive by a choir which furnished special music. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies shown me, and the beautiful evening given me on my official visit.

Laurel Chapter No. 186, San Mateo—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Work exceptionally well exemplified by an earnest corps of officers, presided over by a most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. A splendid spirit of friendliness prevails in the Chapter. I appreciate their love and friendship and the splendid support given me. It has been a pleasure to serve as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Mira Monte Chapter No. 141, Mt. View—Date of visit April 10, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An efficient and gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work was exceptionally well given by a lovely corps of officers. Very good support from the side lines and especially from the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I appreciate their hospitality and the kindness extended to me whenever I visited this Chapter.

Palo Alto Chapter No. 213, Palo Alto—Date of visit April 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A lovely Worthy Matron and gracious Worthy Patron preside over this very congenial Chapter. Work was very well exemplified by a fine

corps of officers. This Chapter enjoys good support from the members. I am very grateful for the many courtesies extended to me and for their loyal support.

Sequoia Chapter No. 203, Redwood City—Date of visit March 18, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A fine progressive Chapter presided over by an earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, whose every thought is for the betterment of the Chapter. Work was very well given by a very efficient corps of officers. My work with this Chapter has been a pleasure and I appreciate their cooperation.

Sunnyvale Chapter No. 250, Sunnyvale—Date of visit May 9, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very earnest Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron preside over a fine corps of officers. Work was beautifully exemplified. This is my home Chapter, of which I am very proud. A beautiful evening was accorded me on my official visit. A scene depicting the "Portal of the Past", in which the officers of my year as Worthy Matron all took part. I am deeply grateful to my Chapter for this beautiful evening and for all their other kindness to me.

EDITH LOIS REED, District No. 30

Fraternity Chapter No. 288, San Jose—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most delightful Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron govern this Chapter. A spirit of harmony prevails among the officers and members. My associations with the officers have been most pleasant and I thank the Chapter for the delightful evening given me on my official visit.

Jarman Chapter No. 493, San Jose—Date of visit May 10, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron serve this Chapter and a spirit of harmony and good fellowship prevails. The

officers exemplify the work in a very pleasing manner. I am grateful to them for their attention to instructions and many courtesies to me. My official visit to this Chapter will be remembered as one of the happiest of my year.

Los Gatos Chapter No. 128, Los Gatos—Date of visit April 1, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron serve this Chapter. The work was exemplified in a very creditable manner at my official visit. The hall has been beautified by a new carpet, the gift of the Past Matrons' Club. A delightful evening was given me, my Associate of 1923 taking an active part in the preparations.

Magnolia Chapter No. 73, Gilroy—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron (husband and wife) preside over this Chapter, with a good corps of officers. The Worthy Patron is serving his Chapter for the second time. Much thought was put into the preparations for my official visit, which will be one of my happiest memories.

Manzanita Chapter No. 342, Morgan Hill—Date of visit May 17, 1935. Condition of books: Good; neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron preside over this Chapter and a spirit of harmony prevails. Past Matrons and Past Patrons very loyal and eager to help the Chapter. The Worthy Patron is serving for the second time. This is my own Chapter and I am proud of its officers and members and appreciate the many courtesies extended me. The officers did excellent work at my official visit and I thank one and all for the beautiful evening given me. It will never be forgotten.

San Jose Chapter No. 31, San Jose—Date of visit March 5, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron serve this Chapter, which is the oldest in the District. The officers were very

attentive and received instructions in a friendly spirit. I am grateful for the beautiful evening given me on the occasion of my official visit.

Santa Clara Chapter No. 195, Santa Clara—Date of visit April 20, 1935. Condition of books: Well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A capable and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron preside over this Chapter. The officers exemplified the work in a very creditable manner on the night of my official visit, which was one of the most beautiful evenings of my year. I am grateful for the friendships of these officers and the many courtesies extended me by this lovely Chapter.

Starlight Chapter No. 401, San Jose—Date of visit March 23, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A charming Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron preside over this Chapter. The officers have been very attentive and cordial and it has been a pleasure to work with them. I am grateful for the lovely evening given me and the many courtesies extended to me.

Willow Glen Chapter No. 530, Willow Glen—Date of visit May 13, 1935. Condition of books: Well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most sincere and thoughtful Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron govern this Chapter and I am proud to have been the first Deputy under their new Charter. It has been a pleasure to work with this Chapter. The officers are enthusiastic and do very good work. I cherish the friendships made in this lovely Chapter and am very grateful for the delightful evening given me.

SYDWELLE G. BURWASH, District No. 31

Athena Chapter No. 46, Hollister—Date of visit March 20, 1935. Condition of books: In excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8 P. M. All officers present. A very lovely and capable Worthy Matron and an interesting and capable Worthy

Patron. Also a splendid corps of officers. All work beautifully exemplified. Loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I sincerely appreciate the hearty cooperation and friendliness shown me.

Ceanothus Chapter No. 45, San Juan Bautista—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:20 P. M. with all officers, except Electa, present. A small Chapter, meets only once a month. All officers doing good work. A fine spirit of fraternity and hospitality characterizes this Chapter. Most loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

Idlewild Chapter No. 19, Santa Cruz—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at eight P. M. All officers present. A very capable and efficient Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron, who have the support of a splendid corps of officers. Work well rendered. A spirit of friendliness and harmony pervades the Chapter room. Most cordial to visitors. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies shown me.

La Posa Chapter No. 282, King City—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. All officers present. A charming and most efficient Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron. A splendid corps of officers exemplified the ritualistic work in a most gratifying manner. Loyal support of members and Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A most friendly spirit prevails and a cordial hospitality awaits all visitors. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies and loving friendships gained in this Chapter.

Lily of the Valley Chapter No. 18, Watsonville—Date of visit February 5, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. All officers present. A very capable Worthy Matron and a very loyal Worthy Patron. A most efficient corps of officers, always willing to receive instruction.

Well supported by Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members. A wonderful spirit of hospitality and friendliness prevails. This is my home Chapter, which I sincerely love and of which I am justly proud. My official visit will never be forgotten and I deeply appreciate the love extended to me. My sincere thanks to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, for the honor conferred upon our Chapter by the appointment of a deputy, and my personal appreciation of all the privileges of service this appointment affords.

Monterey Chapter No. 239, Monterey—Date of visit March 4, 1935. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8 P. M. with all officers present. A most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who enjoy the cooperation of a very fine corps of officers. The work was beautifully exemplified. I sincerely appreciate the friendliness and courtesies shown me.

Ocean Spray Chapter No. 68, Pacific Grove—Date of visit February 20, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8 P. M. with all officers present. A very charming and capable worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Splendid corps of officers, all working in a loyal and earnest manner for the good of the Chapter. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. This Chapter is very hospitable and I deeply appreciate the many courtesies shown me.

Reveille Chapter No. 47, Salinas—Date of visit March 11, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. All officers being present. A lovely and capable Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron; splendid cooperation of all officers. Work very well rendered. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Splendid Masonic support. Here true harmony and friendliness prevails. I greatly appreciate their many courtesies.

Santa Cruz Chapter No. 273, Santa Cruz—Date of visit March 25, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened

at 8:15 P. M. All officers present. A gracious Worthy Matron and loyal Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers. All interested in the welfare of their Chapter and doing fine work. Past Matrons and Past Patrons show wonderful interest. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Matron Sister Hazael Marsh Piper, whom we all love so dearly. It has been a joy to serve this Chapter and I thank them for their hospitality and courtesies.

ELVETTA F. GROHL, District No. 32

Centinela Chapter No. 136, Los Banos—Date of visit May 10, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All the officers were present on the night of my official visit, and the floor work and Ritualistic work was done practically perfect. I shall never forget the beautiful climbing roses and decorations honoring me that night. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are very well liked and the Worthy Patron gives the optional and all of his work in a beautiful, impressive and spiritual manner. One of the grand memories of my year was on the night of our Worthy Grand Matron's official visit, when this Chapter graciously consented just before the Chapter opened and in an unfamiliar hall to do the balloting for her, and did perfect work. This beautiful cooperation showed their wonderful efficiency.

Electa Chapter No. 72, Modesto—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Secretary and Treasurer keep a most accurate account and have the most systematic set of books in the District. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The wonderful hospitality of this friendly Chapter is known far and near and is justly so, for the welcome is cordial and sincere to members and visitors alike. They have good Masonic support, an excellent corps of officers who were anxious for instruction and strive to do as nearly perfect work as possible, under the guidance of a clever Worthy Matron and fine Worthy Patron. Their reception to me as their Deputy and their original presentation on my official visit will ever be cherished as happy memories.

El Rio Chapter No. 333, Riverbank—Date of visit March 28, 1935. Condition of books: Secretary's and Treasurer's books are well kept and in good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Laby-

rinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers were present and did splendid work, and have a capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Their scattered membership keeps their attendance small but they have good Past Matron and Masonic support. This is a very harmonious and friendly Chapter, and I deeply appreciate the genuine spirit of their reception to me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Modesto Chapter No. 532, Modesto—Date of visit April 6, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a lovely little Chapter, and is the baby Chapter of my District. They extend generous hospitality to all visitors. Their efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron start their Chapter promptly every meeting night, regardless. Their officers are most interested and do beautiful work, striving hard for perfection. They have a Brother's and Sister's Club which supplies additional funds to their treasury and have good Masonic support. I appreciate the courtesies extended to me.

Oakdale Chapter No. 226, Oakdale—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and lovely little Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, who have had quite a time the first part of their year with officers who were ill, and had to make new appointments. Their leadership and earnest work has made these new officers come up to the standard of the others and were most capable of presenting beautiful work the night of my official visit. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I appreciate all the kindnesses and courtesies shown me, especially on the night of my official visit.

Orestimba Chapter No. 139, Newman—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Secretary's books well kept. The only Chapter in my District whose Treasurer did not keep books. Her only memorandum was a bank book. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Opened on time with all officers present. A very friendly Chapter and all officers do good work. This Chapter has a very beautiful "Renewal of the Obligation" ceremony, that was given to one of their Past Matrons, and for the last five years they have been putting on this beautiful, impressive ceremony. It is too bad

that more members are unable to see it exemplified. I want to thank the officers and members for all their courtesies and kindnesses shown me at all times.

Patterson Chapter No. 417, Patterson—Date of visit May 28, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very nice little Chapter that was greatly inspired by having the Worthy Grand Matron visiting them in their own little hall, and with the aid of the Masonic Lodge and their Worthy Matron and her husband, made many improvements in their Chapter room this year. The officers are very faithful and deserve much credit, as some of them come from quite a distance. The officers do lovely, sincere work here. I wish to thank the officers and members for making all of my visits to them such happy ones, and enjoyed the original and clever presentation on my official visit to them.

Smyrna Chapter No. 416, Ceres—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron who are working for the good of their Chapter, and are assisted by a splendid corps of officers. On the night of my official visit there were several substitutes due to illness; however, the work was given in a very creditable manner. My association with these members has been most pleasant and I thank them for all their courtesies. They have good Past Matron and Past Patron support.

Summit Chapter No. 138, Knights Ferry—Date of visit May 24, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my own beloved Chapter of which I am very proud to be a member. It possesses a genuine spirit of friendliness and hospitality, and visitors are always welcomed. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are assisted by a sincere and loyal group of officers, who do very fine work and deserve a great deal of credit, as our membership is quite scattered and come long distances to the meetings. I sincerely appreciate their love and loyalty to me, and the wonderful reception they gave me. We have practically a hundred per cent Masonic support in our Chapter. I can sincerely report that I have found all the officers and members in my District most interested in our beautiful Order. The instructions have been eagerly accepted and

they all want to do perfect work. They started out with a spirit of competition—striving to be the best in the District. With this goal to reach, it has made them conscientious, capable, enthusiastic and efficient, and there is a happy cooperation and friendly hospitality that prevails throughout the District. They have all tried hard to retain their old members, and have succeeded in securing new ones. It has been an extremely happy privilege to serve our charming Worthy Grand Matron this year, and instructing the lovely Chapters. I have thoroughly enjoyed renewing my old friendships, and making new ones. It has truly been the grandest year of my life, and I want to thank all of my Sisters and Brothers and especially my husband for making this year such a wonderful one for me.

Tuolumne Star Chapter No. 123, Sonora—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers present except Conductress, who was very ill. A most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who are supported by a group of capable officers and do lovely work. They have good Masonic support. I had to go to this Chapter officially in a snow storm, and shall never forget the wonderful attendance that evening in spite of the severe weather. A very cordial welcome has always been extended to me. This is a very hospitable Chapter, and it has been a pleasure to work with them. I want to thank this Chapter for the lovely nugget they presented to me on my official visit.

Wistaria Chapter No. 296, Turlock—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Secretary and Treasurer both kept their books in a neat, orderly and business like manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. They have an ambitious and sincere Worthy Matron and a splendid Worthy Patron, and officers who do their work well. They have very good Past Matron and Past Patron support. The members of this Chapter have been most kind and I deeply appreciate the many courtesies shown me at all times.

PEARL MAY KILBY, District No. 33

Calkota Chapter No. 309, Kerman—Date of visit May 8, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with all officers present. Hospitality extended to both visitors and members of this, my own dear Chapter, of which I am happy to be a member and to which I am grateful for their making it possible that our Worthy Grand Matron appoint me to serve as Deputy of the 33rd District. I wish to thank Calkota Chapter for the many kindnesses it has shown me.

Chowchilla Chapter No. 365, Chowchilla—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter started at 8:30 P. M., laboring under the difficulty of scattered residences of the officers who drive some distance to receive instructions and give their work. Matron and Patron work hard for the welfare of the Chapter. I have been shown every courtesy, for which I am very appreciative.

Concordia Chapter No. 320, Clovis—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars are kept in a permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The gavel was sounded at 8:15. Officers capable and doing good work. Noticeable interest taken in Chapter by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. An especially good Matron and Patron. I appreciate greatly the most gracious courtesies always extended to me at Concordia Chapter.

Fresno Chapter No. 295, Fresno—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the constitution. Chapter started on time. Officers show a great desire to perfect their work; a very capable Worthy Matron assisted by an admirable Worthy Patron. It was a joy to visit this Chapter, the second largest in my District. My official visit was one of many pleasures and I am most grateful for the many courtesies extended to me by this delightful Chapter.

Las Mariposas Chapter No. 200, Mariposa—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals pres-

ent, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:20 P. M. A hospitable spirit prevails among the members who drive many miles (some from Yosemite Valley) to participate in the work. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron have the loyal support of all officers. All instructions were graciously received and appreciated. I wish to thank them for the lovely way in which they received me.

Madera Chapter No. 92, Madera—Date of visit March 8, 1935. Condition of books: Fine. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very good Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Chapter opened at 8:10 o'clock. Efficient corps of officers working for the good of the Chapter. Good Masonic support. Delightful hospitality shown to all visitors. I deeply appreciate the many kindnesses shown me as Deputy Grand Matron. The occasion of my official visit will always remain a happy memory.

Livingston Chapter No. 531, Livingston—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter room small, making it difficult for officers, but work was efficiently done. A capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. I am very proud of this young Chapter and it was a pleasure to instruct the officers who were eager to accept and follow my instructions. I wish to thank them for the manner in which they received me.

Mercedes Chapter No. 126, Merced—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 o'clock with an efficient corps of officers participating in the work. A very charming Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron. Chapter has a good membership, interested members, and loyal Past Matrons and Past Patrons. For the many kindnesses and courtesies shown me I am sincerely grateful.

Raisina Chapter No. 89, Fresno—Date of visit May 15, 1935. Condition of books: Fine. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A wonderful spirit of har-

mony prevails here where the pleasant Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are supported by capable officers. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. with the work very well done. The reception given me on the evening of my official visit was beautiful and one I shall never forget.

Venus Chapter No. 534, San Joaquin—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars are kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter room small, making it difficult for officers, but work well done. This is my baby Chapter presided over by a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Good Masonic support. Very harmonious and hospitable. I greatly enjoyed my official visit to this Chapter.

ANNA G. ALLEN, District No. 34

Corcoran Chapter No. 370, Corcoran—Date of visit March 1, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has a most capable and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a lovely and enthusiastic corps of officers. Ritualistic work was perfect and the floor work exceptionally well done. Much interest shown by Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Instructions were very eagerly received. It is a most hospitable and progressive Chapter. I am deeply grateful for the many expressions of love and enjoy the friendship of these officers and members. My official visit was one of pleasure and happiness and my associations with Corcoran Chapter will always be a real joy to me.

Heliotrope Chapter No. 93, Selma—Date of visit March 11, 1935. Condition of books: Very efficient Secretary and books in very good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very friendly and home-like Chapter and in excellent condition. Under the direction of a very gracious and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and an enthusiastic corps of officers this Chapter is enjoying a very happy year. It has been a pleasure to work with these officers. The efforts of the Worthy Matron and her officers are untiring for the success of the Chapter. Exemplification of the work was beautiful. I most sincerely thank all officers and members for the very lovely evening given me on my official visit and for their graciousness at all times.

Eschscholtzia Chapter No. 270, Coalinga—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; all are beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The harmony and happiness of this Chapter shows its excellent condition. Very progressive under the leadership of a sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and a splendid Worthy Patron. Work beautifully done by lovely corps of officers. Very generous Masonic, Past Matron and Past Patron support. Much reverence shown by members and officers during conferring of degrees. I shall always have most pleasant memories of my associations with this lovely Chapter and appreciate the kindness and thoughtfulness and the many courtesies shown me at all times. May the lovely friendships ever grow stronger.

Lily of the Lake Chapter No. 41, Lemoore—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent condition; we have a very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable and sincere Worthy Matron and genial Worthy Patron, with loyal support from officers and members, govern this Chapter. All officers were eager and anxious for instructions. All floor and ritualistic work was well done. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are faithful in attendance and are willing workers. I am very proud of my home Chapter and of my District. I owe much to the members of this Chapter for their confidence and for their many kindnesses rendered to me making this a year of happiness in serving as Deputy Grand Matron. The night of my official visit will always be a cherished memory.

Kingsburg Chapter No. 312, Kingsburg—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Everything is well kept and in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a most active Chapter where a happy social and fraternal spirit prevails. A charming and sincere Worthy Matron and a conscientious and genial Worthy Patron are assisted by a very splendid corps of officers. All do beautiful floor and ritualistic work. Good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Cordial greetings await all its visitors. Exceptional musical talent adds much to their evening programs. My most sincere thanks for the courtesies and graciousness to me on all my visits. This year has given me many new friends and happy memories to recall in the future.

Lucerne Chapter No. 127, Hanford—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: All books are very well kept and

everything is in good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very capable corps of officers, willing and anxious to perfect their work. A gracious and efficient Worthy Matron assisted by a conscientious Worthy Patron. All officers are doing lovely work. A delightful and homelike Chapter which extends a cordial welcome to all. It has an active group of Past Matrons and the Past Patrons are very liberal with their support and unique entertainments. I deeply appreciate and shall always remember the very friendly greetings and lovely courtesies shown me on my many visits to this Chapter. It has indeed been a pleasure to serve as your Deputy Grand Matron.

Reedley Chapter No. 257, Reedley—Date of visit February 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good, and Secretary anxious to have them so. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The condition of this Chapter is excellent. A very sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and earnest and enthusiastic Worthy Patron are directing a splendid and most interested corps of officers. It is a very cordial Chapter, filled with the finest spirit of friendliness. All officers eager and anxious for instructions. Exemplification of work was very well given. I have thoroughly enjoyed my associations with this Chapter and most sincerely thank them for the lovely evening given me and for the friendliness and cordiality always extended. I have been truly privileged to serve them.

Riverdale Chapter No. 400, Riverdale—Date of visit February 27, 1935. Condition of books: All in very good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers competent and sincere and deserve much credit for working under difficulty of a scattered membership. It is difficult to assemble the entire corps of officers. All instructions were gladly received. A most sincere and earnest Worthy Matron, who has the welfare of the Chapter at heart, is assisted by a genial Worthy Patron. This Chapter is very friendly and hospitable. I shall always have most pleasant memories of my associations with this Chapter and appreciate the kindness and hospitality of these lovely officers and members on all of my visits.

Sanger Chapter No. 482, Sanger—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: All in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram

of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is noted for its hospitality and friendliness. With a very energetic and capable Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron supported by a splendid corps of officers Sanger Chapter is doing very lovely work. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are most generous with their help and encouragement. Very fine Masonic cooperation. A varied program insures a good attendance on the sides lines. My official visit was a most enjoyable occasion and full of happy surprises. I am most grateful for the loving courtesies and know the friendships formed will be lasting.

ELIZABETH M. HEISKELL, District No. 35

Dinuba Chapter No. 261, Dinuba—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Books in very good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars not kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. A most hospitable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and conscientious corps of officers, who with the members are working hard for the interest of the Chapter. Good attendance and Masonic support.

Exeter Chapter No. 334, Exeter—Date of visit March 12, 1935. Condition of books: Books well kept by a capable Secretary; collection good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars not kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. Work beautifully done by officers with dignity and sincerity. Attendance not so good due to the fact that a very active woman's club meets on the afternoon of each Chapter meeting. Exeter being a small place it stands to reason that the attendance of either one or the other organization must suffer. However, the attendance does not seem to affect the quality of the officers or their work.

Lindsay Chapter No. 306, Lindsay—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: Good; very capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M., the work being performed in a creditable and efficient manner by officers who are prompt, courteous and eager to please. The officers, Past Matrons, Masons and other members of the Chapter offer a visitor a hospitality that comes only from harmonious cooperation of members.

Martha Washington Chapter No. 13, Visalia—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: The books are in very good condition, the Secretary is quite elderly and wears the first fifty year emblem presented in the State. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. This Chapter is very happy in its new home. A home that they are justly proud of and one which is a credit to all the Masonic bodies housed therein. I deem it a privilege and honor to have served as the first Deputy Grand Matron in this Temple. The Chapter is enjoying wonderful attendance and is most cordial to its many visitors. The beauty of the surroundings seems to be reflected in the work of the officers.

Monte Vista Chapter No. 271, Orosi—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; the disinterested delinquent members were eliminated last year and collections are coming in very good this year. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. This is a very active Chapter. The members come from long distances and dispatch their business with promptness, dignity and sincerity and then by cheerful companionship and social enjoyment lighten the burdens of active duty.

Palm Leaf Chapter No. 114, Porterville—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Very good condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:07. Splendid support from members, Masonic brothers and past officers. Work rendered in a conscientious and efficient manner by capable officers interested in their work and eager to please.

Tulare Chapter No. 94, Tulare—Date of visit March 4, 1935. Condition of books: Good; 1934 showed profit of \$142.98, the first in 4 years; collections good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:03 P. M. Work is well done by a good corps of officers headed by a Worthy Matron with what seems to be an inexhaustible supply of energy and enthusiasm. Attendance very good, supported well by members, past Matrons and Masons. The Chapter is in splendid condition with harmony and friendliness prevailing and most thoughtful and courteous to their member, the Deputy Grand Matron.

Woodlake Chapter No. 510, Woodlake—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 7:45 P. M. A small Chapter with very good attendance for its size. It is housed in a newly finished hall and slowly but surely acquiring those things that add to the beauty and comfort of a Chapter room. There is a wonderful spirit of cooperation and friendliness. Having visited this Chapter once you have a great desire to go back again and again and bask in their friendly hospitality.

EMMA JANE WRIGHT, District No. 36

Buena Vista Chapter No. 364, Fellows—Date of visit March 8, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a wonderful and enthusiastic corps of officers. Ritualistic and floor work rendered in a most beautiful and dignified manner. Visitors are always assured a most cordial welcome. A joy and privilege to work with these officers. Loyal support of all members. Many thanks for the many courtesies and kindnesses extended me as your Deputy.

Faith Chapter No. 514, Taft—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, all other officers very efficient. Doing splendid work and striving for perfection. A great privilege and a real pleasure to instruct these officers. I sincerely appreciate the lovely evening given me on my official visit. Loyal support from members.

Maricopa Chapter No. 323, Maricopa—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very dear Worthy Matron, sincere Worthy Patron, splendid officers. A progressive and prosperous Chapter. Ritualistic and floor work rendered in a dignified and beautiful manner. The courtesies shown me and the loving thoughts, expressed in so many ways, will always have a place in my book of memories.

Taft Chapter No. 337, Taft—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid corps of officers doing wonderful work. Good support from members. Hospitality prevails. Good social spirit. The dinner on night of my official visit was greatly enjoyed and will long be remembered. I thank this Chapter for the many courtesies; it has been a pleasure to serve them.

Wasco Chapter No. 489, Wasco—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron; very efficient and interested corps of officers. Harmony prevails. Loyal support from members. The privilege of serving my home Chapter in this capacity affords me a great deal of pleasure, which I deeply appreciate and am grateful to my beloved Worthy Grand Matron Sister Minnie Viola Collins, for appointing me Deputy Grand Matron for the 36th District. To have a friend be a friend. Thanks to my own home Chapter for all the lovely courtesies.

DEL FRANCES WYLIE, District No. 37

Bakersfield Chapter No. 125, Bakersfield—Date of visit April 1, 1935. Condition of books: In very fine condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at eight o'clock with all officers present. A harmonious, happy group of officers to whom Chapter work is of first importance. The work rendered in a beautiful and impressive manner. It has been a real pleasure to instruct these officers and I am truly grateful and deeply appreciate the many loving courtesies that were extended to me as Deputy. The officers made my visit very memorable and I thank them for the beautiful manner in presenting me a gift from the Chapter, a floral ceremony, written by the Worthy Matron.

Caledonia Chapter No. 391, Bakersfield—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Neatly kept by capable Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a hospitable Chapter with friendliness and true fraternity present. The work rendered in a fine manner.

Worthy Matron presides in a most pleasing way, and the Worthy Patron is very interested and is assisting in every possible manner. Chapter opened at 8 o'clock, with all officers except Treasurer present, she being absent due to illness. The night of my official visit will always be a lovely memory.

Delano Chapter No. 146, Delano—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8 o'clock with all officers present. Work well rendered under a gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Very courteous to their deputy and it has been a joy to serve as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Libertas Chapter No. 362, Bakersfield—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A fine corps of officers doing splendid work under leadership of an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. This is the home Chapter of our Junior Past Grand Matron Sister Jessie G. Morris, of whom we of Kern County are all very proud. Chapter opened promptly at 8 o'clock, with all officers present. I am sincerely grateful for the cordial way in which officers and members have always received me and for the many courtesies shown. My wish for Libertas Chapter is continued joy and prosperity, and with the splendid line officers this Chapter has I do not see how this can fail to be.

Security Chapter No. 426, Bakersfield—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Accurately kept by an efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my own Chapter, of which I am very proud to be a member. Chapter opened promptly at 8 o'clock with all officers present, the work being rendered in a fine efficient manner. The officers of my Chapter are all very dear to me. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron were members of the class of candidates initiated during my year as Worthy Matron and have done everything possible to make my year as Deputy one long to be remembered. To the members of Security Chapter I am deeply grateful for the wonderful reception which they gave for me. It will ever remain a pleasant memory.

PEARL A. CROOK, District No. 38

Kearsarge Chapter No. 378, Independence—Date of visit April 12, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was well presented by a charming and efficient Worthy Matron and splendid Worthy Patron, with the assistance of an excellent corps of officers. Every officer was present. The officers of this Chapter were eager to receive instruction. I am most grateful for every courtesy shown me as Deputy Grand Matron. My official visit was a most delightful affair and one which I shall always remember with pleasure and appreciation. An air of harmony prevails in this Chapter.

Mt. Whitney Chapter No. 197, Bishop—Date of visit April 20, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is guided by an efficient and courteous Worthy Matron and genial Worthy Patron. Chapter opened on time and the work was beautifully demonstrated by a splendid corps of officers, three being absent on account of illness. This Chapter has been more than courteous to me as the Deputy Grand Matron of District No. 38, and I deeply appreciate the opportunity afforded me to serve this group of officers and members. It has been a real joy. My official visit was carefully planned and will always remain an outstanding picture in my mind.

Sierra Chapter No. 318, Big Pine—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An earnest and gracious Worthy Matron and a most efficient Worthy Patron, with a splendid corps of officers, several of whom are new members, exemplified the work in an excellent manner. Chapter opened with every officer present. This Chapter is small, but is wonderfully supported by Past Matrons, Past Patrons and the Masonic Lodge. This is my home Chapter, in which I have justly centered my deepest pride and admiration. The confidence placed in me by our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, has been a great support in my work, and I am indeed very grateful for the honor conferred upon my Chapter through this appointment. It has been a pleasure to serve my own Chapter as Deputy Grand Matron, and I sincerely appreciate every courtesy extended to me, especially on the night of my official visit.

Sunshine Chapter No. 327, Lancaster—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter opened with every officer present. The work was presented in a creditable manner by a capable and gracious Worthy Matron, an ambitious Worthy Patron and a fine corps of officers. This Chapter has good support by Past Matrons and Past Patrons, and is outstanding in the District in its sponsoring of the Rainbow Girls. These officers received instruction with enthusiasm, and I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me as Deputy Grand Matron. The occasion of my official visit was a very beautiful evening and the memory of it will always be cherished.

Tehachapi Chapter No. 188, Tehachapi—Date of visit May 15, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is presided over by a very courteous and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Supporting them are an excellent corps of officers. Chapter opened with one officer absent, due to a death in the family. The work was demonstrated in a most satisfactory manner. This Chapter has been very hospitable and kind to me as Deputy Grand Matron, and the officers have received instruction with an evident desire to perfect the work. I am sincerely grateful for every courtesy extended to me. The reception given me on the night of my official visit will always be a beautiful page in my book of memories. It has been a pleasure to work with this Chapter.

JULIA M. HOWARD, District No. 39

Atascadero Chapter No. 344, Atascadero—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the guidance of a kind and loving Worthy Matron and a loyal Worthy Patron this Chapter is doing splendid work. My association with the officers has been most pleasant and I thank them for the many courtesies shown to me.

Bethlehem Chapter No. 95, Paso Robles—Date of visit March 5, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable

and gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with splendid officers that have the interest of their Chapter at heart. I deeply appreciate every kindness extended to me by officers and members of this delightful Chapter and I will always remember my official visit.

Cambria Pines Chapter No. 525, Cambria—Date of visit March 18, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron supported by a splendid corps of officers. I am most grateful to the officers and members for their kindness and generous hospitality.

Corona Chapter No. 107, San Luis Obispo—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A charming and capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron striving for the good of the Chapter and happiness of the members. An efficient corps of officers. Excellent work and lovely music. My official visit will long be remembered and I thank them for every courtesy extended to me.

Miguelito Chapter No. 176, Lompoc—Date of visit February 26, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very gracious and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. All officers are anxious to do perfect work. My official visit was one of pleasure and happiness. It has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter. I am grateful to them for the many courtesies shown to me.

Mizpah Chapter No. 100, Santa Maria—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A charming and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron supported by a splendid group of officers doing beautiful work. Good support by Past Matrons and Patrons. Excellent music. My association with them has been a real joy and pleasure. I thank them for all the many courtesies and kindness extended to me.

Ramona Chapter No. 97, Arroyo Grande—Date of visit May 15, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Laby-

rinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my home Chapter, of which I am very proud. A very gracious and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a fine group of officers doing splendid work. The evening of my official visit will ever remain an outstanding event in my life. I am grateful for the privilege of serving as a Grand Officer from my Chapter. For the many courtesies shown me I thank you.

Violet Chapter No. 102, San Miguel—Date of visit May 9, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Harmony and happiness are very evident in this Chapter. An efficient and gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a lovely corps of officers working together. I am most grateful to the officers and members for their kindness and generous hospitality.

CORA R. LEWIS, District No. 40

Fillmore Chapter No. 361, Fillmore—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Very good, and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and proficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron working for the interest of their Chapter. A very capable corps of officers, their work at all times being exemplified in a most creditable manner. I greatly appreciate the friendliness and courtesies extended to me by these officers and members, particularly on the night of my official visit. It has been a pleasure to serve them.

Marguerite Chapter No. 78, Santa Barbara—Date of visit April 12, 1935. Condition of books: Very good and nicely kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most gracious and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Owing to illness the first few months among the officers Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron had quite a struggle, but with their great ambition and a Worthy Matron who had the interest of the Chapter at heart, they are now at the top and doing beautiful work. I was most happy to serve the home Chapter of our own Past Grand Matron Sister Gladys Fitch Pierce, one of my dearest friends. I have thoroughly enjoyed working with these lovely officers and am grateful to them and their members for every courtesy extended to me.

I would especially like to thank those who created the beautiful spring hat and bag presented me and also the table decorations, favors and refreshments. It was a beautiful sight to behold. My official visit will hold many happy memories.

Ojai Chapter No. 528, Ojai—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most charming and proficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a loyal corps of officers and members. This is the baby Chapter of our District and their ritualistic and floor work was excellent. Their Warder and Sentinel should have special mention as their work was beautiful to look upon. I sincerely thank this Chapter for their cooperation and the many happy evenings I spent with them. My official visit was a very happy occasion and one I shall never forget. I sincerely thank them for all their courtesies.

Oxnard Chapter No. 322, Oxnard—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of books: Fine; neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A fine corps of officers doing excellent work, supported by an efficient and sweet Worthy Matron and very capable Worthy Patron, all working for the interest of their Chapter. I deeply appreciate the cooperation and loving courtesies extended to me and consider it an honor to have served this Chapter. The night of my official visit will always remain one of my sweetest memories.

Santa Barbara Chapter No. 501, Santa Barbara—Date of visit March 13, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers and members working for the interest of their Chapter. A very sweet and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers doing excellent work. It has been a pleasure to work with these officers and I sincerely appreciate their cooperation and the courtesies shown me on the night of my official visit. It will always remain a happy memory.

Santa Paula Chapter No. 185, Santa Paula—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Fine; nicely kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution.

A most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron supported by a fine corps of officers, doing very lovely work. It has been a great pleasure to work with these officers and I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies shown me. The evening of my official visit will always remain a happy memory.

Vallecito Chapter No. 523, Carpinteria—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: Fine; neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very fine corps of officers who exemplify the work beautifully. A most charming and efficient Worthy Matron and a very capable Worthy Patron working diligently to have harmony in our Chapter. I am very proud to say that this is my home Chapter and I sincerely thank our beloved Worthy Grand Matron for the honor bestowed upon our Chapter and the privilege of serving this wonderful 40th District under her leadership. It is with happiness that I thank my Chapter for all the loving courtesies and kindnesses shown me. My official visit will always be a treasured memory and I will always be grateful to sweet Genevieve and her officers.

Ventura Chapter No. 79, Ventura—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Fine; neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very proficient corps of officers doing very fine work, cooperating with a lovely and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. My work with this Chapter has been a pleasure and the courtesies and kindnesses shown me on the night of my official visit will always remain treasured memories.

MAY BENTON, District No. 41

Beverly Hills Chapter No. 404, Beverly Hills—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A wonderful Chapter with an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The officers are earnest and faithful and the ritualistic work was beautifully rendered. Delightful hospitality exists at all meetings and visitors are always assured a most cordial welcome. It has been a real pleasure to instruct these officers and I truly appreciate the many, many courtesies extended me, which will always remain a sweet memory. All officers present except Associate Matron and Flag Bearer.

Columbia Chapter No. 247, West Los Angeles—Date of visit February 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very proficient corps of officers exemplifying beautiful and almost perfect work. It has been a great pleasure to instruct these officers and I sincerely appreciate the love and warm welcome always extended me.

Culver City Chapter No. 395, Culver City—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with an excellent corps of officers rendering their work in a most efficient manner. Most generous spirit of hospitality and fraternal love extended to me at all times, for which I am sincerely grateful. It has been a happy privilege to serve this Chapter, which is almost like one big family.

Ocean Park Chapter No. 245, Ocean Park—Date of visit March 7, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Most hospitable Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron with very interested officers anxious to have perfect work. A very busy Chapter, as one affair is scarcely completed before plans are being made for something else. Sincerely grateful for courtesies shown me. All officers present except Warder.

Palisades Chapter No. 474, Santa Monica—Date of visit May 24, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid corps of officers work harmoniously for the good of the Chapter and my own beloved Chapter of which I am justly proud. I wish to thank my members for the courtesies extended. I am deeply indebted to our wonderful Worthy Grand Matron, Minnie Viola Collins, for my appointment as Deputy Grand Matron, and as I am the first Grand Officer of Palisades Chapter it makes me very happy and has given me an experience which I shall treasure in the years to come. All officers present except Marshal.

Palms Chapter No. 491, Los Angeles—Date of visit March 11, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth,

2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A wonderful little Chapter with earnest and faithful officers eager to do perfect work. It has been a pleasure to instruct this Chapter and I want to thank them for the beautiful spirit of welcome always extended me. All officers present except Associate Conductress.

Santa Monica Chapter No. 113, Santa Monica—Date of visit March 18, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and carefully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with an efficient corps of officers cooperating in every way. Loyal support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Work beautifully exemplified the night of my official visit. This is a harmonious Chapter and the charming manner in which they always welcomed me was very gratifying indeed.

Triangle Chapter No. 456, Venice—Date of visit May 10, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most congenial Chapter with a gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a capable corps of officers who strive for perfection. Work most beautifully and impressively rendered. It has been a real joy to work with this Chapter and the courtesies and kindnesses extended to me will always be a pleasant memory. All officers present except Adah and Sentinel.

Westwood Hills Chapter, U. D., Westwood Village—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and accurate; a most efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very kind Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers who exemplified the work in a very creditable manner on the evening of my official visit. Officers and members very enthusiastic and interested. This is my U. D. Chapter which has a very promising future.

C. ENID DEEDS, District No. 42

Cahuenga Chapter No. 413, Hollywood—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; wonderful set of books kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and capable Worthy Matron and a fine Worthy Patron and corps of officers, who are all excellent in their work, maintaining the high standard of this Chapter. It has the loyal support of members and past officers. A cordial welcome is extended to all visitors. I enjoyed working with the officers, who were very attentive, and appreciate the many courtesies extended to me. My first official visit will always be remembered as a very happy evening and one I will always cherish.

Elysian Chapter No. 354, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have worked hard for the good of the Chapter, with splendid results. The work was exemplified by a fine corps of officers in a very impressive manner. The officers have been attentive and I appreciate their cooperation. I enjoyed serving this Chapter. It always extends a happy welcome to all visitors. It is well supported by members and past officers.

Harding Chapter No. 454, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers, all working for the interest of the Chapter. The work was exemplified in a pleasing manner. Good support from members and past officers. Talented officers and members make this Chapter outstanding in social activities. I sincerely thank the officers and members for the kindness and hospitality extended to me.

Holly Vista Chapter No. 517, West Hollywood—Date of visit May 10, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very conscientious and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, both anxious to please and a corps of officers all doing splendid work. To my own Chapter, of which I am very proud, I am

grateful for the honor that has been mine in serving as the first Grand Officer from my Chapter. The members of the Chapter have made my year as Deputy a happy one, and to the officers and past officers I am indeed grateful for your loyal support. My official visit will always be an outstanding night in my "Book of Memories". It has been a real pleasure to serve the Chapters in the 42nd District.

Hollywood Chapter No. 209, Hollywood—Date of visit May 13, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and gracious Worthy Matron, supported by a capable Worthy Patron and a splendid corps of officers, who render their work in an excellent manner. This Chapter was surely founded on the firm foundation of true fraternalism; well supported by members and past officers. I shall always remember the lovely ceremony written for my official visit by one of the officers. I appreciate their attentiveness and kind hospitality.

Olivette Chapter No. 503, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 27, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A gracious and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and a very efficient Worthy Patron, who gave the optional work very impressively. Supported by a keen and alert corps of officers who exemplified the work beautifully. A fine spirit of good will and friendliness radiates here and visitors are always made to feel at home. The night of my official visit will be long remembered. I deeply appreciate the cooperation and the many friends I have made, and it has been a real pleasure to serve you.

Radiant Chapter No. 421, Hollywood—Date of visit May 24, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very enthusiastic and efficient Worthy Matron and an earnest Worthy Patron supported by a loyal corps of officers. The spirit of friendliness and hospitality is always apparent to visitors. It has been a pleasure to work with the officers and members of this Chapter, and I feel honored to be made an honorary member and deeply appreciate the friendships which have been formed this year and in the past. The Chapter is well supported by members and past officers, and a fine spirit of cooperation exists.

Wil-Brea Chapter No. 520, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 16, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals

present, 6; Instruction Books, 5; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid corps of officers giving loyal support to their gracious Worthy Matron and to their Chapter. The exemplification of the work was given in a creditable manner. The newly initiated and installed Worthy Patron is to be commended for his work on my official visit. The true spirit of good fellowship reigns here and the Chapter is well supported by past officers. It has been a pleasure to work with the officers who are so willing to do their best.

Wilshire Chapter No. 329, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 25, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very efficient Worthy Matron and a capable Worthy Patron who gave the optional work to a large class on the second meeting night of the year. The ritualistic work was exemplified by the officers in an impressive manner, showing their earnestness in doing perfect work. It has been a pleasure to meet the members of this splendid Chapter and to serve them. The beautiful night of my official visit will always be remembered, and I appreciate the gracious and cordial welcome extended to me.

VIVIAN M. BROWN, District No. 43

Beacon Ray Chapter No. 495, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 22, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid corps of officers and a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Meeting was opened on time with all officers present except one. Work beautifully rendered by officers greatly interested, harmonious and sincere. A congenial and friendly spirit prevails. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. My year as their Deputy Grand Matron shall always be a happy remembrance.

Bethel Chapter No. 476, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 8, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10 P. M. Officers all present except the Associate Patron. Work almost perfect. A lovely group of officers to work with, ready and willing at all times to please. The Worthy Matron and Worthy

Patron are earnest and sincere in their work, having the support of all their officers. A most delightful and friendly Chapter. A keen interest in the Chapter business is shown by all members. For every courtesy and kindness accorded me this year I am most grateful.

Composite Chapter No. 498, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 28, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:15 P. M. with one officer absent. It has been a pleasure to work with this very energetic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, with earnest and faithful officers working hard for the success and prosperity of the Chapter. Very friendly and hospitable. Wonderful support of Past Matrons and Patrons. I have had many enjoyable evenings with this Chapter and am grateful for all courtesies extended to me.

Larchmont Chapter No. 463, Los Angeles—Date of visit February 27, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Opened on time with all officers present. Work beautifully exemplified. A most efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron anxious to maintain a high standard of work. A friendly and harmonious Chapter. This is my own Chapter, of which I am very proud. I truly appreciate the many acts of love and kindness extended to me. I am very grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins, for having appointed me Deputy Grand Matron of the 43rd District. I have endeavored at all times to discharge my duties faithfully as a loving service to her.

Majestic Chapter No. 480, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All officers present. The work was exemplified in a very capable manner. Officers deeply interested and striving toward perfect work. A most competent and gracious Worthy Matron and very efficient Worthy Patron. Splendid attendance. Wonderful support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A cordial welcome to visitors at all times. I most truly appreciate the friendship and many courtesies extended to me by members and officers.

Melrose Chapter No. 466, Los Angeles—Date of visit June 6, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals

present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:05 P. M. All officers present. A lovely and proficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid corps of officers. Work commendably done. Loyal support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I shall always be grateful to this Chapter for their many acts of kindness and love given to me. There is always a very happy and cordial welcome extended to all who enter this Chapter.

Palestine Chapter No. 210, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 16, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Meeting opened at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. A splendid group of officers working together enthusiastically under the leadership of a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Work rendered in a beautiful manner. It was a real pleasure to instruct these officers. Very good music. Wonderful support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Visitors always given a cordial welcome. This is the home Chapter of Brother Raymond H. Griest, our most highly esteemed Past Grand Patron, and I am proud to have served his Chapter. I sincerely appreciate the many acts of kindness shown me this year.

Roseland Chapter No. 465, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 10, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Opened at 8:10 P. M. The work being performed in an efficient and creditable manner with all officers present. A very gracious Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. Splendid organist. Very friendly and cordial to visitors. It has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter and I appreciate their friendship most heartily. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

MAUDE MAE McQUIDDY, District No. 44

Arlington Chapter No. 418, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; minutes beautifully written; all records perfectly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The hospitality of this friendly Chapter has been known far and wide for twelve years. The Worthy Matron is so graciously sweet and gentle that to

know her is to love her. The Worthy Patron is capable and interested, doing perfect ritualistic work. They have the whole-hearted support of a fine corps of officers, who, inspired by the splendid leaders they have, are as interested in doing their work well as in supporting every plan their Chapter presents. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are actively interested and the members respond willingly to all plans for the welfare of their Chapter. I appreciate the loving thought and labor behind the beautiful May party they gave me on the night of my official visit. "A thing of beauty is a joy forever." The picture of these sweet officers, the May poles and the May baskets will remain with me always. Truly beautiful.

Esperanza Chapter No. 167, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 24, 1935. Condition of books: They need a new system. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is the oldest Chapter in my District. The membership consists of wonderfully gracious and hospitable people. A most charming Worthy Matron, who is really the personification of diplomacy and tact presides, assisted by a fine, genial Worthy Patron. Both are wholeheartedly loved by the entire membership and a delightful corps of officers who do excellent ritualistic work. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are active and show an interest in all meetings. A splendid attendance of members is always in evidence. The membership consists of many old members as well as young. The Worthy Matron has planned for their pleasure and at the same time kept the interest of the younger members, making happiness for all. They are the proud possessors of a beautiful new floor cloth this year. A very happy, carefree atmosphere prevailed on the night of my official visit. I thank them for the lovely evening and also for the many sweet courtesies they are continually extending to "me and mine". I am grateful, indeed, to have been their Deputy. I know my future will be happier for the new friends I have made in Esperanza. This is the home Chapter of Sister Mattie Charette, Past Grand Treasurer.

Golden State Chapter No. 298, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; beautifully kept by an efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An exceptionally friendly Chapter, presided over by a most energetic and lovable Worthy Matron whose husband is the Worthy Patron and who is equally as zealous in his efforts to serve his Chapter. Their entire corps of officers are enthusiastic and painstaking, all doing beautiful ritualistic work. A large attendance of members with long

lines of Past Matrons and Past Patrons escorted at each meeting, an ever present source of joy to the members as well as encouraging to the officers. A most friendly greeting awaits all visitors. The loving thought, as well as the clever pageant prepared by Past Matrons and officers for my official visit, represented talent and weeks of preparation which touched me deeply and will ever live in my memory as one of the sweetest experiences of my life.

Malta Chapter No. 475, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 17, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars not kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This friendly Chapter is the youngest in my District. The very splendid little Worthy Matron has exhibited the greatest of courage in bringing about changes which will mean much to this Chapter in the future. She is assisted by a fine Worthy Patron who co-operates in all things and gives his ritualistic work in a most impressive manner. Their entire corps of officers were a source of joy to me, this being my own home Chapter, their promptness and attention being equalled only by their sincerity and the perfect results attained. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are devoted to their Chapter and active at all times. A new Chaplain was installed just previous to my official visit. I feel that she merits special mention. The beautiful manner of giving the prayers as well as her sweetness and dignity has added to the impressiveness of the ritualistic ceremony. No effort was spared to make me proud and happy on this night. I have no words of sufficient strength to express my pride in my own Chapter, in my own Worthy Matron and her entire corps of officers, as well as the dear friend of my childhood, who acted as chairman for my homecoming.

Menorah Chapter No. 497, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: Very well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most delightful Chapter, where no effort is spared by the members in work for their Chapter. They are fortunate in having so beautiful a room in which to meet; it lends dignity to all ceremony. They have a most capable and sincere Worthy Matron, whose every thought is for peace and harmony. The Worthy Patron is efficient and gives his work in a very impressive manner. They are supported by a marvelous corps of officers, each one striving to maintain the standard of their previous years, and in so doing building for the future in a jolly, happy way. The lectures given on the night of my official visit were gems of impressive sincerity. The clever pageant, written

and presented for me on this night, and the beautiful party in the banquet room touched me beyond words. I appreciate the love and generosity with which they have showered me, and hope to retain their friendship always.

Pacific Chapter No. 192, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: Perfectly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This very splendid Chapter celebrated its thirty-fourth birthday this year. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are active and interested at all times; they could not refrain from being so, with this clever, enthusiastic Worthy Matron to inspire them. She is supported by a fine genial Worthy Patron and a painstaking, lovable corps of officers, who were 100 per cent at all rehearsals; it was a genuine pleasure to instruct them. The music in this Chapter is an outstanding feature and a joy to the members as well as an incentive for perfect floor work. This was my first official visit and the beautiful manner in which they exemplified the work made me very proud. The reception accorded me was so sincere and real and the banquet room so beautiful that this evening will remain in my memory always. I am happy to have had this dignified Chapter in my District and I am humbly grateful for their goodness to me. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Treasurer Mildred Blair Stone.

Rose Croix Chapter No. 317, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 9, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This very fine Chapter has had sorrow and disappointments to overcome. A few days before their installation of officers, they lost their beloved Past Patron James I. McGiffin, husband of Past Grand Matron Elsie Mae McGiffin. Within a few weeks two other active Past Patrons passed away. On the day of the Worthy Grand Matron's scheduled visit to this Chapter our dear Grand Secretary Stella Linscott was laid to rest. But with such a charming and progressively energetic Worthy Matron and so efficient and enthusiastic Worthy Patron they are equal to any emergency. This pair work in perfect accord. No task seems too great for them to assume on behalf of their Chapter. The result being an interested group of officers doing beautiful work; large attendance of members and loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons and many new members. They have purchased a beautiful new floor cloth, which was first used on the night of the Worthy Grand Matron's visit. The Chinese party they gave me on the night of my official visit represented weeks of loving labor, planned in the sweetest spirit of love by my

friends in Rose Croix. The work was rendered so beautifully and the welcome accorded me was so hearty and truly sincere that I have no words to express my appreciation. I can only attempt to live up to their thought of me.

Utopia Chapter No. 441, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. My smallest Chapter in membership; but the love and sweetness displayed here make it large, indeed, to all who attend the meetings. This Chapter has suffered sorrow and tragedy in recent years that would have discouraged a less courageous membership. They have a very lovable Worthy Matron who is unselfish and dependable. She is supported by a fine, earnest Worthy Patron and a splendid group of attentive officers, whose ritualistic work is beautifully given. The musician merits praise, fine music such as hers adds to the beauty of the ceremony. The present line of officers is strong. I feel that there are happy years ahead for them. The Worthy Matron has put much thought into planning something of interest for each meeting and there has been a large attendance of members to justify her plans. My honorary membership in this Chapter is something very dear to me and truly appreciated. The beautiful party and gorgeous banquet room prepared for me on the night of my official visit will ever live in my memory as a reminder of the sweetness I have found in Utopia.

ISABEL STRATHEARN, District No. 45

America Chapter No. 408, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very earnest Worthy Matron, striving to give her best. Worthy Patron anxious to do his part. Work was very well done by a fine corps of officers. This is my home Chapter and I am most proud of the honor given me to serve as Deputy Grand Matron. I sincerely thank the officers and members for their expressions of kindness. There is a good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons.

Atwater Chapter No. 522, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Although the Chapter is working under the difficulty of a small Chapter room, the ritualistic work was exemplified in a fine manner by an efficient corps of officers. There is a good attendance of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the officers and members of this Chapter.

Eagle Rock Chapter No. 313, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is presided over by a most charming and thoughtful Worthy Matron and a fine Worthy Patron, supported by a wonderful corps of officers. A fine spirit of fraternal cooperation exists. All members ballot. The work is given in a most creditable manner by a splendid, alert corps of officers. It has the loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. My visits were a pleasure to me at all times. I feel it has been a great honor to serve this Chapter, the home of our Worthy Grand Patron Brother J. Hartley Taylor. I am deeply appreciative for all courtesies extended to me.

East Gate Chapter No. 225, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 28, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; a wonderful Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most hospitable and dignified Chapter, presided over by a very capable and conscientious Worthy Matron, assisted by a Worthy Patron whose ritualistic work is of high merit and an inspiration to all who listen to his rendition of the work. Excellent work is exemplified by all officers. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons take active interest in all meetings. I am grateful to have had this Chapter in my District, the home of our beloved Past Grand Matron Sister Cora Spring Holland, and Sister Clara Alvarez, Past Grand Treasurer. I thank the officers and members for the many courtesies extended to me.

El Sereno Chapter No. 430, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 23, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a very hospitable Chapter. A Worthy Matron who works untiringly for her Chapter, and a fine Worthy Patron, supported by excellent officers who are most anxious to do their work well. It has been a pleasure to instruct these officers. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons take an active interest in their Chapter. I sincerely thank this Chapter for their many courtesies. This Chapter has had no suspensions this year.

Garvanza Chapter No. 266, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 16, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very lov-

able Worthy Matron and a splendid Worthy Patron, assisted by an excellent corps of officers who do good work. This Chapter has the loyal support of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons. The members are very hospitable to visitors. I am truly grateful for the wonderful evening given me on my official visit and the honor of being made an honorary member. I shall always cherish this membership. It has been a real pleasure to serve this Chapter.

Glassell Park Chapter No. 486, Los Angeles—Date of visit June 5, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers doing exceptionally fine work. A loyal group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons support a sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who are conscientiously upholding the traditions and high standards of this fine Chapter. It has been a joy to instruct such splendid officers who have earnestly endeavored to perfect their work. I sincerely thank this Chapter for their many acts of kindness.

Highland Park Chapter No. 263, Los Angeles—Date of visit June 13, 1935. Condition of books: Good. This Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron strive for the happiness of their members and have splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons, and a splendid corps of officers. I sincerely appreciate the courtesy and kindness shown me.

BERNICE HARLAN BIDWELL, District No. 46

Acacia Chapter No. 21, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 20, 1935. Condition of books. Excellent. The work of the Secretary is heavy and is most capably performed. The Treasurer's accounts are also very systematic and exact. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a loyal group of officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons and members. The Deputy is very proud of this, her home Chapter, and of the work exemplified on the night of her official visit.

Daylight Chapter No. 265, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: Books of both Secretary and Treasurer beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid Worthy Matron and

wonderful Worthy Patron supported by a conscientious group of officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons and members. On the afternoon of the Deputy's official visit the work was beautifully exemplified.

Oriental Chapter No. 258, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Books of Secretary and Treasurer efficiently and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron and an interested group of officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons and members. Although under a handicap due to the resignation of the Conductress on the evening of the Deputy's official visit, the officers exemplified the work in pleasing manner.

Los Angeles Chapter No. 168, Los Angeles—Date of visit February 18, 1935. Condition of books: All books of Secretary and Treasurer kept in a neat and orderly manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a most loyal group of officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons and interested members. The work of the officers was creditably exemplified for the Deputy on the night of her official visit.

Nimshi Chapter No. 424, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 8, 1935. Condition of books: All books of Secretary and Treasurer kept in systematic manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Capable Worthy Matron and pleasant Worthy Patron supported by an earnest group of officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons and members. The Deputy sincerely thanks this Chapter for courtesies and for the exemplification of the work on the night of her official visit. At this meeting the Worthy Patron was unable to be present and the Associate Patron filled the station in a most creditable manner.

Pleiades Chapter No. 281, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: Books of Secretary and Treasurer in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Lovable and capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, and a group of interested

officers, Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members. The Deputy thanks this Chapter most heartily for the beautiful manner in which she was received and for the work exemplified on the night of her official visit.

Sunbeam Chapter No. 376, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: All books well kept and records complete and orderly. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Capable Worthy Matron and pleasant Worthy Patron, supported by an interested and loyal group of officers, Past Matrons and Past Patrons and members. The Deputy thanks this Chapter for her courteous reception and for the exemplification of the work on the afternoon of her official visit.

West Lake Chapter No. 268, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Unusually good, reflecting credit on both Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and interested officers, Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members. The work was creditably exemplified for the Deputy on the night of her official visit.

MARION E. CONNERTON, District No. 47

Betsy Ross Chapter No. 518, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 1, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the splendid leadership of a very sweet and most gracious Worthy Matron assisted by a loyal Worthy Patron, and most helpful corps of officers, this Chapter is making marvelous strides forward. The membership is most loyal and enthusiastic, and the co-operation of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons is most inspiring. A friendship exists here that is radiated in each member, and all members and visitors leave these meetings with a real sense of the brotherhood of man. Each practice was a joy feast, rather than toil, for the enthusiasm, the desire to learn, and the ease with which each learned her part made it something to look forward to with delight. I shall always have these pleasant memories not only of the cooperation I received from the officers but the sense of friendship I have always found this year and in the past at Betsy Ross Chapter.

Henry S. Orme Chapter No. 492, Los Angeles—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter, guided by a most loving and efficient Worthy Matron, assisted by an alert and capable Worthy Patron, together with a well picked corps of officers, is in an excellent condition in every way. Meetings are opened promptly, and conducted in a dignified manner, which is most pleasing to the members and visitors attending. Members attend well and most enthusiastic, and the Past Matrons and Past Patrons cooperate to the utmost in the promotion of the well being of the Chapter. As Deputy Grand Matron of this unit of our Order for 1935, I shall cherish many wonderful memories of the hospitality, cordial greetings, and the splendid cooperation and teachableness of the officers of Henry S. Orme Chapter.

Ionic Chapter No. 446, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 16, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 1; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The lovable Worthy Matron of this Chapter, assisted by a genial Worthy Patron have a select group of officers and altogether are endeavoring with might and main to build solidly on the basis of harmony and good will, the result being a successful Chapter. Careful attention was given by all at the practices, showing desire on the part of the officers to do the ritualistic work in a manner acceptable to Grand Chapter. In addition to this the officers all work very hard to promote a friendship and make an atmosphere most pleasing to those visiting. All officers and members have been most kind to me at all times, and I shall ever cherish pleasant memories of their splendid efforts.

Loyalty Chapter No. 217, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 23, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my own beloved Chapter of which I am very proud. In every respect the condition of this Chapter is excellent, as a sense of love and good will prevails among the members. This Chapter is most fortunate in having a sincere, enthusiastic Worthy Matron and a genial Worthy Patron, who sees in his office an opportunity to do good for all. They are assisted by a well selected capable group of officers, who give their ritualistic work perfectly and at all times work for the general good of this Chapter. The splendid cooperation of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons shows their broad interpretation of the work of our

Order, and reveals one of the reasons for the most unusual success of the Chapter. No human vocabulary could ever express the joy I feel for the many courtesies and much happiness extended me by the membership while I have been Deputy Grand Matron. I appreciate the courtesies of this splendid Worthy Matron and her officers at all meetings, and my official visit was something that I shall always remember.

Siloam Chapter No. 406, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2: Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is served by a lovable, efficient Worthy Matron assisted by a loyal, capable Worthy Patron whose interest in their work commands the respect of their well selected officers, to the extent that the work is done in a manner acceptable and pleasing to the members. Also all officers endeavor to work together for a sense of friendship and unity that must promote the welfare of their Chapter. It was always a real pleasure to work with the officers, a happy occasion to visit this Chapter and many happy memories shall be mine, for having it as one of my Chapters.

South Gate Chapter No. 133, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: In excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The condition of this Chapter is necessarily most excellent, for with the splendid efforts of such a charming and capable Worthy Matron, assisted by a splendid and efficient Worthy Patron and well selected corps of officers, together with the wonderful solid foundation of fraternalism built in the past by Matrons and Patrons, who cooperate to the last, these could only produce a successful unit of our beautiful Order. The membership is most loyal and enthusiastic and visitors are always in attendance in goodly number, as all receive a wonderful welcome in an atmosphere of friendship that is magnetic in its drawing power. This Chapter has the honor of having as a member our beloved Maud Dezell Bradley, whose love and friendship has been cherished by me during our entire acquaintanceship, and whose untiring efforts have done much in upholding a high standard of fraternalism in our Grand Chapter. Beautiful memories shall always whisper in my thoughts the lovely courtesies of this wonderful Chapter, its lovely Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and all its officers, and memories of the beautiful night of my official visit shall ever linger to make me happy.

Sunset Chapter No. 216, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 12, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals pres-

ent, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Sunset Chapter is in a most wonderful condition in every way and is making progress in a real fraternalism, guided by an efficient, conscientious Worthy Matron who is assisted by a splendid Worthy Patron and well selected corps of attentive officers. The practices with these officers was always a joyful occasion, as one could foretell ahead that progress would be made, as all endeavored to perform the ritualistic work in an acceptable manner. A splendid feeling exists among the membership and it is most inspiring to note the wonderful cooperation of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons, whose entire interest seems to be the promotion of the general welfare of their Chapter. Many happy memories of my efforts with this Chapter shall linger with me, and give much joy and happiness.

West Adams Chapter No. 411, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 10, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is being served by a very sincere Worthy Matron assisted by a capable Worthy Patron. The officers are well selected, and all work together harmoniously for the welfare of their Chapter. The membership attend well, and are very harmonious. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are most courteous and kind, all endeavoring to build a sense of fraternalism that must endure. Much joy was experienced in working with this Chapter and many memories of the many courtesies extended shall be with me.

BESS W. SHOWALTER, District No. 48

Burbank Chapter No. 352, Burbank—Date of visit May 24, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Splendid Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except the Chaplain. A most capable Worthy Matron, assisted by a sincere Worthy Patron and a proficient group of officers, exemplified the work in a very impressive manner in their most pleasing Chapter room. A very harmonious Chapter with splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Large attendance of members and visitors. I deeply appreciate the many courtesies this Chapter has extended to me.

Canoga Chapter No. 452, Canoga Park—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals

present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:10 o'clock with all officers present. A very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have the cooperation of their officers and members. Although their Chapter room is small the work was exemplified in an excellent manner. Splendid Masonic support. Good attendance of members and visitors. My work with this Chapter has been most pleasant and I thank them for the many courtesies extended to me.

Crescenta Valley Chapter No. 494, Montrose—Date of visit April 15, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except the Marshal. Although this Chapter is working under the difficulty of a small Chapter room the exemplification of the work was very well done. A very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who have the support of their members and especially their Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A good attendance of members and visitors. I thank them most sincerely for the pleasant evenings I have spent with them.

Glendale Chapter No. 422, Glendale—Date of visit May 18, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except Electa. A very efficient and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron who, with a splendid group of officers, exemplified the work in an excellent manner. Splendid support of members and especially Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me throughout the year.

Glen Eyrie Chapter No. 237, Glendale—Date of visit April 26, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except Ruth, Esther and Warder. This Chapter is the oldest in the District and also the largest. In their beautiful Chapter room the work was exemplified by a most gracious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron and a proficient corps of officers in a most creditable manner. Large attendance of members and visitors. I truly appreciate the courtesies that this Chapter has extended to me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Lankershim Chapter No. 403, North Hollywood—Date of visit June 4, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present except Electa. A very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, who, with a splendid corps of officers, exemplified the work in a very capable manner. This Chapter enjoys splendid Masonic support, also their Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very loyal. My visits to this Chapter, both for practice and to attend their meetings, have been most pleasant and I thank them most sincerely for the many courtesies extended to me.

Reseda Chapter No. 505, Reseda—Date of visit May 20, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:05 o'clock with all officers present except Marshal, Chaplain and Warder. This Chapter has a most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron. The sincerity of the officers is reflected in the splendid manner in which they do their work. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons, a very friendly and hospitable Chapter. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended to me.

San Fernando Chapter No. 398, San Fernando—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 o'clock with all officers present. This Chapter enjoys the leadership of a very capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by an efficient corps of officers. The work was exemplified in a splendid and dignified manner. Friendship and hospitality prevails with splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Good attendance of members and visitors. I am grateful for all the courtesies extended to me as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Tujunga Chapter No. 445, Tujunga—Date of visit May 16, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:05 o'clock with all officers present except Associate Conductress. This Chapter is under the leadership of a very efficient Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, who have the support of a splendid group of officers who do fine work.

Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A wonderful spirit of harmony and hospitality prevails. I thank you for the many courtesies extended to me as your Deputy Grand Matron.

Van Nuys Chapter No. 338, Van Nuys—Date of visit May 13, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8:05 o'clock with all officers present except Marshal. An excellent corps of officers doing splendid work under the leadership of a most sincere and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron who gives his work in a very impressive manner. This is my own Chapter, of which I am justly proud. I am very grateful to my Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins for the honor and privilege bestowed upon me and my Chapter in her appointment of me as Deputy Grand Matron of this District. This is also the Chapter of Past Grand Patron Brother Bert Richard Holloway and Sister Elsie. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by my Chapter and from all the District.

EMMA L. POWELL, District No. 49

Altadena Chapter No. 525, Altadena—Date of visit June 20, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This very active Chapter is presided over by a sincere and lovable Worthy Matron and a most helpful Worthy Patron, with a fine corps of officers doing their work efficiently and commendably, Worthy Patron giving the long lecture. Past Matrons and Past Patrons lending their whole hearted support. A cordial welcome given to visitors and good attendance of members. I deeply appreciate the expressions of love and thoughtfulness extended to me by the officers. As this was my last official visit it was a happy climax to the very beautiful evenings given in my honor by the seven Chapters in the District when I visited them officially as their Deputy Grand Matron.

Lamanda Park Chapter No. 473, Pasadena—Date of visit May 8, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most sincere and gracious Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, supported by splendid officers exemplifying the work most beauti-

fully, the Worthy Patron giving the long lecture; good attendance, with support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I am very happy to call this my Home Chapter as a fine spirit of friendliness prevails, and the members are very hospitable. I am grateful for the privilege of serving my beloved Chapter as a Grand Officer. Your love and loyalty will always bring happy memories of my year as your Deputy Grand Matron. I consider it a great honor to have been given the privilege of serving the seven splendid Chapters of this District.

Melita Chapter No. 467, Pasadena—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and a conscientious Worthy Patron, supported by an earnest corps of officers, their work being rendered in an excellent manner, the Worthy Patron giving the long lecture. Fine attendance, with support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons interested in the welfare of their Chapter. It was a pleasure to instruct these officers. I am truly grateful for the spirit of love and friendliness shown towards me and it has been a privilege to serve as your Deputy.

Monrovia Chapter No. 227, Monrovia—Date of visit March 5, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A friendly and prosperous Chapter supporting a most gracious and understanding Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, a loyal corps of officers doing good work, the Worthy Patron giving the long lecture, Past Matrons and Past Patrons taking keen interest in the affairs of their Chapter. There is good attendance of members. A spirit of hospitality prevails and visitors always welcomed. It has been a pleasure to serve this Chapter and I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended to me.

Pasadena Chapter No. 108, Pasadena—Date of visit April 5, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The largest Chapter in the District, under the leadership of a loyal and conscientious Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, with a very gracious corps of officers doing good work. Worthy Patron giving the long lecture; splendid cooperation from Past Matrons and Past Patrons, working for the best interests of their Chapter. Good attendance. My associations with the officers and members of this Chapter have been most pleasant and I appreciate the cour-

tesies extended to me. I have been very happy to serve as your Deputy.

Southland Chapter No. 307, Pasadena—Date of visit June 4, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A conscientious and charming Worthy Matron presides over this Chapter, assisted by a loyal Worthy Patron; all officers very alert and the work of our Order was rendered most efficiently, the Worthy Patron giving the long lecture. Always a good attendance with interested Past Matrons and Past Patrons lending their support at all times. It has been a joy to instruct these lovely officers. I appreciate your many kindnesses and love expressed and the gracious hospitality accorded me at all times.

South Pasadena Chapter No. 272, South Pasadena—Date of visit May 23, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This progressive Chapter is under the guidance of an efficient and kindly Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, assisted by a very fine corps of officers doing splendid work, the Worthy Patron giving the long lecture. The beautiful music from a pipe-organ creates an air of solemnity, making the work most impressive. This Chapter enjoys a fine attendance with loyal cooperation from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I have enjoyed my work with these officers and your Deputy shall always treasure your kindness to her; it will always remain a pleasant memory.

ETHEL ROPER, District No. 50

Alhambra Chapter No. 193, Alhambra—Date of visit April 16, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable and most gracious Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid corps of officers, all doing excellent work. Opened at 8 P. M.; all officers present. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons with a large attendance of members at all meetings. This is the home Chapter of Past Grand Patron Brother Benjamin B. Cartwright. It has been a real pleasure to work with these lovely officers, and their Deputy will always carry a beautiful memory of her official visit and the lovely welcome which was accorded her at all times.

Arcadia Chapter No. 471, Arcadia—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Opened at 8 P. M.; all officers present. A very efficient Worthy Matron and conscientious Worthy Patron, who are justly proud of a very capable corps of officers. A very friendly and homelike Chapter, loyally supported by members and Past Matrons and Past Patrons. A congenial spirit pervades the Chapter room at all times. It has been a pleasure to instruct these officers, and I deeply appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the members and officers. The evening of my official visit will ever remain a pleasant memory.

Granada Chapter No. 442, Alhambra—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, assisted by earnest officers who do excellent work. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M., all officers present. 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. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the Worthy Matron and her lovely officers and members. The evening of my official visit will ever remain an outstanding event in my life. Thanks to all who had a part.

Lexington Chapter No. 172, El Monte—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A charming and lovable Worthy Matron and very earnest Worthy Patron, and a splendid corps of officers rendering their work in a most efficient manner. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. Electa and Sentinel absent on account of illness. Splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a privilege and a pleasure to work with these friendly officers and members and I thank you all for your kindness and many courtesies to me, and for the beautiful evening of my official visit, which was planned with much thought for my happiness and pleasure. The officers and members are interested in all affairs of the Chapter and are celebrating their 35th Eastern Star year.

Ramona Star Chapter No. 367, Monterey Park—Date of visit May 18, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my home Chapter, of which I am justly proud. It is being served by a most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron supported by a splendid corps of officers, all doing excellent work. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present. This Chapter has a fine spirit of friendliness and fraternalism, enjoys good attendance and hearty support of members. Splendid interest and assistance from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I am very grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Viola Collins for the honor bestowed upon 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 for me. My thanks and sincere appreciation for the many courtesies extended to me in my District and to my Chapter for a beautiful evening planned for my official visit.

San Gabriel Chapter No. 407, San Gabriel—Date of visit April 12, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Opened at 8:00 P. M. Esther absent on account of illness. A very cordial and capable Worthy Matron working loyally for the good of the Chapter, and supported by a most conscientious Worthy Patron, deeply interested in the affairs of the Chapter. A splendid group of officers, doing splendid work at all times, always gracious and courteous to me. It has been a pleasure indeed to serve this Chapter. Good support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I deeply appreciate the spirit of love and friendship with which I have always been greeted by the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, officers and members. The night of my official visit will linger long in my memory.

Sierra Madre Chapter No. 299, Sierra Madre—Date of visit May 6, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Opened at 8:00 P. M.; Eleeta absent on account of illness. A very conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron doing everything possible to promote the fraternal spirit in the Chapter. Officers keenly interested in their work at all times, always gracious and courteous to me. It has been a pleasure indeed to serve them. I deeply appreciate the spirit

of love and friendship with which I have always been greeted by the officers and members of this Chapter. The evening of my official visit will always remain in my memory as one of joy and happiness.

Temple City Chapter No. 448, Temple City—Date of visit March 21, 1935. Condition of books: Neat and accurate. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very earnest and capable Worthy Matron and excellent Worthy Patron, supported by a splendid group of officers, all doing their work in a most creditable manner. Chapter opened promptly at 8 P. M., Electa absent on account of illness. Good attendance of members and active and helpful Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I have been received with delightful courtesy at all times, and my work with this Chapter was a joy throughout the year, and I deeply appreciate your love and kindness. Much love and thought was put into the evening of my official visit and I thank the officers and members most sincerely.

ETHEL JANE MATTSON, District No. 51

Angeles Vista Chapter No. 516, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 27, 1935. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my own Chapter, of which I am proud to be a charter member. A Worthy Matron who is a most lovable and efficient officer and an enthusiastic Worthy Patron are guiding the destiny of our Chapter in a very creditable manner. They are supported by a splendid group of officers who do excellent work. The keen interest displayed by these officers is a credit to the Chapter. I sincerely appreciate and am very grateful to our beloved Worthy Grand Matron for the honor conferred upon my Chapter, and for the great privilege to serve our Grand Chapter as Deputy Grand Matron. To the officers and members of my Chapter, who have shown me every courtesy and made me so happy during this year, I express my gratitude. The night of my official visit will always remain a cherished memory, it was a lovely tribute and a beautifully planned evening. It has been a rare privilege to be so closely associated with splendid Chapters of the 51st District. I appreciate their cooperation and friendship. Each of my official visits to these Chapters was a unique and lovely occasion and I sincerely thank them. The Worthy Matrons have personally shown me many courtesies for which I am grateful.

Ascot Chapter No. 437, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is enjoying a very harmonious year under the leadership of a most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and a genial Worthy Patron whose ritualistic work is given in a beautiful and impressive manner. A loyal corps of officers who are interested in the activities of the Chapter and are most earnest and sincere in their efforts to do good work. A fine spirit of goodfellowship is evidenced at all times and visitors are always welcome. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are ever ready to help the presiding officers and Chapter. I sincerely appreciate the happiness this splendid Chapter has added to my year and thank them for many courtesies.

Florence Chapter No. 477, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An efficient and gracious Worthy Matron, who has shown great strength of character in courageously smiling through the deepest sorrow, having lost by death a lovely young daughter during the first four months of her term as Worthy Matron. A jovial and friendly Worthy Patron whose every thought is for the happiness of the members assisted her greatly. The officers are very efficient in their work and have been most conscientious in carrying out every instruction given them. A cordial welcome is always extended to visitors, and the attendance of members is very gratifying. I sincerely thank this Chapter for their many courtesies.

Jordan Chapter No. 500, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 9, 1935. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is very homelike and hospitable, presided over by a very lovely and capable Worthy Matron and loyal Worthy Patron who are supported by a splendid corps of officers. It has been a pleasure to instruct these officers. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons take an active interest in their Chapter, and encourage the officers at all times. They have a good attendance of members and each time I have visited them I have been given a warm and friendly welcome. I have enjoyed my association with this Chapter and sincerely thank the officers and members for their many acts of kindness to me.

Manchester Chapter No. 449, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 2, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is progressing under the leadership of a sincere and lovable Worthy Matron and an earnest Worthy Patron who is anxious to please. 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 Past Matrons and Past Patrons are faithful in attendance and are willing workers. Very good representation of members in regular attendance. I have thoroughly enjoyed my association with this Chapter and the goodfellowship and hospitality that prevail at each meeting. I am truly grateful for the friendship, kindness and courtesy shown me by the officers and members.

Moneta Chapter No. 315, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most enthusiastic and capable Worthy Matron, assisted by a fine Worthy Patron who are supported by a lovely group of officers. Their ritualistic work is always rendered in an impressive and efficient manner. They have a large attendance of members and the Past Matrons and Past Patrons loyally support the officers. It has given me much happiness to be associated with this fine Chapter. I am grateful for the honor conferred on me and will always cherish the gift of honorary membership in Moneta Chapter. To all officers and members, my most sincere thanks for your graciousness and many courtesies. It has been a pleasure to serve you as Deputy Grand Matron.

South Park Chapter No. 443, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 24, 1935. Condition of books: In excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a very progressive Chapter presided over by a charming and most efficient Worthy Matron and a splendid Worthy Patron who are supported by a very enthusiastic group of officers anxious to follow instructions accurately, consequently they do excellent work. The large attendance of members is evidence of carefully planned meetings. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons show an active interest in the welfare of the Chapter. Each visit to this Chapter has added happiness to my year and I have been truly privileged to serve as their Deputy Grand Matron. I sincerely thank this Chapter for their many courtesies.

Sunnyside Chapter No. 436, Los Angeles—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Presided over by a very efficient Worthy Matron who works untiringly for her Chapter and a fine Worthy Patron whose rendition of the ritualistic work is worthy of high praise. My first rehearsal as Deputy Grand Matron was with this Chapter. The attention and respect given me as a representative of our Worthy Grand Matron inspired me to try to be worthy of the confidence placed in me. I sincerely thank this lovely group of officers for their thoughtfulness and praise their efficiency. For the pleasure that has been mine in serving them and for many courtesies shown me by the officers and members I am truly grateful. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons of this Chapter take an active interest in its affairs.

EMMA MOONEY, District No. 52

Bell Chapter No. 393, Bell—Date of visit February 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is presided over by a gracious Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron, with a very loyal corps of officers endeavoring to do perfect work. Splendid support of past officers. This is my home Chapter, of which I am very proud. Officers exemplify the work in a very creditable manner. Their many deeds of love and kindness will always be a happy memory.

Bellflower Chapter No. 397, Bellflower—Date of visit May 27, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is enjoying a most happy and prosperous year under the leadership of a most capable and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. The ritualistic work of all officers is excellent and the large attendance of members is evidence of carefully planned meetings. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons, and good Masonic support. Each visit to this Chapter has added happiness to my year and I have been truly privileged to serve them. This Chapter has also sponsored an Order of Rainbow for girls this year.

Gardena Chapter No. 260, Gardena—Date of visit May 2, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; In-

struction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers doing beautiful work. This is a very friendly Chapter, well supported by the Past Matrons, always working for the best interest of the Chapter. Very good attendance of members. I am deeply appreciative of all the courtesies and kindnesses given me by Gardena Chapter.

Guardian Chapter No. 439, South Gate—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very capable Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron striving to have a successful and happy year. Splendid attendance of members. A very loyal group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. Their ritualistic work is always rendered in an impressive and efficient manner by a very loyal corps of officers; very good music; good Masonic support. I am very grateful to the officers and members for their graciousness and the many courtesies extended to me on the night of my official visit and throughout this year will be a treasured memory.

Lynwood Chapter No. 438, Lynwood—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter still meeting in the Women's Club House, having lost its hall in the earthquake, and working under difficulties. A pleasing Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron, with an earnest and willing group of officers. Good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I am very grateful to the officers and members for their many kindnesses.

Pearl Chapter No. 147, Compton—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the leadership of an efficient Worthy Matron and a capable and fine Worthy Patron with their splendid corps of officers they exemplified their work in a most creditable manner. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons give splendid support. The Chapter as a whole is very courteous and hospitable to visitors. I sincerely appreciate the many courtesies extended me and the very cordial welcome given me on the night of my official visit. My year with Pearl Chapter will always be a happy memory.

Rising Light Chapter No. 286, Huntington Park—Date of visit February 28, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter presided over by a gracious and much loved Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron with a loyal corps of officers; they present their work in a commendable manner. Hospitality and happiness greet you at all times. Splendid attendance of members and loyal support of past officers. Good music. I am most grateful to the officers and members for their kindness and generous hospitality. The night of my official visit will always be a pleasant memory. This is a very beautiful Temple.

York Chapter No. 343, South Los Angeles—Date of visit May 13, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was exemplified in a very creditable manner. Loyal support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons who are always ready and willing to assist in any way. It has been a pleasure to work with these officers. I wish to thank the officers and members for the loving courtesies extended to me and to express my appreciation of the many kindnesses shown me at all times. I have indeed enjoyed working with York Chapter. On account of illness the Worthy Matron of this Chapter was absent on the night of my official visit.

EDITH M. KASPER, District No. 53

Carnation Chapter No. 171, Redondo Beach—Date of visit May 28, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Beautiful Temple with new furnishings throughout. This Chapter, having a sweet and gracious Worthy Matron and loyal and capable Worthy Patron, is doing splendid work, supported by a very efficient corps of officers. This Chapter has very loyal cooperation from their Past Matrons and Patrons. All of the work was given beautifully on the night of my official visit and the balloting was outstanding. It was a joy to instruct these officers; for their splendid attention and untiring efforts to perfect their work, I am very grateful. A congenial and friendly spirit prevails among the officers and members of this Chapter and it is always a pleasure to visit with them.

Hawthorne Chapter No. 469, Hawthorne—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a friendly and active little Chapter, working under the guidance of a sweet and efficient Worthy Matron and a very capable Worthy Patron. This is the smallest Chapter in the District as to membership, but one of the largest in generosity. A friendly and cordial hospitality greets you always. The officers exemplified their work in a most creditable manner and the evening of my official visit with them will always remain in my memory as one of joy and happiness. I sincerely want to thank the officers and members of this Chapter for their many kind expressions of love.

Inglewood Chapter No. 319, Inglewood—Date of visit May 30, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid Chapter and prospering under the guidance of a very lovely and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron. They are supported by a loyal and conscientious corps of officers, all working loyally for the good of their Chapter. The work was exemplified in a most pleasing manner on the night of my official visit. This was my last official visit in the District and for their untiring efforts I am very grateful. Their kindness and hospitality to me will never be forgotten. It has been a pleasure to instruct these officers and I deeply appreciate their courteous attention and efforts to make my year a happy one.

Playa Linda Chapter No. 425, Hermosa Beach—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very charming and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, working loyally for the good of their Chapter, supported by a splendid corps of officers. This Chapter is outstanding for its cordial hospitality to visitors, which makes it always a pleasure to visit with them. The work was beautifully given on the night of my official visit. It being my first, I was deeply impressed and grateful for the efforts made to make it a perfect evening. I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the Worthy Matron, officers and members of this Chapter, and it has been truly a pleasure to serve them.

Point Firmin Chapter No. 512, San Pedro—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the

Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very hospitable little Chapter and doing good work under the leadership of a genial Worthy Matron and an exceptionally conscientious Worthy Patron, doing everything possible to promote the fraternal spirit in the Chapter. The officers are keenly interested in their work and doing their best at all times. The work was beautifully given on the night of my official visit. I appreciate the love and friendship I have always had accorded me by the officers and members, and my associations with them have been a pleasure indeed.

San Pedro Harbor Chapter No. 174, San Pedro—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a very progressive Chapter both socially and financially. A very dignified and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron deeply interested in the harmony and prosperity of the Chapter as leaders. Splendid support given to them by a wonderful corps of officers. The attendance of these officers, at the practices and meetings has been 100 per cent, showing the interest and co-operation they are giving their Chapter. They are earnest and proficient, always giving their work in a most beautiful and impressive manner. The work was perfect on the night of my official visit. It has been most gratifying to work with these officers and for their kindness and cooperation at all times I am indeed grateful.

Torrance Chapter No. 380, Torrance—Date of visit May 23, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sincere and capable Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron are presiding over this Chapter this year, and supported by a marvelous corps of officers. Splendid interest and assistance are shown among the Past Matrons and Patrons. All officers are sincere and anxious to perfect themselves in the work and it was splendidly exemplified the night of my official visit. This is my own Chapter, of which I am very proud. I want to thank the officers and members for all the courtesies they have extended me this year. They have left nothing undone to make my year as a Deputy a happy one and I am most grateful. I hope that in performing my duties I have brought nothing but honor to my Chapter and in some way helped to maintain the standard set by our most gracious Worthy Grand Matron. It has been a year full of love, service and cooperation throughout the District and the time spent with these splendid Chapters will always be a pleasant memory.

Wilmington Chapter No. 459, Wilmington—Date of visit May 9, 1935. Condition of books: Very neat. Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is a very hospitable and dignified Chapter with a most gracious and capable Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron guiding them. This Matron and Patron happen to be husband and wife, which makes them both doubly interested in the affairs of the Chapter. They are supported by a very congenial corps of officers who are ever striving to do their best in promoting the welfare of their Chapter. They also have whole hearted cooperation of their Past Matrons, Patrons and members. The work was rendered very beautifully on the night of my official visit. It was a joy to instruct these lovely officers and I deeply appreciate their courteous attention and gracious hospitality to me at all times. I am greatly indebted to them for many pleasant occasions.

HELEN E. MILLER, District No. 54

All States Chapter No. 502, Long Beach—Date of visit March 27, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. A very capable Secretary and Treasurer. Number of Rituals present; 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A sweet and lovely Worthy Matron presiding, assisted by a most sincere Worthy Patron. All work exemplified by an attentive corps of officers who have the interest of their Chapter at heart. Good attendance of members lends encouragement, also splendid support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. It has been a joy to serve this Chapter as your Deputy and wish to thank you for the many courtesies extended to me.

Bettina Chapter No. 399, Long Beach—Date of visit April 3, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; books are beautifully kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A capable and earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, supported by a very harmonious and efficient corps of officers, all very anxious to maintain a high standard of work. Ritualistic work exemplified in an excellent manner. A very happy and growing Chapter where a hand of goodfellowship is extended to all members and visitors. Excellent support of Past Matrons, Past Patrons and members. The thoughtful courtesies and friendly welcome extended to me at all times will remain a bright spot in my memory.

El Petrol Chapter No. 507, Long Beach—Date of visit May 6, 1935. Condition of books: Good; books kept in a neat way.

Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very harmonious little Chapter where a happy social and fraternal spirit prevails. The officers are enthusiastic, ever eager to please and work for the best interest of the Chapter under the leadership of a sweet and sincere Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron. All work was exemplified the night of my official visit in a commendable manner. They have made this a happy year for me with their acts of love and friendship and it will live forever in my memory.

Long Beach Chapter No. 173, Long Beach—Date of visit April 19, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; books are very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A fine corps of officers rendering splendid work under the leadership of a very clever Worthy Matron and conscientious Worthy Patron. All work was given in an excellent manner. Fine attendance of members and good support of Past Matrons and Past Patrons. This is the home Chapter of our Past Grand Matron, Lena Walker Stannard, of whom we are proud. It has been a great honor to serve her Chapter this year. Have been very happy in my work with these officers and greatly appreciate the courtesy and hospitality shown me on my visit.

Mar Vista Chapter No. 511, North Long Beach—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Good; very neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A capable and sincere Worthy Matron and eager Worthy Patron working hard for the success of the Chapter with a fine, interested group of officers, who have received instructions most willingly, all doing splendid work the night of my official visit. A very friendly little Chapter and everyone enjoys visiting there. As their Deputy Grand Matron all the kindnesses extended to me will ever be a sweet and pleasant memory.

Palos Verdes Chapter No. 310, Long Beach—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; books are kept in excellent condition. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most gracious and efficient Worthy Matron who conducts her meetings in a dignified and pleasing manner, supported by a loyal Worthy Patron and corps of officers. The work was beautifully exemplified, both floor and

ritualistic work. A loyal group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons always ready to help in any way. My official visit was one of joy and happiness. Thank you again for your kindnesses shown me. I am happy if I have been of service to you.

Searchlight Chapter No. 435, Long Beach—Date of visit May 2, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All work was exemplified most creditably by a fine corps of officers and a very capable and lovely Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Patron. A most loyal group of Past Matrons and Past Patrons, of whom I am proud to be one. This is my home Chapter, which I dearly love, and I count your friendship one of the greatest pleasures of my life and deeply appreciate the love and loyalty you have shown to me and the many courtesies. I wish to thank our beloved Worthy Grand Matron Sister Minnie Viola Collins for the honor to my Chapter and the privilege bestowed on me of serving the Chapters in this District and trust I shall ever prove worthy of their love and respect.

Service Chapter No. 414, Long Beach—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; books neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An interesting and capable Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with the support of a splendid corps of officers. All are striving for the good of their Chapter and their friendliness and cooperation was of great assistance to me. Was well pleased with the splendid work exemplified on the night of my official visit. Have enjoyed working with this Chapter and am grateful for the courtesies extended to me at all times.

ELSIE L. VROOMAN, District No. 55

Belvedere Chapter No. 402, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 10, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very sweet, gracious Worthy Matron and fine, capable Worthy Patron. Both Matron and Patron are most hospitable, sincere in endeavor and set a high standard of fraternalism among the members. A very lovely evening was given me on my official visit. All officers did the work in a very creditable manner. Belvedere has been most kind and considerate of me and has extended

to me many courtesies. I shall always cherish the lovely associations with these friendly folk and deem it a very high honor that I was privileged to work with them during this year.

Hollenbeck Chapter No. 248, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 17, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most capable, gracious Worthy Matron, assisted by an efficient, hospitable Worthy Patron, presides over this Chapter. They are helped by a most charming group of officers who render the work of our Order in a most pleasing and understanding way. To me many favors, courtesies and invitations have been tendered. One of the most beautiful memories of my year will be the lovely evening of my official reception in this Chapter. Excellent work, joyous entertainment and lovely decorations greeted me throughout the evening. Most enthusiastic Past Matrons and Patrons, hostesses and officers extend generous hospitality to members and friends. I have enjoyed deeply my work with Hollenbeck Chapter, and for all their lovely courtesies I say "Thank you, friends of mine"!

Lyra Chapter No. 144, Whittier—Date of visit April 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very gracious Worthy Matron and efficient Worthy Patron. Both these officers are very capable. A most sincere and receptive corps of officers greeted me in practice work at all times. And it was a joy to hear the ritualistic work given in a most commendable manner on the night of my official visit. That evening will remain long in my memory as a most beautiful event. Lyra also enjoys a most splendid attendance of members and Past Matrons and Patrons. Welcome awaits one at all times. For the many courtesies extended to me and the beautiful evenings spent with this Chapter I extend my deepest thanks.

Montebello Chapter No. 335, Montebello—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; ledger and cash book kept in minutest detail. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has a very capable, lovable Worthy Matron and earnest, efficient Worthy Patron. Under this leadership and with a very fine corps of officers and with splendid attendance of members, the Chapter renders beautiful work at all times. A very sociable, hospitable group of Past Matrons and Patrons are ever present

to welcome visitors. I shall long remember my official visit to Montebello. It was truly beautiful in every detail and for that evening and all the many courtesies from its officers and members I am deeply grateful.

Occident Chapter No. 160, Downey—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Very, very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is my own dear home one, and I can very truthfully say I have been most proud and happy to serve it as Deputy. My very lovable Worthy Matron has presided in a most tactful and capable manner. She has been aided greatly by our very efficient and fraternal Worthy Patron. These two officers, as leaders, with the rest of the corps, each performing his or her duty in the most creditable manner, has made the ritualistic work very beautiful to witness and given the Chapter much happiness. The Past Matrons and Patrons have organized recently and pledged their loyalty and support to the Chapter. They have kept that pledge well. Many courtesies and favors have been extended to me and my one wish is that I have proved worthy of this important trust and great honor that has been mine. For many lovely evenings, for gracious gestures to me from my Matron, Patron and Past Deputy of Occident Chapter, for many favors from the officers and members of my Chapter, and for the splendid work and pleasant meeting on my official visit, I humbly say, "Thank you".

The Gardens Chapter No. 464, Los Angeles—Date of visit May 7, 1935. Condition of books: Not well kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most courteous, gracious Worthy Matron and earnest Worthy Patron preside over the Chapter in a very capable and dignified manner. I shall always remember the many courtesies of this Chapter and the lovely manner in which they received me on my official visit. The work of all the officers on that evening was almost perfect. It was truly a pleasure to sit in the East and see and hear the floor and ritualistic work so very well rendered. The Chapter is enjoying very splendid attendance, good officers and many social affairs. I wish to extend my very best wishes for continued prosperity in finance, membership and fraternal sociability. I sincerely thank the members and officers for the lovely favors and honors given me.

Whittier Chapter No. 444, Whittier—Date of visit May 2, 1935. Condition of books: Good; a very informative, concise, individual account of members kept. Number of Rituals pres-

ent, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most gracious, efficient Worthy Matron and earnest, conscientious Worthy Patron. Excellent work was rendered by a deeply sincere group of officers of this Chapter on the night of my official visit with them, and a most lovely and joyous occasion this was. Past Matrons and Patrons have been most kind and courteous to me at all times and are ever present to welcome visitors. I have enjoyed the hospitality and social life of this Chapter exceedingly. I thank the officers for their sincere efforts to do work well, as well as the many courtesies and gestures extended to me.

RUTH DEBUXTON, District No. 56

Ami Tai Chapter No. 405, Fullerton—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened at 8 o'clock on the night of my official visit and every officer was present. A lovely Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, together with their officers, most of whom do fine work, are a benefit to this Chapter. Many Past Matrons and Past Patrons and willing sideliners keep this Chapter above board. Every courtesy was given me at all times, both at practices and on the night of my official visit. It has been a joy to work with this thoughtful Matron and all other officers.

Artesia Chapter No. 253, Artesia—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The night of my official visit found all officers present. A clever Worthy Matron and diligent Worthy Patron, supported by a helpful group of officers, are doing all in their power to keep this little Chapter in fine condition. More sideliners than usual have been supporting the meetings this year. Every courtesy has been given me this year by the officers and members. The night of my official visit found many present to witness lovely work. It has been a great joy to work with this Chapter.

Brea Chapter No. 506, Brea—Date of visit April 15, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as

prescribed by the Constitution. Every officer was present on the night of my official visit. A most gifted Worthy Matron and helpful Worthy Patron, together with an earnest group of officers, keep this little Chapter moving. Each night is an inspiration in this Chapter due to their artistic Worthy Matron, and every courtesy was extended me, both for practice and for my official visit. They were highly honored to have Brother J. Hartley Taylor and sister Nettie Taylor on this delightful occasion. The officers perform very lovely work and it has been a continuous delight to be associated with this Chapter.

Buena Park Chapter No. 240, Buena Park—Date of visit April 1, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. At 8:00 P. M. Chapter was promptly opened, all officers being present. A lovely Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron are assisted by a willing group of friendly officers, all doing their helpful share. This Chapter is blessed with excellent Past Matrons and Past Patrons who do much towards its success. My practices with this gracious Chapter shall always be remembered with pleasure and the lovely work and many courtesies extended to me on the night of my official visit shall always be held tenderly in my garden of memories.

Chispa Chapter No. 151, Anaheim—Date of visit February 26, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly at 8:00 P. M. with all officers present but one who was ill. A most gracious Worthy Matron and willing Worthy Patron head a corps of diligent officers, all performing lovely work. The spirit of the great majority of the members is to stand by the officers with helping hands. Every possible courtesy was given me at all times, and the memory of delightful practices and a wonderful evening on the night of my official visit shall ever be treasured in my heart. The willingness of this lovely group to receive me so early in the year is deeply appreciated.

Fullerton Chapter No. 191, Fullerton—Date of visit April 27, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The night of my official visit found all officers present exemplifying beautiful work. A charming Worthy Matron and excellent Worthy Pa-

tron are a credit to the Chapter. The majority of the membership gives excellent support to the Chapter. No courtesy, either at practice or at my official visit, was ever overlooked. The pleasant associations with these splendid officers and lovely members shall live forever in my garden of beautiful memories. Lovely Past Matrons and Patrons grace the side lines.

La Habra Chapter No. 508, La Habra—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers were present on the night of my official visit. A capable Worthy Matron and helpful Worthy Patron are supported by a most loyal corps of officers. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons are a dependable assistance to this Chapter. Courtesy and promptness were always shown me on the nights of practice and very lovely work was exemplified on the night of my official visit. My very happy associations with this Chapter shall never be forgotten.

Norwalk Chapter No. 143, Norwalk—Date of visit May 1, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Every officer was present on the night of my official visit. An adorable Worthy Matron and willing Worthy Patron guide the officers and members of my own little Chapter. This group of officers did their work in a manner which made me very proud on the night of my official visit. It would be impossible for any Deputy Grand Matron to receive more courtesies than I have received from our charming Worthy Matron and all other officers, and the great majority of members have been most lovely and thoughtful. Words shall never be able to express my gratitude to Norwalk Chapter.

Yorba Linda Chapter No. 347, Yorba Linda—Date of visit May 7, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened on time, finding all officers present but one. This Chapter is led by the guiding hand of an efficient Worthy Matron and an excellent Worthy Patron. The officers on the night of my official visit exemplified lovely work. The spirit of this Chapter is most hospitable. Many loyal past officers add greatly to the welfare of this group. The loveliest of courtesy was given me at all times, and the hospitality of this group of officers shall always remain in my mind as a rare treasure.

INICE E. ORTON, District No. 57

Garden Grove Chapter No. 483, Garden Grove—Date of visit March 28, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A lovely progressive Chapter, giving loyal support to a most lovable Worthy Matron and sincere, earnest Worthy Patron and capable corps of officers. Past Matrons and Past Patrons are very enthusiastic and loyal to their Chapter. Very courteous and kind to me. For this Chapter I shall always have fond memories. Especially do I thank the officers and committees for making the night of my official visit such a happy evening; it will always be a pleasant memory.

Hermosa Chapter No. 105, Santa Ana—Date of visit April 1, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Lovely corps of officers under the leadership of a very capable and efficient Worthy Matron and a fine Worthy Patron. I am very proud of all of the officers and wish to express my thanks for their many courtesies to me. I shall always remember the friendships and love that have been given me in Hermosa Chapter and the happy year I have had as your Deputy Grand Matron. Please accept my sincere thanks for the loving kindness you have extended me.

Laguna Beach Chapter No. 521, Laguna Beach—Date of visit April 26, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A beloved and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron harmoniously working with a splendid corps of officers. Excellent music. No effort has been spared by the Worthy Matron and her officers to make this a happy year for me. I am grateful for the privilege of being their Deputy Grand Matron, and I deeply appreciate the love extended to me by the officers and members on the night of my official visit; it was an evening that I shall never forget; many thanks to you all.

San Clemente Chapter No. 524, San Clemente—Date of visit May 20, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The Chapter room is very narrow and it is difficult to exemplify the floor work. Efficient Worthy Matron and sincere Worthy Pa-

tron working very hard for the good of the Chapter, hopeful for the future. The love and kindness shown me by the Worthy Matron have been a great joy this year. I wish to thank the officers and members for making the night of my official visit such a happy one and one long to be remembered. I appreciate the love and kindness extended to me.

Santa Ana Chapter No. 389, Santa Ana—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A lovable, efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron, with an excellent corps of officers that render the work in an efficient and impressive manner. Fraternity, hospitality and happiness greet you at all times; it has been a happy privilege to work with these officers and each visit to this Chapter will always be a pleasant memory. A royal welcome was given me as Deputy Grand Matron on the night of my official visit and I deeply appreciate the many courtesies extended to me. Accept my sincere thanks for your many kindnesses.

Scepter Chapter No. 163, Orange—Date of visit April 11, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A capable and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, with an earnest group of officers, who exemplify the work in a very creditable manner. Their many deeds of kindness cannot be measured in words. Fine support from Past Matrons and Patrons. Especially do I thank the Worthy Matron, officers and committees for making the night of my official visit such a happy one. My visits to this Chapter will always be a pleasant memory.

Seaside Chapter No. 259, Huntington Beach—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the leadership of a loyal and enthusiastic Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron with a fine corps of officers who desire to do excellent work and are eager for instruction. This is my own beloved Chapter and I am very happy to have had the honor of being their Deputy Grand Matron. I wish to thank the officers and members for their loving courtesies extended to me and to express my appreciation for the many kindnesses shown me, especially do I thank the officers and committees for making the night of my official visit such a happy evening; it will always be a pleasant memory.

BELA G. LYNDE, District No. 58

Big Bear Chapter No. 485, Pine Knot—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Books kept in a very fine manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very conscientious Matron. Membership scattered and small attendance but a very earnest effort made to maintain the high standards of the work. A very hospitable group. Two officers absent. All badges worn. Chapter opened promptly.

Colton Chapter No. 211, Colton—Date of visit February 13, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent; an efficient and gracious Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A sincere and proficient corps of officers guided by a capable and earnest Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. A cordial and hospitable Chapter where spirit of frater-nalism prevails. Strong support of past officers and Masonic brothers evident. Every courtesy and consideration extended to their Deputy Grand Matron. Chapter opened at 8:00 P. M. All Jewels worn. Two absent.

Euclid Chapter No. 179, Ontario—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: The books of this Chapter are kept in a most systematic manner. A most efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter enjoys the wholehearted support of the entire membership under the guidance of a very capable Worthy Matron and Patron. A very dignified and exact corps of officers. Splendid attendance and every courtesy extended to Deputy and hereby gratefully acknowledged. The home Chapter of the Associate Grand Conductress and a very hospitable Chapter. Seventeen officers present, badges worn and Chapter opened promptly.

Gate City Chapter No. 212, San Bernardino—Date of visit January 25, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; records efficiently kept; membership dues paid in large proportion. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Excellent attendance at the meetings makes for continued growth and a prosperous Chapter. An earnest and capable Worthy Matron supported by a very capable Worthy Patron and group of officers and the cooperation of every member. Harmony and

good fellowship prevail. Some very interesting meetings held. This is my own Chapter and I extend my thanks and appreciation to the officers and members for the delightful reception held in my honor, for their support in the performance of my duties and the interest and assistance of the past officers. I am very grateful for the honor conferred upon me. All officers present. All badges worn and Chapter opened promptly.

Mojave Valley Chapter U. D., Victorville—Date of visit February 28, 1935. Condition of books: Well kept set of books. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter, under dispensation and only five months old, is growing rapidly. A splendid group of members supporting a most efficient corps of officers. Every indication of a successful and prosperous Chapter. Very hospitable and fraternal spirit prevails. One officer absent. All badges worn and Chapter opened promptly. I am very happy to have had the privilege of instructing this new Chapter, and wish to express my appreciation for the support and cooperation of every officer.

Needles Chapter No. 242, Needles—Date of visit March 13, 1935. Condition of books: Very well kept. All instructions carried out faithfully. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A gracious Worthy Matron and Patron assisted by capable officers. While this Chapter is far out on the desert, a very high standard of work is maintained by the officers and the loyal support of past officers is commendable. Seventeen officers were present, badges worn and Chapter opened promptly. One officer absent.

Orange Blossom Chapter No. 488, Fontana—Date of visit February 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; all records kept in a very orderly manner. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very harmonious Chapter. Work well understood and exemplified by a capable group of officers under the direction of a very capable Worthy Matron assisted by a sincere Worthy Patron. All badges were worn. One officer absent. Chapter opened on time.

Silver Wave Chapter No. 75, San Bernardino—Date of visit February 15, 1935. Condition of books: Books in excellent condition and systematically kept records; a very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syl-

labus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A spirit of fraternalism and good fellowship prevail. Members very enthusiastic workers. An earnest and capable corps of officers guided by a gracious and capable Worthy Matron and a very competent Worthy Patron, all striving to promote the welfare and growth of the Chapter. All officers present; badges worn and Chapter opened promptly.

Upland Chapter No. 346, Upland—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: Books kept in very efficient manner. A very efficient and helpful Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most capable and gracious Worthy Matron and loyal officers supporting her. Work very well done. Very courteous and hospitable to visitors and very gracious to Deputy. Past officers interested in affairs of the Chapter. All officers present, badges worn and Chapter opened promptly.

DAISY E. PRICE, District No. 59

Copa del Oro Chapter No. 142; Redlands—Date of visit April 3, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very earnest and efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron supported by a splendid corps of officers. I thoroughly enjoyed my work with these lovely officers and I thank them and the members for their cordiality and warm friendship. Hospitality is ever prevalent and visitors are assured a most cordial welcome.

Crown Chapter No. 162, Corona—Date of visit March 11, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An atmosphere of sincere cordiality prevails. An efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron doing excellent work with a fine corps of officers. Good support by all members. Very hospitable. I greatly appreciate the kindness shown me on many occasions. Many fine programs are put on by their own talent.

Elsinore Chapter No. 243, Elsinore—Date of visit March 18, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; kept in perfect order. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in

permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Officers doing fine work under guidance of a very conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron; a pleasure to work with them, each one striving to do their best in ritualistic work as well as social affairs. I am very thankful to this Chapter for its work and many kindnesses shown me.

La Victoria Chapter No. 241, San Jacinto—Date of visit February 7, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A most sincere and conscientious Worthy Matron and a loyal Worthy Patron serving his second year. This is a very hospitable Chapter with a friendly atmosphere ever present. Having a small membership they have many happy social affairs to keep up interest. I am very grateful for their many acts of kindness to me.

Miriam Chapter No. 302, Perris—Date of visit March 13, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An efficient corps of officers under the able leadership of a gracious and conscientious Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. I appreciate their many acts of love and loyalty and sweet courtesies extended to me. A spirit of happiness and good fellowship prevails in this Chapter.

Tahquitz Chapter No. 351, Hemet—Date of visit March 28, 1935. Condition of books: Good order and very neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A kind and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron well qualified to fill their offices, and are assisted by a corps of officers, willing and anxious to do good work. They have many happy evenings of entertainment and social affairs. I sincerely thank all for their expressions of kindness and generous hospitality.

San Geronio Chapter No. 515, Banning—Date of visit February 26, 1935. Condition of books: Very good, neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very earnest and pleasant Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron giving splendid support, and a fine corps of officers anxious to do perfect work. This is the newest Chapter in our District, being instituted in 1929 by *Ungava Chapter* during my year as Worthy Matron. We are proud of their progress. They have many happy social affairs.

Ungava Chapter No. 106, Riverside—Date of visit February 18, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; perfect order. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is my home Chapter and I am proud of it, having a capable Worthy Matron who presides in a creditable manner with the assistance of an efficient Worthy Patron and supported by a fine corps of officers. The work as exemplified on my official visit is worthy of high praise. Their keen interest is a credit to the Chapter. To all officers and members my most sincere thanks for your graciousness and many courtesies to me. It has been a pleasure to serve you as Deputy Grand Matron this year. Ungava's social affairs are outstanding.

JENNIE MONTGOMERY, District No. 60

Baldwin Park Chapter No. 527, Baldwin Park—Date of visit June 17, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; unusually well kept; a very efficient Secretary; all work neatly done. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the guidance of a lovable and conscientious Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron. This Chapter has a small hall but what they lose in hall space is made up in love and happiness. Chapter opened on time and the work that followed was well done. I thank them for their many kindnesses to me and their wonderful reception on the night of my official visit. The officers are all so willing to work that it has been a pleasure to be of service to them. A hospitable Chapter where visitors can always be assured of a cordial welcome. This was my last official visit and a very impressive one, a beautiful white Eastern Star Bible being presented to me.

Claremont Chapter No. 324, Claremont—Date of visit May 21, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid; neatly and accurately kept; a very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 1; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A lovable and capable Worthy Matron with a sincere and helpful Worthy Patron who gave the long lecture in a most impressive manner on the night of my official visit. Chapter opened on time with all officers present except the Conductress, who had been called East on account of illness—that station being filled by a Past Matron who did her work perfectly. The work was beautifully exemplified and almost perfectly done by all officers. The co-operation throughout the entire membership is an inspiration to

anyone who works with them. Splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I thank them most sincerely for the many courtesies shown me and the gracious reception on the night of my official visit.

Chino Valley Chapter No. 330, Chino—Date of visit April 8, 1935. Condition of books: All in good condition and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has a sweet and most sincere Worthy Matron working under great difficulties on account of serious illness in her home. The support from her Worthy Patron, her officers and members is certainly gratifying and beautiful; one always feels that spirit of cooperation and friendliness on entering the Chapter room. I enjoyed instructing these officers since they were all anxious to do their work just right. My reception on the night of my official visit, the exemplification of the work, which was put on in a dignified and impressive manner, and my associations with the officers and members of this Chapter will ever be remembered by me as one of the bright spots in my life. Chapter opened on time.

Glen Chapter No. 357, Glendora—Date of visit May 8, 1935. Condition of books: Books are in good condition and neatly, as well as accurately, kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter, presided over by a charming and efficient Worthy Matron and a very capable and helpful Worthy Patron, who gave the long lecture in a most impressive manner on the night of my official visit, a splendid corps of officers, is doing good work. Their cooperation with me has made my work a pleasure. The courtesies and kindnesses shown me are treasured memories, and I am happy to have Glenn Chapter in my District. They are an inspiration to me. Chapter opened promptly on time the night of my official visit. I am told one of their achievements this year is having opened every meeting on time. A very hospitable Chapter, always having plenty of visitors.

Jasmine Chapter No. 145, Azusa—Date of visit June 4, 1935. Condition of books: Books are in good condition and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. With an efficient and sincere Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron working harmoniously for the good of their Chapter. The work, including the long lecture by the Patron, was beautifully exemplified on the night of my official visit. The meeting

started on time. Splendid cooperation prevails in this Chapter with good support from past officers. A cordial welcome awaits all who attend their meetings. I enjoyed working with the officers and thank the Chapter for the courtesies extended me and the lovely reception on the night of my official visit, also for their love and loyalty at all times.

La Paloma Chapter No. 202, Covina—Date of visit June 13, 1935. Condition of books: Very good; books are neatly and accurately kept; have had the same Secretary for eleven years. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the guidance of an efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron with a splendid corps of officers who put on the work in a very impressive manner on the night of my official visit, including the Worthy Patron's long lecture. Chapter opened on time. I am happy indeed to have this Chapter in my District since it was here I received the degrees in 1921 and served six years as an officer. I also feel honored to be a Past Matron of La Paloma Chapter and thank them most heartily for their kindness and courtesies to me, past and present. It was like a pleasant visit with the home folks to work with them again this year. I shall ever remember the lovely party on the night of my official visit.

La Puente Chapter No. 325, Puente—Date of visit May 13, 1935. Condition of books: The books are in good condition, neatly and accurately kept; a very efficient Secretary. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The active membership of this Chapter is small but they are loyal and keep the affairs of the Chapter progressing. Some of the officers have served the Chapter continuously over a period of years. Splendid support from Past Matrons and Past Patrons inasmuch as they serve over and over when necessary and wherever needed. Their cooperation with me made my work a pleasure with these officers, and the lovely reception on the night of my official visit and the sincere and beautiful exemplification of the work will ever be remembered by me. Chapter opened promptly on time even though preceded by a 6:30 dinner. A sincere and friendly Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, working hard for the interest of the Chapter.

Pomona Chapter No. 110, Pomona—Date of visit June 8, 1935. Condition of books: Very good indeed and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution.

Under the leadership of a lovable and conscientious Worthy Matron and an ambitious and helpful Worthy Patron, with a splendid corps of officers all working harmoniously together. The Chapter started on time the night of my official visit. The Matron was absent on account of being critically ill and the Associate Matron went into the East and did her work perfectly. The long lecture was given in a very impressive manner by the Worthy Patron. A Past Matron took the station of the *Conductress*, who was absent. A Past Matron filled the Associate Matron's station; all officers did their work in a dignified and impressive manner. I thank them for their love and loyalty to me and their lovely reception on the night of my official visit.

San Dimas Chapter No. 509, San Dimas—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: The books are all in good condition and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter has a sincere corps of officers. I am very proud to be the Mother Matron of this little, young Chapter, which has held its own during the depression remarkably well, with splendid support from our Past Matrons and Past Patrons. I wish to thank the Chapter for its many courtesies to me. Chapter opened promptly on time the night of my official visit and the work was exemplified in a dignified and impressive manner. Our sidelines give good support, both in attending Chapter and working on committees. Members all over the valley like to visit our Chapter on account of the friendliness which prevails. Our Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are working together for the good of our Chapter.

Star of the West Chapter No. 468, Pomona—Date of visit April 15, 1935. Condition of books: All in good condition and neatly kept. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter has harmonious corps of officers doing splendid ritualistic work under the guidance of a very efficient Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Chapter opened on time the night of my official visit even though a 6:30 dinner preceded the meeting. The welcome which I received on entering the Chapter room, the lovely presentation during the good of the order, the beautiful ritualistic work, then the adieu song completed a perfect evening. It was also a great pleasure to instruct these officers and I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the entire membership for their cooperation and kindness to me.

BESSIE ANNETTA REED, District No. 61

Corinthian Chapter No. 358, San Diego—Date of visit March 28, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All branches of the ritualistic work were done in an impressive manner. The sincerity of the Worthy Matron and friendliness of the Worthy Patron are reflected in this corps of officers. A happy, harmonious Chapter, officers and members alike working for a successful year. The hours spent in instruction were delightful. Their enthusiasm and undivided attention is worthy of commendation. My deepest appreciation for the courtesies extended me in Corinthian Chapter.

El Cajon Chapter No. 429, El Cajon—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A small Chapter with limited territory from which to draw new members. The Worthy Matron was elected to the East from the side lines and is surmounting the difficulties that have confronted her in a most commendable manner. She is conscientious and anxious to be a credit to the Chapter. The Worthy Patron has been very helpful. Most acceptable work was done the night of my official visit. Past Matrons and Past Patrons deserve much credit for their devotion and unselfish loyalty to the Order. The sincerity and warmth of their welcome makes me happy to have had El Cajon Chapter in my District.

Estrella Chapter No. 412, San Diego—Date of visit April 9, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Very good work is being done in this Chapter under the guidance of a gracious Worthy Matron and congenial Worthy Patron whose personalities are conducive to peace and harmony. The exemplification of the work on the night of my official visit was given in a highly creditable manner. The courteous attention to instructions and friendly manner in which I have always been received by these officers has made it a joy to work with them. This Chapter was honored with a Grand appointment—Ruth E. Arganbright, Grand Sentinel.

La Mesa Chapter No. 300, La Mesa—Date of visit March 19, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the

Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Worthy Matron has been confronted with the difficulties arising from a number of changes in her corps of officers due to illness and change of residence. However, undivided attention and courtesy awaited me at every practice meeting. The night of my official visit a splendid opening ceremony was given. The ritualistic work of the Worthy Matron and officers was very well done. The Past Matrons and Past Patrons support the Chapter most loyally. My sincere thanks for the courtesies extended me at La Mesa.

Normal Heights Chapter No. 478, San Diego—Date of visit March 14, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was exemplified in a very able manner. A most capable Worthy Matron and likewise Worthy Patron can well be proud of a splendid group of officers doing consistently good work. Attention was given to detail, very evident in the finished appearance of the floor work. Praise for the interest shown at rehearsals is due them. An atmosphere of harmony and good fellowship prevails in the Chapter. To officers and members the Deputy extends her sincere appreciation for the honorary membership conferred. My thanks for the courtesies shown me at Normal Heights.

Santa Maria Chapter No. 453, Ramona—Date of visit April 23, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The work was exemplified in a most satisfactory manner with a lineup of officers, each anxious to do the best possible work. A very cordial Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are happy to announce that the Chapter has once more been able to award the high school scholarship. Much credit is due for this worthy objective. Hospitality is the keynote and the Deputy Grand Matron has been the recipient of many courtesies. Each visit to the Chapter will always be a happy memory.

Silver Strand Chapter No. 387, San Diego—Date of visit April 17, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Under the guidance of a very able Worthy Matron the ritualistic work was given in a splendid manner. The Worthy Patron, a speaker of note, added greatly to the impressiveness of the work by

his interpretation of the lecture. The work of the officers was very good, each one earnestly and sincerely striving toward perfection. A steady growth gives evidence of the loyalty of the membership. To the officers and members of this, my own Chapter, my deepest appreciation for the thoughtful courtesies extended to me, also for the inspiration and encouragement of kindly acts. I am grateful to my Worthy Grand Matron, Minnie Viola Collins, for the honor bestowed upon my Chapter and wish to express my personal appreciation for the privilege of loving service as Deputy Grand Matron.

Southern Star Chapter No. 96, San Diego—Date of visit February 21, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Untiring effort in behalf of her Chapter marks the work of this efficient Worthy Matron. A conscientious Worthy Patron has thoroughly enjoyed the fraternalism of the Order. Splendid work was done, the ceremony of initiation being particularly impressive. These officers have been courteous, eager for instruction, and attentive at all rehearsals. This Chapter recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its institution—the Mother Matron presiding for the opening ceremony—a most unique distinction. The hospitality of Southern Star has been most enjoyable.

SARAH F. BERGER, District No. 62

Coronado Chapter No. 332, Coronado—Date of visit April 22, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A very friendly Chapter, all officers anxious to do work well—very attentive; all officers present; opened on time. A capable Matron and Patron, who make all visitors very welcome. I thank this Chapter for all the courtesies they have extended to me.

Chula Vista Chapter No. 458, Chula Vista—Date of visit February 25, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. All officers present. Chapter opened promptly at eight o'clock. A loyal Chapter, all members doing their share. This is my home Chapter, of which I am proud to be a member. The officers and members have extended many courtesies and have done everything to make this year a happy one. I thank them, and I

thank our Worthy Grand Matron for the honor conferred upon my Chapter and for giving me the privilege of serving as Deputy Grand Matron of the 62nd District.

Escondido Chapter No. 154, Escondido—Date of visit April 2, 1935. Condition of books: Very good, both Secretary's and Treasurer's. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This Chapter is a friendly Chapter, located about thirty miles from San Diego, and one is always welcome. A charming Worthy Matron and a sincere Worthy Patron; all officers present, and Chapter opened on time; work done in a creditable manner. All officers eager to please. I thank this Chapter for their many courtesies.

Fallbrook Chapter No. 390, Fallbrook—Date of visit May 3, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The Chapter is located seventy miles from San Diego; opened promptly on time. This Chapter possesses a strong spirit of hospitality and friendliness, a gracious Matron and sincere Patron and a loyal corps of officers. The membership is small, but the loyalty of these officers and members make this Chapter both rich and large in the service they give. I sincerely appreciate all the courtesies extended to me during this year.

La Jolla Chapter No. 479, La Jolla—Date of visit March 22, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly with all officers present except Esther; all officers eager to please and work untiringly for the good of their Chapter with a lovely Matron who is capable of reaching her members. I wish to express my appreciation for all courtesies they have extended to me.

Poinsettia Chapter No. 287, Oceanside—Date of visit May 14, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly, all officers present except Associate Conductress and Marshal. Work was well done. It is always a pleasure to visit Poinsettia Chapter. I thank this group for their many courtesies. A very capable Matron and Patron working with a splendid corps of officers.

Point Loma Chapter No. 490, Ocean Beach—Date of visit May 6, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. Chapter opened promptly, all officers present. Work exemplified in an excellent manner under the leadership of a capable Matron and sincere Patron. It is a very friendly Chapter. I wish to express my appreciation to officers and members of this Chapter for all courtesies extended to me during this year.

San Diego Chapter No. 264, San Diego—Date of visit March 5, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An excellent corps of officers working under a very capable Matron and Patron. Chapter opened promptly with all officers in the chairs; work exemplified in a creditable manner. This Chapter has extended me a most cordial welcome to all Chapter affairs, for which I extend my sincere thanks. This is the home Chapter of our Past Grand Patron, Lloyd Ellis Griffin.

South West Chapter No. 345, National City—Date of visit April 15, 1935. Condition of books: Very good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a very friendly Chapter, always very courteous to visitors. A loyal corps of officers working under a gracious Matron and a sincere Patron. This Chapter opened on time, all officers present, and exemplified the work well. I appreciate all courtesies extended to me this year and thank this Chapter for the support they have given.

ESTHER JEWELL KAVANAUGH, District No. 63

Alamitos Chapter No. 316, Holtville—Date of visit May 8, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. The meeting opened promptly with all officers present except the Worthy Patron who was detained by an unfortunate accident. A very proficient corps of officers under the guidance of a sincere and earnest Worthy Matron exemplified the ritualistic and floor work in a very creditable manner. Our good brother Edwin Hargraves, Worthy Patron of Signal Chapter, very graciously acted as Worthy Patron, with Brother Ernest Beale, Junior

Past Patron, assisting during the exemplification of balloting. I wish to thank the Worthy Patron for many personal favors.

The Past Matrons and Patrons with the Masonic Brothers help to maintain the spirit of friendliness and hospitality for which Alamitos Chapter is noted. This is my home Chapter, of which I am justly proud. I feel the deepest appreciation for the untiring efforts of the officers to perform their duties in an unexcelled manner and for the many acts of kindness shown me by my brothers and sisters.

I hope the signal honor conferred upon my Chapter this year has in some measure helped the Worthy Grand Matron attain the goal she set for the Order of Eastern Star in 1935. All the Chapters in the Sixty-third District have done everything possible to make this a happy year for me and I deeply appreciate their many courtesies. I hope that in my official duties I have succeeded in maintaining the high ideals of our beautiful Order. The work has been a pleasure and the friendships I have made will always be a joyful reminder of a happy year of service. I trust I may merit your continued love and esteem.

Alamo Chapter No. 289, Brawley—Date of visit April 25, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A charming, gracious, efficient Worthy Matron and a capable Worthy Patron, supported by a fine corps of officers, exemplified the ritualistic and floor work in an excellent manner the night of my official visit. The loyal support of Past Matrons and Patrons made all my visits a joy. The deep interest of all officers in earnest rehearsals made the work of the Deputy a pleasure. I appreciated their faithfulness, their loyal support and most generous hospitality and sincerely thank the officers and members of Alamo Chapter for the many courtesies shown me during the year. I sincerely cherish the lovely friendships formed in this Chapter, which is to be commended for its interest in furthering the organization of Job's Daughters in the 63rd District. I am deeply indebted to the Worthy Matron for many personal favors.

Blythe Chapter No. 359, Blythe—Date of visit April 18, 1935. Condition of books: Good. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This little Chapter is enjoying a very happy year under the direction of an unusually gracious and capable Worthy Matron and a sincere and efficient Worthy Patron. A true spirit of harmony exists among the intensely interested and loyal officers who daily exemplify the principles of the Order of the Eastern Star and are a

real power for good in their community. A Chapter of which it can truly be said, "They are like a light set upon a hill". The work was beautifully exemplified on the night of my official visit. I deeply appreciate the spirit of love, kind thoughts, courtesies and friendships in this Chapter.

Coachella Valley Chapter No. 360, Coachella—Date of visit March 26, 1935. Condition of books: Excellent. Number of Rituals present, 5; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. A splendid spirit of fraternalism exists in this little Chapter and visitors are always assured a royal welcome. A sincere and capable East presides over an earnest and proficient corps of officers. The work was given in a splendid manner the night of my official visit. I shall always cherish the lovely friendships made in this hospitable Chapter. The ardent support of Past Matrons and Patrons and Masonic brothers was a definite aid to the Deputy Grand Matron. The warm welcome always extended to me and the many courtesies shown are indelibly fixed in my memory and shall never be erased.

Golden Rule Chapter No. 267, Imperial—Date of visit April 4, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An exceptionally sincere and efficient Worthy Matron and capable Worthy Patron assisted by earnest and willing officers are constantly working for the welfare of their Chapter and striving to demonstrate the Golden Rule in their daily contacts. Although their Chapter room was damaged by earthquake shock requiring the Chapter to meet elsewhere for several weeks, they showed such splendid spirit and cooperation that all officers attained a high standard of efficiency in their Eastern Star work. The splendid music is a decided asset. This Chapter is very cordial and visitors are assured an earnest welcome. I sincerely thank the officers and members for loving thoughtfulness shown the Deputy at all times. Your generous courtesies are truly appreciated.

Imperial Crown Chapter No. 311, Calexico—Date of visit May 12, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. This is a most hospitable and dignified Chapter presided over by a very capable and conscientious Worthy Matron assisted by a Worthy Patron whose ritualistic work is of high merit and an inspiration to all who listen to his rendition of the work. All officers do

excellent work. Their enthusiasm and close attention to details made their work a joy on the night of my official visit which was the last, consequently a happy climax to the year of service. Splendid support is given the Chapter by Past Matrons and Patrons which is a valuable asset. It has been an extreme pleasure to serve this gracious Chapter and I extend to all officers and members my most sincere thanks for your never failing courtesies.

Signal Chapter No. 276, El Centro—Date of visit April 26, 1935. Condition of books: Splendid and neat. Number of Rituals present, 6; Instruction Books, 6; Syllabus, 2; Diagram of the Labyrinth, 2; Quarterly Circulars kept in permanent file by the Secretary as prescribed by the Constitution. An intensely enthusiastic and gracious Worthy Matron and an obliging and capable Worthy Patron, loyally supported by a proficient corps of officers, are most ardent in increasing and extending the spirit of fraternalism. The members and officers give splendid support to the many activities of this hospitable Chapter. On the night of my official visit the work was imbued with beauty and dignity and the Chapter resembled a veritable flower garden with officers in colorful robes. Excellent music enhanced the pleasure of the evening. I am truly grateful for the many new friendships formed in this lovely Chapter. Your consideration and unselfishness stand out as gems in my memory. I am especially indebted to your good Patron for services rendered my home Chapter on the night of my official visit. Loyal and untiring Past Matrons and Patrons gave valuable aid.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

ALABAMA

Thirty-fourth Annual Session, Montgomery
October 16-18, 1934

Ola Reynolds Carter—Worthy Grand Matron
H. Frank Williamson—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 208

Members, 10,488

The Thirty-fourth Annual Session was held in the Grand Lodge Hall, which was beautifully decorated to resemble a flower garden. The East was surrounded by a picket fence on which ran pink rambler roses. On the fence posts were urns containing pink roses and pink dahlias. A large electric star of pink roses placed high in the East shed its rays over a scene of wondrous beauty.

The Alcazar Shrine Band opened the Session with a half hour of concert music.

Upon invitation of Hon. William L. Lee, Past Grand Master of the M. W. Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Alabama, the Grand Officers entered to the accompaniment of a chorus "Open the Gates of the Temple", sung by the girls of the Masonic Home. Two little tots from the Masonic Home, dressed as blue butterflies opened the gates to the Grand East.

Welcoming addresses were made by Hon. John Peach, representing the Governor and Hon. Sam A. Moore, Grand Master of Most Worshipful Grand Lodge.

The Grand Chapter was honored by the presence of many members from other Grand Jurisdictions, some for the entire Session, and others for part of the Session. All visitors were heartily welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

There were twelve Past Grand Matrons and ten Past Grand Patrons of Alabama present, and some fifteen Grand Lodge Officers.

The Worthy Grand Matron in her address stated that she had held fifty schools of instruction. She spoke highly of the three line officers who are deputies over the three divisions of the State. She recommended that the Girl Scout and Rainbow Girl work at the Masonic Home be continued. Special tribute was paid to the memory of Capt. Paul Wiebe of the American Legion, for his devoted efforts in instilling the principles of Americanism in the lives of the boys and girls of the Masonic Home.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported having installed officers in sixteen Chapters, attended twenty-one Conferences, and made more than one hundred visits to Chapters. She visited two other Grand Jurisdictions, attended the opening of Grand Lodge A. F.

& A. M. of Alabama and attended all the Masonic Board Meetings of the year.

The Worthy Grand Patron reported visiting the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, as a representative from Alabama, and addressing two of the California O. E. S. Chapters, and having since received two requests to return and address functions in California.

There are 104 boys and girls in the Masonic Home. One girl who had made straight A's in her High School work was entering Judson College, all expenses by the free will offerings of Grand Chapter. Watches were presented to the girls and boys making the highest grades.

Effie Moore, Past Grand Matron, presided over a beautiful installation ceremony in which the Order of Rainbow Girls participated.

The Session was closed by the Grand Chapter singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again".

Worthy Grand Matron, Stella Wayman.

Worthy Grand Patron, William Cole Davis.

ALBERTA

Mrs. Margaret Logic—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Charles Stuart—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 77

Membership, 4811

The beautiful assembly room of the McDonald Hotel, Edmonton, was filled to capacity on June 4, 1935, at the informal opening of the "Marguerite", or Twenty-fourth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Alberta.

The Grand Officers and distinguished guests were received by the officers of Joan of Arc Chapter of Vegreville and escorted through an arch of marguerites to the Grand East.

A welcome on behalf of the City of Edmonton was extended by His Worship Mayor Joseph Clark.

Hon. R. G. Reid, Premier of Alberta, gave a hearty welcome on behalf of the Provincial Government.

Victory Chapter No. 32, Westaskiwin, exemplified a very beautiful addenda, "The Wheel of Friendship".

The formal opening of this Grand Chapter was called to order in the Assembly Room of the McDonald Hotel.

The Flag of our great neighbor, the United States of America, was placed in the Grand East.

In closing his tribute to the Flag, Brother George H. Taylor, Associate Grand Patron said, "I am sure I express the wish of all, that we may continue to live in peace and harmony and goodwill with our neighbor until time shall be no more. Such has been our joy for over a century".

The Worthy Grand Matron was privileged to constitute and install the officers of Foremost Chapter No. 89.

In February a Musical Festival was held in Calgary, open to the families of Eastern Star members and sponsored by the Chapter of the City. A beautiful silver cup was presented for this annual competition.

Venus Chapter No. 2 of Red Deer was reorganized.

The Travelling Bible was present and was on the Altar during the entire session last year.

The financial report of the Home Fund Account showed a slight decrease in the amounts donated by the Chapters.

Wednesday evening was devoted to exemplifying the Chapter room work by a selected team of the Edmonton Chapters. A committee had been appointed to criticise the work, and the members of the Grand Chapter were invited to ask questions regarding the work.

The Grand Officers were congratulated because their expenditures showed a decrease of \$425.00 over last year.

The Home Fund to date is \$24,354.91.

The lovely Memorial Service, "Angel of Light", by the officers of North Star Chapter, depicting the translation of life, was most impressive.

Installation followed.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. George K. Tilley.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. George H. Taylor.

ARIZONA

Thirty-fifth Annual Session, Prescott
March 12, 13, 14, 1935

Ella Buehman—Worthy Grand Matron
Maurice G. Mann—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 37

Members, 5061

The Thirty-fifth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of Arizona, convened at Prescott, March 12th, 1935, amid beautiful decorations of Spring flowers and a canopy of the Colors and Star. Mary Ellen Young, Past Grand Matron, called the Session to order.

When the Worthy Grand Matron, Ella Buehman (formerly Ella Doyle of Glendale, California) had assumed her station she was presented with gifts and flowers and a memory book from the Worthy Matrons of 1935, with the following inscription:

"Just friendly, loving thoughts that flow from the hearts of
us to the heart of you;

The sweetness of your friendship grown dearer throughout the
year

Will dwell with every one of us and help and lift and cheer."

A gavel, which had traveled to all Chapters in the State, carrying little notes tied with gay ribbons, from each, was used by the Worthy Grand Matron to open Grand Chapter.

An impressive Flag Ceremony followed, with tributes to the Flag of our Country, the State Flag, and the Eastern Star Flag.

The address of welcome was given by Kitty R. Crossman, Worthy Matron of Golden Rule Chapter No. 1 of Prescott, and responded to by Brother Clarence Virgil Gulley, Associate Grand Patron.

In addition to the Grand Officers, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, many representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions, were present, and cordially welcomed.

The Most Worshipful Grand Master and Arizona's Own Past Grand Patron, James Whetstine, was presented and warmly welcomed by the Worthy Grand Patron, Maurice G. Mann. In his response, the Grand Master insisted that in spite of his titles he was the same "reg'lar feller" they had known for years, and spoke of the cooperation existing between the Masonic Bodies and Order of Eastern Star in Arizona.

The qualifications of the Ideal Worthy Matron, the Ideal Patron and the Ideal Secretary, as well as the Ideal Side-lines, were discussed, during the School of Instruction, which was conducted by Maude Wilson, Grand Lecturer.

The Worthy Grand Matron, in her report, expressed deep satisfaction with the Chapters throughout the State. "All members realize that the need of fraternal love, good will, and loyalty was never greater than now. The charity that is being dispensed and the willingness to help the less fortunate is marked." She recommended as an objective the maintaining of a tubercular home for children and older members, and believed if the matter of the Home at Oracle, Arizona, could be presented to the General Grand Chapter, it would be possible to be of service to our Order throughout the nation.

In his report, the Worthy Grand Patron mentioned visiting twenty-one Chapters and instituting one new Chapter at Chandler.

The Chairman of the Student Loan Fund reported a total in the fund amounting to \$9,566.81. \$750 had been loaned during the year.

Sister Florence E. Drachman, Grand Secretary, was the Installing Officer, and in her acceptance address the incoming Worthy Grand Matron said:

"Lord, give me grace to take the load
That I must bear awhile,
And in a cheery, helpful way
Trudge onward with a smile.

Drive back the hosts of doubts and fears
That will my path assail.
Lord, give me faith to trust thee more,
And then I cannot fail."

Nannie Mai Gilbert, Worthy Grand Matron.

Clarence Virgil Gulley, Worthy Grand Patron.

ARKANSAS

Fifty-ninth Annual Session, Little Rock
December 4-5, 1934

Loula W. Cornwell—Worthy Grand Matron
Dr. L. E. Tucker—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 187 Membership, 10,509 Net Loss, 2,082

The Fifty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Arkansas convened in the Auditorium of the Albert Pike Memorial Temple, December 4th. This was called the "Friendship Session".

The meeting was called to order by Sister Sarah Maye Townsend, Past Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother George E. Cotton, Past Worthy Grand Patron. The Grand Pages entered from each side with the Deputies and formed a "Wheel of Friendship" around the Altar, slowly revolving to the air of "The Old Spinning Wheel". Love and friendship being the theme of the Session, a "Bow Knot" and a "Heart" was formed by the Grand Officers, assisted by the Deputies and Pages, around the Altar, the costumes of blue and pink framed a picture not seen to be forgotten.

A "Prophecy Drill" given by a select team from the Fifteenth District followed. As they gazed into their crystals, beautiful wishes for the coming Session were extended to the presiding officers.

Invocation was given by the Rev. Cecil R. Culver, Junior Past Worthy Grand Patron. The Bible was opened by the Grand Conductress under lowered lights, giving a touching and beautiful effect.

The Grand Marshal escorted by three members, dressed in shades of red, presented the American Flag back of the Altar.

Sister Frances Haun, of Nashville, Tennessee, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, was escorted to the East, presented and given the Grand Honors. The Deputy Grand Lecturers formed the Square and Compass to assure her of their support and cooperation from the Sisters and Brothers throughout the coming years of her service. Sister Haun responded most graciously.

Other distinguished guests escorted and welcomed were Sister Anna W. Smalley, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron of Montana; Sister Iva Adams, Worthy Grand Electa of Louisiana; Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron of Louisiana, and three Past Grand Matrons from other Grand Jurisdictions. Twenty Past Grand Matrons and sixteen Past Grand Patrons of Arkansas were escorted and cordially greeted by the Worthy Grand Matron. The response was given by Sister Ann Castleton Dial.

Mr. J. B. Bunn, Most Worshipful Grand Master F. & A. M. of Arkansas, was presented and introduced. Responded with

a most inspiring speech and brought greetings and best wishes from Grand Lodge to this Grand Session.

A most impressive Memorial Service, "The Garden of Yesterday", was given, the Grand Officers taking part.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported a very full year and that a spirit of harmony seemed to exist through the Grand Jurisdiction. Her recommendation was adopted, that the Worthy Patrons have to sign for the secret work and the diagram of the Labyrinth and the Associate Patron for the secret work given at the time of installation. One Charter was granted and was sorry to report nine Chapters had surrendered their Charters.

The Worthy Grand Patron gave an interesting report and was happy to bring back to the Grand Chapter that he had been appointed Worthy Grand Sentinel, of the General Grand Chapter.

Chairman of Student Loan Fund reports much interest shown this year and that fourteen loans had been made. All money received from Chapters and the Grand Chapter, and repaid on loans, goes direct to students, interest on loans more than paying all expenses.

All business of the Friendship Session being completed Grand Chapter closed to convene in the Sixtieth Annual Session in Little Rock the third Tuesday in November, 1935.

Virginia Lee Wilken, Worthy Grand Matron.

Carl Olsson, Worthy Grand Patron.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Twenty-third Annual Session, Victoria, B. C.
June 18-20, 1934

Effie M. Schmeelk—Worthy Grand Matron
H. G. Wilcox—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 51

Members, 4854

An informal reception opened this Session at the Crystal Ballroom of the Empress Hotel Monday evening. Presentation and Tribute to both British and American flags were given.

Distinguished guests present were Grace E. Wilcox, Past Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Electa of the General Grand Chapter; Worthy Grand Matron of Washington, Mary Kinsell, together with Past Worthy Grand Matrons and Patrons.

That same evening a pageant was given by the Past Matrons' and Past Patrons' Association No. 2, depicting the dream of Robert Morris, and a ball concluded the evening, when the members and friends were privileged to enjoy dancing.

The Session opened with a solo "Open the Gates of the Temple" and the Grand Officers preceded by a vested choir singing "Onward Christian Soldiers" entered the Chapter Room.

The Worthy Grand Matron in her address said she appreciated the privilege of having the Grand Session in her own city. She hoped when prosperity returned to British Columbia that they would be able to start an Educational Fund for deserving young people, and also that a library of O. E. S. literature would be started. She also stated that with the exception of three in the far North, the Worthy Grand Patron and his wife accompanied her on all official visits. She mentioned especially the value of the Order of Job's Daughters in spiritual and moral development, and stated that probably more charitable work had been accomplished than ever before. She found a wonderful spirit and determination to carry on, where the depression had been felt the hardest.

The Worthy Grand Patron in the course of his remarks said that the member who casts a black-ball for any other reason than the good of the Order surely must lose his or her self-respect for doing what they know to be a despicable act.

Before laying aside the gavel the Worthy Grand Matron expressed her appreciation for the splendid co-operation of all who attended Grand Chapter.

Mary H. Austin, Past Worthy Grand Matron, acted as Installing Officer, assisted by J. W. Clark, Past Worthy Grand Patron.

The newly installed Worthy Grand Matron thanked the Grand Chapter for being elected delegate to the General Grand Chapter Assembly in Tampa, Florida, with all expenses paid.

Worthy Grand Matron, Alice E. Savage.

Worthy Grand Patron, H. E. Wenman.

COLORADO

Forty-second Annual Session, Denver
September 21-22, 1934

Mrs. Bertha T. Sieg—Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Foster Cline—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 122

Membership, 22,404

Preceding the formal opening of the Forty-second Annual Session of this Grand Chapter, an entertainment was enjoyed by the delegates, which gave opportunity for the renewal of old and the making of new fraternal contacts and friendships. The City Attorney of Denver welcomed the delegates most graciously and presented the Associate Grand Patron, a man who has held the distinction this year of having occupied several of the cardinal points of the compass simultaneously. He has this last year sat in the West, lived in the South and is known as John East. After such a novel introduction a good response was assured.

As a fitting finale, a Fantasy in three acts, "The Rainbow End", was presented by the Hostess Chapters.

The formal opening was held at the Consistory No. 1 Cathedral on September first. There was a profusion of flowers everywhere. A large rainbow was arched above the heads of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron and a beautiful electric fountain of rainbow colors played at their feet.

The clear melodious notes of two trumpets, one played by a Rainbow girl, the other by a Job's Daughter, heralded the entrance of the Grand Officers.

A group of Matrons and Associate Matrons gowned in yellow crepe with scarfs of crisp organdy in various rainbow hues preceded the Grand Officers.

Thirty-one questions were received by the Worthy Grand Matron during the year and were satisfactorily answered.

The Worthy Grand Matron voiced her appreciation of the courtesies extended to her by the De Molay of Denver, the Order of Rainbow for girls and the *Job's Daughters of Colorado*, and praised those who are sponsoring these organizations, thereby striving to lead and direct the activities of youth in this age of revised and modern views.

Ninety Chapters opened promptly on time the night of the Worthy Grand Matron's official visit.

The Grand Secretary reported all Chapters excepting one have paid their annual dues in full and the Chapter owing a balance from last year has paid this in full.

An impressive memorial service was held in which each Grand Officer participated. This service was concluded with a tableau, "Rock of Ages".

The Grand Officers vacated their Stations and the exemplification of the ritualistic work was done by different subordinate Chapters.

The third annual report of the O. E. S. Home was well received. There are thirty-one guests in the Home. At Christmas, Easter, Mother's Day and on birthdays each guest was remembered with a gift.

Mrs. Hattie Allen Smith, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. John L. East, Worthy Grand Patron.

CONNECTICUT

Mrs. K. Alma Osborn—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Frederic W. Austin—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 99

Membership, 26,754

The Sixty-first Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Connecticut was held in Fort Guard Hall, Hartford, April 24 and 25.

This year being the Terecentenary of the State, a historical touch preceded the formal opening.

The Junior Past Grand Matron was escorted to the East and called the Grand Chapter to order in the manner of a radio announcer.

Addresses of welcome were extended by the Mayor and by the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Hartford and by the Jr. Past Matron of Hartford Chapter No. 64.

Many guests were accorded a hearty welcome. We wish:—

“Your stay will give you pleasure,
And that your joy may be of generous measure.
May you like our brand of Connecticut cheer so well
You'll return another year”.

The Worthy Grand Matron was grateful to have been able to visit every Subordinate Chapter officially and the Worthy Grand Patron was privileged to make 72 such visits. All of the Grand Officers cooperated in these official visits, making an average of 66 visits per officer.

The Worthy Grand Matron was happy to have had the time and opportunity to visit four other Grand Jurisdictions.

A practical application of Masonic ideals and Eastern Star principles is found in the Masonic Home and the O. E. S. Hospital at Wallingford. The Chapters have maintained a keen interest in their members at the Home and Hospital.

The order of Rainbow for girls has made a steady growth and at their Assemblies much inspiration is gained by the enthusiasm manifested by these lovely girls.

Twenty-seven Chapters have contributed this year to the Educational Fund.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Isabelle Reynolds.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Edwin Barrington.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mamie L. Greenstreet—Worthy Grand Matron

Edward E. Riley—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 40

Members, 11,125

A stated Session of the Grand Chapter was held in the Grand Chapter Chamber at the Masonic Temple, Monday, May 7, 1934. The room was beautifully decorated with the National colors, palms, ferns and cut flowers. The Grand Chapter was called to order by Elizabeth Plitt, Past Grand Matron. The Worthy Grand Matron and Patron were escorted to the East to the accompaniment of music, rendered by a trio of brothers.

Honored guests, escorted and accorded the grand honors were: Minnie E. Keyes, Right Worthy Grand Secretary; Flora E. Campbell, Right Worthy Grand Treasurer; and Alcega Lamond, Right Worthy Grand Treasurer Emeritus of the General Grand Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron announced the death of the Grand Organist, Iva B. Cary, and appointed Iva H. Toone to fill the unexpired term.

A Special Session of the Grand Chapter was called by the Grand Matron June 18, 1934, for the purpose of conducting Eastern Star funeral services for Past Grand Patron J. J. Faber. The Grand Marshal formed the Grand Officers in line to proceed to Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church. Many beautiful floral tributes gave their silent message of love and esteem in memory of Brother Faber.

The Thirty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter convened in the ball-room of the Willard Hotel, Washington, January 10, 1935.

Past Grand Matron Grace E. Kimmel called the Grand Chapter to order. Present and Past Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of Sister Jurisdictions were welcomed and given grand honors.

Worthy Grand Patron retired and escorted the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Robert S. Regar, who was welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, and responded in well chosen words.

The Worthy Grand Matron declared a short recess to admit the members of the Advisory Board of the Masonic Clubs of the District of Columbia for the purpose of presenting to the Grand Chapter a certificate, a token of life membership in the Educational Foundation sponsored by the National League of Masonic Clubs of America, for the establishment of a School of Foreign Service at George Washington University. In responding, the Worthy Grand Matron said, "The Order of the Eastern Star is proud and willing to assist you in any possible way in the splendid work that you are doing for the education of young men. On behalf of the Grand Chapter of the District of Columbia, I accept this certificate of life membership."

Work is being continued for the Home and Infirmary and Educational Fund.

The Worthy Grand Patron in his address said that the general trend of improvement which has been evident in all affairs during the past year has been reflected in an equally general uplift and more inspiring outlook throughout the Order.

During this Session the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron were elected to honorary membership of the Grand Chapter of the District of Columbia.

Minnie E. Keyes, Right Worthy Grand Secretary, acted as Installing Officer, assisted by Most Worthy Grand Matron, Frances Haun; and the Most Worthy Grand Patron, William A. Duvall, who gave the Obligation. The final charge was given by Sister Haun.

Several addresses were given following Installation. The Most Worthy Grand Matron in her remarks said "We need to remember that this Order was founded on the Fatherhood of God, the Brotherhood of man and the immortality of the soul, and that it teaches and includes as a part of our obligation, loyalty to duty, loyalty to kindred, loyalty to cause, loyalty to God and

loyalty to mankind. I believe that we need more Eastern Star education so that we may gain a true concept of the history, the meaning, the symbolism and the practical application of the principles of our Order."

Worthy Grand Matron, Helen L. Brashears.

Worthy Grand Patron, Walter L. Fowler.

FLORIDA

Thirty-first Annual Session, Coral Gables
April 11-13, 1935

Nancye Ricard—Worthy Grand Matron
Glenn E. McKay—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 155

Membership, 13,980

The Grand Chapter of Florida, Order of the Eastern Star, convened in the Thirty-first Annual Session in the Coliseum, Coral Gables, on Thursday morning, April 11th, with Chapters 27, 28 and 29 as hostesses.

The large auditorium was transformed into a beautiful tropical garden, which was a bower of loveliness. Hundreds of Easter and calla lilies, date palms, garlands of ferns, and boxes of growing pansies, all used in great profusion against a background of green, which bore on one side the name "Nancye" and on the other, "Glenn", in large silver letters. The center of this background was white, against which hung an electrically lighted emblematic Star. A hedge of large colored Easter eggs and Easter bunnies accentuated the spirit of the approach of Easter.

A constitutional number of Chapters being represented, Grand Chapter was opened in short form.

In paying a tribute to the Flag, Brother Joseph A. Wheeler said in part: "The Flag, in all its beauty and glory, was first made by a woman, in a spirit of love. What, then, more appropriate than it should have an honored place in every Chapter room of the Order of the Eastern Star, the largest woman's organization in the world".

Sister Ellie Lines Chapin, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, Sister Mamie Lander, Right Worthy Grand Trustee, Sister Annabelle Reed, member of the Credential Committee, and Brother Frank Chapin, chairman of the Credential Committee on Unfinished Business, were welcomed and escorted. Six Past Grand Matrons and two Past Grand Patrons from other Grand Jurisdictions, the Associate Grand Matron from North Carolina, and Brother Fred W. de Laney, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons of Florida, were escorted to the Grand East.

The Home Chest Honor Roll, an innovation of 1934, has been a real joy to all. The Grand Instructors helped collect the

articles which were sent to the Home. There are about 8000 members on the Home Chest Honor Roll and almost 7800 articles were contributed. Cash received was sent to the Masonic Home Fund.

The Educational Committee of the Masonic Home is working hard to try to solve the stupendous problem of "What are we going to do with our children when they reach manhood and womanhood?"

The Worthy Grand Matron's report showed a keen interest in every detail of the work which spelled success for her year of capable leadership.

The Worthy Grand Patron instituted one Chapter.

Greetings from the Order of Beatitudes were brought by Sister Leona Fairecloth.

Total registrations at this Grand Session, 1736.

Installation followed. Sister Verna Bullard, Florida's youngest Past Grand Matron, was the Grand Installing Officer.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Della Green.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Fred E. Mank.

GEORGIA

Thirty-third Annual Session, Macon

June 11-12, 1934

Mrs. Donna Lawhon—Worthy Grand Matron

Davis Woodson Lane—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 111

Membership, 7497

The Forget-Me-Not Session of the Grand Chapter of Georgia was opened at the Municipal Auditorium on the evening of June 11th.

Little did this Grand Chapter think that ere the year would end their Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Donna Lawhon, would be transferred to the Great Grand Chapter of Heaven.

In the Grand East was placed a "Vacant Chair" covered with white satin and with a wreath of forget-me-nots resting on it.

"It is well to be prepared," said Brother Harry O. Garrett, "and the best preparations for the future are the present well seen to, and the last duty done."

Sister Irene Arden, Associate Grand Matron, also Acting Worthy Grand Matron, gave the welcoming address.

"The sweetness of friendship's fairest flower, hospitality, invades our hearts tonight. It is my pleasure to welcome all of you, both members and guests, to this, our Thirty-third Annual Session."

Sister Frances Haun, Right Worthy Grand Associate Matron was escorted and warmly welcomed.

Mayor Smart welcomed the Grand Chapter to the City of Macon.

"This Grand Chapter is very proud of her Worthy Grand Patron who was elected at this session, because it is the first time in the history of this Grand Chapter of Georgia that our Worthy Grand Patron has also the honor of being the Most Worshipful Grand Master at the same time."

The acting Worthy Grand Matron in her address remarked: "Just as the sun brings life and beauty to the flowers, so is education to the great moving forces in the development of our civilization. Its power has been demonstrated in every forward movement that has been accomplished by the human race".

The Order of Rainbow for Girls, Savannah Assembly No. 1, put on their degree work for Grand Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron was honored by the Cecil Cheves Chapter De Molay of Savannah, when the drill team of this Chapter exemplified a wonderful drill at the meeting of Amity Chapter, O. E. S.

Fifty-two questions were sent to the Worthy Grand Matron and all satisfactorily answered.

The Grand Secretary reported that \$900.00 had been loaned from the Educational Fund.

The printing shop of the Masonic Home did the Grand Chapter printing during the year. The profits made by this print shop from time to time have been used to make needed improvements. A home economics department has been completed, a canning factory has been built and equipped during the past four years, dairy barns were built and other minor improvements were made.

Sister Clara M. Foster, poet laureate, dedicated a lovely poem, "Forget-Me-Not Road", to the late Worthy Grand Matron, and to the memory of her own mother and sister.

One new Chapter was instituted.

Miss Irene Arden, Worthy Grand Matron.

Dr. Guy G. Lunsford, Worthy Grand Patron.

GEORGIA

Thirty-fourth Session, Macon

June 10-12, 1935

Miss Irene Arden—Worthy Grand Matron

Dr. Guy G. Lunsford—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 111

Membership, 7,131

The pre-session events of the Thirty-fourth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Georgia included a Sunday evening service at the First Baptist Church of Macon; a banquet on Monday eve

ning at which 350 were present; and on Tuesday morning the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron entertained the Grand Officers and Grand Pages at a breakfast.

The "Glad Sunshine" Session was informally opened at the Municipal Auditorium on June 10, 1935, the color note being gold and white.

Twenty-four members of the Shrine Patrol acted as an escort, wearing their lovely gold and white costumes.

Brother Charles Hagin of Rome presented the Worthy Grand Matron a beautiful gavel.

The honored guests included Brother William Clark, a member of the Jurisprudence Committee of the General Grand Chapter; Mrs. Mattie Davis, Grand Organist of Florida; Mrs. Myrtle Patillo, Grand High Priestess of the Grand Council of the Ladies Oriental Shrine of America; twelve Past Grand Matrons and fourteen Past Grand Patrons of Georgia; Honorable Ellsworth Hall; Judge E. D. Thomas; Sister Betsy I. Burgess of Macon Chapter, No. 1, Manila, P. I., and twenty-five Grand Representatives.

The formal opening was on Tuesday morning, June 11, 1935.

As the State Flag was presented, Mrs. Ruth Vickery sang "Georgia Land" and when the Eastern Star Flag was presented, Mrs. Thelma Morris sang "Star of the East".

The Worthy Grand Matron sent a Thanksgiving telegram to the President of the United States.

She was presented and spoke at the House of Representatives; was guest at the Kiwanis Luncheon Club; was guest speaker at the Statesboro Chamber of Commerce; extended greetings to the First District of Masons at Springfield, Georgia; accepted an invitation from the Grand Lodge of Macon; addressed the members of Clio Lodge, F. & A. M. at an open session in their lodge room; attended the Tri-State assembly in Atlanta of Rainbow for Girls, and attended the regular meeting of Way Cross Assembly No. 6, to witness their initiatory ceremony.

The Grand Chapter gave a piano to the Home which was greatly appreciated by the children.

Fort Benning Chapter was constituted on August 28, 1934.

The Worthy Grand Matron visited 102 chapters individually and seven joint inspections. Traveled 17,960 miles.

The "Chapter of Remembrance" was called to order by the Worthy Grand Patron, at which time glowing and loving tributes were paid those who had passed on to Eternal Light.

Chapters contributed \$214.20 this year to the Home Fund.

The Educational Loan Fund Committee recommended an assessment of five cents per capita for this fund.

The next annual session will be at Douglas.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Marcis Jewett.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. W. A. Lynn.

IDAHO

Mrs. Mildred Whitman Schoper—Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Miller M. Bodell—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chapters, 70

Membership, 7,360

The "Old Oregon Trail" Session, known as the largest Session in the history of Idaho Grand Chapter, convened in the Masonic Temple at Nampa, June 11th, 12th and 13th.

The officers (ladies) were attired in light green silk costumes and wore violet corsages. The men were in tuxedos and wore violet buttonieres.

The decorations were sage brush and purple electric lights, carrying out the purple sage idea, which was familiar to the early pioneers of Idaho and for whom this Grand Session was dedicated.

With an impressive ceremony the U. S. Flag, the State Flag and the O. E. S. Flag were presented.

Eighteen Past Grand Matrons, 1 Past Grand Patron, and the Grand Conductress of Utah were welcomed and escorted.

In her report the Worthy Grand Matron said, "It is true I have neither accomplished great things, nor have I reached the goal I had hoped to attain, but I have given my best in the light of understanding that was mine. I sincerely hope that the Chapters throughout the State realize the true significance of our Order, and have made a more consecrated effort to lift their lives to a higher spiritual plane".

Three Sisters were appointed during the year to act as correspondents for three different O. E. S. periodicals.

A School of Instruction was held in every Chapter in the Jurisdiction excepting two.

Job's Daughters is a flourishing organization in Idaho.

The business-like manner in which the Officers conduct their meetings shows good material for splendid Star members and officers for the future.

The Worthy Grand Patron gave a good report which showed keen interest was taken by officers in Subordinate Chapters in doing excellent Ritualistic work.

An interesting and intricate Flag drill was much enjoyed.

A drill and music by Job's Daughters was a pleasing innovation.

A comprehensive educational program was suggested.

In the five years of the life of the Revolving Educational Fund \$5,175 has been loaned.

A lovely ceremony honoring Sister Susan Needham on her birthday was participated in by the Star Points who wove a ribbon star and a pentagon which circled the Star Points.

She was presented with a handkerchief bouquet combined with cellophane in the Point colors.

The Attendance Flag was presented to Elk River Chapter No. 70 for having had the largest average attendance during the year.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Lucia Z. Hoebel.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Louis R. Scott.

ILLINOIS

Sixtieth Annual Session, Chicago

October 2-3-4, 1934

Gussie L. Hart—Worthy Grand Matron

Harry X. Cole—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 849 Membership, 175,828 Net Loss, 12,143

Sixtieth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star of Illinois convened in Medinah Mosque, Chicago, Tuesday morning, October 2nd. The stage, a scene of beauty in white and green, carried out the color scheme of the Worthy Grand Matron during the year.

Promptly at ten o'clock the Grand Officers were escorted into the Grand Chapter room. The Worthy Grand Matron was greeted in song by Sister Leona Mueller, Worthy Matron of Vega Chapter, in a composition of her own. Ninety-five pages gowned in white with green shoulder capes entered in rhythmic order, forming a heart and the letters G and L and sang the "Gussie L. Hart", slogan song of the year.

An eloquent Ode to the Flag was given by Brother Harry C. Boeke, Associate Grand Patron.

The Worthy Grand Patron, Harry X. Cole, gave the address of welcome with Sister Amy H. Berry, Associate Grand Matron, responding in a most gracious manner.

Distinguished guests escorted, welcomed and given the Grand Honors were Sister Maud Bowers, Worthy Grand Matron of Iowa; Sister Hazel Thompson Coats, Worthy Grand Matron of Indiana; five Past Grand Matrons and one Past Grand Patron from other Grand Jurisdictions. Also five visiting Grand Officers were escorted and presented. Twenty Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons of Illinois were escorted, accorded the Grand Honors and given a most cordial greeting by the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

The Worthy Grand Matron reports attending fourteen receptions; installed forty-three Chapters; made 295 official visits; elected to Honorary Membership in 224 Chapters; visited the Protestant Child Haven and Speedway Hospital; attended Annual Session of the Grand Council of Illinois, Order of Job's Daughters and Grand Assembly of Illinois Order of the Rain-

bow for Girls. In response to her request, \$4,523.67 had been contributed by the Chapters for the Eastern Star Home at Rockford and the Home at Macon. Early in the year she expressed that the Chapters, in place of the customary flowers on the night of her official visit, would contribute the money toward a special fund to be used in purchasing some permanent gift for each of the Homes. \$340.02 was realized from this fund.

The Worthy Grand Patron reports having attended all the Grand Receptions listed in the Grand Matron's report. Attended and addressed the 1934 Grand Council of Job's Daughters and the Grand Assembly of Rainbow Girls of Illinois. Installed ten Chapters and assisted in installing twenty-two, attended all the official visits of the Worthy Grand Matron with the exception of one; elected to Honorary Membership in 220 Chapters, also Honorary Member of the Harry X. Cole Worthy Patrons' Club. Is a member of the Board of Advisors of the Masonic Employment Bureau and the Protestant Child Haven. During the years as Associate Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Patron many Chapters and Clubs, members of the Order of the Eastern Star and other organizations where he had spoken, had been kind enough to present him with financial gifts amounting to \$1,219.05, which he presented as a fund to be used for gifts at the Homes at Rockford and Macon.

A most inspiring and impressive memorial service was carried out in honor of the 1954 members who had passed to the Great Beyond. The beautiful tableaux, illustrating the five points of our Star, brought a new and deeper meaning of the teachings of the Order and the spiritual thought conveyed could but lift the mind and heart to a higher and sweeter thought. Among those were one Past Grand Patron, one Worthy Matron and two Worthy Patrons.

A one per cent per capita tax of the members of the Chapters of this Grand Jurisdiction was to be set aside and used to pay the railroad fare, pullman and expenses on the train for the delegates of Grand Chapter attending General Grand Chapter meeting at Tampa, Florida.

After an installation, most beautiful in its simplicity, the Pitkin Jewel was presented the Worthy Grand Matron and the Kurzenknabe Jewel the Worthy Grand Patron.

Sixty-first Annual Session will convene in Chicago the first Tuesday in October, 1935.

Amy H. Berry, Worthy Grand Matron.

Harry C. Boeke, Worthy Grand Patron.

INDIANA

Sixty-first Annual Session, Indianapolis
April 24-25, 1935

Hazel Thompson Coats—Worthy Grand Matron
Harry E. Emmons—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 452

Members, 77,470

This Session was known as "The Golden Rule Session" and was held in the beautiful theatre of the Murat Temple. The stage was attractively decorated with palms and ferns and tall French baskets filled with white lilies. In the East was a beautiful illuminated star with the Worthy Grand Matron's motto, "Do Unto Others as Ye Would that Others Should do Unto You".

Grand Chapter was called to order by Ura Seeger, Past Worthy Grand Patron. Frances Haun, Most Worthy Grand Matron, was escorted to the East, and extended a most cordial welcome. She asked for the gavel and in turn presented two members of her official family, Eva Hamilton, Worthy Grand Adah, and Hazel Thompson Coats, Worthy Grand Esther of the General Grand Chapter.

Harry E. Emmons, Worthy Grand Patron, in introducing Harry Yeo, Most Worshipful Grand Master, F. & A. M., addressed the Grand Chapter, and among other things said, "The Masonic Lodge and the Order of the Eastern Star are based upon the same eternal truths, and have similar ideals, and we are all trying to build a highway which we call 'loving kindness'".

Other distinguished guests were Clara Blanche Bathen, Worthy Grand Matron of Nebraska; Bessie F. Boice, Past Worthy Grand Matron and present Grand Secretary of Ohio; and Past Worthy Grand Matrons and Past Worthy Grand Patrons of other Grand Jurisdictions.

The Worthy Grand Matron, Hazel Thompson Coats, who is also Worthy Grand Esther, gave an excellent address outlining her work. She personally inspected all the Chapters of the State, and special attention was given to the Masonic Home and general philanthropic work.

The Worthy Grand Patron reported having constituted four Chapters and instituted one.

The outstanding result of his attendance at the General Grand Chapter Session at Tampa, Florida, was the securing of the 22nd Triennial Session for Indianapolis in 1937.

A banquet and reception were given in honor of Most Worthy Grand Matron, Frances Haun, Most Worthy Grand Patron, William A. Duvall, and General Grand Chapter Officers, Present and Past Grand Officers of other Grand Jurisdictions and Present and Past Grand Officers of Indiana.

One of the most outstanding features of this Grand Chapter is the wonderful work being done for the youths in helping them

further their education through the Student Loan Fund, also the great number of both young and old that are taken care of in the joint Eastern Star and Masonic Homes, at Frankliu.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron acted as Installing Officer, and the Most Worthy Grand Patron gave the Obligation.

Worthy Grand Matron, Josephine A. Brown.

Worthy Grand Patron, J. Frank Moore.

IOWA

Fifty-seventh Annual Session, Des Moines

October 24-25, 1934

Maud Bowers—Worthy Grand Matron

Paul N. Clark—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 470 Membership, 70,176 Net Loss, 17,979

The Fifty-seventh Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Iowa met in the Za-Ga-Zig Shrine Temple Auditorium, Des Moines. Little Helen Messerschmidt entered the room ringing a silver bell and when she reached the center of the stage made the following announcement, "The Worthy Grand Matron wishes me to announce the opening of the Fifty-seventh Grand Chapter Session, Order of the Eastern Star of Iowa, and extends a cordial welcome to all". The Grand Processional entered the Temple led by the sixteen pages and sixteen ushers followed by officers of the Des Moines and Valley Junction Chapters, Grand Chapter Committees, members, instructors, Grand Representatives, representatives of Masonic Bodies, Worthy Grand Advisor of Rainbow, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, guests of other Grand Jurisdictions, General Grand Chapter Officers and committee members, and present Grand Officers. The Assembly was called to order by Brother Paul N. Clark, Worthy Grand Patron.

The Flag was presented by sixteen Brothers, the Worthy Patrons and Associate Patrons of Des Moines and Valley Junction Chapters.

Sister Anna W. Smalley, Right Worthy Grand Conduetress, and Brother George S. Dunlap, Right Worthy Grand Trustee of the General Grand Chapter, were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, escorted to the East and accorded the Grand Honors. As they were escorted to the Grand East the Flags of different nations were used in a presentation, Sister Edna Zerwekh, Worthy Grand Marshal; two members of General Grand Chapter Committees; the Worthy Grand Matrons of the Grand Jurisdictions of Wisconsin, Nebraska, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Missouri were presented. Seventeen Past Grand Matrons and nine Past Grand Patrons of Iowa. Five young women dressed

in appropriate Star Point colors, presented a rose to each as they were escorted to the Grand East where Grand Honors were given them. Six elective and appointive Grand Officers of other Grand Jurisdictions were escorted and presented. The Grand Representatives, District Instructors, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of Des Moines and Valley Junction Chapters, pages and ushers were presented.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported having installed 14 Chapters and made 180 visits in twenty-five Districts, and having traveled 23,000 miles. Attended 18 group meetings during the year. Visited the Grand Sessions of Minnesota, Illinois and Wisconsin, also the Ninth Assembly Order of Rainbow Girls held in Cedar Rapids. Instituted a new Chapter at Leeds. Stated that Life Membership Certificates were issued to six Sisters and one Brother. A most interesting and concise report on gleanings of other Grand Jurisdictions was given. She was glad to report that Chapters seemed to be progressing in an encouraging manner.

The Worthy Grand Patron reported having made 153 visits this year, that 30 of these Chapters had not had a visit from a Worthy Grand Patron since 1922. He was told in some of the Chapters that it was the first visitation they had ever received from a Grand Patron. Attended five receptions for Grand Officers, six Chapter installations, twelve group meetings and thirty-three inspections. Acted as Grand Installing Officer, installing Sister Verla Gillett as Grand Electa. Received Honorary Membership in Marion Chapter No. 183 and Cedar Chapter No. 184.

Donations for the General Fund of the Home from members and Chapters amounting to \$1,467.04.

An appropriation of \$300.00 was allowed the Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

Memory hour was given in a very impressive manner and the Grand Chaplain reported two Past Grand Matrons and one Past Grand Patron and 840 Sisters and Brothers from subordinate Chapters who had answered the summons to the Supreme Chapter on High. In loving tribute to the departed the Worthy Grand Matron placed red roses in a basket as taps were sounded.

The report of the O. E. S. Home showed 81 guests. The average age of the guests being about seventy-seven, somewhat older than in former years. The youngest Sister is sixty-three and the oldest, ninety-three; one Sister approaching ninety-two and twelve more than eighty-five.

After the Installation of the Grand Officers for the ensuing year, the Thompson Jewel was presented to the Worthy Grand Matron and the Kennedy Jewel to the Worthy Grand Patron.

The Fifty-eighth Annual Session will be held in Des Moines, October 22-23-24, 1935.

Gertrude A. May, Worthy Grand Matron.

Robert Grapengeter, Worthy Grand Patron.

KANSAS

Mrs. Maude Clossen—Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Richard H. Cravens—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 395

Membership, 56,294

The Fifty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Kansas, Order of the Eastern Star, convened in the Forum, Wichita, April 30th, May 1st and 2nd.

Artificial roses and swallows in great abundance were artistically used.

A civic welcome and a welcome from the Home was accorded the delegates and a generous hospitality extended.

The entrance of a Choir which preceded the Grand Officers was impressive. Gowned in white with rose colored capes, and singing the "Bridal Chorus" from Rose Maiden and accompanied by piano, clarinet, violins and 'cello, was not only a striking picture, but likewise a lovely bit of harmony.

The pages were dressed in fern-green dresses and carried large garden-hat basket in rose color, and filled with roses.

The Grand Officers wore white chiffon, printed in red roses, symbolic of the "Rose Session", honoring the Grand Matron.

Sister Frances Haun, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Brother John Hammil, Past Most Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Olga Phillip, Right Worthy Grand Trustee, Worthy Grand Ruth and Worthy Grand Esther of the General Grand Chapter, were distinguished guests. Sharing honors with these were the Worthy Grand Matrons of Texas, Oklahoma and Nebraska, and the Worthy Grand Patrons of Nebraska and Missouri.

Most Worshipful Grand Master Otto Souder, Theodore Perry, Past Grand Commander of Knights Templar; Charles A. Loucks, Past Grand Master and Past Grand Commander; Thomas L. Bond, Past Grand Master, and Richard H. Cravens, Past Grand High Priest, were also present.

Minerva Chapter No. 474 was constituted May 17, 1934.

Rose Douglas Chapter U. D. was instituted.

The O. E. S. enjoys working with the Masonic Fraternity in the activities of the Home. Membership in the Home is: 154 men, 98 women, 54 boys, 43 girls.

"It is not what we give, but what we share,
For the gift without the giver is bare.
Who gives of himself with alms, feeds three,
Himself, his hungering neighbor, and me."

The Grand Officers retired and re-entered as a Subordinate Chapter, and exemplified the work, conferring degrees on two candidates for Ivy Leaf Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were highly praised for their efficiency through the year and for the very capable and kindly way in which they guided the deliberations of all the Grand Chapter Sessions.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Rose Swallow.

Worthy Grand Patron, Dr. Douglas A. Meredith.

KENTUCKY

Thirty-second Session, Lexington
October 23-24-25, 1934

Minnie K. Rouse—Worthy Grand Matron
E. C. Frye—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 269 Membership, 20,374 Net Loss, 2,681

The "Garden of Memories Session", officially called Thirty-second Annual Meeting of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, of Kentucky, was opened in the Woodland Auditorium, Lexington, Ky., on Tuesday morning, October 23rd, at 9:00 o'clock.

The stage was transferred into the resemblance of the home of Dr. Rob Morris. In the center to the rear of the stage stood an exact replica of the home as it was when Dr. Morris resided there, with the white picket fence in front of the house and the spruce trees growing in the yard on each side of the house. White arches covered with an abundance of wisteria with hollyhocks of various hues at each side of the arches were placed on each end of the stage. The drop curtain used at the back of the setting was of a woodland scene, green grass was found to be growing on the front of the stage with numerous ferns nestled in the grass. One's interest was attracted not only by the picturesqueness of the setting, but also by the beautiful solemnity the scene presented.

Preceding the calling to order of the Grand Chapter by Sister Mayme Curry, Junior Past Grand Matron, "Memories of Galilee", one of Dr. Morris' own compositions was rendered by a choir, which will long be remembered by the assembly.

The Grand Chaplain carried the personal Bible of Dr. Morris into the room, and placed it on the Altar while the choir sang "The Sacred Book".

Acting as escort to the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Officers, the Grand pages dressed in purple taffeta, and the Deputy Grand Matrons in orchid lace entered the room, followed by the Grand Officers quaintly attired in white net dresses and a beautiful purple sash floor length. They carried old fashioned bouquets, made up of violets and lace, adorned with white satin shower ribbon and violets. Carrying out the motif of the "Garden of Memories". While they were in formation around the Altar, Wendell Rouse sang "In the Garden of Tomorrow".

The Flag was presented by a drill under the direction of the Grand Marshal, assisted by members of District No. 1, dressed in military attire. Grand Marshal Sister Bernal gave a most fitting address and the pledge to the Flag was given followed by the singing of "America", the drill team retired.

The following distinguished guests were presented during the Session, extended the Grand Honors, welcomed and seated in the East: Hon. John Hammill, Most Worthy Grand Patron;

Sister Frances Haun, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron; Sister Hazel Thompson, Worthy Grand Matron; Brother Harry E. Hammons, Worthy Grand Patron, also Sister Daisy Crist, Grand Secretary; Sister Margaret Fisher, Associate Grand Conductress; Sister Rose Malcom, Grand Treasurer of Indiana; Sister Gracie Hickman, Grand Organist of Tennessee, were presented and introduced. Fifteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons of Kentucky were welcomed by the Grand Matron, Sister Minnie Rouse. Sister Mayme Curry, Junior Past Grand Matron, made the response to the welcome. As each distinguished guest was escorted to the East, the Grand Marshal and Grand Chaplain standing at the steps of the East, presented each of them with a souvenir book mark, violet in color and bearing the motto of the Worthy Grand Matron for the year, "Be Kind, Forbearing and Forgiving, One Toward Another".

Recess was declared and the Hon. Ruby Laffoon, Governor of Kentucky, was escorted into the Grand Chapter; by request of the Worthy Grand Matron, Hon. John Hammill, Most Worthy Grand Patron and ex-Governor of Iowa, introduced and welcomed him. Governor Laffoon responded with a splendid address.

Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, F. & A. M., was present but had to leave before he was escorted. Brother William Carson Black, Past Grand Master, was presented and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron and in response Brother Black brought greetings and best wishes from the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

In the report of the Worthy Grand Matron was the continued thought of her motto for the year when she quoted:

"To live, dear Lord, as Thou wouldst have me live;
To pray each day 'Thy Kingdom come'—to give
My every thought to help, to heal, to bless,
Oh, may I learn this prayer of selflessness".

Visited 139 subordinate Chapters, ten that had never had a visit from a Worthy Grand Matron and 46 that had not been visited by a Worthy Grand Matron in three years; received 46 Honorary Memberships in Chapters and organizations. Had the Floral Degree conferred on her in Chapter No. 45. Visited the Grand Jurisdictions of District of Columbia, Tennessee and Indiana. Reported general conditions of Chapters through the State very encouraging.

Her recommendation which was adopted, "That the Robert Morris home at LaGrange be restored to its original appearance and the cost of restoration and repairs be defrayed by a free will offering to be taken each year by each Chapter when Robert Morris' birthday is celebrated and that the home be under the control and supervision of a committee of three members, two of whom shall be appointed for a term of two and

three years, respectively, and one to be the Worthy Matron of the Robert Morris Chapter at LaGrange''.

The Worthy Grand Patron made six inspections, attended the Grand Session of Tennessee. Was made Honorary Member of fifteen Chapters and received a Life Membership Certificate. Instituted two Chapters during the year: Radiant Chapter, U. D., and Mountain Laurel Chapter, U. D.

Charters received from five Chapters.

No active efforts had been made in regard to the International Temple Fund, the books of the Right Worthy Grand Secretary show Kentucky credited with \$2,771.00.

Two hundred forty-one Chapters gave cash contributions to the Widows and Orphans Home of \$660.90.

A most impressive memorial service was presented by District No. 10 under the direction of the Grand Chaplain in honor of the 191 Brothers and Sisters who had passed to the life everlasting.

The Grand Officers resumed their stations for the purpose of opening and closing a subordinate Chapter. Lexington Chapter No. 110 demonstrated the balloting and the exemplification of the degrees of the Order.

Hon. John Hammill, Most Worthy Grand Patron, gave a most inspiring address.

Thursday morning Sister Mildred Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, was escorted to the East, presented, accorded the Grand Honors and given a most hearty welcome by the Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Schanbacher responded very graciously and expressed her regrets in not having arrived earlier in the Session.

Grand Chapter will convene the fourth Tuesday in October, 1935, in Louisville, Ky.

Sara B. Goodman, Worthy Grand Matron.

Dr. T. E. Cochran, Worthy Grand Patron.

LOUISIANA

Thirty-Sixth Annual Session, Shreveport, March 13, 14, 15, 1935

Carrie M. Goff—Worthy Grand Matron

J. Harry Pumphrey—Worthy Grand Patron

The thirty-sixth annual session, designated the "Queen Esther Session", of the Grand Chapter of Louisiana, was formally opened at 10 o'clock, Thursday morning, in the Scottish Rite Cathedral in Shreveport, with Sister Sadie D. McGoldrick, the Senior Grand Matron, and Brother Herman J. Duncan, Past Grand Patron, presiding.

"Open the Gates of the Temple" was sung by Mr. Harold Booth, as the Bible Bearer entered, followed by the processional of the Grand Officers lead by the Pages, wearing dresses in the five rays of the emblematic Star; next the District Deputy Grand Matrons followed by the Grand Officers in lovely

Queen Esther costumes. As each group entered they executed a beautifully planned march, collectively presenting a very impressive picture, before escorting the Worthy Grand Matron and Patron to the East.

The Altar was attended by the Grand Conductress and a prayer given by the Grand Chaplain, followed by the placing of the Flags in the East. The Pledge of Allegiance was given, after which a fitting tribute was given Old Glory, and the State and O. E. S. flags.

Sister Zoe Hollman, Past Grand Matron of Missouri, chairman of the Committee on Distribution of General Grand Chapter, was introduced, escorted to the East, given the Grand Honors and a cordial welcome by the Grand Matron. Four Past Grand Matrons and two Past Grand Patrons from other sister Jurisdictions were introduced, escorted and accorded the Grand Honors and given a hearty welcome, as were fourteen Past Grand Matrons and twelve Past Grand Patrons of Louisiana.

The Worthy Grand Matron gave a splendid report of her official duties, visitations, installations and other activities; reports having constituted two Chapters, and in her visits to the many Chapters was happy to find all showing a deeper interest in the yearly program. The work rendered was a credit to the Chapters and the Deputy Grand Matrons. Attended three schools of instruction. (Schools of instruction are held in three divisions under the supervision of the Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress.) This Grand Chapter maintains an Education Fund and a fund for the Home of the Aged. Much good work had been done in aiding the many young people of Masonic families through the Student Loan.

The Worthy Grand Patron gave a concise and interesting report of his activities through the year; of the harmony existing in the Chapters, also the splendid work to benefit mankind and the fine cooperation with the Masonic Brothers for the children in the Masonic Home.

Membership shows a loss of 725 members against 1663 the previous year.

An impressive and beautiful Memorial Service was conducted, while a violin solo, "Rock of Ages", was rendered, the Grand Conductress and Associate Conductress draped the Altar and the Grand Marshal placed a scroll upon it, on which were inscribed the names of the departed members.

Friday morning, Sister Frances Haun, Most Worthy Grand Matron, was presented and escorted to the East, accorded the Grand Honors and given a most cordial welcome. Sister Iva Adams, Rt. Worthy Grand Electa, and Past Grand Matron of Louisiana, was introduced, escorted to the East and given the Grand Honors. Sister Haun gave an inspiring message to the Grand Assembly.

Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Louisiana, F. & A. M., Brother Philip Leibner, was introduced and brought greetings and welcome from the various Masonic Bodies.

The newly elected Grand Officers were installed by Sister Haun, Most Worthy Matron.

The Grand Esther Session closed with the next meeting to convene in New Orleans on March 12 and 13, 1936.

Worthy Grand Matron, Grace B. Agate.

Worthy Grand Patron, Ralph H. Agate.

MAINE

Mrs. Gladys Rogers Walker—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Henry R. Gillis—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 189

Membership, 32,411

The Forty-third Annual Session was called to order in Kora Shrine Temple at Lewiston, Maine, on May 28, 1935, by Sister Nina V. A. Talbot, Senior Past Grand Matron. Lewiston is sister Talbot's former home, and she traveled from Connecticut to have a part in this session. This is the first time in twenty-two years that Grand Chapter has convened at Lewiston.

The Illustrious Potentate of Kora Temple, Ancient Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, welcomed the Grand Chapter to this building.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Organist of the General Grand Chapter were honored guests. There were eleven Present and Past Grand Officers in attendance.

A grand choir of fifty voices provided appropriate music for all sessions.

"Memory's Hour" was fittingly observed, and four lovely bouquets were placed in the East by the Worthy Grand Matron in memory of four Past Grand Officers who had passed away during the year.

Over nine hundred letters were received by the Worthy Grand Matron during the year.

The total registration at General Grand Chapter this year was 5,788, the largest delegation ever recorded.

The Worthy Grand Patron inspected eight Chapters and found each one doing splendid ritualistic work. He also attended the Grand Chapter of New Hampshire, and the Schools of Instruction for Deputies.

Every Chapter has reported and paid per capita tax in full. There is at present in the Home Fund \$9,395.13.

It is estimated that about \$5,000,000 is annually spent by the Eastern Star Chapters of the world in caring for worthy, needy members in their institutions. Much more benevolent work, not reported, is being done. "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets". A fitting installation closed the interesting sessions.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Eunice Larrabee.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. George H. Minott.

MANITOBA

Mrs. Margaret Egan—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Percy M. Vincent—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 23

Membership, 1,972

On June 1, 1935, the Thirteenth Annual Session Church Service arranged by members of Subordinate Chapters was held in Young United Church. The Rev. F. B. Malott, B. A., D. D., preached an eloquent sermon from Judges II, 36. Coincident with this service was one held in the Pro Cathedral in Brandon. Both services were well attended.

On June 4, 1935, the Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Manitoba was called to order by Mr. Richard Taylor, Past Patron of Fort Garry Chapter, in the Auditorium of the Normal School, Brandon.

The Union Jack, and the Stars and Stripes were escorted to the East by the Associate Grand Matron, Associate Grand Patron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress. "O, Canada," "My Country 'Tis of Thee," and "Two Empires by the Sea," were sung.

Mrs. Mae Pascoe, Past Matron and Grand Guardian of Job's Daughters, addressed the Session on the aims and objects of this Order.

The decorations for this "Prairie Rose Session" were prairie roses. The blue stage curtains were trellised with these roses and gold streamers, and an illuminated star within a pentagon was suspended from the ceiling in the Grand East and a similar one in the Grand West.

The entrance of the Grand Officers was preceded by a vested choir dressed in white and wearing white caps, and singing "Holy, Holy, Holy". Next followed the Grand Pages dressed in pink organza; then the drill team of twenty members of Queen Mary Chapter, dressed in white with rose pink capes; then the Grand Officers, who were escorted through an archway of roses.

Mayor Harry Cator extended hearty greetings.

Eleven Past Grand Matrons and four Past Grand Patrons were presented and each given a souvenir or a boutonniere. Thirty-two Grand Representatives were present.

The Worthy Grand Patron instituted Souris Chapter, U. D., on May 23, 1935; made 17 official visits with the Worthy Grand Matron.

The donations to the Student Loan Fund by Subordinate Chapters have been very generous. Balance in bank of this fund is \$882.00.

The Fraternal Correspondence Committee gave a general report of other Jurisdictions.

The Grand Officers exemplified the conferring of the Degrees. A fitting Memorial service was held.

The Credential Committee reported 23 Chartered Chapters represented, 167 voting delegates present, 12 proxies present; total, 179.

Next Grand Session will be at Winnepeg in June, 1936.

The Assembly sang "God Save the King".

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Annie Mackie.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. George A. Hewitt.

MARYLAND

Thirty-sixth Annual Session, Baltimore

April 23-25, 1935

Miss E. Cecil Traband—Worthy Grand Matron

Clarence A. Harmeyer—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 94

Membership, 12,790

The Thirty-sixth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Maryland, Order of the Eastern Star, was held at Lord Baltimore Hotel, Baltimore, on April 23, 24 and 25.

The room was a gorgeous Spring setting of cherry and peach blossoms. In the West was a large pagoda, in the North and South were smaller pagodas. In the East was a beautiful starburst in a modernistic setting of the Eastern Star. This was called the Ark and Dove Session.

Brother Lechliden, the first Grand Patron of Maryland opened the Grand Chapter. Eighty-two Chapters represented.

Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron Brother Wm. A. Duvall, Right Worthy Grand Secretary Minnie E. Keyes and Right Worthy Grand Treasurer Flora Campbell were in attendance.

A recess was called in order to welcome George W. Livingston, Grand Master of Masons of Maryland. He brought greetings from 33,000 Masons of Maryland.

There were 34 Grand Representatives present who were welcomed as golden links in the chain of fraternity which bind our Sisters and Brothers to other jurisdictions.

As a happy surprise a check was received for the Masonic Home amounting to \$3654.10. The Home is to open May 1st.

Paid to O. E. S. Building Fund \$2923.30 and to the Masonic Home Fund \$3654.10.

Brother Jesse Edmonston, poet laureate, Grand Chapter of Texas, O. E. S., composed a song to Maryland which was sung with good spirit.

On account of General Grand Chapter meeting so soon it was recommended that this Grand Chapter empower the incoming Grand Officers to revise the Book of Institution and Constitution to conform to the Ritual as may be approved by the General Grand Chapter. Referred to Jurisprudence Committee for further consideration.

The memorial service was held in the spacious Scottish Rite Temple. Rev. Mark Depp of Baltimore gave an inspiring address, taking for his theme, "And the life everlasting". "Eternal rest grant our departed, O Lord, and may light perpetual shine upon them."

The Grand Lecturer reported that keen interest was manifested in the efficient test night for the Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons.

Under Good of the Order, a nickel drill was held for the benefit of the Revolving Educational Fund. Amounted to \$25.00.

Installation of new Grand Officers followed.

Mrs. Minnie Hopple, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. D. Ross Vansant, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron.

MASSACHUSETTS

Mrs. Esther Kingman—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Charles Robinson—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 206

Membership, 54,980

The Springfield Municipal Auditorium was elaborately decorated for the Fifty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter. The color scheme was pink and silver, which was carried out in dress, badges and programs.

On the eve of Grand Chapter, the Grand Matron gave a very lovely dinner party and social evening for her Grand Officers.

On Wednesday morning, May 8, 1935, the Grand Organist rendered a program of organ music.

The Assembly was called to order by Sister Margery B. Chisholm, Past Grand Matron. Leading the entrance march were the pages wearing ruffled gowns and capes of pink mouseline de soie, then came the Assistant Grand Warders dressed in pink muslin with silver capes, and then the Sentinels wearing grey flannel trousers, dark coats and pink ties. The Grand Officers entered, attired in pink lace gowns over silver cloth.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag followed, after which the Flag was escorted to the Grand East and a tribute was given by Brother Raymond H. Cowing.

Mayor Henry Marten extended hearty greetings from the City.

Distinguished guests received from the General Grand Chapter were: Gladys N. Thorndike, Worthy Grand Organist; Philip A. Jerguson, Past Most Worthy Grand Patron; Mary D. Senior, Member of Committee on Charters; the Worthy Grand Matron and a Past Grand Matron and Past Grand Patron from Maine; the Grand Matron, Grand Conductress, Grand Marshal and four Past Grand Matrons from New Hampshire; the Grand Matron and one Past Grand Matron from Vermont; the Grand Matron,

Grand Patron, Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress, Associate Grand Conductress, Grand Chaplain, Grand Marshal, Grand Martha, a Past Grand Matron, and three Past Grand Patrons from Rhode Island; the Grand Matron, Associate Grand Matron, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Grand Conductress, Grand Martha, Grand Organist, Grand Electa, Grand Warder, three Past Grand Matrons and Grand Representative of Massachusetts; and three Past Grand Matrons from Connecticut; one Past Grand Matron from Utah, and twenty-four Grand Representatives from other Grand Jurisdictions.

Rev. Malcolm Taylor gave a splendid address at the Memorial Service.

On April 30, Willena Chapter was instituted and on May 3, Morning Star Chapter was constituted.

The Worthy Matron attended five Schools of Instruction and inspected forty-one Chapters. She was Installing Grand Matron for 21 Installations. She visited the Grand Chapters of Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Connecticut and the Tenth Anniversary of the Grand Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls.

The Grand Patron attended 44 Inspections, 24 Receptions, 28 Installations, 16 Anniversaries, 1 School of Instruction, 4 Rainbow Sessions, many Association and Committee meetings, 3 Sister Grand Jurisdictions, 10 fraternal visits and several visits to the Home.

The custody of the Chinese Bible was transferred to Roxbury Chapter.

The gold-headed cane contributions amounted to \$1,107.69.

There are 32 members in the Home.

The collection for the Isadore Forbes Fund amounted to \$175.61.

The Grand Chapter was closed in regular form to meet at Springfield in 1936.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mary M. Brown.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Clarence C. Beasley.

MICHIGAN

Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth Sessions, Grand Rapids
October 9-10-11, 1934

Selma A. Brown—Worthy Grand Matron

James F. Mark—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 466 Membership, 92,322 Net Loss, 6,051

The combined Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth Annual Sessions of the Grand Chapter of Michigan, Order of the Eastern Star, convened in the Civic Auditorium at 8:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, October 9, 1934, with Past Grand Matron Edna Kimball calling the Grand Session to order.

Invocation was given by Reverend Sylvester, after which the Flags of the State of Michigan, Union Jack, Eastern Star, Christian and the United States of America were escorted and placed in the East.

Honorable William Timmers, Mayor of Grand Rapids, was escorted, introduced and gave an address of welcome on behalf of the City. Response was given by Brother Holzhauer, Past Patron of Mt. Pleasant Chapter.

Worthy Grand Sentinel Brother William C. Holland, Past Grand Patron of Michigan, was escorted to the East, given Grand Honors and accorded a cordial and sincere welcome by the Worthy Grand Matron, as were the seventeen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons.

Worthy Grand Matron reported that the last two years have been hard years for the Grand Jurisdiction. Much help was given to the subordinate Chapters when a plan was adopted which granted a seven month waiver of per capita tax, which left in their treasuries an amount of about \$26,000.00. An "Educational Mite Box Drive" netted \$4,177.43 for Educational Loan Fund, for education for the young people of Eastern Star families.

"Real happiness lies in service,
A service that is honest and true,
That gives of the best to each member,
Such service I tried to give to you."

The Worthy Grand Patron gave a concise and interesting report. Owing to economic situation there were no new Chapters instituted, that it was necessary for only one Chapter to give up its Charter. Much interest has been shown in the higher education for the young people. The Education Fund account had risen from \$17,803.06 in 1929 to \$49,364.34 in 1934, and that in these five years \$2,717.24 had been received for interest, \$8,995.88 had been received from donations, and \$5,883.40 had been especially allocated from the per capita tax by Grand Chapter. Recommendation which was adopted that, "Laws for the Government of the Eastern Star Education Loan Fund" be suspended for one year, which would make a revolving fund of approximately \$50,000.00. This amount would allow over fifty students per year to take advantage of the fund.

O. F. S. Villa Board reports very harmonious conditions existing in the Home with thirty-two boys and twenty-six girls.

After the installation of the new officers, the Worthy Grand Matron ordered the Session closed with the Sixty-ninth Session to convene in the City of Grand Rapids in October, 1935.

Georgina Bauer, Worthy Grand Matron.

Glenn A. Tupper, Worthy Grand Patron.

MINNESOTA

Fifty-seventh Annual Session, St. Paul
May 13, 14, 15, 1935

Mrs. Frances Abrahamson—Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Walter R. Biehlenberg—Worthy Grand Patron.

Chapters, 293

Membership, 46,305

The Informal Opening and Reception of the Fifty-seventh Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Minnesota was held in the Masonic Temple at St. Paul, May 13, 1935, with Mr. Lloyd Van Camp, President of the Patrons' Club, Sixteenth District, Master of Ceremonies, assisted by Mrs. Esther Truax, President of the Matrons' Club, Sixteenth District.

The stage of the Temple was transformed into a lovely rock garden. In the East was a large open fan, in colors of yellow and green, emphasizing the "Fan" session, honoring the Worthy Grand Matron.

Dr. Eugene McKeown, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M. of Minnesota, brought greetings from the 54,000 Master Masons of the State.

The address of the evening was by Mr. Gerhard Bundle.

There was a presentation by the Job's Daughters and an addenda honoring the Right Worthy Associate Grand Conduetress.

At the Formal Opening on Tuesday morning, May 13th, the Grand Organist played as an organ prelude, "Offertoire in F", and the Grand Pages wearing dresses of golden yellow silk preceded the entrance march of the Grand Officers.

The Flag of our Country was presented and a tribute in verse was given by Sister Dolly Warfield, Past Matron of Bemidji Chapter No. 171. The last verse was:

"And so, we pledge you here today, the best that in us lies,
That you may wave forevermore, the fairest Flag that flies.
We love you, dear old Banner Bright, God help us each
to see
That You are but the Symbol of what we all ought
to be."

Distinguished guests received were the Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, Right Worthy Associate Grand Conduetress, three Committee Members of the General Grand Chapter, nine Grand Officers from other Grand Jurisdictions, twenty Past Grand Matrons and twelve Past Grand Patrons of the Grand Chapter of Minnesota.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported having traveled more than 22,000 miles for the Order during the year.

"The loss in membership need be no cause for worry," she said, "for it is the strength of the links and not the

number of links that holds a chain together. So it is with our Fraternal Chain."

The first All-Star Pilgrimage to the Masonic Home was on June 10th, and there is a hope that this may become an annual affair.

The Grand Officers were invited to initiate candidates for ten different Chapters, and this honor was greatly enjoyed.

The Educational Fund, the Benevolent Fund, the Rochester Work, and the Masonic Home Work are the "Big Four" of the service rendered during the year.

An impressive Memorial Service was given as a part of the Worthy Grand Matron's address.

The Worthy Grand Patron attended 95 Chapter meetings, 50 committee meetings, and enjoyed visiting with the Worthy Grand Matron on 78 occasions.

This Grand Chapter has spent nearly \$90,000 on furnishings for the Home, and \$12,292.27 has been given to the O. E. S. Temple Fund.

"It is never loving that empties the heart,
Nor giving that empties the purse."

After an impressive Installation Ceremony, the new presiding Grand Officers received their Jewels.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Gwen F. Brown.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Chester Schaffer.

MISSISSIPPI

Twenty-ninth Annual Session, Jackson
April 16-17, 1935

Lula S. Horne—Worthy Grand Matron
J. W. Rankin—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 192

Membership, 9302

The Twenty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Mississippi, which was called the "Shamrock Session", was informally opened at Galloway Memorial Church on Monday, April 15, 1935, with a formal program, consisting of music and greetings from the Governor, Mayor, the Masonic Home, Order of Rainbow for Girls, Order of De Molay and Masonic Bodies. On this same evening, from 9:30 to 11:00 o'clock a formal reception, honoring the Grand Officers and distinguished guests, was held at the Governor's mansion. Governor Sennett Comer and his lovely wife stood at the head of the receiving line.

The formal opening was on Tuesday, April 16th, at the Wahabi Shrine Temple.

Sister Frances Haun, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, Present and Past Grand Officers from Arkansas, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Tennessee and Mississippi were welcomed and escorted.

A fitting tribute was well expressed when Brother Frank McDonald approached the Grand East, and with his arms embracing Sister Norah Suttle (our Irish Norah), Past Grand Matron and honor guest of this Session, sang "Mother Macree".

A fitting response to the greetings extended to the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons conveyed this worthy thought:

It's better to be a Has-Been
Than a Might-Have-Been by far,
For a Might-Have-Been has never been,
And a Has-Been was once an Are.

The Worthy Grand Matron addressed the Order of the Rainbow Girls at its Grand Assembly and attended the Grand Lodge Session in Meridian where she expressed a happy greeting from the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Through the efforts of the Worthy Grand Matron, funds from the Subordinate Chapters were sent the Boys Home at Columbus for Manual Training Equipment.

The Worthy Grand Patron expressed deep gratitude because the Grim Reaper had not invaded the Official Family this year.

One Chapter was instituted and one petition for dispensation was received.

There is a Masonic Girls Home in Meridian where a spirit of cooperation is imminent and where each individual is made to feel that a part of the whole Home has been planned for each one, where the best in each may be developed.

The Initiation Ceremony was exemplified by the District Deputy Grand Matrons, assisted by Rev. W. A. Bell as Worthy Patron and Brother Geo. D. Riley as Associate Patron.

A picture no artist could paint would describe the decorations in the Shrine Temple. Mississippi, the Magnolia State, was artistically portrayed by long branches of magnolia trees covered with lovely blooms. Hundreds of these lovely blossoms and buds were draped from the doors and windows.

An impressive installation ceremony closed the Session.

Worthy Grand Matron, Fannyc Goldstein.

Worthy Grand Patron, Wallace Allred.

MISSOURI

Sixtieth Annual Session, St. Louis

October 8-9-10-11, 1934

Cadace Green—Worthy Grand Matron

Hubert H. Mothonet—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 538 Membership, 66,622 Net Loss, 5,066

The Sixtieth Session of Grand Chapter of Missouri, held in the Scottish Rite Cathedral in St. Louis, was called to order

Monday evening, October 8th, by Hubert H. Mothonet, Worthy Grand Patron. This was called the Green Session of Faith. The auditorium was decorated with pink roses, palms and ferns. A large basket of pink roses and on either end a broken column, the symbol carrying out the Station of Martha, adorned the East.

Sister Kathryn E. Spangler, Junior Past Grand Matron, unable to attend this session, words of welcome were given by Brother Albert J. Campbell, Junior Past Grand Patron.

The presenting of the Bible was beautifully arranged, with five Star Points dressed in appropriate colors at their stations. The Bible was carried in and reverently laid upon the Altar. After the prayer was given by the bearer, a curtain in the Grand East parted, disclosing a tableau of Martha at the broken column, while a solo was rendered, "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me".

Following the entrance of the Grand Officers, a most fitting tribute was paid the Flag of the United States by Brother Charles L. Henson, Associate Grand Patron.

Besides the Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter there were eight distinguished members from other jurisdictions. Twenty Past Grand Matrons and fifteen Past Grand Patrons of Missouri, who were escorted, presented and accorded the Grand Honors.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported forty-eight official visits, in twenty-five Districts. Attended three other Grand Jurisdictions; Grand Session of Tennessee, at Nashville, March 20-21, 1934; Grand Session of Arkansas at Little Rock, November 20-21, 1933; receiving Honorary Membership in each Jurisdiction. Also attended an official visit of the Worthy Grand Matron of Illinois, at Hillsboro, August 14, 1934.

Missouri mourns the loss of three Past Grand Matrons and one Past Grand Patron this year. On October 30, 1933, Sister Mattie A. Yost, first Worthy Matron of Chapter No. 68 of St. Louis, and first Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Missouri, 1875-1877, "Silently slipped away to that house not made with hands eternal in the heavens".

"They follow the Star to a better land
Where the voice of the Master called clear,
They lovingly served here with heart and hand
And they answered the call without fear."

Recommendation was approved that Grand Chapter turn over to the Advisory Board of the Masonic Home \$250.00 for Scholarship Fund to be used for one of the Masonic girls.

Worthy Grand Patron reports one of the great charitable activities of the Grand Chapter is being associated with the Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M. of Missouri, in the support of the Masonic Home, with a present fund of approximately \$50,000.00, for construction of the first cottages for boys.

No new Chapters were instituted.

Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother John Hammill, of the General Grand Chapter, addressed the Grand Body. He congratulated the Grand Officers on adopting Faith as their motto for this session. Concluding, "Let's have faith in ourselves, faith in fraternal orders, faith in government and, above all, faith in God". Honorary Membership was given Brother Hammill in this Grand Chapter, which was graciously accepted by him. He was also accorded the privilege of installing the Grand Officers.

Brother DuVal Smith, Most Worshipful Grand Master, A. F. & A. M. of Missouri, was escorted, introduced and brought best wishes from the Grand Lodge to this Grand Chapter Session.

Much interest and work is shown in the higher education for boys and girls of the Masonic Home, also Scholarship Loan Fund. A presentation of \$710.00, as a gift for Scholarship Fund, was received and accepted, from the Worthy Matrons' and Worthy Patrons' Club of the 33rd and 57th Districts.

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron-elect and the Grand Lecturer were sent as delegates to General Grand Chapter, to be held in Tampa, Florida in November.

Following Installation, Grand Chapter closed in regular form to convene again in St. Louis October 14, 1935.

Vida Mae Hamlin, Worthy Grand Matron.

Charles L. Henson, Worthy Grand Patron.

MONTANA

Forty-fifth Annual Session, Great Falls
August 17-18, 1934

Mrs. Mae H. Perier—Worthy Grand Matron
Fred M. Brown—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 114

Membership, 16,456

The Forty-fifth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Montana was held in the Auditorium of the new High School at Great Falls, August 17-18.

The Rainbow Girls' orchestra gave several selections preceding the opening of Grand Chapter.

An emblem drill by the officers of one of the subordinate Chapters followed, during which the Emblems were placed on their respective pedestals.

The entire Labyrinth was laid upon the spacious stage, the East being at the right end, and the West at the left.

A single row of artificial brown-eyed Susans placed before the footlights were the only touch of decoration. The classic beauty of the Auditorium needed no adornment.

In closing her address of welcome for the hostess Chapters to the Grand Chapter, Sister Hazel W. McCutcheon said: "Love and friendship have made our Order one of the greatest or-

ganizations known, and during this Grand Session may many new links be added to our fraternal chain of friendly Sisters and Brothers”.

“No matter how rough or how heavy the load,
Sweet is the journey on friendship’s road.”

Sister Anna W. Smalley, Right Worthy Grand Conductress, was present, four Grand Matrons, four Past Grand Matrons, three Past Grand Patrons from other Grand Jurisdictions, and Brother George McCraven, Most Worshipful Master of the Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M. of Montana.

The Worthy Grand Patron urged that all enter into the spirit of the activities of this Session and feel free to take an active part in discussions.

The Worthy Grand Matron, in her address, said: “The ripening of the grain tells me it is time to give an accounting of how I have sown the precious seeds, loving kindness, fidelity, constancy, faith and loyalty. You placed confidence in my ability to sow and gather the high and noble ideals for which we stand. ‘By planting for others, love’s flowers for us are grown. God is not mocked, the harvest is whatso’er is sown’ ”.

Montana has a Masonic Home. The Order of Rainbow for girls is a live organization throughout the State and the De Molay is forging ahead.

There are 57 in the Masonic Home, 38 are men, 19 are women. Of this membership, 21 are members of the O. E. S.

1837 names appear on the register of calls, many by distinguished visitors from various parts of the State and from other Grand Jurisdictions.

Mrs. Marie J. Nicol, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. Emil E. Blumenthal, Worthy Grand Patron.

NEBRASKA

Mrs. Clara Blanche Bathen—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Harry L. E. Proffitt—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 259

Members, 32,224

The Sixtieth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, order of the Eastern Star of the State of Nebraska opened in the City Auditorium, Hastings, on Tuesday evening, May 14, 1935. The Sessions of Tuesday and Wednesday evenings were held here, and the other Sessions were held in the Masonic Temple.

Honored guests present were: Sister Nan Martin, Past Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Ruth of the General Grand Chapter; Sister Gertrude May, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Iowa; Sister Pearl Colby, Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother Clarence Walker, Past Grand Patron of South Dakota; Sister Emma Kubler, Past Grand Matron of South Dakota; Sister Lillian Townsend, Past Grand Matron, and

Brother Charles Townsend, Past Grand Patron of Wyoming; the Associate Grand Matron of South Dakota, the Grand Chaplain, Grand Organist, and Grand Martha of Iowa, 16 Past Grand Matrons and 7 Past Grand Patrons of Nebraska, 31 Grand Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions, Most Worshipful Virgil R. Johnson, Grand Master of Masons in Nebraska.

On Wednesday morning the Flag of our Country was presented and eulogized by the Grand Marshal. The State Flag was presented by Brother Diers, and an original composition by Brother Diers, "My Nebraska", was sung by all.

The Worthy Grand Matron in her first letter to the Subordinate Chapters said her hope was that "Love for one another might be the keynote for the year, which would undoubtedly be an inspiration for noble acts and kindly deeds".

There are sixty contented boys and girls in the Fremont Home and the men and women at the Masonic Home, Plattsmouth, are well provided for.

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were guests at the Grand Council of Job's Daughters in June.

The Worthy Grand Patron was most courteous and capable throughout the year and found his life greatly enriched thereby.

Amount in the Educational Fund April 20th, \$10,489.70.

The Grand Chaplain gave her report on Wednesday afternoon, and in her report was found this lovely thought: "The record of a human life may be written in a few words, but the influence of a good life, and the remembrance of the acts of kindness toward one's fellowman are the best tribute that can be paid to one's memory".

The Necrology Service was unusually effective. Adah used blue forget-me-nots in her basket, Ruth placed yellow roses in her basket, Esther had white lilies, Martha placed ferns in her basket and Electa, red roses.

On Wednesday evening the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron of Wyoming were escorted and given Grand Honors.

The Grand Officers working in Subordinate Form exemplified the Initiatory Ceremony, and the degrees were conferred on two candidates.

An intricate drill was executed by members of Andrew Chapter No. 41.

Out of the 259 Active Chapters in the State, 112 Chapters have made gifts to the Temple Fund.

Thursday evening as the Grand Officers retired to prepare for Installation everyone joined in singing, "God Will Take Care of You".

Brother Harold T. Landeryou presented an ebony gavel to Grand Chapter and wished it termed "A Traveling Gavel", hoping it might travel throughout the State during the year to as many Subordinate Chapters as possible before returning to open the 1936 Session.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Margaret McPherson.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Harold T. Landeryou.

NEVADA

Thirtieth Annual Session, Reno
June 7-8, 1935

Mrs. Emma E. Cowles—Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Merwyn Harold Brown—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 20

Membership, 2793

The Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of Nevada, was informally opened by the Worthy Grand Patron, June 6, 1935. The delegates and friends were heartily welcomed to this "Garden of Remembrance Session".

A half hour of music by the band of Kerak Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., was enjoyed, after which the Flag was presented, and a tribute to America, and another to Nevada were given by Past Grand Patrons, Brothers A. J. Moestretti and George A. Martin.

The Thirtieth Annual Session convened in the Masonic Temple, Reno, June 7-8.

The Grand East was transformed into an old-fashioned garden, with morning glories climbing over arbors, and hollyhocks of many hues growing behind a picket fence. The motto, "Look for the Good", in the State colors of silver on a blue background, with an illuminated Star above it, made a lovely picture.

The Grand Officers, dressed alike in French blue lace gowns, formed an aisle on the South and North, and the Worthy Grand Matron was escorted into the Grand Chapter room by her grandson, and the Worthy Grand Patron's escort was little Peggy Jean Pollock.

The list of honored guests included Minnie V. Collins, Worthy Grand Matron of California; Nevada Cook, Past Grand Matron of Utah; Willa Jane Helwig, Zella Whitford Samson, Past Grand Matrons of California; the Grand Treasurer and Grand Martha of California.

The Worthy Grand Matron recommended that a committee be appointed to look for a location for an Eastern Star Home and the advisability of purchasing same. There is in this fund at the present time \$8719.60.

The Order of Rainbow for Girls is to be congratulated for the splendid work it is doing.

An old-time initiation ceremony of fifty years back proved entertaining and unique.

The Worthy Grand Patron in his address said in part: "I believe in today. It is all I possess. The past is of no value only as it can make the life of today fuller and freer. Tomorrow depends on the present. I must make good today".

The Grand Chapter was recessed while the Worthy Grand Matron and her assistants dedicated the small daughter of Sister Petersen, Worthy Matron at Yerington, to the principles of the

Order of the Eastern Star. This little tot is the fifth generation of Eastern Stars, all living.

The officers of Silver State Chapter No. 6 of Winnemucca, exemplified the Opening, Introduction and Balloting in a very creditable manner. The work was flawless and the closing march forming a cross was very beautiful. Installation followed.

The next session will be held in Reno, October 2-3, 1936.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. May H. Tedford.

Worthy Grand Patron—J. A. Cardinal.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Forty-fourth Annual Session, Franklin
September 12-13, 1934

Mary E. Sawyer—Worthy Grand Matron

Dr. Howard A. Streeter—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 61

Members, 12,190

Past Worthy Grand Matron, Mildred L. Gustin, called the Session to order, after a solo "Open the Gates of the Temple", the Grand Marshal invited the Grand Officers to enter the Chapter Room. The Grand Officers made their entrance through gates opened by four little children—a very small drummer boy assisted in the march.

The flag of our country and the flag of New Hampshire were then presented and a beautiful tribute paid to each.

Hon. George D. Cummings presented the greetings for the Governor from the State of New Hampshire.

Most Worshipful Orville E. Cain, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire gave the welcoming address, and was responded to by Worthy Grand Patron, Howard A. Streeter.

Distinguished guests were presented and welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron, among whom were Clara B. Norton, Past Grand Matron of Vermont and member of Necrology Committee of the General Grand Chapter. Worthy Grand Matrons were present from all the New England States. Gladys Walker, from Maine; Edna Billings from Vermont; K. Alma Osborne from Connecticut; Isabelle Stark from Rhode Island; Bertha Kingman from Massachusetts. Grand Patron Nathaniel D. Brown from Rhode Island and Grand Patron James C. Ford from Vermont were also present, in addition to many other Grand Line Officers.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported four schools of instruction held. She attended Grand Chapter Sessions of six Grand Jurisdictions, and installed the officers of sixteen Chapters, accompanied to almost all by the Worthy Grand Patron.

The Committee on Education reported that five applications for loans had been approved, a total of fifteen loans now being on

file. Much interest is taken in the Order of Rainbow and in the Masonic Home.

Sara E. Greenfield, Past Worthy Grand Matron, was the Installing Officer of a very impressive ceremony.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mary D. Senior.

Worthy Grand Patron, Fred K. Wentworth.

NEW JERSEY

Sixty-fourth Annual Session, Atlantic City
May 16-17, 1934

Abbie C. Niederbuehl—Worthy Grand Matron
George A. Brettell—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 274

Members, 53,994

Grand Chapter was called to order by Past Grand Matron Emma Clay. The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Patron and their staff, all Past Grand Matrons and Patrons, and all visiting distinguished members of other Grand Jurisdictions, were invited to enter the Chapter Room. They were escorted by six dainty pages in yellow frocks and carrying yellow parasols, carrying out the Grand Matron's "sunshine" slogan of the past year.

Addresses of welcome were given by George W. Kite, Past Grand Patron, and Past Grand Matron Emma Clay.

A beautiful tribute to the flag was paid by Worthy Grand Marshal Emma Hill, as follows:

"Our bright flag, our brave flag,
Our flag that leads the free,
The hand of God thy colors blend,
Heaven and earth thy glory lend
To shield the weak and guide the strong,
To put an end to human wrong
And leave a countless living host
To follow after Thee."

This Session was honored by the presence of Francis P. Morton, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of F. & A. M., New Jersey, and His Excellency The Hon. A. Harry Moore, Governor of New Jersey, both of whom made excellent addresses.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron gave an excellent report of the year's work. She mentioned three outstanding days during the year—the Annual Rally Day, the pilgrimage to the Eastern Star Home, and the pilgrimage to Bergen Pines Hospital. One could not help but feel that the Order of the Eastern Star in New Jersey is bringing a great deal of joy and sunshine to many.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron were guests of the Order of The Rainbow and the Order

of De Molay, and in the words of the Grand Matron is expressed our responsibility to youth. "In the youth of the present lies the hope of the future, and whatever we may do to help them, that our shortcomings may not be theirs, that they may reach heights to which we have not attained, is a privilege and opportunity, the value of which we can never know."

The retiring Most Worthy Grand Matron, Abbie C. Niederbuehl, who is an ordained Minister of the Gospel, acted as Installing Officer, and gave a beautiful, original prayer just preceding the Installation ceremony.

Most Worthy Grand Matron, Olga D. Bradshaw.

Most Worthy Grand Patron, George A. Hardy Jr.

NEW MEXICO

Thirty-third Annual Session, Clovis
March 21-23, 1935

Edith Turner—Worthy Grand Matron
Ernest M. Brickley—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 49 Membership, 5162 Net Loss, 128

Thirty-third Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of New Mexico was held at Clovis Hotel, Clovis, on March 21, 22, 23, 1935. The ball room presented a pleasing picture with baskets of flowers placed in profusion everywhere, and huge baskets of flowers and fern formed a beautiful setting in the East.

The first Grand Matron, Sister Elizabeth C. Warren, was escorted to the Grand East at 10:00 A. M. and called the members to order. The Grand Pages entered the Chapter Room acting as escort to the Grand Officers. After taking their respective stations, the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Edith Turner, opened the Grand Chapter in regular form.

Old Glory was presented in the Grand East, by the Grand Marshal, and the pledge of allegiance was given. The state flag and the Eastern Star banner were presented and a tribute to each of the flags was given in the form of a dialogue, by the Grand Marshal, Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress.

Mr. W. H. Duchworth, Jr., Past Grand Master F. & A. M., was introduced and brought greetings and words of welcome from the Masonic Grand Body.

A group of distinguished guests from Texas were presented. Mrs. Mattie Mitchell, Worthy Grand Matron, was escorted to the East and accorded the Grand Honors. The other Grand Officers were presented and all given a hearty welcome by the Grand Matron.

Mrs. Laura Z. Becker, Supreme Deputy of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls, and Mrs. Mae B. Tillman, Grand Guardian of the Order of Job's Daughters, were introduced and escorted to the East.

Sixteen Past Grand Matrons and eight Past Grand Patrons of New Mexico were presented, escorted to the Grand East, given a cordial welcome and extended the Grand Honors. Past Grand Matron introduced the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Edith Turner, as a member of the Distributing Committee in General Grand Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported having made 49 official visits, installed the officers in her home Chapter, attended 14 schools of instruction, attended Texas Grand Chapter and the General Grand Chapter held in Florida, November, 1934. Granted a request to Lovington Chapter No. 35, to allow them to be one of the organizations to sponsor the Girl Scouts. Found most of the Chapters working together harmoniously and striving to further the welfare of the Order. Much interest shown in the support of the different girls' organizations.

A motion was made and adopted, "that the Worthy Grand Matron be requested and empowered to prepare such history, items of general interest, serious, pathetic or humorous during the Grand Chapter Session, also that the complimentary title of Grand Historian be conferred on her".

The Grand Officers must exemplify the initiatory work of the Ritual, and such other ritualistic work appertaining to subordinate Chapters as the Worthy Grand Matron may require, at each regular Session of Grand Chapter.

The necrology committee gave their report and the Grand Officers took part in the memorial service, "Garden of Memory".

After a beautiful installation ceremony the Worthy Grand Matron was presented with the Dickinson Jewel.

Grand Chapter was duly closed by the newly installed Grand Officers to convene in Albuquerque, 1936.

Worthy Grand Matron, Zoe Benton Lusk.

Worthy Grand Patron, Wallace S. Carmack.

NEW YORK

Sixty-fifth Annual Session, New York City
October 9-11, 1934

Nettie V. Higgins—Worthy Grand Matron
Vinecent N. Elwood—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 844

Membership, 144,818

The Sixty-fifth Annual Communication of the Grand Chapter of the State of New York convened in the Grand Ball Room, Hotel Astor, City of New York, October 9-10-11.

The Honorable Fiorello H. La Guardia, Mayor of the City of New York, was escorted to the Grand East and presented by the Most Worthy Grand Matron. This was the first time in the history of the Order that the Grand Chapter had been honored by the distinguished presence of the Mayor of the City. This Mayor is a beloved Master Mason, and an esteemed

public official. A very happy and hearty welcome was given the delegates by the Mayor.

The Grand Matron of Delaware, and Grand Instructor of Delaware, Past Grand Matron from New Jersey, Connecticut, and Ontario, Canada, were in attendance. The Grand Representative of the State of New York near the Grand Chapter of Indiana and the Grand Representative and Past District Deputy of the Grand Chapter of Ontario, Canada were present. Many Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of New York State were presented.

This Grand Chapter has a Grand Lecturer and a Grand Historian.

Forty-six District Deputy Grand Matrons and thirty-one Assistant Grand Lecturers were present.

One Chapter was organized.

The Thanksgiving contributions for the O. E. S. Cheer Fund amounted to \$2,624.68.

The Annual Pilgrimage to the Home and Infirmary at Oriskany was made on August 4. 4,000 visitors this year; 81 members in the Home.

At the close of the fiscal year, contributions from Chapter groups and individual members approximating \$18,000 was received for Emergency Relief and General Welfare Fund. This was truly a "Service above self".

On July 4, upon invitation from the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., the members of the Eastern Star joined the members of the Masonic Fraternity in a celebration at the Washington Masonic Shrine of New York State at Tappan.

A check for \$500.00 was forwarded to the Grand Lodge of F. & A. M. from this Grand Chapter, as an initial contribution to this State Washington Memorial and Masonic Shrine.

The Sixth Annual Report of the work of the Daughters of the Eastern Star showed another year of interesting activities.

The Installation of the Grand Officers brought this Grand Chapter Session to a close, leaving happy memories of a worth-while year of labor in the interests of the O. E. S.

Mrs. May B. Johnson, Worthy Grand Matron.

Dr. Arthur P. Clark, Worthy Grand Patron.

NORTH CAROLINA

Mississippi McMath Allred—Worthy Grand Matron

F. Eugene Hester—Worthy Grand Patron

Special Session of the Grand Chapter called to commemorate the 115th anniversary of the birth of Robert Morris, August 31, 1933, at Greensboro, N. C.

The meeting was called to order by Marjorie Hogan, Junior Past Worthy Grand Matron.

Distinguished guests were Minnie E. Keyes, Right Worthy Grand Secretary; Flora E. Campbell, Right Worthy Grand Treasurer; Julia E. Streeter, Past Grand Matron, District of Columbia; Pearl Watt Gibb, Past Grand Matron, District of Columbia; Belva E. Goad, Past Grand Matron of Virginia.

The preliminaries to the Twenty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter were inaugurated with a church service at Ashboro Street Baptist Church, Sunday evening, June 10th. The speaker was Rev. J. Lester Lane, whose subject was "The Challenge of Womanhood".

Monday evening an informal reception was held. The entrance of the Grand Officers, guests of honor and speakers, preceded by the vested choir, was announced with trumpets by two little heralds in Colonial costume. The main address of the evening was ably delivered by F. M. Hobgood, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., who used the life and character of that historical figure, Nathaniel Green, as a background for the discussion of problems confronting people today.

The formal opening took place Tuesday morning, June 12. This session was honored by a visit from the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mildred K. Schanbacher, who was given honorary membership in the Grand Chapter.

Other distinguished guests were Emma Huddleston, Past Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Virginia, Madeline Wallace, Grand Conductress of the Grand Chapter of Virginia, Daniel O'Connell, Past Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

The Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Allred in her address said "The foundation of our Order is based upon the rock of truth; its ideals a perfect character; its mission the elevation of the human race; its creed the universal Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man.

We are building in sorrow or joy
A temple the world cannot see
Which time cannot mar or destroy
For we build for eternity."

In addition to the sixty-seven guests cared for at the Eastern Star and Masonic Home, there were twenty-three others who received monthly checks from the Home Aid Fund; the total amount distributed was \$2025.00, and they were able to care for every applicant.

Much interest has been taken in a Rainbow Camp for Girls, and in the Educational Loan Fund.

The Worthy Grand Patron reported the institution of two new Chapters. In his address he said:

"Our Order has had a glorious past, and I prophesy a future filled with opportunities for service to mankind. In a world so filled with selfishness, we teach self-forgetfulness. In an age of grasping, we teach giving. In a time of change, we teach the changelessness of truth. In a generation of irreverence, we teach respect for sacred things. The rubbish of a commercial age is filling the temple, covering the sacred vessels and obscuring the

book of law from the sight of men. I look for the time to come when those who follow the teachings of our beautiful Order shall once more rediscover those sacred things and bring them anew to a waiting world and a more receptive generation."

The Grand Officers were installed in open meeting, with Marjorie Hogan, Junior Past Grand Matron, as Installing Officer.

Worthy Grand Matron, Clyde P. Fitzgerald.

Worthy Grand Patron, H. W. Colwell.

NORTH DAKOTA

Forty-first Session, Grand Forks

June 19-21, 1935

Mrs. Edna Galloway—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Arthur Hagan—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 110

Membership, 9,856

The Grand Chapter of North Dakota held its Forty-first "Service" Session in the Masonic Temple at Grand Forks, June 19, 20, 21, 1935.

The decorative motif was much the same as that used at General Grand Chapter: Spanish moss (shipped from Florida), roses, palms and ferns and a large basket of pink peonies for the Altar as a loving remembrance of Sister Lillian Lillibridge.

A choir of sixteen voices from Acacia Chapter entered the room singing, "Holy, Holy, Holy". After circling the Altar they continued to sing "Lift Up Thine Eyes" as the Grand Chaplain placed a lovely white Bible on the Altar. A picture of beauty was presented with the entry of the Grand Officers in shaded pink dresses.

The solid black walnut gavel used was made of wood from the woods of Wisconsin on the farm where the Grand Matron lived as a child.

Twenty distinguished guests from Nebraska, Saskatchewan, South Dakota, Minnesota and Honolulu were presented; also three Grand Matrons and one Grand Patron from other Grand Jurisdictions.

The tribute to the Flag was given by the Worthy Grand Patron.

This Grand Chapter has 23 Districts.

The Worthy Grand Matron stressed the need of continued interest in the Home Fund. Amount in this Fund \$37,170.

The Masonic and Eastern Star organizations have been generous in financial support of the Order of Rainbow for Girls. The Grand Chapter sponsored this organization in 1923.

The Worthy Grand Matron attended all the Schools of Instruction.

The Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction are generous in their benevolent work, contributing to the following: Home Fund, Florence Crittenton, Children's Home at Fargo, Camp Grassick, Educational Loan Fund, San Haven, Salvation Army, Shrine Hospital, Red Cross and Warm Springs Foundation Fund.

Balance in the Educational Fund \$716.82. Twenty-five loans were made.

North Dakota was the third Chapter to go over the top 100% for the International Temple Fund.

The Grand Chaplain conducted the Necrology Service, assisted by the Grand Sentinel, Rev. N. E. Elsworth.

The Past Most Worthy Grand Patron Brother John Hammill gave a very helpful address.

The next Grand Chapter Session will be at Fargo.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Lillian M. Kalbfleisch.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Thomas G. Johnson.

OHIO

Forty-fifth Annual Session, Cleveland
October 23-25, 1934

Mrs. Lydia B. Crawford—Worthy Grand Matron
Daniel C. Rybolt—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 509

Membership, 114,149

The spacious Public Auditorium of Cleveland was the meeting place of the Forty-fifth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Ohio, October 23-25.

At the request of the Worthy Grand Matron, the decorations were predominantly in green, in memory of her mother and father who had passed away during the year, and the keynote of the Session was "Faith".

In the center of the stage, suspended from the ceiling, was a beautiful Eastern Star emblem, with five electrically lighted stars on each side. A lighted cross with four white doves occupied the center of the stage and from the curtain in the background, bright silver stars twinkled.

An organ recital on the million dollar organ, of which Cleveland is justly proud, preceded the formal opening.

As the curtains unfolded, a chorus of two hundred and ninety, all members of District No. 3, East and West, sang Beethoven's "The Heavens Are Telling".

The Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons, Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons preceded the Grand Officers and formed a double cross through which the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted. As they marched, the chorus sang "Praise ye the Lord".

Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Brother Hammil, Most Worthy Grand Patron and Sister Grace Sheffield, a member of Foreign Relations Committee of the General Grand Chapter were in attendance and escorted.

Illustrious Brother Charles M. Buss, Commander-in-Chief Lake Erie Consistory Scottish Rite Masons; Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ohio, F. & A. M., Samuel H. Squire; Imperial Captain of the Guard, Ancient Arabic Order,

Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Albert H. Fiebach, were presented and in turn escorted to the Grand East.

The setting for the impressive Memorial service was a field of lilies. In the center was a large white cross representing "Faith". The white doves about it represented "Fidelity", "Constancy", "Loyalty" and "Truth".

The Worthy Grand Matron found that each of her official visits furnished a new spiritual setting and a fresh inspiration and brought a heritage of friendship that will become more precious through the years.

Many questions have been received during the year, too many in fact to enumerate and thereby tax your patience and the Treasury of the Grand Chapter. Ohio has O. E. S. Masonic Home.

The Educational Loan Fund has received whole hearted approval and earnest effort. \$439.72 was sent to the International Temple Fund from Subordinate Chapters. \$5000.00 was sent to this fund a few years ago.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron in an address spoke of the almost perfect ritualistic work done by the Chapter in the Philippines.

There are two Chapters in China. The Chinese Matron in Peking is a graduate of a university, and had taken special courses in Columbia. You see it was not difficult to understand her, but rather a bit difficult to keep up with her.

The Charter of Elyria Chapter No. 165 was placed in the East and the Associate Grand Conductress invited the officers of this Chapter to enter the Grand Chapter room. These officers exemplified the regular opening ceremonies, after which the Worthy Grand Matron presided and the Grand Officers conferred the degrees upon Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ohio, F. & A. M., Samuel H. Squire, and upon Miss Marion Teare, daughter of a Past Most Worthy Grand Patron.

Twenty-four loans from the Education Loan Fund were granted.

Mrs. Minnie E. Lathrop, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. Fred L. Carhart, Worthy Grand Patron.

OKLAHOMA

Twenty-seventh Annual Session, Guthrie
May 9-11, 1935

Mrs. Ada Swank—Worthy Grand Matron

Dr. Curtis J. Lee—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 370

Membership, 37,968

The Twenty-seventh Annual Session, "The Adah Session", of the Oklahoma Grand Chapter, was held in the Scottish Rite Temple at Guthrie, May 9, 10, 11, 1935. At the informal open-

ing Dr. L. F. Foster, Mayor of Guthrie, welcomed the Grand Chapter, and Sister Alma Watkins, Worthy Matron of Guthrie Chapter No. 12, expressed the greetings of her Chapter; Rev. John Abernathy extended a welcome from the Masonic Bodies and Brother H. F. Allen brought greetings from the Masonic Home.

Dramatization of "Adah" by Norman Chapter No. 41 was a wonderful portrayal by characters of real talent. Mrs. Ethel Wolford, who wrote and directed it, was highly complimented.

The formal opening of this Grand Chapter was called to order by M. Alice Miller, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, and assisted by W. Mark Sexson, founder of Rainbow for Girls.

The entrance of the Grand Officers was spectacular and effective.

The Worthy Grand Matrons of Texas and Kansas, and the Worthy Grand Patron of Texas were in attendance; thirty-three Grand Representatives responded to roll call.

There is neither East nor West,
Nor brother, breed nor birth,
When Eastern Stars stand face to face,
Though they come from the ends of the earth.

Upon request, the ceremony of the Presentation of the Flags was repeated on Tuesday evening, the Grand Marshal carrying the U. S. Flag and an escort carrying the Oklahoma State Flag, followed by thirty-two Grand Representatives carrying the Flag of the State or country each represented.

A hearty welcome was accorded Hollister and Oolagah Chapters, U. D.

With the Grand Officers filling the Stations, the Initiatory Work of the Ritual was exemplified.

Brother Joseph Drouot, Most Worshipful Grand Master, A. F. & A. M. of Oklahoma, was introduced on Wednesday morning and brought greetings from 50,000 Masons in his Grand Jurisdiction. He has a keen interest in the children of the Home, and, with others, feels that children should be equipped with a vocational training or some other means of providing a livelihood. Then, at the age of eighteen when they leave the Home, they are capable of earning their own living.

The Worthy Grand Matron selected as her motto for the year, "Seek ye to know that which is true".

The Order of Rainbow for Girls conferred the Grand Cross of Colors upon the Worthy Grand Matron at its Supreme Assembly held at Chickasha.

The Worthy Grand Patron visited the Schools of Instruction and at several of the Grand Matron's official visits he presided in the East with the Worthy Grand Matron and conferred degrees on candidates. He expressed his continued interest in the Order, for, he said, "I appreciate more than ever its hidden truths and beauty".

The Grand Lecturer reported having attended every session of the forty Schools of Instruction. The Worthy Grand Matron also attended all Sessions and the Worthy Grand Patron attended twenty Sessions. A good record.

There are 39 girls and 35 boys in the Children's Home and 40 women and 54 men in the Home for the Aged.

The necrology service was very lovely.

The Book of Life for them is closed,
And written on its pages so fair,
We'll find a record just and true,
For an Angel of Love has penned it there.

Installation of the new officers followed.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Clara Crain.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Frank A. Derr.

OREGON

Forty-fifth Annual Session, Portland
June 12-13-14, 1934

Monnie M. Hauser—Worthy Grand Matron
Rex W. Davis—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 147

Members, 23,788

This Session opened during Rose Festival time, and every street and building was beautifully decorated, the blocks in front of the Masonic Temple being a bower of rare blossoms. Each member felt the friendliness expressed in the words—"A rose for you in Portland grows".

An informal reception marked the opening, and was held at eight P. M. in the ball-room of the Masonic Temple. Among the honored guests of the evening was Mr. Leslie M. Scott, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Oregon. The Scottish Rite Chorus of forty voices, under the direction of Brother Wm. R. Boone, Past Grand Patron, entertained with their delightful music.

The assembly was called to order by Mabel Settlemier, Past Grand Matron. On the platform were First Worthy Grand Patron, Robert A. Miller, Senior Worthy Grand Matron, Rose J. Wilson, and Past Grand Matron, Jennie Rinehart.

Among the distinguished members and guests escorted and introduced were Alberta S. McMurphey, Past Grand Matron of Oregon; Charles Magenheimer, Worthy Grand Patron of Washington; Glen W. Darling, Past Grand Patron of Washington; Lorraine Fissell, Associate Grand Matron of Washington.

Twenty-one Past Grand Matrons and thirteen Past Grand Patrons were present and welcomed by Rex W. Davis, Worthy Grand Patron.

Just before the Memorial Service, a special tribute to the memory of Minnie Wolfe White, Past Grand Matron 1932-1933, was given. She passed to the higher life on January 10, 1934, and was deeply loved and mourned by all who knew her.

The Grand Lodge of Masons being in session at the same time in Portland, the Worthy Grand Matron appointed a committee of Grand Officers to convey greetings and a basket of flowers to the Grand Lodge. The committee reported back to the Grand Matron a wonderful reception. That afternoon a delegation from the Grand Lodge was announced in waiting at Grand Chapter, escorted into the Chapter Room and given a hearty welcome.

The Worthy Grand Matron in her address reported that although the Chapters were all small in membership, they were active and flourishing. One of her greatest pleasures during the year was visiting the Grand Chapter Sessions of Washington and California.

The Student Loan Fund is one of the major activities of the Grand Chapter, taking its place along with the Masonic and Eastern Star Home in the interest of thousands of members of the Order.

Elizabeth Tipton, Past Grand Matron, was the Installing Officer, and special music interspersed the installation ceremony.

Worthy Grand Matron, Edith Irene Phillips.

Worthy Grand Patron, Milton L. Meyers.

OREGON

Forty-sixth Annual Session, Portland

June 11-13, 1935

Miss Irene Phillips—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Milton L. Meyers—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 147

Membership, 22,899

The Informal Opening of the Forty-sixth Annual Session, known as "Friendship Session", was held in the Rose Ballroom of the Masonic Temple at Portland. A trio composed of a violin, piano and 'cello, and a soprano soloist provided excellent music. More than 200 "Courtesy Girls" in pastel gowns and pages in "cherry-bloom" taffeta gowns and the Grand Officers attired in delph-blue chiffon over taffeta gowns made a charming picture.

Addresses of welcome were given by Worthy Matron Ida C. Dickinson and by Most Worshipful Grand Master Ezra M. Wilson.

The Formal Opening was in the Shrine Auditorium of the Masonic Temple.

The spacious room was lavishly decorated with hydrangeas, Martha Washington geraniums, calla lilies and potted shrubs. A blue Neon sign, "Friendship", was suspended from above

the dias and large clusters of blue balloons surrounded by pink, white and blue streamers, hung from the lighting fixtures.

The "Traveling Bible" was placed upon the altar.

The presentation of the National Colors was inspiring. The State Flag and the Eastern Star Flag were also presented.

Distinguished guests and many Past Matrons and Past Patrons and the 1935 Matrons and Patrons were welcomed.

"Natal Day" (August 31, 1934) was a very eventful day. The Coos County Chapters were hosts to the Eastern Stars of the State to commemorate the birth of Dr. Robert Morris, the founder of our beloved Order.

Job's Daughters and Order of Rainbow for Girls are both active orders. The Grand Chapter voted to recognize both these organizations.

The Worthy Grand Matron, in her New Year's letter to the Subordinate Chapters, admonished the members to memorize the obligation and to strive to be faithful to it, which means more to be well lived than to be well said.

The Worthy Grand Matron installed the officers of her own Chapter, Westgate Chapter and Kellogg Chapter and helped in the joint installation for Myrtle, Camilia, Corinthian, Rose City and Rose Croix Chapters.

On July 27, 1935, a Chapter was constituted at Gold Beach.

There is a balance of \$5,854.38 in the Student Loan Fund. Because of the capable way in which the Student Loan Committee are directing their efforts this fund may soon become a revolving one. It is interesting to know that there is some form of an Educational or Student Loan Fund in forty-one States.

The Masonic and Eastern Star Home is needing some repairs and painting.

A fitting Memorial Service was held.

The Grand Pages conferred a lovely floral degree upon the Grand Matron.

Sister Pauline Moore, Past Grand Matron, and Brother Milton L. Meyers were Installation Officers.

Grand Chapter closed with singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again".

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Inez J. Glaisyer.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. W. Percy Folsom.

PENNSYLVANIA

Mrs. Florence Plummer—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Forrest L. McIntyre—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 471

Membership, 82,669

Of unusual interest was the religious service preceding the opening of the Forty-first Annual Session of the Grand Chapter. This unique service was held in a wooded dell surrounding the Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge. The choir of sixty voices sang, "Faith of Our Fathers", as the chimes played.

Someone has said that a man's courage is in proportion to his nearness to the Almighty. Our Eastern Star members and leaders, who in the same prayerful manner in which Washington led his forces to victory, will successfully carry out their duties and make this a memorable and worth-while session for all.

The formal opening was held in the ball room of the Broadwood Hotel in Philadelphia.

Rose colored hydrangeas predominated in the decorations, and grass mats formed the Labyrinth, which was decorated with potted plants and ferns.

Sister Frances Haun was in attendance and gave an inspiring address.

The O. E. S. Flag and the Stars and Stripes were escorted, and as they neared the East, the choir sang "It's a Grand Old Flag".

Preceding the entrance of the Grand Officers, the sixteen pages performed a minuet drill.

Guests from the Eastern Star Home were present and received a warm welcome.

Through the generosity of some members an infirmary has been made possible to care for the sick at one of the homes. The elevator fund has provided an electric elevator.

The Worthy Grand Patron granted a Chapter and constituted a Chapter in the Borough of Brentwood.

He visited many Subordinate Chapters, and attended twenty-two District meetings.

The Grand Treasurer reported a substantial balance in the O. E. S. Home Fund.

There are sixteen guests in the Western Pennsylvania Home and twenty-two in the Eastern Pennsylvania Home.

A room is cared for in the Masonic Home.

An impressive memorial service was conducted by the Grand Officers, assisted by the choir.

A card of merit, which would entitle one to a seat for installation, was given to each one who had remained during the sessions to help legislate.

"The Star in the East which shines forth today,
Leading us onward, our homage to pay,
To the principles of truth, charity and love,
The heritage we received from our Father above.
May we ever be steadfast in our cause for the right,
With the Star in the East as our Guiding Light."

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Anna Paul.

Worthy Grand Patron, Dr. Frank H. Kramer.

QUEBEC

Twelfth Annual Session, Montreal
October 3-5, 1934

Annie Horner—Worthy Grand Matron

Arthur E. Selby—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 32

Membership, 2646

The delegates and visitors of the Twelfth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Quebec met informally in the Grand Ball Room of the Mount Royal Hotel on the evening of October 3rd.

Pages, wearing yellow satin capes, preceded the entrance of the Grand Officers. The thirty-two Matrons who followed were dressed in white and carried yellow roses.

Special guests were Sisters Mildred K. Schanbacher, Most Worthy Grand Matron and Mary E. Spence, Worthy Grand Martha of the General Grand Chapter, six Grand Matrons, one Worthy Grand Patron and one Grand Marshal from other other Grand Jurisdictions.

As the Most Worthy Grand Matron was escorted to the Grand East, the Worthy Matrons formed a Guard of Honor and the Associate Grand Matron collected the yellow roses that had been previously carried into the Chapter room and presented them to Sister Schanbacher.

"There is a deep sort of joy that we all understand
In the ring of a voice and the clasp of a hand,
In the warmth of a smile, that is friendly and true
This greeting, our friend, we extend to you."

In responding to a welcome accorded the Grand Representative, Sister Ruth Wolfe, Grand Representative of Massachusetts said: "It matters not in what far distant places our Order has taken root and blossomed, you will find that in addition to the charitable work it accomplishes locally it is responsible also for something so vast and far-reaching in effect, that it cannot be limited to or by national boundaries. The spirit of friendship and fraternal love, created and fostered between people wherever our Eastern Star sheds its enlightening rays is what I refer to".

This Grand Chapter was formally opened October 4 and closed October 5.

The Most Worshipful Master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, F. & A. M., addressed the Grand Chapter and gave the Invocation.

The Worthy Grand Patron paid a tribute to the flag and closed by saying, "It is an inspiring sight to see standing in our Grand Chapter rooms the Flags of the two great nations

of this continent, in whose hands lie to a very large extent the destiny of the world. Let us then pray that through their united efforts, we may have continued peace and a speedy return of prosperity”.

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, assisted by other Grand Officers, instituted two new Chapters.

The members of Excelsior Chapter attended Church services as a body on March 25th, and on Mother's Day District No. 3 attended Divine Worship. The Worthy Grand Patron attended both services.

\$2520.94 in Educational Loan Fund.

\$3300.00 Bonds.

This fund is the heritage that has come to us from those members of the Order who have the vision of the greatest possible service to our young people who are so closely related to our membership and by this means provide for them an opportunity to rise to the highest degree of success. Four applications for loans were granted.

Installation of new Grand Officers followed.

“Let us hitch our wagon to a Star,
But let that Star be the Star of Bethlehem.”

Mrs. Mabel B. Jenne, Worthy Grand Matron.

Dr. Carroll Harris, Worthy Grand Patron.

SASKATCHEWAN

Mrs. Genevieve Begg—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. R. J. Hawthorne—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 94

Membership, 4,564

The 19th Annual Session was called to order at ten o'clock A. M. in Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina, on May 15, 1935.

“Open the Gates of the Temple,” was sung as the Grand Officers entered. Two heralds, dressed in costumes which carried out the five colors of the Order, were followed by Sister Marjory Trick Smart, who wore the Britannia Flag—costume which she wore as an usher at General Grand Chapter. She carried the O. E. S. Flag. The Grand Chaplain and Grand Marshal carried the Union Jack and Old Glory. A tribute: “May the members of our Order individually ever be disposed to pay their tribute of respect to these flags jointly, to rejoice in their glory, and to wish them all the greatness and blessings which the God of nations holds in store for them”.

The invocation was given by Rev. George W. Abernethy, Grand Sentinel.

The Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons were introduced and their response to Sister Begg's welcome was:

“Somehow it cheers a fellow up
To receive such a hearty greeting.
It makes us feel we're glad we've come
To attend this splendid meeting.”

A civic welcome was given by Deputy Mayor, Alderman Gardner, and the Masonic greetings by James McCauley, Past Grand Master, A. F. & A. M.

Thirty-nine Grand Representatives responded to roll-call.

During the year the Worthy Grand Matron visited 78 Chapters officially and travelled 14,497 miles. She recommended that a committee be appointed to gather material for programs, plays, pageants, marches, poems, music, etc., to be used by Subordinate Chapters “Under Good of the Order”, to make the meetings more interesting to those not holding office.

This Grand Jurisdiction has no Educational Committee.

The various Chapters have contributed generously to the King's Silver Jubilee Cancer Fund.

Every Chapter save one paid the per capita tax for 1934.

The Necrology Service was closed with a solo by the Grand Matron.

“Death is just a passing
To God's sweet world above;
Death is just the entering
Into God's eternal love.”

The 1934 officers of Lotus Chapter No. 93 of Easton exemplified the initiatory work.

The officers of the Bethel of Job's Daughters exemplified part of their ritualistic work.

The officers of Gabriel Shrine No. 1, White Shrine of Jerusalem, marched into the Grand Chapter room wearing the robes of office, and after assuming their proper stations, were presented to the Grand Chapter.

The Worthy Grand Matron gave a short radio address over C. J. R. M. at 6 P. M. Thursday evening.

Sister Elizabeth McAlpine, Past Grand Matron, installed the new officers in her usual splendid way.

The Twentieth Session will be held at Moose Jaw, May, 1936.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Ethel McMichael.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. J. Orville Clark.

SCOTLAND

Thirty-first Annual Meeting of the Supreme Grand Chapter,
Dundee, March 9, 1935

Annie Shaw—Most Worthy Grand Matron

William Best—Most Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 365

Members, 102,525, a gain of 2745

In the absence of the Most Worthy Grand Patron, the International Past Grand Patron, Brother Thomas R. Black, extended a very hearty welcome to the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Annie Shaw, and the other Office Bearers of the Supreme Grand Chapter.

The minutes of the half-yearly meeting and of the Grand Committee of December, 1934, were approved.

Four new Charters were granted.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron accompanied by the Most Worthy Grand Patron visited the six District Grand Chapters, where they had the privilege of installing the District Grand Office Bearers.

Victoria Chapter celebrated its Diamond Jubilee on September 25th, which was attended by the Grand Worthy Matron, and was an auspicious occasion. Saint Ebba Chapter and Electa Chapter, and Martha Chapter and Stella Chapter celebrated their Semi-Jubilee during the year.

Splendid reports were given by the six District Worthy Grand Matrons.

The Grand Secretary reports the most outstanding features to be the increase in contributions toward the Annuity Fund, and the splendid gain of 2745 new members.

The newly elected officers were installed by Annie Shaw, Most Worthy Grand Matron, and Thomas R. Black, International Past Grand Patron.

Helen Paterson, the newly installed Most Worthy Grand Matron thanked the members for their confidence, and assured them she would do her best to merit the honor conferred on her. "Let loving service be your watchword and inspiration for the coming year, for love is the law of life, and where there is love in your hearts for each other there will be more peace and harmony in the Chapter."

Most Worthy Grand Matron, Helen Paterson.

Most Worthy Grand Patron, Adam G. Horne.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Mrs. Ruth R. Easterling—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. J. Herbert Powell—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 76

Membership, 3439

The ball room of the Hotel Columbia was decorated with yellow gladioli and Shasta daisies for the 28th Session of the

Grand Chapter of South Carolina. Enclosing the labyrinth was a low picket fence entwined with ivy and at each Star point Station was a tall flower basket filled with yellow gladioli. At many places in the hall were found baskets and pots of yellow blooms and palms.

“Old Time’s great clock that never stops
Nor runs too fast or slow
Has pushed its hands around again
And marked another year.”

The pages for this session wore white evening gowns with fluffy yellow capes and carried wands fashioned of small hoops of yellow ribbons on long holders. The ushers were in white linen with yellow ties. The Grand Officers wore white lace evening dresses; their accessories being yellow evening handkerchiefs and corsages of yellow roses.

The Flags were escorted by the daughters of the Worthy Grand Matron, one representing “Uncle Sam” and the other, “Miss America”.

Among the distinguished guests present were:—a Past Grand Matron and a member of the Credentials Committee of General Grand Chapter; the Grand Matron of Virginia, and the Grand Matron of North Carolina; Grand Ruth of Virginia; Grand Warder of North Carolina; Associate Grand Patron of North Carolina; Grand Representative of South Carolina in Oklahoma; Grand Representative of Oklahoma in North Carolina; Grand Instructor of Florida; Past Grand Patron of North Carolina and a member of the Order from Honolulu; 11 Past Grand Matrons and 5 Past Grand Patrons of South Carolina.

Twenty-three Grand Representatives of other jurisdictions were welcomed, after which all joined in singing “Bringing In the Sheaves”.

On Wednesday morning the Grand Officers wore white sport dresses with yellow military capes.

The Worthy Grand Matron visited the Grand Chapter of Georgia.

A Chapter was constituted October 25 and called Ticooma Chapter No. 140.

\$250.00 was set aside as a nucleus for an Educational Fund.

On May 7 the Worthy Grand Matron accompanied by the Grand Secretary visited the Rebekah Assembly of South Carolina at their Annual Convention.

The Worthy Grand Patron reported two new Chapters were instituted during the year.

The Worthy Grand Patron attended all meetings of his Chapter and attended 26 other Chapters, taking an active part in the Ritualistic work of many.

“I’m wishing this happy moment
That I could but repay
A portion of the gladness
You’ve strewn along my way.”

Brother T. Lane Monroe, Past Grand Patron and Grand Treasurer for many years was presented a handsome gold watch chain as a birthday gift.

A beautiful rose garden had been planted just in front of the Grand East for the Necrology Service. At the close of this service the Grand Secretary named the flowers God had gathered since the last session and then a male quartette sang "Going Home". The midnight bells tolled twelve times—each a little softer, and a little sweeter, till the last sound seemed far, far away.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Kathryn H. Carter.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. O. Pennington.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Forty-sixth Annual Session, Sioux Falls
October 10-12, 1934

Erma M. Kubler—Worthy Grand Matron

Harvey G. Gregerson—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 161

Members, 17,077

This being a "Rainbow Session", the rainbow colors were carried out in decorations, programs and pages' gowns. A large rainbow spanned the East, with a pot of gold at one end and a "home" at the other end; our illuminated star appeared in the center. Palms and ferns were arranged in front of the rostrum, together with baskets of flowers.

The Junior Past Grand Matron, Kate Fagg Williams, and the Junior Past Grand Patron, Oliver A. Bray, called the assembly to order. The Worthy Matrons of 1934, Officers of Jasper Chapter No. 8, pages and a vested choir preceded the grand Officers into the Chapter Room. Each carried a lighted taper and the lights in the room were dimmed, making a very effective candle-light march. The pages were attired in gowns of rainbow hues and the Grand Officers in white lace.

The address of welcome was given by the Worthy Grand Matron.

A tribute to the flag was given by the Worthy Grand Patron, ending with the following: "Beautiful as a flower to those that love it, but terrible as a meteor to those who hate, it is the symbol of the power and the glory and the honor of one hundred and twenty million Americans."

Among the distinguished guests present were: Geo. A. Pettigrew, Past Most Worthy Grand Patron and Past Grand Patron of South Dakota; Marguerite Dunn, Right Worthy Grand Trustee of the General Grand Chapter; Mrs. Clara B. Bathen, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Nebraska, Rose M. Owens, Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of Nebraska; Anna Peterson, Past Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Nebraska, and Nellie Olander, Past Grand Matron of the Grand

Chapter of Iowa; Frances Abrahamson, Worthy Grand Matron of Minnesota; Jane Tople, Past Grand Matron, and Minnie Payne, Grand Treasurer of Minnesota; Dr. Henry M. Reed, Past Grand Patron of South Dakota, who were welcomed by Pearl Colby, Associate Grand Matron. Thirty-eight Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of South Dakota were present, and were graciously welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron.

The Worthy Grand Matron gave a most inspiring address covering her work of the year, and emphasized the fact that the relations between the Order of the Eastern Star and the Masonic Fraternity had been most cordial and friendly.

The Educational Loan Fund Committee reported that there were more demands for loans than could be supplied, and stressed the value and importance of this work.

Splendid work is being carried on among Job's Daughters. Three new Bethels have been formed in the State.

After considerable discussion, it was decided that it would be to the best interest of the Eastern Star Home to completely remodel the building in order to make such a Home an honor to the Jurisdiction.

Preceding Installation the mother and father of the incoming Grand Matron were escorted to the East and seated.

The Junior Past Grand Matron, Kate Fagg Williams, acted as Installing Officer.

Worthy Grand Matron, Pearl Colby.

Worthy Grand Patron, Clarence Walker.

TENNESSEE

Thirty-fifth Annual Session, Nashville
March 19-20, 1935

Robbie Griffin—Worthy Grand Matron
Rev. L. R. Neill—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 236

Membership, 17,648, Net Loss, 1144

The Thirty-fifth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Tennessee called the "Blue-Bird Session", convened in the Scottish Rite Temple, Nashville, at 9:30 A. M., March 19, 1935. The Grand Chapter Room was beautifully decorated with blue carnations and silver Jackson vine, carrying out the blue and silver colors of the Grand Matron. The curtain of the stage represented the stained glass window of a cathedral, with lights back of the stage. A blue flood light shone over a mass of palms and fern added to the beauty of the picture.

Mrs. Mayme P. Stovall, Past Grand Matron, was escorted to the East and called the Grand Chapter to order. Eleven Grand Pages, escorted by the Deputy Grand Sentinels and eleven members of the Grand Choir entered, making a beautiful ensemble,

carrying out the blue-bird idea. They formed a figure around the Altar and sang "The Star of the East". As the Grand Matron was escorted to the East the choir sang an appropriate song, written by an eleven year old girl, Polly Ann Thompson. The music was composed by the Grand Conductress.

Worthy Grand Patron, Rev. Neill, gave the invocation.

The United States flag was presented in the East and the pledge given. The state flag and the Eastern Star banner were taken to the East. A fitting tribute was given the flag of our country, by the Grand Marshal.

Sixteen Past Grand Matrons, two Honorary Past Grand Matrons, thirteen Past Grand Patrons were escorted to the East, accorded the Grand Honors and given a hearty welcome by the Grand Matron. The response was given by Mrs. Ruth Holcomb, Past Grand Matron.

Tennessee was honored at this Session by having many distinguished guests, who were presented and accorded the Grand Honors. There were eight General Grand Officers and three Chairmen of Committees of General Grand Chapter. Eleven Grand Officers and five Past Grand Officers from other Grand Jurisdictions. The Worthy Grand Matron greeted them with:

"It's just a little bit of paradise left over
Just a little bit the angels didn't need,
When the Maker of creation had completed
What the Architect Almighty had decreed.
Just a little bit of lofty wind swept highland,—
Just a bit of blossom covered lea,
Just a little meadow strewn with blue grass
So they set it down and called it Tennessee."

Distinguished guests and co-workers from other Grand Jurisdictions, we welcome you with fraternal love and friendship. The response was given by Dr. Guy G. Lunsford, Worthy Grand Patron and also Most Worshipful Grand Master, of the State of Georgia.

Mr. William A. Duvall, Most Worthy Grand Patron, of the General Grand Chapter, was presented, welcomed, escorted to the East and given the Grand Honors. The choir sang, "Maryland, My Maryland". Mrs. Frances Haun, Most Worthy Grand Matron and "Tennessee's Own" was presented, after words of welcome was escorted to the East and accorded the Grand Honors. The choir sang, "My Tennessee".

There were many visitors present from sister jurisdictions. Kentucky, Alberta, Canada, District of Columbia, Georgia and Arkansas.

Worthy Grand Matron reported having made 162 official visits; attended seven schools of instruction and five installations; attended General Grand Chapter, held in Tampa, Florida; annual Session of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls, and the Grand Chapters of Oklahoma and Missouri.

Was happy to report the Constitution of four Chapters.

The Maintenance Fund was so successful that it was adopted and made a permanent feature of Grand Chapter.

Worthy Grand Patron reported having traveled over two thousand miles making addresses in the interest of the Order; assisted at many funerals and gave legal and spiritual advice when asked; assisted in the Institution of two Chapters.

Two Charters received from consolidation of Chapters and three from other causes.

A complete and interesting report of their year's work was given by the Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress. Also a very complete and concise report of the Twenty-first Triennial Assembly of General Grand Chapter, was given by Past Grand Matron, Ophelia Allan.

Impressive Memorial Services by the Grand Officers were held for the Sisters and Brothers who had passed to the Great Beyond.

A pageant, "Where the Past and Present Meet", was given as a tribute to the Grand Matron, after which the exemplification of the ritualistic work, opening, introduction of visitors and closing, was rendered by the Worthy Matrons, 1935 of Memphis.

An interesting report was given on Fraternal Correspondence, giving a general survey and then one outstanding feature of the various Grand Jurisdictions.

Dr. Neal Rutland, Junior Grand Warden and Mr. W. R. Holland, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., and Past Grand Patrons of Tennessee, were presented and brought greetings from the Grand Masonic body.

The new officers were installed by the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Patron assisted by other Past Grand Officers.

Grand Chapter closed to convene in Chattanooga the third Tuesday in March, 1936.

Worthy Grand Matron, Laura McL. Hodge.

Worthy Grand Patron, James A. Buford.

TEXAS

Fifty-second Annual Session, Fort Worth
October 23-25, 1934

Rose E. Potter—Worthy Grand Matron
A. A. Holbrook—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 621

Membership, 51,922

The Fifty-second Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas was held at the First Baptist Church at Fort Worth, October 23-25.

The platform was a bower of ferns and palms with a profusion of pink roses. Above and back of the Grand East were fine pictures painted by a local artist, representing the five heroines of the Order. Above these shone an electric Star inside the Pentagon, the emblem of Grand Chapter.

Sisters Emma P. Chadwick and Laura B. Hart, Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons; Brothers Alfred C. McDaniel, Past Most Worthy Grand Patron; Frank W. Lynn, Right Worthy Grand Trustee and Sister Velma B. Halley, Worthy Grand Organist of the General Grand Chapter were in attendance.

Sister Chadwick brought greetings from the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, her corps of officers, the fifty-seven Grand Chapters and almost two million Eastern Star members which they now officially represent.

The Worthy Grand Matron reported that forty-six Schools of Instruction were conducted this year and she attended all but three. The five District Deputy Grand Matrons were present and presided perfectly at their respective schools in their Districts.

The Grand Secretary reported that the Worthy Grand Matron had planned her expense account so wisely that she had returned \$2364.95 of the amount issued for her expenditure.

The Deputies also deserve mention for they returned \$1078.26 out of the amount allowed them.

A lovely and memorable occasion was the Christmas party at the O. E. S. Home. There are fifty adult residents at the Home and fourteen children. There are \$130,000 in the Permanent Endowment Fund.

A poem is each year written for the Grand Chapter and dedicated to the Worthy Grand Matron. Brother Jesse Edmonston, poet laureate of Texas Grand Chapter, wrote a very lovely one this year entitled; "Love One Another".

A fitting Memorial Service was held. After the Altar was draped, the Grand Marshal placed a broken column on the Altar and the Worthy Grand Matron placed a wreath around it and paid her tribute to the memory of Sisters and Brothers in other Grand Jurisdictions who have been called hence.

White carnations were used by the other Grand Officers as each in turn remembered Sisters and Brothers who have joined the Great Grand Chapter.

An increase in membership was reported.

Mrs. Mattie Mitchell, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. W. W. Caves, Worthy Grand Patron.

UTAH

Twenty-ninth Annual Session, Salt Lake City
October 11-12, 1934

Mrs. Maye B. Yates—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Orville J. Johnson—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 819

Membership, 2673

The Twenty-ninth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Utah convened in the Masonic Temple, Salt Lake City, October 11-12.

The entrance march of the Grand Officers was spectacular because of the lovely gowns that blended perfectly with the gay colors of the waving plumes carried by each Grand Officer. All Chapters in the Jurisdiction were represented.

Sister Lila L. Cheney, Grand Representative of Porto Rico, responded to the Welcome to Grand Representatives in a clever poem, two lines of which were:

"Best wishes I bring from an Isle of the Sea;
Porto Rico, though distant, sent her greetings by me."

The Chairman and Secretary of the Educational Loan Fund reported that \$710.00 had been collected from borrowers. The Worthy Grand Matron said: "We should strive in our daily lives to live up to the high ideals and teachings upon which our organization is founded. To the uninitiated each of us individually represents the Order as a whole. Let us ever remember wherever we are, no one ever looks down to find a true star". The Worthy Grand Patron had the joy and opportunity of attending every official visitation with the Worthy Grand Matron.

The Necrology service was brief but dignified. An Angel of Light escorted the Worthy Grand Matron to the Altar where she deposited a scroll and wreath in memory of Sisters and Brothers of other Grand Jurisdictions who have followed a Star into the light everlasting.

The Angel of Light goes to each Star Point and lights the different candles and then returns to the Altar where she places a burning white candle in the center of a Star. The five Points formed a circle around the Altar and as Scripture verses were read each placed her lighted candle in the Emblematic Star.

The Grand Chapter was honored by the presence of J. William Stoner, Most Worshipful Grand Master, F. & A. M. of Utah.

Grand Chapter at ease to permit the Grand Officers to retire while officers of the eighteen Subordinate Chapters, elected by the Worthy Grand Matron, exemplified the Degrees, the entire ceremony being truly inspirational.

An intricate drill was executed by the officers of Queen Esther Chapter No. 4, Ribbons of the Star Point colors, interwoven in and around the Labyrinth, with Sister Gerda M. Anderson, senior Past Grand Matron at the Altar, made a spectacular picture. Sister Anderson voiced her deep appreciation of this surprise honor.

Ena M. Senior, Worthy Grand Matron.

David P. Whitmore, Worthy Grand Patron.

VERMONT

Mrs. Edna C. Billings—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. James C. Ford—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 93

Membership, 11,946

The State Armory, St. Albans, Vermont, was the setting for the Sixty-third Annual Session.

The decorations for the "Rainbow Session" were in crepe paper streamers in rainbow colors which canopied the ceiling. Entrance to the hall was through a white arch-way covered with vines, and urns of colored flowers were on either side. The stage was transformed to represent a lawn and garden, with gravel walks, beds of flowers and small evergreen trees. The windows in back had shades of green and yellow to represent awnings.

The entrance march was unusually pretty. First were the Worthy Matrons of Subordinate Chapters all dressed in white, followed by the pages who wore white organdy dresses and capes of cellophane in rainbow colors. Then, the Junior Choir of St. Luke's Church. An escort of Rainbow Girls in white dresses and caps of rainbow hue formed a rainbow in the East.

A tribute to the Flag: "Through all these years you have never failed to lead to victory, and by a firm adherence to your tenets your followers will even now emerge victorious."

Old Glory: "Long may you wave
O'er the land of the free
And the home of the brave—
We salute you in loving and lasting obedience."

Representing the Governor of the State, Mr. J. B. Wood brought happy greetings, and Mayor John F. Sullivan extended a hearty welcome.

Mr. Arthur Perkins, Worshipful Master of Franklin Lodge of St. Albans, closed his remarks thus: "The Order of the Eastern Star stands for the best things in citizenship in the Nation, State and Municipality".

Sisters Frances Haun, Flora Lyons, Mabel B. Jenne, Mary D. Senior of General Grand Chapter were introduced. Five Past Grand Matrons and one Past Grand Patron and seven other Grand Officers from other Grand Jurisdictions, fifteen Past Grand Matrons, fourteen Past Grand Patrons of Vermont, twenty-nine Grand Representatives, ten District Deputy Grand Matrons, ten District Deputy Grand Patrons, sixty-four Worthy Matrons and twenty-one Worthy Patrons were escorted.

A Memorial Service was held for Grand Officers and for 198 members of Subordinate Chapters who have been called from labor to eternal rest.

Accompanied by the Worthy Grand Patron and Grand Lecturer, the Worthy Grand Matron attended the eleven District

meetings. Also attended Grand Chapter at New Hampshire, Quebec and Massachusetts.

The Order of Rainbow for Girls presented their Initiatory Ceremony and the DeMolay Band played at the reception for the Grand Officers.

There are 23 members in the Home. Endowment Fund is \$54,277.64. Balance in bank for the Educational Fund, \$1,914.80. The William G. McClintock Loving Cup was presented to Katherine Chapter for its loyal support to the Educational Loan Fund.

Election of officers and Installation was followed by closing Grand Chapter in Ritualistic form to convene in Brattleboro next year.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Winnfred M. Whitcomb.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Warren C. Morse.

WASHINGTON

Mrs. Loraine Fissel—Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Clarence J. Berkey—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 220

Membership, 36,108

The Forty-seventh Session of the Grand Chapter of Washington convened in the high school gymnasium at Wenatchee. The room was transformed into a garden of rare beauty. The East was encircled with a rockery where waterfalls played, and pools filled with pink lilies, gold fish and turtles, amid the lovely flowers made an enchanting picture. Apple trees covered with pink blossoms spread over the central star and rock garden steps led to the grassy platform in the Grand East.

The school orchestra entertained with several selections preceding the opening session.

Sister Emma Chadwick called the Session to order, and said she hoped that as a result of the deliberations of this Grand Session, everyone would be strengthened in his endeavor to order his life, so that he may be reckoned "fairest among thousands, altogether lovely".

The Worthy Grand Matron paid the following tribute to Sister Chadwick:

"Just as you are you are noble,
Whatever you do, you do well;
Whenever you speak you speak kindly,
You bring joy wherever you dwell."

The Worthy Grand Electa of the General Grand Chapter was welcomed, as was also the Past Grand Matron of Oregon, of North Dakota and of Montana and two Past Grand Patrons of Oregon, fourteen Past Grand Matrons and fifteen Past Grand Patrons of Washington, and twenty-two Grand Representatives.

The Stars and Stripes, the Union Jack, and the State Flag were presented and a fitting tribute paid to each.

The address by Brother Loomis Baldrey, Worshipful Grand Master, F. and A. M., was unusually helpful, perhaps because he is an ardent member of the O. E. S.

In July the Worthy Grand Matron gave the address of welcome to the Grand Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls, and she also attended the Supreme Assembly of this same Order, addressing the Assembly. She also attended the Supreme Council, Order of Amaranth, held in Seattle. In August she accepted an invitation to address the Supreme Guardian Council of the Order of Job's Daughters at Portland, Oregon.

On April 10th the Grand Patron instituted a Chapter at Port Blakeley on Bainbridge Island.

The Grand Officers, in a perfect manner, initiated four new members.

The "Memory Hour", prepared by Sister Elizabeth E. Berkey, was most impressive.

From the latest proceedings at hand, the Grand Secretary compiled the following information: In the Eastern Star world we have 12,245 Chapters, 868,262 members and 82,460 members dropped.

All jurisdictions lost in membership excepting New Brunswick. Scotland reports a gain of 2,692, and the General Grand Chapter a gain of 233. The General Grand Chapter has 41 Chapters and a membership of 4,655.

The Children's Foundation Fund and the Educational Fund both have substantial balances.

There are 176 in the Home.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Agnes M. Gehrman.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. D. A. Spratley.

WEST VIRGINIA

Thirty-first Annual Session, Charleston
September 25-27, 1934

Mrs. Ruby H. Wilcox—Worthy Grand Matron
J. Alfred Taylor—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 111

Members, 14,822

The Thirty-first Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of West Virginia, Order of the Eastern Star, convened in the Beni Kodem Shrine Mosque, Charleston, West Virginia.

After an organ recital by Mrs. Sadie Kennedy of Tiskelwah Chapter No. 45, the Grand Chapter was called to order by Miss Emma J. Carr, Past Grand Matron, who delivered the opening address.

The sounding block and gavel used at this Session are the property of the Worthy Grand Patron and were used by him as Speaker of the West Virginia House of Delegates, during the 1931-1932 sessions.

The address of welcome was graciously given by Mrs. Hallie R. Reynolds, Worthy Matron of Tiskelwah Chapter No. 45, and responded to by Mrs. Ethel L. Hill, Associate Grand Matron.

Reception of distinguished guests, among whom were: Mrs. Mina Hopple, Worthy Grand Matron of Maryland, and Leonard J. Mason, Past Worthy Grand Patron of Maryland, Mrs. Mamie C. Mason, Grand Chaplain of Maryland, and the Past Grand Matrons, Patrons and Grand Representatives.

The Worthy Grand Matron closed her address with these words, "Yesterday is but a dream, and tomorrow is only a vision; but today well-lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness and every tomorrow a vision of hope. Look well, therefore, to this day. Yesterday is gone, tomorrow may never come. Today is here. Let's use it as loyal Eastern Stars." A Memory Hour followed. The Star Points drape altar and form circle; lights dimmed. As solo "Oh, Eyes That Are Weary" is sung, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress approach Altar and light the twenty-one candles.

By the will of Past Grand Matron, Sallie D. Kneecream, a tract of about 400 acres and a beautiful Colonial mansion to be used as a home for the aged, was presented and accepted, thus fulfilling the dream of the Chapter for an Eastern Star Home.

The Governor of the State and his wife attended the banquet, and at the conclusion of the Grand Chapter everyone visited the Governor's new mansion and the Capitol. A gracious welcome was extended by the Governor's wife.

Miss Maude O. Curtis, Past Grand Matron, installed the Grand Officers.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Ethel Lambert Hill.

Worthy Grand Patron, Will C. Easley.

WISCONSIN

Forty-fourth Session, Milwaukee

October 2-3-4, 1934

Kathryn M. Stevens—Worthy Grand Matron

Earl Sedlmayer—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 272 Membership, 52,215 Net Loss, 2872

The Forty-fourth Annual Session of Grand Chapter, O. E. S., State of Wisconsin, opened in the Scottish Rite Cathedral Tuesday, 1:30 P. M., with an organ recital and a vocal solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple". The Worthy Grand Patron instructed the Associate Grand Conductress to invite the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter room. A Choir of the Chapters of Milwaukee County sang "Open Wide the Door".

A guard of Honor presented the Flag of the United States of America, which was escorted to the East and the Pledge of Allegiance given.

Brother William A. Hinsey, Chairman of the Digest Committee of the General Grand Chapter, Past Grand Patron of Wisconsin, twenty-three Past Grand Matrons and fifteen Past Grand Patrons were presented, introduced and accorded the Grand Honors and were given a sincere welcome by the Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Ethel Probert, Associate Grand Matron welcomed these distinguished members. Response to the welcome was given by Past Grand Matron Sister Maxine Stenerson.

Worthy Grand Matron reports having visited the Grand Sessions of Minnesota in Minneapolis, May 7-8-9, and was made Honorary Member of that Grand Chapter; made 119 visitations; installed three Chapters; one institution; 104 inspections, and received Honorary Membership in fifteen Chapters and organizations. A Club was organized and named in her honor—Kathryn M. Stevens Club. There were no new Chapters instituted and no Chapters surrendered their Charters. A splendid spirit of fraternalism prevailed in all the Chapters.

Worthy Grand Patron made an interesting report. He was given Honorary Membership in three Chapters and the Worthy Patrons of Milwaukee County named their club the Earl Sedlmayer Club. He thanked the Grand Secretary and congratulated her on her forty-fourth successful Grand Chapter Session.

Tuesday evening Brother G. A. Hewitt, Associate Grand Patron of Manitoba; Sister Ruth Nelson, Grand Adah, and Sister Elta Young, Grand Chaplain of Iowa, were presented, introduced and extended a hearty welcome. The Grand Officers vacated their stations and the officers of Milwaukee Chapter No. 2, exemplified the opening, closing and business session of a subordinate Chapter, the presentation of the Flag, introduction of visitors and examination of visitors. Dramatization of the Star Points by Electa Chapter No. 75.

Wednesday morning Grand Chapter was opened with an original prayer by the Grand Chaplain.

The Grand Secretary reports that in many Chapters individual members have assumed dues of less fortunate in order to keep them in good standing.

Sister Maud Bowers, Worthy Grand Matron of Iowa, was presented and accorded the Grand Honors, and Sister Ada Mae Davis, Grand Conductress of Iowa, was presented and introduced.

The Grand Officers took part in a very impressive memorial service for three Past Grand Officers and 590 members:

“Thus star by star declines
Til all have passed away,
As morning high and higher shines
To pure and perfect day.
They have not gone to far off lands,
But to rest in a house not made with hands.”

Sixty-two Chapters sent free will offerings of \$1295.65 to the Eastern Star Masonic Home Association. An Educational Committee was appointed in hopes that this Grand Chapter would have funds available to assist worthy young people from Eastern Star and Masonic families to complete their education in higher institutions of learning. A sum of ten cents per member, together with such other funds arising from direct gifts or bequeaths, was to go to the support of the Eastern Star Student Loan Fund.

The Grand Officers of 1935 were installed in their various stations and the Assembly was closed with the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of Milwaukee County presenting the Wishing Well Ceremony.

Ethel M. Probert, Worthy Grand Matron.

Delmar E. Brown, Worthy Grand Patron.

WYOMING

Thirty-seventh Session, Casper

August 29-30, 1934

Hulda Victoria Gylling—Worthy Grand Matron

Conrad Johnson—Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters, 42 Membership, 6,551 Net Loss, 132

The Rose Session opened informally in the Masonic Temple which was beautifully decorated with red roses. A large Star in emblematic colors hung on the East wall. Music of I. O. O. F. Boys' Band furnished entertainment until the distinguished guests, Past Grands of Wyoming and Grand Officers were escorted into the room by an escort composed of Fort Casper Chapter. This escort was dressed in colorful Swedish costumes in honor of the nationality of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

Wednesday morning, August 29, 1934, Grand Session of the State of Wyoming was called to order by Sister Estella Kline, Past Grand Matron, with Brother William J. Hagans, Past Grand Patron, presiding as Grand Patron. An escort of Past Matrons from the hostess Chapters, Fort Casper No. 4, Golden West No. 37, and Lakota No. 38, preceded the entrance of the Grand Officers and Grand pages. Before taking their respective stations the Grand Officers formed a cross in the East and stood with bowed heads while "The Old Rugged Cross" was sung by Sister Parsons and Brother Faulk, followed by a tribute to the Cross by Brother Kline, Grand Sentinel.

Stars and Stripes, Wyoming State Flag and the Eastern Star Flag were presented, followed by a tribute given by Brother George DeForest.

Sister Lucile VanBurgh, Worthy Matron of Fort Casper Chapter, extended words of welcome to the Grand Assembly. Sister Ellen L. Horton, Associate Grand Matron, responded.

The following distinguished guests were introduced and welcomed: Brother Charles H. Townsend, Chairman of the International Temple Fund; Sister Anna W. Smalley, Right Worthy Grand Conductress of the General Grand Chapter; Sister Clara Blanche Bathen, Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother Harry L. F. Proffitt, Worthy Grand Patron of Nebraska; Mildred Schoper, Worthy Grand Matron of Idaho; and Maye B. Yates, Worthy Grand Matron of Utah, and four other Grand Officers. Sixteen Past Grand Matrons and eleven Past Grand Patrons of Wyoming were welcomed by the Worthy Grand Matron Sister Gylling and Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Johnson. Sister Effie D. Lowndes, Junior Past Grand Matron made the response.

Twenty-four Grand Representatives were presented and welcomed, as were the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons. The Worthy Grand Matron made special mention that the youngest Worthy Matron was under twenty-one and the oldest Worthy Patron, seventy-three.

Brother John Stansbury, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Wyoming, F. & A. M., and Past Grand Patron, was introduced, welcomed, and in response brought greetings and best wishes from Grand Lodge to this Grand Session.

The Worthy Grand Matron installed two Chapters, made forty-one official visits; visited the Grand Chapters of Colorado and Nebraska and made Honorary Member of each. She found a spirit of harmony existing throughout the Grand Jurisdiction. The Chapters have responded well and raised \$1310.00 for the International Temple Fund since last Grand Chapter Session.

The Grand Chaplain gave an impressive report on necrology in memory of the forty-eight Sisters and Brothers who had answered the Master's summons.

The entire membership was much impressed by the splendid fraternal correspondent report, given entirely by memory, by Sister Ellen L. Horton, Associate Grand Matron.

The Grand Officers were installed in their respective stations and the Worthy Grand Matron was presented with the DeForest Jewel.

Ellen L. Horton, Worthy Grand Matron.

Dr. G. O. Hanna, Worthy Grand Patron.

**LIST OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS, WITH A SUMMARY OF THEIR REPORTS FOR THE
YEAR ENDING JUNE 1, 1935**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
NAME OF CHAPTER	NO.	DATE OF INSTITUTION	No. of Members June 1, 1934	Initiated	Affiliated	Reinstated	Demitted	Suspended N. F. D.	Expelled or Suspended	Deceased	No. of Members June 1, 1935	In Homes	Dues Remitted	Amount due for Grand Chapter Dues	Amount due for Benevolent Fund	Amount due for 1935 Home Assessment
1 Golden Gate.....	1	May 10, 1869	314	1	2	1	11	12	5	290	1	9	\$71.50	\$42.00	\$70.00	
2 Suisun.....	2	March 12, 1870	186	1	1	4	4	4	6	179	2	10	42.25	25.05	41.75	
3 Silver Star.....	3	Nov. 22, 1870	534	27	5	9	9	4	4	547	1	9	150.25	80.55	134.25	
4 Oak Leaf.....	8	April 12, 1872	700	2	1	19	33	12	12	639	4	25	154.00	91.50	152.50	
5 Evangeline.....	9	June 17, 1873	164	5	3	1	4	10	10	159	43.75	23.85	44.00			
6 Evening Star.....	10	Oct. 1872	110	16	8	1	1	108	2	108	27.00	16.20	27.00			
7 Martha Washington.....	13	Dec. 9, 1874	250	16	8	1	1	6	6	258	2	4	75.00	37.80	63.00	
8 St. John's.....	14	Jan. 28, 1875	98	8	1	1	5	2	2	105	3	30.00	15.30	25.50		
9 Welcome.....	17	April 5, 1875	111	6	1	1	7	112	2	5	29.25	15.75	30.50			
10 Lily of the Valley.....	18	May 11, 1875	329	19	4	1	7	1	1	345	2	10	94.75	49.95	83.25	
11 Idlewild.....	19	March 30, 1876	319	8	5	3	7	7	7	315	1	85.00	47.10	78.50		
12 Vesper.....	20	March 1, 1876	191	6	1	3	9	3	3	183	3	48.50	27.00	45.00		
13 Acacia.....	21	March 14, 1876	444	10	6	8	8	5	5	439	2	10	114.75	64.05	106.75	
14 Ferndale.....	23	Sept. 1, 1876	189	5	3	3	6	3	3	185	3	2	48.25	27.45	45.75	
15 Northern Light.....	26	Sept. 11, 1876	96	4	1	1	22	10	99	99	3	26.00	14.40	24.00		
16 Ivy.....	27	Dec. 7, 1876	521	4	4	18	22	2	479	2	18	118.75	68.85	114.75		
17 Vacaville.....	28	March 3, 1877	137	6	1	3	6	19	140	3	37.25	20.55	34.25			
18 Silver Gate.....	30	July 14, 1877	157	2	1	1	6	2	159	3	40.25	23.25	42.00			
19 San Jose.....	31	Sept. 7, 1877	658	8	5	20	6	10	18	627	3	10	180.00	92.10	153.50	
20 Rose Valley.....	33	Feb. 21, 1878	505	14	10	3	10	10	5	502	2	7	135.25	73.95	128.50	
21 Vernon.....	35	June 1, 1878	201	3	3	2	2	2	2	202	1	2	52.75	29.85	60.25	
22 Naomi.....	36	May 3, 1879	438	4	2	16	14	6	2	412	1	13	102.50	59.70	99.50	
23 Stella.....	39	May 24, 1880	248	5	4	4	4	4	6	247	1	9	63.75	35.55	59.25	
24 Aurora.....	40	May 10, 1880	237	4	2	1	6	2	4	239	5	61.50	35.10	58.50		
25 Lily of the Lake.....	41	March 23, 1880	116	3	1	1	6	2	116	116	1	30.25	17.25	28.75		
26 Ariel.....	42	March 30, 1880	183	9	5	1	4	6	3	180	2	49.00	26.70	44.50		
27 Redding.....	44	June 18, 1880	283	17	5	7	7	4	4	294	1	2	83.75	43.65	72.75	
28 Ceanothus.....	45	May 22, 1880	48	4	5	2	1	1	1	44	11.00	6.60	11.00			
29 Athena.....	46	July 7, 1880	221	4	5	5	6	4	4	216	55.75	32.25	53.75			
30 Reveille.....	47	July 9, 1880	291	11	4	12	6	3	3	285	7	77.00	41.70	69.50		

31	Wheatland.....	March 23, 1881	150	1	1	6	2	141	36.25	21.15	35.25
32	Placer.....	March 24, 1881	86	4	4	10	14	4	22.05	20.25	20.25
33	Hono.....	May 21, 1881	551	12	5	10	14	8	141.75	80.25	133.75
34	Alturas.....	June 3, 1881	154	2	1	2	3	1	41.05	16.35	33.25
35	Sincerity.....	June 24, 1881	108	2	1	2	3	1	41.05	16.35	33.25
36	Marville.....	June 25, 1881	315	7	1	8	11	4	28.75	17.75	21.25
37	Fidella.....	June 28, 1881	357	13	7	5	5	4	75.75	43.35	87.25
38	Crystal.....	July 8, 1881	257	7	3	5	5	2	83.75	52.35	87.25
39	Kingsley.....	July 23, 1881	248	2	1	5	2	2	63.50	38.10	63.50
40	Silver Spray.....	Aug. 20, 1881	218	10	1	6	8	3	57.25	33.75	56.25
41	Yolo.....	Aug. 20, 1881	218	10	1	6	8	3	57.25	33.75	56.25
42	Morning Star.....	Sept. 27, 1881	328	5	7	20	4	3	31.20	32.00	32.00
43	Mountain Fern.....	Oct. 15, 1881	775	4	1	20	4	3	36.75	46.50	77.50
44	Carrolla.....	Oct. 15, 1881	775	4	1	20	4	3	36.75	46.50	77.50
45	Unity.....	March 17, 1882	404	24	3	11	14	3	133.75	72.15	120.25
46	Golden Star.....	April 11, 1882	116	3	7	11	6	2	93.75	50.25	83.75
47	Friendship.....	May 3, 1882	156	3	8	9	1	2	23.00	16.80	37.50
48	Ocean Spray.....	May 11, 1882	225	6	8	9	1	3	63.50	33.90	56.50
49	Queen Esther.....	June 20, 1883	345	9	2	7	1	4	100.50	52.80	88.25
50	Eleeta.....	June 20, 1883	345	9	2	7	1	4	100.50	52.80	88.25
51	Magnolia.....	July 5, 1883	157	5	2	1	4	2	41.50	22.80	38.00
52	Esther.....	July 19, 1883	73	3	2	1	4	2	17.75	10.05	21.00
53	Silver Wave.....	July 28, 1883	500	9	8	29	25	5	118.75	66.15	110.50
54	Rollinville.....	Sept. 8, 1883	277	3	1	2	2	3	68.00	39.90	68.50
55	Asalia.....	Oct. 12, 1883	89	1	4	1	1	3	21.75	12.75	21.25
56	Marguerite.....	May 12, 1884	310	5	4	10	16	5	74.00	41.70	69.75
57	Vendura.....	May 13, 1884	242	12	3	9	6	6	67.00	35.70	58.75
58	Augusta.....	July 31, 1884	89	2	5	2	2	3	23.75	13.35	22.25
59	McDonome.....	Sept. 3, 1884	268	9	2	4	1	2	70.50	39.60	66.00
60	Molino.....	May 31, 1884	131	2	2	4	1	1	33.25	19.95	36.50
61	Virtas.....	Nov. 21, 1884	188	2	2	4	4	2	48.00	28.20	47.00
62	Valley of the Moon.....	Dec. 6, 1884	132	6	2	2	4	3	40.75	22.05	36.75
63	Marshall.....	April 18, 1885	231	10	1	2	4	2	62.75	34.65	60.00
64	Palma.....	April 26, 1885	680	37	6	4	14	11	191.75	102.15	174.75
65	Fallen Leaf.....	July 14, 1886	193	13	4	5	7	4	56.00	28.80	53.25
66	Macera.....	April 30, 1886	164	4	3	4	5	2	45.25	25.05	42.50
67	Macera.....	May 7, 1887	160	5	2	4	7	4	42.25	23.25	44.00
68	Heliotrope.....	Nov. 22, 1887	229	10	4	1	7	2	63.50	33.90	61.75
69	Bethlehem.....	March 22, 1888	151	3	3	1	1	4	83.75	46.50	87.25
70	Southern Star.....	April 2, 1888	600	13	8	13	1	12	154.75	86.55	147.50
71	Ranouna.....	June 19, 1888	119	4	4	4	4	3	29.75	15.45	25.75
72	Benlah.....	Aug. 16, 1888	295	7	1	5	14	5	73.75	41.85	69.75
73	Nizpah.....	Sept. 13, 1888	298	4	2	15	16	3	68.50	39.90	66.50
74	Violet.....	March 21, 1889	55	1	7	2	5	4	14.00	8.10	13.50
75	Golden Wave.....	April 5, 1889	265	6	7	5	19	3	73.50	40.20	67.00
76	Josephine.....	June 28, 1889	432	13	4	1	14	8	110.25	61.05	101.75

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77 Hermosa.....	105	Oct. 13, 1888	489	13	8	2	18	12		2	480	2	4	129.00	71.10	119.00
78 Ungava.....	106	April 11, 1890	474	11	3		10	26		7	445		18	113.75	64.05	106.75
79 Corona.....	107	June 14, 1890	284	8	4	.....	5	16	.....	6	269	.....	8	71.25	39.15	65.25
80 Pasadena.....	108	July 11, 1890	585	17	1	1	32	34	.....	5	533	2	43	131.00	73.20	123.25
81 Elk Grove.....	109	Sept. 24, 1890	159	2	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	2	157	.....	3	39.50	23.10	38.50
82 Pomona.....	110	Aug. 31, 1891	303	2	3	.....	1	4	.....	3	292	.....	10	73.00	42.30	70.50
83 Ocean View.....	111	Sept. 19, 1891	149	4	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	2	148	.....	3	38.25	21.75	36.25
84 Hesperia.....	112	Sept. 30, 1891	202	19	.....	1	2	7	.....	3	210	.....	11	59.25	29.85	51.00
85 Santa Monica.....	113	Jan. 8, 1892	306	4	5	1	10	7	.....	3	296	.....	1	78.25	44.25	75.00
86 Palm Leaf.....	114	Feb. 18, 1892	283	22	2	.....	3	.....	.....	5	289	2	18	81.75	41.85	69.75
87 Carita.....	115	March 9, 1892	491	7	7	1	18	18	.....	7	463	1	3	121.75	68.85	114.75
88 Truckee.....	116	March 15, 1892	114	3	.....	.....	2	5	.....	1	109	.....	1	28.50	16.20	27.00
89 Columbus.....	117	Aug. 8, 1892	308	2	5	1	8	9	.....	5	294	1	12	73.75	42.15	70.50
90 Woodbridge.....	118	Sept. 17, 1892	171	7	.....	.....	1	6	.....	3	168	.....	1	45.25	25.05	41.75
91 Amapola.....	119	July 5, 1893	307	5	4	.....	5	7	.....	8	296	1	10	75.75	42.75	71.25
92 Tuolumne Star.....	123	Aug. 25, 1893	179	1	2	1	7	1	.....	2	173	.....	1	44.50	25.80	48.25
93 Harmony.....	124	Nov. 10, 1893	350	10	6	1	4	.....	.....	7	356	4	5	94.75	52.05	91.00
94 Bakersfield.....	125	Dec. 18, 1893	474	17	5	.....	7	4	.....	3	482	.....	14	128.00	70.20	117.00
95 Mercedes.....	126	Feb. 23, 1894	248	18	1	.....	11	.....	.....	1	255	3	9	70.25	36.45	60.75
96 Lucerne.....	127	Feb. 15, 1894	213	4	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	2	210	.....	2	54.00	31.20	52.00
97 Los Gatos.....	128	March 19, 1894	247	5	1	2	6	2	.....	3	244	.....	1	63.75	36.45	68.25
98 Sierra Star.....	129	June 12, 1894	55	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	55	.....	.....	14.25	8.25	13.75
99 Clover Leaf.....	130	July 21, 1894	81	3	.....	.....	3	3	.....	1	77	.....	8	18.75	10.35	17.25
100 Fidelity.....	131	Aug. 31, 1894	153	17	3	.....	28	1	.....	2	142	.....	1	45.25	21.15	35.25
101 South Gate.....	133	Dec. 24, 1894	510	8	4	1	27	12	.....	13	471	3	11	120.25	68.55	114.50
102 Angels.....	134	Dec. 18, 1894	76	5	.....	.....	2	1	.....	1	77	.....	.....	21.75	11.55	19.25
103 Semper Fidelis.....	135	June 3, 1895	171	5	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	174	1	2	45.25	25.65	42.75
104 Centinela.....	136	June 10, 1895	120	.....	3	.....	2	.....	1	2	118	.....	7	29.25	16.65	27.75
105 Clear Lake.....	137	Oct. 9, 1895	183	15	2	.....	5	4	.....	2	189	1	7	53.75	27.15	45.25
106 Summit.....	138	Dec. 21, 1895	57	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	59	.....	.....	15.25	8.85	15.00
107 Orestimba.....	139	Dec. 28, 1895	96	7	1	1	6	4	.....	1	94	1	1	27.00	13.80	28.25
108 Oakland.....	140	Jan. 2, 1896	379	3	2	.....	17	6	.....	6	355	2	17	86.50	50.40	84.00
109 Mira Monte.....	141	Jan. 8, 1896	264	10	3	.....	6	.....	.....	6	255	.....	.....	70.25	38.25	63.75
110 Copa del Oro.....	142	Jan. 23, 1896	387	5	3	1	20	12	.....	5	329	3	7	83.75	47.85	80.00
111 Norwalk.....	143	Feb. 12, 1896	226	2	.....	.....	6	1	.....	.....	221	1	.....	56.00	33.00	55.00
112 Lyra.....	144	Feb. 12, 1896	400	13	9	1	8	1	.....	8	406	.....	.....	112.50	60.90	106.75
113 Jasmine.....	145	Feb. 13, 1896	191	4	2	.....	3	9	.....	4	181	.....	2	47.75	26.85	44.75
114 Delano.....	146	March 12, 1896	203	3	1	2	5	1	.....	1	202	.....	1	52.25	30.15	50.25
115 Pearl.....	147	April 10, 1896	244	4	5	3	18	24	.....	2	212	.....	3	56.75	31.35	52.25
116 Del Norte.....	149	May 15, 1896	199	3	.....	.....	2	22	.....	1	177	.....	.....	45.75	26.55	44.25
117 Lodi.....	150	April 28, 1896	289	4	2	.....	4	2	.....	2	287	.....	6	73.25	42.15	70.25

118	Chispa.	151	June 6, 1896	204	5	3	7	12	15	1	191	5	50.50	27.90	52.75
119	Mt. Shasta.	153	Jan. 8, 1896	79	4	1	1	1	1	1	182	1	22.50	12.30	20.50
120	Escondido.	154	Feb. 5, 1896	127	5	1	1	3	3	7	127	1	34.25	18.75	31.25
121	Mission.	155	Dec. 19, 1896	482	9	1	1	16	16	3	453	2	116.00	66.90	111.50
122	Penrhyn.	159	March 20, 1897	147	3	1	1	2	1	1	147	1	38.25	22.05	36.75
123	Occident.	160	June 19, 1897	174	5	3	1	5	23	2	152	1	42.00	22.80	38.00
124	Gold Ridge.	161	Jan. 6, 1898	286	6	2	1	8	6	3	278	4	72.50	41.10	73.75
125	Crown.	162	March 7, 1898	133	4	1	1	1	9	2	125	6	31.75	17.85	29.75
126	Scepter.	163	March 11, 1898	239	5	1	1	10	3	4	228	5	58.75	33.45	55.75
127	Onislo.	164	April 29, 1898	127	4	1	1	3	3	1	128	1	34.50	19.20	32.00
128	Crescent.	165	June 15, 1898	55	4	1	1	1	1	1	61	1	17.75	9.15	15.25
129	Esperanza.	167	Feb. 11, 1899	325	4	1	2	15	24	9	283	2	66.25	38.55	68.50
130	Los Angeles.	168	Feb. 14, 1899	428	11	6	1	6	4	3	432	1	114.50	63.60	106.00
131	Olive Branch.	169	March 20, 1899	194	6	1	1	7	6	3	184	8	47.00	26.40	44.00
132	King Solomon's.	170	April 4, 1899	289	4	1	1	13	9	7	264	2	66.25	38.55	64.25
133	Carnation.	171	May 12, 1899	283	11	1	1	4	11	2	278	4	74.50	41.10	68.50
134	Lexington.	172	July 18, 1899	190	9	1	1	2	9	4	185	1	50.75	27.75	48.50
135	Long Beach.	173	Aug. 7, 1899	450	12	11	4	13	37	7	457	1	119.25	64.65	114.75
136	San Pedro Harbor.	174	Aug. 18, 1899	485	19	1	3	6	37	5	460	2	120.25	66.15	110.25
137	Sisson.	175	Sept. 23, 1899	112	3	1	3	2	2	1	114	6	29.00	16.20	27.00
138	Miguelito.	176	Dec. 26, 1899	188	3	1	1	5	3	1	182	1	47.00	27.30	45.50
139	Orient.	177	March 21, 1900	153	2	1	1	5	5	6	144	2	36.25	21.15	35.25
140	Berkeley.	178	April 4, 1900	403	7	6	1	13	16	12	375	5	99.00	55.50	92.50
141	Ruclid.	179	May 3, 1900	246	4	4	1	5	1	4	245	1	65.00	36.60	61.00
142	Heber.	181	May 29, 1900	173	5	1	1	5	12	3	158	1	40.25	22.65	37.75
143	Valley Home.	182	July 28, 1900	109	5	1	1	3	3	1	108	1	29.75	16.05	26.75
144	California.	183	Aug. 4, 1900	409	6	4	2	8	4	8	401	1	101.00	57.60	101.25
145	Crockett.	184	Aug. 7, 1900	123	7	1	1	1	4	1	125	3	34.00	18.30	31.75
146	Santa Paula.	185	Sept. 22, 1900	231	5	1	4	14	9	1	218	7	55.75	31.65	52.75
147	Laurel.	186	Sept. 22, 1900	231	13	3	1	2	1	2	242	1	67.25	35.55	59.25
148	Eagle.	187	Oct. 27, 1900	39	1	1	1	5	1	1	35	1	8.75	5.25	8.75
149	Tebachapi.	188	Jan. 16, 1901	105	6	1	1	3	1	1	108	1	30.00	15.90	28.50
150	Calistoga.	189	Jan. 19, 1901	132	1	1	1	4	1	1	127	1	32.25	19.05	31.75
151	Sacramento.	190	March 7, 1901	363	6	5	1	19	22	4	329	16	83.75	46.95	78.25
152	Fullerton.	191	March 19, 1901	383	9	5	1	27	6	8	356	7	94.25	52.35	87.25
153	Pacific.	192	March 23, 1901	207	5	2	1	10	13	2	189	1	49.75	27.75	46.25
154	Alhambra.	193	March 25, 1901	352	5	1	3	10	37	1	313	1	80.00	46.20	77.00
155	Santa Clara.	195	June 15, 1901	344	14	4	1	7	3	4	348	1	95.00	51.60	86.00
156	San Francisco.	196	Sept. 16, 1901	252	6	5	1	11	11	1	240	1	65.50	36.00	60.00
157	Mt. Whitney.	197	Jan. 11, 1902	196	4	2	1	11	1	2	189	1	50.25	28.35	47.25
158	Maspha.	198	April 23, 1902	133	4	1	1	3	3	1	130	1	34.50	19.50	22.50
159	Ionia.	199	April 29, 1902	115	1	1	1	2	3	1	110	1	27.50	16.50	27.50
160	Las Mariposas.	200	May 27, 1902	138	9	2	1	3	12	3	131	13	35.00	17.70	29.50
161	Beckwith Star.	201	June 25, 1902	77	2	2	2	1	1	2	81	1	22.25	12.15	21.50
162	La Paloma.	202	Aug. 5, 1902	232	8	9	1	17	6	3	223	1	64.25	33.45	55.75
163	Sequoia.	203	Sept. 1, 1902	293	3	3	1	5	1	2	292	1	72.50	41.70	69.50

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164 Starr King.....	204	Sept. 26, 1902	192	14	2		8	14		1	185		1	54.00	27.60	46.00
165 Miramar.....	205	Sept. 30, 1902	262	8	2		10	6		2	254		4	67.50	37.50	62.50
166 Aloha.....	206	Oct. 4, 1902	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	47	.....	.....	11.75	7.05	11.75
167 Arcata.....	207	Dec. 8, 1902	254	3	1	.....	1	2	1	6	248	.....	4	63.00	36.60	61.00
168 Citrus.....	208	Feb. 25, 1903	182	5	4	.....	5	6	.....	2	178	3	2	47.75	25.95	43.25
169 Hollywood.....	209	Feb. 28, 1903	635	5	6	3	11	29	.....	12	597	3	10	151.50	87.60	150.75
170 Palestine.....	210	March 7, 1903	376	11	2	.....	10	4	.....	5	370	.....	19	94.25	52.85	87.75
171 Colton.....	211	July 8, 1903	185	9	7	.....	4	11	.....	1	185	.....	1	54.00	27.60	46.00
172 Gate City.....	212	Aug. 13, 1903	452	24	8	1	11	24	.....	6	444	2	10	124.00	64.80	113.25
173 Palo Alto.....	213	Aug. 22, 1903	328	7	1	.....	19	.....	.....	4	313	1	4	81.00	46.20	77.00
174 Almona.....	214	Sept. 5, 1903	185	2	8	.....	2	1	.....	3	189	.....	.....	52.25	28.35	47.25
175 San Rafael.....	215	Sept. 11, 1903	297	6	4	.....	9	5	.....	1	292	.....	2	77.50	43.50	72.50
176 Sunset.....	216	Sept. 16, 1903	222	2	2	.....	5	30	.....	3	188	4	5	46.75	26.85	44.75
177 Loyalty.....	217	Sept. 22, 1903	491	7	3	3	8	6	.....	3	487	3	20	121.00	69.60	119.50
178 Yosolano.....	218	Feb. 13, 1904	111	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	113	1	.....	29.00	16.80	28.00
179 Mill Valley.....	219	Feb. 16, 1904	220	10	1	.....	9	3	.....	3	216	.....	1	59.25	32.25	53.75
180 Pinole.....	220	Feb. 23, 1904	132	5	.....	.....	1	4	1	2	129	.....	3	34.00	18.90	31.50
181 Golden Rod.....	221	April 2, 1904	182	9	2	.....	6	6	.....	2	185	.....	.....	51.75	27.75	46.25
182 Rio Vista.....	222	April 5, 1904	114	7	1	.....	6	4	.....	5	107	.....	1	30.50	15.90	26.50
183 Loyal.....	223	April 27, 1904	122	1	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	30.50	18.00	30.00
184 Celandine.....	224	June 22, 1904	85	.....	.....	2	1	4	.....	.....	82	.....	.....	20.50	12.30	20.75
185 East Gate.....	225	Feb. 15, 1905	392	11	6	1	6	1	.....	6	397	4	13	103.50	57.00	95.00
186 Oakdale.....	226	April 11, 1905	145	5	4	.....	.....	4	2	2	148	1	5	40.00	21.30	35.50
187 Monrovia.....	227	April 12, 1905	265	5	5	.....	12	12	.....	4	247	2	5	65.00	36.00	60.00
188 Yerba Buena.....	228	April 14, 1905	293	6	1	2	13	3	.....	3	283	.....	4	73.25	41.85	71.00
189 Imperial.....	229	April 17, 1905	411	5	2	.....	20	3	.....	4	391	.....	.....	101.75	58.65	97.75
190 Sapphire.....	230	April 17, 1905	132	13	.....	2	9	10	.....	1	127	.....	.....	38.25	19.05	31.75
191 Lower Lake.....	231	April 20, 1905	72	3	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	71	.....	1	19.00	10.50	17.50
192 Bonner.....	232	April 29, 1905	90	6	1	.....	12	.....	.....	2	83	.....	3	23.50	12.00	20.00
193 Natoma.....	233	July 3, 1905	152	6	.....	.....	6	1	.....	1	150	.....	2	40.00	22.20	37.00
194 Los Cerritos.....	234	July 22, 1905	219	6	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	223	.....	.....	59.75	33.45	55.75
195 Keystone.....	235	Sept. 27, 1905	252	5	3	1	13	4	.....	3	241	1	3	63.25	35.55	64.50
196 Glen Eyrie.....	237	Feb. 22, 1906	375	15	7	.....	13	22	.....	3	359	.....	20	95.75	50.85	84.75
197 Jewel.....	238	March 20, 1906	255	3	8	.....	12	5	.....	2	247	.....	7	65.50	36.00	60.00
198 Monterey.....	239	March 30, 1906	157	9	2	.....	5	5	.....	1	157	1	.....	44.50	23.40	39.00
199 Buena Park.....	240	April 6, 1906	121	2	1	.....	5	.....	.....	3	116	.....	.....	30.50	17.40	29.00
200 La Victoria.....	241	April 6, 1906	57	1	.....	2	6	4	.....	.....	50	.....	2	12.50	7.20	12.00
201 Needles.....	242	April 11, 1906	235	6	2	1	5	8	.....	.....	231	.....	14	58.25	32.55	55.50
202 Elsinore.....	243	April 16, 1906	120	1	1	.....	7	.....	.....	6	109	.....	5	27.00	15.60	26.00
203 Milton.....	244	April 17, 1906	58	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	55	1	3	13.25	7.65	12.75
204 Ocean Park.....	245	May 10, 1906	275	9	4	.....	8	3	.....	3	274	.....	9	72.75	39.75	66.25

205	Phumas.....	246	June 11, 1906	134	13	1	1	1	146	43.50	21.90	36.50
206	Columbia.....	247	June 14, 1906	238	14	2	1	2	248	69.75	37.05	66.00
207	Hollenbeck.....	248	June 23, 1906	563	10	4	3	14	544	138.75	79.05	131.75
208	Acantha.....	249	Sept. 7, 1906	300	3	2	3	12	291	74.25	43.05	77.25
209	Sunnyvale.....	250	March 14, 1907	151	5	3	2	5	146	40.50	21.90	36.50
210	Ideal.....	251	April 8, 1907	234	13	1	17	6	223	61.25	32.55	54.25
211	Casimir.....	252	April 13, 1907	279	7	6	17	4	267	72.75	39.75	66.25
212	Artesia.....	253	April 15, 1907	117	3	1	5	11	102	27.50	15.30	25.50
213	North East.....	254	April 19, 1907	65				1	64	15.75	9.45	15.75
214	Richmond.....	255	April 22, 1907	360	9	2	12	7	349	89.00	50.10	83.50
215	Reedley.....	257	May 28, 1907	116	6	5	2	6	123	36.00	18.30	38.00
216	Oriental.....	258	Sept. 6, 1907	308	5	1	1	6	287	72.50	41.70	74.75
217	Seaside.....	259	April 17, 1907	160	4	4	1	8	160	43.25	23.55	44.50
218	Gardena.....	260	Sept. 30, 1907	202	15	2	6	4	207	59.25	30.45	50.75
219	Dinuba.....	261	Oct. 28, 1907	137	3	2	1	4	128	33.75	18.75	31.25
220	Amity.....	262	Nov. 30, 1907	368	5	8	2	7	370	97.75	54.75	91.50
221	Highland Park.....	263	Jan. 13, 1908	361	4	4	2	9	352	90.00	51.60	86.00
222	San Diego.....	264	Jan. 17, 1908	549	22	15	1	15	550	155.00	81.90	136.75
223	Daylight.....	265	Feb. 6, 1908	402	4	12	2	13	381	99.00	54.60	92.25
224	Garvanza.....	266	Feb. 19, 1908	190	9	4	2	7	188	53.50	28.20	47.00
225	Golden Rule.....	267	Feb. 21, 1908	81	1		2		79	20.25	11.85	19.75
226	West Lake.....	268	Feb. 22, 1908	313	8	3	1	5	309	79.75	44.55	78.50
227	Parnassus.....	269	Feb. 27, 1908	451	17	3	12	3	454	121.75	67.05	111.75
228	Eschscholtzia.....	270	March 14, 1908	187	9		1	5	181	48.50	26.40	44.00
229	Monte Vista.....	271	March 16, 1908	150	3	3	5	17	134	35.75	19.65	32.75
230	South Pasadena.....	272	March 28, 1908	282	19	7	2	12	294	85.50	43.50	73.75
231	Santa Cruz.....	273	April 4, 1908	323	7	9	4	4	323	89.00	48.00	80.00
232	St. Helena.....	274	May 2, 1908	89	10	2	3		98	29.75	14.25	23.75
233	Burlingame.....	275	May 16, 1908	385	23	9	11	4	401	111.50	57.30	95.50
234	Signal.....	276	June 8, 1908	246	6	2	2	9	241	63.25	35.55	59.25
235	Athens.....	277	June 10, 1908	311	3	3	1	4	309	78.25	45.15	75.25
236	Vallejo.....	278	Sept. 26, 1908	436	23	3	1	8	430	119.00	63.60	111.25
237	Mystic Star.....	279	Nov. 24, 1908	152	10		3	12	146	41.50	21.90	36.50
238	Ocidental.....	280	Jan. 22, 1909	57	6		2	2	57	16.50	9.10	13.50
239	Pleiades.....	281	Jan. 30, 1909	219	1	2	7		213	52.50	30.60	51.00
240	La Posa.....	282	March 30, 1909	140	8	3	1		149	42.50	22.20	37.00
241	Ione.....	283	April 22, 1909	124	4	1	1	8	118	31.25	17.25	28.75
242	Albert Pike.....	284	April 26, 1909	544	12	5	2	12	534	136.00	76.50	127.50
243	Rising Light.....	286	May 28, 1909	360	9	7	2	19	358	97.50	53.70	95.00
244	Poinsettia.....	287	June 8, 1909	407	5	4			115	33.25	17.25	28.75
245	Fraternity.....	288	Nov. 23, 1909	121	9	4	9		423	107.00	60.30	100.50
246	Alamo.....	289	Jan. 13, 1910	181	2	1	4	17	162	41.25	23.85	39.75
247	West Gate.....	290	Feb. 1, 1910	284	5	1	19	7	260	66.50	38.10	63.50
248	Point Arena.....	291	May 31, 1910	78			3	1	77	19.25	11.25	18.75
249	Rose.....	292	June 11, 1910	377	6	2	3	7	372	95.25	54.75	91.25
250	Elvesta.....	293	July 30, 1910	397	12	3	11	3	393	101.50	56.40	94.00

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251 Pleasanton.....	294	Sept. 22, 1910	169	6	2	1	1	2	1	1	173	1	3	46.25	25.35	42.35
252 Fresno.....	295	Sept. 30, 1910	395	34	4	1	12	5	4	4	411	12	4	118.75	59.85	104.00
253 Visalia.....	296	Oct. 1, 1910	269	9	3	1	5	4	4	4	264	2	4	69.00	38.70	64.50
254 Fruitvale.....	297	Dec. 21, 1910	277	9	1	1	13	12	8	9	277	3	16	75.25	41.35	70.50
255 Golden State.....	298	Jan. 10, 1911	284	9	2	3	10	13	8	8	263	3	16	66.00	38.60	61.00
256 Sierra Madre.....	299	Jan. 23, 1911	137	2	3	1	8	12	5	5	87	2	6	24.75	13.05	21.75
257 La Mesa.....	300	March 4, 1911	136	1	5	2	8	8	1	1	117	2	6	27.75	16.35	27.25
258 Ada.....	301	March 23, 1911	381	20	1	1	28	11	1	3	385	5	8	28	96.75	50.55
259 Miriam.....	302	April 28, 1911	101	9	1	1	11	13	1	1	110	1	5	31.25	15.75	84.25
260 Golden Chain.....	303	April 29, 1911	343	11	2	1	17	13	1	1	322	1	8	86.75	48.15	80.25
261 Bechany.....	304	May 9, 1911	80	7	1	1	9	5	2	2	86	1	7	25.50	12.90	21.50
262 Ruth.....	305	May 12, 1911	152	8	1	1	9	5	1	2	147	1	7	41.25	22.05	36.75
263 Lindsay.....	306	June 13, 1911	158	3	1	1	7	11	1	2	141	1	7	35.00	20.10	33.50
264 Southland.....	307	Jan. 13, 1912	270	6	4	1	13	15	1	1	251	3	1	66.75	37.05	67.00
265 Mary E. Partridge.....	308	Jan. 19, 1912	387	13	6	1	14	2	1	1	389	3	9	104.50	57.00	95.00
266 Colton.....	309	Feb. 17, 1912	86	8	1	2	22	15	1	1	72	5	5	21.25	10.05	16.75
267 Palms Verdes.....	310	Feb. 26, 1912	579	7	21	2	10	15	9	9	575	7	16	156.00	85.20	147.50
268 Imperial Crown.....	311	March 27, 1912	176	1	1	1	11	2	2	1	164	1	16	38.00	22.20	37.00
269 Kingsburg.....	312	July 11, 1912	141	6	1	1	1	2	2	2	143	3	11	39.25	21.45	41.00
270 Paso de Rock.....	313	Sept. 12, 1912	230	4	1	1	5	10	4	2	218	1	30	53.50	30.60	53.50
271 Willits.....	314	March 13, 1912	137	2	1	1	12	6	4	2	128	1	30	32.75	19.05	34.00
272 Moneta.....	315	Nov. 30, 1912	333	15	2	4	13	13	2	2	326	1	6	82.00	44.40	75.25
273 Amritos.....	316	Feb. 1, 1913	141	2	2	1	11	25	5	5	276	1	6	34.75	19.65	32.75
274 Rose Croix.....	317	March 10, 1913	308	11	3	1	16	25	3	3	63	3	7	74.25	40.35	67.25
275 Sierra.....	318	April 14, 1913	344	11	4	1	10	8	3	3	338	1	7	16.75	9.45	21.00
276 Ingewood.....	319	May 3, 1913	141	10	4	1	8	8	3	3	338	1	7	90.25	49.65	82.75
277 Concordia.....	320	June 16, 1913	138	8	2	1	2	5	1	1	144	9	9	38.75	20.25	33.75
278 Portola.....	321	June 28, 1913	128	3	3	2	9	4	1	1	140	1	30	38.00	21.00	42.50
279 Otmar.....	322	June 28, 1913	164	4	2	1	9	8	1	1	118	1	30	32.50	17.70	35.00
280 Maricopa.....	323	July 12, 1913	164	4	2	1	2	3	2	2	164	2	2	43.50	24.30	40.75
281 Claremont.....	324	March 4, 1914	165	2	1	1	11	2	1	1	95	2	2	24.75	14.25	23.75
282 La Puente.....	325	April 4, 1914	76	1	1	1	2	4	1	1	87	2	2	22.25	12.75	21.25
283 Wild Rose.....	326	April 22, 1914	76	1	1	1	2	4	1	1	72	2	2	19.00	10.50	17.50
284 Sunshine.....	327	May 30, 1914	91	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	91	1	2	26.50	14.10	23.50
285 Ewena.....	328	May 30, 1914	284	8	1	1	5	12	2	2	54	1	4	13.50	7.50	12.50
286 Wilshire.....	329	July 18, 1914	284	8	2	1	3	12	1	1	295	1	4	81.50	43.50	74.75
287 Chino Valley.....	330	July 21, 1914	100	3	2	1	2	8	2	2	103	1	4	28.25	15.45	29.00
288 Hayward.....	331	Sept. 14, 1914	128	5	1	1	3	3	2	2	921	2	7	56.50	31.80	53.00
289 Coronado.....	332	Oct. 14, 1914	117	1	1	1	7	5	1	1	135	1	3	33.00	18.30	30.50
290 El Rio.....	333	Dec. 26, 1915	108	1	3	4	7	5	2	2	104	1	6	25.00	14.70	24.50
291 Exeter.....	334	Feb. 26, 1915	108	1	3	4	7	5	2	2	114	1	6	32.00	17.10	31.25

292 Montebello.....	335	March 17, 1915	261	12	3	6	8	4	258	16	68.00	36.30	60.50
293 Riverview.....	336	April 13, 1915	144	5	3	6	9	2	143	1	39.50	21.30	35.50
294 Taft.....	337	May 22, 1915	426	8	1	11	2	1	415	1	108.25	61.95	106.50
295 Van Nuys.....	338	Sept. 10, 1915	264	10	2	1	8	1	361	2	70.00	38.40	64.00
296 Pentalpha.....	339	Dec. 29, 1915	137	3	1	1	9	2	129	6	32.75	18.45	30.75
297 Esparto.....	341	April 28, 1916	128	2	1	1	5	1	124	1	32.00	18.60	31.00
298 Manzanita.....	342	May 9, 1916	116	8	4	1	4	1	122	1	36.25	18.15	30.25
299 York.....	343	June 13, 1916	153	1	1	1	15	1	137	7	33.00	19.50	32.50
300 Alascadero.....	344	Sept. 2, 1916	108	4	2	2	6	4	104	1	39.00	15.60	32.50
301 South West.....	345	Oct. 9, 1916	238	6	1	4	7	3	226	1	60.00	33.90	56.50
302 Upland.....	346	Nov. 23, 1916	163	3	1	4	2	3	159	1	42.00	23.70	38.30
303 Yorba Linda.....	347	Feb. 9, 1917	98	3	4	7	8	1	80	6	33.75	18.35	23.00
304 Joquin.....	348	April 16, 1917	195	8	3	1	5	3	180	6	53.75	28.95	48.50
305 Caeneville.....	349	April 24, 1917	76	7	5	2	4	2	352	5	23.50	12.00	20.00
306 Golden West.....	350	June 21, 1918	347	13	3	1	9	1	324	1	63.75	35.85	69.75
307 Tabuiza.....	351	Sept. 31, 1918	85	5	3	4	7	7	221	16	22.50	12.60	21.00
308 Burlauk.....	352	March 26, 1919	266	3	2	4	8	2	323	6	88.75	30.75	55.50
309 Pittsburg.....	353	June 26, 1919	240	10	4	10	7	2	171	1	48.00	25.50	42.50
310 Elshan.....	354	Aug. 2, 1919	323	15	4	7	7	1	105	6	88.75	47.55	79.25
311 Golden Poppy.....	355	Oct. 4, 1919	109	3	1	7	7	1	208	1	21.25	10.65	17.75
312 Glen.....	356	Dec. 13, 1919	187	6	1	2	2	1	72	1	21.25	10.65	17.75
313 Corinthian.....	357	Dec. 30, 1919	67	4	1	3	3	1	110	2	29.50	16.50	27.50
314 Elvile.....	358	Feb. 7, 1920	110	6	2	3	5	1	163	2	43.75	24.15	40.25
315 Quadiella Valley.....	359	March 13, 1920	165	5	1	11	3	1	172	10	44.00	24.30	42.00
316 Ellmore.....	361	May 12, 1920	178	6	1	2	3	1	81	3	20.00	11.70	19.50
317 Libertas.....	362	May 15, 1920	85	1	4	1	3	1	114	1	30.50	17.10	28.50
318 Lyman.....	363	July 9, 1920	123	4	2	1	4	3	64	1	19.50	9.60	16.00
319 Buena Vista.....	364	July 29, 1920	64	5	2	37	1	5	349	2	94.75	52.35	91.50
320 Chowchilla.....	365	Aug. 23, 1920	376	6	1	1	16	2	229	2	57.75	34.05	56.75
321 Aetna.....	366	Sept. 15, 1920	249	1	1	1	1	1	89	1	24.75	13.35	22.25
322 Ramona Star.....	367	Sept. 21, 1920	104	5	1	1	1	1	95	1	24.00	14.10	23.50
323 Arbuckle.....	368	Sept. 22, 1920	99	1	1	1	3	1	97	1	25.75	14.55	24.25
324 Maxwell.....	369	Nov. 30, 1920	100	1	2	1	5	1	74	1	20.25	10.95	18.25
325 Corean.....	370	April 13, 1921	72	3	1	1	3	1	70	1	17.50	10.50	17.50
326 Live Oak.....	371	May 2, 1921	71	8	1	1	4	1	265	1	70.25	39.75	66.25
327 Linden.....	372	May 14, 1921	263	11	2	1	8	2	233	2	59.75	31.95	53.25
328 Stockton.....	373	May 21, 1921	230	1	8	1	2	1	245	6	67.25	35.85	59.75
329 Lebanon.....	374	May 27, 1921	249	10	5	14	1	4	430	1	111.50	62.10	103.50
330 Thousand Oaks.....	375	June 2, 1921	445	15	1	21	3	2	170	5	45.75	24.75	41.25
331 Sunbeam.....	376	June 27, 1921	172	9	2	1	9	8	99	6	26.75	13.95	27.50
332 Westwood.....	377	July 9, 1921	108	5	2	1	3	1	56	1	15.00	8.40	14.00
333 Kearsarge.....	378	July 14, 1921	55	1	1	1	4	1	205	1	54.50	30.00	50.00
334 Grafton.....	379	July 30, 1921	207	7	2	1	7	1	79	1	21.75	11.85	19.75
335 Torrance.....	380	Sept. 3, 1921	78	3	1	1	2	1	273	25	67.50	37.20	62.00
336 McCloud.....	381	Sept. 8, 1921	281	10	1	11	7	1	1	1	1	1	1
337 Crocker.....	382	Sept. 9, 1921	281	10	1	11	7	1	1	1	1	1	1

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338	Beacon	383	Sept. 9, 1921	192	7			5	2		1	191		10	48.75	27.15	45.25	
339	Concord	384	Sept. 28, 1921	165	12			5	1		2	169	1	5	46.75	24.45	40.75	
340	Rainbow	385	Oct. 13, 1921	256	9	6		3	10	2	256			5	70.25	37.65	62.75	
341	Alameda	386	Nov. 30, 1921	194	5			5	10		2	182		3	47.25	26.85	44.75	
342	Silver Strand	387	Dec. 17, 1921	209	11	10		12	7	1	210		10		60.50	30.00	50.00	
343	Victory	388	Feb. 11, 1922	162	5			10	14		1	142		3	37.25	20.85	34.75	
344	Santa Ana	389	March 8, 1922	248	6	1		14	19		223				59.00	33.30	55.50	
345	Fallbrook	390	March 9, 1922	60	5			1		1	2	61			17.75	9.15	15.25	
346	Caledonia	391	March 13, 1922	230	2			1		5	226				57.50	33.90	56.50	
347	Effie Easton	392	April 24, 1922	170	2	4		9	5		1	161	2	5	41.50	23.10	38.50	
348	Bell	393	May 2, 1922	202	3	1	2	8	3		197		15		47.50	27.30	46.75	
349	Point	394	July 6, 1922	91	2			5	1		87	1	5		21.25	12.15	20.25	
350	Culver City	395	July 27, 1922	226	2	4		8	12		4	208		13	51.75	29.25	48.75	
351	Seal Rock	396	Aug. 11, 1922	166	10	1		6	10		161	1	1		45.25	23.85	39.75	
352	Bellflower	397	Sept. 6, 1922	170	10	2		1	3		4	174	1	6	47.75	25.05	41.75	
353	San Fernando	398	Sept. 30, 1922	224	9	1	1	11	8		2	214	2		58.00	31.80	53.00	
354	Bettina	399	Oct. 11, 1922	276	18	3	2	13	7		3	276		1	79.25	41.25	69.25	
355	Riverdale	400	Nov. 29, 1922	74	5						1	78			22.00	11.70	19.50	
356	Starlight	401	Dec. 9, 1922	355	8	4	1	11	14		4	339			90.75	50.85	89.00	
357	Belvedere	402	Dec. 23, 1922	184	7	2		3	16		3	171	2	3	46.00	24.90	41.50	
358	Lankershim	403	Jan. 16, 1923	276	10	5	1	15	1		1	275			76.25	41.25	69.00	
359	Beverly Hills	404	Feb. 2, 1923	165	7	1	3	4	13		2	157	2		42.75	23.25	38.75	
360	Ami Tai	405	March 23, 1923	137	2			3	5		1	130			33.50	19.50	32.50	
361	Siloam	406	April 11, 1923	175	2	2		8	3		3	165		1	43.00	24.60	41.00	
362	San Gabriel	407	April 27, 1923	126	4	1		8	4			119		6	30.75	16.95	28.25	
363	America	408	June 16, 1923	182	5	4		3	10		2	176		1	48.25	26.25	43.75	
364	George Washington	409	July 9, 1923	247	9	1		8	2		2	245		12	68.25	34.95	58.25	
365	Lake Merritt	410	July 10, 1923	222	17	5		3	1		1	239		10	68.25	34.35	57.25	
366	West Adams	411	July 27, 1923	203	4	4		4	8	1		198		1	53.25	29.55	49.25	
367	Estrella	412	Aug. 4, 1923	200	10			2	1		3	204	1		55.75	30.45	50.75	
368	Cahuenga	413	Aug. 8, 1923	182	14	5		6	7		2	186		8	54.00	26.70	44.50	
369	Service	414	Aug. 13, 1923	248	6	3	1	13	21		3	221	3		59.00	32.70	58.75	
370	Loma Vista	415	Aug. 17, 1923	196	5	3		6	7			191		2	51.25	28.35	47.25	
371	Smyrna	416	Aug. 18, 1923	92				1		3		2	88		2	22.00	12.90	21.50
372	Patterson	417	Oct. 12, 1923	72	6	3		1				80	1	2	23.75	11.55	19.25	
373	Arlington	418	Nov. 17, 1923	194	3			1	1	8		3	186			48.00	27.90	46.75
374	Fort Sutter	420	Nov. 30, 1923	239	5		2	11	15		1	219		16	53.25	30.45	53.25	
375	Radiant	421	Jan. 19, 1924	210	7	4		13	9		2	197		2	54.25	29.25	48.75	
376	Glendale	422	Jan. 19, 1924	331	18	10		8	26		4	321		3	93.50	47.70	79.50	
377	Plymouth	423	Jan. 31, 1924	129	7	2		1	7		1	129			36.75	19.35	32.25	
378	Nimshi	424	Feb. 9, 1924	241	3	1		9	20		3	213	1		55.00	31.80	53.25	

379	Plays Linda.....	425	March 1, 1924	197	9	3	1	18	1	181	1	11	46.75	25.35	42.35
380	Security.....	426	March 10, 1924	288	9	3	1	6	1	284	1	11	77.00	71.00	71.00
381	Seaport.....	427	March 29, 1924	142	17	5	1	6	1	149	1	8	42.60	42.60	42.60
382	El Camino.....	428	March 31, 1924	171	5	3	1	8	1	169	2	8	45.25	45.25	45.25
383	El Cajon.....	429	May 17, 1924	173	3	1	1	1	1	174	2	2	45.25	45.25	45.25
384	El Sereno.....	430	June 2, 1924	109	13	1	1	1	1	121	1	2	38.25	38.25	38.25
385	Smartville.....	431	June 14, 1924	64	1	3	1	1	1	67	1	1	18.15	18.15	18.15
386	Forest.....	432	June 29, 1924	144	2	2	1	3	1	140	1	1	16.75	16.75	16.75
387	Football.....	433	July 7, 1924	215	11	2	1	9	1	212	1	1	36.00	36.00	36.00
388	Triality.....	434	Aug. 2, 1924	138	8	7	1	4	1	146	1	1	59.50	59.50	59.50
389	Searchlight.....	435	Aug. 12, 1924	285	7	5	1	13	1	278	1	1	41.00	41.00	41.00
390	Sunnyside.....	436	Dec. 15, 1924	206	9	2	1	11	1	202	1	1	21.90	21.90	21.90
391	Ascot.....	437	Jan. 30, 1925	221	7	2	1	3	1	214	1	1	75.50	75.50	75.50
392	Lynwood.....	438	Feb. 19, 1925	116	7	6	1	11	1	123	1	9	55.75	55.75	55.75
393	Guardian.....	439	Feb. 19, 1925	204	6	9	1	11	1	208	1	2	36.75	36.75	36.75
394	Freside.....	440	Feb. 27, 1925	129	4	1	1	2	1	118	1	1	59.25	59.25	59.25
395	Utopia.....	441	March 9, 1925	106	7	2	1	9	1	105	1	1	31.50	31.50	31.50
396	Granada.....	442	March 25, 1925	132	14	3	1	8	1	146	1	1	30.75	30.75	30.75
397	South Park.....	443	March 26, 1925	297	14	3	1	6	1	267	1	3	73.75	73.75	73.75
398	Whittier.....	444	April 18, 1925	191	8	9	1	5	1	194	1	2	56.25	56.25	56.25
399	Tubunga.....	445	April 20, 1925	120	4	1	1	7	1	107	1	3	28.62	28.62	28.62
400	Ionio.....	446	April 27, 1925	213	10	1	1	11	1	217	1	14	55.75	55.75	55.75
401	Escalonia.....	447	May 6, 1925	77	12	1	1	2	1	86	1	1	27.50	27.50	27.50
402	Temple City.....	448	May 7, 1925	114	1	1	1	11	1	102	1	4	25.50	25.50	25.50
403	Manchester.....	449	May 18, 1925	206	15	1	1	15	1	203	1	2	58.75	58.75	58.75
404	North Star.....	450	May 29, 1925	59	3	1	1	1	1	63	1	2	17.75	17.75	17.75
405	Liberty.....	451	June 24, 1925	91	4	4	1	1	1	93	1	1	30.15	30.15	30.15
406	Canoga.....	452	July 7, 1925	112	5	1	1	2	1	110	1	1	27.35	27.35	27.35
407	Santa Maria.....	453	July 15, 1925	57	5	1	1	4	1	50	1	1	18.50	18.50	18.50
408	Harding.....	454	Aug. 4, 1925	119	10	3	1	1	1	130	1	3	17.95	17.95	17.95
409	Elmhurst.....	455	Aug. 7, 1925	119	5	1	1	1	1	137	1	3	38.35	38.35	38.35
410	Triangle.....	456	Aug. 10, 1925	120	4	1	1	1	1	116	1	1	32.35	32.35	32.35
411	Celia de Oro.....	457	Feb. 13, 1926	166	7	1	1	2	1	170	1	1	48.35	48.35	48.35
412	Chula Vista.....	458	Feb. 13, 1926	120	7	2	1	1	1	132	1	1	25.85	25.85	25.85
413	Wilhelmina.....	459	Feb. 27, 1926	120	8	1	1	8	1	131	1	1	33.35	33.35	33.35
414	Justice.....	460	April 5, 1926	120	11	1	1	2	1	127	1	2	37.35	37.35	37.35
415	Larchmont.....	461	May 7, 1926	141	1	3	1	6	1	136	1	1	37.75	37.75	37.75
416	The Gardens.....	462	May 28, 1926	107	5	1	1	1	1	190	1	1	30.40	30.40	30.40
417	Rosedale.....	463	June 28, 1926	105	1	1	1	12	1	107	1	1	30.80	30.80	30.80
418	Malrose.....	464	July 24, 1926	193	8	4	1	1	1	137	1	2	26.50	26.50	26.50
419	Malibu.....	465	July 31, 1926	218	3	3	1	1	1	102	1	1	38.75	38.75	38.75
420	Star of the West.....	466	Aug. 10, 1926	112	2	1	1	2	1	113	1	1	32.85	32.85	32.85
421	Howthorne.....	467	Aug. 18, 1926	104	3	5	1	1	1	98	1	1	27.00	27.00	27.00
422	Rosevelt.....	468	Aug. 18, 1926	104	3	5	1	1	1	106	1	5	30.00	30.00	30.00
423	Aradale.....	471	Oct. 12, 1926	155	19	1	1	3	1	145	1	4	44.25	44.25	44.25
424	Brilliant Star.....	472		175	19	1	1	3	1	191	1	4	56.75	56.75	56.75

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425	Lamanda Park.....	473	Nov. 20, 1926	119	6	5	1	5	8			124		9	34.25	17.25	28.75
426	Palisades.....	474	Jan. 15, 1927	146	4	2		5	8			139		3	37.00	20.40	34.00
427	Malta.....	475	Jan. 21, 1927	146	6	6	.....	3	.....	.....	2	147	.....	3	39.00	21.60	36.00
428	Bethel.....	476	Feb. 9, 1927	123	5	5	.....	1	.....	.....	1	131	.....	.....	37.75	19.65	32.75
429	Florence.....	477	Feb. 12, 1927	149	5	.....	.....	2	6	.....	.....	145	1	.....	38.50	21.60	36.00
430	Normal Heights.....	478	Feb. 18, 1927	128	6	3	.....	2	.....	.....	2	133	.....	.....	37.75	19.95	33.25
431	La Jolla.....	479	March 7, 1927	84	3	3	2	5	.....	.....	2	85	.....	.....	24.25	12.75	22.50
432	Majestic.....	480	April 12, 1927	211	8	2	.....	9	3	.....	1	208	1	.....	56.75	31.05	51.75
433	Presidio.....	481	April 14, 1927	196	34	8	1	8	16	.....	.....	215	.....	.....	74.75	32.25	53.75
434	Sanger.....	482	April 26, 1927	106	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	109	.....	.....	29.25	16.35	27.25
435	Garden Grove.....	483	April 28, 1927	104	5	2	.....	4	4	.....	.....	103	.....	.....	29.25	15.45	25.75
436	Prudence.....	484	May 26, 1927	103	7	4	2	6	3	.....	1	106	1	2	31.25	15.45	25.75
437	Big Bear.....	485	June 18, 1927	42	4	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	46	.....	.....	14.00	6.90	11.50
438	Glassell Park.....	486	July 13, 1927	187	3	2	.....	5	3	.....	2	182	.....	2	47.50	27.00	45.00
439	White Pine.....	487	July 25, 1927	77	3	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	78	.....	.....	20.75	11.55	19.25
440	Orange Blossom.....	488	Aug. 16, 1927	113	7	1	.....	4	1	.....	3	113	.....	7	30.50	15.90	26.50
441	Wasco.....	489	Oct. 1, 1927	130	3	2	.....	3	6	1	.....	125	.....	.....	33.75	18.75	31.25
442	Point Loma.....	490	Nov. 14, 1927	65	7	4	.....	2	3	.....	.....	71	1	.....	23.00	10.50	17.50
443	Palms.....	491	Dec. 5, 1927	111	2	.....	.....	2	2	.....	1	108	.....	1	27.75	16.05	26.75
444	Henry S. Orme.....	492	May 14, 1928	143	12	3	.....	3	4	.....	.....	151	.....	.....	45.25	22.65	37.75
445	Jarman.....	493	May 25, 1928	242	15	2	.....	6	6	.....	2	245	.....	3	69.00	36.30	60.50
446	Crescenta Valley.....	494	June 4, 1928	75	4	7	.....	2	4	.....	.....	80	1	.....	25.25	11.85	19.75
447	Beacon Ray.....	495	June 14, 1928	101	.....	11	.....	5	4	.....	1	102	.....	3	30.25	14.85	24.75
448	Nonpareil.....	496	June 16, 1928	57	2	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	58	.....	.....	16.00	8.70	14.50
449	Menorah.....	497	June 16, 1928	221	7	1	.....	5	17	.....	1	206	.....	1	55.25	30.75	51.25
450	Composite.....	498	June 21, 1928	92	13	1	.....	1	4	.....	2	50	.....	6	30.75	14.25	23.75
451	El Dorado.....	499	June 30, 1928	54	1	1	1	3	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	13.50	7.50	12.50
452	Jordan.....	500	July 12, 1928	99	11	1	1	2	.....	.....	1	107	.....	.....	32.75	16.05	26.75
453	Santa Barbara.....	501	July 14, 1928	57	5	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	62	.....	.....	19.00	9.30	15.50
454	All States.....	502	Aug. 8, 1928	152	8	4	.....	2	11	.....	.....	151	.....	2	43.25	22.35	37.25
455	Olivette.....	503	Aug. 13, 1928	117	2	1	.....	1	2	.....	1	116	.....	4	29.50	16.80	28.00
456	Rosa M. Shattuck.....	504	Aug. 15, 1928	97	1	2	.....	4	11	.....	.....	85	.....	.....	22.75	12.75	21.25
457	Reseda.....	505	April 1, 1929	89	11	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	1	95	.....	.....	29.25	14.25	23.75
458	Brea.....	506	April 12, 1929	78	2	.....	.....	2	2	.....	.....	76	.....	4	19.00	10.80	18.00
459	El Petrol.....	507	April 22, 1929	91	6	1	.....	2	1	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	27.25	14.25	23.75
460	La Habra.....	508	April 24, 1929	94	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	94	.....	13	20.75	12.15	20.25
461	San Dimas.....	509	April 25, 1929	83	1	1	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	80	1	.....	20.75	11.85	19.75
462	Woodlake.....	510	April 27, 1929	58	4	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	2	57	.....	.....	16.25	8.55	14.25
463	Mar Vista.....	511	April 30, 1929	85	6	.....	.....	7	2	.....	.....	82	.....	.....	23.50	12.30	20.50
464	Point Firmin.....	512	May 4, 1929	117	7	.....	.....	4	5	.....	.....	115	.....	.....	32.25	17.25	28.75
465	Temple.....	513	May 11, 1929	118	9	2	.....	2	1	.....	2	124	.....	4	35.50	18.00	30.00

466	Faith.....	514	July 19, 1929	96	6	2	1	3	1	103	1	29.50	15.30	25.50			
467	San Geronio.....	515	July 31, 1929	62	5	1	6	3	58	1	17.50	8.70	14.50				
468	Angeles Vista.....	516	Aug. 3, 1929	111	9	6	1	6	121	37.75	18.15	30.50					
469	Holly Vista.....	517	Aug. 6, 1929	93	3	5	4	4	97	28.25	14.55	24.25					
470	Betsy Ross.....	518	Aug. 7, 1929	83	6	1	2	2	86	25.00	12.90	22.00					
471	Encina.....	519	March 19, 1930	51	3	1	6	4	49	14.25	7.35	12.25					
472	Wil-Brea.....	520	May 3, 1930	85	10	5	1	3	95	31.25	14.25	23.75					
473	Laguna Beach.....	521	June 11, 1930	50	2	3	2	2	52	15.50	7.80	13.00					
474	Atwater.....	522	June 17, 1930	52	5	1	2	1	56	17.00	8.40	14.00					
475	Vallecito.....	523	July 19, 1930	45	2	2	4	1	44	2	12.50	6.30	10.50				
476	San Clemente.....	524	May 5, 1930	38	2	1	1	1	38	10.50	5.70	9.50					
477	Cambria Pines.....	525	Oct. 4, 1930	71	5	2	2	2	72	20.50	10.80	18.00					
478	Altadena.....	526	March 14, 1931	100	7	7	1	1	113	4	34.25	16.35	27.25				
479	Baldwin Park.....	527	April 30, 1931	59	4	4	3	1	63	1	19.50	9.30	15.50				
480	Ojai.....	528	April 16, 1932	38	7	2	3	1	42	14.00	6.30	10.50					
481	Lauralane.....	529	July 14, 1933	68	7	2	2	1	74	23.00	11.10	18.50					
482	Willow Glen.....	530	Nov. 10, 1933	45	13	9	1	1	67	1	27.50	9.90	16.50				
483	Livingston.....	531	Dec. 29, 1933	34	11	6	1	1	45	16.75	6.75	11.25					
484	Modesto.....	532	March 10, 1934	43	12	7	1	1	61	24.25	9.15	15.25					
485	Sterling.....	533	June 4, 1934	33	18	7	1	1	51	31.25	7.65	12.75					
486	Venus.....	534	June 8, 1934	24	7	1	1	1	31	16.25	4.65	7.75					
487	Westwood Hills.....	U.D.	July 30, 1934	21	34	1	1	1	55	34.25	8.25	13.75					
488	Dunsmuir.....	U.D.	Sept. 8, 1934	22	30	1	1	1	52	32.00	7.80	13.00					
489	Mojave Valley.....	U.D.	Oct. 6, 1934	23	35	1	1	1	58	36.50	8.70	14.50					
Total.....				98,460	3392	1285	234	2844	2714	34	1136	96643	231	1933	\$25,923.25	\$14,171.85	\$23,921.00

LIST OF EXTINGUISHED CHAPTERS IN CALIFORNIA

No.	Name	Location	County	Instituted	Chartered	Charters
4	California	San Francisco	San Francisco	{ Before Grand Chapter was organized }	April 1873	Recalled—Oct. 17, 1893
7	Alameda	Alameda	Alameda		April 1873	Surrendered—Sept. 18, 1878
11	Rocklin	Rocklin	Placer		April 1873	Recalled—Feb. 9, 1878
12	Anador	{ Drytown Plymouth }	Anador	Mar. 7, 1874	April 1874	Surrendered—Oct., 1880
15	Eureka	San Jose	San Clara	Feb. 2, 1875	Oct. 18, 1875	Surrendered—Oct. 15, 1877
16	Rainbow	{ Rohnerville Hydesville }	Humboldt	April 3, 1875	Oct. 18, 1875	Recalled—Oct. 22, 1891
22	Olive Branch	Hornitos	Mariposa	Mar. 21, 1876	Oct. 17, 1876	Recalled—Aug. 16, 1887
24	Centennial	West Oakland	Alameda	Oct. 11, 1876	Oct. 17, 1876	Surrendered—March 27, 1879
25	Harmony	No. San Juan	Nevada		Oct. 17, 1876	Surrendered—May 28, 1889
26	Queen Esther	{ Windsor Healdsburg }	Sonoma	April 5, 1877	Oct. 16, 1877	Surrendered—Oct., 1880
22	Merrile	Dixon	Solano	Sept. 14, 1877	Oct. 16, 1877	Surrendered—Nov. 10, 1885
32	Ojai	Winters	Yolo	April 18, 1878	Oct. 16, 1878	Surrendered—March 22, 1883
37	Adah	{ Meridian College City }	{ Colusa Sutter }	May 24, 1879	Oct. 21, 1879	Recalled—August 16, 1887
38	Pacific	Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz	Nov. 21, 1879	Nov. 21, 1879	Surrendered—May 17, 1884
43	Woodbine	Walnut Creek	Contra Costa	May 8, 1880	Oct. 19, 1880	Surrendered—February 26, 1884
52	Quincy	Quincy	Plumas	June 21, 1881	Oct. 18, 1881	Recalled—August 16, 1887
54	Opur	Graville	Butte	June 21, 1881	Oct. 18, 1881	Recalled—August 16, 1887
64	Occidental	Marinez	Contra Costa	Oct. 15, 1881	Oct. 18, 1881	Surrendered—August 28, 1885
69	Namanta	Calisoga	Napa	April 13, 1883	Oct. 18, 1883	Surrendered—January 9, 1889
70	Brilliant Star	Orland	Colusa	May 15, 1883	Oct. 17, 1883	Recalled—October 22, 1891
81	Flower Valley	Colusa	El Dorado	Aug. 22, 1884	Oct. 22, 1884	Surrendered—October, 1895
87	Laurel	St. Helena	Napa	Feb. 11, 1886	Oct. 20, 1886	Surrendered—September 18, 1895
88	Mountain View	{ Jenesville Lassen }	Lassen	April 16, 1886	Oct. 20, 1886	Revoked—October 21, 1921
91	Fall River	{ Burgettville Oakdale }	Shasta	June 24, 1886	Oct. 20, 1886	Recalled—August 23, 1897
98	Yosemite	Oakdale	Stanislaus	June 30, 1888	Oct. 16, 1888	Surrendered—October, 1895
101	Elaine	Reedley	Presidio	Mar. 11, 1889	Oct. 15, 1889	Surrendered—May 22, 1899
132	Chrysanthemum	Sanger	Presidio	Feb. 14, 1894	Oct. 15, 1895	Recalled—June 20, 1900
137	King Solomon's	San Francisco	San Francisco	April 30, 1897	Oct. 20, 1897	Recalled—October 10, 1898
153	Galt	Galt	Sacramento	Aug. 9, 1897	Oct. 20, 1897	Surrendered—August 1, 1907
158	Golden State	{ Aruckle College City }	Colusa	May 26, 1900	Oct. 17, 1900	Surrendered—March 10, 1910
194	Hilda	Mokelumne Hill	Calaveras	May 10, 1901	Oct. 16, 1901	Surrendered—February 22, 1928

LIST OF EXTINCT CHAPTERS IN CALIFORNIA—Continued

No.	Name	Location	County	Instituted	Chartered	Charters
236	San Pedro	San Pedro	Los Angeles	Feb. 6, 1906	Oct. 17, 1906	Surrendered—May 12, 1910
256	Marietta	Oakland	Alameda	April 30, 1907	Oct. 17, 1907	Revoked—October 21, 1921
283	Garvin	Randburg	Kern	May 26, 1909	Oct. 20, 1909	Surrendered—November 7, 1917
340	Ionie	San Diego	San Diego	Mar. 1, 1916	Oct. 18, 1916	Revoked—October 21, 1921
356	University	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	Sept. 10, 1919	Oct. 22, 1919	Revoked—October 21, 1926
419	Park	San Francisco	San Francisco	Nov. 26, 1923	Oct. 23, 1924	Revoked—October 22, 1925
461	Mayflower	San Francisco	San Francisco	April 7, 1926	Oct. 19, 1926	Surrendered—September 21, 1928
462	Angeles Mesa	Los Angeles	Los Angeles	May 6, 1936	Oct. 19, 1936	Revoked—October 20, 1937
U. D.	Alta Loma	Signal Hill	Los Angeles	Aug. 16, 1936		Dispersations
U. D.	Los Banos	Los Banos	Merced	Oct. 14, 1912		Recalled—October 19, 1927 Surrendered—October 12, 1913

LIST OF NEVADA CHAPTERS WITHDRAWN FROM THE JURISDICTION OF CALIFORNIA

No.	Name	Location	County	Instituted	Chartered	Withdraw
120	Electa	Austin	Lander	Admitted to California	Grand Chapter May 1, 1894	October 16, 1901
121	Esther	Carson	Ormsby			
122	Adah	Reno	Washoe			
148	Martha	Wadsworth	Washoe	April 24, 1896	Oct. 23, 1896	October 16, 1901
152	Silver State	Winnemucca	June 11, 1896	Nov. 11, 1896	Oct. 18, 1901	October 18, 1901
156	Argenta	Virginia City	Mar. 20, 1897	Oct. 20, 1907	Oct. 18, 1901	October 18, 1901
166	Iphigenia	Eureka	Storey	Oct. 17, 1898	Oct. 18, 1899	October 18, 1901

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.

October, 1873-1874

*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.

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.

1875-1876

*Jeremiah E. Whitcher.....G. P.
*Emily Rolfe.....G. M.
†John Quincy Adams.....G. A. P.
*Emile Cartwright Swain.....G. A. M.
*Abbie Elvenia Wood.....G. S.
*Kate Josephine Willats.....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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

1882-1883

*Abram Farr Hitchcock.....G. P.
*Mary Ann Flint.....G. M.
*Andrew Jackson McPike.....G. A. P.
†Caroline Seeley.....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.

*Deceased

†Demitted

‡Suspended

1884-1885

*Fred Wm. Gustave Moebus.....G. P.
 *Mary Josephine Young.....G. M.
 *Justice C. Merryfield.....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 Sophronia Munns.....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 Matfield.....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.
 *Isadore 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.

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.

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.

*Deceased

†Demitted

‡Suspended

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.

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.

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.

1903-1904

George Francis McNoble.....G. P.
 *Chlo (Routabn) Craig.....G. M.
 †Erwin Sanford Logan.....G. A. P.
 *Agnes Conant.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Annie Beauchamp Barnes.....G. T.

1904-1905

*Charles Joseph Willett.....G. P.
 *Pauline Wetzlar Dohrmann.....G. M.
 *Lorenzo Bailey Leavitt.....G. A. P.
 Anna Nancy Skinner.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Emma Neale Rider.....G. T.

1905-1906

*Florin Leslie Jones.....G. P.
 *Georgiana Virginia Polbamus.....G. M.
 *Curtis Jefferson Monroe.....G. A. P.
 *Catherine Elizabeth Merritt.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Helen Seeman.....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.

1907-1908

*Benjamin Brooks Cartwright.....G. P.
 Emma Riehl Leach.....G. M.
 *Matthew Stewart.....G. A. P.
 *Alice Stone Dozier.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 *Laura Pauline Butcher.....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.

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.

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.

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.

1912-1913

William Kirtley Chambers.....G. P.
 *Martha Gould Dinsmore.....G. M.
 *Briceno Amendex Fassett.....G. A. P.
 *Leah Nora Earl.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Charlotte Eather 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 J. (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) Fitschen.....G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Gertrude Miller Meldrim.....G. T.

1920-1921

Effie Easton.....G. M.
 Roy Musser.....G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Annie Shingle Brasch.....G. T.

1921-1922

Maud Dezell Bradley.....G. M.
 Delos Albert Mace.....G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Genevieve Case Norton.....G. T.

1922-1923

*Stella Morgan Linscott.....G. M.
 *Ernest Eugene Noon.....G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Sue Estelle Tuck.....G. T.
 *Ellen Josephine La Fontaine.....A. G. C.

1923-1924

Maude Bigelow Sibley.....G. M.
 Guy Woodhams Brundage.....G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Georgia Esther Hunt.....G. T.

1924-1925

Zella Whitford Samson.....G. M.
 Russell Bresee La Fontaine.....G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Grace Diers Beckman.....G. T.

1925-1926

Cora Spring Holland.....G. M.
 Waldo Francis Postel.....G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Bessie Adelaide Pierce.....G. T.

1926-1927

Hazael Marsh-Piper.....G. M.
 Raymond Hadley Griest.....G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Birdie Eifer.....G. T.

1927-1928

Gladys Fitch Pierce.....W. G. M.
 *Henry Frank Pernau.....W. G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats.....G. S.
 Mattie Mitchell Charette.....G. T.

1928-1929

Pauline Ada Hause.....W. G. M.
 Bert Richard Holloway.....W. G. P.
 Susan Mills Willats.....G. S.
 Anna Lancaster McKenney.....G. T.

1929-1930

Myra Moyse.....W. G. M.
 Walter Wadsworth Bradley.....W. G. P.
 Susan Mills Willats.....G. S.
 Mildred Cormany Blair.....G. T.

1930-1931

Willa Jane Hellwig.....W. G. M.
 Joseph Mayo Argabrite.....W. G. P.
 *Stella Morgan Linscott, P.G.M.....G. S.
 Florence Newman.....G. T.

1931-1932

Elsie Mae McGiffin.....W. G. M.
 John Lewis McDonald.....W. G. P.
 *Stella Morgan Linscott, P.G.M.....G. S.
 Grace Isabel Good.....G. T.

1932-1933

Grace Richardson Butterfield...W. G. M.
 Lloyd Ellis Griffin.....W. G. P.
 *Stella Morgan Linscott, P.G.M.....G. S.
 Gladys R. (Huskinson) Robinson..G. T.

1933-1934

Jessie Galbraith Morris.....W. G. M.
 Wallace Taylor Rutherford.....W. G. P.
 *Stella Morgan Linscott, P.G.M.....G. S.
 Clara Elizabeth Alvarez.....G. T.

1934-1935

Minnie Viola Collins.....W. G. M.
 J. Hartley Taylor.....W. G. P.
 *Stella Morgan Linscott, P.G.M.....G. S.
 Anna Noyes Moncur.....G. T.

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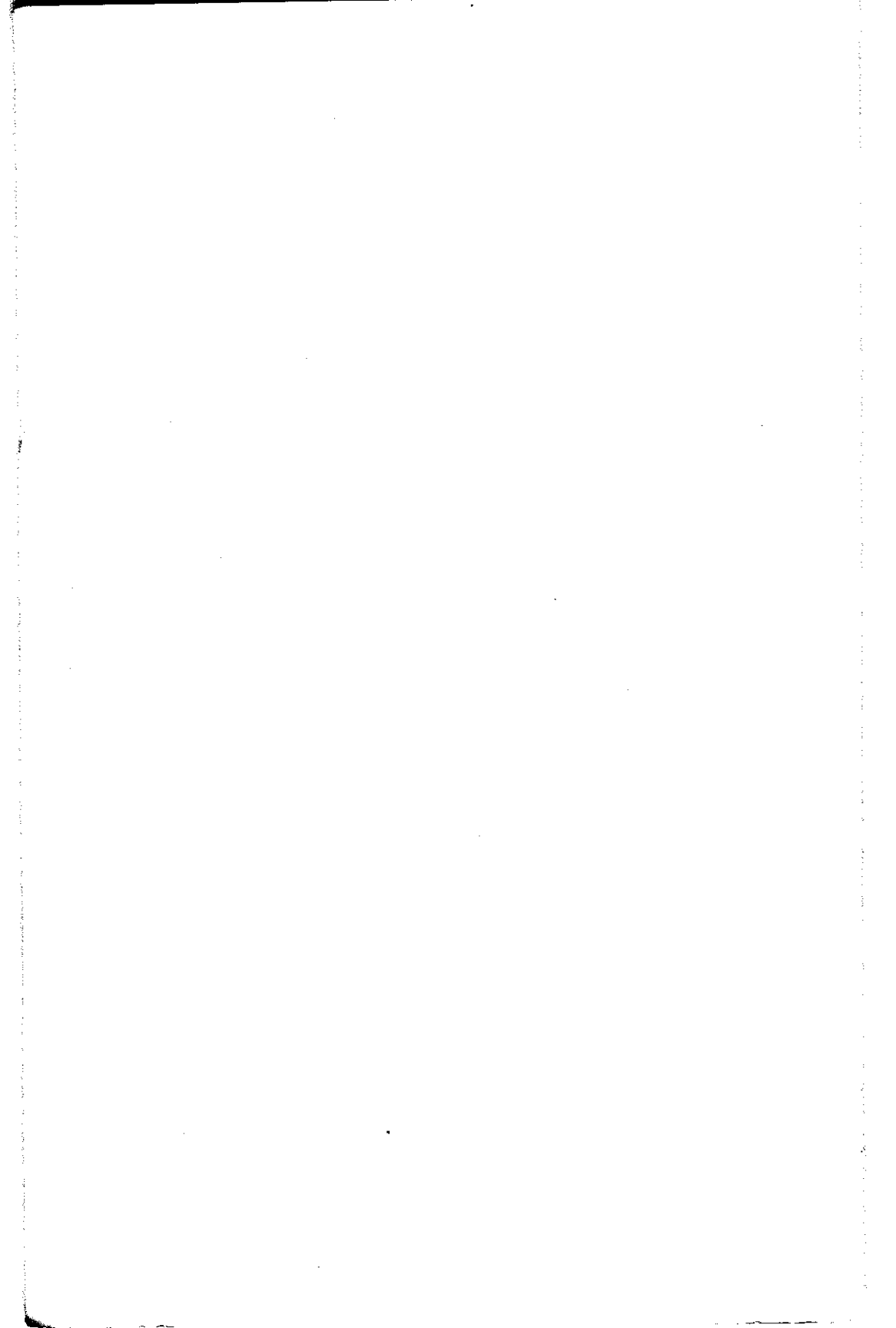
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