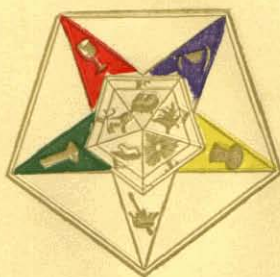


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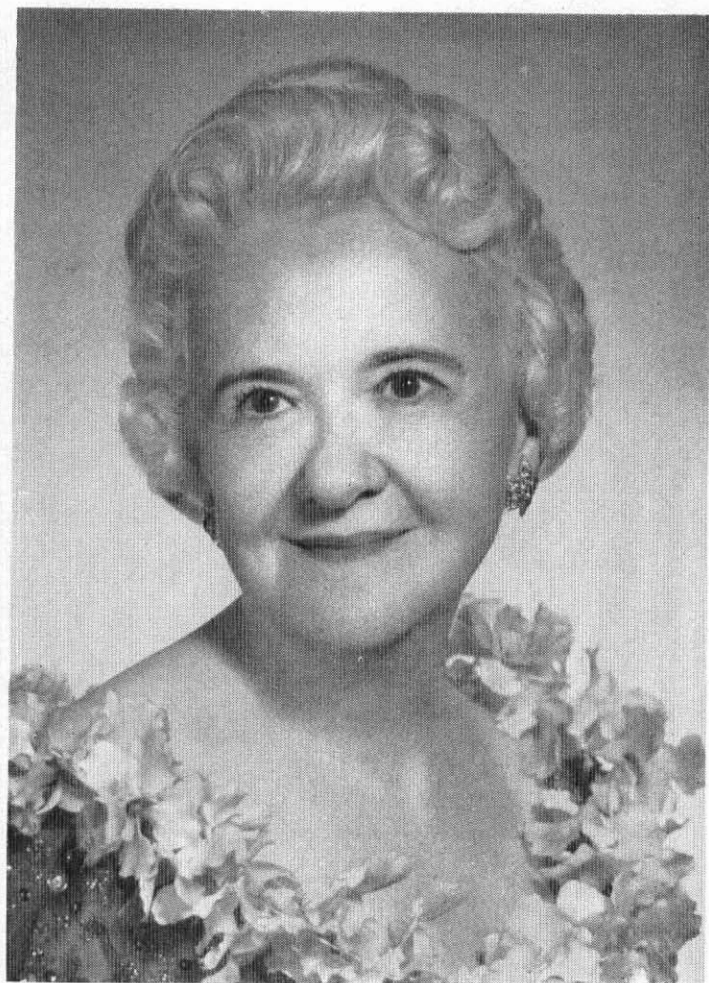
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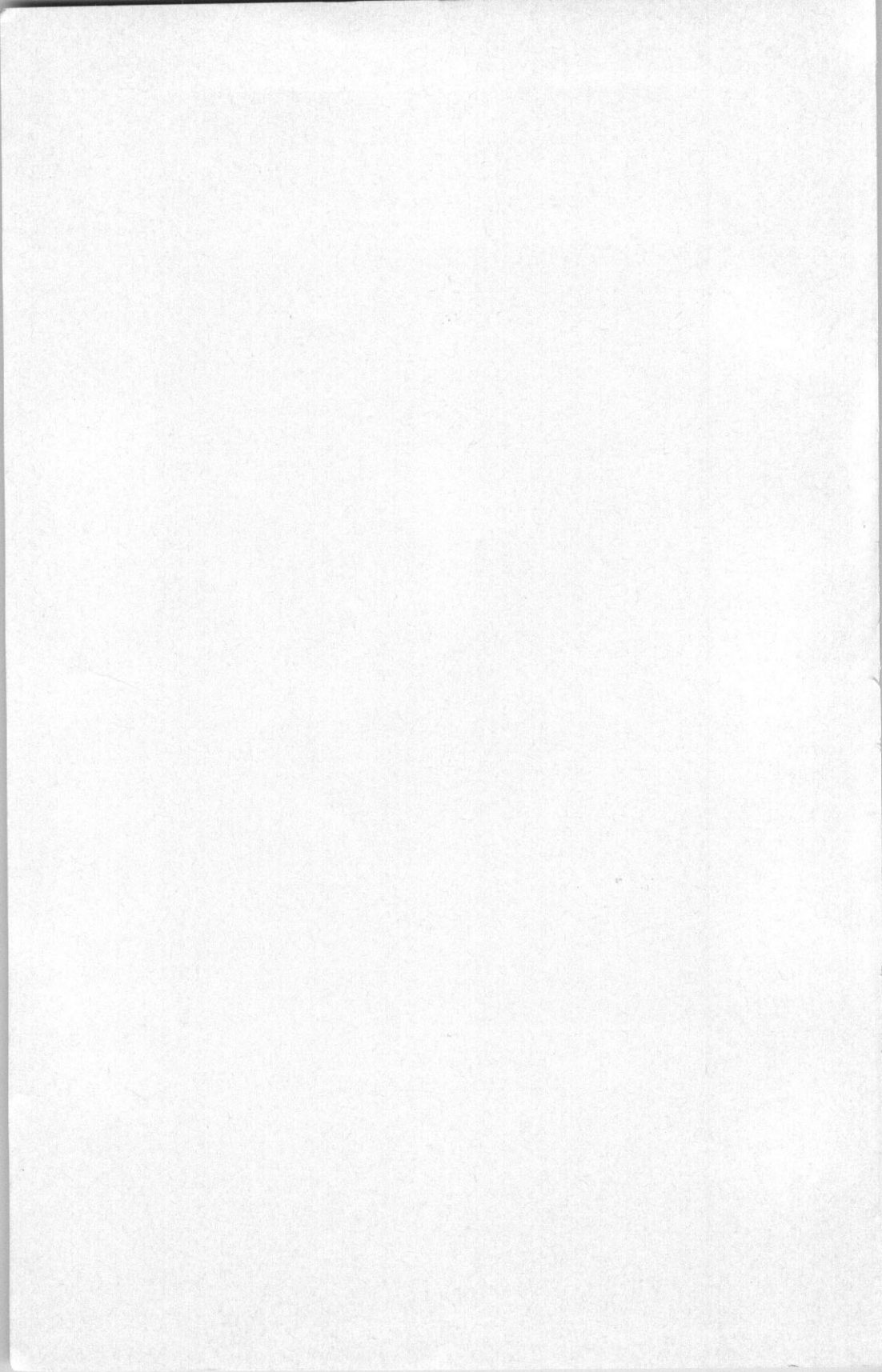


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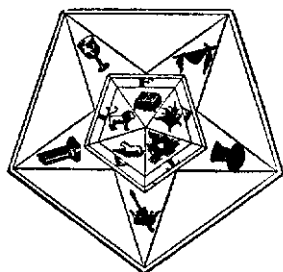




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Most Worthy Grand Matron



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Ninetieth Annual Session
October 21-25, 1963

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM ARENA
LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

Dedication

This "Rainbow" Session of the
Grand Chapter of California,
Order of the Eastern Star,
is lovingly dedicated to all members in the
Grand Jurisdiction of California, and in loving
memory of those Sisters and Brothers who
have passed through the labyrinth of human life.

MOTTO

"Live for Others"

WATCHWORD

Love - Loyalty - Service

COLORS

Tangerine - Blue - Bronze

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Sunday, October 20, 1963

The Delegates participated in the eleven o'clock service at the First Baptist Church. The music of the large choir and the fine sermon by the Pastor, Dr. Frank M. Kepner, were an inspirational start for the Ninetieth Annual Session.

All Sessions were held in the new, modern Arena which was completed only a few months earlier. The building is circular and can accommodate between thirteen and fifteen thousand, which assures all who wish to attend the Session a seat.

The Grand Chapter set-up was simple and effective. The stage was set to represent the "Rainbow Pier", the backdrop a three-dimensional view of the City of Long Beach, as seen from the Pier, with the rainbow in the sky. The blue curtains at either side of the stage had the motto of the year, "Live for Others" on one side and the watchword, "Love, Loyalty, Service" on the other. Dancing girls and rainbows alternated around the balcony. Silver-colored stanchions with blue drapes outlined the Grand Chapter set-up and made a frame for the Grand Officers in gowns of tangerine lace. The Deputy Grand Matrons, gowned in blue outlined the frame. Twelve Pages in tangerine lace and tulle, and sixty-four "Raindrops" in pink, who acted as assistants to the Grand Conductresses, completed a beautiful picture.

Monday, October 21, 1963

Prior to the call to order, Kittie Briggs, Past Grand Treasurer and Song Leader for the Session, led the Delegates in assembly singing. Sister Marguerite Johnson, Past Matron of Norwalk Chapter No. 143, acted as Grand Organist for the evening.

Promptly at 8 o'clock, Charles Boone, General Chairman of Grand Chapter Week, called the Session to order.

Call to Order:

Charles Boone, Chairman Grand Chapter Week.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Honored and Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brothers:

It is an honor and a pleasure to have this opportunity to "Call to Order" the Ninetieth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star of the State of California, which we will recall in future years as the "Rainbow Session". It is also a privilege on behalf of the City of Long Beach—The International City—to say WELCOME—we want you, our visitors, to have a most pleasant and enjoyable week, while deliberating on the important transactions of Grand Chapter.

Our chains of friendship have been lengthened during the past year and, as well, many additional links will be added during this week. So to you, Sister Carol and Brother Ed, as you drop the anchor chain of your travels here in the Port of Long Beach, may we say "Thank You" for your confidence and understanding thoughts in allowing us to arrange your "liberty time" at your last Port of Call as Captain and First Mate of the Grand Ship of the Order of Eastern Star. We, the Grand Chapter Week Activities—Salute You.

When we accept the responsibility of any office in our subordinate Chapters or as a member of a committee, we recognize that there is always a goal to be attained. In order that the goal may be reached, we accept many challenges. The preparations for this Grand Chapter have presented many challenges. Many of them have been completed and minor goals have been reached, allowing us to come closer to the ultimate goal, that of a successful and harmonious conclusion of this Grand Chapter Session. To rap the gavel and call this week to order has required the assistance of many people on various committees.

The goal posts are in view—however, the challenges in our immediate view are most important. To each of you, as members of this fine Order of Eastern Star I present these challenges—I challenge you to positive thoughts in all your actions and expressions as relate to your happiness during this week—because as you are able to express happiness so it radiates as a rainbow to all of those about you. I challenge you to support us with your helpful criticism—that which offers the solution in addition to the problem. And last but not least I challenge you to the thoughtful study of the important business to be brought before this Session. With your support of these challenges, there is no doubt that any storm clouds which we might have viewed on the horizon will be dispersed and the voyage which we will have completed will have been traveled over a sea of peacefulness. Thank you.

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress you will escort the Host and Hostess into the Grand Chapter room.

Escort:

Past Grand Matron Annie Picknell Mills, Hostess, and Past Grand Patron Henry Lee Wintz, Host, were escorted to the East, presented and accorded Grand Honors.

Entrance Formation:

Worthy Grand Matron Carol Mae Jensen and Worthy Grand Patron Edwin F. Collins in the mystic ship "Star of the East", drawn by twelve stalwart Worthy Patrons, circled the room and after being centered in the formation of a large California poppy by the Grand Officers, Grand Representatives, Deputy Grand Matrons, Raindrops, Grand Guards, Pages and Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, were escorted to the Long Beach Rainbow Pier in the East.

While the formation was held, Helen Linsdell, Worthy Matron of La Habra Chapter No. 508, sang "Angela Mia", "Yours is My Heart Alone" and "Because" (original words). Accompanist Patricia Piantoni, Past Matron of Fullerton Chapter No. 191.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Worthy Grand Patron, our Host and Hostess, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

Responsible for the lovely picture which has just been presented for our enjoyment is our most gracious Past Grand Matron, Sister Annie Picknell Mills. My journey to the Grand East began in 1959 when our Sister honored me with the appointment of Grand Marshal, and it is most fitting that she should be our Hostess at this opening of our Rainbow Session. She is beloved by all who know her and it is with great pride that I present our Past Grand Matron, Sister Annie Picknell Mills.

Welcome:

Past Grand Matron, Annie Picknell Mills, Hostess:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Host of the Evening Brother Henry Lee Wintz, our Most Distinguished Guest Sister Mildred Hancy Harris, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, all Distinguished and Honored Members of this and other Grand Jurisdictions, my Sisters and Brothers:

I bid you welcome to the Ninetieth Session of the Grand Chapter of California. Delegates, this is your Grand Chapter, and I would mention in a very few words a bit of the history of this Grand Body and then predict for you a very successful, happy, and profitable "Rainbow" Session on this, our Ninetieth Anniversary.

On April 7, 1873, through the excellent cooperation, foresight and enthusiasm of our O.E.S. pioneers, the Grand Chapter of California was organized in the City of San Francisco by eighteen delegates

from eight Chapters. During the past 90 years your Grand Chapter has grown to our present size of 580 Chapters and 160,000 members.

Your Grand Chapter has built and maintained a beautiful Home and infirmary for our elderly Sisters and Brothers. Here, all residents are surrounded by love and every possible comfort.

Your Grand Chapter's Scholarship Fund is assisting worthy students in the pursuit of higher education. This year, alone, over 16,000 dollars has been disbursed to our leaders of tomorrow.

The Benevolent Fund of your Grand Chapter has given aid to all needy members who were ill or in distress.

One hundred twenty of your members or their families have been assisted by the Cancer Fund of Grand Chapter in the amount of over \$80,000 this year. Among these were three teenagers. You are diligently serving others through the Cancer Dressings Stations, located throughout California, with over 1,000 patients receiving dressings. Contributions to these cancer projects are voluntary and as our Past Grand Matron Sister Marguerite Weisheimer has said: "By this service California has truly carved its name on hearts, not on marble". Yes, this is your Grand Chapter, an outstanding organization exemplifying charity, kindness, and loving service.

Just about a year ago when our fine leaders Sister Carol and Brother Edwin were installed, they set sail on their good ship "Star of the East" with God as their pilot and the Bible their compass. Their crew of officers proved to be outstanding and they have given service to others at every port of call. Guided by His love and with a Rainbow shining On High, they have made a triumphant journey. Tonight their good ship has docked at Rainbow Pier in the beautiful City of Long Beach. How privileged we are to be able to meet in this beautiful new Arena with ample room for everyone.

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol, and Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Edwin, this week you are completing your year of service to Grand Chapter as our leaders. Each of you has given of yourself, your time and your talent. I join with the members of this Grand Chapter in congratulating you upon the accomplishments made under your leadership.

Friday when the sun sets in the west and you sail to your home ports of Vallejo and Santa Monica, I know that your most treasured dreams will have been fulfilled and that the rays of sunshine that you have scattered into the lives of others will continue to come back into your own.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Annie, for your most sincere welcome.

Flag Escort:

The Flag Escort was most impressive. The formation was a triangle, the American Flag in the lead, followed by the Eastern Star and California State Flags, then the Texas and Colorado State

Flags with the Christian Flag in the center. Each flag was carried by the President of a Patrons' Association, escorted by two Presidents. After all but the Christian Flag had been posted in the East, the audience joined in the Pledge of Allegiance and the National Anthem.

The Christian Flag was held at the foot of the steps leading to the East as the Invocation was delivered.

Invocation:

Past Grand Matron, Maude Bigelow Sibley:

God of our Fathers, Lord of Hosts, we recognize our dependence upon the Source of all Wisdom and Strength, and envoke Thy blessing on all Thy children here assembled for the Ninetieth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, in California.

Free our thoughts of all selfish desires and renew understanding hearts within us, that this Session may long be remembered as one of harmony and love, with Malice toward none and Charity for all.

Bless our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Harris, in all her efforts as our Ambassador of Good Will, and may she always remember—whether she is on the land, in the air, at sea, or on a bus—our prayers will always be that God will take care of her and bring her back safely to Texas, home and us.

Bless our very own Grand Matron Sister Carol, and Grand Patron Brother Edwin, together with their precious helpmates whom we have all enjoyed so much. Give them peace of mind in the knowledge of a work well done and return them to their homes and families with the love and best wishes of everyone.

In planning legislation for the new year, we thank Thee for being ever near, and for all the blessings Thou hast given, drawing us closer to Thy Heaven. We pray that through the year to come, Thou wilt be present in each home. Give us strength to meet each day with kindly deed and gentle way. May we deserve Thy guiding love and in every way by action prove that, through our joys or our sorrows, we will find in Thee our sweet tomorrows.

God bless you all until we meet again. Amen.

Solo Prayer:

"Others", Patty Burke, Worthy Matron, Beverly Hills Chapter No. 404:

Lord, help me live from day to day
 In such a self-forgetful way
 That even when I kneel to pray
 My prayers shall be for others.
 Help me in all the work I do
 To ever be sincere and true
 And know that all I'd do for you
 Must needs be done for others.

The Christian Flag was then posted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you so much, Sister Patty, for your beautiful solo. This is a song that I gave to my Worthy Matrons, who were then Associate Conductresses, in 1960, and it has been our guide as we have tried to follow our Motto and our Watchword.

Escort:

Robert Crowe, Councilman of Long Beach, was escorted to the East, presented by the Worthy Grand Matron and introduced by Charles Boone, General Chairman.

Introduction:

Charles Boone:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. May I first say to you, Sister Carol—A very big Thank You for accepting the challenge in selecting the facilities of this new multi-million dollar Arena in which to hold this Session of Grand Chapter—we also agree that it was nice of the City of Long Beach to select your colors in their decor. You will recall that two years ago our good friend Ed Wade, Mayor of Long Beach, invited us to return to Long Beach and enjoy this building. Brother Ed was real pleased to be part of this Session to open the door as Host—as you have noted in your programs. However, he was recently selected to serve on the Executive Committee for the League of Cities and his presence was needed in San Francisco at this time. He wished you to know that his thoughts are with us tonight. It was a privilege for him to select one of his fine colleagues to be present this evening to extend the wishes of the City to all of you. It is my privilege to present to you, Councilman Robert F. Crow, of the City of Long Beach.

Mr. Crowe, on behalf of the City of Long Beach, welcomed the Delegates, presented the regrets of the Mayor, Honorable Edwin W. Wade, who was absent from the City, and gave the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron souvenirs from the City of Long Beach—the Worthy Grand Matron's a desk clock in the shape of a key, and the Worthy Grand Patron's a key to the City.

Response, Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Councilman Robert Crowe, for representing the Honorable Mayor of Long Beach who was unable to be present.

Your warm and friendly words of greeting to all assembled is gratefully appreciated and we are looking forward to our stay this week in your fine City. Many happy Sessions have been held here, though this is our first time in your new Arena. We hope it will lend itself to our convenience so that we shall look forward to returning.

Escort:

Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mildred Haney Harris.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Mildred, your presence at our Rainbow Session brings added inspiration to all the Delegates. As our world leader of Eastern Star, you represent the white light of purity, bringing joy, and from which the culmination of the colors of our Rainbow may be found—God's beautiful rainbow, His promise to mankind.

Thank you for graciously accepting our invitation and taking this precious time from your worldwide travels.

Sisters and Brothers, it is with deep pride and honor that I present Sister Mildred Haney Harris, Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter and a Past Grand Matron of the State of Texas. We will unite in extending the Grand Honors to our distinguished member.

General Grand Chapter Officers:

General Grand Chapter Officers Mary Fogle, Worthy Grand Ruth and Thelma Bailey, Worthy Grand Marshal, were escorted to the East.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Grand Officers of the General Grand Chapter, welcome to Long Beach at this, our Ninetieth Annual Session, of the Grand Chapter of California.

You, too, represent to our Delegates many honors for your service given to your Chapters, Grand Chapters, and now continue to give in the station in which you serve our General Grand Chapter. In our Rainbow, you represent the color of violet—that of Service to our Most Worthy Grand Matron; perhaps, I should say "Ultra-violet" for the "ultra-service" you are giving. Thank you for coming to California and may your visit be a happy one.

(Grand Honors were extended.)

General Grand Chapter Committee Members:

Viva S. Huffman, Chairman, International Temple
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 Helen Bell DeBeers, Educational
 Thomas D. Henderson, Credentials
 Lloyd Ellis Griffin, Jurisprudence
 Francis J. Herz, Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

To you who have been selected by our Most Worthy Grand Matron to assist in the dedicated work during her term of office, we salute and bid you welcome. The emblematic color in our Rain-

bow which you represent, is blue. Blue, the color of our first Star Point, representative of fidelity and found also in the blue of the sky and blue of the sea and our national emblem. True blue in your fidelity to your great leaders of our Eastern Star.

(Grand Honors were extended.)

Worthy Grand Matrons:

Elysabeth L. Franke, of Utah
 Hester Peverly, of Wyoming
 Rita G. Fuhrman, of Nevada
 Virginia Wright, of Oregon

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Worthy Grand Matrons, we are pleased to welcome you from distant Jurisdictions. Thank you for honoring us in California as well as our Most Worthy Grand Matron.

We hope you find added inspiration from our Rainbow Session which may assist in your responsibilities. You represent the color green in our Rainbow, emblematic of immortality, because it is you who brought new and continued life into your respective Grand Chapters this year, and by faith you can achieve your goals.

(Grand Honors were extended.)

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons:

Bess Peterson, Minnesota	Loyal H. Olson, Wisconsin
Dagmar Irgens, Minnesota	
Pearl D. Maynard, Alabama	
Erline Lee, Oklahoma	
Wardie Cook, New Mexico	
Dolores Moore, Washington	

Of California:

Gertrude Conant Matson	John Vale
Helen Louise Edwards	Logan R. Cotton
Mary Isabel Warmer	Harry Sproule
Helen Isberg	Philip Fredric Leahy
Everina Rheingans	Geo. Danielson
Mary Balden	Dalora K. Burnham
Grace M. Hoffman	Frank D. Cruse
Marguerite Weisheimer	Robert C. Atkinson
Mabel Tellefson	
Thelma Rehnert Warner	
Lois Blodgett Tamba	
Margaret Hughes Lauritzen	
Lillian Podesta	
Kathryn Farwell	
Corine Orban Melville	

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

To greet so many of the Past leaders of this and other Grand Jurisdictions is indeed a happy privilege on this occasion. Your service has made possible the opportunity for those of us who now serve. To you the color red is assigned, which represents the first color in our Rainbow, the first color in our Flag, and the fifth Point of our Star, denoting love, charity and hospitality, which you have so generously given to all with whom you have been associated.

(Grand Honors were extended.)

Worthy Grand Patron, it is my pleasure that you present our Host of the evening.

Worthy Grand Patron, Edwin F. Collins:

Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

It is fitting that the Hostess and Host for the Informal Opening of this Ninetieth Session of the Grand Chapter should be Sister Annie Picknell Mills and Brother Henry Lee Wintz, the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron of 1959, the year our Worthy Grand Matron was appointed Grand Marshal.

It is my pleasure to present Brother Henry Wintz who has not only done much for the Order of the Eastern Star but for Masonry, by being a member of the Grand Lodge of California. I have also been complimented by being asked if we were blood brothers as well as fraternal brothers.

My Sisters and Brothers, I present to you our Host for this evening, Brother Henry Lee Wintz, Past Grand Patron.

Welcome:

Henry Lee Wintz, Past Grand Patron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Honored and Distinguished Guests and particularly those who are visiting us from General Grand Chapter and various Grand Jurisdictions throughout the Nation:

My! What an enormous place we meet in this year. I sincerely trust that you who are seated in Ventura County can hear and see what is going on. As you know, this place is called an Arena, which name I do not particularly care for. I have in my possession an early Ritual of our Order and, according to the procedure therein, each Chapter meeting was opened with a song set to the tune of "Just Before the Battle, Mother". The name "Arena" would have been more appropriate for that era.

On behalf of our Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Officers, Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons and members of this Grand Jurisdiction I extend to our Most Worthy Grand Matron and other Distinguished Guests a very sincere and cordial welcome

this evening. We trust their stay during the coming Sessions will be as pleasant for them as their presence here is to us, and at the conclusion of this week they will leave with the knowledge that the Order of the Eastern Star in the Golden State is in good and capable hands and that its future here is assured. May Peace and Happiness be theirs throughout the coming years. Thank you, Sister Carol.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Brother Henry Lee Wintz, for serving as our Host at this Informal Opening of our Rainbow Session, and for your most cordial welcome to our Distinguished members. Your service with our Sister Annie in 1959 will long be remembered as a year of great harmony and understanding. The evening would not have been complete without your participation.

Sister Thelma Bailey, our Worthy Grand Marshal, much happiness has entered your heart during the past several days, and I should think you may still be floating on Cloud Nine after the very lovely reception accorded you by your associates. You have represented our General Grand Chapter in a most admirable manner the past two years and have given generously of your time in making others happy.

It is with great honor that I extend to you the privilege of representing our Most Worthy Grand Matron.

Presentation:

Most Worthy Grand Matron by Thelma Bailey, Worthy Grand Marshal:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Honored East, Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol, I am most grateful to you for the very gracious courtesy of inviting me to present our beloved Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred Haney Harris.

Sister Mildred, it is an honor to extend to you a very warm and sincere welcome on behalf of the members of the Grand Chapter of California. Your presence is always an inspiration. This is your only evening with us and as you travel, in the wee hours of the morning, to another Grand Chapter, it is the wish of the members of our Grand Chapter that God may go with you.

Our Most Worthy Grand Matron is the inspiration and the vital link in a strong cable of fraternalism which unites this great group of members of the Order of the Eastern Star throughout the world. The strength of this cable depends upon our weaving the tiny wires of individual ability into the sturdy cable of cooperative strength. We can only help by weaving the best qualities of our minds, hearts and spirits. We must weave together everything that is strong and good. It is the togetherness that assures our success.

Sister Mildred, it is our hope that we may unite with you in your untiring efforts to help build a better world in which peace will reign supreme.

To this lovely lady, with soul sincere
 Our thoughts go out today;
 Her heart sings a song the world should hear
 As she goes on her quiet way.
 She has powers of which she little dreams
 Ideals that radiate love
 Sees life as it is, not as it seems
 She counsels with One above.
 May you be shown, dear friend of ours
 The road that you shall take
 That needy humans may sense the Divine
 In every contact you make.

Sisters and Brothers, it is with great pleasure that I present to you our Most Worthy Grand Matron.

Address:

Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mildred Haney Harris:
 Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members of the General Grand Chapter, your Honored Guests and the precious members and leaders of this great State:

I am pleased and honored to be in the Grand Chapter of California, a house of friends and pleasant associations.

Again, my thanks for giving five beloved and distinguished members to me for my official family in the General Grand Chapter. I have told you on many occasions how much each one means to me in my fraternal family and how proud I am of their contribution to our Order around the world as well as to California.

I was pleased to invite your Past Grand Matron, Sister Helen Bell DeBeers, several months ago to fill a vacancy on our Committee on Education and to invite your Past Grand Matron, Helen Isberg, to be the General Chairman of our choir for General Grand Chapter, and Past Grand Matron, Thelma Warner, to be Chairman for California for the Grand Representatives, their luncheon and a part in the opening ceremony of our next Triennial Session. The Grand Representatives are fine Ambassadors for us throughout the world and we appreciate them and honor them.

I also invited Past Grand Patron, Robert C. Atkinson, to be Chairman of my Grand Knights, who are the Worthy Grand Patrons serving during this Triennium. I will make other session appointments as soon as your Worthy Grand Matron gives me a list of Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons who have made reservations for November 22, 1964 in Dallas, Texas.

The headquarters for your delegates will be Adolphus Hotel and for your Grand Representatives and Choir, the Baker Hotel. Your Worthy Grand Matron will make the choice of hotels or one of our fine Motor Hotels for your membership other than those listed.

I am honored to bring you greetings from more than three million members around the world. We are a great Order in numbers and should be a power in service for our fellowman. The challenge is ours today, yours and mine, as members of the Order.

Our accomplishments in the General Grand Chapter are your accomplishments as members, as Chapters, and as a Grand Chapter. In fact, you are the medium of our strength and success. You assume our obligation, you live by our Landmarks and you hold the key to the many doors of service offered to you by this Most Worthy Grand Matron. I am pleased that many of you, our members, have entered to glean in our fertile fields and hope your blessings have been many because of your kindness to others.

I left your beautiful city of San Francisco last December for the Far East, visiting our Chapters in Guam, the Philippines, the small island of Okinawa, Formosa and Japan. In each of these countries I visited orphanages, schools, hospitals and schools for the mentally retarded, the underprivileged, and those with muscular dystrophy, and in these I found our members serving to bring sunshine, relief and joy with their gifts of sweets and fruit and their labors of love as they assisted in many ways to teach, to amuse and to love the little ones. I found dedication and compassion in the hearts of our members in all lands.

I was, on several occasions, the guest at a banquet honoring the Grand Master of that country or other Distinguished Masons. I appeared on radio and television to tell the people of the country that our Order of the Eastern Star is a way of life, a great avenue of service to man and mankind.

All of these opportunities to speak for our Order are a privilege and come beyond the duty of teaching, inspecting and attending Chapter meetings in the far away places where our Star shines. From the Far East we joined a Pilgrimage of 275 members of our Order, a number of whom were from California, for Easter in the Holy Land. We spent many days in the land of the birth, service, death and resurrection of our Prince of Peace. Our journey took us into Greece, Egypt, Lebanon, the land of Moab, Damascus, Bethany, the Sea of Galilee and other places making up the Holy Land.

On Friday before Easter we walked the way of the Cross and, as we did, we realized that pathway held the tragic footprints of our Saviour. It is a pathway of heavy cobble stones worn smooth and shiny through the years as pilgrims of all nations go there to walk where He walked and to pray where He prayed.

On Saturday before Easter we went to Bethlehem and there we were received by His Honor, the Mayor of Bethlehem, and presented a lovely mother of pearl key to the city of inspiration for the Christian world. We addressed a group there before going to the

Garden of Gethsemane and Calvary. In the Garden of Gethsemane we prayed where our Christ had prayed, we walked the same rocky paths and stood under the old and gnarled olive trees which had been there during His lifetime and eight of them still bear fruit. We visited the open tomb where no words were spoken as our hearts and minds were bowed with our heads in complete reverence.

On Easter morning while it was yet dark in the old city of Jerusalem and the street lights looked like stars in the darkened sky we left our hotels and drove up on the Mount of Olives where we had secured a little garden for our pre-dawn and sunrise Easter service. Again, the paths were steep and rocky and it was only by starlight that we found our way down them to a garden gate.

There our 275 members sang hymns with the birds in the trees accompanying us. It was the high moment in the lives of each of this group. Our Order has a greater and deeper meaning for us now. We realize that it is truly a way of life, a strength for each trial or heartbreak and a blessing for the high moments that come.

It is the great fraternal chain to unite us all in love, understanding and faith, for and in each other, as well as in Him, our Prince of Peace.

May His tender mercy be yours, now and always, is my wish for this beloved Grand Chapter of California.

Musical Selection:

"Yellow Rose of Texas" by "Carol-Eds" Choral Group, Patty Burke (404), director, Gladys Bray (227), accompanist.

Response, Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Mildred, for your inspiring message. We are very proud to have you visit us again this year. You have pleased our Delegates and we are very happy that they might meet you.

Again, may I express the appreciation of this Grand Chapter for the honors you have bestowed in the appointments given to our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons. They are devoted members of this Grand Chapter and we rejoice with them in this added opportunity to serve.

As you continue your journey throughout our Father's world, may you find peace and contentment. God Bless you.

Escort:

Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Commandery Knights Templar of California, Robert A. Miller.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Presents the Grand Commander and asks the Worthy Grand Patron to welcome him.

Worthy Grand Patron, Edwin F. Collins:

Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

It is my pleasure to present a Sir Knight who is also a Past Patron of Rose Valley Chapter of Santa Rosa. He has been made an active member of the Legion of Honor of DeMolay. He is also a former Associate Guardian of Job's Daughters and Mrs. Miller, who is also a Past Matron, is at present a Deputy Grand Guardian of Job's Daughters. He is a Knight of the York Cross of Honor which signifies that he has been the presiding officer of all four bodies of the York Rite of Free Masonry. It is an honor, my Sisters and Brothers, to present to you my personal friend, Sir Knight Robert A. Miller, the Right Eminent Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of California.

Address:

Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Commandery Knights Templar of California, Robert A. Miller:

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Mae Jensen; Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Edwin F. Collins; Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred Haney Harris; Sister Esther Sandman, Associate Grand Matron; Brother William P. Wilson, Associate Grand Patron; Distinguished and Honored East; Fellow Members of the Grand Chapter of the State of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

This is a great honor and it is a personal privilege and pleasure to bring the greetings of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of California to this, the Ninetieth Session of our Grand Chapter. May I, in my greetings, tell you about our Christian branch of Masonry?

Basing our ritualistic work on the Birth, Life, Death, Resurrection and Ascension of our Blessed Saviour and tracing our origin through fact and fiction—to the Christian Knights of the Crusades of the 12th and 13th centuries—it is fitting that we modern Templars should evolve three phases of service to our fellow man and our Supreme Master.

One service to our fellow man was instituted at the Grand Encampment sessions in 1955 at New York City, when the Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc., was founded, and to activate the program a self-assessment of \$1.00 per member per year was levied on the more than 400,000 Sir Knights.

No public appeal has been made for funds, but generous contributions have been received from many of our sister and affiliate bodies, from estates of deceased and personal donations in memory of departed friends and relatives.

There are no restrictions as to eligibility for service from the Foundation except an inability to pay for needed work and an even chance to produce results. The cases have been men, women and

children from 1 year to 90 years of age, and many were Jews, Negroes, and Catholics, as well as Protestants and Masons.

Our oldest project or service is the Knights Templar Educational Foundation. An act of Grand Encampment in 1922 called for contributions from our member Sir Knights of \$1.00 per Sir Knight over a nine-year period. This fund now has \$5,000,000 in its collective State Treasuries, and has been turned over more than nine times in the intervening 30 years. This project is a loan foundation available to all Juniors and Seniors of any college, regardless of race, creed, or color; and loans of up to \$1,000 are approved by Knights Templar Educational Foundation Committees in each state.

However, the committee in charge of these funds felt that with so many free scholarships now being available the Educational Loan Fund was not being put to the best advantage, so an extensive study in 1953 and 1954 disclosed that there were 15,000 empty Protestant pulpits in these United States, and while there were many fine young men who had received "the call" and desired to make the ministry their vocation they were forced by economic reasons to follow other fields or had to drop their studies because of the same reason, and in most cases they were considered to be most qualified to be successful in their field.

Many of the students were married men with families or, at best, entirely upon their own for the needs of food, clothes and shelter, and in order to carry themselves and/or their families through the three years of graduate study were called upon to seek other means of income, or fill temporarily vacant pulpits many miles away for the few dollars it would bring in during the few hours free after the rigors of a hard full day of class work, and all were not successful in this seeking—so you can appreciate the net result.

THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EDUCATION FOUNDATION OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE CHRISTIAN MINISTRY was started in 1955 by the Grand Commandery of California to help fill the 15,000 vacant Protestant pulpits which exist in the United States.

The fund for the Foundation is raised by a continuing assessment of \$1.00 per member per year. Thirty scholarships are awarded each year in the amount of \$500 each to six students of each of five accredited Theological Seminaries in California.

The awards are proposed by the Scholarship Committee of the Seminary, to those students who are most promising in their studies and in the most need of financial aid. All students recommended are approved by the Grand Commandery Educational Committee.

Divinity students are college graduates, preparing for the various ministries of the church. Many are in their late twenties or early thirties, and most of them are married and have families to support.

Without financial assistance many of these men would be unable to continue their preparation for the ministry. This Foundation, exclusively Californian, is proudly helping in this critical time of great need in the training of our future moral and spiritual leaders.

In addition to the thirty awards of \$500 each the Grand Commandery awards \$2,000 yearly to each Seminary's faculty budget. Total awards each year are now \$25,000.

In closing, I bring you all the warm fraternal and knightly greeting of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of California and our 24,000 members.

Thank you, Sister Carol and Brother Ed, for all of the courtesies during your year.

Having worked with and been interested in promoting and assisting our Masonic youth groups, Rainbow for Girls, Job's Daughters, and DeMolays, I have adapted a poem to fit our organizations. May I close with this little poem which tells:

"A LITTLE BOY'S LAMENT"

I'm all alone in the house tonight,
 But that's the usual thing,
 'Cause Mom and Dad and their Masonic friends
 Have gone to a big wingding.
 But I'm ten years old and their sort of stuff
 I've learned to take in stride.
 Years ago as a little kid
 When they'd go I cried and cried.
 I still don't know what it's all about
 And their lingo's a real hodge podge.
 Mom goes dashing through the chairs
 And Dad goes off to Lodge.
 The night I was born Dad came from Lodge
 To see what the stork brought in,
 The Nurse said, "Look at your daddy, dear,"
 And, boy, I was filled with chagrin.
 Now other Dads had hairy lips
 And some no hair at all,
 But my Dad stood with a head of plumes
 Looking 10 feet tall.
 This guy with the plumes seemed to live at our house,
 When the Lodge could spare him, that is.
 Mom would moan as he'd leave each night,
 "What a heck of a Dad he is."
 Other kids when they start to talk
 Say a simple word or two,
 But I had to say "Commanderie"
 And nothing else would do!
 Any way, I aged quite fast,
 And Mommy was glad as could be,
 'Cause I think she was getting a little bit tired
Of nothing but diapers and me.
 And then one day a friends of hers,
 Was yakking as lady friends do,
 And I heard her say, "Please come to the Stars,

It's just the thing for you."
 I'm sorry to say I went berserk
 And put on quite a show,
 In my childish mind I decided to fight
 Before I'd let her go.
 Here was my Daddy off to Lodge
 And Mommy wanting to fly
 Up to the stars and away from me,
 I surely thought I'd die.
 Mommy explained in a vague sort of way
 It wasn't the stars in the sky,
 So night after night a sitter and I
 Bid her a fond goodbye.
 So Dad in his plumes and Mom in her gown
 Are off on their merry way,
 And I sit home just counting the years
 'Till I'm in DeMolay.

Response, Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sir Knight Robert Miller, your presence and message have given inspiration to us all. Thank you for coming to be with us on our Opening of this Annual Session of our Grand Chapter.

As you are a Past Patron of Rose Valley Chapter No. 33, I am sure that many of your members are pleased to see you. Especially pleased, I am sure, are our Worthy Grand Patron and Associate Grand Patron with whom you have been so closely associated. We wish you happiness and success in your year of leadership in the high office you occupy.

Escort: Grand Officers of other Grand Jurisdictions:

Vera McCurdy, Grand Warder, Oregon
 Estelle Conley, Grand Organist, Oregon
 Jeanne Bottoroff, Grand Electa, Oregon
 Marguerite Kaseberg, Grand Chaplain, Oregon
 Edna Fullman, Grand Esther, Oregon
 Belle Bateman, Grand Treasurer, Oregon
 Paul Sorenson, Grand Sentinel, Oregon
 Helen Oberle, Grand Lecturer, Utah

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

We, the Grand Officers of California, and Delegates, are especially proud to welcome you and trust your stay will be most rewarding in experiences. May your stay permit the opportunity to make the acquaintance of your respective Grand Officer in California who will be pleased to extend every courtesy.

To you we dedicate the yellow ray of our prismatic Rainbow, also representing the second Point of our emblematic Star. It is our hope you may reap a bountiful harvest as you serve your Grand Jurisdiction in your particular station.

Escort: Past Elective Grand Officers:

Emma Blanchard Graves, Past Associate Grand Matron
Past Grand Treasurers

Georgia Hunt	Josephine Fisk
Kittie Briggs	Viola Larsen
Lillian H. Adkins	Viola Rasenor
Sadie Lumry	Hattie Mann Tolle
Anna Shrader	Gladys Huskinson-Robinson
Beulah Ludlow	Ruth Burnside
Isabel Meagher	Agnes McGehee
Zelma Bray	Agnes Barnes

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

My Sisters, you have served your Grand Chapter long and well, and we are most pleased to greet you again. For you we dedicate the color of indigo, the sixth color in our Rainbow, representing Patriotism, which is so essential in this day. May you enjoy the happiness of meeting again with many friends.

Escort: Trustees of the Eastern Star Home:

James A. Jackson, President	
Electa Gay	Wm. A. Willson
Lura Rae Dales	John J. Brost
Elias Mansfield	James L. Millard

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

The Delegates and members here assembled acknowledge with deep gratitude the unselfish service which you so generously give to the management of our Eastern Star Home.

You, too, are found in our Rainbow, represented by the orange ray, symbolic of Hope, which is found in the Scriptures. As the setting sun finds its way over the blue horizon at the end of the day, so it is that our residents find peace and quiet in the sunset years of their lives in our Eastern Star Home. We welcome you with a grateful heart.

Escort: Grand Trailers:

Jeannette Collins, wife of the Worthy Grand Patron, Past Matron, Ocean Park Chapter No. 245;

Earl Jensen, husband of the Worthy Grand Matron, member of Vallejo Chapter No. 278.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Need I say how much these two fine partners mean to Brother Ed and me? Their devoted love and encouragement have brightened our pathway and lightened the load as we have travelled this way. They, too, have a place in our Rainbow, for here we have found our pot of gold, we need look no further.

Escort: Grand Representatives:

	Of	In
Clara Johnson	Nevada	Tennessee
Catherine Henderson	Kansas	Arizona
Vera Goode	Nevada	Arizona
Gladys Dunphy	Delaware	Washington
Anita Sullivan	New Hampshire	Oregon
Ann Ellis	Oregon	New Hampshire
C. L. Prisk	Texas	Utah

Of California:

	In
Janet Hutchinson	Illinois
Kathryn Deck	Utah
Maurine Templeton	Oregon
Mabel Rush Jenkins	Texas
Lucile Fox	Ohio
Agnes Hawkins	Iowa

In California:

	To
Ida Lee Dowty	Alabama
Winnie Barnes	Alberta
Anita Dubin	Arizona
Dora Hoppe	Arkansas
Fordyce Mittelstadt	British Columbia
Charlotte Essman	Colorado
Olive Dillon	Connecticut
Vivian Cook	Delaware
Violet Packer	Dist. of Columbia
Inarose Wolf	Florida
Alva Latham	Georgia
Geneva Hooper	Idaho
Tess Vincent	Illinois
Delores Gorey	Indiana
Florence Peterson	Iowa
Mary Blanchard	Kansas
Mildred Thornton	Louisiana
Cleda Dooley	Maine
Clara Cram	Manitoba
Eva Howard	Massachusetts
Evelyn Simpson	Mississippi
Emily Chamberlain	Missouri
Ernestine C. Martin	Montana
Mary Tilden	Nebraska
Gertrude C. Hill	Nevada
Ruth Beck	New Brunswick
Bertha Barrett	New Hampshire

In California

Ida Green
 Ethel McNeil
 Susie Pine
 Winifred Morgan
 Myrl Reseck
 Margaret M. Morrison
 Hazel Carpenter
 Roberta Dikeman
 Lorena Bobbie James
 Mabel Halliday
 Gerene Kennedy
 Anne Eastman
 Alice Wilson
 Malvina Thomas
 Aletha Adams
 Dorothy Ross
 June Erwin
 Dorothy C. Fraysier
 Emilie Parsons
 Pearl Schultz
 Mary Gregg
 Hazel Hallock
 Minerva Love
 Marie Lamberson

To

New Jersey
 New Mexico
 New York
 North Carolina
 North Dakota
 Nova Scotia
 Ohio
 Oklahoma
 Ontario
 Oregon
 Pennsylvania
 Puerto Rico
 Quebec
 Rhode Island
 Saskatchewan
 Scotland
 South Carolina
 South Dakota
 Tennessee
 Vermont
 Virginia
 Washington
 West Virginia
 Wyoming

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Grand Representatives, you, too, are a part of our Rainbow. Your travels to the many Grand Jurisdictions throughout the world take you beyond the horizon where our Rainbow continues out of view. You have contributed so much over the years in blending friendly fraternal fellowship as compared with the blending of the colors in our Rainbow.

(Grand Honors were extended.)

Sister Esther Sandman, our Associate Grand Matron, we would be pleased to have you welcome the Grand Representatives at this time.

Welcome to Grand Representatives:

Esther Sandman, Associate Grand Matron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron Sister Mildred Harris, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

It is an honor to welcome the Grand Representatives to this, our Ninetieth Session of the Grand Chapter of California, and I thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for this courtesy you have extended to me.

It is not only an honor to welcome them but also to add my welcome to our Most Worthy Grand Matron and to present to her those who represent the many Grand Jurisdictions within our General Grand Chapter. We hope your stay with us has been happy, Sister Mildred, and as you journey on to other Grand Chapter Sessions may you take with you a memory of our California friendship and hospitality.

The Grand Representatives have been referred to many times over the years as Ambassadors of Good Will. It is true, Grand Representatives, you are Ambassadors of Good Will but I think of you in a different role.

Some of you have traveled many miles from other Grand Jurisdictions to be with us and to bring greetings as you represent California in your own Grand Chapters. We welcome you and hope you will have a wonderful time getting to know the folks you represent and will want to return many times to be with us.

To our own members who have been commissioned to represent other Grand Jurisdictions in California, near and far, we are proud of you. We know you are fulfilling your duties with credit to yourselves and honor for our Grand Chapter as you take our greetings to your respective Grand Jurisdictions.

In unity there is strength. I think of you, not only as our Ambassadors of Good Will, but as golden links uniting to fashion a beautiful chain of fraternal friendship, strong and true. It is through you we find this united strength that binds our many Jurisdictions together in a bond of mutual love and endeavor.

In behalf of our Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and the Grand Chapter of California I welcome you and hope you will enjoy your stay with us. May the friends you make be lasting and, as you return to your homes, may our hospitality and deliberations inspire you to continue to "Live for Others".

Response:

Marie Lamberson, Grand Representative of Wyoming and President of the Southern Grand Representatives:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Marshal, General Grand Chapter Committee Members, Honored and Distinguished Members of the Order in the East, Sister Esther Sandman Associate Grand Matron, Sisters and Brothers:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for this courtesy you have extended me. It is indeed an honor to speak for this fine group of Grand Representatives. To Sister Esther M. Sandman, Associate Grand Matron, thank you for your very gracious welcome to these Grand Representatives, many who have traveled hundreds of miles to be with us. You have our sincere appreciation.

We, as ambassadors of goodwill, bring greetings and best wishes for a most harmonious and successful Session from our respective Grand Jurisdictions. Not only the honor of being selected as a

Grand Representative but the blessings from friendships we make in our travels, while promulgating the high ideals of our beautiful Order, have truly enriched our lives.

Worthy Grand Matron Carol M. Jensen, Worthy Grand Patron Edwin F. Collins, Associate Grand Matron Esther M. Sandman:

May you enjoy the treasured gifts
Of peace of heart and mind;
May the ways be placid
And the years be kind.
May you see your hopes fulfilled,
Your plans crowned with success.
To you and all you hold dear
Good health and happiness.

Musical Selection:

"Carol-Eds" Choral Group.

Escort and Introduction of:

Perry Johnson, Associate Supreme Guardian of the Supreme Guardian Council of the International Order of Job's Daughters.

The following members of Standing Committees of the Grand Chapter, not previously presented, were escorted and presented:

Herbert Duenkel, Chairman, Finance;

Ruth Chase, Margaret Dempel and Marion Clough, Fraternal Correspondence;

Sarah Woods, Esther Wagness, Esther Scott, Scholarship;

Helen Bratschie, Roy Bowman, Hattie Rose and Flora Swetland, J. Clifford Lee Memorial Cancer Fund;

Ruth Zimmerman, Cancer Dressings;

Minna Farrar, Marie Smith, Winifred Damgaard, Velma Cracknell, Mildred Breneman, Margaret Waskom, E. Myrtle Glover, Ruth N. Peugh, Winifred Banta and Bessie Robinson, Benevolent Fund;

Wm. Nelligan, Chairman, Clifford Johnson, Frances Williams, Edwin R. Brooks, Kenneth Birnbaum, Grace Gould, Jens Morley, Robert Corcoran, Harold E. Barden and Frank Steiner, Endowment Fund;

Marion Baerkhan, Chairman, and Harold Matthews, Activities;

Manila Richardson, Chairman, Orlo R. Peugh and Irene Wathen, Housing;

Florence Emerick, Chairman, Anne Stolle, Bess Daum, Ruth Macrae, Lura Sellick, Grace Bodley, Norma Jensen, Juanita Hawkins and Everett L. Moore, Credentials;

Bea Ann Hancock and Ruth Weiss, Necrology;

Karl Caldwell, Chairman, Donald R. Fraser, and Essie Hickman, Mileage;

Virginia E. Webster, Ruth Robbins, Patricia McCubbin, Florence Carter, Roy Downer, Alta Gillette, Diane Dixon and Corrine Bliss, Courtesies to Dignitaries;

Lorene Gibson, Banquets.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

I wish to express my gratitude to all of our Standing Committees who have served during the year, and will be assisting during our business sessions. Our Grand Chapter could not function without your capable assistance.

Brother Charles Boone, General Chairman of Grand Chapter Week, it would be my pleasure to have you present your committees.

Brother Charles Boone then informally presented the following members of his Committees as they came from the wings to the podium:

Auditing: Otis Wright

Arena and Committee Rooms: Lucille McCartney

Automobile and Transportation: Clarence Prouse

Bulletin Boards and Signs: Maree Armstrong

Divine Services: Ada Lavender

Decorating: Terry Jurgensen

Drayage and Moving: Nat Frank

Grand Ball: James Michaels, Mason Jurgensen

Grand Chapter Set-up: Betty Howlett

Health and Personal Service: Dr. Gaylord W. Brignall, Ruby Anderson

Hostesses and Hosts: Billie Gardiner, Osmond Ostewig

Information—Lost and Found: Florence Martin

Programs: Manila Paine, Dorothy Michaels

Special Duties: Nora Pierce

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

To the Activities Committees of Grand Chapter Week, all assembled are deeply grateful for your every arrangement and courtesy extended that we might enjoy this Grand Session. And to you, Brother Charles, no one knows the many details which are your responsibility except those who have served in this capacity. I shall be eternally grateful for the assistance and cheerful consideration of the smallest detail.

On behalf of the Grand Chapter of California, our Worthy Grand Patron will now welcome the new members of Grand Chapter.

Welcome to New Members of Grand Chapter:

Worthy Grand Patron, Edwin F. Collins:

Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

To me has been given the privilege of welcoming the new members of Grand Chapter. I wish to welcome all members and more particularly the Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons who are here for the first time as Voting Delegates at this Grand Chapter Session. My Sisters and Brothers, this is your Grand Chapter, and we are confident that you will assume your responsibilities as Delegates and vote for the Good of the Order. I also wish to congratulate you and

wish for you much happiness and success for the coming year. In closing, may I recommend to the Associate Patrons the same suggestion I gave the Associate Patrons a year ago: "Keep your Worthy Matrons Happy."

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Patron. May I also express my welcome to our Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons and thank you for the fine cooperation given to your presiding officers this year. May you receive rich experiences and much inspiration as you attend our deliberations.

Brother Edwin Collins, Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Mildred Harris, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Annie Picknell Mills, Hostess, Brother Henry Lee Wintz, Host, Brother Charles Boone, General Chairman of Grand Chapter Week, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

As we bring to a close this Informal Opening of our Rainbow Session, your Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron wish to add their welcome to all present.

May each one enjoy the Sessions, make new friendships, gather inspiration, and return home with renewed faith, knowing our beautiful Order is dedicated to Charity, Truth and Loving Kindness.

Our gratitude is lovingly expressed to Sister Annie Mills, Chairman of this evening, Brother James Duthie, for his part in arranging the beautiful formation, and all committee members who had any part in the arrangements, the setting of the stage, and accompanying decorations, altogether presenting a most interesting and beautiful formation.

Being a native of California, I was deeply impressed with the picture of our State Flower, the Poppy, in the color of our year, and we shall never forget our exciting arrival at Rainbow Pier to be with you. My heartfelt thanks to all taking part in their lovely and colorful gowns, the "Carol-Eds" choral group, Helen Linsdell and Patty Burke, for their solos, and the organist of the evening, Marguerite Johnson, and the cordial welcomes extended by our Host, Hostess, Councilman Crowe of Long Beach and General Chairman, Charles Boone. All have painted a picture which I shall treasure always.

To our Most Worthy Grand Matron, who will leave shortly for Alabama, please accept our warmest wishes for a safe journey and may some of our California sunshine always accompany you as you travel throughout the world. We shall await your return at a future time when we might again enjoy your sunny smile and happy thoughts.

Sisters and Brothers, all Sessions will begin promptly as scheduled and we would appreciate your being seated on time. May each of you gain inspiration and knowledge from this Session as we review the activities of the year and legislate for the good of our Order.

We will now join in singing our closing hymn, "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You."

Tuesday, October 22, 1963

Morning Session

Promptly at 9 o'clock A.M., Tuesday, October 22nd, the Ninetieth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, was called to order by the then Junior Past Grand Matron Helen O. Isberg, who, with the then Junior Past Grand Patron Robert C. Atkinson, had been escorted to the East.

The Pages and the Deputy Grand Matrons entered and took their places, after which the Grand Officers entered, were presented and assumed their stations.

Welcome:

Junior Past Grand Matron, Helen O. Isberg:
 Brother Robert Atkinson, my Worthy Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol and Worthy Grand Patron Brother Edwin, Distinguished and Honored Members, Delegates, Sisters and Brothers:

Welcome to this, our Ninetieth Session of Grand Chapter. We are so happy to have the privilege this morning of greeting you and opening the Rainbow Session for our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. Thank you sincerely, Sister Carol, for this honor, for we appreciate the fact that in our Grand Jurisdiction of California it is the custom that the Junior Pasts are invited to open the formal Session of our Grand Chapter.

We compliment you, our leaders, for meeting the challenge of presiding in this large auditorium where all of our members can be adequately seated. The beauty of the building in your colors of tangerine and blue with the Long Beach skyline and your Rainbow in the East will long be remembered by the large number of Delegates here assembled.

You have served us well, loyal and true as all before you have given of their best to our Grand Order. It is a special pleasure for me to again be in our Grand East with my Worthy Grand Patron for we, like you, enjoyed each moment of our service together.

In behalf of all of our Delegates, we wish to thank you for all the plans made and executed for this Session. We had such a beautiful Informal Opening last evening and were honored by the presence of our Most Worthy Grand Matron Sister Mildred Haney Harris and we regret she could not remain in California to be with us for the balance of the week. We will miss her, but are grateful she could be with us last evening.

Sister Carol, all is now in readiness for our deliberations, and may you have our Eternal Friend walking with you as you complete your task of "Living for Others".

We will now be honored to hear from our Junior Past Grand Patron Brother Robert C. Atkinson.

Greetings:

Robert C. Atkinson, Junior Past Grand Patron:

Thank you, Junior Past Grand Matron.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Delegates, Sisters and Brothers:

I deeply appreciate the opportunity which our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Mae Jensen, has given to me of extending a welcome to the delegates and members. It is with a sense of much pleasure that I join with our Junior Past Grand Matron, Sister Helen Isberg, in expressing to you a most cordial welcome to this, our formal opening of the 90th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California. May you find the true spirit of hospitality in our midst and may you take with you the memory of inspiring friendship and fraternal love. We seldom think of what we have, but always of what we lack. The richest gift is the power to estimate correctly the value of things, and the important thing is to know how to take all things quietly. In this day and age, when what we do is so important, the need to be proud of our Eastern Star is more pronounced than ever. For the last few years we have heard comments on the serious decrease in membership in our subordinate Chapters, in fact, in all organizations—Masonic or otherwise, but to date no one has come up with a concrete idea as to what can be done about it. It is very definite that we cannot continue to lose thousands of members each year and still survive.

If we are to grow in stature, in position, in membership, we must concentrate on producing efficient presiding officers. We must assist those Chapters that do not have Line Officers, we must interest members for a desire to lead and also appoint capable members on committees. We must present programs that would be of interest to the entire membership. In short, we must give our members something constructive to keep them interested in our Chapter meetings. It will depend on each one of us to promote harmony, goodwill, friendship and understanding, and to fully represent our Chapters with dignity, with compassion, with a deep sense for the spiritual side rather than for the material. This we can accomplish under the capable leadership of our Grand Chapter Officers.

We wish for our Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol and our Worthy Grand Patron Brother Ed a most successful and harmonious Grand Chapter Session and may each of you receive a full measure of inspiration and enjoyment throughout your stay.

Junior Past Grand Matron Helen Isberg:

Sister Carol, I now present you your gavel, may God bless you as you preside.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Helen Isberg, our Junior Past Grand Matron, and Brother Robert Atkinson, our Junior Past Grand Patron, for

your welcome and greeting to all assembled on this important morning, the official opening of our Ninetieth Session of the Grand Chapter of California. It seems but yesterday that you both stood in this place of honor as our leaders. Following you to the Grand East was a happy experience, and your participation this morning brought back many memories of your kindnesses along the way.

This Ninetieth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California is lovingly dedicated to all members of the Order in California and to the memory of those members who have passed through the labyrinth of human life.

Roll Call:

The constitutional number of Chapters answering roll call, the Session was opened in regular form by the Grand Officers.

Prayer:

Edna Johnson, Grand Chaplain:

Our Father in Heaven, we open this Ninetieth Session with reverence and a faith that is strong. We know Thy love will inspire and Thy knowledge will guide all assembled. Let Thy light shine into our hearts and bless each of us. Bless the Order of the Eastern Star everywhere. Bless our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron as they now proceed with their important duties. Bless the members of our Eastern Star Home. Grant that all Officers, Delegates and Members may keep in mind the clear vision of our ideals and the rugged course necessary to fulfill them. May all the decisions of this week be in harmony with Thy will and may Thy divine spirit guide us in all our deliberations. We ask this in Thy Holy Name. Amen.

Flag Escort:

Justice Bayless, Worthy Patron of Vallejo Chapter No. 278 and President of the Silverado Association, acted as Flag Bearer.

The audience joined in the Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of the National Anthem.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

It is a pleasure to add my welcome to all assembled this morning and to especially greet our Sisters from the Eastern Star Home. So that all present may see you, will you kindly rise for recognition. (Fifty of the Residents of the Home, seated in the west, rose for presentation.) We hope that you will enjoy your stay this morning, and please take our greetings to your Sister residents who were unable to be with us. Our thanks to those members who arranged transportation for our Sisters.

(The Worthy Grand Patron was asked to preside.)

ANNUAL ADDRESS OF THE WORTHY GRAND MATRON

Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Delegates to this, our Rainbow Session, Sisters and Brothers:

In compliance with the provisions of the Constitution of Grand Chapter, it is required that the Worthy Grand Matron report at the Annual Session a résumé of the work and activities that were her responsibilities since the adjournment of the last Grand Session. It is now with pleasure, and I hope with interest to all assembled, that I present the following report:

Twelve months ago, from the City of Oakland, our mystic ship "Star of the East" set sail on a cruise that would take us to all parts of our beautiful California Grand Jurisdiction. The ideals set for attainment seemed like the stars in the heavens—for we could never reach them; but like the mariner at sea, we set our course by them. This I have done during the past busy months with our Heavenly Father as my pilot, the Open Bible my compass, a prayer on my lips, and the aid of a most capable crew.

With Love in my heart, Loyalty to all with whom I have been associated, and the greatest desire to Serve Others, I assumed the great responsibilities of guiding the destiny of our wonderful Order. In so doing, I likened this service to an ocean cruise to the Chapter ports, where we would meet our members, review their accomplishments, and leave with them our cargo of love, encouragement, and friendship. We found happiness, contentment, inspiration, and only a minor problem here and there; and the cordial welcome we received will always remain a pleasant memory.

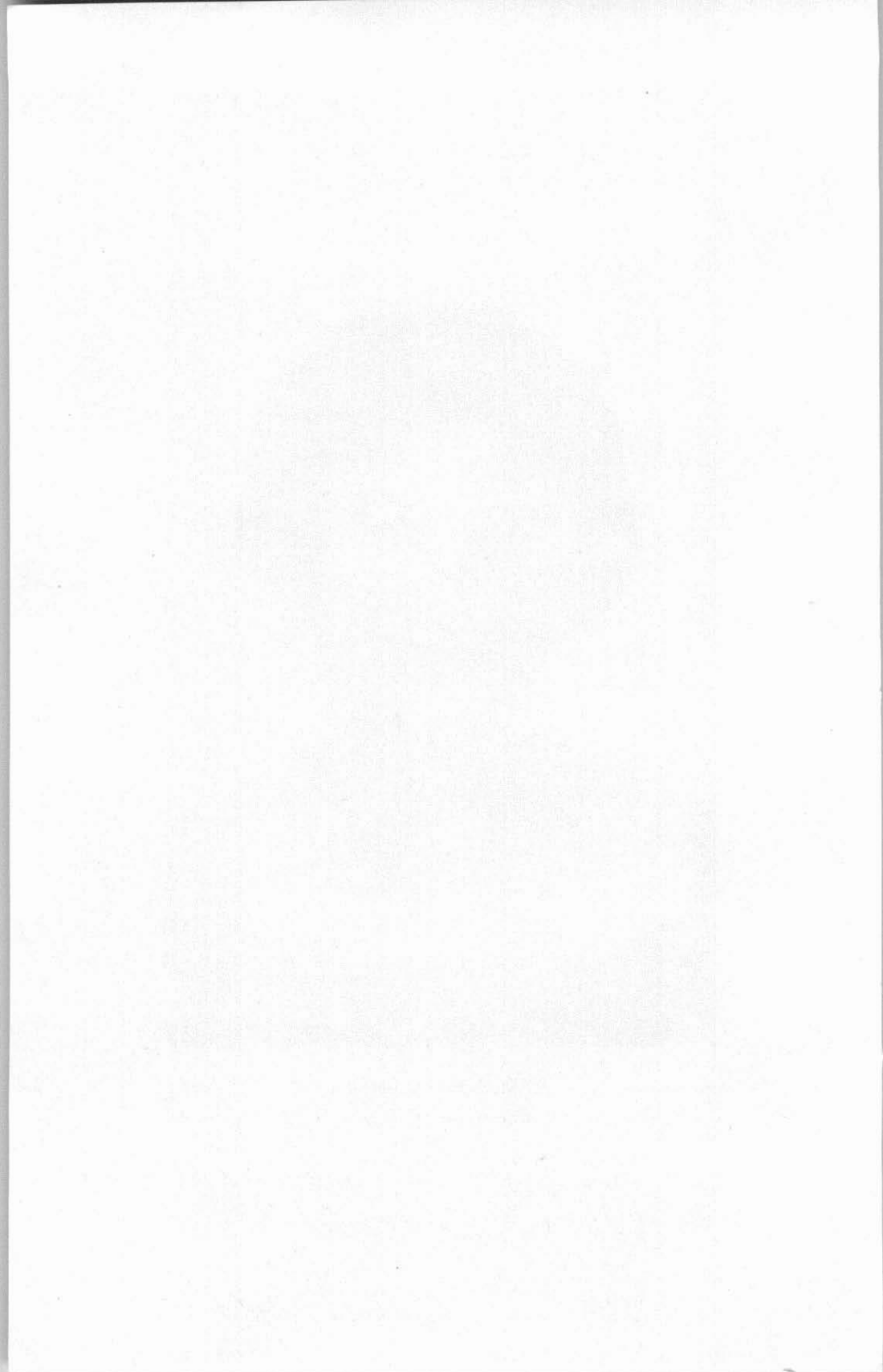
Our cruise now completed, we have dropped anchor in Long Beach Harbor to assemble with you, the Delegates and Members from far and near, that we, together, may examine the "log" for this cruise of 1963 and legislate for the good of the Order. Any progress of this year has been the result of the loving dedicated service of our many members, together with that of all the Chapters in our Grand Jurisdiction.

Official Acts:

My first official duty was to appoint the ten Grand Floor Officers, who were selected from various parts of the State, followed by the careful selection of ninety-four Deputy Grand Matrons, and the necessary Committee Members. It was my pleasure to recommend as Representatives to other Grand Jurisdictions many deserving members of California Chapters; and to appoint and commission, upon the recommendations of Worthy Grand Matrons of other Grand Jurisdictions, Grand Representatives to California. Special dispensations and authorizations were granted, and numerous amendments to Chapter By-Laws approved. Because success and progress in an organization such as ours can only be accomplished by the zealous endeavors of capable, willing, and deserving members who serve as officers or committee workers, I was most deliberate in those selected and each has proven to be a real asset in the respective appointment.



CAROL MAE JENSEN
Worthy Grand Matron



Appointive Grand Officers:

Edna Johnson (31)	Grand Chaplain
Vivian Kilgore (223)	Grand Marshal
Louise Bowman (449)	Grand Organist
Zoe Harris (173)	Grand Adah
Georgia Brignall (377)	Grand Ruth
Lillian Evernden (597)	Grand Esther
Carmel Jefferson (370)	Grand Martha
Betty Hamilton (146)	Grand Electa
Inez Huffman (352)	Grand Warder
Austin Garrett (112)	Grand Sentinel

Deputy Grand Matrons:

District No.	District No.
1 Helen McDonnell (23)	48 Edna Parkinson (257)
2 Kathryn Morford (39)	49 Agness McCannan (270)
3 Edna Beeman (232)	50 Julia Hein (94)
4 Myrle Gill (552)	51 Elva Nolan (603)
5 Norma Snyder (129)	52 Nelle Wenner (391)
6 Ruby Schooler (44)	53 Gertrude McKay (587)
7 Ethel Edwards (86)	54 Alma Lewis (176)
8 Beulah Storts (291)	55 Elizabeth Beavers (595)
9 Leola Rainey (336)	56 Pearle Davis (558)
10 Margaret McKinley (161)	57 Martha Knutson (202)
11 Christine Watkins (104)	58 Ruth Goslin (346)
12 Cathryn English (326)	59 Maude Long (212)
13 Ruth Butz (615)	60 Alice Littleton (75)
14 Patricia Rainville (56)	61 Betty Anderson (351)
15 Ruth Hoskins (218)	62 Clarris Wacker (515)
16 Ha McKenzie (57)	63 Wilma Johnson (359)
17 Vera Towsley (66)	64 Pauline Denzel (79)
18 Doris Morrow (117)	65 Della Chaffin (152)
19 Dorothy Stephenson (385)	66 Myrtle Robertson (422)
20 Annetta Ricketts (28)	67 Carol Burke (327)
21 Evelyn Gregory (372)	68 Nannie Hinsche (492)
22 Elizabeth Smith (77)	69 Estelle Anderson (192)
23 Imogene Wood (339)	70 Minnie Tatum (265)
24 Wilma Cocchi (123)	71 Blanche Wolfrom (421)
25 Ena Belle Plummer (532)	72 Stella Blanker (476)
26 Ethel Calvert (189)	73 Cleona Crozier (601)
27 Dorothy Mielke (3)	74 Harriet Ogden (209)
28 Dale Ellsworth (214)	75 Marcile Oldman (569)
29 Betty Walker (375)	76 Cecilia Jeola (130)
30 Betty Ferguson (541)	77 Louise Tyson (113)
31 Ann Haberkorn (423)	78 Louise Russell (621)
32 Jeanette Stewart (303)	79 Mary Lee Brassell (137)
33 Leona Harper (455)	80 Sarah Crooks (171)
34 Florence Myrick (177)	81 Anna Holladay (411)
35 Donzella Eoff (427)	82 Mildred Pettenger (502)
36 Mildred Murphy (269)	83 Greta Jacobson (526)
37 Esther Levetin (409)	84 Betty Poulain (448)
38 Ruth Webb (440)	85 Virginia Shrimp (608)
39 Margaret Berkowitz (604)	86 Lyle Smith (444)
40 Agnes Miller (228)	87 Sarah Ross (143)
41 Olga Steriekar (186)	88 Helen Rogers (240)
42 Ruth King (250)	89 Lois Corcoran (389)
43 Joyce Grisham (530)	90 Helen McNeal (453)
44 Jeanne Cole (45)	91 Cora Meome Harvey (264)
45 Thelma Thayer (282)	92 Jane Sowers (412)
46 Helen Argall (128)	93 Enid Young (300)
47 Bertha Beall (557)	94 Pauline Williams (311)

Standing and Special Committees Appointed:**Constitution and By-Laws**

Logan Cotton (425)	624 S. Gertrude Ave., Redondo Beach
James Leo Halley (255)	703 Flood Bldg., San Francisco
Walker Peddicord (409)	860 Broadmoor Court, Lafayette

Jurisprudence

Marguerite Weisheimer (262)	46 Marcela Ave., San Francisco
Lloyd Ellis Griffin (264)	1043 E. Briarfield Dr., San Diego
Henry Lee Wintz (344)	Box 173, Cambria

Finance

Herbert Duenckel (540)	10105 Toluca Lake Ave., No. Hollywood	1 year
Frank Cruse (418)	2557 6th Ave., Los Angeles 18	2 years
Francis J. Herz (183)	2358 14th Ave., San Francisco 16	3 years
Bernice Jan Basich (466)	313 No. Madison Ave., Monrovia	4 years
Thelma Rehnert Warner (303)	280 Euclid Ave., Oakland	5 years

Charters and Dispensations

Helen Louise Edwards (191)	Claremont Manor, Claremont
Helen O. Isberg (448)	Box 2, Temple City
George Danielson (552)	Box 356, Modesto

Appeals and Grievances

Mary E. Balden (361)	Box 515, Fillmore
Harry C. Sproule (2)	410 El Camino Real, Vallejo
Gertrude Conant Matson (48)	Rt. 1, Box 256, Wheatland

Fraternal Correspondence

Ruth Chase (79)	1440 Brodiea, Ventura
Margaret Dempel (58)	Rt. 1, Box 121, Ukiah
Marion Clough (319)	4716 Don Miguel Dr., Los Angeles

Distribution

Joseph F. Reed (448)	3875 N. Walnut Grove Ave., Rosemead
Philip Fredric Leahy (452)	12624 St. Andrews Dr., Sun City, Arizona
Robert C. Atkinson (350)	2475 Mission St., San Francisco

Scholarships

Sarah Woods (188)	Box 47, Tehachapi	1 year
Esther Wagness (300)	Box 335, Spring Valley	2 years
Annie Picknell Mills (326)	Rt. 1, Box 1602, Butte City	3 years
Lois Blodgett Tamba (150)	1226 Swanston Dr., Sacramento	4 years
Esther Scott (195)	2348 Susan Drive, Santa Clara	5 years

J. Clifford Lee Memorial Cancer Fund

Helen Bratschie (297)	2873 East 17th St., Oakland	1 year
Roy Bowman (468)	370 W. Artesia Blvd., Pomona	2 years
Hattie Rose (320)	274 Minnewawa Ave., Clovis	3 years
Grace M. Hoffman (435)	601 Terraine Ave., Long Beach	4 years
Flora O. Swetland (418)	1811 Glendon Ave., Los Angeles 25	5 years

Cancer Dressings Stations

Ruth Zimmerman (571)	600 Grizzly Peak Rd., Berkeley

Benevolent Fund

Kathryn Farwell (115)	General Chairman	3 years
Area No. 1: Districts 1, 2, 3 and 6		
Gladys Hart (39)	Montague	3 years
Area No. 2: Districts 4, 5, 7, 11, 12, 13 and 14		
Minna Farrar (326)	Rt. 1, Box 1325, Butte City	2 years
Area No. 3: Districts 8, 9, 10, 26 and 27		
Marie Smith (61)	10815 Valley Ford Rd., Petaluma	3 years

Area No. 4: Districts 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 Lillian G. Clausen (301) 914 39th St., Sacramento	2 years
Area No. 5: Districts 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 Winifred Damgaard (457) 487 43rd St., Oxnard	3 years
Area No. 6: Districts 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 Ruby Dinsdale (339) Rt. 1, Box 168, Manteca	1 year
Area No. 7: Districts 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43 Alice Widerstrom (472) 1759 32nd Ave., San Francisco	3 years
Area No. 8: Districts 44, 45, 53 and 54 Velma Cracknell (47) 718 Marion Ave., Salinas	2 years
Area No. 9: Districts 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 Edith Hughes (92) 208 So. A St., Madera	1 year
Area No. 10: Districts 78, 79, 84, 85 and 86 Mildred Breneman (286) 7034 Mission Place, Huntington Park	1 year
Area No. 11: Districts 64, 65, 66, 67, 70, 75, 76 and 83 Margaret Waskom (436) 8705 Crenshaw, Inglewood (4)	2 years
Area No. 12: Districts 68, 69, 71, 72, 73, 74 and 77 E. Myrtle Glover (395) 11329 Culver Blvd., Los Angeles (66)	3 years
Area No. 13: Districts 80, 81, 82, 87, 88 and 89 Ruth Norton Peugh (399) 523 St. Louis Ave., Long Beach (14)	2 years
Area No. 14: Districts 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63 Winifred Banta (302) 24895 Alessandro Blvd., Sunnymead	3 years
Area No. 15: Districts 90, 91, 92, 93 and 94 Bessie Robinson (478) 1010 Evergreen, San Diego (6)	2 years

Endowment Fund

Wm. Nelligan (396) General Chairman 495 Marietta Dr., San Francisco (27)	3 years
Area No. 1: Districts 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 Elizabeth Lackenmyer (279) 1401 Butte St., Corning	1 year
Area No. 2: Districts 1, 8, 9, 10, 26 and 27 Charles B. Bazemore (235) 429 So. Montgomery St., Napa	2 years
Area No. 3: Districts 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 Clifford Johnson (368) Box 218, Arbuckle	2 years
Area No. 4: Districts 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 Frances Williams (447) 3107 Ladd Road, Modesto	1 year
Area No. 5: Districts 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 Edwin R. Brooks (249) 24th and Barrett Sts., Richmond	2 years
Area No. 6: Districts 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40 Kenneth Birnbaum (204) 845 Sloat Blvd., San Francisco (27)	2 years
Area No. 7: Districts 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45 Grace Gould (46) 996 San Benito St., Hollister	3 years
Area No. 8: Districts 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50 Maude Cook (92) 124 South J St., Madera	3 years
Area No. 9: Districts 51, 52, 53 and 54 Darrol C. Findley (426) 1901 Duke Dr., Bakersfield	1 year
Area No. 10: Districts 55, 56, 57, 58 and 59 Jens Morley (548) 25891 Pacific Ave., San Bernardino	1 year
Area No. 11: Districts 60, 61, 62, 63, 87, 88 and 89 Robert Corcoran (389) 1008 N. Olive St., Santa Ana	3 years

Area No. 12: Districts 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70 and 71	
Gerrell G. Brown (237)	1 year
1005 E. Doran, Glendale	
Area No. 13: Districts 72, 73, 74, 76, 77, 78 and 79	
Harold E. Barden (113)	2 years
320 22nd St., Santa Monica	
Area No. 14: Districts 75, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85 and 86	
Frank Steiner (193)	3 years
241 N. Cresta St., San Gabriel	
Area No. 15: Districts 90, 91, 92, 93 and 94	
Wm. Dewgaw (579)	3 years
3221 Bancroft Dr., Box 9, Spring Valley	

General Chairman, Grand Chapter Week

Charles Boone (173)	244 Redondo Ave., Long Beach (3)

Activities

Marion (Al) Baerkhan (507)	4241 Keever Ave., Long Beach (7)
Marjorie Bjorkman (173)	2724 Dalsey Ave., Long Beach (6)
Harold Matthews (310)	1310 E. 3rd St., Long Beach (12)

Housing

Manila Richardson (617)	6703 Montlaco Rd., Long Beach (8)
Orlo R. Peugh (399)	523 St. Louis Ave., Long Beach (14)
Irene Wathen (628)	5715 McKinley, Hollydale

Credentials

Isabelle Mosher (269)	460 Pacheco St., San Francisco (16)
Hazel Wintz (344)	Box 173, Cambria
Anne Stolle (392)	5314 Hillen Dr., Oakland (19)
Grace Bodley (562)	26595 Ascension, Los Altos Hills
Norma Jensen (413)	5914 Tuxedo Terrace, Hollywood (28)
Florence Emerick (183)	1167 Bush St., San Francisco
Bessie Kidd (391)	Box 6006, Bakersfield
Everett L. Moore (290)	1855 Magnolia Way, Walnut Creek
Juanita Hawkins (191)	880 Rancho Circle, Fullerton

Necrology

Thelma Schleifer (234)	834 Pine St., Martinez
Bea Ann Hancock (511)	810 Obispo Ave., Long Beach (4)
Ruth Weiss (411)	10414 S. Manhattan Place, Los Angeles (47)

Mileage

Karl Caldwell (512)	Box 642, Mentone
Donald Frazer (245)	1112 E. Ocean Park Blvd., Santa Monica
Essie Hickman (588)	10 Harmony Court, Danville

Courtesies to Dignitaries

Everina Rheingans (549)	606 Roe Road, Paradise
Mabel Tellefson (395)	4230 Irving Place, Culver City
Virginia E. Webster (535)	6111 Garth Ave., Los Angeles
Ruth Robbins (518)	2717 West 141st Place, Apt. 4, Gardena
Patricia McCubbin (255)	141 Westwood Dr., San Francisco
Florence Carter (217)	1427 W. 20th St., Los Angeles
Roy Downer (268)	3406 Sunnywood Dr., Fullerton
Alta Gillette (549)	Box 1076, Paradise
Diane Dixon (179)	2570 27th Ave., San Francisco
Margaret Smock (386)	3273 Encinal Ave., Alameda

Banquets

Lorene Gibson (173)	2190 Gondar Ave., Long Beach (13)

Publicity

Dajora K. Burnham (502)	3920 Country Club Drive, Long Beach

At the last Session of Grand Chapter, it was voted to revise and bring up to date the Officers' Instruction Book. It was my pleasure to appoint Sister Esther Sandman, Associate Grand Matron, together with the Grand Line Officers and Sisters Marguerite Weisheimer and Corine Melville, Past Grand Matrons, to accomplish this objective. They have given many dedicated hours to complete this important assignment, and the experienced counsel of Sister Marguerite was of untold value.

It was my pleasure to recommend the appointment of those listed as Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions in California and to comply with the requests from Worthy Grand Matrons of Sister Jurisdictions for appointments to represent California.

Grand Representatives Appointed:

Representative	Of
Charlotte Essman	Colorado
Olive Dillon	Connecticut
Violet Packer	District of Columbia
Geneva Hooper	Idaho
Mildred Thornton	Louisiana
Clara Cram	Manitoba
Frieda Barkley	Maryland
Evelyn Simpson	Mississippi
Emily Chamberlain	Missouri
Ernestine C. Martin	Montana
Gertrude C. Hill	Nevada
Ruth Beck	New Brunswick
Ethel McNeil	New Mexico
Susie Pine	New York
Myrl Reseck	North Dakota
Robertta Dikeman	Oklahoma
Lorena Bobbie James	Ontario
Gerene Kennedy	Pennsylvania
Dorothy Ross	Scotland
June Erwin	South Carolina
Dorothy C. Fraysier	South Dakota
Florence McCourtney	Texas
Minerva Love	West Virginia

Representative	In
Loah Nan Stevens	Connecticut
Emma Knodle	Idaho
Marie Voigt	Louisiana
Gladys Colgan	Michigan
Audrey Little	New Brunswick
Louise Sprague	New Jersey
Edna McNeil	New Mexico
Marion K. Emerson	North Dakota
Hazel Davidson	Nova Scotia
Helen Cornelius	Pennsylvania
Dolores Rigsby	Puerto Rico
Margaret Sloan	Quebec
Nannie Ross	Tennessee
Mabel Rush Jenkins	Texas
Kathryn A. Deck	Utah
Harriet Anton	Washington
Ruth Huggman	Wyoming

School of Instruction:

On Saturday following the close of Grand Chapter in Oakland, the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron entertained as their luncheon guests the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons who accepted our invitation to witness the exemplification of the Ritualistic and Floor Work for 1963. The luncheon, also at-

tended by several past elective Grand Officers and the Deputy Grand Matrons, was served at the Madison Street Temple in Oakland and previous to the exemplification. I was very proud of the Grand Floor Officers, attired in their white formal dresses, who exemplified the Ritualistic and Floor Work to perfection. It was our pleasure to have with us, Sister Mildred Haney Harris, Most Worthy Grand Matron, who expressed her joy and keen interest.

On Sunday morning, following a devotional by our Grand Chaplain, the four-day school of instruction for the Deputy Grand Matrons commenced. All ninety-four Deputies were attentive, friendly, and most cooperative as they were schooled in the responsibilities and duties of their office. Sister Charlotte Welch, a Past Matron of Vallejo Chapter, served as Worthy Matron; Sister Jeannette Collins, wife of our Worthy Grand Patron, acted as Secretary when our Grand Secretary was not present; and Brother Ray Hamilton, husband of our Grand Electa, was Flag Bearer. Morning, afternoon, and evening sessions left no time for social gatherings; however, housing was so arranged that two deputies, one from the North and one from the South, shared a twin room and found a new Eastern Star friend which has added to the pleasure of their year. The co-operation of Past Grand Matron Sister Thelma Warner and Brother Gene Warner made possible the use of the Madison Street Temple, and I am indeed grateful to these two wonderful members. Sterling Chapter No. 533 permitted the use of their paraphernalia, and to the East Bay Past Matrons Association, under the capable chairmanship of Maude Stanley, for the delicious luncheons served on Saturday and each day of our school, I am very thankful and most appreciative.

Installations:

Invitations to install the Officers of many Chapters were received, and in consideration of the Past Matrons and Past Patrons who are most pleased and most deserving to serve their Chapters on these important occasions, I declined with appreciation. It was my pleasure to install the Worthy Matrons in each of my Silverado Association Chapters with the exception of Valley of the Moon Chapter, Sonoma. On November 17th, all the Grand Floor Officers installed six Chapters at a Joint Installation in Long Beach. (Long Beach, Bettina, Service, Searchlight, El Petrol, and Belmont Shore Chapters.)

Official Visits:

The Official Visits were indeed an inspiration to the Grand Floor Officers who attended in such goodly numbers, as they made every effort to meet as many members as possible. The friendly manner of the Grand Family was noted by many of our senior members, thus making them feel closer to our Grand Chapter. The Deputy Grand Matrons, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, with harmonious planning and the loving labor of many committee members left no

stone unturned to make each visit a happy and memorable occasion. The Ritualistic ceremony, decorations, entertainment, presentations, refreshments, and the warm feeling of fraternal love were most complimentary. Our Worthy Grand Patron traveled beyond the call of duty to attend almost all the Official Visits. The support of the Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, and the many members with whom I have served is deeply appreciated. Seldom was there an Official Visit where there were vacant chairs, the attendance by the members was outstanding.

Official Visits were made to five Chapters celebrating their seventy-fifth anniversary, those instituted in 1888; and each visit displayed the extensive preparations and love of the members for their beautiful Eastern Star Chapter. Colorful decorations, dress of the Officers, music and entertainment were identified with the year of their Institution; and to each Chapter it was a Homecoming as their scattered members made a special effort to return and spend a wonderful evening in their beloved Chapter. It was a most rewarding experience as we travelled to Bethlehem Chapter No. 95 at Paso Robles; Southern Star Chapter No. 96 in San Diego; Mizpah Chapter No. 100 at Santa Maria; Ramona Chapter No. 97 at Arroyo Grande; and Beulah Chapter No. 99 in San Francisco.

The last Official Visit was to my own District on September 21st, and the overflowing attendance was indeed a heart-warming occasion. Surely the love of our Eastern Star and the loyalty of those with whom I have been privileged to serve was evidenced by such a large gathering. The efficient planning of the Deputy Grand Matron and capable talent of the presiding officers was very noteworthy. No Worthy Grand Matron could ever receive more support and faithful devotion than I received from those who served as line officers in my district during these past years. The fresh flowers which were in the many carrying pieces, presented to me at each Official Visit, were replaced with corresponding artificial flowers and displayed in the dining room for the enjoyment of all assembled. No detail was overlooked for the hospitality of the visiting members.

January 4—District No. 12

Arbuckle No. 388, Eowana No. 328,
Loyal No. 223, Maxwell No. 369,
Veritas No. 84, Wild Rose No.
326.

January 5—Districts Nos. 18 and 19

Ada No. 301, Columbus No. 117,
El Camino No. 428, Fort Sutter
No. 420, Naomi No. 36, Laura-
lane No. 529, Rio Linda No. 621,
Rainbow No. 385, Rising Star
No. 593, Temple No. 513, Sacra-
mento No. 190.

January 7—District No. 32

Athens No. 277, Encina No. 519,
Golden Chain No. 303, Nova Dies
No. 544, Oakland No. 140, Oak
Leaf No. 8, Unity No. 65.

January 8—District No. 49

Corcoran No. 370, Eschscholtzia
No. 270, Lily of the Lake No. 41,
Lucerne No. 127, Venus No. 534.

January 9—Districts Nos. 74 and 77

Beverly Hills No. 404, Eliz. B.
Wheeler No. 540, Hollywood No.
209, Holly Vista No. 517, Wil-
Brea No. 520, Wilshire No. 329,
West Lake No. 268, Columbia
No. 247, Culver City No. 395,
Ocean Park No. 245, Palisades
No. 474, Palms No. 491, Santa
Monica No. 113, Triangle No.
456, Westwood Hills No. 535.

January 10—District No. 57

Baldwin Park No. 527, Glen No. 357, Jasmine No. 145, La Paloma No. 202, La Puente No. 325, San Dimas No. 509, West Covina No. 607.

January 11—District No. 71

Elysian No. 374, Mendias No. 582, Menorah No. 197, Olivette No. 503, Palestine No. 210, Radiant No. 421, South Gate No. 133.

January 12—District No. 79

Bell No. 393, Bellflower No. 397, Century No. 613, Guardian No. 439, La Paz No. 584, Lynwood No. 438, Rising Light No. 286, San Antonio No. 573.

January 15—District No. 82

All States No. 502, Bettina No. 399, El Petrol No. 507, Emera No. 561, Mar Vista No. 511, Star of Lakewood No. 617.

January 16—District No. 66

Atwater No. 522, Crescenta Valley No. 494, Eagle Rock No. 313, Esperanza No. 167, Glendale No. 422, Tujunga No. 445, Glen Eyrie No. 237.

January 17—District No. 86

Belvedere No. 402, El Rancho No. 624, Hollenbeck No. 248, Lyra No. 144, Montebello No. 335, Occident No. 160, The Gardens No. 464, Whittier No. 444.

January 18—District No. 47

Calkota No. 309, Concordia No. 320, Fresno No. 295, Fort Miller-ton No. 557, La Sierra No. 555, Raisina No. 89.

January 25—District No. 43

Fraternity No. 288, Jarman No. 493, San Jose No. 31, Manzanita No. 342, Willow Glen No. 530, Starlight No. 401.

January 26—Districts Nos. 36 and 39

Amity No. 262, Imperial No. 229, King Solomon's No. 170, Liberty No. 451, Olive Branch No. 169, Parnassus No. 269, Casimir No. 252, Del Mar No. 604, Golden Gate No. 1, Nonpareil No. 496, San Francisco No. 196, Richmond No. 255.

January 28—District No. 52

Bakersfield No. 125, Caledonia No. 391, Delano No. 146, Libertas No. 362, Oildale No. 559, Security No. 426, Tehachapi No. 188.

January 29—Districts Nos. 59 and 60

Arrowhead No. 548, Big Bear No. 485, Gate City No. 212, Colton No. 211, J. Clifford Lee No. 599, Copa del Oro No. 142, Orange Blossom No. 488, Rialto No. 596, Riverside No. 622, Silver Wave No. 75, Rim of the World No. 578.

January 30—District No. 84

Alhambra No. 193, Granada No. 442, Ramona Star No. 267, Rosemead No. 567, San Gabriel No. 407, San Marino No. 554, Temple City No. 448.

February 1—District No. 67

Burbank No. 352, Granada Hills No. 616, Magnolia Park No. 598, Home No. 592, Star of Palmdale No. 619, Sunshine No. 327, San Fernando No. 898.

February 2—Districts Nos. 91, 92, 93

Corinthian No. 358, La Jolla No. 479, Pacific Beach No. 606, South West No. 345, San Diego No. 264, Silver Strand No. 387, Coronado No. 332, Estrella No. 412, Harbor Lights No. 600, Normal Heights No. 478, Palomar No. 565, San Miguel No. 579, Chula Vista No. 458, El Cajon No. 429, La Mesa No. 300, Southern Star No. 96.

February 4—District No. 69

Arlington No. 415, Golden State No. 298, Ionic No. 446, Loyalty No. 217, Oriental No. 258, Pacific No. 192, Sunbeam No. 376.

February 9—Districts Nos. 21 and 23

Elk Grove No. 109, Linden No. 372, Live Oak No. 371, Escallonia No. 447, Golden Poppy No. 355, Lodi No. 150, Homo No. 50, Woodbridge No. 118, Joaquin No. 348, Pentalpha No. 339, Stockton No. 373.

February 11—District No. 73

Angeles Vista No. 516, Ascot No. 437, Beacon Ray No. 495, Betsy Ross No. 518, Morningside No. 601, West Adams No. 411, Windsor No. 543.

February 12—District No. 80

Carnation No. 171, Lomita No. 591, Playa Linda No. 425, Point Firmin No. 512, San Pedro Harbor No. 174, Torrance No. 380, Wilmington No. 459.

February 14—District No. 76

America No. 408, East Gate No. 225, El Sereno No. 430, Garvanza No. 266, Glassell Park No. 456, Highland Park No. 263.

February 15—District No. 87

Artesia No. 253, Chispa No. 151, Garden Grove No. 483, La Mirada No. 623, Norwalk No. 143, Seal Beach No. 542, Westminster No. 625.

February 16—District No. 61

Crown No. 162, Elsinore No. 243, La Victoria No. 241, Miriam No. 302, Tahquitz No. 351, Ungava No. 106.

February 18—District No. 70

Bethel No. 476, Daylight No. 265, Los Angeles No. 168, Majestic No. 480, Utopia No. 441, Sunny-side No. 436.

- February 19—District No. 83
 Altadena No. 526, East Pasadena No. 473, Pasadena No. 108, Melita No. 467, Southland No. 307, South Pasadena No. 272.
- February 20—District No. 46
 Chowchilla No. 365, Centineia No. 136, Dos Palos No. 545, Las Mariposas No. 200, Madera No. 92, Mercedes No. 126.
- February 25—District No. 45
 Carmel No. 581, El Gabilan No. 574, La Pasa No. 282, Monterey No. 239, Ocean Spray No. 68, Reveille No. 47.
- February 26—District No. 48
 Dinuba No. 261, Heliotrope No. 93, Kingsburg No. 312, Monte Vista No. 271, Reedley No. 257, Sanger No. 482.
- February 27—District No. 75
 Fuchsia No. 597, Gardena No. 260, Hawthorne No. 469, Inglewood No. 319, Moneta No. 315, Sunset No. 216, Westchester No. 569.
- March 1—District No. 68
 Acacia No. 21, Composite No. 498, Henry S. Orme No. 492, Nimshi No. 424, Pleiades No. 281, Rose Croix No. 317, Siloam No. 406.
- March 2—District No. 72
 Cahuenga No. 413, Larchmont No. 463, Harding No. 454, Malta No. 475, Melrose No. 466, Roseland No. 465.
- March 4—District No. 81
 Belmont Shore No. 589, Catalina Island No. 576, Long Beach No. 173, Palos Verdes No. 310, Paramount No. 628, Searchlight No. 435, Service No. 414.
- March 5—District No. 85
 Arcadia No. 471, Lexington No. 172, Monrovia No. 227, Sojourner No. 608, Santa Anita No. 575, Sierra Madre No. 299.
- March 11—District No. 56
 Barstow No. 546, Desert Holly No. 558, Joshua Tree No. 630, Searles Lake No. 547, Victor Valley No. 537.
- March 12—District No. 58
 Chino Valley No. 330, Claremont No. 324, Euclid No. 179, Pomona No. 110, Star of the West No. 463, Upland No. 346.
- March 13—District No. 63
 Needles No. 242.
- March 14—District No. 63
 Blythe No. 359.
- March 15—District No. 94
 Alamos No. 316, Alamo No. 289, Golden Rule No. 267, Imperial Crown No. 311, Signal No. 276.
- March 16—District No. 62
 Coachella Valley No. 360, Desert Star No. 602, Palm Springs No. 576, San Geronimo No. 515, Yucaipa Valley No. 560, Yucca Valley No. 629.
- March 18—District No. 51
 Arvin No. 603, Buena Vista No. 364, Faith No. 514, Maricopa No. 323, Taft No. 337, Wasco No. 489.
- March 26—District No. 30
 Alethe No. 366, Berkeley No. 178, Estrellita No. 541, Orinda U.D., Prudence No. 484, Rosa M. Shattuck No. 504, West Gate No. 290.
- March 27—District No. 11
 Amapola No. 119, Chico No. 627, Lyman No. 363, Josephine No. 104, Paradise No. 549, Vernon No. 35.
- March 28—District No. 16
 Crystal No. 57, Heber No. 181, Mountain Fern No. 62, Natoma No. 233, Penrhyn No. 159, San Juan No. 563, Rose No. 292.
- March 29—District No. 20
 Golden Rod No. 221, Onisbo No. 164, Rio Vista No. 222, Suisun No. 2, Vacaville No. 28.
- April 1—District No. 50
 Exeter No. 334, Lindsay No. 306, Martha Washington No. 13, Tulare No. 94, Palm Leaf No. 114, Woodlake No. 510.
- April 2—District No. 65
 Canoga No. 452, Conejo Valley No. 632, Heritage No. 612, Noel No. 611, North Hollywood No. 403, Reseda No. 505, Van Nuys No. 338.
- April 3—District No. 88
 Ami Tai No. 405, Brea No. 506, Buena Park No. 240, Hacienda No. 614, Yorba Linda No. 347, La Habra No. 508, In Shallah No. 626, Fullerton No. 191.
- April 4—District No. 93
 Southern Star No. 96—75th Anniversary.
- April 5—District No. 90
 Escondido No. 154, Fallbrook No. 390, San Dieguito No. 620, Santa Maria No. 453, Star of Vista No. 556, Poinsettia No. 287.
- April 15—District No. 25
 Electa No. 72, Livingston No. 531, Modesto No. 532, Orestimba No. 139, Patterson No. 417, Smyrna No. 416, Wistaria No. 286.
- April 16—Districts Nos. 37 and 40
 Brilliant Star No. 472, Crocker No. 382, Geo. Washington No. 409, Ivy No. 27, Seal Rock No. 296, Trinity No. 434, Beulah No. 99, California No. 183, Forest No. 432, Lebanon No. 374, Starr King No. 204, Yerba Buena No. 228.

April 17—District No. 28

Almona No. 214, Ariel No. 42, Concord No. 384, Los Cerritos No. 234, Maspha No. 198, Pittsburg No. 353, San Ramon Valley No. 588, Silver Chalice No. 590.

April 18—District No. 26

Callistoga No. 189, Keystone No. 235, Mountain Star No. 585, Silver Spray No. 59, St. Helena No. 274, Valley of the Moon No. 85.

April 19—District No. 8

Augusta No. 80, Kingsley No. 58, Willits No. 314, Point Arena No. 291.

April 26—District No. 17

El Dorado No. 499, Fallen Leaf No. 80, Golden Star No. 68, Ione No. 283, Lake Tahoe No. 610, Queen Esther No. 71.

April 27—District No. 55

Kearsarge No. 378, Mono No. 596, Mt. Whitney No. 197.

April 29—District No. 5

Beckwith Star No. 201, Celandine No. 224, Portola No. 321, Sierra Star No. 129.

April 30—District No. 13

Aurora No. 40, Bethany No. 304, Evangeline No. 9, Placer No. 49, Pelton No. 616, Truckee No. 116.

May 1—District No. 7

Citrus No. 208, Marshall No. 86, Molino No. 83, Mystic Star No. 279, Vesper No. 20.

May 2—District No. 14

Fidella No. 56, Friendship No. 67, Marysville No. 55, Wheatland No. 48, Smartville No. 431.

May 6—District No. 24

El Rio No. 333, Oakdale No. 226, Summit No. 138, Tuolumne Star No. 123.

May 7—District No. 23

Angels No. 134, Azalia No. 77, Crescent No. 165, Milton No. 244.

May 8—District No. 33

Alameda No. 386, Callz de Oro No. 457, Carita No. 115, Elvesta No. 293, Elmhurst No. 455, Foothill No. 433, Fruitvale No. 297.

May 10—District No. 29

Acantha No. 249, Albany No. 550, Beacon No. 383, Point No. 394, Miramar No. 205, Vista Cerrito No. 586, Thousand Oaks No. 375.

May 18—Southern California Reception honoring Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and all Grand Officers—Municipal Auditorium, Long Beach.

May 20—District No. 89

Harbor Star No. 568, Hermosa No. 105, Santa Ana No. 389, Laguna Beach No. 521, San Clemente No. 524, Scepter No. 163, Seaside No. 259.

May 21—District No. 78

Florence No. 477, Jordan No. 500, Manchester No. 449, Pearl No. 147, Parva Stella No. 618, South Park No. 443, The Valley No. 621, York No. 343.

May 24—Districts Nos. 53 and 54

Atascadero No. 344, Bethlehem No. 95, Cambria Pines No. 525, Corona No. 107, Estero Bay No. 587, Violet No. 102, Miguelito No. 176, Mizpah No. 100, Santa Ynez Valley No. 566.

June 3—District No. 42

Campbell No. 553, Los Gatos No. 128, Mira Monte No. 141, Palo Alto No. 213, Santa Clara No. 195, Sunnyvale No. 350.

June 4—District No. 10

Fairfax No. 594, Gold Ridge No. 161, Mill Valley No. 219, Morning Star No. 61, Novato No. 609, Rose Valley No. 33, San Rafael No. 215, Santa Rosa U.D.

June 5—District No. 9

Clear Lake No. 137, Clover Leaf No. 130, Lower Lake No. 231, Riverview No. 336, Sotoyome No. 82, Valley Home No. 182.

June 6—District No. 8

Ocean View No. 111, Sapphire No. 230.

June 7—District No. 1

Redwood Empire No. 564.

June 8—District No. 1

Arcata No. 207, Camellia No. 63, Del Norte No. 149, Ferndale No. 23, Rohnerville No. 76.

June 10—District No. 6

Mt. Shasta No. 153, Redding No. 44, Northern Light No. 26, St. John's No. 14, Welcome No. 17.

June 11—District No. 2

Evening Star No. 10, Fidelity No. 131, McCloud No. 381, Sisson No. 175, Stella No. 39, White Pine No. 487.

June 12—District No. 3

Alturas No. 51, Bonner No. 232, Esther No. 74, North Star No. 450, Northeast No. 254, Tulalake No. 539.

June 13—District No. 4

Hesperian No. 112, Mountain View No. 552, Sincerity No. 53, Westwood No. 377, Plumas No. 248.

June 14—District No. 15

Cacheville No. 349, Esparto No. 341, Grafton No. 379, Ionia No. 199, Yolo No. 60, Yosolano No. 218.

June 15—San Francisco Reception honoring Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and all Grand Officers, Memorial Hall, 400 North Point St., Fisherman's Wharf, San Francisco.

June 20—District No. 64

Fillmore No. 361, Marguerite No. 78, Ojai No. 528, Oxnard No. 322, Santa Barbara No. 501, Santa Paula No. 185, Vallecito No. 523, Ventura No. 79.

June 22—Fiesta, Eastern Star Home, 11725 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles.

June 27—District No. 31

Chabot No. 571, Effie Easton No. 392, Lake Merritt No. 410, Loma Vista No. 415, Plymouth No. 423, Sterling No. 533, Mary E. Partidge No. 308.

June 28—District No. 34

Golden Wave No. 103, Castro Valley No. 572, Hayward No. 331, Orient No. 177, Pleasanton No. 294, San Lorenzo No. 577, Semper Fidelis No. 135.

August 10—East Bay reception honoring Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and all Grand Officers, Civic Auditorium, Oakland.

August 12—District No. 44

Athena No. 46, Castroville No. 580, Ceanothus No. 45, Idlewild No. 19, Lily of the Valley No. 18, Magnolia No. 73, Santa Cruz No. 273.

August 13—Districts Nos. 35 and 38

Jewel No. 238, Mission No. 155, Occidental No. 280, Presidio No. 481, Roosevelt No. 470, Seaport No. 427, Albert Pike No. 284, Golden West No. 350, Fireside No. 440, Harmony No. 124, Justice No. 460, Victory No. 338.

August 15—District No. 41

Burlingame No. 275, Laurel No. 186, Crystal Springs No. 583, Menalto No. 562, Ruth No. 305, San Carlos No. 551, Sequoia No. 203.

September 21—District No. 27

Crockett No. 184, Mission Bell No. 605, Vallejo No. 278, Pinote No. 220, Silver Star No. 3, Silver Gate No. 30.

October 22—Grand Chapter Session, Long Beach Auditorium.

October 23—Grand Chapter Session, Long Beach Auditorium.

October 24—Grand Chapter Session, Long Beach Auditorium.

October 25—Grand Chapter Session, Long Beach Auditorium.

Visit to Other Grand Jurisdiction:

Many invitations were received to attend Grand Chapter in other Grand Jurisdictions, but due to my schedule of official duties, I was only permitted to attend that of the Nevada Grand Chapter at Reno on October 3rd and 4th, 1963.

Also present from our California Grand Jurisdiction were Sister Thelma Bailey, Worthy Grand Marshal, Sisters Elvetta Grohl and Helen Bell DeBeers, members of General Grand Chapter Committees; our Grand Conductress, Grand Marshal, Grand Martha, several Deputy Grand Matrons and several Grand Representatives. Greetings were extended in behalf of our Grand Chapter and the hospitality and courtesy of our neighboring jurisdiction was thoroughly enjoyed. It was also our pleasure to greet and enjoy the remarks of our Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Mamie Landers, who preceded the arrival of our Most Worthy Grand Matron on the following Saturday.

Authorizations:

Authorized the Grand Secretary to waive fines for Chapter books which had been lost by fire, or otherwise beyond the control of the holder:

Lily of the Valley Chapter No. 18

Pentalpha Chapter No. 339

Los Cerritos Chapter No. 234

Heber Chapter No. 181

Special Dispensations Granted:

BALLOT AND INITIATE THE SAME MEETING

1962

November

- 1—Manchester No. 449
- 8—Sapphire No. 230
- Estero Bay No. 587
- 15—Buena Park No. 240
- December
- 28—Lexington No. 172

1963

January

- 9—Crescenta Valley No. 494
- 10—Dos Palos No. 545
- Ionic No. 446
- 16—Unity No. 65
- 21—Southland No. 307
- 24—South West No. 345
- 30—Needles No. 242

February

- 4—King Solomon's No. 170
- Menalto No. 682
- 5—Silver Wave No. 75
- 7—Justice No. 460 (2)
- 13—Berkeley No. 178
- 19—Beacon Ray No. 495 (3)
- 25—Guardian No. 439 (2)

March

- 6—Vista Cerrito No. 586
- Mendias No. 582
- 11—Ionic No. 446
- 21—Big Bear No. 485

April

- 4—Richmond No. 255
- Victor Valley No. 537
- 8—Menorah No. 497
- Windsor No. 543
- 15—West Gate No. 290
- Sincerity No. 53
- 24—Tujunga No. 445
- Tujunga No. 445

May

- 9—Pacific Beach No. 606
- 13—Orestimba No. 139
- Palm Springs No. 576
- Citrus No. 208 (2)
- 17—Silver Strand No. 387
- 20—Gate City No. 212
- Palm Springs No. 576 (2)
- 22—Wil-Brea No. 520
- Burlingame No. 275 (4)
- Morningside No. 601
- 24—Tehachapi No. 188
- 31—Canoga No. 452

June

- 6—Oakdale No. 226
- 10—Sunnyside No. 436
- Artesia No. 253
- Lake Merritt No. 410
- 11—Catalina Island No. 570
- 12—Silver Spray No. 59 (2)
- Blythe No. 357
- 14—Yucca Valley No. 629

1963

July

- 2—The Valley No. 621
- 8—Modesto No. 532
- 10—No. Hollywood No. 403
- 19—Orinda U.D.
- 24—Gold Ridge No. 161

August

- 2—Hesperian No. 112
- 8—Geo. Washington No. 409
- 12—San Diego No. 264
- 23—Starr King No. 204
- 24—Elmhurst No. 455 (2)
- 29—Mono No. 595

September

- 4—Mira Monte No. 141
- Orient No. 177
- 5—Southland No. 307 (2)
- Jewel No. 238
- 6—Nova Dies No. 544
- 11—Ami Tai No. 405
- 14—Columbia No. 247
- 19—Rainbow No. 385
- Searchlight No. 435
- Silver Star No. 3 (2)
- San Francisco No. 196
- Campbell No. 553
- 20—Citrus No. 208
- 23—Norwalk No. 143
- 24—Rio Linda No. 631
- Corinthian No. 358
- Majestic No. 480
- 27—Crescenta Valley No. 494
- 30—Norwalk No. 143

October

- 1—Faith No. 514
- 4—Acantha No. 249
- Jarman No. 493
- Sisson No. 175
- Eagle Rock No. 313
- Athens No. 277
- Palo Alto No. 213
- Elk Grove No. 109
- 7—Glen Eyrie No. 237
- 11—Point Loma No. 490
- 16—Willow Glen No. 530
- Welcome No. 17
- Van Nuys No. 338
- Victory No. 388

RECEIVE AND BALLOT SAME MEETING

1962	August
November	7—Lebanon No. 374
6—Hesperian No. 112	September
Manchester No. 449	20—Fraternity No. 288
19—Manchester No. 449	23—Casimir No. 252 (3)
1963	October
May	18—North Hollywood No. 403
1—Nimshi No. 424	

RECEIVE UNDER 6 MONTHS RESIDENCE

1963	August
March	6—Chabot No. 571
15—Citrus No. 208	
June	
18—Conejo Valley No. 632	

REBALLOT

1963	April
January	29—Stockton No. 373 (2)
18—Santa Ana No. 389	July
21—Lebanon No. 374	19—Onisho No. 164
26—Culver City No. 395	September
February	12—Sunnyvale No. 250
5—Emera No. 561	23—Heritage No. 612
March	October
7—Raisina No. 89	4—Los Cerritos No. 234

RECEIVE UNDER REQUIRED RESIDENCE ACCOUNT U. S. SERVICE

1963	April
February	12—Desert Holly No. 558
14—Sapphire No. 230	
18—Alameda No. 386	
25—Monterey No. 239	

**TO HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS AT TIME
NOT AUTHORIZED BY GRAND CHAPTER**

1963	October
May	7—North Star No. 450
29—Calkota No. 309	

CONTRIBUTIONS TO NON-AFFILIATED FUNDS OR ORGANIZATIONS

1962	1963
November	January
6—Ionic No. 446	2—Westchester No. 569
7—Crescenta Valley No. 494	8—Heber No. 181
8—Sunnyside No. 436	11—Sunshine No. 327
Pasadena No. 108	14—Belvedere No. 402
Lower Lake No. 231	15—Seal Beach No. 542
9—La Victoria No. 241	16—Carnation No. 171
South West No. 345	29—Taft No. 337
15—Gardena No. 260	Lexington No. 172
Estrella No. 412	San Pedro Harbor No. 174
Star of Palmdale No. 619	
30—Buena Park No. 240	
December	February
6—Aurora No. 40	1—Tujunga No. 445
10—Big Bear No. 485	8—Altadena No. 526
Plymouth No. 423	1—Tujunga No. 445
12—Fallbrook No. 390	8—Altadena No. 526
Vallejo No. 278	12—Desert Candle U.D.
18—Evangeline No. 9	15—Taft No. 337
19—Silver Star No. 3	Yolo No. 60
24—La Victoria No. 241	21—Ramona Star No. 367
South West No. 345	
Melita No. 467	
28—Lexington No. 172	

1968

March

- 1—Oak Leaf No. 8
- 7—Beckwith Star No. 201
- Fidelity No. 131
- 15—Natomia No. 233
- 18—Melita No. 467
- 21—Big Bear No. 485
- 22—Justice No. 460
- 25—Amity No. 262
- Eschscholtzia No. 270
- 28—La Mesa No. 300
- 29—Barstow No. 546

April

- 9—Beckwith Star No. 201
- 15—Seal Beach No. 542

May

- 13—Mountain Star No. 585 (2)

June

- 26—Chula Vista No. 458

July

- 12—Palm Springs No. 576
- 17—Foothill No. 433

August

- 9—Paradise No. 549

September

- 6—Fallbrook No. 390
- 11—Paradise No. 549

TO HOLD INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS AFTER THE 30TH OF NOVEMBER

1962

October

- 31—San Carlos No. 551

November

- 5—Santa Maria No. 453
- 6—Chowchilla No. 365
- Summit No. 138
- 14—North Star No. 450
- 15—Ojai No. 528
- Elizabeth B. Wheeler No. 540
- Del Norte No. 149
- Mary E. Partridge No. 308

- 16—Columbus No. 117

- 19—Smyrna No. 416
- Mountain Fern No. 62

December

- 6—Tulelake No. 539

1963

January

- 28—Ocean View No. 111

TO PARTICIPATE IN PUBLIC PROCESSIONS, CELEBRATIONS, ETC.

1968

March

- 5—Orestimba No. 139

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS APPROVED

1962

October

- 25—Martha Washington No. 13—increasing dues
- Granada Hills No. 616—limiting tenure of office of Secretary and Treasurer to three years
- Estrellita No. 541—increasing fees and dues
- 26—Beulah No. 99—changing meeting nights

November

- 1—Wasco No. 489—increasing dues
- Carnation No. 171—naming Ways and Means Committee
- 7—Parva Stella No. 618—complying with Uniform Code
- 8—Veritas No. 84—increasing dues
- 15—Queen Esther No. 71—increasing dues
- 20—Mystic Star No. 279—increasing dues
- 27—Castroville No. 580—increasing dues

December

- 4—Ionia No. 199—increasing dues
- 6—Melrose No. 466—changing meeting night
- 11—Gate City No. 212—increasing dues
- 20—Roosevelt No. 470—fixing salary of Secretary
- McCloud No. 381—changing to one meeting a month
- Garvanza No. 266—increasing dues
- 30—Santa Rosa U.D.—omitting meetings; providing for allowances to delegates to Grand Chapter (W.G.F.)
- 30—Florence No. 477—increasing amount for benevolence; providing for payment to Organist for rehearsals
- 31—Wil-Brea No. 520—increasing dues

1963

January

- 1—Valley Home No. 182—deleting provision for limiting tenure of office
- 4—Menorah No. 497—changing meeting nights
- 5—Burbank No. 352—increasing dues
- 7—Bellflower No. 397—increasing dues
- 10—Silcoam No. 406—changing meeting night; setting amount for funeral flowers
- 22—Woodbridge No. 118—increasing dues
- 23—Pittsburg No. 353—increasing dues
- Glen No. 357—increasing dues
- 24—Linden No. 372—changing meeting nights

February

- 4—Whittier No. 444—revision
- 6—Pains No. 491—providing for collection of Endowment Fund contribution with petition; increasing dues; providing for committees and amount for floral pieces; fixing salary of Sentinel; providing amount for jewels and gifts; providing for subsidiary organizations
- Home No. 592—increasing dues
- 10—Olivette No. 503—increasing amount for jewels
- Vacaville No. 28—omitting meeting in August; increasing dues
- 15—Ascot No. 437—increasing Secretary's salary
- 18—Harding No. 454—lowering fees
- La Paz No. 584—increasing dues; increasing amount for relief
- 23—Beverly Hills No. 404—specifying amounts to delegates to Grand Chapter

March

- 1—Buena Park No. 240—change of meeting place; increasing fees
- 7—Fuchsia No. 597—providing for allowance for Associate Patron to Grand Chapter
- Temple No. 513—omitting meetings in July
- Star of the West No. 468—providing for opening at 7:00 P.M. night of Installation
- 21—North East No. 254—omitting meetings on Thanksgiving eve and Christmas
- Point Arena No. 291—increasing dues
- Sunshine No. 327—changing hour of meeting
- King Solomon's No. 179—providing for Trustees
- Del Mar No. 604—providing for Trustees
- 29—San Rafael No. 215—providing for anteroom meeting prior to Installation; increasing fees
- Yosolano No. 218—increasing dues
- San Lorenzo No. 577—omitting meetings in July

April

- 12—Palomar No. 565—changing meeting place; increasing amount for setting up Chapter
- 23—Roseland No. 465—increasing dues; limiting salary to Organist to three rehearsals in addition to meetings

May

- 1—Star of Palmdale No. 619—specifying holidays on which no meeting to be held
- Oxnard No. 322—increasing affiliation fee; increasing dues
- Lexington No. 172—increasing amounts for jewels; increasing salary of Secretary
- Fidelia No. 56—limiting tenure of office; fixing hour for anteroom meetings
- La Mirada No. 623—increasing dues
- 11—Calistoga No. 189—increasing dues
- Rosemead No. 567—increasing dues; providing for amounts to Officers for attendance at Grand Chapter; providing amounts for jewels
- All States No. 502—omitting meetings on holidays; limiting tenure of office
- Emera No. 561—adding section providing for gifts and jewels; increasing affiliation fee
- Mizpah No. 100—setting opening hour for anteroom meetings; providing for Property Committee
- Hawthorne No. 469—omitting meetings on holidays; increasing amount for Worthy Matron to Grand Chapter
- 22—El Dorado No. 499—adopting Uniform Code and lowering initiation and affiliation fees
- 28—Jasmine No. 145—re omission of meetings
- Casimir No. 252—providing for Trustees
- 29—Montebello No. 335—setting salary of Secretary
- Sacramento No. 190—fixing last stated meeting

1963

June

- 3—Tujunga No. 445—limiting tenure of office; increasing amount for relief; putting Junior Past Patron on budget committee; authorizing appointment of By-Laws Committee and outlining duties
- 10—In Shallah No. 626—limiting tenure of office of Secretary and Treasurer
- 18—Parva Stella No. 618—increasing dues
- Crystal Springs No. 583—limiting tenure of Secretary and Treasurer specifying their duties and fixing salaries
- Pearl No. 147—changing hour of meeting; increasing duties of Secretary; specifying allowances for Worthy Patron to Grand Chapter
- Sincerity No. 53—limiting tenure of Secretary and Treasurer
- 25—Kingsburg No. 312—changing meetings to two a month
- 29—Noel No. 611—increasing dues

July

- 5—Chula Vista No. 458—specifying duties of Worthy Patron
- Nimshi No. 424—specifying salaries of Secretary and Treasurer
- Eschscholtzia No. 270—providing for expenditures from savings accounts
- 10—Santa Paula No. 185—setting opening hour for installation; omitting meetings

August

- 2—Morningside No. 601—deleting provision for tenure of office of Secretary and Treasurer; increasing salary for Organist and increasing allowance for installation
- Natoma No. 233—raising dues
- Daylight No. 265—deleting provision for tenure of office of Secretary and Treasurer
- Harmony No. 124—increasing fees; providing for tenure of office of Secretary; deleting section re: funds to be turned over to Trustees
- 17—Triangle No. 456—providing for life memberships
- 22—Tulelake No. 539—increasing salary of Secretary
- 23—Rising Star No. 593—changing meeting place to Sacramento
- 29—Tahquitz No. 351—changing meeting place; increasing dues; providing for notification of committee meetings; and providing for Ways and Means Committee

September

- 5—Betsy Ross No. 518—increasing amounts for jewels and allowances for attendance at Grand Chapter
- 17—Rising Light No. 286—providing for life membership for members of the Chapter for 50 years
- Century No. 613—changing meeting nights
- Santa Anita No. 575—increasing allowance for installation expenses
- 27—Naomi No. 36—increasing salaries of Secretary and Organist
- 30—Maspha No. 198—increasing fees

October

- 2—Upland No. 346—adopting uniform code
- 8—Angeles Vista No. 516—setting amount for receptions
- Desert Star No. 602—omitting meetings; specifying amounts for installation, to delegates to Grand Chapter; procedure for funds to savings account and withdrawal.
- 12—Vallecito No. 523—setting amounts for jewels and allowances to delegates to Grand Chapter
- The Gardens No. 464—providing for life membership; increasing amounts for jewels and allowances to delegates to Grand Chapter
- Glendale No. 422—setting salary for Secretary and limiting tenure of office of Secretary and Treasurer
- San Jose No. 31—increasing dues
- Glen No. 357—deleting omission of meetings in summer months
- San Antonio No. 573—increasing dues
- 16—Lauralane No. 529—fixing salaries of officers; and providing for expenses for flowers, jewels, entertainment, official visits, etc.
- 20—Wil-Brea No. 520—limiting tenure of office

Fifty-year Awards:

Among the 431 Fifty-year awards given in 1963, almost 100 more than last year, were two of special importance. Euclid Chapter No. 179 gave a heart-warming reception for their member and our Past Grand Matron, Sister Mary I. Warmer, last November in Ontario, honoring this wonderful lady on her twenty-fifth anniversary as a

Past Grand Matron. It was a delightful privilege for me to present to her the Fifty-year Jewel and Life Membership Certificate on behalf of Grand Chapter. The second special presentation was to Past Grand Matron, Sister Bertie Y. Todd Connolly, of Corona Chapter No. 107, San Luis Obispo, at the Official Visit to her district. Many of the awards were included in the program of the Official Visits and it was a joy to make many presentations. At my request, each recipient of a Jewel was privileged to have the presentation made by the person of his or her choice.

Emergency Relief:

Section 741, Constitution and Laws.

There was brought to the attention of the Worthy Grand Matron, by the Chairman of the Benevolent Committee, an emergency situation wherein an aged sister of over forty years' membership was in need of immediate assistance over and above the amount as authorized by the rules of the Benevolent Fund. Verification of all facts was made and with the approval of the Finance Committee Chairman, assistance in the amount of almost \$1,000.00 for a period of two months was paid to the hospital wherein our member is confined as being physically and mentally unable to care for herself. The legal guardian and heir to the estate of proceeds from the sale of real property, has signed the customary repayment agreement. Court litigation allowing disposition of the property is being completed at this time.

Honorary Memberships:

The many Honorary Memberships received are sincerely appreciated, honors I shall always cherish. I shall look forward to the opportunity of visiting you again in the future when time will permit. Sincere appreciation is also extended by my husband Earl, for those Honorary Memberships presented to him.

Correspondence:

The tremendous number of letters and cards received by a Worthy Grand Matron presents a secretarial problem. The assistance of our Grand Secretary, who is ever-ready and most efficient in the proper disposition of the official correspondence, is deeply appreciated. The many, many personal cards with their thoughtful messages for the special occasions were just another way of indicating your kindness to me. Invitations received were only acknowledged when I could be in attendance as time did not permit my reply to all others. Authorization was given to our Past Grand Patron, Brother Francis Herz, a Committee Member of General Grand Chapter, for his letter to all Chapters regarding the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation.

Official Communications

November 5, 1962

My dear Rays of Sunshine:

Without you there could be no Rainbow, and as you bring the warmth and love of Grand Chapter to your Districts, I hope your instructions will be thorough and that each will gain the respect and confidence of all your officers and members.

On behalf of the Grand Floor Officers, may I express their appreciation for your cooperation during the School of Instruction in Oakland. A most interesting and exciting experience for all concerned and many new friendships to be enjoyed.

Your attendance at every meeting of each chapter in your district is not necessary, but I hope you will attend all Installations, definitely the First Meetings and First Initiations, and those party nights to which you are invited. Your first duty is to your District, but I will be most happy and pleased to greet you at Official Visits in other areas. Many helpful observations may be made when visiting other Districts.

As we hear the beautiful lessons and thoughtful prayers of our Order, do we not occasionally feel a lesson may fit our particular life? Let me share this thought with you: "I don't fully understand God, yet I refuse to grope in spiritual darkness because of that. I also do not know what electricity is, but I am surely not going to sit in the dark until I understand its secret." Let us turn on the switch and brighten our lives with all the lessons of our Eastern Star.

For every mile between us, this brings a wish today

That you'll enjoy Thanksgiving in the nicest kind of way

And with these many wishes come many glad thoughts too

Of just how nice it is to have such friends as nice as you.

CAROL

Worthy Grand Matron.

Our Christmas Message

December, 1962

To All Members of the Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

May the Spirit of this Christmas Season

Dwell within your hearts anew

Giving Faith to every promise

Making every dream come true.

With the approach of Christmas, another milestone of time passes, and a New Year, laden with hope and opportunity, comes to us from the bounteous hand of the Giver of all perfect gifts.

Amid a trouble-torn world, our land is blessed with Peace, Security, and freedom of speech. May we in this beautiful Order always "Love One Another". Love is the answer to all the heart seeks, and love is the channel through which God speaks. All He has promised can only come true when you "Love One Another" the way He loves you.

As the beautiful Christmas story is retold again this year, may you and all your loved ones be blessed with joy and cheer. It is our prayer that there may be satisfaction and understanding in all that we do in your behalf as we follow the light of "The Star" that shone on Christmas Night.

Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

Sincerely and fraternally,

CAROL MAE JENSEN,

Worthy Grand Matron.

EDWIN F. COLLINS,

Worthy Grand Patron.

Attest:

MAUD MCWILLIAMS SMITH,
Grand Secretary.

December 5, 1962

To all Chapters in California.

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

There seems to be some misunderstanding regarding legislation which was adopted at the last session of the Grand Chapter in regard to the method of handling the housing of the delegates and members.

There was no change made—the legislation which was proposed was defeated. ALL reservations MUST be made through the Housing Committee, and should be addressed to the Chairman, Manila Richardson, 6703 Monlaco Rd., Long Beach.

Forms for reservations will be sent to all Chapters about April of 1963. ANY reservations made prior to the sending out of the forms may have to be cancelled, so your Grand Officers will appreciate it if you will cooperate and NOT try to make reservations for groups, or individuals, until notified to send in the forms.

Please remember that the delegates to the Session, which includes all members of Grand Chapter, must be housed before housing is allotted to groups.

With best wishes for the New Year, and hoping for your understanding and cooperation,

Fraternally,

CAROL MAE JENSEN,

Worthy Grand Matron.

Our Easter Message

March 30, 1963

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

Once again through the blossoming of the trees after the winter sleep, we see the visual evidence of the resurrection. All nature unites in the glad cry, He is Risen!

*"Once more we see the miracle of Eastertime's rebirth
In every tree and flower and lovely thing on earth.
Once more through Jesus Christ, our Lord, and Easter's
wondrous story
We are lifted with new hope and faith to greater
heights of glory."*

No matter what our faith or creed, may we all be grateful at this Easter season for the assurance of a better life in the world beyond.

With best wishes for a joyous Easter,

Sincerely and fraternally,
CAROL MAE JENSEN,
Worthy Grand Matron.
EDWIN F. COLLINS,
Worthy Grand Patron.

Attest:

MAUD MCWILLIAMS SMITH,
Grand Secretary.

March 29, 1963

To all Chapters in California

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

The Great Light of Masonry, through the Grand Master of California, calls attention to Public Schools Week to be observed April 22nd through the 26th.

It is important that every member of the Eastern Star visit at least one school during this week, showing an active interest in our Public School system.

The preservation of American Liberty has been, and will be for all time, measured by the results of Public Schools. A suitable program for each Chapter is recommended to further emphasize and show our interest. Many teachers and talented students are available who await the opportunity to present an enjoyable program for groups such as the Eastern Star.

Grand Chapter would be proud to know that every member attended the "Public School of his choice" during Public Schools Week—April 22nd through the 26th.

Sincerely and fraternally,
CAROL MAE JENSEN,
Worthy Grand Matron.

April 22, 1963

PROCLAMATION—HOME ENDOWMENT FUND MONTH 1963

To all Chapters in California

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

In accordance with the Constitution and Laws of the Grand Chapter, the month of June, 1963, is hereby designated as "Eastern Star Home Endowment Month".

The Eastern Star Home is our outstanding evidence that we "give to our Sisters and Brothers aid in their misfortunes" and that we are dedicated to Charity, Truth and Loving Kindness. It is only through giving that we receive, and may each one remember our Home, if you have not already done so, by making your contribution to the Endowment Fund of the Eastern Star Home.

It is our endeavor that some day the income from this investment may provide sufficient revenue to maintain our beautiful Eastern Star Home.

Sincerely and fraternally,

CAROL MAE JENSEN,

Worthy Grand Matron.

Eastern Star Home:

You will hear the report of our Trustees covering the operation of the Eastern Star Home located on Sunset Boulevard in Los Angeles, but I would like to impress upon the Delegates here assembled the importance of this most worthy project of our Grand Chapter of California. Because so many of you live quite a distance from our Home, I would ask that every effort be made to visit and see for yourself this wonderful shrine which has been built and maintained for over thirty years for those senior members who, in the sunset years of their lives, are privileged to be residents. The love and devotion by the Trustees, who serve without compensation, in the maintenance of this institution is gratefully appreciated. The happiness of the resident members, the good condition of the physical properties, and the efficient administration by our superintendent, Miss Widle, are adequate testimony to the fine manner in which the Trustees are successfully managing the Home.

The Official Visit to the Home on May 17th was a happy occasion for all in attendance. A delicious luncheon was served to the Past and Present Grand Officers, their trailers, Trustees, residents, Doctors, and staff members at beautifully appointed tables. All arrangements and serving were efficiently accomplished by the Southern California Worthy Matrons. It was a delight to find the residents so cheerful and happy and we were especially pleased to know of their respect for the staff. Following the luncheon the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were pleased to

extend the greetings of our Grand Chapter and we were delightfully entertained by selections by the "Star Notes" under the capable direction of Sister Rosalie DeCray and by whistling solo and entertaining readings by Cleona Crozier, Deputy Grand Matron of Morningside Chapter.

Fiesta:

The annual Fiesta, for the benefit of the Eastern Star Home, was held on June 22nd and 23rd, and it was most successful. Ideal weather and a carnival spirit prevailed, providing much gaiety with the bargain hunters never more happy. The attractive booths and enthusiastic sales girls with their never-ending supply of jewelry, aprons, hats, dolls, fancy work, candy, green-thumb items, dish towels, etc., provided a complete shopping center. Parking for cars, breakfasts, lunches, and dinners kept the attendants and waitresses busy from morning to night. The success of this tremendous undertaking was due to the efficient leadership of the Southern California Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons Associations under the chairmanship of Sister Louise Stecher (258). Each Grand Floor Officer was in charge of a particular booth or activity, and appreciation for their work through the Associations of the State whereby all officers of our Chapters were afforded the opportunity to participate, is gratefully acknowledged. The combined efforts of all resulted in a total of \$14,211.33 being turned over to the Home for the needed replacement of the elevator.

Masonic Home at Union City (Decoto):

Our annual visit to the Masonic Home at Union City (near Oakland) was on August 17th, at which time the Past Matrons Association of the East Bay served a delicious lunch to the Past and Present Grand Officers together with their trailers. Picnic lunches were enjoyed by the many members who pilgrimaged to the Home with their jams, jellies, and many other items which provide a substantial saving in the costs of maintaining the Home. At the meeting following lunch held in the auditorium, the superintendent expressed his thanks to the Eastern Star and the cooperation they have received over the past many years. He gratefully acknowledged the record number of jams, jellies, and gifts of money to be used for the purchase of special dietary foods. This activity has been a project of the East Bay Past Matrons Association for many years and we are indeed happy to support them.

Youth Organizations:

A special trip was made to Riverside last November with our Worthy Grand Patron, to bring greetings from our Grand Chapter to the Grand Council, International Order of Job's Daughters. We received a very warm welcome and they expressed with gratitude, the assistance of those members of the Eastern Star in the support of

their organization. Many of our members are represented on the Grand Council and Grand Chapter is proud of their service. The Grand Bethel of Job's Daughters convened at the Oakland Civic Auditorium in June. An overflowing gathering of more than five thousand girls and one thousand leaders, necessitated the use of the stage to perform the Ritualistic work. They, too, expressed their appreciation to those of Eastern Star who assist in the direction of their Bethels. Grand Chapter greetings were extended and I expressed the wish that all would continue their fraternal life in the Order of the Eastern Star. It was a most enjoyable visit and experience.

The Grand Assembly of International Order of Rainbow for Girls extended their invitation to be present at the Sacramento Convention Auditorium for their April session, and the gathering of Rainbow Girls and leaders who filled the Auditorium was a most impressive inspiration. Greetings from our Grand Chapter were given and a wish that each Rainbow Girl consider our Eastern Star as the next stepping stone in her fraternal life. My installation in Oakland featured the Rainbow, and on the evening of their installation I was escorted to the middle of the floor into the center of a huge star, where I was greeted by the Grand Worthy Advisor and then escorted to the stage for introduction. As they sang "Rainbow Dreams", the realization that so many have come true in my personal life made me very happy as I recalled those pleasant days of my membership in Rainbow.

The DeMolay boys did not extend an invitation to attend their state conclave. At most all Official Visits, I acknowledged with appreciation on behalf of Grand Chapter, the service of those members of our Order who have given and are presently serving, as leaders or advisors to our youth groups.

Receptions:

Among the outstanding highlights of a Worthy Grand Matron's year are the three receptions given in honor of the Grand Officers. These thrilling evenings presented for our enjoyment by the Southern Associations on May 18th, the San Francisco Associations on June 15th, and the East Bay Reception on August 10th, will be joyfully remembered by all who attended. The beautiful decorations that complemented the theme of each reception, the colorful and attractive gowns worn by the Worthy Matrons, the entertaining music, and the escort formations and drills were indicative of many hours of planning and practice lovingly dedicated in our honor by the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons.

"Wishing Has Made It So" the theme of the Southern Reception at Long Beach Auditorium, actually came true, as the plans of the past three years were carried out so effectively under the capable leadership of Henrietta Higginbotham and Ernest Judson, the respective presidents of the Southern Associations. Our entrance to the reception room on a float, depicting a huge rainbow and wishing

well, and the rewarding presentation of a miniature wishing well, will always be a fond remembrance. The Imperial Valley, Kern County, Orange County, Orange Belt, San Diego, and Central Coastal Associations were all participants with the Southern Association in presenting this memorable reception.

"San Francisco, Where I Found My Heart". Never will I forget this touching solo as sung by a member of the Shrine Chanters during the entertainment at our reception held at the Memorial Center to an overflowing audience. "63 Jubilee", the theme, was most appropriate for this delightful evening, so capably chairmanned by Sister Helen Annigoni (284) and supported by so many enthusiastic Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons. Unusual entertaining professional acts were interspersed with the official escorts, and loving bouquets of roses were presented to the honored guests as they entered the grand march. We shall always remember with gaiety the entrance of the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, disguised as clowns, pulling miniature circus wagons in which were concealed the beautiful presentations.

At the Oakland Civic Auditorium our "Cinderella's Dream" unfolded the loving thoughts of the East Bay Associations in honor of the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and Grand Officers. General Chairman Verna Mae Yingling (103) and Co-Chairman Harry Rodgers (331) and all assisting in the presentation of this "Dream" were complimented by the unusually large attendance. I thoroughly enjoyed the waltzing exhibition given by the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons which was indeed entertaining and very colorful. As the late hour arrived, we were escorted to a huge Pumpkin Coach for a ride around the auditorium, at the conclusion of which, I received the traditional Cinderella's Slipper as a loving memento of the occasion.

The receptions in honor of each Grand Floor Officer were indeed a credit to both the Chapter and the Officer so honored. All Grand Chapter Floor Officers were in attendance at each reception, as were most of the Grand Trailers. Never has a Worthy Grand Matron been more proud of the Grand Family.

Remembrance:

"They made the Star we have today
Cleaving the path we trod,
Keeping alight each sacred Ray
With Faith they had in God,
And neath our Star is an honor roll
A priceless treasure store,
Of names and deeds—an immortal scroll
Of those who have served of yore."

Since our last Grand Session, the golden chain of Grand Chapter was broken by the passing to eternal rest of Past Grand Matron Sister Rita May Cooper, Past Grand Matron Sister Birdie Bassett

and Past Grand Patron Brother Dr. W. Frank Holman. Also entering into that House not made with human hands were Sisters Sally Liberman Chalson, Grace Beckman, and Thelma Schleifer, all Past Grand Treasurers. The sympathy of Grand Chapter was extended to the bereaved families of these devoted Past Grand Officers who gave so much to our beautiful Eastern Star.

The sympathy of the Worthy Grand Matron on behalf of Grand Chapter is extended to all members whose families have been saddened by the loss of loved ones.

Good of the Order:

Every opportunity to become close to the members and learn from them first hand their personal views of Eastern Star, their own Chapter, the presiding officers, and anything that might benefit the Order in general, was sought—so that the leadership of this year might be more responsive to those whom we serve. I am happy and pleased that over the past several years there has been a continued improvement in the Grand Jurisdiction as a whole, and that this year has added continued love and respect for our Order. There are isolated situations that will come to the attention of those leaders following, but the cooperation and understanding of all parties concerned will make for added progress.

A friendly smile, a sincere handclasp, and the love of our members—the signs and passwords of the Grand Family are reflected throughout the whole State. The Deputy Grand Matrons with their devotion to the Ritual work have been well received by the officers and members in each district. The reports indicate financial soundness and the integrity of the presiding officers in each Chapter. Each report has been reviewed confidentially by the Worthy Grand Matron and although the exact totals are not available at this time, it is hoped that our total membership will show a smaller loss for the year. The metropolitan areas where continued problems exist—such as inadequate parking, lack of elevators, old and sometimes poorly-maintained meeting facilities, long distances from where the members now live due to changing social patterns, or lack of adequate transportation facilities—should have accelerated study meetings to ascertain the best solution for increased attendance and membership. Where other Chapters may have the same or similar problems, those devoted members of the respective Chapters should make a like determination.

The manner or conduct of living as identified by those families with Masonic or Eastern Star affiliation, has been termed a way of life and this has meant much to America and the State of California. We should find the ways and means that will enable many thousands of good people in our Grand Jurisdiction to learn the teachings and lessons of our Order. Our cause must be advanced as an added protection so that we can continue to live as free Americans. The time may come sooner than anticipated, when we will of necessity have to stand and be counted—let no one be found missing.

Appreciation:

A Chapter is not measured by the number of members listed on the secretary's records, but by the quality and love of its members. No Chapter could mean more to a Worthy Grand Matron than my Chapter, Vallejo No. 278 of which I have been a proud member for thirty-three years. Those loyal, devoted members have supported me beyond my fondest expectations since electing me to membership and during my many years of service. I hope that they have been proud of their representative in Grand Chapter, for it was the lessons they gave to me that have been my guide over these many years. Happy memories will always be mine for the outstanding receptions in my honor. I am deeply grateful and soon it will be my pleasure to return and show my appreciation for the Life Membership so generously presented to me.

Worthy Grand Patron:

Sometimes—on the road of life,
 We meet the sort of friend
 Who's somehow special, set apart,
 Who's just the perfect blend
 Of all the things a friend should be,
 Well, someone just like you
 How glad I am our pathways crossed,
 I'm hoping you are too!

Selecting a Worthy Grand Patron is much like being a stranger in a big city and asking those you know where there is a good place to eat. After being reassured of the good food and finding the reputation A-1, you enter the line of the cafeteria and select the best food on display; pay the cashier, and trust and pray that you made the right selection. Sisters and Brothers, I surely was well rewarded—for my selection was a gentleman whose fine character, friendship, and consideration for others has been his trademark. He arranged his business affairs and his activities in other fraternal and civic organizations, that he might travel to almost every Official Visit with me. I regret that the opportunity to institute a new Chapter this year was not possible, so that the members might have seen and heard the fine Ritualistic work of which he is most capable. He has been a friend to all, and is respected by each of his associates. My gratitude to you, Brother Ed, for everything you have done to assist me these past two years. Yes, I certainly received extra value, for along with Brother Ed, and at no extra charge, was his lovely wife Jeannette. Always smiling, always present with a friendly greeting—this Grand Trailer and Brother Earl have been everything to their Grand Officers as they have travelled with us. Thank

you, Sister Jeannette, for your many courtesies and the good times we have shared.

Friendship is a ray of sunshine brightening each day
 Friendship is an outstretched hand all along life's way
 Friendship has a gentle touch that comforts and that cheers
 And I'm certain that our friendship will keep growing
 through the years.

General Grand Officer and General Grand Committee Members:

The appointments of our Most Worthy Grand Matron, our Sister Thelma Bailey as Worthy Grand Marshal, and those Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons as Committee Members of General Grand Chapter, have brought great honor to our Grand Jurisdiction. I am especially proud to be serving our Grand Chapter during this Triennium and may their service be a most rewarding experience. Thank you for your support and attendance at so many of the Official Visits.

Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons:

The friendly counsel, assistance, and encouragement our Past Grand Leaders have given to me these past four years has assisted me greatly and I look forward to my association with you who have travelled this way before. Especially am I grateful to those who so cheerfully accepted the responsibilities of serving on Grand Chapter Committees and to all of you for your presence at the many visits.

Associate Grand Matron and Associate Grand Patron:

Our Associate Grand Matron Sister Esther Sandman, with her sound counsel and attention to detail, has been truly a loyal and most cooperative Line Officer. With genial, friendly Bill Wilson, our Associate Grand Patron, and their Grand Trailers Grant and Gladys, I wish them a most harmonious year with the attainment of their ideals as they climb the "stairway to the stars". It will be my pleasure to support you in appreciation for your understanding co-operation and for the friendship we have enjoyed these past four years.

Grand Secretary:

You're one of the nicest people
 That I have ever known,
 For you make others happy
 In a way that's all your own,
 And with the warmest feeling
 That a greeting can impart,
 This brings a special "Thank you"
 From the bottom of my heart.

Grand Secretaries may come and go, but not Grand Secretaries like our beloved Sister Maud McWilliams Smith. It was my hope from the time I was elected Associate Grand Conductress, that Maud would be one of my Grand Family and I shall never cease to sing her praises. Your help, your wise and experienced counsel, your friendship, and the good humor that gives one that necessary lift have meant much to me. Thank you for your understanding assistance, and to your staff of courteous secretaries, my sincere appreciation. I feel you could be my second mother.

Grand Treasurer:

A cooperative, willing and ever-ready to assist Grand Treasurer has been my good fortune to have serving in the Grand Family. Sister Ethel has represented her office in a most capable manner, reflecting the experience of her service of past years as a Grand Officer; and she has travelled to every part of our Grand Jurisdiction. Your loyalty is greatly appreciated. Ethel.

Grand Conductresses:

Sisters Ellen and Marian, our two Grand Conductresses, have served double time as they have faithfully met with their respective associations carrying out the instructions to their corresponding subordinate officers; and attending whenever possible the Official Visits of the Worthy Grand Matron. The remarks of your associates speak well for a happy journey to the Grand East, and may you enjoy every happiness that will be yours for the devoted service you give.

My heart is filled with loving thoughts
And memories today,
For all the things you've done for me
In your special little way,
May future days bring happiness
May the days to follow too,
Hold every joy the world can bring,
To friends so dear as you.

Appointive Grand Officers:

For the love, loyalty, devotion to duty and the friendship I have enjoyed, my heartfelt thanks go to the Appointive Grand Floor Officers—all of whom were my personal choice and each of whom has been a credit to our Grand Chapter. You have made your corresponding Chapter officers exceedingly happy by your every assistance, and the members throughout the State will long remember you for your friendliness. This I know, and for which I will be eternally grateful—"That The Rays Of Sunshine In Your Rainbow, Have Been Reflected In The Lives Of Others".

Deputy Grand Matrons:

To those most important Deputy Grand Matrons, ninety-four in all, you have been the rays of sunshine in my rainbow as you represented me in each of your respective districts. The friends that you enjoy today and will cherish forever, are but the reflection of those rays of sunshine which you brought to every officer and member as you carried out your official duties. Each of you was carefully screened before being invited to serve, and by your service have proven the reputation which you already enjoyed with your Chapter members. Thank you for your friendship, your courtesies, and most of all for the fine service you have given our Grand Chapter. Your group elected as area presidents, two very capable Sisters, Joyce Grisham (530) from the North and Mary Lee Brassell (439) from the South, who have given me every assistance and have represented the Deputy Grand Matrons in a most efficient manner. It was my pleasure to attend receptions accorded them by their respective Chapters as well as the receptions for the two Deputies in my Silverado Districts, Dorothy Mielke (3) and Ethel Calvert (189).

Past Elective Grand Officers:

There are those who are known as the Past Elective Grand Officers, and to know these fine members and enjoy their support and friendship has added much to this year. Many have served on committees of Grand Chapter, and their willingness to continue whenever needed is a trade-mark of this fine group. It was always a joy to receive their warm greetings at so many of the Official Visits.

Grand Representatives:

The Grand Representatives frequently travel to the Grand Jurisdiction to which they are appointed. Their glowing reports, greetings, and remembrances from their visits have been of great interest and I am extremely happy to learn of the favorable manner in which each has represented this Grand Jurisdiction. I hope that the distant friendships they have made will add much to their pleasure in service to the Eastern Star.

Committee Members of Grand Chapter:

My gratitude and appreciation to the Standing Committees of Grand Chapter for their continued service—many of these members have appointments which last for several years, and to those serving on the project committees my special thanks. I shall anticipate with interest hearing your reports during the following days of this Session.

Words cannot express my appreciation to Brother Charles Boone for accepting the chairmanship of this Grand Chapter Session. His contagious enthusiasm is reflected in his committees and for everything that he and his co-workers have done during these past two years of preparation, for the benefit of this Grand Session, we are

indeed sincerely grateful. Only those who have gone this way before, understand the multitude of details that are associated with an occasion of this magnitude to be handled by the many committees. Thank you, Brother Charles Boone, on behalf of everyone here assembled.

Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons:

The opportunity to know each of you Worthy Matrons personally, and to assist in preparation for your duties as Presiding Officers, has been a rewarding experience. You (my Dolls), have maintained a continued high level of standards for the benefit of your Chapters, and, together with your Worthy Patrons, have provided for your members the fine leadership to which they are justly entitled. Thank you for your friendship, sincerity of purpose, your thoughtful remembrances, and the ideals you have maintained. All your problems, sorrows, and joys that you have shared with me, I have held close to my heart and always will.

For the fine cooperation of the Worthy Patrons, our "Dons", may I express my happiness for your assistance to your Worthy Matrons. It has been my pleasure to meet each of you fine gentlemen and I hope that you have enjoyed your service as presiding Patrons. I will always remember your part of the Official Visits—especially your interesting and often times humorous introductions. My beautiful gavel and sounding block, presented to me on Installation night by our Worthy Grand Patron Brother Ed and Sister Jeannette, has travelled to every part of our Grand Jurisdiction and has been used by each Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron as they presided at the Official Visits. To know we have used the same gavel of authority will always be a happy memory.

Pages, Raindrops and Grand Guards:

A Session of Grand Chapter requires the help of so many in the various duties, and your willingness to come and take part is of real assistance. Our Sessions cannot begin, nor can we open Grand Chapter, without your dependable service and the hours you share with us is proof of your devotion and love of our Eastern Star. Thank you, Grand Pages, Raindrops, and Grand Guards.

Grand Trailers:

For sharing your loving partner with us to serve as a Grand Officer, I am indeed grateful. Your good humor and assistance, your companionship on so many of the Official Visits, and the many courtesies and hospitality extended to all the Grand Family has added much happiness to this year. And to the Grand Trailers of our Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, and Past Elective Officers, our gratitude for your support and your hospitality extended to the Grand Family on so many occasions.

My Family:

Deepest in my heart is my family. Words alone could never express my feeling of gratitude for the devotion, understanding and encouragement given me by my dear husband Earl. Together, through some rain and sunny weather, we have travelled the pathway of life for over 27 years, always with the "Rainbow of Happiness" around our shoulders. It was because of this encouragement and willingness to accompany me whenever possible, that I accepted the responsibility to serve our Grand Chapter. This experience, the opportunity to serve others, has added another beautiful chapter in our lifetime which has been enjoyed together.

Among our most cherished years are those given to the rearing of our three wonderful boys, and I shall eternally be thankful for this blessing. A note of sadness always entered my heart as I would leave home, leaving behind those who were so precious; and it is with rejoicing that I shall return soon again to take my place in our home.

God grants us many lovely gifts
 The golden glow of sun
 The evening sky—the stars—the moon
 To see when day is done.
 He gives us Winter's crystal snow
 The Springtime's gentle breeze
 The flowers of His summertime
 And Autumn's glorious trees.
 God grants us many lovely gifts
 Some mighty and some small
 But being blessed with a family such as you
 Is His greatest gift of all.

Recommendations:

It is recommended that the Pages and Raindrops, appointed to serve this Grand Session, be allowed Mileage on the same basis as the Grand Chapter Delegates in appreciation of their service.

It is recommended that Sister Esther Sandman, incoming Worthy Grand Matron, appoint a suitable committee to study ways and means for increasing attendance and membership in our subordinate chapters and to report such recommendations as seem appropriate at the next Grand Session.

It is recommended that the Courtesy to Dignitaries Committee file with the Grand Secretary each year, a detailed report that will include the activities, the number of dignitaries and their titles, and the courtesies and considerations extended to each. This recommendation is made so that those committees serving in succeeding years will have the benefit of the experience of the past committees and those policies set forth by the Finance Committee.

It is also recommended that the Courtesy to Dignitaries Committee be divided into two parts: Hostess Committee of Past Grand Officers

who will welcome the dignitaries, and a working committee to plan and prepare courtesies for the dignitaries.

It is recommended that a committee be appointed by the incoming Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sandman, to rewrite the formal opening and closing of Grand Chapter, to be presented at the next Session of Grand Chapter.

It is recommended that the official report form as filed for each Chapter by the Deputy Grand Matron, be revised before the next printing to include membership total, record of attendance, names of presiding officers, the total number of members initiated, affiliated, demitted, suspended, and the number of deaths as of the date of the deputy's official visit.

Conclusion:

I owe a deep debt of gratitude to the members of Grand Chapter for having accorded me the honor and rich experience in serving our Order as your Worthy Grand Matron. To you I have given my very best, and from you I have received much love and respect. No greater satisfaction will be mine than to continue the friendships and enjoy the respect of you who have made all this possible.

There is a destiny that makes us brothers,
None goes his way alone,
All that we send into the lives of others,
Comes back into our own.

CAROL MAE JENSEN,
Worthy Grand Matron.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

(Worthy Grand Matron presiding.)

Musical Selection:

By the "Star Notes", Jeannette Collins, Ann Rush, Laura Mae Stones, Hermina Roche, Hazel Speir. Rosalie DeCray, Director-Accompanist.

ANNUAL ADDRESS OF THE WORTHY GRAND PATRON

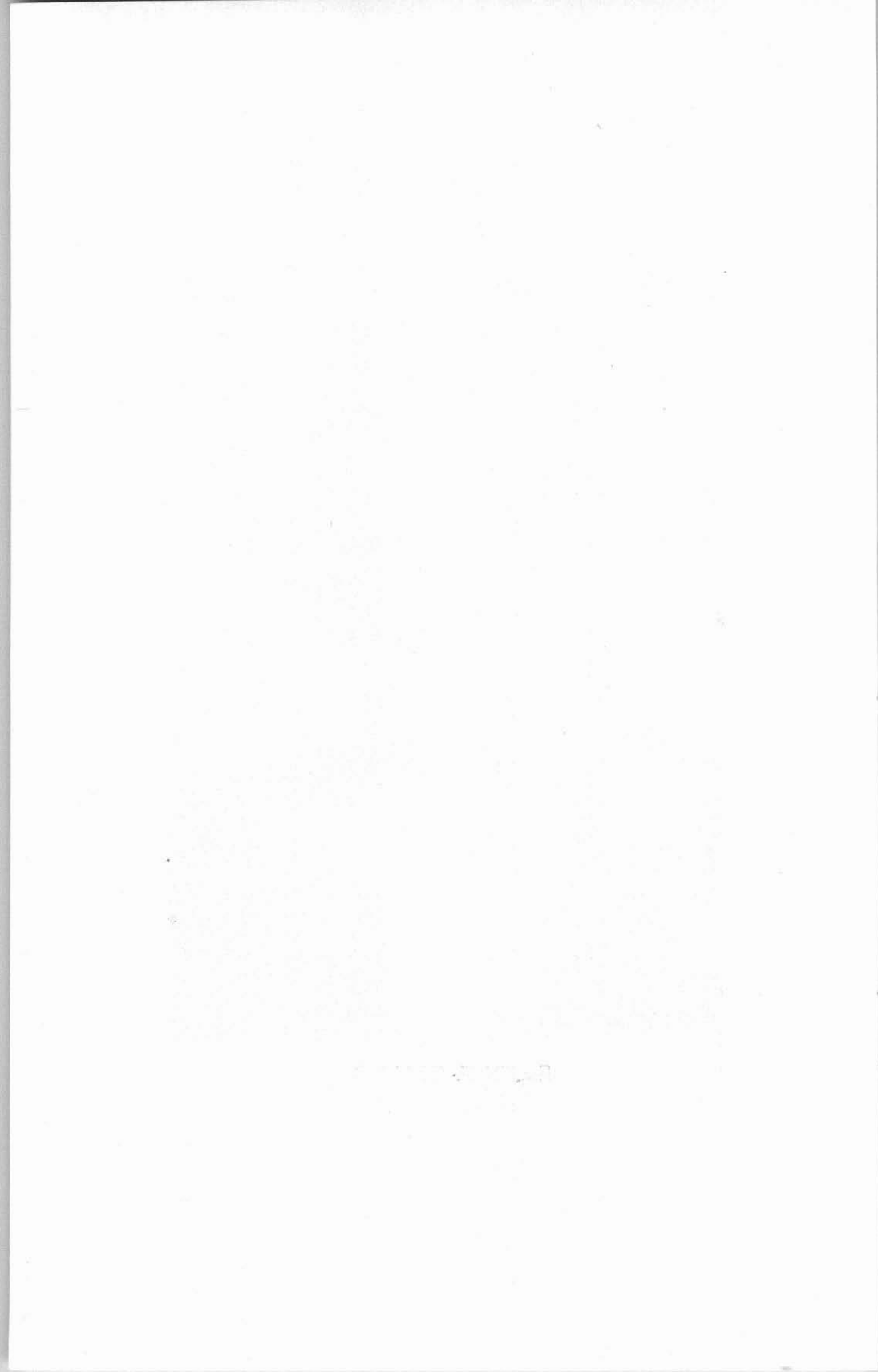
Worthy Grand Matron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

It is a privilege to welcome you to this, the Ninetieth Annual Session of your Grand Chapter. May you carry back to your Chapters a greater enthusiasm and endeavor for the Order of the Eastern Star as a result of your participation the affairs of this Grand Session.

The members of the Grand Chapter Sessions Committee, under the direction of Brother Charles Boone, General Chairman, are to be congratulated for their untiring efforts to make our stay this week more pleasant and comfortable.



EDWIN F. COLLINS
Worthy Grand Patron



Just two years ago Sister Carol Jensen, our Worthy Grand Matron, extended to me the privilege of serving with her as the Associate Grand Patron for 1962 and as Worthy Grand Patron for 1963. The gratitude that I expressed two years ago can in no way begin to tell of the happiness and joy that has come my way since that invitation. A closer contact with the members of this Order and a clearer understanding of your purposes and problems have increased my esteem for you and the Order of the Eastern Star. Worthy Grand Matron, my eternal gratitude and may I wish for you much joy and unbounded cooperation in all your endeavors.

It has been my good fortune to accompany the Worthy Grand Matron to 88 of the 94 Official Visits. The members of the Order can be proud of the Officers of the subordinate Chapters for the manner in which the work of the Order was exemplified and the spirit of good fellowship that was present at all visits.

It has been a pleasure to know the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons better. Your support and advice has been most gratifying and I am looking forward to being a member of such a distinguished and hard working group.

It was my pleasure to be present at all of the Receptions given the Grand Officers. Each reception was an outstanding event and all Grand Officers were deserving of the honors bestowed upon them. Our Grand Family has had many good times together, and I hope we have many more.

The Deputy Grand Matrons have been most kind and their devotion to the Order has been a joy to see. It was my pleasure to attend the Receptions of the President of the Northern Grands, Joyce Grisham, the Southern Grands, Mary Lee Brassell, my own Deputy Grand Matron of the 77th District, Louise Tyson, and the Deputy Grand Matron of the 66th District, Myrtle Robertson, who was a 1941 Matron.

I have had the pleasure to be present and to extend greetings at the Reception of the Worthy Grand Marshal of the General Grand Chapter, Sister Thelma Bailey; also at the Reception of Brother Lloyd Ellis Griffin, a member of the Jurisprudence Committee of General Grand Chapter. They, with the other members of General Grand Chapter Committees, Sisters Gilma Vick Moyers, Elveta Grohl, Helen Bell DeBeers and Brother Francis Herz, all devoted and hard-working members of our Order who are deserving of the honors bestowed upon them.

The privilege of knowing better the Past Grand Treasurers has been another happy experience and I wish to thank them for the courtesies extended to me.

My thanks to the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of California for your good work as Presiding Officers of the Chapters of this Jurisdiction. Your dedication to the principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth has been most outstanding and I am sure your rewards will be forthcoming at the proper times. God bless you all.

Five Chapters celebrated their 75th Anniversary this year and it was my pleasure to be present at all of them. They are: Bethlehem No. 95 at Paso Robles; Southern Star No. 96 at San Diego; Ramona No. 97 at Arroyo Grande; Beulah No. 99 at San Francisco; and Mizpah No. 100 at Santa Maria. All were well attended and the reading of the minutes of 75 years ago were most interesting and informative. May you all have another 75 years of success.

One of the most rewarding Official Visits was to our Eastern Star Home. Meeting with the Sisters that make this their home and seeing their happy faces made me feel that by working together great things can be accomplished. Nora Widle, the Superintendent, is to be congratulated for her service.

Another of the Official Visits was to the Masonic Home at Union City. We were warmly welcomed by Mr. David, the Superintendent, and Mrs. David; also by Mrs. Olsen, the matron. The Past Matrons of the East Bay who annually sponsor this visit are to be congratulated for this fine project. We met many of the guests at the Home, and I feel that members of the Masonic Fraternity and the Order of the Eastern Star can hold their heads a little higher for the good rendered to our less fortunate Sisters and Brothers.

The three Associations of Southern California, San Francisco and the East Bay are to be congratulated for their very fine Receptions for the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and all Grand Officers. Each was a distinct and well-planned success. The Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons who took part are to be commended for the extra effort in planning these Receptions.

Fifty-four Chapters have presented me with Honorary Memberships, and two have extended that honor to my wife. To all of you, my humble thanks for placing my name with those of your members. It is our desire to visit you in the future that we may become better acquainted.

It has been my pleasure to be one of the Trustees of the Eastern Star Home Board this last year. The work performed by the elected members of this board deserves the everlasting gratitude of every member of the Order of the Eastern Star. I heartily recommend that each elected member of this Board be given a letter of appreciation from this Grand Chapter.

My grateful thanks to Ocean Park Chapter No. 245 for their courtesy and the two wonderful Receptions in my honor. The additional responsibilities thrust upon you have been accepted and beautifully performed.

Sister Esther Sandman and Brother Bill Wilson, as you draw nearer to the time of being installed as the leaders of this great Order, may God's richest blessing be with you both and the word trouble be erased from your vocabulary.

This Grand Chapter has an Officer that comes as close to being an indispensable member as is possible. It is none other than our Grand

Secretary, Sister Maud Smith. Maud, your energy, wit and wise counsel have been a wonderful help to us all. May we enjoy many more years of your service.

Brother Earl Jensen, thank you for your helpfulness and willingness in anticipating our needs. The four of us have had two very full and interesting years together.

Jeannette, my love, I do not know that I will ever be able to return the devotion you have given me this past two years. I honestly say that without you I could not have accomplished what has been done. You have been with me at all meetings, you have handled all the correspondence, you have helped in many, many ways and I know that those with whom we have been associated love you almost as much as I. Thank you, Jeannette.

While there were no Institutions of new Chapters this year I have talked or have been in communication with eight groups or individuals who were interested in forming Star Clubs.

These groups with whom I have talked are the South Bay Eastern Star Club of Imperial Beach; a number of members living at Felton; a dinner meeting at Rubidoux near Riverside; three members of Chapters in Ontario.

The members of the South Bay Eastern Star Club are interested in forming a Chapter but only after the Masonic Lodge in Imperial Beach has purchased property and built a Masonic Temple. At the present time they are helping the Masonic Brothers to raise funds for the building of a temple. I recommended they change their name so as not to use the name of Eastern Star Club. At their next meeting they changed the name to South Bay Mecca Club.

I met with eight members living at Felton who were desirous of forming a Star Club. They have a place to meet but at the present there are not enough who would want to affiliate with the new group.

A request was made by a number of members living in and near Rubidoux. A dinner meeting was arranged and about 36 Sisters and Brothers were in attendance. I had invited the Grand Sentinel, Brother Austin Garrett, and his wife to accompany Jeannette and myself, knowing that he was familiar with the area and would be helpful in answering questions. I have had no reports of any further activity on their part.

The members from the Ontario area have dropped plans regarding a Star Club.

Mrs. Grace Bodley of Los Altos Hills requested permission to form a Star Club in that area. Her request was accompanied by a list of 86 names and addresses of people who were interested. A meeting was held on September 12 and forty-five members and friends were present. I could not be present, but the Junior Past Grand Patron, Brother Bob Atkinson, and his wife Charlotte were present and acted for me.

Leisure World at Seal Beach asked permission to have an Eastern Star Social Club permitting active and demitted members of the Order of the Eastern Star to be eligible for membership. I ruled

that they could not use the name Eastern Star for a name of a social club.

Information has been requested regarding Star Clubs from Newport Beach and in Lafayette, California. The information required has been given them by me.

Recommendations:

I recommend that the Chapters U.D. be granted their charters, given voting rights at this Session and receive Mileage.

Many times questions arise concerning Star Clubs, and their organization and supervision. Our Grand Chapter does have a leaflet, the "Preliminary Information and Suggestions Regarding the Organization of New Chapters," which is sent to interested members upon request. It is, however, my earnest conviction that there should be a set of By-Laws for such clubs, in order to make sure that they conform to those sections of our Constitution and Laws pertaining to the Institution of new Chapters, and to give these interested and eager members the proper guidance during the required six months of the Club's existence before a dispensation can be granted. I therefore recommend that the following form for by-laws of a Star Club be adopted by this Grand Body to govern Star Clubs, meeting by authority of the Worthy Grand Patron, for the purpose of petitioning for a Dispensation.

"BY-LAWS

For Star Clubs meeting by authority of the Worthy Grand Patron.

ARTICLE I. Name and Officers

Section 1. This Star Club shall be known as the..... Star Club.

Section 2. The officers shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, one of whom shall be a Past Matron.

Section 3. These officers shall be selected by a suitable number of members (no less than 35), with the supervision of the Worthy Grand Patron, or his designated representative.

ARTICLE II. Meetings

Section 1. Meetings must be held at regular intervals, at least one a month, for the required six months prior to petitioning for Institution.

Section 2. No meeting can be held without the presence of the Worthy Grand Patron or his designated representative.

Section 3. Notice of the meetings shall be given in the manner determined by the Worthy Grand Patron.

ARTICLE III. Duties of Officers

Section 1. The President shall preside at the meetings of the Club, appoint committees, and make sure that the Club complies with the direction of the Worthy Grand Patron and the requirements of Grand Chapter.

Section 2. The Vice-President shall preside in the absence of the President, and act as his or her assistant in all matters pertaining to the Club.

Section 3. The Secretary shall keep a record of all proceedings of the Club, and forward a copy to the Worthy Grand Patron within 10 days of each meeting.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall be responsible for, and receive all funds of the Club, depositing the same in a responsible repository in the name of the Club as approved by Grand Chapter for Chapters in this Jurisdiction, and shall account for these funds to the Club at each meeting.

Section 5. All withdrawals must be voted by a majority of members present and voting and two signatures requested on all checks.

ARTICLE IV. Membership

Section 1. Members of the Club shall be those petitioners qualified by eligibility and character as on petition for membership by initiation or affiliation. Care must be taken that all persons meet the requirements for admission to the Order. To this end, Masonic and other prerequisite documents must be carefully checked.

ARTICLE V. Fees

Section 1. The fees and dues of the Club shall be as authorized by the Worthy Grand Patron. Minimum dues shall be \$10.00, plus assessments, per year. Fees—Initiation—\$25.00; affiliation—\$12.50.

ARTICLE VI.

Section 1. These By-laws can only be amended with the approval of Grand Chapter."

Conclusion:

If it be true that he who does his best—does well—then, my Sisters and Brothers, I have no hesitancy in submitting to you for your criticism and judgment the record of my work of the year just closing, as it has come to you through that year, and as it now finds expression in this report.

To all of you I give my everlasting thanks for the privilege of serving this Grand Chapter. As I relinquish my office I would like

to share with you the lines I have read from time to time this past year:

"Sometime when you're feeling important
 And your ego's in bloom,
 Sometime when you take for granted
 You're the best qualified in the room,
 Sometime when you feel your going
 Would leave an unfillable hole,
 Just follow this simple instruction
 And see how it humbles your soul.
 Take a bucket and fill it with water,
 Then put your hand in it, up to the wrist;
 Pull it out, and the hole that's remaining,
 Is the measure of how you'll be missed.
 You may splash all you please when you enter,
 You can stir up the water galore,
 But stop, and you'll find in a minute,
 That it looks quite the same as before.
 The moral in this quaint example,
 Is to do just the best you can,
 Be proud of yourself . . . but remember,
 There is no indispensable man!"

—UNKNOWN.

Courteously submitted,
 EDWIN F. COLLINS,
 Worthy Grand Patron.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

Musical Selection: "Star-Notes".

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister DeCray and your "Star-Notes" for your beautiful music.

Appointments to Fill Vacancies on Committees:

Warren Van Eck to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws to replace Past Grand Patron Walker Peddicord who asked to be excused on account of illness.

To Credentials Committee: Florence Emerick, Chairman, in place of Past Grand Treasurer Isabelle Mosher, who was unable to attend; Lura Sellick, Bess Daum and Ruth Maerae to replace Florence Emerick, Bessie Kidd and Hazel Wintz.

Past Grand Treasurer Agnes McGehee to Necrology Committee, due to untimely death of Thelma Schleifer.

Corrine Bliss to Courtesies to Dignitaries to replace Margaret Smock.

Gilbert Dalton to Endowment Fund to replace Darrol Findley who moved from the area.

Catherine Moore, Past Matron of West Gate Chapter No. 290 appointed "Page at Large" to replace Charlotte Welch, who is ill.

At 11:50 A.M., Session was called to refreshment until 1:30 P.M.

Afternoon Session

The Afternoon Session was called to order at 1:45 P.M. by Past Grand Matron Thelma Rehnert Warner, and the Grand Officers entered and took their stations.

Welcome:

Thelma Rehnert Warner, Past Grand Matron, Hostess:

Through the kindness and consideration of our Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol Mae Jensen it is my happy privilege to welcome you to this Tuesday Afternoon Session of the 90th Session of the Grand Chapter.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for having extended to me this honor.

Having my own Worthy Grand Patron Brother Philip Fredric Leahy sitting in the East with me today brings back many fond memories of the year 1955 when we presided over your Grand Chapter Session.

Our Worthy Grand Matron spent many of her girlhood years as a member and officer in the Order of Rainbow for Girls. The training received and the experiences she was privileged to enjoy during those years have been of inestimable value in preparing Sister Carol for the office she so capably holds today. How fitting that this Session of Grand Chapter should be called "The Rainbow Session".

It has been my special privilege for many years to have enjoyed the sincere and valued friendship of our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol, and her fine husband, Brother Earl.

The bond of friendship existing between our Worthy Grand Patron Brother Ed Collins and his charming wife, Sister Jeannette, is one of long standing and one deeply appreciated.

As we reflect upon the glowing reports of the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron—which were read this morning—we are filled with inspiration and enthusiasm. At this point our hopes are high and we look forward to a week of unselfish activity which will result in the accomplishment of much good for our Order. The presence of all voting delegates at each Session—their thoughtful and undivided attention to all matters presented for their consideration and action, will do much toward bringing about the fulfillment of the earnest desire of both the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron that this Session of Grand Chapter be based upon the teachings of our Order—Brotherly kindness and

love—expressed in thoughtful consideration of the feelings of those with whom we may not agree at the moment.

Let the problems of today be settled in an amicable manner—as befitting an assembly such as ours. May we strive to eliminate problems unworthy of our high ideals. Let our motives be pure and unselfish. Keep in mind that it is the thinking of each individual member that gives character and stability to our Order. May our hearts be opened to a deeper appreciation of its teachings—then—we cannot fail to go forward.

This afternoon give special attention to the reports of those called upon to give a summation of their activities during the past year.

Greetings:

Past Grand Patron Philip Fredric Leahy:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Mae Jensen, for giving me the privilege of joining with my lovely Worthy Grand Matron of 1955, Sister Thelma Rehnert Warner, in extending to all assembled a most cordial welcome to this Grand Session.

Lord Chesterfield said, "True politeness is perfect ease and freedom; it simply consists of treating others as you would love to be treated yourself."

Let us be governed by this wise saying as we proceed to legislate so that our deliberations will result in lasting benefit to Grand Chapter and credit to ourselves.

Your presence evidences interest in our beautiful Order, may you continue to serve and enjoy the wonderful experience that it affords.

Past Grand Matron, Thelma Rehnert Warner:

It is with pleasure, Worthy Grand Matron, that I hand you your gavel and wish for you a completely harmonious Session and pray that our Heavenly Father continue to guide you through paths of righteousness and peace.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Thelma and Brother Fred, for your participation in the opening of our Tuesday Afternoon Session we are most grateful. You have both given many years of service since becoming Past Grand Officers. Your devoted years to the Eastern Star Home and the help given there will never be forgotten, Sister Thelma.

Brother Fred has given of his talents on many committees, and the Worthy Grand Patron and I are especially happy you both could be here together to welcome the Delegates. Your presence brings back fond memories of your year of 1955 when I served as a Deputy Grand Matron.

The Session was purged, and after Prayer declared at labor by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Prayer:

Edna Johnson, Grand Chaplain:

Dear Lord: May we gain from these days together inspiration to be carried into the busy avenues of life, remembering that each hour is golden and that the days come not again. Help us to realize that the days in which we live offer the greatest challenge for service that the world has ever known. May we so live in faith and in communion with Thee that we shall be able to solve every problem. In the name of our Saviour. Amen.

Minutes:

The Minutes of the Informal Opening on Monday night and the Session of Tuesday morning were approved as read.

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

To the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, Sisters and Brothers:

At this, the close of the eighty-ninth year of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, we present to you an accounting of the work of the office of the Grand Secretary.

"God grant us the strength to accept the things we cannot change, the courage to change what we can, and the wisdom to know the difference."

Immediately after the close of the last Session, on October 22, 1962, Paul Revere Chapter No. 251 relinquished its charter and Grand Chapter demits were issued to the 93 members of the Chapter. The books of the Chapter were audited and found to be correct. All paraphernalia was turned over to the office, together with \$343.07 in cash.

Early in November, 1962, Augusta Chapter No. 80 of Covelo, suffered the loss of all of their property in a disastrous fire which totally demolished the Masonic Temple. With the consent of the Worthy Grand Matron, we were happy to be able to send the Chapter the paraphernalia which Paul Revere Chapter had just turned over to us—one Chapter's loss was, in this case, another Chapter's gain. The members of Augusta Chapter were very grateful for this assistance and sent a truck to San Francisco to get the furniture and supplies so there would be no cost to Grand Chapter for shipping.

All other work incident to a new year was given attention after the close of the Session in Oakland.

The new edition of the Constitution and Laws was sent to all Chapters and others entitled to receive a copy soon after the first

of the year. Later it was discovered that in some unaccountable way, the second and third paragraphs of Section 450 had been printed as they were in the old Constitution, not as adopted in the revision. How it occurred is still a mystery—one of the things a printer calls “that elusive typographical error”. Our printer immediately printed the correct paragraphs on gum-backed paper and copies for the Chapter books were sent to all Chapters and others holding the new edition.

There was such a lack of knowledge as to which Grand Jurisdictions permitted dual membership—in their own and another jurisdiction—that we sent a circular letter to all Grand Secretaries asking their law on the subject. Answers indicated it was legal in the following jurisdictions: Alberta, British Columbia, Connecticut, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Maine, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Montana, Nevada, New Brunswick, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Nova Scotia, Oregon, Puerto Rico, Quebec, Saskatchewan, Scotland, Utah, Vermont, Washington and Wisconsin, as well as in all Chapters under the General Grand Chapter. Two or three Jurisdictions were considering legislation to permit dual membership, but no information has been received as to such action.

As we had planned to do for several years, we finally prepared a Guide for Secretaries and sent a copy to each Chapter. This guide contains the principal duties of a good Secretary with several admonitions as to some of the things a valuable Secretary should avoid. I trust that the so-called words of wisdom have been followed.

Fifty-year Pins:

This year there were 431 fifty-year pins presented. By comparison with previous years you will see that the number presented increases with each year. Following are the recipients:

SUISUN No. 2
Jean Ruth Dearborn, P.M.
Emma Vogel
Hattie Sheldon
Annie Sheldon, P.M.
Joseph Robt. Chadbourne, P.P.
Eugene Langdon Dearborn, P.P.

SILVER STAR No. 3
Lottie M. Wittum Bitcon
Edith Maxine Hawke

OAK LEAF No. 8
Betsey Riddle Arns
Emil Paul Ziegler, P.P.

EVANGELINE No. 9
Abbie Claire Gracey, P.M.
Mary Elizabeth Sparnon

MARTHA WASHINGTON No. 13
Katherine Gertrude Edwards
Deborah Mitchell
Ruth Newton, P.M.

ST. JOHN'S No. 14
Clarence Hector Moxon

LILY OF THE VALLEY No. 18
Gertrude A. Arnold, P.M.
Celesta Schanbacher, P.M.

IDLEWILD No. 19
Myrtle Clayton
Glen A. Achterberg, P.M.
Kathryn H. McGeoghegan
Ronald Adrian Mellon, P.P.
May Burgess, P.M.

VESPER No. 20
Ruth A. Fuller

ACACIA No. 21
Louise Hauck Bohart

NORTHERN LIGHT No. 26
Ruby Null Blodgett

IVY No. 27
Sarah Elizabeth McKerrow
Mayverne A. Hern Dohrman

VACAVILLE No. 28
Mary Will Akerly, P.M.

SILVER GATE No. 30
Gertrude Vallie Ward, P.M.

SAN JOSE No. 31
Daisy Florence Johns
Mabel St. Clair Dennis
Eleanor Frances Vaughan

- ROSE VALLEY No. 33
Bert Philpott
Marie Ellezene Philpott
Julia White Bonar
Alex. McCluskey, P.P.
Norah McCluskey, P.M.
- VERNON No. 35
Madge Maynard Block, P.M.
Edgar Williams Stanton, P.P.
- ARIEL No. 42
Kate Hansen Bundesen
- REDDING No. 44
Elizabeth Catherine Ferguson
- ATHENA No. 46
Zoerada Evelyn Jenkins, P.M.
- WHEATLAND No. 48
Effie Harriet Burchell, P.M.
- HOMO No. 50
Georgie Jordon Smith
- SINCERITY No. 53
Cecelia Mifflin Chamberlain, P.M.
- MARYSVILLE No. 55
Blanche Hopfield
Archie Hopfield
William C. Bossen
- FIDELIA No. 56
Hazel Leone Koller
- CRYSTAL No. 57
Hazel F. Sands
L. F. Klumpp, P.P.
Bertha Hoppe
Gladys Georgia L. Atkins, P.M.
- KINGSLEY No. 58
Lloyd Bittenbender
Ruth Evans, P.M.
- SILVER SPRAY No. 59
Anna Ruth Mount
- MORNING STAR No. 61
Lois Boerstler
- CAMELIA No. 63
Glenna Christie Smith, P.M.
Zelma Conant Cooper
Miriam Yackley Anderson
- UNITY No. 65
Eldora Verona Franke, P.M.
- GOLDEN STAR No. 66
Amelia D. Milinovich
- QUEEN ESTHER No. 71
Norma Etelka Ball, P.M.
- ELECTA No. 72
Katheryn Anna Kirk
Ruth Killam
- MAGNOLIA No. 73
Anna Marie Wicker
Alice Otto
- SILVER WAVE No. 75
Agnes Myrtle McKinley
Thelma Marty McLain
Belle Erganbright
May Belle D. R. Crutchfield
- AZALIA No. 77
Nettie Ethel Gibbs Gastineau
- MARGUERITE No. 78
Annabel McCune Spinney, P.M.
Nora Bilsborough, P.M.
Hazel Dell Beisel, P.M.
- MOLINO No. 83
Mary Stratton Donnelly
Esther Gibson
Bula M. Robbins
- VERITAS No. 84
Irma Doty
Ruth Merrill, P.M.
Lena Hampton
- MARSHALL No. 86
Lula Louise French, P.M.
Jewell T. DeWitt
- RAISINA No. 89
Rossa Hill Planjak
Bertha P. Jensen
Isabel Foster
Laura Mergenthaler
Dora Margaret Howell
Elizabeth C. Brown
- MADERA No. 92
Marie Agnes Brown Ward
Clara H. Steinhour
Lucile Desmond, P.M.
Naomi Grace Heiskell, P.M.
Bonita Weaver Maloy
Merre Alice Hilleary, P.M.
- TULARE No. 94
DeWitt Talmage Frymire, P.P.
Georgia Fraser Martin
- SOUTHERN STAR No. 96
Helen May Reif
Pauline Blanche Barrow
Bertha Yonachek
Lillie Spencer Kehoe
- BEULAH No. 98
Emma Ada Kahlman Young
- MIZPAH No. 100
Gertrude Elizabeth Bell
Henry Robert Gewe
- JOSEPHINE No. 104
Alma Mayhem Cella
Velma Hollensen Cuddeback
May Teresa Downing, P.M.
Ernestine Marquette Lane
Marguerite Vogelsang, P.M.
- HERMOSA No. 105
Frances Katherine Bonney
Marie Beisel, P.M.
Alice Pannell
Clyde Nichols
- UNGAVA No. 106
Blanche Stockton
- CORONA No. 107
Bertie Todd Connolly, P.G.M.
Cora Eastman, P.M.
Lulu Myrtle Meek, P.M.
Mabel Sutcliff Seeley
Ramona Ross
Hazel Ann Grove
- POMONA No. 110
Mabelle A. Glass
Adelbert James Pirdy
- OCEAN VIEW No. 111
Eunice Elizabeth Todd, P.M.
Stella Sophia Sherman, P.M.
- HESPERIAN No. 112
Kathryn Pearce
- SANTA MONICA No. 113
Myrtle Morrow
Grace Stanfield Coward, P.M.

- CARITA No. 115
Jeanne deBernia
Ruby Marguerite Diggs
- TRUCKEE No. 116
Catherine Patterson
Ella Florence Stelzner
- WOODBIDGE No. 118
Elda Hargis Peirano
Mary Oliver Walker
Ethel G. Giermann Hemphill, P.M.
- AMAPOLA No. 119
Irene Baldwin Clemes
Douglas Reis Jacobs
- TUOLUMNE STAR No. 123
Andel Mansfield
Hazel T. Caldwell
Irene Wiley
- HARMONY No. 124
Augusta Grandeman
- BAKERSFIELD No. 125
Henry Jensen Brandt
Rebecca Culliton
- LOS GATOS No. 128
Jessie Diehl Berryman, P.M.
Ernest Abbott
Hazel Cilker Smith
- FIDELITY No. 131
Leta Taylor Bectel
- SEMPER FIDELIS No. 135
Ernest A. Wentz
Matie Henrietta Reuss
- CLEAR LAKE No. 137
Inez Marion Anton, P.M.
- SUMMIT No. 138
Clara Willms
- OAKLAND No. 140
Alice Lucile Zwillinger
Lotta Adelia Cole, P.M.
- MIRA MONTE No. 141
Lyda Higdon
Ella M. Stanwood
- COPA DEL ORO No. 142
Frankie Flukenhoefer
- NORWALK No. 143
Edward Geo. Paddison
Charlotte S. Martin
Rebecca Jane Meyer
Helen C. Jason
- LYRA No. 144
Clara Terrell Starbuck, P.M.
Sara Rennells Terrell
- JASMINE No. 145
Flora Virginia Goff
Kate McMahon
- DELANO No. 146
Albert F. Holsapple, P.P.
- PEARL No. 147
Mary Louise Williams
- DEL NORTE No. 149
Mabel Payton Lingard
- LODI No. 150
Elva W. Custer, P.M.
Belle Woolery
- ESCONDIDO No. 154
Henrietta B. Pirnie
Maud L. Gresley
- OCCIDENT No. 160
Elizabeth Blanche Bryson, P.M.
- GOLD RIDGE No. 161
Mable Alice Walker
- CROWN No. 162
Genevieve Dart
- SCEPTER No. 163
Annie Laura Knuth, P.M.
Freda Kelley Garber
- ONISBO No. 164
Bertha McClain, P.M.
- OLIVE BRANCH No. 169
Mazie Miller, P.M.
- CARNATION No. 171
Bernice Venable, P.M.
Hattie Winifred Young Moore
- LEXINGTON No. 172
Alice Cary Manning
- LONG BEACH No. 173
Myrtle Sprague Gilmore
Bessie Urie
- SAN PEDRO HARBOR No. 174
Lillie Sullivan
Bertha Ann Ingmire, P.M.
Alma B. Goldsworthy
Rose Mariner Figels
Cora Hyatt
- MIGUELITO No. 176
Milton E. Moore
- ORIENT No. 177
Evangeline Rebecca Muller, P.M.
Clarence Roy Graham
Robert A. Blacow
Lillian Searles, P.M.
- BERKELEY No. 178
Edna Weining, P.M.
- EUCLID No. 179
Mary I. Warmer, P.G.M.
Albert David Forbes
Beatrice Bernice Forbes
Margaret L. Nichols, P.M.
- VALLEY HOME No. 182
Helen Marie Boge
- LAUREL No. 186
Nevada A. Dunn
- CALISTOGA No. 189
Mitto Forrest Blodgett, P.M.
- SACRAMENTO No. 190
Jessie Kate Mounday
Josephine Fern Futterer, P.M.
- FULLERTON No. 191
Maude Elizabeth Sweet, P.M.
- PACIFIC No. 192
Alice E. Schmutz
- ALHAMBRA No. 193
Cecelia Gordon Hampe
Lenna Mae Titterud
Effie Elvera Goltquist
- SANTA CLARA No. 195
Irma Elizabeth Dixon
Harriett Josephine Greenlee, P.M.
Carl Arthur Linderoth
- SAN FRANCISCO No. 196
Mabel Althea Hutchings

- MT. WHITNEY No. 197
Dora King Smith
Florence Nelligan Thorsen
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Mary Belle McCroskey
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Romayne Thompson
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Mildred A. Hester
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Harriett Ogden, P.M.
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- PALESTINE No. 210
Maud Lillian Munn
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- COLTON No. 211
Albert Erichsen, P.P.
Hattie Madigan
George Washington Sears
- GATE CITY No. 212
Ethyle Lorrain Slnatt
Naomi E. Reynolds Martin
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Fleeta M. Triece
Lena Myrtle Nickerson
- LOYALTY No. 217
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Bertha Cathryn Schmeiser
- RIO VISTA No. 222
Birdie E. Rasmussen
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Henry A. Atwood, P.P.
- EAST GATE No. 225
Lucy A. Wyckoff
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Bernice Gilbert Bourn
Ysabel Kersten
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- NATOMA No. 233
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Effie Jane Stoll
Joseph Allan Royster, P.P.
- KEYSTONE No. 235
Abbie May T. M. Prescott
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Nona Daniels
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- ARTESIA No. 253
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Anna Wharton Cryder, P.M.
Susan Alice Haman, P.M.
Irma O. Gillespie
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Aaron Turner, P.P.
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Elizabeth H. E. Glendenning
Jane Durren Milne
- SUNBEAM No. 376
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- BETHEL No. 476
Minnie Cuttler
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James Arthur Love
- ORANGE BLOSSOM No. 488
Marie Weidner
- HENRY S. ORME No. 492
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Mary Goldfarb, P.M.
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Mabel Schultz Hanson, P.M.
- EMERA No. 561
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Sabina Pearl Cheek
Hattie M. Booth
Edna P. Chamberlain
- ROSEMEAD No. 567
Noah A. Stump
- MAGNOLIA PARK No. 598
Anna Dieffenbach Ruddy

Courtesy Initiations:

Two California Chapters requested courtesy initiations through this office. They were:

Bettina Chapter No. 399, Mary Elizabeth Cantrell, initiated by Josephine Hepner Chapter No. 89 of Helena, Montana;

San Carlos Chapter No. 551, Judy Marsh, initiated by Meridian Chapter No. 179 of Eugene, Oregon.

Initiated by California Chapters:

Louie E. Freedle, by Monterey Chapter No. 239 for Success Chapter No. 87 of Richland, Missouri;
 Shirley Ledbetter, by Raisina Chapter No. 89 for Myrtle Chapter No. 137 of Clinton, Illinois;
 Connie Walter Beehtol, by Oakdale Chapter No. 226 for Hicksville Star Chapter No. 214 of Hicksville, Ohio;
 Noydell Powers and Edward Powers, by Mt. Shasta Chapter No. 153 for Stella Chapter No. 57, Wahoo, Nebraska;
 Rosa Miller, by Santa Barbara Chapter No. 501 for Adah Chapter No. 52 of Omaha, Nebraska;
 Shirley Wheeler and Wilbert R. Wheeler, by Columbus Chapter No. 117 for Loop Chapter No. 494, Mobile, Alabama;
 Elaine J. Walker, by Los Gatos Chapter No. 128 for Milton Chapter No. 189 of Milton, Florida;
 Sharon Christian and Thomas Christian, by Concord Chapter No. 384 for New Hope Chapter No. 432 of Granite City, Ill.;
 Dorothy M. Stanford, by Seaside Chapter No. 259 for Marie Chapter No. 36 of Lewiston, Montana;
 Faye White and John W. White, by Coronado Chapter No. 332, for Millington Chapter No. 385 of Millington, Tennessee.

Trials:

One trial was held this year and the papers are filed in the office, no appeal having been taken.

Membership:

We regret to report that in this fiscal year we have lost in membership, and with the additional decrease in revenue owing to remission of dues, members in charitable homes and fifty-year members in California, our revenue has been substantially reduced.

We now have 580 Chapters, three of which are still Under Dispensation.

Membership, August 31, 1962	161,083	
Gained by Initiation	3,997	
by Affiliation	1,449	
by Reinstatement	170	166,699
Lost by Demit	3,093	
by Resignation	32	
by Suspension non-payment of dues	865	
by Suspension other causes	8	
by Death	2,695	6,693
Membership, August 31, 1963		159,986
Less deductions		3,614
Membership on whom dues, fees and assessments were paid		156,732
		(Net loss 2,097)

Our income for the coming year, based on these figures:

Fees and dues (for operation of Grand Chapter)	\$57,453.70
Representative Fund (for mileage)	23,455.80
Benevolent Fund	15,637.20
Scholarship Fund	15,637.20
Insurance Fund (for liability, workmen's comp., etc.)	44,911.60
Home Maintenance Fund	156,372.00
Endowment Fund (\$2.00 per capita on initiates and out-of-State affiliates)	9,054.00
Back Home assessment on Reinstated members	365.00
1963 Home assessment	156,372.00

Three Chapters deducted more than 10 per cent of their members and about 30 deducted between 3 and 5 or more per cent, account Remission, etc. Only 35 of the first 558 Chapters made no deduction.

Largest Chapters:

Silver Star No. 3	842
Raisina No. 89	835
Vallejo No. 278	796
San Diego No. 264	720
Santa Cruz No. 273	702

Eleven Chapters have 600 to 699 members each; 31 have 500 to 599, and 23 (including 5 Instituted during the years 1961 and 1962) have less than 100. Ten Chapters did not take in any new members, but lost through death or demit. The membership remained static in about 40 Chapters, and only 140 Chapters reported a net gain—and then averaging only 1 or 2—the greatest net gain being 20 each in 2 Chapters.

Auditors' Reports:

Your attention is called to the reports of the Auditors, which are attached to and a part of this report. From the reports you will see that both Grand Chapter and the Eastern Star Home are solvent. The substantial increase in the Home Endowment Fund gives additional revenue for the operation of the Home—as you know the interest from this Fund is available, the principal being “untouchable”.

Appreciation:

Worthy Grand Matron (my new daughter) it has been a real pleasure to work with and for you. I would like you to know that as I contacted officers and members from all sections of the State, I heard only praise for our Worthy Grand Matron who was “always

her own friendly self and, with her Worthy Grand Patron, delightful to know." We have particularly enjoyed Brother Earl and the little jokes he has always had ready when we met. All of the laughs we three have enjoyed together will be a source of continued pleasure. One regret of the year will be that your handsome son will no longer be the bearer of messages to the office.

Worthy Grand Patron, you and your charming wife Jeannette have added warmth and happiness to this year—Jeannette for her beautiful voice and you for your friendly manner. We shall hope to be able to count upon the continued friendship of our soon to-be Junior Past Grand Matron and Patron, and their families.

Grand Officers, you were so very kind to me all year and especially on the trip to the desert when I was slightly incapacitated. Your Trailers did everything in their power to make life happy for me and their questionable attentions brought many a laugh—boys and girls, you were grand.

To my fellow workers in the subordinate Chapters, and to my "helpers" in the office, sincere gratitude for all of your assistance and forbearance all year. You have been so patient with me when I was irritable because of the fall I had in January. Many thanks for all of the cards, especially the silly ones.

To the Board of Trustees of the Home, and the Home staff, thank you for the kindnesses shown me. It has been a pleasure working with members of the Board and the staff at the Home have been, as usual, most kind when I have been at the Home for a meeting.

A very special Thank You is extended to Brother William Lahanier, a member of Lebanon Chapter No. 374 of San Francisco, who, although a very busy attorney, is always willing to give us legal advice and take care of all matters in connection with bequests, etc. of which we receive notices through the Courts. Many, many thanks, Bill, for your invaluable service which is so willingly and gratuitously given.

Closing:

The last few days have made me appreciate more than ever the real worth of our members. To begin with, the trunks containing all of the necessary supplies for the Session left San Francisco by express last Wednesday. When we arrived on Friday they were not to be found. Brother Charles Boone took over the job of finding them, stayed up practically all night and finally located them in Los Angeles and they were delivered at noon on Saturday—after we had all practically lost our minds. Then to cap the climax, last evening the stenotypist did not arrive. Again Charles came to the rescue and arranged for an operator to be on duty this morning, saving both my reason and my life. Charles, there are simply no words to express my appreciation, so all that I can say is, I THANK

YOU, and say that you made this little verse meaningful for me today:

“My God, today I kneel to say ‘I thank you’.
 For once my prayer holds no request,
 No names of friends for you to bless,
 Because I think that even you
 Might like sometimes a prayer that’s new.
 Might like to hear somebody pray
 Who had no words but thanks to say;
 Somebody satisfied and glad
 For all the joys that she had had.
 And so I thank you, Lord, today.”

MAUD MCWILLIAMS SMITH,
 Grand Secretary.

REPORTS OF THE AUDITORS

Committee on Finance,

Grand Chapter of the State of California
of the Order of the Eastern Star,
720 Flood Building,
San Francisco, California 94102.

We have examined the statement of assets, liabilities, and fund balances of the

GRAND CHAPTER OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA OF THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

as of August 31, 1963, and the related statement of revenue received and expense disbursed for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying statements present fairly the assets, liabilities, and fund balances of the Grand Chapter of the State of California of the Order of the Eastern Star at August 31, 1963, arising primarily from cash transactions, and the revenue received and expense disbursed by it and the changes in fund balances during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

LYBRAND, ROSS BROS. & MONTGOMERY
Certified Public Accountants (San Francisco)

September 25, 1963

GRAND CHAPTER OF CALIFORNIA ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

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EXHIBIT A

STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES,
AND FUND BALANCES

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Assets of General Fund:

Cash on hand	\$	35.00	
Cash in Crocker-Anglo National Bank:			
Commercial account		4,043.59	
Savings account		60,000.00	
			\$ 64,078.59
Amount due from Insurance Fund			8,038.78
Inventory of supplies for resale			1,955.83
Prepaid rent			435.00
Stock in Eastern Star Hall Association, Sacramento, 1,000 shares (at nominal value)			1.00
Furniture and fixtures (at cost)		6,283.30	
Less, accumulated depreciation		3,170.84	
			3,112.46
Total assets—General Fund			77,621.66
Net assets of special funds:			
As detailed on Exhibits C to I, inclusive			414,854.85
			<u>\$492,476.51</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES:

Liabilities of General Fund:

Payroll taxes withheld from employees	\$	361.16	
General Fund:			
Balance, August 31, 1962	\$	67,842.24	
Add, excess of revenue over expense, Exhibit B		9,418.26	
Balance, August 31, 1963			77,260.50
Total liabilities and fund balance —General Fund			77,621.66
Special fund balances:			
Benevolent Fund, Exhibit C		145,483.58	
J. Clifford Lee Memorial Cancer Fund, Exhibit D		203,437.02	
Scholarship Fund, Exhibit E		1,189.61	
Representative Fund, Exhibit F		30,130.64	
Cancer Dressings Fund, Exhibit G		7,544.42	
Insurance Fund, Exhibit H		22,822.72	
Grand Chapter Convention Fund, Exhibit I		4,246.86	414,854.85
			<u>\$492,476.51</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT B

**STATEMENT OF REVENUE RECEIVED AND
EXPENSE DISBURSED—GENERAL FUND**

For the year ended August 31, 1963

Revenue:

Dues, fees, per capita tax, and assessments received from Chapters, Schedule B-1	\$374,388.05

Less, assessments and per capita tax received from Chapters, paid over to:		
Eastern Star Homes of California	\$ 221,819.80	
Special funds	94,542.60	
		<u>316,362.40</u>
Grand Chapter dues, fees, and per capita tax, Schedule B-1		58,025.65

Other income:

Special dispensations	840.00	
Fines	172.00	
Dissolution of Paul Revere Chapter	343.07	
Sale of Grand Chapter Session reports	952.00	
Reimbursement of Grand Chapter office expense by Eastern Star Homes of California	3,000.00	
Bank interest	2,330.45	
Sale of supplies, net profit, Schedule B-2	406.08	
Sundry	378.86	
		<u>8,422.46</u>

Total revenue of General Fund	66,448.11
Expense, Schedule B-3	57,029.85
Excess of revenue over expense, Exhibit A	<u>\$ 9,418.26</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

SCHEDULE B-1

SUMMARY OF 1962 ANNUAL REPORTS FROM CHAPTERS
Revenue for the year ended August 31, 1963

Grand Chapter dues and fees—General Fund:			
Members, August 31, 1962	161,077		
Less, life members, members in Home, and members whose dues were re- mitted	3,506		
Members subject to dues	157,571	@ \$.35 ea.	\$ 55,149.85
Less, credit for new Chapters			42.70
			<u>55,107.15</u>
Initiates	4,204	@ \$.50 ea.	2,102.00
Less, credit for newly instituted Chapters			40.00
			<u>2,062.00</u>
Affiliates	1,713	@ \$.50 ea.	856.50
Total admission fees			2,918.50
Total dues and fees, Exhibit B			<u>58,025.65</u>
Grand Chapter assessments and per capita tax:			
Home Maintenance Fund:			
Members subject to per capita tax	157,571	@ \$1.00 ea.	157,571.00
Back assessments of reinstated members			315.65
			<u>157,886.65</u>
1962 Home Building Fund assessment:			
Members subject to assessment	157,571	@ \$1.00 ea.	157,571.00
Less, amount received prior to August 31, 1962			103,361.85
			<u>54,209.15</u>
Home Endowment Fund:			
Initiates and affiliates from jurisdictions outside California	4,862	@ \$2.00 ea.	9,724.00
Total assessments and per capita tax for Home			221,819.80
Special funds, 157,571 members subject to per capita tax:			
Benevolent Fund, Exhibit C		@ \$.10 ea.	15,757.10
Scholarship Fund, Exhibit E		@ \$.05 ea.	7,878.55
Representative Fund, Exhibit F		@ \$.15 ea.	23,635.65
Insurance Fund, Exhibit H		@ \$.30 ea.	47,271.30
Total assessments and per capita tax			<u>316,362.40</u>
Total dues, fees, per capita tax, and assessments, Exhibit B			<u>\$374,388.05</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

SCHEDULE B-2

DETAIL OF PROFIT FROM SALES OF SUPPLIES
For the year ended August 31, 1963

Sale of supplies		\$ 20,232.51
Cost of supplies sold:		
Beginning inventory	\$ 1,533.62	
Purchases	15,676.53	
Production salaries, allocated amount	500.00	
	<u>17,710.15</u>	
Less, ending inventory	1,955.83	15,754.32
Gross profit on sale of supplies		<u>4,478.19</u>
Expense:		
Rent, allocated amount	1,800.00	
Postage and mailing, allocated amount	1,490.41	
Handling salaries, allocated amount	500.00	
Consumer's use tax	281.70	4,072.11
Net profit from sale of supplies,		
Exhibit B		<u>\$ 406.08</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

SCHEDULE B-3

DETAIL OF GENERAL FUND EXPENSE

For the years ended August 31, 1963 and 1962

	1962-1963	1961-1962
Salaries:		
Grand Secretary	\$ 7,200.00	\$ 7,200.00
Office salaries	13,999.14	14,436.30
	<u>21,199.14</u>	<u>21,636.30</u>
Allowances:		
Worthy Grand Matron	4,800.00	4,800.00
Worthy Grand Patron	1,500.00	1,500.00
Associate Grand Matron	500.00	500.00
Deputy Grand Matrons:		
Official visits	1,695.95	2,474.85
Schools of instruction	6,583.91	7,011.65
Standing committees	2,550.31	2,457.96
	<u>17,630.17</u>	<u>18,744.46</u>
Printing, binding, stationery and postage:		
Office and committees	4,223.24	4,465.08
Grand Secretary's office expense:		
Rent	3,420.00	3,420.00
Office supplies and expense	819.57	552.44
Telephone and telegraph	569.99	661.37
Taxes and insurance	127.70	113.02
Payroll taxes	1,157.84	928.34
	<u>6,095.10</u>	<u>5,675.17</u>
Other Grand Chapter expense:		
Jewel:		
Worthy Grand Matron	250.00	250.00
Worthy Grand Patron	150.00	150.00
Audit	750.00	750.00
Flowers—funerals and sick	83.68	36.62
Expenses in connection with new Chapters	25.00	1,524.47
Christmas greetings	99.24	75.00
Depreciation	214.98	571.68
Constitutions	4,000.00	
Grand Representatives badges	364.00	
Travel to General Grand Chapter		2,110.39
Other expense—General Grand Chapter		288.73
Sundry	12.42	213.99
	<u>5,949.32</u>	<u>5,970.88</u>
Appropriations:		
Fifty-year pins	1,932.88	1,905.44
Total General Fund expense,		
Exhibit B	<u>\$57,029.85</u>	<u>\$58,397.33</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT C**BENEVOLENT FUND**

This fund was established by the Constitution and Laws to provide for the relief of indigent and distressed members and to assist Chapters in matters of relief. The fund received a per capita tax of ten cents per member for the year ended August 31, 1963.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE**August 31, 1963****ASSETS:**

Cash in savings accounts with Crocker-Anglo National Bank	\$ 39,500.83
Investments (at cost):	
\$106,000 U. S. Treasury Notes, 4 7/8%, 1964 (market value \$107,457)	105,982.75
Total assets	<u>\$145,483.58</u>

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$138,209.81

Add:

1962 Grand Chapter per capita tax, Schedule B-1	\$15,757.10
Reimbursement from Chapters for assistance to members	2,050.35
Bank interest	1,495.04
Bond interest	5,181.50
Cash contributions received for the Blood Bank	1,043.16
Memorial donations	89.50
	<u>25,616.65</u>

Less:

Assistance to members	18,181.88
Committee expense	161.00
	<u>18,342.88</u>

Net increase7,273.77

Balance, August 31, 1963

\$145,483.58

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT D**J. CLIFFORD LEE MEMORIAL CANCER FUND**

This fund was established by the Constitution and Laws to provide funds by voluntary contributions to aid members and their immediate families who are cancer patients and in need of financial assistance.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Cash in bank, savings accounts	\$101,669.50
Investments (Note 2):	
Securities acquired by bequest (market value \$16,457), Schedule D-1	\$16,458.00
Securities acquired by purchase (market value \$85,622), Schedule D-1	85,309.52
	<u>101,767.52</u>
Total assets	<u>\$203,437.02</u>

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$185,798.34
Add:	
Contributions	\$58,661.73
Bequests	22,026.48
Bank interest	3,949.36
Bond interest	3,968.51
Stock dividends	304.74
	<u>88,910.82</u>
Less:	
Hospital care	36,385.42
Doctors and nurses	32,631.44
Medicine	1,987.58
Committee expense	267.70
	<u>71,272.14</u>
Net increase	17,638.68
Balance, August 31, 1963	<u>\$203,437.02</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

SCHEDULE D-1

J. CLIFFORD LEE MEMORIAL CANCER FUND
DETAIL OF SECURITIES (Note 2)
August 31, 1963

SECURITIES ACQUIRED BY BEQUEST:

Number of Shares	Corporate Stocks	Market Value	Book Value
48	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., common	\$ 5,964	\$ 5,964.00
15	Avon Products, Inc., common	1,811	1,811.00
11	Consolidated Edison of N. Y., common	982	982.00
134	El Paso Natural Gas Co., common	2,462	2,462.00
2	El Paso Natural Gas Co., preferred	198	198.00
55	Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., common	2,551	2,551.00
20	National Biscuit Co., common	1,120	1,120.00
25	Niagara Mohawk Power Co., common	1,369	1,369.00
	One lot of stock of undetermined value carried at a nominal value		1.00
	Total securities acquired by bequest, Exhibit D	<u>16,457</u>	<u>16,458.00</u>

SECURITIES ACQUIRED BY PURCHASE:

Face Value	U. S. Treasury Notes		
\$50,000	4 $\frac{7}{8}$ %, 11/15/63	50,140	50,209.52
35,000	4 $\frac{7}{8}$ %, 11/15/64	35,482	35,100.00
	Total securities acquired by purchase, Exhibit D	<u>85,622</u>	<u>85,309.52</u>
	Total securities	<u>\$102,079</u>	<u>\$101,767.52</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT E**SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

This fund was established by the Constitution and Laws to provide scholarship awards to needy worthy students by a per capita tax of five cents per member.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE
August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Cash in savings account with The Hibernia Bank	<u>\$ 1,189.61</u>

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$ 4,671.42

Add:

1962 Grand Chapter per capita tax, Schedule B-1	\$ 7,878.55
Bank interest	304.26
Contributions	<u>1,092.50</u>
	<u>9,275.31</u>

Less:

Scholarship awards	12,525.00
Committee expense	<u>232.12</u>
	<u>12,757.12</u>

Net decrease	<u>3,481.81</u>

Balance, August 31, 1963	<u><u>\$ 1,189.61</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT F**REPRESENTATIVE FUND**

This fund was established by the Constitution and Laws for the payment of mileage to the annual session of Grand Chapter in such sums as are specifically prescribed.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Cash in savings account with Crocker-Anglo National Bank	\$ 30,130.64

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$ 25,456.44

Add:

1962 Grand Chapter per capita tax, Schedule B-1	\$ 23,635.65

Bank interest	925.05

24,560.70

Less, mileage paid to 1962 session	19,886.50

Net increase	4,674.20

Balance, August 31, 1963	<u>\$ 30,130.64</u>

EXHIBIT G**CANCER DRESSINGS FUND**

This fund was established by voluntary contributions of members for use in providing materials for cancer dressings.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Cash in savings account with Bank of America N. T. & S. A.	\$ 7,544.42

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$ 12,190.40

Add:

Contributions	\$ 20,190.29

Bank interest	416.93

20,607.22

Less, purchase of materials for cancer dressings	25,253.20

Net decrease	4,645.98

Balance, August 31, 1963	<u>\$ 7,544.42</u>

EXHIBIT H**INSURANCE FUND**

This fund was established for payment of premiums for coverage under master insurance policies for fidelity bond, workmen's compensation, public liability, and medical payments, in order to provide protection to the Grand Chapter, and its subordinate Chapters, and to officers, members, committees, or groups or associations within all such organizations. The fund receives an annual per capita tax from members, the tax for the year ended August 31, 1963 having been 30 cents per member.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES, AND FUND BALANCE

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Premiums paid in advance for insurance coverage for fiscal year ending August 31, 1964	<u>\$ 30,861.50</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE:

Advance due to General Fund	\$ 8,038.78
Fund balance:	
1962 Grand Chapter per capita tax, Schedule B-1	\$ 47,271.30
Less, cost of insurance coverage for the year ended August 31, 1963:	
Comprehensive public liability, including medical payments	\$ 29,767.20
Workmen's compensation	2,024.55
Fidelity bond	<u>706.29</u>
Net increase for year	<u>14,773.26</u>
Balance, August 31, 1962	<u>8,049.46</u>
Balance, August 31, 1963	<u>22,822.72</u>
Total liabilities and fund balance	<u>\$ 30,861.50</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT I**GRAND CHAPTER CONVENTION FUND**

This fund was established for payment of expenses in connection with the annual sessions of *Grand Chapter* out of the proceeds of a \$3.00 registration fee paid by delegates and members attending the annual sessions.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Cash in bank savings account	\$ 4,246.86

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$ 5,606.58

Add, interest earned on bank account	71.59

	<u>5,678.17</u>

Less, 1962 session at Oakland, excess of expense over revenue:

Revenue:

Registration fees	\$ 16,527.00

Concession income	709.25

	<u>17,236.25</u>

Expense:

Activities committee	1,455.52

Banquets and publicity	49.30

Courtesies to dignitaries	696.84

Decorations and ceremonies	4,191.84

Election	120.00

Grand Organist	100.00

Grand Sentinel	25.00

Gift—Most Worthy Grand Matron	100.00

Housing committee	76.95

Hauling and transportation	85.12

Music	225.00

Parliamentarian	100.00

Proceedings—printing and postage	7,017.53

Printing and postage—other	3,527.40

Stenographer	767.87

Sundry	129.19

	<u>18,667.56</u>

Net expense of 1962 session	1,431.31

Balance, August 31, 1963	<u>\$ 4,246.86</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**August 31, 1963****NOTE 1—BASIS OF ACCOUNTING:**

The financial statements, including the financial statements of the special funds, are prepared on the cash basis of accounting, with minor exceptions. Under the cash basis of accounting, accounts reflected in the financial statements originate from the receipt or the disbursement of cash, and revenues and expenses are taken into account when received and paid, respectively. Unpaid expenses at August 31, 1963, consisted only of current operating bills of nominal amount and no material change would have occurred in the financial statements had such expenses been paid on or before that date.

NOTE 2—J. CLIFFORD LEE MEMORIAL CANCER FUND INVESTMENTS:

Securities acquired by purchase are recorded at cost. Securities acquired by gift or bequest are recorded at market values at or near the time the securities were received, except for securities of unknown value which are recorded at nominal values of one dollar for each item.

EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA

Board of Trustees,

Eastern Star Homes of California,
720 Flood Building,
San Francisco, California 94102.

We have examined the statement of assets, liabilities and fund balances of

EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA

a California nonprofit corporation, as of August 31, 1963 and the related statements of revenue received and expense disbursed for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the accompanying statements present fairly the assets, liabilities, and fund balances of Eastern Star Homes of California at August 31, 1963, arising primarily from cash transactions, and the revenues collected and expenses disbursed by it and the changes in fund balances during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

LYBRAND, ROSS BROS. & MONTGOMERY
Certified Public Accountants (San Francisco)

September 30, 1963

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EXHIBIT A**STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES, AND FUND BALANCES****August 31, 1963****ASSETS:****Assets of General Fund:****Cash:**

Commercial bank account	\$	120.26	
Bank savings accounts		60,866.42	
Petty cash fund		72.49	
			\$ 61,059.17

Receivable from Building Fund	56,953.09

Prepaid insurance	2,292.94

Inventory of provisions and drugs	1,667.77

Cemetery lots and burial insurance policies	2,871.00

Total assets—General Fund	124,843.97

Net assets of special funds:

As detailed on Exhibits C, D and E	1,854,175.69
	<u>\$1,979,019.66</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES:**Liabilities of General Fund:**

Payroll taxes withheld from employees	\$ 1,917.04

General Fund:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$ 153,128.42

Add, transfer of Funeral Fund balance to General Fund	445.00

153,573.42

Less, excess of expense over revenue, Exhibit B	30,646.49

Balance, August 31, 1963	122,926.93

Total liabilities and fund balance—General Fund	124,843.97

Balances of special funds:

Property Fund, Exhibit C	1,078,352.33

Endowment Fund, Exhibit D	832,776.45

Building Fund, (deficit), Exhibit E	(56,953.09)

1,854,175.69

<u>\$1,979,019.66</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT B

**GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUE RECEIVED
AND EXPENSE DISBURSED**

For the years ended August 31, 1963 and 1962

	<u>1962-1963</u>	<u>1961-1962</u>
Revenue:		
Grand Chapter Home Maintenance Fund assessment	\$157,886.65	\$159,654.55
Income on Endowment Fund investments, Schedule D-2	27,970.37	25,687.51
Net proceeds of stationery project		164.00
Bank interest	5,158.37	7,115.29
Sundry	216.44	110.25
Total Revenue	<u>191,231.83</u>	<u>192,731.60</u>
Expense, Schedule B-1:		
Food	28,523.54	33,165.98
Salaries	90,185.77	85,311.56
Services to residents	37,880.73	36,888.72
Maintenance	38,809.16	19,429.21
General and administrative	26,479.12	26,086.77
Total expense	<u>221,878.32</u>	<u>200,882.24</u>
Excess of expense over revenue, Exhibit A	<u>\$ 30,646.49</u>	<u>\$ 8,150.64</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

SCHEDULE B-1

**GENERAL FUND
DETAIL OF EXPENSE DISBURSED**

For the years ended August 31, 1963 and 1962

	1962-1963	1961-1962
Food	\$ 28,523.54	\$ 33,165.98
Salaries	90,185.77	85,311.56
Services to residents:		
Hospital and medical	26,492.84	27,472.13
Laundry and cleaning	2,518.75	2,501.62
Monthly allowance to residents	7,515.00	5,567.50
Hairdressing	569.14	852.47
Christmas allowance	785.00	495.00
	<u>37,880.73</u>	<u>36,888.72</u>
Maintenance:		
Housekeeping	4,300.08	2,211.37
Garden supplies	953.06	206.13
Repairs and replacements (includes \$2,820.20 for automobile replacement in 1963)	23,540.08	7,156.40
Heat, power, light, and water	10,015.94	9,855.31
	<u>38,809.16</u>	<u>19,429.21</u>
General and administrative:		
Insurance	3,650.54	4,288.55
Real estate taxes	3,375.69	3,343.51
Payroll taxes	7,338.37	6,167.93
Funerals	2,499.10	3,860.39
Trustees' traveling	2,003.64	2,013.01
Automobile	457.51	256.35
Office supplies	657.91	321.38
Telephone and telegraph	1,265.89	1,506.57
Audit	850.00	850.00
Reimbursement of Grand Chapter office expense	3,000.00	3,000.00
Sundry	1,380.47	479.08
	<u>26,479.12</u>	<u>26,086.77</u>
Total General Fund expense, Exhibit B	<u>\$221,878.32</u>	<u>\$200,882.24</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT C

PROPERTY FUND
STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:

Property of Eastern Star Homes

(at book value) (Note 2):

Land	\$ 153,535.60	
Buildings	1,022,950.39	
Furniture and fixtures	85,307.05	
Automobile	3,081.00	
		\$1,264,874.04

Less, accumulated depreciation on:

Buildings	163,029.79	
Furniture and fixtures	23,491.92	
		186,521.71
		<u>\$1,078,352.33</u>

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$ 623,803.41

Additions, paid for by:

Building Fund:

New wing to Home, for residents' and staff quarters	414,287.97
Furnishings for the new wing	22,150.83
	<u>436,438.80</u>

General Fund—replacement of auto- mobile	2,820.20

Donations received by Mrs. Everina Rheingans, the Worthy Grand Matron for 1960-1961, for the construction of a chapel at the Home	15,289.92

454,548.92

Balance, August 31, 1963

\$1,078,352.33

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

ENDOWMENT FUND**EXHIBIT D**

This fund was established by the Board of Trustees under authorization by Grand Chapter and is to be continued and maintained by such means and with such money and property as Grand Chapter may authorize or provide.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE

August 31, 1963

ASSETS:**Cash on deposit:**

In bank savings accounts, including certificates of deposit	\$340,423.02.	
In savings and loan associations (ac- quired by assignment from residents)	15,232.88	
		\$355,655.90

Investments (Note 4):

Acquired by assignment from residents:		
Notes receivable secured by first deeds of trust	19,784.98	
Securities (market value \$42,764), Schedule D-1	26,216.18	
Miscellaneous assets (at book values)	360.00	
	46,361.16	
Securities acquired by purchase (market value \$423,275), Schedule D-1		430,759.39
Total assets		<u>\$832,776.45</u>

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$688,351.36

Add:

Grand Chapter Home Endowment Fund assessment	\$ 9,724.00
Assets assigned by residents of Home on admission	69,424.89
Contributions by residents of Home after admission	41,218.41
Donations for memorials	13,659.85
Donations by Chapters and individuals	17,225.88
	<u>151,253.03</u>

Less, printing and postage for fund raising	6,827.94

Net increase	144,425.09

Balance, August 31, 1963	<u>\$832,776.45</u>

Income on investments, \$27,970.37 as detailed in Schedule D-2, is credited directly to the General Fund.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

ENDOWMENT FUND
DETAIL OF SECURITIES
August 31, 1963

SCHEDULE D-1

SECURITIES ACQUIRED BY ASSIGNMENT FROM RESIDENTS:

Number of Shares	Corporate Stocks and Bonds	Market Value	Book Value
	Empire Warehouse Corporation, 6% 2/1/74, \$240 face value bond		\$ 189.59
52	Bank of America N.T. & S.A., common	\$ 3,471	2,796.00
80	Detroit Edison Company, capital	2,770	1,008.06
30	General Motors Corporation, common	2,265	1,312.50
88	Income Fund of Boston	737	737.00
25	International Packers, Ltd., common	388	325.00
32	Investors Stock Fund, Inc.	623	534.66
70	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, 6%, first preferred	2,310	1,750.00
123	Pacific Gas and Electric Company, common	4,167	1,760.28
66	Pacific Lighting Co., common	3,902	3,902.00
20	Phelps Dodge Corporation, common	1,243	952.50
88	San Diego Gas and Electric Company, common	3,322	1,716.49
61	Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., capital	4,453	985.87
27	Southern California Edison Company, 4.32%, preferred	624	660.34
351	Southern California Edison Company, common	11,846	7,073.89
20	Southern California Gas Company, 6%, preferred	643	500.00
	Other corporate stocks (at nominal values)		12.00
	Total securities assigned by residents, Exhibit D	42,764	26,216.18

SECURITIES ACQUIRED BY PURCHASE:

		U. S. Treasury Obligations			
Face Value		Interest Rate	Maturity Date		
\$52,000	Bonds	4¼%	5/15-75/85	53,105	53,748.10
30,000	Bonds	3⅞%	5/15/68	29,981	30,000.00
84,000	Bonds	2½%	6/15-62/67	80,430	81,799.00
95,000	Bonds	3½%	11/15/80	88,825	92,365.73
35,000	Bonds	2½%	12/15-67/72	31,062	34,722.14
40,000	Notes	5%	8/15/64	40,525	40,000.00
98,000	Notes	4⅞%	11/15/64	99,347	98,124.42
	Total securities purchased, Exhibit D			423,275	430,759.39
	Total securities			\$466,039	\$456,975.57

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

SCHEDULE D-2

ENDOWMENT FUND
DETAIL OF INCOME ON INVESTMENTS

For the year ended August 31, 1963

Bond interest	\$18,765.00
Stock dividends	2,609.79
Bank interest	6,245.34
Savings and loan association dividends	486.91
Notes receivable interest	1,045.74
Trust account receipts	42.67
Total income	<u>29,195.45</u>
Less:	
Premiums paid on life insurance policies held by fund	\$367.23
Net expense relating to certain assets of Endowment Fund	<u>857.85</u>
	<u>1,225.08</u>
Net income on Endowment Fund investments, to General Fund, Exhibit B	<u><u>\$27,970.37</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT E**BUILDING FUND**

This fund was established by the Board of Trustees for the purpose of holding assets for building projects anticipated or in progress.

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE (DEFICIT)

August 31, 1963

LIABILITIES:

Advances payable to General Fund	<u>\$56,953.09</u>

FUND BALANCE:

Balance, August 31, 1962	\$324,233.37	
Add:		
Grand Chapter Homes Building Fund		
1962 assessment (total \$157,571.00 less		
\$103,361.85 received prior to August		
31, 1962)	54,209.15	
Contributions	358.25	
Bank interest	6.41	
Bond interest	678.53	
		379,485.71
Less, transfer of newly constructed wing		
and furnishings to Property Fund	436,438.80	
Balance, August 31, 1963--		
Deficit (Note 3)		<u>\$56,953.09</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

**EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

August 31, 1963

NOTE 1. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING:

The financial statements, including the financial statements of the special funds, are prepared on the cash basis of accounting, with minor exceptions. Under the cash basis of accounting, accounts reflected in the financial statements originate from the receipt or disbursement of cash, and revenues and expenses are taken into account when received or paid, respectively. Unpaid expenses at August 31, 1963, consisted only of current operating bills of nominal amount and no material change would have occurred in the financial statements had such expenses been paid on or before that date.

NOTE 2. PROPERTY:

The land on which the home of Eastern Star Homes of California is erected consists of city lots of an area approximating 6¾ acres, located on Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California. This land was received by Eastern Star Homes of California, as a gift, subject to an agreement under the terms of which Eastern Star Homes of California agreed that it would operate and maintain an Eastern Star Home on the property or within a radius therefrom of 50 miles. The agreement also provides that should this property be sold the proceeds are to be expended for land and buildings for an Eastern Star Home. The book value for the land of \$153,535.60 was adopted by the Trustees of Eastern Star Homes of California in 1957.

Home buildings, furniture, and fixtures owned prior to September 1, 1955, are stated at the value at which they were recorded upon the books. Additions subsequent to that date are stated at cost.

In accordance with the direction of the Trustees in 1957, no depreciation since August 31, 1956 has been taken into account on the building, furniture, and fixtures.

NOTE 3. BUILDING FUND DEFICIT:

During the year, construction of and furnishings for the new wing to the Home, to provide additional rooms for residents and living quarters for the Home's staff, were completed. The total costs incurred for construction and furnishings amounted to \$436,438.80. This exceeded the financing provided for the project by \$56,953.09 and was advanced to the Building Fund by the General Fund. The deficit in the Building Fund is expected to be covered by the 1963 Grand Chapter assessment of its members for the Home.

The Trustees of the Home have entered into major maintenance contracts for the old part of the Home building. These contracts, for elevator replacement and for interior and exterior painting, were in progress at August 31, 1963, with a remaining liability when

completed of approximately \$18,300. This is also expected to be financed by the assessment referred to in the preceding paragraph.

NOTE 4. ENDOWMENT FUND INVESTMENTS:

Investments acquired by assignment from residents, as listed among the assets of the Endowment Fund, Exhibit D, are further explained as follows:

Notes receivable secured by first deeds of trust consist of four notes acquired directly from residents or by sales of properties acquired from residents.

Securities, as detailed on Schedule D-1, are recorded at market values at or near the date of assignment, except for securities of unknown value which are recorded at nominal values of one dollar for each item.

Miscellaneous assets consist of small fractional interest in three trusts, of ownership interests in two parcels of real estate, and of 31 insurance policies, with an aggregate face value of approximately \$20,800, on the lives of certain residents of the Home. These assets are recorded at nominal values of one dollar for each item with the exception of one insurance policy carried at a value of \$325.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished East, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

I submit the 90th Annual Report of the Grand Treasurer as presented to me:

FINANCIAL REPORT OF GRAND TREASURER

This report covers total cash receipts and cash disbursements which passed through the savings accounts of Grand Chapter and Eastern Star Homes:

Cash in savings accounts, August 31, 1962	\$ 399,013.77
Receipts	664,800.47
Interest and dividends	53,986.19
	\$1,117,800.43
Disbursements (Grand Secretary's warrants)	472,229.13
Cash in savings accounts, August 31, 1963	\$ 645,571.30

To the Members of Grand Chapter:

I am humble and grateful for the honor conferred upon me a year ago by electing me your Grand Treasurer. It has been a rich and rewarding experience and my sincere thanks to all who have extended me courtesies throughout the state.

To our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron:

I have admired your sincere efforts to give our Order the best you have, and I have been proud to be a member of your Grand Family. It is truly through "Service to Others" that the bonds of friendship are strengthened. With Jeannette and Earl always at your side you have given leadership that has won the esteem of all members throughout the state.

Sister Maud and your capable staff:

You are truly an inspiration and beacon of joy and happiness to all who know you and love you. Thank you for your kindness this year.

It has been a joy and privilege to serve with this year's Grand Family and their Trailers and to have the friendship of the Deputy Grand Matrons, too.

To my own Fresno Chapter No. 295, my grateful thanks for your encouragement and loyalty.

Another year has rolled around
 Yet it seems but just a day
 Since I stood before you
 In an entirely different way
 With things to plan and do.
 But now my year is over
 So I'll report to you.
 My Treasurers have been so loyal
 And all the Members, too,
 In helping me to have a happy year
 In all I tried to do.
 But all nice things come to an end
 So thanks to our Members so fine
 Who each played an active part
 In this happy year of mine.

Respectfully submitted,
 ETHEL HOLLAND,
 Grand Treasurer.

Accepted.

Proposed Amendments to the Constitution:

Motion by the Grand Secretary, seconded by Past Grand Patron Fred Leahy and **Carried**, that proposed amendments to the Constitution be accepted as though read and referred to the Committee on Distribution.

Proposed Amendments:**Section 180. Finance**

(4) To determine and direct, during vacation of Grand Chapter, together with the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, all matters of the investment and reinvestment of all funds of the Grand Chapter, both general and special, including the liquidation of any assets thereof deemed advisable, and to administer all matters relating thereto. All such action shall be taken only upon the written approval and direction of the Finance Committee acting by majority, and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. It is hereby declared to be the policy of the Grand Chapter to invest and reinvest its surplus funds together with the proceeds of any sales, liquidation or maturities of any assets or other proceeds available for investment under the general provisions of the "Prudent Man Rule" permitted in the State of California for investments but limited generally to the following:

A. At least forty per cent (40%) of funds available for investment must be in:

- 1) Cash and/or bank accounts and savings accounts in national banks.
- 2) Obligations of the United States or those for the payment of which the faith of the United States is pledged.
- 3) Obligations of the State of California and its political subdivisions provided they are issued pursuant to law and that the faith and credit of such municipal corporation or district is pledged for their payment.
- 4) Such other securities as are legal for savings banks in California.
- 5) Other evidences of indebtedness, and preferred stocks which are or will be fully listed and registered on an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as a National Securities Exchange except:
 - a) that such listing requirements shall not include railway equipment trust issues,
 - b) that full listing and registration of preferred stock shall not be required whenever the common stock of the corporation issuing such preferred stock is fully listed and registered on such an exchange, provided that such preferred stock is traded on such an exchange.

B. Up to sixty per cent (60%) may be invested in:

- 1) Common stocks, which must be fully listed and registered on an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as a National Securities Exchange, except that this listing requirement shall not apply to bank and insurance company stocks.
- 2) Shares of Investment Trusts.

No such investments, however, shall be made which at the time of purchase will result in the total market value of the securities referred to in this section exceeding sixty per cent (60%) of the total market value of all cash, bank accounts and securities held.

All investments made and held by Grand Chapter are to be under the supervision of a professional Investment Advisor selected by the majority of the Finance Committee and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. This Investment Advisor shall have the responsibility of the continual review of all investments of Grand Chapter and shall make recommendations of investments, reinvestments, purchases, sales, and exchange as it deems proper subject to the approval of a majority of the members of the Finance Committee and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

(Other portions of Sec. 180 unchanged.)

Finance Committee,
Herbert C. Duenckel, Chairman.

(Adopted)

Sec. 182 c. **Investment of Funds.** Endowment Fund contributions shall be invested in accordance with Grand Chapter regulations for the investment of Grand Chapter funds. They shall be held as a separate account on the books of the Grand Chapter and shall be in the same custody as other Grand Chapter funds and investments. The only exceptions to the foregoing investment of funds shall be such properties and securities that may come by bequest or gift. The *Finance Committee* may, if it deems it advisable, hold such securities and/or properties, even though they do not meet the Grand Chapter regulations for investment of funds, or it may sell or dispose of the properties or securities and reinvest the proceeds in accordance with Grand Chapter regulations. (Unless prohibited by the terms of the bequest or gift.)

Finance Committee, Herbert C. Duenckel, Chm.
Endowment Fund Committee, Wm. Nelligan, Chm.

(Adopted)

Sec. 182 d. No part of the principal of the Endowment Fund shall ever be expended for any purpose. The income therefrom

shall be used only for the maintenance and operation of the Eastern Star Homes of California and Endowment Fund Committee expenses. *The income of the Endowment Fund subject to its use for Endowment Fund Committee expenses shall be distributed at least annually to the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California for the maintenance and operation of the Home.*

Finance Committee, Herbert C. Duenckel, Chm.

Endowment Fund Committee, Wm. Nelligan, Chm.

(Adopted)

Sec. 195. J. Clifford Lee Memorial Cancer Fund.

(c) **Amount of Aid.** The maximum amount of aid in any one case shall be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00), other than in terminal cases and in such cases where a member of the committee determines that an emergency exists, the maximum amount may be increased not to exceed an additional Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00).

Helen M. Bratschie, Chm.

Roy Bowman, Hattie Rose, Grace M. Hoffman,
Flora O. Swetland, J. C. L. Cancer Committee.

(Adopted)

Sec. 205. Exemptions. Chapters shall not be required to pay such fees, dues and assessments on members

(a) who have been made life members by virtue of having been a member of the Order for fifty years or more (see section 470);

(b) who are members and residents of Eastern Star, Masonic or other entirely charitable homes;

(c) who have been adjudged legally insane;

(d) whose Chapter dues for the next preceding six months, or longer, shall have been remitted at a stated meeting prior to August 31st of the calendar year in which any such revenue may become due (see section 536).

Louise Radebaugh, W. M.,
Esparto Chapter No. 341,
Esparto, California.

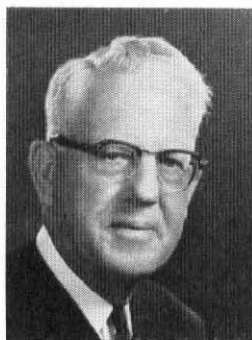
(Not Adopted)

Sec. 468. Plural Membership. A member in good standing of a Chapter in California may retain such membership and affiliate with any one or more other Chapters under the jurisdiction of this Grand Chapter, or join in the petition for a dispensation for a new Chapter, and may present a current receipt for dues, or certificate or letter of good standing, in lieu of a demit. Such a

Grand Officers and
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Worthy Grand Marshal



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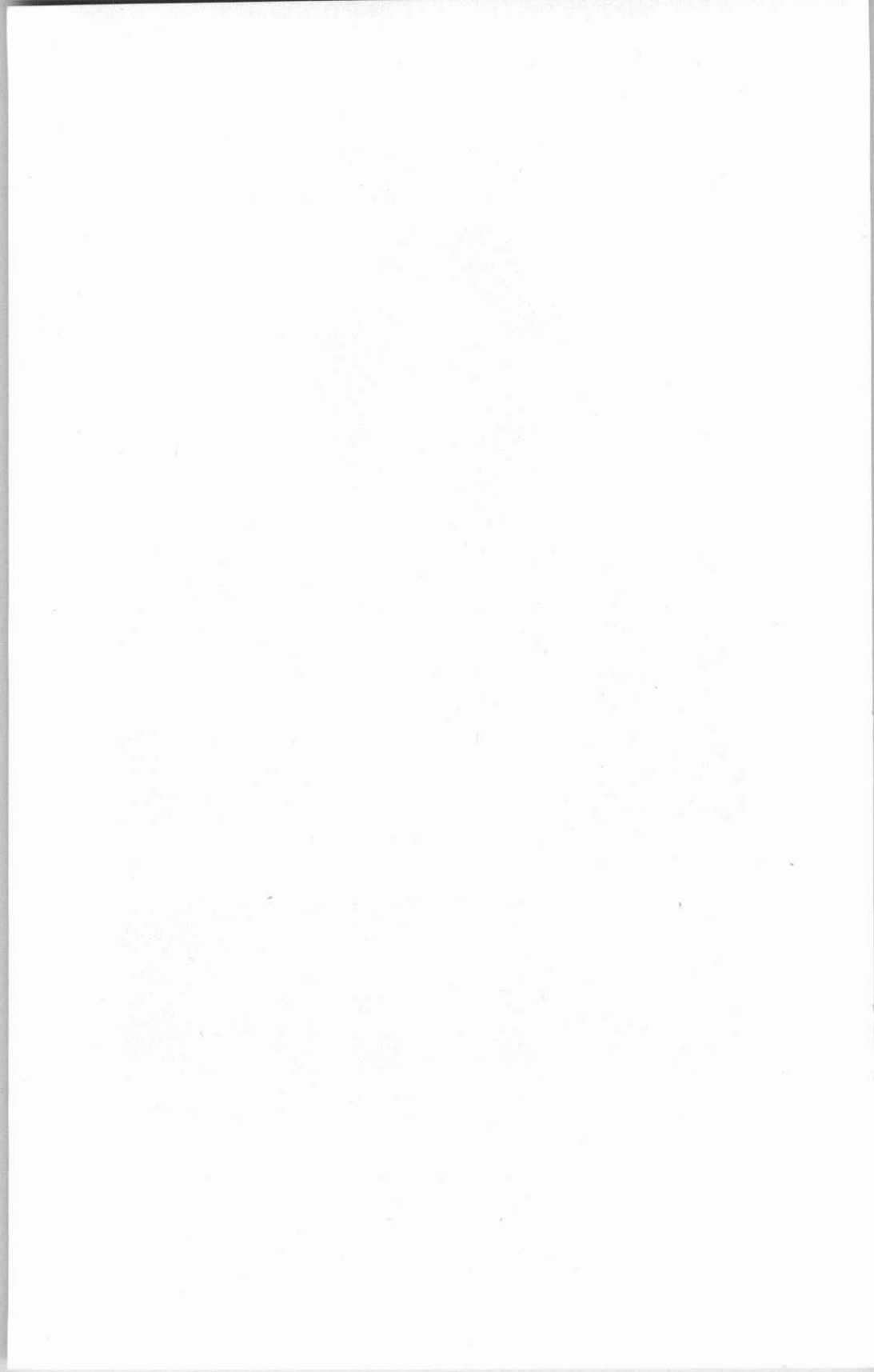
HELEN B. DEBEERS
Educational



GILMA VICK MOYERS
Pusan Children's Hospital



ELVETTA GROHL
Distribution



member becomes a plural member and pays dues and/or assessments in every Chapter in which membership is held.

Plural members may not be Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron or Secretary of more than one of such Chapters at the same time.

Suspension of Plural Member Sec. 538.

Everina Rheingans,
Dalora K. Burnham.

(Referred for Further Study)

Sec. 470. **Life Members.** Par. 3

Fifty-year Members: A Chapter may, by motion, unanimously carried, confer a life membership in such Chapter upon any member who has been a member in good standing in the Order for a total of fifty years, providing the last five (5) years prior thereto were in the Chapter conferring the life membership, without payment of fee into a Life Membership Fund, any provisions of the laws of Grand Chapter or the by-laws of the Chapter notwithstanding.

Louise Radebaugh, W. M.,
Esparto Chapter No. 341,
Esparto, California.

(Not Adopted)

Add to Section 519, as paragraph 10.

A multiple member of a Chapter in good standing, against whom no charges are pending, and whose dues are paid to the end of the preceding month, may withdraw from any such Chapter at any time by request made either personally, or in writing, and may receive a certificate of discontinuance of multiple membership.

Everina Rheingans,
Dalora K. Burnham.

(Referred for Further Study)

Sec. 532. **Exempt Members.** Exempt members are those who are members and residents of Eastern Star, Masonic or other entirely charitable homes, those who have been adjudged legally insane, and those who have been made life members because of fifty years' membership in the Order of the Eastern Star.

Louise Radebaugh, W. M.,
Esparto Chapter No. 341,
Esparto, California.

(Not Adopted)

Sec. 538. **Period of Delinquency.** A member who fails to pay Chapter dues or Grand Chapter dues or assessments for a period of *six months from the close of the calendar year in which pay-*

ment shall have been due, may be suspended. A member who fails to pay Chapter dues or Grand Chapter dues or assessments for a period of one year from the close of the calendar year in which payment shall have been due, shall be suspended, unless the Chapter shall, by majority vote, excuse such failure. While in effect, such suspension shall deprive a member of all the rights and privileges of the Order, including the right to represent himself to be a member thereof, or to use or display the emblems of the Order. If such suspension is continued for six months, membership is thereby terminated, except for purposes of discipline, subject only to petition for reinstatement, as hereinafter provided.

(Balance of section unchanged.)

Past Matrons and Past Patrons Assn.,

Alhambra Chapter No. 193,

By Mabel Milligan, Helen M. Bufkin, Frank Steiner.

(Adopted as Amended)

Add to Section 538, as last paragraph.

Plural Membership. Suspension for nonpayment of dues or otherwise, or expulsion of a multiple member shall immediately terminate membership in all Chapters in this Jurisdiction. The Secretary of any Chapter suspending or expelling such a member shall immediately notify the Grand Secretary and also every other Chapter in which the multiple member holds membership. See Section 539 for Reinstatement.

Everina Rheingans,

Dalora K. Burnham.

(Referred for Further Study)

Add to Section 539 as last paragraph:

Reinstatement in the suspending Chapter of a multiple (one holding dual or plural membership) member shall immediately and automatically restore him to membership in every other Chapter in this Jurisdiction of which he was a member.

Everina Rheingans,

Dalora K. Burnham.

(Referred for Further Study)

Sec. 768. Petty Cash Funds. A fund, known as the Petty Cash Fund, heretofore created by draft on the Operating Fund in the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00), shall be maintained under the authority of the Board of Trustees for use of the Superintendent of the Home for petty cash purposes. It shall be replenished, in the manner provided in Section 766, from time to time as required, on showing of prior expenditures.

A fund, known as the Residents' Allowance Fund, heretofore created by draft on the Operating Fund in the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00), shall be maintained under the authority of the Board of Trustees for use of the Superintendent of the Home for monthly allowances of the residents of the Home, as authorized by the Board of Trustees. It shall be replenished, in the manner provided in Section 766, on the last day of every month on showing of prior expenditures therefrom.

James A. Jackson, Pres., Board of Trustees.

(Adopted)

Proposed change in Instruction Book.

Entrance of Officers: When instructed by the Worthy Patron, the Associate Conductress gives her instructions from back of Esther's station. The Officers enter in two lines, one led by the Associate Conductress from the preparation room and the other led by the Conductress from the anteroom. Formation in Labyrinth unchanged.

(Adopted)

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES EASTERN STAR HOMES OF CALIFORNIA

(Read by Elias Mansfield, vice-president, who presented the members of the Board.)

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

The Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California, Inc. is pleased to submit for your consideration the following annual report for the year ending August 31, 1963, as required by the Constitution and Laws of the Grand Chapter.

The Board of Trustees met in a special meeting on Saturday, October 27th, at the close of the 1962 Grand Chapter Session in Oakland to elect officers for the ensuing year: Brother James A. Jackson was elected President; Brother Elias Mansfield, Vice President. The following committees were appointed at the November 1962 meeting:

Administration Committee: Lura Rae Dales, John Brost, Elias Mansfield.

Admissions—North: Electa Gay, James Millard.

South: Elias Mansfield, Wm. Willson.

Buildings and Grounds: John Brost, James Millard, Wm. Willson.

Finance: James Millard, Electa Gay, Elias Mansfield.

Legal Matters and Insurance: Elias Mansfield.

Public Relations—North: Electa Gay.

South: Wm. Willson and all Board members.

All committees except the Admission Committee have two board members who serve with the chairman. The various committees hold meetings in addition to the regular monthly Board meetings, which were held at the Home, with the exception of the meeting of October, 1962, held in Oakland; and the August 24, 1963 meeting held in San Francisco in the office of the Grand Secretary.

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron have attended the board meetings, whenever possible. As in the past the Grand Line Officers are also invited to attend the meetings, and we appreciate the public relations work they carry on through their several state-wide associations.

Official Visit

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron officially visited the Home on May 17, 1963. The residents and our visitors thoroughly enjoyed the excellent entertainment furnished by Sister Cleona Crozier, Deputy Grand Matron of the 73rd District, and the music of the "Star Notes". Our appreciation to the Southern California Matrons' Association for their assistance in providing table decorations, favors and for serving the luncheon.

The Fiesta

The Fiesta was held on June 21st and 22nd, which as usual, was a huge success, netting more than \$14,000.00. Unfortunately, this money was not turned into the Grand Chapter in time for the Auditors to include it in the 1962-63 receipts.

A special note of thanks to the Grand Officers and all associations for their efforts, as well as appreciation to the members and friends of the Order for their cooperation which made this event a success.

Our thanks to our Sisters in the Home for their part, their booth consisted of aprons, pillow cases, towels, hand crocheted and knitted items which they made, and many articles donated by their personal friends. This booth netted \$300.00.

Superintendent

In the Proceedings of the Session of 1962 you will note that the Board had accepted the resignation of the Superintendent of the Home, Sister Mary Warmer, P.G.M., to be effective December 31, 1962. Your Board is well aware of the sacrifices made by Sister Mary, and her devotion to our Home. We believe that every member of our Order in this state extends his deep gratitude for her years of service. It was a privilege for the Trustees of the Home Board to be among those present on December 1, 1962, when her Chapter, Euclid No. 179, Ontario, honored her with a reception, the 25th Anniversary of her service as Worthy Grand Matron, and presented her with her 50-year jewel.

On January 2, 1963, members of the Board of Trustees met at the Home and presented to the residents and the employees the new Superintendent, Sister Nora Widle, a member of Grace Chapter No.

87, of York, Nebraska. Miss Widle came to us highly recommended as a registered nurse, with considerable experience in business organization, management and administration. Your Board is highly pleased with her services.

Residents

As of October 18, 1963, there were 97 Sisters in the Home, including four in a sanitarium. Of the 97, 14 were confined to the Infirmary. You may be interested to know the average age is 82.4 years, the oldest member being 99 years, the youngest 67.

Finance Committee

On two occasions your President met with the Grand Chapter Finance Committee, once in Fresno, another time in the office of the Grand Secretary, in San Francisco, to discuss our problems with them, and to obtain approval of certain large expenditures. It was found necessary to replace the east elevator, and to repaint the major portion of the main building. Their cooperation and wise counsel is greatly appreciated.

a. Elevator

The east elevator, installed at the time the Home was built, became unsafe, and it was necessary to replace it with a new one, as it was no longer possible nor practical to repair it. The elevator, while it has been ordered, has not been installed, nor has it been paid for.

b. Painting

The original building, both inside and out required painting, much of the interior had never been redecorated.

Furnishings

Much of the furniture throughout the Home needed repair and refinishing; through the efforts and persistence of our Board member, William Willson, this was accomplished. Our thanks to you, Bill.

Replacements

Due to the age of the original building, much of the plumbing and electrical equipment must be replaced because the parts are either no longer manufactured, or have been restricted by the building codes.

Laundry Equipment

Due to the increased number of residents and staff, it was found necessary to replace worn equipment with commercial-type facilities.

Appreciation

To the Superintendent, and the staff, and to those residents who assisted in caring for the members hospitalized during the "flu"

epidemic, our sincere thanks for those countless hours of labor given "beyond the call of duty".

To the Chapters, Associations, members and friends, our sincere appreciation for the courtesies, large or small, extended to the Sisters in our Home. Entertainment, gifts and especially the visitations, with the friendly smile and warm handclasp, all this to make someone's day brighter.

The entire Board wishes to extend our thanks and appreciation to Sister Maud Smith, Grand Secretary, who serves as secretary to the Board of Trustees; without her help and counsel our task would have been more difficult.

Your President wishes to express his personal appreciation to each member of the Board of Trustees for a harmonious year, each member being willing to accept his or her obligation to the fullest.

Budget and Recommendations

In order to obtain satisfactory employees at all levels, it has become necessary for the Board to increase the wage scale to that of institutions of this type. We find it difficult to obtain sufficient nurses to properly staff the infirmary.

Due to the increased number of residents plus the necessary increased staff of employees, you can see your Home has now become a rather sizeable business operation. Our 1963-64 Eastern Star Home Budget will be \$273,900.00 which will necessitate the continuation of the \$1.00 assessment to assist in the cost of operating the Home.

Details of the expenditure of the Budget will be found in the Reports of the Auditors.

Respectfully submitted,
 JAMES A. JACKSON, President,
 ELIAS MANSFIELD, Vice President,
 CAROL MAE JENSEN, Worthy Grand Matron,
 EDWIN F. COLLINS, Worthy Grand Patron,
 JOHN J. BROST,
 LURA RAE DALES,
 ELECTA GAY,
 WILLIAM A. WILLSON,

Board of Trustees, Eastern Star Homes of California.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

1964 Home Assessment:

Motion by Brother Mansfield, properly seconded, and **Carried**, that the consideration of the Home Assessment for the coming year be made a special order of business for Thursday Morning at ten o'clock.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE HOME

At the present time we have ninety-seven residents in the Home. The average age is 82.4.

New residents admitted to the Home from September 1, 1962 to August 31, 1963:

Name	Entrance Date	Chapter	No.
Melissa Hornbeck	9-11-62	Silver Wave	75
Thurzah Sheets	9-19-62	Fallbrook	390
Mary Young	9-21-62	Culver City	395
Bern Westfall	9-22-62	Ungava	106
Mona A. Ellis	9-24-62	Pasadena	108
Helen E. West	9-25-62	Columbia	267
Meda Kirk	9-26-62	Southern Star	96
Katherine Case	9-26-62	Santa Monica	113
Helen L. Ingraham	10-1-62	Santa Monica	113
Emma Pinter	10-2-62	Radiant	401
Barbara Drumm	10-5-62	Van Nuys	338
Jennie Smith	10-13-62	San Francisco	196
Lena Sprick	11-1-62	Southland	307
Nette Sherrerd	11-6-62	San Pedro	174
Rhea Hunt	11-8-62	Victor Valley	537
Katharine Preston	11-12-62	Rose Croix	317
Mary Tedford	11-12-62	Ramona Star	367
Elizabeth Calhoun	11-14-62	Southland	307
Ona V. Thomas	12-28-62	Truckee	116
Edna Lindsay	1-5-63	Majestic	480
Ada Deitz	2-22-63	Seal Beach	542
Ida A. Brown	2-19-63	Glendale	422
Helen N. Bushey	2-20-63	Larchmont	463
LuVena S. Wade	2-20-63	Culver City	395
Alma Riblet	5-18-63	Morning Star	61
Rosalee George	7-29-63	Nimshi	424
Ella Gross	8-3-63	Columbia	247

DECEASED

Name	Date	Chapter	No.
Charlotte Woolston	10-3-62	Roseland	465
Blia May Hempstead	10-5-62	Laurel	188
Frieda Pohl	11-1-62	Silver Star	3
Jane Petty	11-16-62	Wiltshire	329
Helen Skaggs	11-21-62	Rose Valley	33
Minnie Smallwood	12-26-62	Copa del Oro	142
Wilhelmina Dinsmore	1-2-63	Wilmington	459
Elizabeth A. Calhoun	4-4-63	Southland	307
Grace P. Douglas	5-8-63	Colton	211
Olga Weiss	5-12-63	Vacaville	287
Edith Hollibaugh	5-16-63	Alethe	366
Ida H. Brown	8-2-63	Glendale	422

Rhea Hunt, Victor Valley Chapter No. 573, was admitted to the Home on November 7, 1962. She moved from the Home with the consent of the Board of Trustees on August 4, 1963. Sister Hunt moved near a place where she could receive the type of therapy she had been accustomed to having before she came to the Home and for which the Home is not equipped.

Many things have been accomplished in the way of improvements in the Home. We have had a general cleanup of the entire place, both inside and out. The outside of the entire building has been painted, also all the corridors and many areas in the old building. The bedrooms in the old building are now being painted. All worn chairs in the solariums have been recovered and the furniture in the bedrooms refinished. The floors in the old building have been refinished. A new elevator is being installed in the east wing. Some of the old equipment in the laundry has been replaced.

Two unused storage rooms were converted into shops for maintenance and janitorial equipment. Offices were made for the dietician and night watchman from two unused closets. Another closet was converted into a paint shop. A room near the infirmary was equipped as a dining room for those who use canes, crutches or walkers. This was done because it is very difficult for these people to walk up the ramp to the dining room.

Infirmary

We now have a most capable supervisor of nurses. She has completely reorganized the infirmary. We are proud to report the Health Inspector told us that she was very pleased with the way it was now set up and being operated. The average number of patients is fourteen to eighteen. Some of these patients have been bedfast for several years. We are extremely pleased that these patients are now up in wheel chairs a few hours each day. There are approximately fifty out-patients at all times who come to the infirmary for medication or treatment two or three times each day. A number of these need assistance in bathing, dressing and general care in their rooms. We are happy to report that we have had only one broken hip this year. Our big nursing problem was during the Asian Influenza epidemic in late March and April when we had fifty of the residents as bed patients. At that time we had only seven nurses. We were able to manage because the entire staff was most cooperative and helpful. We are thankful that all patients recovered.

There have been a few changes in our medical staff: S. J. Sandven, M.D. is the pre-entry examining physician, J. Reynolds O'Donnell, M.D. is the Home physician—an urologist has been added to the staff—Donald E. Burke, M.D.

Adult Education

Through the Los Angeles City Board of Education we are privileged to have a teacher in Arts and Crafts each week. Another class in World Affairs meets each week. A Bible Study class meets one morning each week. All classes are well attended.

Religious Services

Episcopal Services are held each Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the Chapel. On Monday evenings Unity By The Sea from Santa Monica conducts a service in the Chapel. Brentwood Methodist Church is holding services in the Garden Court each Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. They will continue having services here until their new Church is completed. All church services are well attended. Cars come each Sunday from the Westwood Presbyterian and the Brentwood Christian Science Churches to take those wishing to go to these services. The Baptist Church of West Los Angeles sent a bus to take our ladies to the Coliseum to hear Billie Graham. World wide communion was held in the Garden Court this past month.

Entertainment

The Shriners sent a bus to take our ladies to their Annual Circus in the Shrine Auditorium.

Fifty tickets were sent to the Home by the advance agent, Mr. Carroll of Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus for our residents to attend the circus at the Sports Arena. Both of these events were thoroughly enjoyed by those able to attend.

The Patrons' Association of Southern California have visited us the second Sunday of each month throughout the year. They bring delightful programs, furnish refreshments and honor each lady's birthday of that month with a card and monetary gift.

Many Chapters and Associations have visited us and always bring fine entertainment as well as refreshments. The Chapters frequently put on the ritualistic work of the Order.

The visits of Job's Daughters, Rainbow Girls and DeMolays are especially enjoyed by our Sisters.

Gifts

Sister Ellen Walters, Grand Conductress, and her girls presented the Home with Thermo Coffee containers. This makes it possible to have hot coffee on each table.

At Fiesta time the Adah Association brought two new wheel chairs of the latest model for the infirmary. These were immediately put into use. The landscaping and planting in the patio of the new wing was the project of the 77th District. Benches along the sides add to the decor and a fountain is planned in the near future.

The Cancer Dressings Stations have kept us exceptionally well supplied with pads and hospital gowns.

We have received many gifts of jam and jelly, afghans, bed jackets, toilet articles, hosiery, scarves, note paper, stamps, candy, cakes, home made cookies, soap, and many other articles. We are deeply grateful for all these gifts.

Official Visit

In May we were pleased to have the privilege of entertaining the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Mae Jensen and the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Edwin Collins and the Grand Family for luncheon at their Official Visit to the Home.

Mr. James A. Jackson, President of the Board of Trustees, was Master of Ceremonies. The tables were beautifully decorated with dolls and slippers by Sister Evalyn Spring and her committee. The Worthy Matrons looking pretty in their aprons and caps served the luncheon.

Every one enjoyed the message by our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

A most enjoyable program was given by Rosalie DeCray and the "Star Notes". Sister Cleona Crozier delighted every one with her whistling numbers.

Fiesta

There was a very large attendance both days. Those responsible for the booths and the food should be commended for the excellent way in which it was managed. It was a gay, happy and profitable affair.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the Board of Trustees for their helpfulness, advice, understanding and kindness. They have truly been dedicated workers for this Home. Only we who work here are aware of the many hours and the hard work that has been done by this Board. They have given so much of their time to help in every way possible to make this a well managed and happy Home.

NORA WIDLE, Superintendent,
Eastern Star Home.

Musical Selection:

"Love Makes the World Go Round" by the Peninsula Worthy Matrons Trio: Aileen Boogart, Worthy Matron, Willow Glen Chapter, Mary Esther Walton, Worthy Matron, Mira Monte Chapter, Gertrude Spalding, Worthy Matron, Burlingame Chapter and Elda Black, Conduetress, Mira Monte Chapter, accompanist.

REPORT OF THE BENEVOLENT FUND COMMITTEE

(Presented by Kathryn Farwell, General Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Members in the East, Sisters and Brothers:

It is time, once again, to report on the benevolence extended to our members this past year. It does not seem possible that another fraternal year is about to close and a new year begin. The velocity with which time flies is infinite as is apparent to those who look back. Looking back over the year's work, much has been accomplished by the Area Chairmen.

The past year has been a busy one for some of the Area Chairmen, while a few areas have not received any applications—the general picture shows an increased number of appeals for members in financial distress.

Our two new chairmen, as well as the other area chairman were all instructed in their duties and informed to contact the Worthy Matrons for an opportunity to attend one of their meetings for the purpose of explaining our work. Each year, with a change of officers, we find it necessary to again instruct them in our procedure.

The Benevolent Fund is one of our very first projects in Grand Chapter in which so much has been accomplished and yet, so little is known about it, until a case comes to the attention of the presiding officer. The Fund was created in 1917 for the relief of indigent and distressed members in good standing and in order to assist Chapters in matters of relief, which has been of great assistance to those members in distress this year.

Our chairmen work closely with the Welfare Committees in the Areas so that our assistance will not be deducted from what the members receive from the State or, in other cases, to assist the members to receive their State aid.

Most of our requests have come from those who are in the "Sunset of Life" with modest incomes or small old-age pensions and, after careful investigation by the Area Chairmen and the needs proven, help is given them.

It would take much time to cite all the cases presented, but most of the cases are for the infirmities of age, such as members falling and breaking bones, operations, hospital bills, medical and drug bills, kidney infection, eye surgery, heart attacks and strokes which deplete their funds, as most of them have only Social Security or Welfare Aid.

One elderly member, living out of State, physically, financially and mentally unable to care for herself and in a medical hospital asked for a very large sum of money to pay off debts. The application was referred to our Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol Jensen, and our Finance Chairman Brother Herbert Duenkel, and, after due consideration, she was allowed One Thousand Dollars for rest home expenses.

A Sister sold her home and returned the money allowed her from this fund and then, upon acceptance to the Eastern Star Home gave to them the balance of her funds. There were three cases in which funeral expenses were allowed.

This is a great humanitarian service and each case is given special consideration. No worthy appeal, properly presented, has been rejected and many members have been aided in finding ways to help themselves.

Our Chairman of Area 15 works closely with the Masonic Relief Board in San Diego for most of the applications for help are from out-of-State members living in the Area. Funeral services were provided for three Sisters from Washington, Oregon and Florida who had been living in San Diego. This necessitated contacting their home Chapters to make financial arrangements. Officers of Normal Heights and Point Loma Chapters participated in the services for which we express our grateful appreciation for their co-operation.

During the year just ended \$18,181.88 has been expended for relief from the Benevolent Fund and attached herewith is a comprehensive report in detail of the assistance extended to Chapter members in good standing from this Fund.

BENEVOLENT FUND—STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

September 1, 1962 - August 31, 1963

	Received	Paid
Kathryn Farwell, General Chairman		
Area No. 1—Gladys Hart, Chairman		
Area No. 2—Hattie Ware, Chairman		
No. 56—Fidelia		\$ 200.00
Area No. 3—Marie Smith, Chairman		
No. 224—St. Helena	\$ 24.00	200.00
No. 61—Morning Star	200.00	200.00
Area No. 4—Lillian Clausen, Chairman		
Area No. 5—Winifred Damgaard, Chairman		
No. 415—Loma Vista	140.00	1,300.00
No. 103—Golden Wave	52.50	400.00
No. 357—Glen		200.00
No. 433—Foothill	30.00	500.00
No. 590—Silver Chalice		400.00
No. 455—Elmhurst	105.00	700.00
Area No. 7—Alice Widerstrom, Chairman		
No. 228—Yerba Buena	82.20	822.00
No. 284—Albert Pike	27.00	270.00
No. 204—Starr King	60.00	600.00
No. 481—Presidio	110.00	1,200.00
No. 169—Olive Branch	47.50	675.00
No. 396—Seal Rock	30.00	500.00
No. 457—Caliz de Oro	15.00	
Area No. 8—Velma Cracknell, Chairman		
No. 47—Reveille	95.00	950.00
No. 19—Idlewild	407.00	244.69
Area No. 9—Edith Hughes, Chairman		
Area No. 10—Mildred Breneman, Chairman		
No. 443—South Park	60.00	600.00
No. 584—La Paz		320.00
No. 500—Jordan		125.00
No. 286—Rising Light		200.00
No. 442—Granada	65.00	600.00
No. 500—Jordan		125.00
Area No. 11—Margaret Waskom, Chairman		
No. 225—East Gate	60.00	600.00
No. 272—So. Pasadena	45.50	420.00
No. 403—No. Hollywood	37.08	570.82
No. 619—Star of Palmdale		200.00
No. 319—Inglewood	360.00	
No. 313—Eagle Rock	23.00	430.00
No. 619—Star of Palmdale	5.00	250.00
No. 108—Pasadena		100.00

	Received	Paid
Area No. 12—Myrtle Glover, Chairman		
No. 518—Betsy Ross	65.00	600.00
No. 456—Triangle	60.00	600.00
No. 21—Acacia	25.00	100.00
No. 515—San Gorgonio	35.00	550.00
No. 437—Ascot		200.00
No. 520—Wil-Brea		150.00
No. 395—Culver City	50.00	100.00
No. 452—Canoga		200.00
Area No. 13—Ruth Peugh, Chairman		
No. 105—Hermosa		100.00
No. 143—Norwalk	40.00	250.00
Area No. 14—Winifred Banta, Chairman		
No. 212—Gate City	25.00	200.00
No. 142—Copa del Oro	72.00	720.00
Area No. 15—Bessie Robinson, Chairman		
No. 479—La Jolla		200.00
Committee Expense:		
Area No. 5	\$ 22.10	
8	2.00	
9	47.10	
10	24.65	
11	21.70	
12	23.15	
13	5.83	
Gen. Chairman	14.47	\$ 161.00
	Received	
Blood Donations	1,043.16	
Memorials and Donations	89.50	

Some of the Area Chairmen did not present an expense account, as this was their contribution to a most rewarding service.

May we suggest that the incoming officers familiarize themselves with Sections 725-741 of our Constitution and Laws pertaining to the Benevolent Fund at the beginning of their official duties, then their responsibilities will be clear and they will receive great satisfaction in knowing how to proceed.

"Life is not a grab-bag from which to take all we desire, but an opportunity to give the good that is in us, that it may go out and multiply and return to us in the forms we need in our daily progress".

We just received two checks, one for \$50.00 from Culver City Chapter which was sent to the Grand Secretary's Office, and another for \$110.00 from Palms Chapter for a contribution to this fund, for which we express our grateful thanks to these two Chapters for their generosity.

Our appreciation goes to our Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol Jensen for bringing to the attention of the members on Official Visits the importance of the Benevolent Fund; also, to our Sister Maud, Grand Secretary and her splendid assistants, for their prompt and understanding help.

It is recommended that the usual 10 cents per capita be authorized for relief and \$300.00 for expenses, making a total of \$23,000.00 to be budgeted.

Submitted by,
KATHRYN FARWELL,
General Chairman,
Benevolent Fund Committee.

It is with pleasure that I present to you the Area Chairmen who have served so faithfully this year.

Area 1—Gladys Hart,	Area 8—Velma Cracknell,
Area 2—Minna Farrar,	Area 9—Edith Hughes,
Area 3—Marie Smith,	Area 10—Mildred Breneman,
Area 4—Lillian Clausen,	Area 11—Margaret Waskom,
Area 5—Winifred Damgaard,	Area 12—Myrtle Glover,
Area 6—Ruby Dinsdale,	Area 13—Ruth N. Peugh,
Area 7—Alice Widerstrom,	Area 14—Winifred Banta,
Area 15—Bessie Robinson.	

REPORT OF THE EASTERN STAR BLOOD BANK. 1963.

(Presented by Kathryn Farwell, Chairman.)

The Eastern Star Blood Bank has not functioned as a real blood bank should with a membership as large as there is in California. It seems that many members could have made contributions of blood which is so necessary. However, we have made contact with the Salvation Army to supply us for a sum per pint.

It is the opinion by some that all that is necessary is to make a demand for the blood for which they are ENTITLED. The same regulations for the Benevolent Fund holds for this fund, and the blood is purchased for the members in need and unable to secure or pay for it themselves. In some cases where the member has been employed by a corporation or firm who has a blood bank, it can be handled through that channel.

We have purchased one hundred (100) pints of blood and have used ninety-eight (98) pints upon request—some members taking from two (2) pints to twenty-eight (28) pints. For every pint used, two must be replaced or it is necessary to pay for the processing.

There were two (2) pints donated—one by a Worthy Matron and the other from the East Bay Esthers—when they closed their account with the Alameda County Blood Bank, for which we express our sincere thanks.

Last Grand Chapter, cash contributions to the Blood Bank from September 1, 1961 to August 31, 1962 showed a sum on hand of

\$1,363.46. On March 28, 1963, the East Bay Esthers gave Grand Chapter a check for \$1,072.10, making a total of \$2,435.56.

On December 19, 1962, we purchased 20 pints of blood

On March 28, 1963, we purchased 30 pints of blood

On July 25, 1963, we purchased 50 pints of blood

100 pints of blood for 800.00

On hand \$1,635.56

Attached herewith is a list of the Chapters applying for blood.

Submitted by,
KATHRYN FARWELL,
General Chairman,
Blood Bank. 1963.

REPORT - Eastern Star Blood Bank, 1963.

January 2, 1963:

Margaret G. Upton, Catalina Island Chapter, Avalon 2 Pints

Kathryn Erwin, Tulare Chapter, Tulare 8 Pints

January 31, 1963:

Marie Kerr, Ascot Chapter, Los Angeles 2 Pints

February 1, 1963:

Lucille Alexander, Loyalty Chapter, Los Angeles 4 Pints

April 28, 1963:

Laura Boothby, Thousand Oaks Chapter, Berkeley 6 Pints

April 12, 1963:

Mary Wherry, Golden Chain Chapter, Oakland 3 Pints

Dorothy Hill, Alethe Chapter, Berkeley 7 Pints

June 26, 1963:

Cora Charles, Thousand Oaks, Berkeley 2 Pints

Ethel Newton, Sincerity Chapter, Greenville 28 Pints

July 17, 1963:

Mabel G. Urton, Golden Wave Chapter, Oakland 4 Pints

August 1, 1963:

Hazel Lockyer, Elmhurst Chapter, Oakland 10 Pints

August 20, 1963:

Jennie Taylor, Foothill Chapter, Oakland 2 Pints

Margaret G. Upton, Catalina Island Chapter, Avalon 2 Pints

September 27, 1963:

Mary A. Cherry, Foothill Chapter, Oakland 17 Pints

We have 11 pints on hand at the Alameda County Blood Bank, Oakland.

Submitted by,
KATHRYN FARWELL,
General Chairman,
Blood Bank. 1963.

Reports of the Benevolent Fund and the Blood Bank were Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

REPORT OF THE J. CLIFFORD LEE MEMORIAL CANCER FUND COMMITTEE

(Presented by Helen Bratschie, Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members in the East, Sisters and Brothers:

We, your Committee for the J. Clifford Lee Memorial Cancer Fund, are pleased to present our report of the services that we have rendered to our Sisters and Brothers who sought aid from our Fund for the year of 1963. It is with pride that I present my co-workers and your Committee.

Sisters:

Grace M. Hoffman, Past Grand Matron,
Hattie Rose, Past Matron,
Flora Swetland, Past Matron, and

Brother:

Roy Bowman, Past Patron.

These members have spent many hours working on this Committee, investigating applications which entailed miles of travel, writing letters, meeting the unexpected problems that always seem to arise, visiting Chapters and speaking to the membership to inform them of the work that is being done, and giving loyal service to our Order. I am grateful to each of you for your splendid cooperation and willingness to serve.

It is impossible for five members to cover this great State of ours, and we often found it necessary to call for assistance in investigating the many cases. To those who responded so cheerfully and gave of their time and effort, we do thank you most sincerely, you have been of invaluable help to the Committee and those who needed aid.

Sister Carol, I thank you most humbly for the opportunity of having served as Chairman of this Committee. It has been work, but work that gives satisfaction and the knowledge that we truly are an Order "dedicated to Charity, Truth and Loving-kindness."

Living in the same area as our Grand Secretary made it most convenient to check previous records and to discuss unusual problems. No doubt Sister Maud will be grateful that the incoming Chairman lives at the other end of the State. I am deeply indebted to Sister Maud and her fine staff for all the assistance they have given me, and for the prompt and efficient manner in which all the bills were paid for our Sisters and Brothers. My grateful thanks to each of you.

Our efforts would be in vain were it not for the members of our Order who have contributed so generously to this Fund. Each one of you had a part in the work of this Committee and have become "willing helpers in the service of humanity". For each of our Sisters and Brothers who benefited by your generosity, we say—Thank you.

Grand Officers 1962-1963



ZOE HARRIS
Grand Adah



GEORGIA BRIGNALL
Grand Ruth



LILLIAN EVERNDEN
Grand Esther



VIVIAN KILGORE
Grand Marshal



CAROL MAE JENSEN
Worthy Grand Matron



MARIAN SCHWACH
Associate Grand Conductress



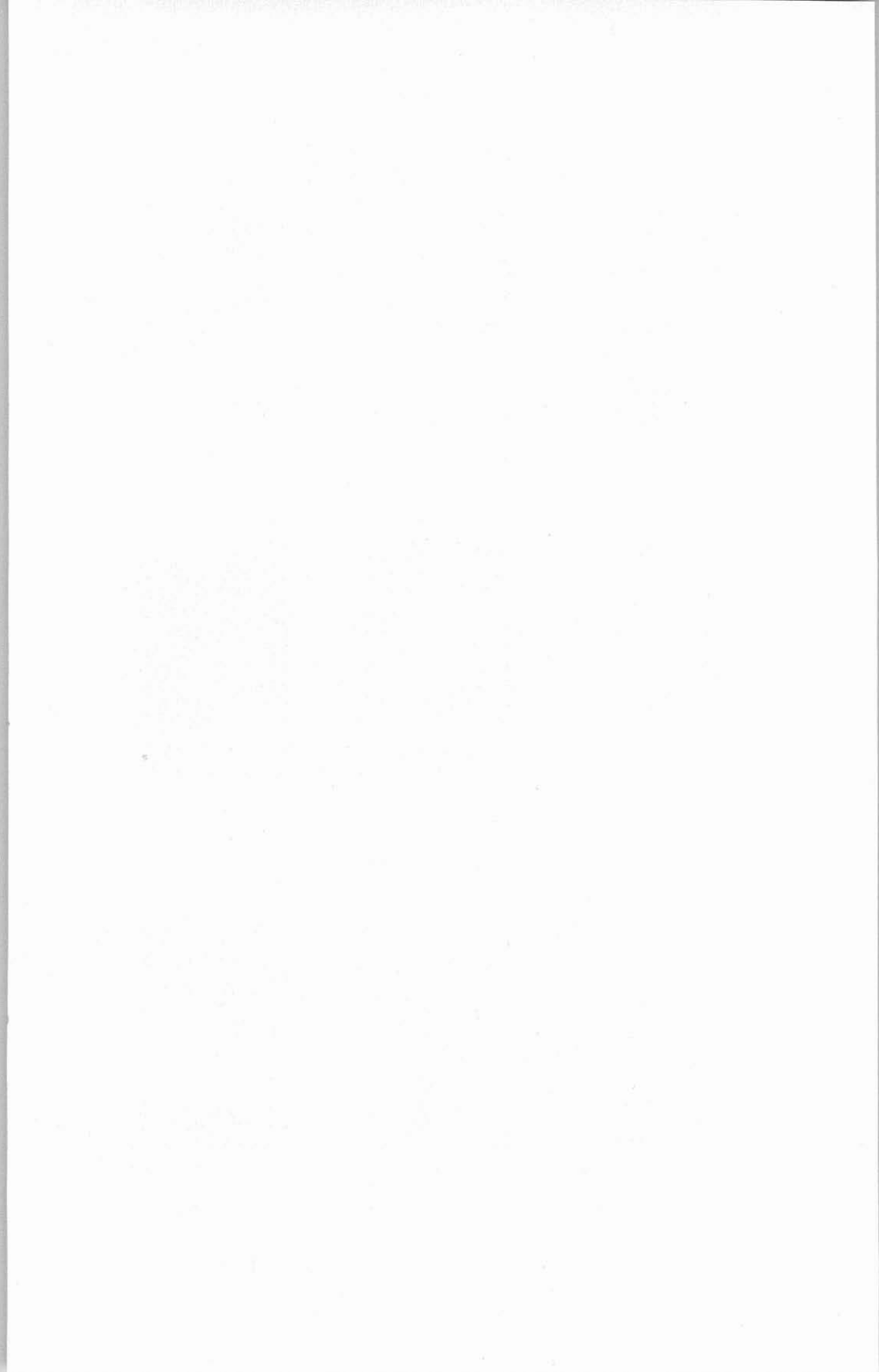
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Grand Martha



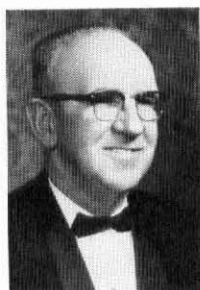
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Grand Conductress



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Associate Grand Matron



LOUISE BOWMAN
Grand Organist



EDWIN F. COLLINS
Worthy Grand Patron



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Grand Chaplain



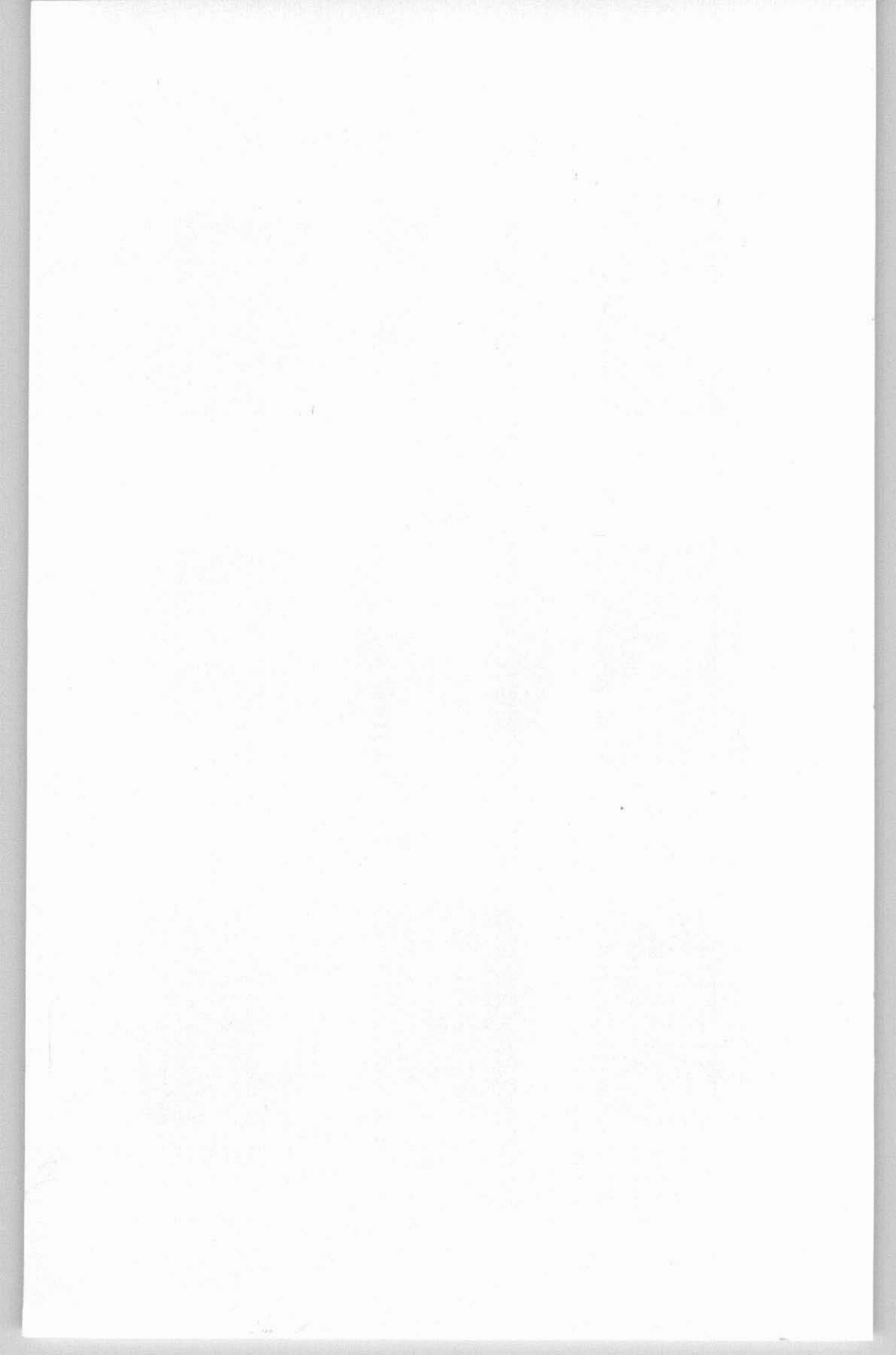
INEZ HUFFMAN
Grand Warder



ETHEL HOLLAND
Grand Treasurer



AUSTIN GARRETT
Grand Sentinel



We found in auditing the bills of our applicants that some were purchasing dressings. A call for assistance was placed to the Area Chairmen of the Cancer Dressings Stations and they stepped in with a helping hand and supplied the needed dressings. Money that had been spent for that purpose could then be used for some other need. Our thanks to the Cancer Dressings Stations for the wonderful service that they are rendering.

Frequently we found that we had bills for blood transfusions, and a call to the Benevolent Fund for their assistance in replacing the blood that had been used, cancelled out such bills, and again released money that could be used for other purposes. Our thanks to Sister Kathryn Farwell, P. G. M. and the Benevolent Committee for all the assistance that has been given this year.

Time does not permit the reading of the many letters of grateful thanks that we have received from the members and their families for the aid that has been given. Letters of commendation and of appreciation have been received from druggists, doctors, and others not affiliated with the Order, praising the Order of the Eastern Star for the work that is being done. "By their fruits, ye shall know them."

Our financial report is as follows:

Balance on hand August 31, 1962	\$185,798.34
Of this amount \$85,484.77 is in securities and United States bonds.	
Contributions, bequests and interest	88,910.82
Expenses through August 31, 1963	71,272.14
Balance in fund September 1, 1963	203,437.02
Number of applications received	128
Number granted	120
(This includes 4 approved applications against which bills have not been presented as yet.)	
Number withdrawn, not needed	3
Number not granted	5
(Three of these were received after the death of the applicant, one had not been a member the specified two years.)	

I might add, that since the closing of this report as of September 1st, an additional \$11,648.79 has been paid on bills through October 15th.

The Committee has found in some instances that the amount allowed an applicant has not been sufficient and therefore we have submitted an amendment to the Constitution, Section 195(c), increasing the maximum amount of aid to two thousand dollars. This will be found in the Proposed Amendments to Constitution and Laws which you each have.

We ask that you give this careful consideration and vote to allow the amendment to pass as stated.

We recommend that careful consideration be given to appointments in the Northern California Area because of increases in applications and the size of the area.

Again we recommend that all Chapters be required to read the Regulations for Administration of the Fund at least once a year, and that some means of making our membership aware of the Fund and bringing more information to them be provided.

"Give us strength to continue in every good work and faith to believe that we shall reap if we faint not."

Respectfully submitted,
 ROY BOWMAN,
 GRACE M. HOFFMAN,
 HATTIE G. ROSE,
 FLORA M. SWETLAND,
 HELEN M. BRATSCHE, Chairman,
 J. Clifford Lee Memorial
 Cancer Fund Committee.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Helen, your committee must have a glow in your hearts to know how much you have done, and how much help you have given to those who needed it and we are very proud of your wonderful work in helping in this way. Thank you.

REPORT OF THE CANCER DRESSINGS STATIONS COMMITTEE

(Presented by Ruth Zimmerman, Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished members of our Order, Sisters and Brothers:

It has been said, "Sow the seeds of kindness and reap happiness". I sincerely believe that this happiness has come to each and every one of the volunteer workers in our cancer dressings stations throughout the State. So many of them have told me how very rewarding the work is. Thank you, sincerely, Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol, for giving me the opportunity of working for this wonderful project of our Order.

I feel so proud of our Order of the Eastern Star, and I feel each member should have a great feeling of pride, that we are doing this grand work for others—working to add to the comfort of those so much less fortunate than we.

How I wish that each of you could have heard or read the many reports that I've had, from all parts of the State, of the gratitude from the patients we have served and from their relatives. It is, indeed, very heart-warming. There is the instance of the little lady in our part of the State. We wrap the dressings in packages of

one or two dozen, according to the size of the dressings, and then stamp each package with a star and the initials of our Order. It was reported to me that each time this lady received a supply of dressings she said, "Bless that little Star".

It has been a very gratifying year, as our project continues to grow. There are now 119 stations working. Quite a number of the stations that we had have divided into two stations so that the workers could work in their own town and, in this way, get more of their own members to join in this work. There were a few that requested new stations and I assisted them, with the help of many of our experienced workers, to start these stations and they are all working smoothly. One is a brand new station, holding their first meetings in September. This is at Redding, our farthest north station. Much time and thought went into the establishing of this station, as is true with most stations. I had the original request from their Worthy Matron in February. I visited Redding Chapter in March and explained the requirements for a station. There was a need for it, the closest station being in Chico. The American Cancer Society is very happy to have our cooperation in this area. Then there is Alameda Chapter—they contacted me, saying they would like to convert their sewing club into a cancer dressings station. This they have done and I know that many of their members are very pleased about the new work. They are helping supply the Masonic Home at Decoto.

Many of the station Chairmen report that, during the vacation months, the Job's Daughters and Rainbow Girls gave many hours of their time in making dressings. I am sure they received their reward in the satisfaction that this work gives, but, we are indeed grateful to them.

I have had some personal help that I would like to recognize. Hal Garriott, '57 Worthy Patron of Westgate Chapter, in Berkeley, had all of my printing done for me. This included report blanks, general letters to all of the Stations, our new price list and instruction books—saving me all of this expense. We have referred to him, all year, as my Co-Chairman, and I am deeply grateful to him. Also, my husband, '57 Worthy Patron of Chabot Chapter, helped in every way he could. He traveled many miles with me as I visited the stations and Chapters throughout the State. When I went alone and was gone for a number of days at a time, he even opened my mail and filed reports for me. We called him Co-Co-Chairman. My sincere thanks to these two fine helpers.

In the name of Grand Chapter, I want to express our thanks to those who have helped in a monetary way. The memorials are a great source of income for our project. Then there are the fund-raising projects in every part of the State. The largest one is the tea that Past Grand Matron Marguerite Weisheimer gives at her home one Sunday each year, with the help of her San Francisco '57 Worthy Matrons and other friends. This has given the fund over a

thousand dollars each year. There are other teas, salad bars, luncheons, card parties and other festivities given. I attended a breakfast in the Temple at San Diego, given by the '57 Worthy Matrons of that area and it contributed a fine sum to our project. Most stations, or Chapters, are very conscientious in trying to contribute as much money as their materials cost. As you know, every cent contributed is used for gauze and cellulocotton for the dressings—no other expense of any kind is allowed. We certainly appreciate your hours of work and thought that go into these fund-raising projects. In spite of all of these efforts, I'm sorry to have to report that, this year, our materials cost us over \$4,600.00 more than we received in contributions.

Our thanks always go, each year, to the many temple associations, the churches, Red Cross and American Cancer Association, the community buildings, veteran buildings and other organizations who have so generously given us space, rent free, in which our stations could work. One minister, in San Diego, offered space in the church and then gave a contribution of fifty dollars. A number of stations, also, meet in private homes and we are deeply grateful to these members who are so kind to open their homes to us. Many groups who give our stations work rooms, are not affiliated with our Order and this shows in what high esteem this project is held by outsiders. Just recently we learned that, in San Rafael, the Yellow Cab Company sends a cab, each Wednesday, to pick up the dressings made that day, at our station, and delivers them to the American Cancer Society headquarters. Another large organization that is, in this way, showing their respect for the work that we are doing. Our thanks to them.

Many stations in Southern California furnish dressings, bed pads and hospital gowns to our Eastern Star Home and those around the East Bay, in the northern part, furnish these supplies to the Masonic Home. They have many, many patients using them. The management of both Homes are very thankful.

Just a few months ago, one of my own Chapter members asked me for dressings for her young, married sister who was just home, after a very serious operation. She told me later what a wonderful morale booster it was when she delivered the large amount of dressings and bed pads. Her sister looked at them, with awe, and said, "Just think, they don't even know me!" I am so thankful that we can give freely to any and all that are in need of the comfort of our dressings.

Another of the benefits that comes from our cancer dressings stations is the sociability and friendships. Just as from any of the social clubs and organizations, the members enjoy this day of work together and become so much better acquainted—in many stations, many Chapters working together.

In every part of the State we work in conjunction with the American Cancer Society. Our stations give direct to those that

request dressings but we find that many of our members prefer to obtain their dressings through the American Cancer Society so that their identity is held confidential. In the area around and north of Sacramento, June Chrysler, a full time employee of the Society, acts as area Chairman, buys materials for many of the smaller stations and some large ones and directs what dressings are needed. Her full time is given to the work of our Eastern Star cancer dressings project. Mary Anne Grady, assistant director in the main office of the California division of the Society, at San Francisco, furnished me with the exact figures on dressings received and distributed and the number distributed to persons with any Masonic affiliation. Her letter states, "a total of 1,501 patients state-wide were served, of which 235 had Eastern Star or Masonic affiliation. We note from our figures that there was about a twenty-five per cent increase from the previous year in the number of patients served through the dressings depot." These cancer society workers were very helpful to me and I am very thankful to them. Just two weeks ago the American Cancer Society held their annual meeting in Sacramento and they invited me to one of their luncheons. They had a marvelous speaker and we learned much that is being accomplished in research for the cure of this dread disease. We should be thankful for every cent we can save them, by furnishing dressings to the patients so that that money, so saved, can be used in research. Their society has honored many of our members and stations this year, for the work they have done. This we appreciate.

Sister Carol, I was very happily surprised, at this luncheon, when one of the doctors made a presentation to me for our Order, and I am now honored to present it to you—our Worthy Grand Matron. It reads, "American Cancer Society, Inc. expresses its sincere appreciation to the Order of the Eastern Star for valuable services in the control of cancer. In testimony whereof we are privileged to bestow this Certificate of Merit. Done in the City of New York, N. Y., this first day of October, nineteen hundred and sixty three." And it is signed by the President of the Society and the Chairman of the Board of Directors.

All of our workers are to be congratulated, if it wasn't for each one contributing her hours of work, our efforts would be in vain. The Chairmen and their co-chairmen have a great responsibility and contribute of their time so cheerfully. It has been wonderful working with so many of them and so many I have become acquainted with. I realize how much work they do and I can assure them that their workers are high in their praise. Some parts of the State have area Chairmen and they are very sincere and loyal and save the State Chairman a great deal of time and worry. I know they find their reward in the dedicated work they perform but my sincere thanks to all of these Chairmen.

I have deep satisfaction in reporting one accomplishment of this year. Throughout the State we were buying from a number of sur-

gical supply companies but now we are buying in such quantities that the Western Surgical Supply Company offered us a contract price on these materials. They have about five different price lists and now we are receiving the very best price at which they sell. This will save us over 10 per cent or approximately \$3,000.00 a year. They are, also, paying much more of the transportation costs and this is a substantial saving for us.

I ran a tape on all of the figures reported to me by the stations, and submit the following accurate report—

The number of dressings made this year—	
all kinds and sizes	1,059,097
Number of bed pads	32,369
Hospital gowns, made from white shirts	1,301
Total articles	1,092,767
Total number of hours worked	126,925

The financial report:

Cash on hand September 1, 1962	\$12,190.40
Contributions	20,190.29
Bank interest	416.93
Total	\$32,797.62
Gauze and cellucotton for cancer dressings	\$25,253.20
Balance on hand September 1, 1963	\$ 7,544.42

Let's remember—

“Life itself can't give us joy
 Unless we really will it
 Life just gives us time and space
 It's up to us to fill it.”

My life has been very full this year and the lives of our thousands of workers—in this we have found our joy. Worthy Grand Matron, it has always been a pleasure to see you, throughout the State, as our journeys crossed. Again I thank you for the privilege of doing my little bit for this project of which our Order of the Eastern Star can be so proud.

Fraternally submitted,

RUTH ZIMMERMAN,

State Chairman of the Cancer Dressings Stations.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Ruth, on behalf of the Grand Chapter of California, I would like to thank you for all you have done in this work for the past year and to thank every member who has worked in the cancer dressings stations. Many of you here have put in many, many hours of work and we are proud to think you have given of your time and talent in this way. We are proud to receive this American Cancer Society Certificate of Merit which you have handed me, for certainly

if we did not do wonderful things for these people who are so needy, this would not have been given to us, and on behalf of our Grand Chapter, I accept it.

Thank you, Sister Ruth.

Appointments to Election Board:

George Bailey, Past Patron, Alamo Chapter No. 289, announced the following were appointed to serve on the Election Board:

Walter Weisheimer, Richard Brassell, Isabelle McCarthy, Laura Wright, Lavonne Graft, Flo McDonald, Naomi Ledbetter, Della Cotton, Frances Trusty, Peggy Church, Mildred Breneman, Idell Fischer, Mary Beth Faulkner, Bessie Robinson, Agnes Carrier, Ida Jacobs, Ethel Bodie, Carmen Adams, Leota Mitchell, Margaret Weishaar, Ruby Parker, Jeannette Collins, Virginia Webster, Jan Erickson, Harold Balden, Irene Simmons, Charlotte Brink, Valerie Crow, Richard Webster, Estelle LeBaker, Bert Dobbs, Thelma Mattox, Albert Adams, Harlan Hodges, Mary Tucker, Jim McFadden, Margaret Habenite, Al Viles, Albert Erichsen, Bernice Little, Anna Rheinhardt, Penell Adams, Louise Johnson, Billie Babcock, Lillian Hodges, Blanche Cleland, Etta Coc, Iona Lewis, Ethel Houghton, Fay Mauzey, Naomi Campbell, Dorothy Reiterman, Mary Rosso, Gladys Dorman, Hazel Aamondt, Gladys Chubbuck, Grace Lovering, Jeanette Gerecht, Dave Hill, Beatrice Hall, Robert Denzel, Ernest Walters, Elsie Lynch, James Dent, Stella Blanker, Lucille Jones, Laura Prenger, Harry Tempe, Grace Hill, Herbert Tyler, Florence Dunn, Mary Martin, Dorothea Arnheim, Hervey Angier, Charlotte Atkinson, Gladys Burnham, Francis Davis, Dorothy Mayhan, Mable Walker, Wilma Laurent, Edith Van De Linder, Thelma Duke, Bobbie Weidner.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION

(Read by the Chairman, Past Grand Patron Joseph F. Reed, who presented the members of the Committee.)

The Committee on Distribution refer to various Committees the matters so far referred to it, as follows:

To the Committees on Constitution and By-Laws and Finance: Proposed amendments to Sections 180, 182-C, 182-D, 195, 532, and 768; also the unfinished business from last Session, being proposed amendments to Sections 600, 168, 170, 199 and 227;

To the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws: Proposed amendments to Sections 205, 470, paragraph 3;

To the Committees on Constitution and By-Laws and Jurisprudence: Proposed amendments to Sections 519, paragraph 10, 538 and additions to Sections 538 and 539;

To the Committee on Jurisprudence: Proposed change in the Instruction Book, recommendations numbers 2, 5 and 6 of the Worthy

Grand Matron, and the matter of by-laws for Star Clubs as recommended by the Worthy Grand Patron;

To the Committees on Jurisprudence and Finance: Recommendations numbers 3 and 4 of the Worthy Grand Matron;

To the Committee on Finance: Recommendation number 1 of the Worthy Grand Matron;

To the Committees on Charters and Dispensations and Finance: The recommendation of the Worthy Grand Patron regarding granting of charters, mileage and voting rights to Chapters Under Dispensation.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED LEAHY,

ROBERT ATKINSON,

JOSEPH F. REED, Chairman,

Committee on Distribution.

Accepted.

Introduction:

The Worthy Grand Matron presented Paul Sorenson, Grand Sentinel of Oregon, extended a welcome and hoped his stay would be a pleasant one.

At 4 P.M. the Session was called to refreshment until 8 P.M.

Evening Session.

At 8 o'clock the Host and Hostess for the evening were escorted to the East and Sister Bailey called the Session to Order.

Welcome:

Worthy Grand Marshal, Thelma Bailey, Past Grand Matron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Honored and Distinguished East:

It is a happy privilege to be invited by our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Jensen, to call to Order this Tuesday Evening Session of the Grand Chapter of California.

I am honored to serve in the East tonight with our Past Grand Patron Brother Francis J. Herz, a committee member of General Grand Chapter, and my Worthy Grand Patron when I served California as Grand Marshal in 1944. During these many years, Brother Francis, you have indeed been a wonderful friend.

I am sorry that Brother George Harlan, our Worthy Grand Patron of 1948, is ill and cannot be with us this evening, but Sister Carol and Brother Ed, I am sure that he joins with me in wishing for you every blessing and a Session that will be one of your happiest memories.

It is a joy to express a special welcome to our visiting distinguished members. To visit with them in their various States has been

a special pleasure which I will cherish for years to come. These past two years has been made happier by their many kind and thoughtful acts. To be a member of the General Grand Family has given to me the priceless friendship of our precious Grand Ruth, Sister Mary Fogle.

One writer has said that before the advent of machinery most of the work was done by hand labor. In many cases the employer would secretly select one of the workers to set the pace for the entire group. The worker was known as the pace setter, calling the other workers to keep up with him.

Any leader of an organization is a pace setter. We need someone to set the pace in love, kindness, patience, forgiveness, consideration, humility, and the will to sacrifice for something greater than himself. These may seem like little things but the warp and woof of life are woven from them. Sister Carol and Brother Ed, you have been our pace setters, working for the good of our Order. We congratulate you and wish for you a Session of harmony and happiness, one that will be rich in achievements.

Greetings:

Past Grand Patron Francis J. Herz:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests,
Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol Jensen:

I appreciate the courtesy you have extended to me to escort our Worthy Grand Marshal of General Grand Chapter, Sister Thelma Bailey, Past Grand Matron of California, to the East.

I am delighted to have this opportunity, Sister Thelma served as Grand Marshal in 1944, has devoted many years to the Order of the Eastern Star, we all wish her success in her tour of duty in General Grand Chapter.

We are sorry that Brother George Harlan, Past Grand Patron, was unable to attend due to illness. It has been my pleasure to know George for many years serving as Worthy Patron in 1944, during my year as Worthy Grand Patron. He has given many years of devoted service to this Grand Chapter, serving with our Thelma Bailey as Worthy Grand Patron in 1948. We miss him tonight.

Our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Jensen, is a dedicated and devoted member of the Order of the Eastern Star. Her mother and father were active members of Vallejo Chapter, for many years serving as Worthy Matron and Patron. We all wish you a happy and harmonious Session, and one of accomplishment. You have endeared yourself to the membership wherever you have travelled in this great State of California. When your Session closes and you go home with your devoted husband Earl, and again become acquainted with your three sons, you can take with you the realization and satisfaction that our Order is greater and finer for your able leadership during this past year. We will reap benefits from your administration for years to come.

Our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Ed Collins, a fine gentleman, a devoted Mason, active in civic life, and a successful business man, brought a valuable experience when elected to this high office, which enabled him to be a tower of strength to our Worthy Grand Matron in all of her endeavors. May God bless you, and may you both be of service to our Order for many years to come.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Thelma and Brother Francis Herz for very fine welcomes.

Sister Thelma, on this, your fifteenth anniversary as presiding officer of this Grand Chapter, we are most pleased you could have an active part in our Session, while Brother Francis, it has been nineteen years since you presided as Worthy Grand Patron, and your words have always inspired me. Each of you has brought honor to our Grand Chapter by your appointments in General Grand Chapter. It has been a privilege to greet you at many of our Official Visits this year and thank you for your attendance. May your future service bring you happiness and success. Thank you.

We regret that illness prevented our Past Grand Patron, George Harlan, from attending this Session.

The Grand Chapter was purged and after Prayer declared at labor by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Prayer:

Edna Johnson, Grand Chaplain:

Almighty God: We pray Thou will guide our lives and direct our hearts that we may be kind to one another, abounding in love and sympathy, keep back unkind words, and in all things be gentle. As we gather here, bless us, and give us a vision of perfect harmony and love. In the name of our Lord, Amen.

Minutes:

The Minutes of the Morning Session were read and approved.

**REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED
TO REWRITE THE INSTRUCTION BOOK**

(Read by Associate Grand Matron Esther M. Sandman. The Committee was presented by the Worthy Grand Matron with words of praise for the work they had done.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members of this Grand Chapter, Sisters and Brothers:

We, your special committee appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron to revise the Instruction Book and report at this Session, are pleased to do so.

Our committee, which was composed of three Grand Line Officers, Esther Sandman, Ellen Walters and Marian Schwach, together with

Past Grand Matrons Corine Melville and Marguerite Weisheimer began work soon after the close of last year's Session. Many day-long meetings were held and most serious consideration was given to all suggestions offered.

We are deeply grateful to our Worthy Grand Matron for her many constructive suggestions. Several of our Past Grand Matrons offered very useful suggestions which were of great assistance. The final decisions on every point in the book were made by the Grand Line Officers after exhaustive and careful consideration, and were the unanimous decisions of the Line, and our Sisters Corine and Marguerite were in complete agreement.

The Instruction Book itself contains only one real change, the formal entrance of the officers, which, we believe, is a great improvement on the former entrance. This has been submitted on your sheet of proposed legislation as a change in the Instruction Book.

However, the book is completely revised as to grouping of material to make it easier for the officers, and particularly for the Deputy Grand Matrons, to find the proper information in chronological order. We have included an index to assist, also.

The wording has been simplified and amplified to better understand each provision. It has been brought up to date in accordance with the vote of Past Grand Chapter Sessions.

This Committee has worked in complete harmony and I know the Grand Line has profited by the many hours spent together. Each has had a special share in the revision. Sister Corine contributed her experience gained by working on many past Instruction Books. Sister Marguerite's contribution was to act as moderator and she did much of the mechanical work of assembling the book as the Grand Line approved it, thus saving your three Grand Line Officers many hours of added work. We are truly grateful to our two Past Grand Matrons for giving us their time and assistance.

We are deeply indebted to our Grand Secretary for her invaluable assistance in getting our material ready for the printer and then checking the proof copy.

The task is completed, Worthy Grand Matron. We feel it is a good book and will be of great assistance to the officers of our subordinate Chapters. With the approval of this report the presses will be ready to go so that our Officers can have the new Instruction Books as soon as they start their new year.

Respectfully submitted,
 ESTHER M. SANDMAN,
 ELLEN C. WALTERS,
 MARIAN F. SCHWACH,
 CORINE ORBAN MELVILLE,
 MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER,
 Special Committee, Revision of Instruction Book.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Committee Members. We recognize the many hours of study and planning you have put in this work. It will be of invaluable benefit to the Line Officers of our subordinate Chapters. We sincerely thank you.

Presentation:

With great pleasure and honor, I present Past Grand Patron James Leo Halley. (Grand Honors were extended.)

Regrets:

The Grand Secretary read notes and regrets from
 Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons Juanita D. Killion, Florence A. Plummer and Ruth A. Jones;
 George F. Hastings, Most Worthy Grand Patron;
 Josephine Harkins Browning, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron;
 Walter L. Fowler, Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron;
 Mamie Lander, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Right Worthy Grand Secretary;
 Sayda S. Petterson, Right Worthy Grand Conductress;
 Thelma Hastings, Worthy Grand Adah;
 Willie John Delaney, Worthy Grand Warder;
 June A. Watson, Member International Eastern Star Temple Committee;
 Mary A. N. Webb, Member Charters Committee;
 Violet Olson, Chairman, Peace Garden Committee;
 Ernestine Adams, Member Committee on Unfinished Business;
 Marion Neeb, General Grand Chapter Parliamentarian.

Grand Representatives of California:

Hazel Phipps in Missouri;
 Flora E. Rust in Delaware;
 Emily McDowell in Kansas;
 Delores Rigsby in Puerto Rico.

From the following Grand Jurisdictions:

Arizona, British Columbia, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Manitoba, Massachusetts, New Brunswick, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Ontario, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, Pennsylvania, Quebec, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Vermont, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

(Presented by Ruth Chase, Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Thelma Bailey
Most Worthy Grand Marshal, General Grand Chapter Committee
Members, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Past
Elective Grand Officers, Honored East, Delegates and members
of this Grand Session:

We, the Fraternal Correspondence Committee, received fifty-four reports for 1962-63. These included Nova Scotia, The Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland and Canadian Grand Chapters.

We discovered that "Wishing can make it so". We had our findings based on "Love, Service, Loyalty" and how we "Live for Others". We began our journey at the foot of the "Rainbow", climbing to the uppermost part and, looking up, we saw 2,300,000 members of all grand jurisdictions reporting, as one twinkling Star. Looking toward the base we saw a "Pot of Gold" bubbling with wishes coming true in "Service for Others".

We are, four sovereign bodies:

1. GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER, organized in 1876, has jurisdiction over 59 Grand Chapters, forty-seven in the United States, eight in Canada, one in Nova Scotia and one in Puerto Rico. It has direct supervision over subordinate Chapters in Alaska, China, Cuba, Japan, Hawaii, the Philippines, Guam, Germany, Mexico, Yukon Territory, Okinawa and Morocco.

2. THE SUPREME GRAND CHAPTER OF SCOTLAND organized in 1904. Under this jurisdiction is Scotland, Ireland, Wales, South Africa, New Zealand and Australia.

Robert Macoy organized the first Chapters of Scotland and the Ritual System. Mother of Queen Elizabeth is a member of this Grand Jurisdiction.

3. INDEPENDENT GRAND CHAPTER OF NEW YORK is governed by the Macoy Ritual. It displays the emblematic Star with the white point up. Master Masons are welcome to visit New York and New Jersey on obligation, modified Macoy Ritual System, and meets annually.

4. THE INDEPENDENT GRAND CHAPTER OF NEW JERSEY is also governed by a modified Macoy System.

We learned the Ritual is published in English, Spanish, Chinese, Italian, and German, sold only by General Grand Chapter.

We discovered general similarities: The "Holy Bible" rests upon the "Altar". All meetings open and close with "Prayer". The ever-present Flags: Always the National Flag, the State Flag, the Christian Flag, and the Flag of the "Order of the Eastern Star": also many neighboring Nations and States are present. Our Christian Flag is the only banner that has the privilege of flying above the National Flags because it represents "God" who is above and over all.

As we stood at the top of our "Rainbow" we thought that if all these Grand Jurisdictions could hold Session, out in the open at the same time, placing the "Holy Bible" on the "Altar", followed by all Flags of these Jurisdictions so that the world could see the reverence and "Rainbow wishes coming true," what an effect it could have on our times today!

In "Service for Others" the accomplishments of all jurisdictions are many.

PUSAN CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL: Originated through the mercy of Masonic brothers where sick and homeless children of Korea found refuge.

ESTARL: Since the conception of ESTARL in 1952 approximately \$2,000,000.00 in scholarships has been granted to our Eastern Star world.

E—Eastern, the direction we always follow;

S—Star, the one we follow, revealed in our book;

T—Training young people, our ultimate goal;

A—Awards in which you play your role;

R—Religious descriptive theme placed over all;

L—Leadership completing operational ESTARL.

Colleges and Universities of the finest from all areas are mentioned in this training.

THE INTERNATIONAL EASTERN STAR TEMPLE, located in Washington, D. C., in French Architecture, represents all subordinate Chapters, the Grand Chapters and General Grand Chapter. An electric Star, within a Pentagon in a Circle, is the International Emblem. We are recipients of many priceless furnishings and rare gifts from different parts of the world. No flag flies over the Temple because of our International Organization. Our family visited the Temple this summer and our son was privileged to play the gorgeous golden "Steinway" piano, placed in the ballroom, given by the State of Montana. Members are asked to contribute a Dollar once in a lifetime for an Endowment Fund by which the Temple is maintained.

THE INTERNATIONAL PEACE GARDEN is located between Manitoba, Canada, and North Dakota. A bronze plaque, inscribed "To God in His glory, we two Nations dedicate this garden and pledge ourselves that so long as man shall live we will not take up arms against each other". This is a symbol of "Peace and Harmony" between two Nations. The only guard to the entrance is "Old Glory" and the "Union Jack", dedicated in 1932.

SERVICE FOR OTHERS does not stop here. Included is Cancer Research, Cancer Control, Cancer Dressings, Eastern Star Homes, Masonic Homes, Infirmarys, and Orphanages. Some Chapters sponsor individual orphaned children in other countries. We have Educational Loans, Scholarships, Endowment and Benevolent Funds. Arthritis and Rheumatism, the new project of our Most Worthy

Grand Matron, has been most successful this year. We share in Shrine Hospitals, Veterans' Hospitals, in the Red Cross and Eastern Star Blood Banks, March of Dimes, Heart Foundations, Red Cross, Salvation Army, Retarded Children, Multiple Sclerosis and Crippled Children Foundations, and Foundations for the Hard of Hearing and Blind, Leukemia, Mental Health, and Civil Defense. It seems that no service is too small to perform. Along with financial assistance with the above mentioned, a staggering number of hours has been reported including transportations for shut-ins, to church, pleasure rides, and even shoveling snow for senior members.

If ever an organization should be known for its deeds it is the "Order of the Eastern Star". We learned no group is more benevolent in "Service for Others".

Robert Morris, our founder, said, "If Eastern Star satisfies the demand of age, it will live".

In presenting this report we had a "Pot of Gold" at the end of the "Rainbow" that could go on endlessly.

It has been gratifying and inspirational in the various ways we show our thoughtfulness to others and it is beneficial, both to the giver and the receiver. Our sincere thanks to Sister Maud, our Grand Secretary, for her welcomed guidance and the capable committee for their devotion in helping to record the true meaning of our beautiful Order by their assistance in compiling "Fraternal Correspondence".

To our Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol, on behalf of the committee, our sincere thanks for the confidence you placed in us to serve the Grand Chapter in such a delightful experience.

Fraternally submitted,

MARION CLOUGH,

MARGARET DEMPEL,

RUTH CHASE, Chairman,

Committee on Fraternal Correspondence.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Ruth and members of your Committee, this is a most interesting and informative report as through it we learn of many differences in areas of the United States, as well as in other countries. I know this is an interesting committee on which to work because of the differences you find in Jurisdictions. We are grateful for your report.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES

(Presented by P.G.M. Mary E. Balden, Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, members of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star:

Our Order of the Eastern Star is a beautiful organization founded upon the word of God. It teaches fidelity, constancy, loyalty, faith

and love. Our Chapters composing the Order of the Eastern Star have, therefore, the perfect foundation.

It is regrettable that with such a beautiful and perfect foundation that those things which the Order does not symbolize creep occasionally into our Chapters causing unrest, unhappiness and dissatisfaction.

Fortunately the majority of Chapters are happy and striving for continued happiness and prosperity among their members. Some Chapters have difficulty in keeping harmony and happiness among their ranks.

Personal problems find their way into the Chapters. In a world of unrest and turmoil it is too bad that the personal problems of individuals must be brought into the otherwise peaceful atmosphere of the individual Chapter.

A Chapter can only be as strong as the members within it and can only be as harmonious as the members who comprise it. With such a large number of Chapters within the State of California the troubles brought to the attention of the Appeals and Grievances Committee are small by comparison.

Every attempt has been made by that committee this year to resolve the problem or trouble brought before it into a peaceful solution.

In most cases misunderstandings, too much malicious talking and personal grudges are the roots of the problems presented. Often criticism and interference of former leaders of the Chapter cause dissension. Those who have served as former leaders of the Chapter must learn that time marches on and oftentimes changes many things. They must realize that their service should be a guide post and not a hitching post. Those who have been in positions of leadership must realize that it is one thing to dictate and another thing to advise. Good advice is always acceptable—dictatorship is not.

It should also be remembered by all members that there was only One who was perfect in all things. While we, as mortals, strive for perfection we can not attain it but to be as nearly perfect as possible should be the goal of each member.

The majority of former leaders work diligently to keep peace and harmony in their Chapters and to assist in every way possible, so that the Chapter may grow in health and prosperity.

Each of us has within our being the ability to do good. By all working together for good, happiness could be the only result in each Chapter. Consideration of others can bring about a more peaceful atmosphere in every Chapter in which there have been problems.

Let us remember that what we do for ourselves alone dies with us and what we do for others remains and is immortal.

Your Committee on Appeals and Grievances appreciates the opportunity to be of service to the Order of the Eastern Star in the State

of California and trusts that the coming year will bring happiness and prosperity into all Chapters of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Respectfully submitted,
 GERTRUDE CONANT MATSON,
 HARRY SPROULE,
 MARY E. BALDEN, Chairman,
 Committee on Appeals and Grievances.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Mary, for your work on this important Committee and for the help you have extended to me in many ways. We hope that next year the Appeals and Grievances Committee will not even have a report.

Solo:

Peggy Burris, Worthy Matron, Parnassus Chapter No. 269.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Peggy, for that beautiful song which I know all present have enjoyed. We have been very fortunate this year in having many Worthy Matrons who have beautiful voices, and everywhere we have gone throughout the State we have been entertained by them.

We are privileged to have with us the Worthy Grand Matron and a group of her Grand Officers, from Oregon. May I again present Sister Virginia Wright, the Worthy Grand Matron of the State of Oregon.

Greetings:

Virginia Wright, Worthy Grand Matron of Oregon:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Marshal, Distinguished East, Sisters and Brothers:

This has been such a thrilling experience for all of us and worth the long, long drive down here.

We appreciate the many courtesies extended to our Grand Family by the Distinguished Guests Committee. I would especially like to extend our thanks to the Housing Committee who made sure we were taken care of.

You members should be very proud of your Grand Officers. They have been so kind and have made the effort to get to know us better.

I must relate to you an experience we had on our way down. You know, in Oregon our freeways are not like yours, and we were scared we would never find Long Beach. We were eating in a restaurant north of here and some ladies from Porterville came in and took a booth next to us. We were sure they must be Eastern Stars and soon noticed their Eastern Star rings. We made ourselves known.

They were on their way to Grand Chapter and could tell by our conversation that we were concerned about finding Long Beach. They offered to pilot us to our hotel and right on over to the Session. That's true Eastern Star friendship and we will always remember them. We only hope now that we will be able to find our way home.

You are so fortunate to be able to have your Grand Chapter in this beautiful Arena where there is room for everyone and we can enjoy your drills and lovely decorations. We have also moved our Grand Chapter to a larger building.

Sister Esther, Associate Grand Matron, we appreciated your coming to Oregon this year and we are sorry we cannot stay for your Installation, as we have become such good friends as we have advanced to the Grand East. The very best luck and we will be looking forward to you and several of your members coming to Oregon again next year.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for allowing me the privilege of speaking.

REPORT OF THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

(Presented by Sarah Woods, Chairman.)

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

Your Scholarship Committee has the pleasure of submitting the following report:

Education today is one of the first requirements for the successful future of our children. Competition in all fields is keen, and the better jobs are available to those with a good education. Trained men and women are better equipped to meet the responsibilities of tomorrow. An education is expensive, and many families are not in a financial position to send their children to college without assistance. Abraham Lincoln once said: "You cannot escape the responsibilities of tomorrow by evading them today". Do these words remind you of our serious responsibility to the young people in our communities?

In January of this year the usual letter was mailed to each Eastern Star Chapter in the State and to the heads of the organizations: Rainbow for Girls, Job's Daughters, and Order of DeMolay, informing them of our scholarships available to graduating high school students entering college.

The Committee gave numerous talks in their areas during the year, to help familiarize the members of the Order with the Scholarship project of our Grand Chapter. After one such meeting the Chairman was presented with a donation to the fund from Past Patron John Menagh of Delano Chapter. Also, the Annie Picknell Mills Association of Southern California made a gift of \$500.00 to the fund. Others asked "What can we do?"

It is important that when giving out information about our program the members of the Order emphasize the rules set up by our Grand Chapter: "Only High School Seniors may apply for the Educational Awards, and Religious Awards are made to college students or graduates entering study for the Ministry or religious work". Also "Scholastic ability and financial need must be shown". These rules are stated in the Constitution of Grand Chapter and the Committee is obligated to follow them.

As the applications were received by the Chairman they were arranged, checked and mailed to the other members of the Committee to evaluate in their homes. This helped lessen the pressure of work at the Committee meeting in the Grand Secretary's office in July, giving more time for the final consideration of the awards.

The five-cent increase voted by Grand Chapter in 1962 gave the Committee \$17,000.00 to work with instead of the usual \$8,000.00 or \$9,000.00. Our heartfelt thanks for this increase as it enabled us to assist more young people in starting their college careers.

The Committee met in the Grand Secretary's office July 11th and 12th to study and evaluate the applications and grant the awards. I will not read the list at this time but an alphabetical list is included with this report and will be printed in the Proceedings.

This year 243 applications, including the Religious and Re-grants were received. By writing personal letters re the incomplete applications we were able to consider 214 of that number. Again we found that many applications were incomplete through no fault of the student, but that of the school's failure to send transcripts of grades, reports, etc.

Of the 243 applications received you will be interested in knowing—45 were from members of Job's Daughters, 43 from Rainbow Girls, 9 from the Order of DeMolay and 1, for Religious Training, was a Mason.

Many times the members of the Committee wished that each of you might have the opportunity to read the letters of students telling us their educational plans, conditions in their homes and the many financial difficulties facing them.

A summary of the awards is as follows:

Religious Re-grants	6	Cash Granted	\$ 1,500.00
Religious New	5	Cash Granted	1,500.00
General Education Re-grants	7	Cash Granted	1,350.00
General Education New	59	Cash Granted	12,300.00
Total Awards	77	Total Cash Granted	\$16,650.00

Replies were sent to all applicants. Congratulations to the recipients, regrets to those whose applications were incomplete and could not be evaluated, as well as regrets to those whose requests could not be granted because of our limited funds.

During the months of August and September many wonderful letters of appreciation were received from the recipients of the

awards and their parents. These letters expressed appreciation, not only for the financial aid, but also for "The Wonderful Order of the Eastern Star".

One boy wrote "People have often told me that things would not be handed to me on a 'Silver Platter'. While I still realize this is true, I cannot help but see this Nation is far greater than it otherwise would be without Organizations such as yours".

From a girl "Please convey to the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star my sincere appreciation for the honor you have bestowed upon me. I am grateful for the financial assistance certainly, but I am also very proud of the confidence you have expressed in me. I shall work very hard to prove myself worthy of your consideration".

Another girl, who may later apply for a Religious Scholarship, wrote: "I would deeply and sincerely like to thank your wonderful Organization for its generosity to me and indirectly to my family in our hour of need. I pray that God will help you and your great Order to prosper in order that you may be able to help more students like myself to further their education".

The members of the Committee would like to express their appreciation to our Grand Secretary, Sister Maud, and her wonderful staff for the many courtesies extended during the year and especially during the two days we met in her office. Also, we appreciate the opportunity of serving Grand Chapter on one of the outstanding projects of our Order—that of helping young people start their college education. We are grateful to the Worthy Grand Matrons who have appointed us to this work. Thank you, sincerely.

Fraternally submitted,
ESTHER A. SCOTT,
LOIS BLODGETT TAMBA,
ANNIE PICKNELL MILLS,
ESTHER WAGNESS,
SARAH WOODS, Chairman,
Scholarship Committee.

Accepted.

1963 LIST OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Religious Recipients (6):

- Barnes, Kenneth Harold, P. O. Box 305, Kelseyville, California.
University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland—Ministry.
\$300.00.
- Guthrie, Thomas George, 3616 Lindalee, Rosemead, California. California Baptist Theological Seminary, Covina, California—Ministry. \$150.00.
- Noel, William Arthur, 2369 Le Conte St., Apt. 5, Berkeley 9, California. Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley, California—Ministry. \$300.00.

- Rusk, Jerry W., 19120 Nordhoff Ave., Northridge, California. Harvard Divinity School, Cambridge, Massachusetts—Study for Doctorate. \$150.00.
- Smith, Gerald Walker, Jr., 5407 Bartram Drive, Apt. 33, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.—Doctorate. \$300.00.
- White, Ronald Cedric, 505 No. Adams St., Apt. 6, Glendale 6, California. Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey—Ministry. \$300.00.

Religious Awards (5):

- Dierberger, James Wesley, 528 W. Vermont Ave., Anaheim, California. Garrett Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois—Minister. \$300.00.
- Harris, Donald Mell, 2451 Ridge Road, Berkeley 9, California. The Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, California—Navy Chaplain. \$300.00.
- Layne, Thomas Richard, 33 Richmond Road, San Anselmo, California. San Francisco Theological Seminary, San Anselmo, California—Minister. \$300.00.
- Smith, Barry D., 465 Fillmore St., Pasadena, California. Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey—Minister. \$300.00.
- York, Douglas S., 734 Pajaro Street, Salinas, California. Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, California—Minister. \$300.00.

General Education Bgrants (7):

- Bird, Roy B., Box 24, Shell Beach, California. University of California at Santa Barbara—Secondary Teacher. \$150.00
- Crandall, David C., Box 621, Herlong, California. Chico State College—Psychology. \$300.00.
- Eckroat, Dale R., 794 E. 16th St., Chico, California. Chico State College—Secondary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Hartley, Laurence W., 2424 Humboldt St., Santa Rosa, California. Santa Rosa Junior College—Pre-Medical. \$150.00.
- Huggins, Jessie Lenore, 3059 Redwood, San Diego 4, California. San Diego State College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Kropp, Marie, Creston Star Route, Paso Robles, California. University of California at Santa Barbara—Early Elementary Teacher. \$300.00.
- Pittman, Christine, 667 J. Ave., Coronado, California. San Diego State College—Physical Education. \$150.00.

General Education Awards (59):

- Batt, Laurel, 6390 Skaggs Springs Road, Geyserville, California. University of California at Davis—General Home Economics. \$300.00.

- Baumeister, Judabeth, 8580 Wade Street, San Diego, California. San Diego State College—Science. \$150.00.
- Bressler, Gloria, 309-28th St., San Francisco, California. San Francisco State College—General Secondary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Buchanan, Robert, 21366 Anza, Torrance, California. University of Southern California—Business Major. \$300.00.
- Carlisle, Gary Lee, 354-14th St., Santa Monica, California. Art Center School—Advertising. \$150.00.
- Chibante, Linda Lee, 3620 N. Steinberg Road, Atwater, California. San Jose State College—Secondary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Christopherson, Melva, 1293 Palmetto Ave., Chico, California. Chico State College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Crauthers, Richard N., 5506-D Beaudry St., Emeryville, California. University of California at Berkeley—Political Science. \$150.00.
- Crouch, Julie Ann, 1065 Juanita Drive, Walnut Creek, California. University of Oregon—Secondary Teacher. \$300.00.
- Crutehfield, Barbara Kay, 520 W. Yosemite Ave., Manteca, California. San Joaquin Delta College—Business. \$150.00.
- Dickman, Roberta Joan, 3051 Frye St., Oakland, California. University of California at Berkeley—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Dreier, Virginia M., Rt. 1, Box 713, Red Bluff, California. Shasta Junior College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Erickson, Marcia Lee, 4784 Valencia Drive, San Diego, California. San Diego State College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Farris, Susan L., 1055 L. Street, Fortuna, California. University of California at Berkeley—Nursing. \$300.00.
- Flint, Bobbye Rhea, 3246 Circle Court West, Fresno, California. Fresno State College—Secondary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Germain, Suzanne C., 1613 James Street, Sanger, California. Chico State College—Teacher. \$150.00.
- Gregory, John James, 136 So. Astell, West Covina, California. Art Center School—Art. \$150.00.
- Griffith, Carolyn F., 821 Madison St., Petaluma, California. Sonoma State College—Psychology or Political Science. \$150.00.
- Hecker, Barbara G., 661 Union St., Encinitas, California. San Diego State College—Psychology and Social Worker. \$300.00.
- Hicks, Mae E., 1371-8th St., Kingsburg, California. Fresno State College—Director of Religious Education. \$150.00.
- Homen, Dennis N., P.O. Box 972, Portola, California. Chico State College—Civil Engineer. \$300.00.
- Knowles, Thair Diane, 845 South Taylor Ave., Montebello, California. Whittier College—Music. \$300.00.
- Knowles, Verna Kay, 680-5th St., Lakeport, California. Kaiser School of Nursing—Nursing. \$300.00.
- Kogut, Kenneth E., Apt. 4, 2428 Channing Way, Berkeley, California. University of California at Berkeley—Chemical Engineer. \$150.00.

- Kushner, James M., 4935 Whitsett Ave., Apt. 3, North Hollywood, California. University of Southern California—Physician and Surgeon. \$300.00.
- Leave, Christine, 1313 Navellier St., El Cerrito, California. University of the Pacific—Journalism or Foreign Service. \$150.00.
- Leelman, Barbara K., 14729 Fleming Ave., Bellflower, California. Long Beach State College—Nursing. \$150.00.
- Lehfeldt, Beverly L., 1405 Lucerne Ave., Gustine, California. University of California at Davis—International Relations. \$300.00.
- Leonard, Donna Lee, 1819 Yosemite Drive, Los Angeles, California. Chouinard Art Institute—Art Teacher. \$150.00.
- Leong, Arnold C., 2641-C Kit Carson St., Sacramento, California. Sacramento City College—Dentistry. \$150.00.
- Lewenthal, Jane E., 304 King Road, Roseville, California. University of California at Davis—General Secondary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Lewis, Lynda K., 1226 Woodrow Ave., Oildale, California. Bakersfield, Junior College—Speech Therapist. \$150.00.
- Lindell, Sandra Gay, 4303 Hackett, Lakewood, California. Long Beach State College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Little, Jacklyn May, Route 1, Box 75-A, Los Molinos, California. Chico State College—Elementary Teacher. \$300.00.
- Maciel, Maria A., 94 Main St., Standard, California. Modesto Junior College—Homemaking Teacher. \$300.00.
- McCoy, Helen M., 1240 San Juan Ave., San Jose 10, California. San Jose State College—Probation Officer. \$300.00.
- McCoy, Robert M., Box 27-A Metz Road, King City, California. University of California at Santa Barbara—Engineering. \$300.00.
- Muecus, Lynda Sue, 4224 Scenic Ave., Pittsburg, California. University of California at Berkeley—Pre-medical. \$150.00.
- Munger, Judith Ellen, 3306 Lexington Ave., Bakersfield, California. Pacific Christian College at Long Beach—Missionary or Christian Education. \$150.00.
- Nelson, Mary L., 14537 Sylvia Way, San Leandro, California. University of California at Berkeley—Librarian. \$150.00.
- Olson, David R., 540 Bonnie Drive, El Cerrito, California. University of California at Berkeley—General Secondary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Perry, Luther B., 39 Tharp, Watsonville, California. California Institute of Technology—Research and Teaching. \$300.00.
- Phillipp, Karen June, 852 Griswold Road, Covina, California. University of Redlands—Journalism. \$300.00.
- Rademacher, Karen G., 1326 Arch St., Berkeley, California. University of California at Berkeley—Psychiatric Social Worker. \$150.00.
- Rivera, Emma F., 5600 Sutter Ave., Richmond, California. University of California at Berkeley—Pre-medical. \$150.00.

- Robertson, Claire Ann, Box 40, Cobb, California. Sacramento State College—Teacher, Retarded Children. \$300.00.
- Ronsheimer, Lauren M., 213-7th St., Petaluma, California. Santa Rosa Junior College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Rust, Patricia Joy, 437 Springs Road, Vallejo, California. University of California at Davis—Biological Science. \$300.00.
- Schmidt, Andrea L., P.O. Box 36, Alton, California. Humboldt State College—Biology. \$300.00.
- Smith, Irene Kay, 18860 Tilson Ave., Cupertino, California. San Jose State College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Speers, Paul B., P.O. Box 1262, Westwood, California. Yuba College at Marysville—Engineer. \$300.00.
- Stapp, Martha Jane, Box 414, Arvin, California. Bakersfield Junior College—Elementary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Stevens, Arden Grant, 1145 Kingsley, Stockton, California. Indiana Wabash College—Psychology. \$300.00.
- Thomas, Gerald Lee, 661 Rio Grande, Portola, California. University of California at Berkeley—Teaching or Writing. \$300.00.
- Toliver, Samuel Paul, 1529 E. Oak, Stockton, California. San Joaquin Delta Junior College—Pre-medical. \$150.00.
- Walters, Sandra L., 165 E. Main St., Independence, California. University of California at Santa Barbara—Science Major. \$300.00.
- Weppler, Sylvia J., 5348 San Pablo, Fresno 4, California. Fresno State College—General Secondary Teacher. \$150.00.
- Winder, William D., 16034 K St., Mojave, California. Antelope Valley Junior College—General Education. \$150.00.
- Zuboff, Zachary Z., 3027 So. Canfield Ave., Los Angeles 34, California. University of California at Los Angeles—Pre-Dental. \$150.00.

Religious Reqrants	6	Cash Granted	\$ 1,500.00
Religious New Award	5	Cash Granted	1,500.00
General Reqrants	7	Cash Granted	1,350.00
General Education	59	Cash Granted	12,300.00
Total Awards	77	Total Cash	\$16,650.00

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Ws recognize the efficient manner in which this Committee performed their duties. We are proud of the help we are giving to our youth through this Grand Chapter project, and you Committee Members must have a wonderful feeling in your hearts for having been able to do so much good for our young people. Thank you and all of our members for their support of this project.

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I again present Sister Hazel M. Harden, Past Grand Matron of New Mexico and member of the International Temple Committee of General Grand Chapter.

Greetings:

Hazel M. Harden:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Marshal, Sister Thelma Bailey, other Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

I bring you greetings from New Mexico. The first day I was here I was so tired after leaving our Grand Session on Sunday morning, that I was almost unconscious; I didn't know whether I was coming or going, but after resting a day, I am enjoying your hospitality so much. Your Grand Officers and so many of the members have been so lovely to me, and we are really appreciative of all the courtesies which have been extended.

Your opening ceremony was so colorful, I have never seen anything to equal it. I enjoyed hearing you and we have never been so graciously received.

Thank you and everyone for the many courtesies, and we hope you will all sometime come to New Mexico and visit us. Thank you so much.

Introduction:

Past Grand Patron James L. Millard (Grand Honors were extended.)

At 9:45 P.M. the Session was called to refreshment until 9:00 A.M. Wednesday.

Wednesday, October 23, 1963
Morning Session

Past Grand Matron Gertrude Conant Matson, Hostess, and Past Grand Patron Frank David Cruse, Host, were escorted to the East, and Sister Matson called the Session to order at 9:10 A.M.

After the Grand Officers assumed their stations the Worthy Grand Matron called on Sister Matson.

Welcome:

Gertrude Conant Matson, Past Grand Matron, Hostess:
Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members in the Grand East, Delegates of this Session, Sisters and Brothers:

Good Morning and a cordial Greeting to all!

The courtesy of opening this Grand Session on this Wednesday morning has been extended to me by our Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol Jensen, and I am truly grateful for this privilege.

To have our Grand Patron of 1937, Brother Frank David Cruse, with me fills my heart to overflowing. Frank and his good wife Alma, have been so kind, thoughtful and loving to me all the years

of our friendship and they have a very special place in my heart. In 1937 our Sister Carol was Worthy Matron of her Vallejo Chapter and I was Grand Marshal. In that capacity, I was very close to our Worthy Grand Matron of 1937, Sister Rita May Cooper. In April of this year, Rita May demitted from her earthly Chapter and joined Chapter Eternal. Those of us who knew her and loved her, miss her sorely.

A delightful part of Grand Chapter is to greet old and dear friends and to make new ones. We have enjoyed the beautiful opening and heeded the reports of our Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and other Grand Officers.

Today we enter upon the important matter of election. Later we will have many important decisions to make on new legislation, so let us meet these challenges by being alert and watchful. Let us use our American-given right to vote in the best possible manner. Let us especially make up our minds to do these things to the best of our ability uninfluenced by anyone. In our National, our State and County elections we weigh matters carefully—let us do likewise in our capacity as a delegate to Grand Chapter.

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, you are rapidly approaching the end of your year as our leaders. We have all been deeply proud of you, for you have been gracious in your leadership and have ever upheld the dignity of your office. May our Heavenly Father watch over you and yours all the years to come.

Brother Frank Cruse, may we hear from you at this time?

Greetings:

Frank D. Cruse, Past Grand Patron, Host:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

It is a great honor to act as Host this morning with Sister Gertrude Conant Matson, who was our Grand Marshal in 1937. To meet here in this beautiful new Auditorium, where we have ample seating capacity for all of our members.

Our Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol Mae Jensen, and Worthy Grand Patron Brother Edwin F. Collins, have done a magnificent job this year building friendship and harmony all over the great State of California. They both have been kind, courteous, considerate of our members and have done everything to promote our beautiful Order.

The passing of our Past Worthy Grand Matron Sister Rita May Cooper on April 16, 1963 was a great loss—we all miss her.

Sister Carol was our Worthy Matron of Vallejo Chapter No. 278 in 1937.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for this courtesy to act as Host with Sister Gertrude.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

On this morning of our most important business, our Annual Election, we are honored and grateful to our Sister Gertrude and Brother Frank for their words in opening our Session.

Sister Gertrude served our Grand Chapter in 1941, when our Worthy Grand Patron served his Chapter as Worthy Patron, and in 1937 I was privileged to serve my Chapter as Worthy Matron under Brother Frank as Worthy Grand Patron. Each of you has served our Order well, and means a great deal to us.

The Session was purged and, after Prayer, declared open for business.

Prayer:

Edna Johnson, Grand Chaplain:

Grant, O Lord, we beseech Thee, that this day may be to us, one of healthful work and progress. Whether outwardly joyous or sad, may it be fruitful in good endeavor. Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely and of good report, grant that with one accord we may think on these things to do them, through our Heavenly Father. Amen.

Minutes:

The Minutes of the Tuesday Evening Session were approved as read.

REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

A preliminary report was read by the Chairman, Florence Emerick, and accepted. The report indicated 3635 Delegates present. Complete report given Friday morning.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(This portion read by the Chairman, Herbert C. Dueneke, Past Patron of Elizabeth B. Wheeler Chapter No. 540, who presented the Committee.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for having been permitted to participate in another year of very rewarding activity with the other members of the Finance Committee and with the association, assistance, cooperation and guidance of the Grand Officers with whom we met, and the other committees with whom we worked.

I would like at this time to present the other members of the Finance Committee for 1963:

Past Grand Matron Bernice Jan Basich, Past Grand Matron Thelma Warner, Past Grand Patron Frank Cruse, and Past Grand Patron Francis Herz.

Your Finance Committee has the responsibility of supervising the investments, finances, budgets, expenditures, records and audits of Grand Chapter and its various committees for the proper and effectual conduct of its fiscal affairs. For this purpose it held the following meetings during this past year:

November 19, 1962—Reviewed and approved an allowance of \$500.00 to be expended by the Worthy Grand Matron for the benefit and assistance of Augusta Chapter No. 80 of Covelo, which had lost all of its possessions in the fire of the Masonic Lodge Building where it met. Such expenditures of these funds were to be charged to the Benevolence Committee.

January 19, 1963—Met in Fresno with the Grand Officers, the President of the Board of Trustees and a representative of the General Chairman of Grand Chapter Week Activities, and among other matters we reviewed and considered the condition and needs for maintenance, repairs and improvements at the Eastern Star Home. We also reviewed the facilities and problems involved in using and decorating the new auditorium at Long Beach together with related expenditures and budgets proposed in Charles Boone's report. We also considered, among other things, the development and presentation to this Grand Chapter of a broadened investment program for Grand Chapter funds which will be presented as an amendment to Section 180 of the Constitution during this Session.

January 31, 1963—We met with the Grand Officers at Long Beach to review at first hand the problems and expenses presented by the new auditorium; to again consider the budget presented by Charles Boone, General Chairman of Grand Chapter Week, and to review and determine certain Grand Chapter Week budget limitations including the courtesies to dignitaries.

February 16, 1963—We met with William Nelligan, Chairman of the Endowment Committee and his Committee at the Eastern Star Home, in review of its plans and budget, and for agreement upon certain conflicting responsibilities of Section 182, paragraphs c and d of the Constitution. The agreements reached will be presented as proposed amendments during this Session under the joint recommendation of these two committees.

April 27, 1963—We met with the Board of Trustees at the Eastern Star Home and the Grand Officers present in review of their proposed budget for 1964 for the Eastern Star Home, and in study of the requirements and anticipated development and improvements for the Home.

May 11, 1963—We met in San Francisco with the Grand Officers, William Nelligan, Chairman of the Endowment Committee, and two members of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, and continued the review of the Board's budget for 1964 approving such budget in the amount of \$268,000.00, subsequently increased to

\$273,900.00. An additional assessment for maintenance requirements and for the establishing of a maintenance fund to be separately accounted for was reviewed and approved in the amount of \$1.00, subject to presentation and approval at this Grand Chapter Session.

The presentation of new mailing material, receipts and other Endowment Committee information was studied and approval was given to the Endowment Committee to expend \$3,800.00 therefor prior to the closing Session of Grand Chapter.

The budget of the General Chairman of Grand Chapter Week was again reviewed and discussed for the third time and a tentative budget was approved in the amount of \$11,340.00. This was subsequently increased by \$1,250.00 by approval of the Finance Committee and the Grand Officers involved to cover certain draping, carpeting and decorations not previously contemplated.

The Grand Chapter budget was reviewed, discussed and approved in the amount of \$59,680.00, subject, of course, to the review and consideration of this Grand Chapter Session, as are all budgets presented to the Finance Committee for consideration.

A further report was made on the proposed revision of the investment policies of Grand Chapter and a proposal from Moody's Investment Service, Inc. was studied. The Finance Committee approved the recommended investment policy and further recommended that Moody's Investment Service, Inc. be used in the supervision of this Fund should the investment policies of Grand Chapter be revised by amendment at this Grand Chapter Session.

In addition to these meetings the Finance Committee also polled the members of the Committee and the elected Grand Officers on two separate instances for specific review and majority opinion in establishing certain courtesies to visiting dignitaries in reaching a final determination in this matter.

It also approved the ordering of 500 badges for \$350.00 for Grand Representatives to replenish the supply of these badges; approved the purchase of a ditto machine for the Endowment Committee for \$50.00, which it could not locate; approved that the audit of Grand Chapter's records be made by Lybrand, Ross Bros. and Montgomery, C.P.A.'s, and charges therefor, and the payment of the Workmen's Compensation premium for this past year in the amount of \$3,355.56.

The investments in the various funds of Grand Chapter were reviewed several times during this past year in considering the re-investment of maturing Government obligations, cash deposits made to the several funds, and cash and securities received by testamentary distribution. Limited as we are in the investment of Grand Chapter funds to savings accounts and obligations of the United States of America, it was felt advisable to retain the savings accounts carried in the several funds. No further investment was made in Government obligations because of the low interest yield on short and medium term maturities. 4% savings deposit certificates were re-

sorted to where practical, and other available funds were deposited in regular 3½% savings accounts.

The following investment changes were made:

\$100,000.00 Treasury Notes, matured on February 15, 1963 in the Endowment Fund and were deposited in 4% Savings Deposit Certificates.

\$50,000.00 Treasury Bonds, 4⅞% maturing on November 15, 1963, in the J. Clifford Lee Cancer Fund were recommended for deposit to 4% Savings Deposit Certificates pending further review if the investment policies of this Grand Chapter are expanded.

Reviewed and recommended the retention of securities received by the J. Clifford Lee Cancer Fund from the Estate of Margaret Burlet, with the cash portion of such distribution deposited in the savings account in this Fund.

Approved the conversion of 17 shares Southern California Edison, Pfd., 4.48% convertible series stock, for 45 shares of common stock and with regrets directed the sale of scrip for fractional shares resulting from the conversion.

The failure to be able to provide more promising investments for the several funds resulted in the following increases in savings accounts and savings deposit certificates carried:

	Balance as of August 31, 1963	Increase over last year
Benevolent Fund	\$ 39,500.83	\$ 7,734.14
J. Clifford Lee Cancer Fund	101,669.50	1,355.93
Scholarship Fund	1,189.61	
Representative Fund	30,130.64	4,674.20
Cancer Dressings Fund	7,544.42	
Grand Chapter Convention Fund	4,246.86	
Endowment Fund	355,655.90	224,621.89
	<u>\$539,937.76</u>	<u>\$238,386.16</u>

This means that funds in excess of \$539,000.00 are presently held in savings accounts which have increased by more than \$238,000.00 during this past year. These funds are held in savings accounts primarily because the only investment media permitted by the Constitution, Government Obligations, did not present an attractive enough yield or were too restrictive to permit investment in such media.

The Finance Committee recommends and will present at this Grand Chapter Session an amendment to the Constitution for the purpose of broadening the investment policies of Grand Chapter in correction of what it believes to be a curtailment of normal investment programs particularly in connection with the Endowment Fund.

On behalf of the members of the Finance Committee, I want to express our appreciation to the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron who are official members of this Committee for their

assistance and encouragement in our several meetings with them and to our most patient Grand Secretary whose records, wit, and memory make any Grand Chapter activity a pleasure.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Finance Committee,
H. C. DUENCKEL, Chairman.

(The following portion on Insurance read by Past Grand Matron
Thelma Rehnert Warner, member of the Committee.)

To the Grand Chapter of California:

The Finance Committee is pleased to submit the following report on Insurance.

Synopsis of Claims:

For the period October 1962 to October 1963, a total of fifty-one claims have been reported to the insurance company with respect to public liability and medical payments. Of these, thirty-five had been closed with payments ranging from \$11.00 to \$1,600.00 and sixteen remain open pending completion. Relative to medical payments claims in the past year—five maximum payments of \$1,000.00 each have been made with other payments ranging well over the \$500.00 mark.

The loss experience in connection with this phase of your insurance program is now on the "borderline" level. Any increase in the present pattern of losses will undoubtedly result in a higher rate at time of renewal, September 1, 1964.

This report embraces two classifications of insurance, which are of interest to our Chapters being added to our insurance program at this time, namely, (1) broad form money and securities—burglary, robbery, theft, disappearance, etc. and, (2) "all risk" insurance on paraphernalia.

1. MONEY AND SECURITIES (Broad form—Burglary, Theft, Robbery, Disappearance, Destruction, etc. Chapter Premises and Messengers).

There have been a number of losses over the years, none of which were insured. The risks arise when monies are collected at Chapter functions, while on the premises, while in the custody of a messenger in transit to the bank, or to and from home the next banking day, or while in the home awaiting deposit.

The average annual cost would be \$1.39 per Chapter.

2. PARAPHERNALIA (All Risks—Broad Form).

This is another area where Chapters are paying higher rates and premiums.

Further, all such policies are very restricted in form, and the coverage provided would result in losses being paid on a *depreciated value* basis.

The benefits in the new policy would be—

- (a) far broader coverage
- (b) losses paid on a REPLACEMENT COST NEW
- (c) substantially lower premium cost.

The average annual cost would be \$3.33 per Chapter.

Most Chapters are carrying this coverage under individual policies with higher rates and premiums. These should be immediately terminated.

The whole transaction would be simply—

- 1. No additional premium or remittances by the Chapters.
- 2. No change or increase in the per capita presently in effect.

We are very pleased with the results of our extended negotiations and are glad for the opportunity to make these additional benefits of broader coverage and premium savings available to all Chapters in California.

Recommendation:

We recommend that the per capita tax for Insurance for the coming year be 30 cents, payable at the same time and in the same manner as other per capita taxes.

FRANK CRUSE,
FRANCIS J. HERZ,
BERNICE JAN BASICH,
THELMA REHNERT WARNER,
HERBERT C. DUENCKEL, Chairman,
Committee on Finance.

Both Portions of the Report Accepted and Referred to Committee on Distribution.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHARTERS AND DISPENSATIONS

(Read by the Chairman, Past Grand Matron Helen Louise Edwards, who presented the members of the Committee.)

To the Grand Chapter of California:

The work of any Grand Chapter Committee is always made more pleasant and effective when its members work together in their efforts to accomplish the desired end for which they have been appointed.

It has truly been a pleasure to have on my Committee Past Grand Matron, Helen Isberg and Past Grand Patron, George Danielson.

There are three Chapters Under Dispensation—Desert Candle in Mojave, Santa Rosa, and Orinda.

We have thoroughly examined their books, as well as talked with their presiding officers. The Secretaries and Treasurers' books have been well kept, their accounts are accurate and the proper spirit of fraternalism exists among the members.

Your Committee is therefore pleased to recommend to this Grand Chapter that Desert Candle, Santa Rosa and Orinda Chapters be granted their Charters at this Session.

Our best wishes are extended to the members of these Chapters for many years of successful fraternal living.

HELEN O. ISBERG,
G. D. DANIELSON,
HELEN LOUISE EDWARDS, Chairman,
Committee on Charters and Dispensations.

Adopted.

Motion by Past Grand Matron, Helen Louise Edwards, properly seconded, that Desert Candle, Santa Rosa and Orinda Chapters be granted voting privileges and Mileage at this Session. **Carried.**

Introduction:

The Worthy Grand Matron presented Past Grand Matron, Bertie Y. Connolly, a fifty-year member. (Grand Honors were extended.)

Past Patron George Bailey, Chairman of the Election Board, at the request of the Worthy Grand Matron, gave instructions on the proper method of electing Grand Officers.

ELECTION OF GRAND OFFICERS

There being but one candidate for each of the following offices, upon motion properly made and seconded, an unanimous ballot was cast for each in turn and he was then declared elected for the ensuing Grand Chapter year:

Esther M. Sandman, Worthy Grand Matron
William P. Wilson, Worthy Grand Patron
Ellen C. Walters, Associate Grand Matron
James H. Hoole, Associate Grand Patron
Maud McWilliams Smith, Grand Secretaary
Marian Schwach, Grand Conductress
Vivian Kilgore, Associate Grand Conductress

For the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home for the ensuing three years:

Elias Mansfield Frances Williams James Craven

As there were three candidates for the office of Grand Treasurer, Marian Clough, Norma Johnson and Bessie Kidd, the polls were declared open at 10:35 A.M. and were declared closed at 11:55 A.M.

Afternoon Session

The Session was called to order at 1:30 P.M. by the Worthy Grand Matron, who presented the Host and Hostess, Past Grand Matron Mary Balden, and Past Grand Patron, James L. Millard.

Welcome:

Mary Balden, Past Grand Matron, Hostess:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members of our Order, Sisters and Brothers:

My sincerest thanks to you Worthy Grand Matron for the honor and privilege of serving as Hostess with my own Worthy Grand Patron of 1960 as Host at this, the Wednesday Afternoon Session of Grand Chapter, and I would say to you, Sister Carol, it was a privilege to have you as an officer in our 1960 Grand Family.

While these are busy days for you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, they are days that will long be remembered by you with the deepest of pleasure. This, the year of 1963, has been a pleasant and harmonious one. You started the year last October not knowing what trials or what pleasures lay ahead. You had many dreams and many plans. With such a pleasant year it is certain the trials have not been great; the plans and dreams you made have seen fruition.

Surely the emblem of your year, Worthy Grand Matron, the rainbow, has hovered about the shoulders of your Grand Family. There is no more beautiful sight in the sky than the sight of a rainbow following a storm. God's promise of peace and a sign that all is well. You, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and your Grand Officers, have labored diligently for the good of our beloved Order, for the good of each member of the State.

This is the time of harvest, and now all have gathered to share in its bounty.

The business of the week of Grand Chapter sometimes seems a task but with each one striving to make the Grand Session all that it should be, the week is one of great accomplishment.

May every member present return home from this Grand Session with happy memories of days and nights well spent. May God richly reward each one who has had a part in the year's work and may you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, enjoy that blessedness of knowing you have run the race and have kept the faith.

May good health and happiness be yours for years to come.

Greetings:

James L. Millard, Past Grand Patron, Host:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, my own Worthy Grand Matron Mary Balden, Distinguished and Honored members of our Order, Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, I thank you for the courtesy you have extended to me this afternoon by inviting me to open this Session with my own Grand Matron of 1960.

Being from the same part of the State and having served Grand Chapter with you, I feel that Sister Marian and I have come to

know you and Brother Earl quite well. We have enjoyed your friendship and that of Brother Ed and Sister Jeannette very much.

When this Session comes to a close, I am sure that everyone will tell of the successful leadership you and Brother Ed have given this year.

To insure the success of this Grand Chapter and our individual Chapters each one must give of himself in love. Paul said, "Now abideth faith, hope, and love but the greatest is love." We can have brilliant people, all our charities, but if we do not have love in our relations to each other it becomes a loud empty sound, like a clanging cymbal. Love is patient, kind, long suffering as shown in the lessons of the heroines of our Order. When the heart is full of love there is no place for jealousy, hate, rudeness, irritability, resentfulness, or rejoicing at wrong, but rejoicing in all that is right. We are told to "Love thy neighbor as thyself". If we will do this we will forget ourselves in the interest of others. Their welfare, well being, happiness, and hopes will be our aim. Without this kind of love our Order will be an empty void, with it we can grow, prosper, and be an example to all the world.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Mary and Brother Jim. We well remember your year of service in 1960 as Presiding Officers in this Grand Chapter, and your devotion has continued. Your leadership gave me many inspirational lessons during that, my first year in the Grand Line, and we are very pleased that you could have taken a part in this Rainbow Session. We shall never forget you.

The Session was purged and business resumed.

REPORT OF THE ELECTION BOARD

Brother Bailey reported 2929 votes had been cast for the office of Grand Treasurer, but no candidate had a majority.

Before the Delegates proceeded to ballot Sister Norma Johnson thanked her friends for their encouragement and withdrew her name as a candidate.

Proposed Resolution to General Grand Chapter:

Past Grand Patron John Vale asked permission to read the following resolution he wished to present to General Grand Chapter in 1964:

When a man becomes a Master Mason, in good standing, any member of an Eastern Star Chapter shall have the privilege of inviting that Master Mason into the Chapter to become a member.

He shall pay the initiation fee and the dues; take the Degrees; sign the By-Laws, but he shall forego the formality of the ballot.

When the Worthy Matron of any Chapter reads such a petition, she shall inform the Chapter members as to the name or names of those who have invited the Master Mason, and she shall request any objections to be stated, in writing, within ten days and signed by the name of the sender.

There was discussion on the Resolution at this time, but as the Delegates did not understand the proposition, the matter was brought up again on Thursday morning, and on **Motion** by Past Grand Matron Marguerite Weisheimer, seconded by Past Grand Patron Henry L. Wintz, this Grand Chapter went on record as disapproving this Resolution to General Grand Chapter. **Carried.**

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION

(Read by the Chairman, Past Grand Patron Joseph F. Reed.)

Your Committee on Distribution refer to the Committee on Finance the question of printing the new Instruction Books, and the recommendation regarding the per capita tax for the Insurance Fund.

PHILIP FREDRIC LEAHY,
ROBERT C. ATKINSON,
JOSEPH F. REED, Chairman,
Committee on Distribution.

Accepted.

The Worthy Grand Matron announced that Past Grand Matron Maude Bigelow Sibley had been elected Worthy Grand Matron forty years ago and asked that the audience sing "Happy Anniversary" to her.

Sister Sibley graciously responded with words of appreciation.

The Worthy Grand Matron presented the Worthy Grand Matron of Nevada, Rita Fuhrman.

Greetings:

Worthy Grand Matron of Nevada, Rita Fuhrman:

Thank you so much. Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I hardly anticipated this. It has been a pleasure for me to be here and I have been showered with kindness and courtesies ever since I arrived. In no place have I ever felt I had so many friends. You have been just wonderful. Every time I turned around some of you have asked, what can I do for you? Is there anything wrong? You make me feel that we are all one, and it is a great feeling to be able to feel that there is no separation in State lines in the Eastern Star. I hope that many of you will come to one of our Grand Chapter Sessions—we would love to entertain you and return some of the courtesies you have shown us. It has been a wonderful experience.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Rita. We spent a week in Nevada and feel closer to you because this Grand Chapter had a part in the Institution of your Grand Chapter, as there were several Chapters in Nevada that belonged to our Grand Chapter before you had your own Grand Chapter, consequently we feel that we are a little closer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Presented by Past Grand Patron Francis J. Herz.)

To the Grand Chapter of California:

Your Committee on Finance recommend that the payment of Mileage to the Pages and "Raindrops" be not approved, as Section 222 of the Constitution defines to whom Mileage should be paid.

(Refers to Recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron.)

FRANK CRUSE,
FRANCIS J. HERZ,
THELMA REHNERT WARNER,
BERNICE JAN BASICH,
HERBERT C. DUENCKEL, Chairman,
Committee on Finance.

Recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron Not Adopted.

(Presented by Past Grand Matron Thelma Rehnert Warner.)

To the Grand Chapter of California:

Your Committee on Finance recommend the adoption of the 30 cents per capita for the Insurance Fund for the coming year.

FRANK CRUSE,
FRANCIS J. HERZ,
THELMA REHNERT WARNER,
BERNICE JAN BASICH,
HERBERT C. DUENCKEL, Chairman,
Committee on Finance.

Adopted.

(Presented by Past Grand Patron Frank D. Cruse.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Delegates to the Ninetieth Session, Sisters and Brothers:

Again, I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for having the privilege of working with the members of the Finance Committee. Our Chairman, Brother Herbert Duenckel, assigned me the duty of working with the Home Board.

The new addition has been completed and the rooms are all occupied, and there are only four rooms available to admit new members.

This Home is the result of all the work and cooperation of all of our Officers and members of the Eastern Star in California.

I want to compliment our Superintendent, Sister Widle, on the efficient and business-like manner in which she conducts the operation of our Home. And also to thank the very capable and efficient Board of Trustees for their courtesy and cooperation; also to express our appreciation to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Jensen, and our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Edwin Collins, for the fine work that they have done this year.

May I extend an invitation to everyone to come out and visit our beautiful Eastern Star Home.

FRANK CRUSE,
Member, Finance Committee.

Accepted.

REPORT OF THE ELECTION BOARD

Brother George Bailey, Chairman of the Election Board, reported there had been 2712 votes cast for Grand Treasurer, and that Sister Bessie Kidd had received the necessary majority.

The Worthy Grand Matron then declared Bessie Kidd elected Grand Treasurer for the ensuing year.

The Worthy Grand Matron presented Sister Elysabeth Franke, Worthy Grand Matron of Utah.

Greetings:

Worthy Grand Matron Elysabeth Franke of Utah:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, Sisters and Brothers:

I am indeed privileged on behalf of all of your distinguished visitors to present to you, Worthy Grand Matron, this memento as a token of our appreciation and with it our sincere wish for your continued success and happiness.

As we return to our homes we will carry with us the enthusiasm and hope portrayed here as you legislate for the good of our Order.

I am taking this opportunity to thank you for your welcome and all the courtesies you have extended to each of us visiting your Session from Utah. We have enjoyed this colorful "Rainbow Session" with the explanation of the symbolic colors.

Your inspiring dedication so impressed us we shall long remember this occasion. Thank you again.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

It has been a real pleasure and honor to have you here and we are sorry that you have to leave us so soon, but I know that you have a long, long way to go. May God be with you on your journey. Thank you for this memento from the visitors here at this Session.

NECROLOGY SERVICE

(This service was planned by and under the direction of Past Grand Treasurer Agnes McGehee, Chairman.)

The theme of this Service was "The Golden Chain".

Those participating in the service, in addition to the Grand Officers, were: Bea Ann Hancock, Narrator; Joe Uttz, Soloist; Ruth Weiss and Loretta Miller, Angels.

NARRATOR: Life is continuous, without beginning or end, every moment of every day throughout Eternity is filled with God's abundant blessings. Over the mystical sea are the ones we hold dear, memory's links bind them fast to us here.

As the Rainbow is the promise of a new and brighter dawn, so has God, our Father, promised that our loved ones will live on.

"Beyond the Rainbow's end" there lies a land that is always filled with love and light, where shadows never fall and dim the skies, for in this lovely land there is no night. In this celestial place of joy and peace, there is no time or space, no doubt or fear, for those who come to us, all troubles cease, all worldly difficulties disappear, and though the loss of loved one or friend brings sorrow, and it is hard for us to bear, if we could see beyond the Rainbow's end, we know that we would find them waiting there, in that celestial dwelling place Above—the land of peace and joy, of light and love.

SOLO: "Beyond the Sunset".

(The Grand Officers formed the Golden Chain around the Altar; the Grand Conductresses draped the Altar, the Grand Chaplain, holding the Bible and replacing it on the Altar as the Grand Conductresses stepped back into the Golden Chain.)

PRAYER, Grand Chaplain:

Our Heavenly Father: As we come to Thee in this quiet hour, we are thankful for Thy blessings and for those who have lengthened our Golden Chain. The lessons of our Order teach us that Thou are ever present so we have the comforting thought that our loved ones are with Thee. May the memory of their love and service inspire us to go forward following His Star in the East. Bless and comfort those who have lost a loved one and give them the strength and trustful faith of Martha. When one by one each link of our Golden Chain shall fall away in death may the parting be temporary and the meeting Eternal. In the world where death comes not, may we realize the full meaning of loving and serving Thee. Amen.

The two Angels who had stood in back of the Golden Chain, circled and took the links of those who had "fallen away in death" to the East during the singing of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds".

On the side of the East was a large circle of "Eternity" on which the Angels placed the emblematic links as eulogies were read.

The Grand Officers returned to their stations as the soloist sang "Over the Mystical Sea".

The service was concluded at 4:15 P.M. and the Session was called to refreshment until 9:00 P.M.

EULOGIES

EULOGY TO RITA MAY COOPER, PAST GRAND MATRON

(By Frank D. Cruse, Past Grand Patron.)

The Golden Chain of our Past Grand Officers was severed when on April 16, 1963 our Sister Rita May Cooper was called to the Grand Chapter Above.

Sister Cooper was initiated in Sacramento Chapter No. 190 on February 6, 1920. In 1922 she served as Ruth, 1923, as Esther, 1924 to 1927, advanced to the East. 1927, Worthy Matron; 1931, Deputy Grand Matron; 1933, appointed Grand Marshal; 1934-1937, advanced to the Grand East. 1937, served as Worthy Grand Matron of California. 1938 to 1951 served on various Grand Chapter Committees. In 1952, appointed Worthy Grand Chaplain of General Grand Chapter to serve for three years and for her many years of faithful service she is remembered by all of her sorrowing friends.

*"Sleep on, Dear Friend, a life like thine,
Has not been lived in vain
But holds an influence rare, divine
On those who still remain."*

EULOGY TO W. FRANK HOLMAN, PAST GRAND PATRON

(By John Vale, Past Grand Patron.)

Brother W. Frank Holman, M. D., entered into rest March 1, 1963.

Brother Holman was initiated in Faith Chapter No. 193 in Clarks Hill, Indiana, and affiliated with Pacific Chapter No. 192, Los Angeles, on June 22, 1912, serving as Worthy Patron in 1913. He was elected Worthy Grand Patron in 1916 and served as the Presiding Officer in 1917. In 1925 he demitted and affiliated with Los Angeles Chapter No. 168, where he retained membership until his death. He received his 50-year pin in 1958.

Brother Holman served Grand Chapter with distinction on its most important committees and his knowledge and ability will be sorely missed.

His was a life of service, curing the living of sickness, giving of his time to all. God has said "My Kingdom is love, he is now with those he loved, he left behind many who loved him."

Through that great mystery of death he has achieved his ultimate goal, Peace.

We who had the privilege of knowing him shall miss him.

We measure time by the tick of a clock. Life measures time by the years we have lived.

God measures time by the service we have given, "His cup was full".

EULOGY TO "BIRDIE" ISABELLE BASSETT, PAST GRAND MATRON
(By Elvetta Grohl, Past Grand Matron.)

Sister "Birdie" Isabelle Bassett, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, 1946-1947, entered into rest July 6, 1963.

Sister Birdie Bassett was initiated in Vernon Chapter No. 35, Gridley, California, on December 3, 1930, and served as its Worthy Matron in 1939. She served Grand Chapter as a Deputy Grand Matron in 1942, as Grand Marshal in 1943, and advanced through the Grand Line to become Worthy Grand Matron in 1947.

During her year of leadership, great emphasis was placed on the development of the charities of the Order. She will be remembered as a leader of great faith, sound judgment and indomitable courage in the tasks she selected for accomplishment by the Order.

Illness for many years, prior to her death, had prevented her from being active in the work of the Order.

*"The weary eyes are closed at last;
The hands are folded on the breast;
The labors of the day are past,
The Father gently whispered 'Rest',
And this is best."*

EULOGY TO GRACE DIERS BECKMAN, PAST GRAND TREASURER
(By Lois Blodgett Tamba, Past Grand Matron.)

An active member of the Order of Eastern Star for 63 years was Grace Diers Beckman. She was a native Californian who resided in the rich vineyard lands of her birth. Her leisure was spent by her beloved sea at Santa Cruz.

She was an ardent and devoted member who was initiated in Woodbridge Chapter No. 118 in 1900, served as Worthy Matron in 1915. She was chosen Deputy Grand Matron in 1917. Grand Chapter elected her to the station of Grand Treasurer in 1925. Our Sister entered into rest on November 30, 1962.

Many have enjoyed her friendship, experienced her generous hospitality and became inspired by her zeal for our Order.

Friends come, friends go; the loves men know are ever only fleeting; in song and smile a little while we read their kindly greeting. With warmth and cheer they linger near, the friends we fondly treasure; then on a day they drift away, a loss no words can measure. And though we grieve to see them leave, in thought we still enfold them; in memory's net we keep them yet, and thus can ever hold them.

EULOGY TO THELMA SCHLEIFER, PAST GRAND TREASURER
(By Marguerite Weisheimer, Past Grand Matron.)

*"Into God's beautiful garden
A messenger comes, each day
To gather the choicest blossoms
And bear them with Him away."*

Early in this year, on April 27th, our hearts were shocked and saddened when we heard of the untimely passing of Sister Thelma Schleifer, Past Grand Treasurer, while still in the full flower of her grace and beauty.

She was initiated in Los Cerritos Chapter, Martinez, on May 12, 1943 and served as its Worthy Matron in 1949, as Deputy Grand Matron in 1953, Grand Chaplain in 1957 and Grand Treasurer in 1959. She served on Grand Chapter Committees and was to have served as the chairman of this Necrology service.

Those of us who knew her well realized her love of beauty and her constant seeking for the mystical meaning of life.

*"From our chain this golden link
Has fallen from our sight
Yet we are sure that God knows best
His will, not ours, is right.
Behind the clouds comes shining through
A Rainbow, bright and fair
God, grant us faith to look beyond
And see our Sister, there."*

EULOGY TO SALLY LIBERMAN CHALSON, PAST GRAND TREASURER
(By Corine Urban Melville, Past Grand Matron.)

Sally Liberman Chalson, Grand Treasurer of the Grand Chapter, State of California, Order of the Eastern Star, 1941-1942.

One whom we have loved and lost, only for a while; yet love will dream and faith will trust that somehow, somewhere, meet we must.

Sally was a Charter Member of Menorah Chapter No. 497, having been initiated at the Institution of the Chapter on June 16, 1928. She served as Worthy Matron in 1932, was appointed Grand Adah for the year 1934 and the following year was appointed a Grand Representative. In 1941 she was elected Grand Treasurer of the Grand Chapter and in the following years served on numerous committees.

Her life was lived for others—family, friends and those whom she met along life's way. She had the ability of going out of one's self and appreciating whatever was noble and lovely in another—always understanding and forgiving. Her life was beautiful in its kindness, beautiful in its spiritual influence and beautiful and steadfast in its faith and who hath not learned in hours of faith, the truth, to flesh

and sense unknown, that life is ever Lord of death and love can never lose its own.

To SALLY: Whose life was an inspiration and whose memory is a benediction.

EULOGY TO OUR MEMBERS:

(By Henrietta Higgenbotham, Worthy Matron, Triangle Chapter No. 456.)

God's finger touched them and they were called to that Great Grand Chapter where "There are many Mansions not made with hands eternal in the Heavens."

They never quite leave us, our members who have passed to the sunlight above. A thousand sweet memories are holding them fast to the place they blessed by their presence and love.

Let us give thanks that they lived the teachings of our beautiful Order and that we have the privilege of continuing to live the admonition of our Heavenly Father that we "Love One Another".

Wednesday Evening

Wednesday evening the Delegates were entertained, preceding the Grand March, by Manny Harmon and his Orchestra. The entertainment features were particularly enjoyed as the two professional entertainers in the Band called upon the Worthy Grand Patron, Edwin Collins, to assist in a number. This was the first opportunity the Delegates had to hear the Worthy Grand Patron sing and do a dance number. This was followed by a number by Earl Jensen, husband of the Worthy Grand Matron, Grant Sandman, husband of the Associate Grand Matron, Gene Harris, husband of Grand Adah, and Gaylord Brignall, husband of Grand Ruth. The participants were given costumes of various kinds, and horns, and to the music of an electronic organ put on an act that was as good as any done by "professional amateurs"—this act was the hit of the evening.

After the entertainment was over eleven hundred participated in the Grand March. The beautiful gowns made this a colorful, outstanding evening—particularly when thirty-two couples abreast walked down the center of the Auditorium.

Thursday October 24, 1963

Morning Session

The Session on Thursday morning was called to order by Past Grand Matron Everina Rheingans, Hostess, and Past Grand Patron Dalora K. Burnham. Host.

After the formal entrance, the Grand Officers assumed their stations.

Welcome:

Everina Rheingans, Past Grand Matron, Hostess:

Good morning!

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for the privilege of opening this Session. As you know, you have always had your own special place in my heart and, of course, it is always a pleasure to share the East with Brother Dee.

You chose for your Motto "Live for Others" which is in itself an expression of the purpose of our Order, for we "Live for Others" when we give love, understanding, kindness, sympathy, tolerance and forgiveness;

We "Live for Others" when we share ideas, dreams and ideals;

We "Live for Others" when we share prayers, beauty, peace and faith;

We "Live for Others" when we give encouragement, inspiration and guidance;

We "Live for Others" when we give of ourselves in friendship and when we "Love One Another" in the truest fraternal sense.

May your Motto live long in the memory of our members and continue to be an influence for good.

Brother Dee, may we hear from you?

Greetings:

Dalora K. Burnham, Past Grand Patron, Host:

Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carol, thank you for this special privilege of assisting Sister Everina to open this Thursday Morning 90th Session of our Grand Chapter. I appreciate the opportunity of once again sharing the Grand East with Sister Everina, our Worthy Grand Matron of 1961.

Sister Carol, just one year ago you, in command and with your first mate, Brother Ed, and your wonderful crew, set forth from the Port of Oakland in your good ship, O.E.S., to stop at the many ports of Eastern Star throughout the State of California. With the Star in the East to guide you, and no storms to stop your ship, you have dropped anchor at the end of your tour in our wonderful Port of Long Beach.

Here we know you will find the Rainbow overhead and at its foot, the pot of gold which is always to be found at the foot of the Rainbow. Your pot of gold will be made up of the friends which you have made along your way and the wonderful experiences which you have had throughout this past year. We are sure that you feel just as the captain of a ship must feel, that you are proud and happy when you have brought your ship into port safely at your journey's end. We wish for you every happiness as you complete this Session of Grand Chapter and as you return home to look back upon your travels in your Eastern Star life and assume your duties which lie ahead.

It is given to us of this generation, to achieve real peace—if not for ourselves, for our children.

It is given to us to reassert the right of man to live as the image of God. To those who say that these unlimited objectives are unthinkable, impossible—let us reply that it is the alternative to them which is unthinkable, impossible for Americans to contemplate. Let us dedicate ourselves to the achievement of these unlimited objectives as boldly and as surely and as confidently as did Columbus and Washington and all the countless millions of Americans, from the Pilgrims to the Pioneers, who have proved that in this unconquerable and justifiably optimistic Nation *nothing* undertaken by free men and women is impossible.

Past Grand Matron, Everina Rheingans:

Sister Carol, it is with pleasure that I present to you your gavel so that you may open this Thursday Morning Session. May the things that are accomplished be strong and enduring and a step closer to the ideals we share in the Order of the Eastern Star.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Everina and Brother Dee, your friendship and the memories of our happy service in 1961 will always be most outstanding. Thank you for your fine remarks and guidance in opening our Session this morning. You have been an inspiration and a guide to me, and if our Grand Chapter Sessions can in any way compare with yours I will be happy. We are most grateful for the assistance you have given us this year. Thank you again.

The Session was purged, the Bible opened and the Grand Chaplain gave the Prayer.

Prayer:

Grand Chaplain, Edna Johnson:

Almighty God: In this quiet hour we come before You, seeking strength to meet the challenges of this day.

Grant us strength of body to perform our tasks in life without complaint, knowing we serve You. Grant us strength of soul so that our purpose will be made known and fulfilled in our every action.

Almighty Father of us all, with thanksgiving we dedicate again our body, mind, and soul that Your will on earth be done. Amen.

Minutes:

The minutes of the Session on Wednesday were approved.

Memorial to General Grand Chapter:

Past Grand Patron Henry Lee Wintz and Past Grand Matron Marguerite Weisheimer spoke on the action taken on Wednesday

regarding the resolution which Past Grand Patron John Vale wished to present to General Grand Chapter to eliminate balloting on the petition of any Master Mason. **Motion** by Marguerite Weisheimer, seconded by Henry Lee Wintz, that this Grand Body go on record as disapproving this Memorial to General Grand Chapter. **Carried.**

REPORT OF THE MILEAGE COMMITTEE

(Presented by Karl Caldwell, Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Harris, Sister Thelma Bailey, Worthy Grand Marshal, General Grand Chapter, Sisters Gilma Vick Moyers, Elvetta Grohl, Brothers Lloyd E. Griffin, Francis J. Herz, Committee Members of General Grand Chapter, Honored and Distinguished Members of this Grand Chapter, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, may I present the members of your Mileage Committee Sister Essie Hickman, Past Matron of San Ramon Valley Chapter No. 588, and Brother Donald Fraser, Past Patron of Ocean Park Chapter No. 245, Santa Monica.

Before reading our report, I desire to take this opportunity to express the appreciation of the Mileage Committee to the Worthy Grand Matron for the privilege of serving her.

It is the pleasure of your Worthy Grand Matron that mileage be paid during the Friday noon recess, to those entitled to receive it.

Mileage will be paid on this floor at the same place you voted.

To those entitled to receive mileage payments, the following will be the procedure:

Tables will be set up, with your Chapter number above them. You will please present your registration card, to the paying teller under your respective Chapter number.

The following rules apply: Mileage will be paid to the Worthy Matron providing she has registered and attended all Sessions. If the Worthy Matron has not registered, mileage will be paid to the Associate Matron, provided she has registered and attended all Sessions. The same rules apply to the Worthy Patron and Associate Patron. It will not be possible for the Worthy Matron to collect the Worthy Patron's mileage, or the Worthy Patron to collect the Worthy Matron's mileage.

If you have a problem, please contact me and we will see that it is satisfactorily solved.

With your cooperation, it will be possible for you to receive your mileage within 15 minutes.

The Sisters and Brothers who have consented to assist the Mileage Committee, will please report to Conference Room 10 on this floor at 10:00 A.M. Friday.

Your Mileage Committee will pay to the Grand Officers, Deputy Grand Matrons, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Past Elective Grand Officers, Members of Standing Committees, and representatives of subordinate Chapters, the following amounts:

Grand Officers	\$ 248.25
Deputy Grand Matrons	1,562.00
Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons	505.80
Past Elective Grand Officers	200.10
Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons	14,523.45
Committee Members	670.30

GRAND TOTAL \$17,709.90

In order to reimburse the Representative Fund, your Committee recommends a per capita tax of \$.10 for each member borne on the rolls at the close of the fiscal year, August 31, 1964, be levied on the subordinate Chapters of this Jurisdiction. The amount is in addition to the dues prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Grand Chapter and is to be paid at the same time and in the same manner as is prescribed for the payment of annual dues.

Respectfully submitted,
 ESSIE HICKMAN,
 DONALD ROSS FRASER,
 KARL J. CALDWELL, Chairman,
 Mileage Committee.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Finance.

Home Assessment 1964:

The hour of ten having arrived, the Worthy Grand Matron announced the special order of business, consideration of the Home Assessment for 1964, would be considered.

Brother John J. Brost, a member of the Board of Trustees of the Home, explained the necessity for an assessment. **Motion** by Richard Brassell, Past Patron of Guardian Chapter No. 439, seconded by John Brost, that the Home Assessment for the year 1964 be \$1.00 per member, payable through the subordinate Chapters, for maintenance requirements and for the establishing of a maintenance fund to be separately accounted for. After considerable discussion, the previous question was called and carried. Vote on the original motion that there be a \$1.00 assessment for the Home for 1964, **Carried.**

Invitations for 1965 Session:

Invitations were read from San Diego and Long Beach for the meeting in 1965, and were referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Presented by Frank Cruse, Past Grand Patron.)

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

The Finance Committee recommend the adoption of the 10 cents per capita tax for the Representative Fund for 1964, as suggested by the Committee on Mileage.

H. C. DUENCKEL, Chairman,
FRANK D. CRUSE,
FRANCIS J. HERZ,
BERNICE JAN BASICH,
THELMA REINHART WARNER,
Committee on Finance.

Adopted.

Musical Selection:

"Star Notes".

REPORT OF THE JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

(Presented by Past Grand Matron Marguerite Weisheimer, Chairman, who introduced the members of the Committee.)

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

Your Committee on Jurisprudence recommend the adoption of the new Book of Instruction, with any changes made therein.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Jurisprudence.

Adopted.

(Past Grand Patron Henry Lee Wintz presented the following):

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

The recommendation of the Worthy Grand Patron in regard to suggested By-Laws for Star Clubs, was referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

It is the consensus of the Committee, with the approval of the Worthy Grand Patron, that the clause "one of whom shall be a Past Matron" be eliminated from Section 2 of Article I, and that the word "present" be added to Section 5 of Article III, making these sections read: Sec. 2, Art. II—The officers shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer. Sec. 5, Art. III—All withdrawals must be voted by a majority of members present and two signatures required on all checks.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Jurisprudence.

Motion by Past Grand Patron Henry Lee Wintz, properly seconded, that the recommendation of the Worthy Grand Patron, as amended, be adopted. **Carried.**

(Worthy Grand Patron presiding.)

To the Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

As to the recommendation of your Worthy Grand Matron that the incoming Grand Matron appoint a suitable committee to study ways and means for increasing attendance and membership in our subordinate Chapters and report such recommendation as seem appropriate at the next Grand Chapter Session, your Committee on Jurisprudence favor such recommendations and move its adoption.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Jurisprudence.

Adopted.

Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

As to the recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron that the Courtesies to Dignitaries Committee file with the Grand Secretary each year a detailed report that will include the activities, the number of dignitaries and their titles and the courtesies and considerations extended to them, we approve of this recommendation. Its purpose is that future committees will have the benefit of these reports and more or less establish a policy set by the Finance Committee. We move the adoption of the recommendation.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Jurisprudence.

Adopted.

To the Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

In this connection it is also recommended by the Worthy Grand Matron that the Courtesies to Dignitaries Committee be divided in two parts:

1. Hostess committee of the Past Grand Officers who will welcome the dignitaries.
2. A working committee to plan and prepare courtesies for the dignitaries.

We move the adoption of this recommendation.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Jurisprudence.

Adopted.

Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

The Worthy Grand Matron recommended that a committee be appointed by the incoming Worthy Grand Matron to rewrite the formal opening and closing of Grand Chapter to be presented at the next Session of Grand Chapter. We move the adoption of this recommendation.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Jurisprudence.

Adopted.

Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

It is recommended that the official report form as filed for each Chapter by the Deputy Grand Matron be revised to include membership total, record of attendance, names of presiding officers, the total number of members initiated, affiliated, demitted, suspended, and the number of deaths as of the date of the Deputy Grand Matron's Official Visit. We move the adoption of this recommendation of the Worthy Grand Matron.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Jurisprudence.

Adopted.

(Worthy Grand Matron presiding.)

REPORT OF GRAND CHAPTER HOUSING COMMITTEE

(Presented by Manila Richardson, Chairman, who introduced her Committee.)

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and Members:

Serving Grand Chapter as Chairman of the Housing Committee has been a rewarding and enlightening experience.

The few complaints made were more than compensated for by the kind words of appreciation given, the cooperation received, and the new friends made.

It is regrettable that there are insufficient accommodations closer to the center of activities, as so many requested; however, the City of Long Beach has many fine hotels and motels where 1423 rooms were reserved through the Convention Bureau. The managers, with a few exceptions, have been most helpful in heeding our plea to refer all applications to the proper persons.

It is recommended that for future Sessions, the members refrain from attempting to obtain their own reservations. Proceeding through

the proper channels enable those responsible to treat all fairly and to maintain control.

There were 52 cancellations, 36 refunds requested and over 4,000 pieces of correspondence handled.

My personal acknowledgment to the Convention Bureau, whose efficient secretaries were, without exception, courteous and helpful to my fine Committee, and to Brother Charles Boone, whom I turned to many times for aid and advice.

Our thanks to all who have been understanding and helped our task to be completed with more ease than was anticipated.

Respectfully submitted,
 MANILA RICHARDSON, Chairman,
 IRENE WATHEN,
 ORLO R. PEUGH,
 Grand Chapter Housing Committee.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Manila, and your committee members for everything you have done in the housing of this group of Delegates. It was no small chore, and the inconveniences that have occurred, if any, were not anticipated on your part. Thank you for everything that you have done for our fraternal group.

Presentation:

Bernice Jan Basich, Past Grand Matron, was presented by the Worthy Grand Matron and given Grand Honors.

JOINT REPORT OF CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS AND FINANCE COMMITTEES

(Given by Past Grand Patron Logan R. Cotton, Chairman, who introduced his Committee, Past Grand Patron James Leo Halley and Past Patron Warren H. Van Eck.)

To the Grand Chapter of California:

Your Committees on Constitution and By-Laws and Finance recommend the adoption of the proposed amendment to Section 195 to increase the amount of aid from the J. Clifford Lee Cancer Fund to \$1,500.00.

H. C. DUENCKEL, Chairman,
 FRANCIS J. HERZ,
 THELMA REHNERT WARNER,
 Committee on Finance.

LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,
 JAMES LEO HALLEY,
 WARREN H. VAN ECK,
 Committee on Constitution
 and By-Laws.

Adopted.

JOINT REPORT OF CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS AND JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEES

To the Grand Chapter of California:

The proposed amendment to Section 468, Plural Membership, has been referred to the Constitution and Jurisprudence Committees, and our recommendation is that this be referred for further study to the joint committees on Constitution and Jurisprudence, to be brought up at some future time. This recommendation meets with the approval of the author of the proposed amendment. I move that the joint committee recommendation be adopted to refer this for further study.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN, HENRY LEE WINTZ, MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman, Committee on Jurisprudence.	LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman, JAMES LEO HALLEY, WARREN H. VAN ECK, Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

Vote:

Proposed amendment to Section 468 referred to Joint Committee on Constitution and By-Laws and Jurisprudence to be brought up at a future Session.

Carried.

To the Grand Chapter of California:

There are three companion amendments to Section 468, namely, additions to Sections 519, 538 and 539, all referring to plural membership. Your Committees recommend that these proposed amendments also be referred to the two joint committees for further study.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN, HENRY LEE WINTZ, MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman, Committee on Jurisprudence.	LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman, JAMES LEO HALLEY, WARREN H. VAN ECK, Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

On **Motion** by Logan R. Cotton, properly seconded, the proposed amendments as mentioned in the report, were referred to Joint Committee on Constitution and Jurisprudence, to be brought up at a future Session.

Carried.

(Past Grand Patron James Leo Halley asked to present the following):

To the Grand Chapter of California:

The Joint Committees on Constitution and By-Laws and Jurisprudence recommends disapproval of the amendment to Section 470

as presented by Sister Radebaugh, and offer the following substitute:

"A Chapter may, by motion unanimously carried, confer a life membership in such Chapter upon any member who has been a member in good standing of any Chapter or Chapters in the State of California for a total of fifty years, or whose membership in the Order aggregates fifty years, twenty-five years of which must be in a Chapter or Chapters in this jurisdiction.", balance of the section as it now reads unchanged.

JAMES LEO HALLEY,	LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,
WARREN H. VAN ECK,	HENRY LEE WINTZ,
LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,	MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,
Committee on Constitution	Committee on Jurisprudence.
and By-Laws.	

After discussion, a **Motion** was made by John Peterson, Worthy Patron of Penrhyn Chapter No. 159, properly seconded, that the consideration of this proposed amendment and substitute, be made the first order of business at the Afternoon Session. **Carried.**

At 12 o'clock Noon, the Session was called to refreshment until 1:30 P.M.

Afternoon Session

At 1:45 P.M. the Session was called to order by Past Grand Matron Lillian Podesta and the Grand Officers entered and assumed their stations.

Welcome:

Lillian Podesta, Past Grand Matron, Hostess:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Marshal, Committee members of General Grand Chapter, my very own Worthy Grand Patron Brother Logan R. Cotton, Distinguished East, my Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol, I feel that I haven't the words in my vocabulary to fully express to you my deep appreciation for the privilege you have given me of opening this Thursday Afternoon Session and speaking to my Sisters and Brothers.

My words I will dedicate to "Happiness" for many things.

Our greatest Happiness at this 90th Session of our Grand Chapter of California has been the presence of our beloved Most Worthy Grand Matron Sister Mildred Haney Harris. She, indeed, has been an inspiration to every member assembled during our busy days of this Session.

My next word of Happiness is from all the members of California, I am sure, for the appointment of our precious Past Grand Matron, Sister Thelma Bailey, as Worthy Grand Marshal, of General Grand Chapter.

Then, too, we are all deriving much Happiness and joy in re-joining with the Committee appointments of General Grand Chapter that were given to California, in all their ACTIVITIES.

Now, Sister Carol, Worthy Grand Matron, Brother Edwin, Worthy Grand Patron, and your corps of Grand Officers, we, the members of California wish to express our sincere Happiness and pride in each one of you for fulfilling the responsibilities that were yours this year of 1963 as our beloved leaders.

We are Happy to recall every effort that you have made this year, for the Good of the Order, because we have had a Happy and Prosperous year under your guidance.

Now, my great Happiness and gratitude is for the privilege, Sister Carol, that you have given me, in opening this Session this afternoon with my very own Worthy Grand Patron of 1945, Brother Logan R. Cotton.

In closing I will say:

"True Happiness is to no spot confined:
If you preserve a firm and constant mind,
'Tis here! 'Tis everywhere!"

Greetings:

Logan R. Cotton, Past Grand Patron, Host:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Lillian, Past Grand Matron, Distinguished East, Sisters and Brothers:

It is a sincere pleasure to have had this privilege of being a part of this Grand Chapter Session. I wish to thank Sister Carol for this assignment. This pleasure was amplified by having by my side Sister Lillian. It seemed like old times. Eighteen years ago, but it seems but yesterday.

Our two distinguished leaders, Sister Carol and Brother Ed, have given genuine fraternal leadership to our Order this year, and we are deeply appreciative of their accomplishments.

As we look to the future in our Order, it seems to me we must recognize that we are living in a fast-moving age. It seems that each day brings a new crisis, and we in the fraternal world must be alert to the changing times.

Recently a president of a great university said that the influence of fraternities was decreasing each year. Likewise in talking to an official of one of our great fraternities, the statement was made that each year it became more difficult to get members, and I am sure we are experiencing the same situation. We should heed the word of warning and be forever vigilant. Should we not leave this Session with a dedication and a desire to see our Order grow? There is only one answer, and that is a greater effort on the part of every one of us to put forth more effort in securing good mem-

bers, especially those young people who will have to carry on if fraternal organizations are to survive.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Lillian Podesta, our Past Grand Matron, and Brother Logan R. Cotton, our Past Grand Patron, since you served Grand Chapter in 1945 you have continued to serve on many important committees, and this year Brother Logan has given much of his time and efforts to the Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

Sister Lillian has brought honor to California for her services to General Grand Chapter during the last Triennium, and we were most pleased that such a fine team could be present to welcome us on this Thursday afternoon.

Thank you for your sincere and inspiring remarks.

The Session was purged, led in prayer and declared open for business.

Prayer:

Grand Chaplain, Edna Johnson:

Almighty and merciful God: We pray that Thou will teach us how to live, that we may provide an example for all who know us. Help us to be understanding and to stand for what is right. Help us to be gentle, to forgive that we may be forgiven. May we always remember the abundance of Thy many blessings. We ask this in Thy Holy Name. Amen.

Minutes:

The Minutes of Thursday Morning Session were approved as read.

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

(By Past Grand Patron James Leo Halley)

Worthy Grand Matron and Delegates:

The matter of the proposed amendment to Section 470 was under discussion prior to the Noon recess. The members of the Jurisprudence and Constitution and By-Laws Committees have proposed a substitute amendment to that proposed by Sister Louise Radebaugh, to read: "Fifty-year Members: A Chapter may, by motion unanimously carried, confer a life membership in such Chapter upon any member who has been a member in good standing of any Chapter, or Chapters, in the State of California for a total of fifty years, or those whose membership in the Order aggregates fifty years, twenty-five of which must be in a Chapter, or Chapters, in this Jurisdiction, providing the last five (5) years prior thereto were in the Chapter conferring the life membership,

without payment of fee into a Life Membership Fund, any provision of the laws of Grand Chapter or the by-laws of the Chapter notwithstanding."

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,	JAMES LEO HALLEY,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,	WARREN H. VANECK,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,	LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,
Jurisprudence Committee.	Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

After discussion for and against the substitute amendment, motion was made for the previous question, which carried. Brother John Petersen, Worthy Patron of Penrhyn Chapter No. 159, with sixteen co-signers, asked for a roll call vote. **Not Carried.**

Vote on the substitute amendment **Lost.**

The Committee reported against the original amendment to Section 470, moved for its adoption but recommended a "No" vote. Proposed amendment **Not Adopted.**

To the Worthy Grand Matron and Delegates:

Your Committee presents two companion measures to the amendment to Section 470, proposed amendments to Sections 532 and 205. In both cases we move for adoption but recommend a "No" vote.

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,	JAMES LEO HALLEY,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,	WARREN H. VANECK,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,	LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,
Jurisprudence Committee	Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

Vote on proposed amendment to Section 532; **Not Adopted.**

Vote on proposed amendment to Section 205; **Not Adopted.**

(Past Grand Patron Logan R. Cotton, presenting):

Worthy Grand Matron and Delegates:

Your Jurisprudence and Constitution and By-Laws Committee approve the proposed amendment to Section 538, but ask that the word "may" be changed to "shall".

LLOYD ELLIS GRIFFIN,	JAMES LEO HALLEY,
HENRY LEE WINTZ,	WARREN H. VANECK,
MARGUERITE WEISHEIMER, Chairman,	LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,
Jurisprudence Committee.	Constitution and By-Laws Committee.

After discussion, the motion for the change of words was withdrawn and a **Motion** was made by Past Grand Patron Cotton, properly seconded, that the word "however" be inserted, making the first paragraph of the section read:

Sec. 538. **PERIOD OF DELINQUENCY.** A member who fails to pay Chapter dues or Grand Chapter dues or assessments for a period of six months from the close of the calendar year in which payment shall have been due, may be suspended; however, a member who fails to pay Chapter dues or Grand Chapter dues or assessments for a period of one year from the close of the calendar year in which payment shall have been due, shall be suspended, unless the Chapter shall, by majority vote, excuse such failure. While in effect, such suspension shall deprive a member of all the rights and privileges of the Order, including the right to represent himself to be a member thereof, or to use or display the emblems of the Order. If such suspension is continued for six months, membership is thereby terminated, except for purposes of discipline, subject only to petition for reinstatement, as hereinafter provided.

Vote on amendment to the proposed amendment, **Carried.**

Vote on amendment to Section 538 as amended, **Carried.**

REPORT OF CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS AND FINANCE COMMITTEES

Worthy Grand Matron and Delegates:

Your Committees on Constitution and By-Laws and Finance approve the proposed amendment to Section 768 and recommend its adoption.

WARREN H. VAN ECK,	H. C. DUENCKEL, Chairman,
JAMES LEO HALLEY,	FRANCIS J. HERZ,
LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,	THELMA REINERT WARNER,
Constitution and By-Laws Committee.	For Finance Committee.

Adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

(Presented by Herbert Duenckel, Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

The proposed amendment to Section 182 c reading:

Sec. 182 c. **Investment of Funds.** Endowment Fund contributions shall be invested in accordance with Grand Chapter regulations for the investment of Grand Chapter funds. They shall be held as a separate account on the books of the Grand Chapter and shall be in the same custody as other Grand Chapter funds and investments. The only exceptions to the foregoing investment of funds shall be such properties and securities that may come by bequest or gift. The *Finance Committee* may, if it deems it advisable, hold such securities and/or properties, even though they do not meet the Grand Chapter regulations for investment of funds, or it may sell or dispose of the properties or securities and

reinvest the proceeds in accordance with Grand Chapter regulations. (Unless prohibited by the terms of the bequest or gift.)

was referred jointly to the Committee on Finance and Constitution and By-Laws and it is their recommendation that the amendment be adopted.

FRANK CRUSE,
FRANCIS J. HERZ,
BERNICE J. BASICH,
THELMA R. WARNER,
HERBERT DUENCKEL, Chairman,
Finance Committee.

JAMES LEO HALLEY,
WARREN VANECK,
LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,
Constitution and By-Laws
Committee.

Adopted on Motion by Brother Duenckel, properly seconded and carried.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

The proposed amendment to Section 182 d reading:

Sec. 182 d. No part of the principal of the Endowment Fund shall ever be expended for any purpose. The income therefrom shall be used only for the maintenance and operation of the Eastern Star Homes of California and Endowment Fund Committee expenses. *The income of the Endowment Fund subject to its use for Endowment Fund Committee expenses shall be distributed at least annually to the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Homes of California for the maintenance and operation of the Home.*

was jointly reviewed by the Finance and Constitution and By-Laws Committees, and it is their recommendation that it be adopted.

FRANK CRUSE,
FRANCIS J. HERZ,
BERNICE J. BASICH,
THELMA R. WARNER,
HERBERT DUENCKEL, Chairman,
Finance Committee.

WARREN VANECK,
JAMES LEO HALLEY,
LOGAN R. COTTON, Chairman,
Constitution and By-Laws
Committee.

Adopted on Motion by Brother Duenckel, properly seconded and carried.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and Delegates:

Reference is now called to the proposed amendment to Section 180:

Section 180. Finance

(4) To determine and direct, during vacation of Grand Chapter, together with the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, all matters of the investment and reinvestment of all funds of the Grand Chapter, both general and special, including the liquidation of any assets thereof deemed advisable, and to admin-

ister all matters relating thereto. All such action shall be taken only upon the written approval and direction of the Finance Committee acting by majority, and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. It is hereby declared to be the policy of the Grand Chapter to invest and reinvest its surplus funds together with the proceeds of any sales, liquidation or maturities of any assets or other proceeds available for investment under the general provisions of the "Prudent Man Rule" permitted in the State of California for investments but limited generally to the following:

A. At least forty per cent (40%) of funds available for investment must be in:

- 1) Cash and/or bank accounts and savings accounts in national banks.
- 2) Obligations of the United States or those for the payment of which the faith of the United States is pledged.
- 3) Obligations of the State of California and its political subdivisions provided they are issued pursuant to law and that the faith and credit of such municipal corporation or district is pledged for their payment.
- 4) Such other securities as are legal for savings banks in California.
- 5) Other evidences of indebtedness, and preferred stocks which are or will be fully listed and registered on an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as a National Securities Exchange except:
 - a) that such listing requirements shall not include railway equipment trust issues,
 - b) that full listing and registration of preferred stock shall not be required whenever the common stock of the corporation issuing such preferred stock is fully listed and registered on such an exchange, provided that such preferred stock is traded on such an exchange.

B. Up to sixty per cent (60%) may be invested in:

- 1) Common stocks, which must be fully listed and registered on an exchange registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as a National Securities Exchange, except that this listing requirement shall not apply to bank and insurance company stocks.
- 2) Shares of Investment Trusts.

No such investments, however, shall be made which at the time of purchase will result in the total market value of the securities referred to in this section exceeding sixty per cent (60%) of the total market value of all cash, bank accounts and securities held.

All investments made and held by Grand Chapter are to be under the supervision of a professional Investment Advisor selected by the majority of the Finance Committee and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. This Investment Advisor shall have the responsibility of the continual review of all investments of Grand Chapter and shall make recommendations of investments, reinvestments, purchases, sales, and exchange as it deems proper subject to the approval of a majority of the members of the Finance Committee and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

(Other portions of Sec. 180 unchanged.)

This was reviewed and it is the joint recommendation of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee and the Finance Committee that instead of 40% to be invested in securities covered in subsection A, that that be increased to 60% and that under B where it had been proposed to invest 60% in common stocks, that be reduced to 40% in equities and that item 2 under that section be omitted.

Motion by Brother Duenekel, properly seconded, that the amendment to the amendment be adopted. **Motion Lost.**

Motion by Brother Duenekel, properly seconded, that the original amendment to Section 180 be adopted. After discussion, the original amendment was **Adopted.**

REPORT OF THE EASTERN STAR HOME ENDOWMENT FUND COMMITTEE—1963

(Read by the Chairman, Wm. Nelligan, who presented the Committee.)

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

The Endowment Fund Committee, charged with the responsibility of building our Endowment Fund for our Eastern Star Home, submit the following report:

Our task is not an easy one, for we are asking members to dig into their pockets and contribute money through us. In last year's report we stated that the members had contributed an average of 2½¢ each. Actually this amounted to about one cigarette for the year's effort. I repeat, one cigarette, not a package. We are pleased to announce that this year the members have been more generous. The members and Chapters have contributed, through outright donations, 19 plus cents, or about 13 cigarettes. We are pleased with the increase, and can appreciate the greater cooperation of the Chapters, their members, and the many Associations which participated.

Last year we made available a self-mailer envelope for the use of the members, and the increased participation of the members we feel

is due largely to making the members aware of the factors in the Home. The practice of making a member of the Chapter a representative of the Area Chairman has proven that where the Chapter members became aware of the good work of the Order, and became aware of how they could help in this good work, those who wished to do so, availed themselves of these means.

We are going to make available, in this coming year, an Endowment Fund envelope, and for the purposes of giving recognition to each Chapter for its members' generous spirit, we would strongly urge all members, Chapters, or Associations, when making contributions to the Grand Secretary's office, to do so through the use of one of these envelopes.

We have made available a "Will and Bequest" folder. These folders were made available last year and we will forward some to any Chapter which requests them. We feel that more emphasis should be placed in this area, because we feel that, as in the 1962 report, a bequest in excess of \$10,000.00, and one in excess of \$8,000.00 added to the good work of the members, could hasten our fund to a sustaining basis. We again urge increased emphasis on "Wills and Bequests".

In the 1962 report we reported the Fund total of \$688,351.00. The balance at the end of this fiscal year is \$832,776.00, a net increase of \$144,425.00. The donations for memorials, \$13,659.00, and the donations by Chapters and individuals, \$17,225.00. The net income of the fund was \$27,970.00, an increase of \$2,283.00, or almost ten times the increase of last year. We are sure that if the Grand Chapter will adopt the Finance Committee recommendations on investments that this sum can be increased again. With the expenses represented in running our Home, and with our Endowment Fund value fast approaching \$1,000,000.00, we are pleased to see officers and members of Grand Chapter Committees thinking of business-like operations and endeavoring to get the best value for our dollars.

We are pleased again this year to make Honor Certificates awards to those Chapters which have participated, on a voluntary basis, to contribute an average of one dollar each for their Chapter membership. This is not a Grand Chapter project, of course, but a means by which the Home Endowment Fund Committee wishes to commend the Chapters in their area, so all communications relative to the participation in the Fund, we suggest, should be carried on with the Area Chairman, and not with the Grand Secretary. (After all, Sister Maud has enough work to do.)

We are pleased by the compliment paid us by the Grand Chapter officers through their cooperation and encouragement, and would sincerely hope that the future Grand Matron, recognizing that we have upwards of \$1,000,000.00 in this fund, will continue to appoint Chapter representatives to the Area Chairman, so that the education and assistance of those members who desire to assist, can be continued.

To those members in Southern California who desire to do so, we have noticed that contributions come through made out to the United Aid Fund. In so doing be sure you identify your Chapter by number. Any donations to this fund are tax deductible for income tax purposes. The secretaries of the Chapters have receipts which can be used for sizeable sums. We again repeat, however, please use the envelopes for purposes of identification of your Chapter.

In conclusion we wish to extend our "thanks" to our Grand Secretary, and her staff for their extremely patient understanding and assistance. We wish also to thank the Grand Chapter Week Committee for their cooperation. This has been another rich and rewarding year.

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, we thank you.

WILLIAM NELLIGAN, General Chairman,
Home Endowment Fund Committee.

Honor Certificates:

Honor certificates were presented to the following Chapters for contributions to the Endowment Fund equal to One Dollar a member:

Columbus No. 117, Wild Rose No. 326, Arbuckle No. 368, Live Oak No. 371, Reveille No. 47, La Posa No. 282, Golden Wave No. 103, Estrellita No. 541, Starr King No. 204, Mono No. 595, Joshua Tree No. 630, Yucca Valley No. 629, Santa Monica No. 113, Columbia No. 247, Culver City No. 395, Palisades No. 474, Palms No. 491, Highland Park No. 263, Southland No. 307.

Accepted.

Presentation:

Sister Louise Mae Elsensohn, Past Grand Matron of California, was presented and extended the Grand Honors.

Motion by Sister Elsensohn, properly seconded, that this Grand Body endorse the candidacy of Past Grand Matron Thelma Bailey, Worthy Grand Marshal, as a member of the Board of Trustees of the General Grand Chapter. **Carried.**

Response:

Thelma Bailey, Worthy Grand Marshal:

Worthy Grand Matron and Members of the Grand Chapter of California:

By your vote you have expressed your confidence and trust in me and I am humbly grateful. Without the support of those I love, those with whom I have served for many years, any honor would be an empty one. If it is God's will that this honor come to California, through me, I shall give my best and strive to merit the faith you have expressed in me.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NECROLOGY

(Presented by Past Grand Treasurer, Agnes McGhee, Chairman, who introduced the members of the Committee.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for appointing me as Chairman of this Committee, with the efficient help of Sisters Ruth Weiss, Past Matron of West Adams Chapter No. 411 and Bea Ann Hancock, Past Matron of Mar Vista Chapter No. 511.

Also thanks to Sister Loretta Miller, Worthy Matron of Windsor Chapter No. 543 for taking a part as an Angel with Sister Ruth (Patsy) Weiss. We have endeavored to carry out the Theme, the "GOLDEN CHAIN" as inspired by our late Sister Thelma Schleifer, Past Grand Treasurer, who was to have been the Chairman. I wish to thank her kind husband, Dr. B. D. Schleifer for furnishing Sister Thelma's written material.

My special thanks to our Soloist Brother Joe Uttz, member of Guardian Chapter No. 439, and to Brother Ray Smith, Associate Patron of Guardian Chapter, who constructed the "ETERNITY" circle, with the assistance of Brother Uttz.

May we express our gratitude for the impressive eulogies given by our Past Grand Matrons, Sisters Corine Orban Melville, Elvetta Grohl, Lois B. Tamba, and Marguerite Weisheimer, and Past Grand Patrons Brothers Frank D. Cruse and John Valc.

Our appreciation to Sister Henrietta Higginbotham, Worthy Matron of Triangle Chapter No. 456, for the Eulogy given for the members of Grand Chapter.

"The Beautiful Rainbow over the Mystical Sea,
Passing out of the Shadows into the Purest Light,
Go the fallen Links from our Golden Chain of Love,
Fallen behind the Curtain getting a better sight,
Passing out of the Shadow into an Eternal Day,
Why do you call this Dying,
This sweet going away."

Respectfully submitted,
BEA ANN HANCOCK,
RUTH (Patsy) WEISS,
AGNES MCGHEE, Chairman,
Necrology Committee.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Agnes, and your Committee, for the very beautiful Necrology Service you arranged. We appreciate it very much.

REPORT OF COURTESIES TO DIGNITARIES COMMITTEE

(Presented by Everina Rheingans, Past Grand Matron, Chairman, who introduced her Committee.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

Your Courtesy Committee has done its best to try to please everyone, even though we knew this is virtually impossible. As one of our members said, "We have never been so courteous to so many people in such a short time before." It really has been an interesting experience and we have enjoyed working together.

It was our wish to have as many items prepared ahead of time as was possible, so each member of the Committee was assigned a task early in the year, then these parts were assembled here. Your Committee has been working for many months, but if we have pleased you then we are content.

We heartily concur with the Worthy Grand Matron's recommendation that this Committee should be divided into two. It would have been nice to have been able to greet our out-of-State visitors when they checked into their hotels. I am sure it would have given them a better feeling, but there was no time for this.

The room courtesies consisted of decorated canisters filled with what I call "scramble" but what Sister Mand Smith calls "Nuts and Bolts", a mixture of cereals and nuts for good nibbling. We are deeply grateful to all the 1961 Cherub Associations for decorating these canisters for us. Each one was original and all were beautiful. Permanent arrangements of white orchids were also placed in many rooms. We seem to have had many more visitors this year than we expected, so 200 canisters and 77 floral arrangements were distributed.

Corsages were made for all the Grand Floor Officers and the Pages; however, these are not paid for by Grand Chapter. Corsages were given to all the Past Grand Treasurers, and all visiting dignitaries. In fact, our Committee stood in the west during all of the escort on Monday evening to make sure that no one was escorted without a corsage. We used over 150 corsages.

We were pleased to greet our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred Haney Harris and our Worthy Grand Ruth, Sister Mary Fogle. The Worthy Grand Ruth expressed a desire to see Disneyland while she was in California and one of the extra things our Committee did was to see that she was properly escorted.

The usual tea and luncheon were held. These were well attended and we felt that they were enjoyed by all. We borrowed decorations for the tables but Sister Mabel Tellefson made and donated nut bread and Sister Virginia Webster donated the cookies for our tea. We are not only grateful for their efforts, but they saved the day in comparison with the food the hotel had prepared. Many hours of work went into the making of the small plate pinups that were the table favors at the luncheon. Invitations to both of these functions were hand-made and mailed to as many as possible.

Fifty boxes of Rainbow-hued nylon scrubbers, complete with appropriate verse were made and presented as courtesies. However, I don't believe that anyone received the room courtesies that I did. Being a Past Grand Matron, the Committee felt that I should be honored, so they prepared a special box containing a corsage of broken flowers, a floral arrangement in a broken glass, one of the canisters that had fallen apart and inside of it a stale sandwich and deviled egg from the tea, plus a shift for me to wear while we were respraying canisters, etc. I am sure no one enjoyed their room courtesies as much as I did.

Friendships grow from working together and I am sure that this Committee will always have a special feeling for each other. It was a wonderful hard-working, nothing is too much trouble Committee and I am so very pleased to be able to present them to you:

MABEL TELLEFSON,
ALTA GILLETT,
DIANE DIXON,
PATRICIA MCCUBBIN,
VIRGINIA WEBSTER,

FLORENCE CARTER,
RUTH ROBBINS,
ROY DOWNER,
CORRINNE BLISS,
EVERINA RHEINGANS, Chairman,
Courtesies to Dignitaries Committee.

Accepted.

Remarks:

Past Grand Matron, Gilma Vick Moyers, Chairman, Pusan Children's Hospital, General Grand Chapter:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I want to thank Sister Everina and the members of her hard working Committee for all of the many courtesies extended to the members of General Grand Chapter Committees and our Worthy Grand Marshal. We have had courtesies of flowers, luncheons and everything was just beautiful, so we do want her and her excellent Committee to know how much we appreciate their attentions.

At 4:45 P.M. the Session was called to refreshment until 7:30 P.M.

Evening Session

At 8:15 P.M. the Session was called to Order by Past Grand Matron Marguerite Weisheimer, after which the Grand Officers assumed their stations.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Good evening, Delegates. I hope that you all had a fine dinner and are ready to enjoy this evening.

It is my very happy privilege at this time to present our Hostess for the evening, one who has been a very dear friend of mine, who has done much for our Grand Chapter of California and

continues to serve in numerous ways. At this time I would like to present our Past Grand Matron, Sister Marguerite Weisheimer.

Welcome:

Past Grand Matron Marguerite Weisheimer:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Guests, the friends of this Grand Chapter, my Sisters and Brothers:

"Pleasure is a flower that fades, remembrance is a lasting perfume." Worthy Grand Matron, and Worthy Grand Patron, this week spent in the flow of your rainbow, is coming to a close. The pleasures of this Session may fade, but the perfume of remembrance is all about us.

The importance of our Order may be manifested in many ways—by our Charity, expressed in the generous giving of our benevolences—by the Truth, which is evident in the old, but ever new, lessons of our Ritual—by the Loving Kindness which we can express in concern for our Sisters and Brothers. However, the ultimate source of the value of our Order is in the individuals who constitute the living substance of its membership, from the highest ranking officers to our newest member.

Whether this Order continues to live, prosper, and grow is entirely dependent on each of us. These are times of decision, not only for the world, as we know it, but for our Fraternal World, as well.

Let us remember well that everything which our Grand Chapter is, or has accomplished, has been bought with the currency of service given by the past, and that we are investing these riches in the future. We must guard and protect this inheritance, investing it wisely and thoughtfully, and with all the wisdom we can marshal to protect it.

Let us, as the present, link hands with the past, and reach out to the future, to protect this investment of ourselves and to make sure the Order of the Eastern Star continues to be the living, dynamic force for good which it has demonstrated, this year and in all these past years, it is capable of being.

Greetings:

Past Grand Patron, Lloyd Ellis Griffin:

Thank you, Sister Marguerite.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sister Thelma Bailey, our Worthy Grand Marshal, Distinguished Members of the Grand Chapter, Sisters and Brothers, Delegates to this Convention:

Personally I express my gratitude to our lovely Marguerite for the work she has done. She has been Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee for several years and I have had the privilege of serving under her on that Committee. Me being a Judge, she usually tells me what the law is.

It is gratifying to me, Worthy Grand Matron, to be recognized here tonight and add a sort of welcome to you. It was just thirty years ago tonight that I had the privilege of presiding with my Worthy Grand Matron at Long Beach over our Session. When you recognize the oldtimers who served this Grand Chapter, as you have done this past week, in saying a few words of welcome, it is truly appreciated. I commend you for it. California has been well recognized this year by our Most Worthy Grand Matron in the General Grand Chapter. We have been given a Worthy Grand Marshal, several of the committee members are from our Grand Chapter, and I was fortunate to be conferred the honor of being on the Jurisprudence Committee of General Grand Chapter. As a member of that Committee, I was invited with sixteen other Past Grand Matrons and Patrons to tour Europe with our Most Worthy Grand Patron and institute Chapters in France and in Germany. When we arrived, unfortunately our Most Worthy Grand Patron took ill and the great privilege was conferred upon me to act in his stead to install the first Chapter of the Eastern Star in France. Then we proceeded to Nuremberg, Germany, and there instituted another Chapter. This made the fifteenth Chapter in Germany. We were instituting in a Masonic Lodge room in Nuremberg, and on the floor of the lodge room was the date 1805.

I appreciate my membership in the Order of the Eastern Star.

My good friends, may God be as good and kind to you as He has been to me.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Marguerite and Brother Lloyd, we are very proud to number you among our members of this Order and especially as Past Grand Officers. Your particular gift of knowledge has been of great assistance to our Grand Chapter and to many presiding Officers. Your words of wisdom have always been most inspiring, Sister Marguerite, and tonight was no exception.

Brother Lloyd, for thirty years you have been a Past Grand Patron and always giving of yourself in service. Many of our members are not privileged to maintain their membership that long. We are most proud that you could welcome us on this evening when we honor our Grand Master, a fellow Judge, and our Youth Organizations.

Our Host and Hostess have been blessed with children and grandchildren, and I thought it most fitting they should welcome us on this occasion.

Brother Lloyd has brought honor to California in his appointment as a member of the Jurisprudence Committee of General Grand Chapter, and it is our hope he may enjoy this service to the fullest.

The Session was purged and after Prayer was declared called to labor.

Prayer:

Grand Chaplain, Edna Johnson:

Our Heavenly Father, for all Thy mercies we offer Thee our gratitude and praise. Illumine our minds with divine truth and fill our hearts with love for Thee and our fellow men. Guide our feet into paths of righteousness. Make our lives wholesome and an inspiration to others. We ask this in Thy Holy Name. Amen.

Minutes:

The Minutes of the Afternoon Session were approved as read.

Recess:

The Session was declared at recess and the Grand Conductresses were instructed to retire and escort the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons to the Grand Chapter room.

Escort:

Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in California, Elmer W. Heald, with his escort, James Leo Halley, Past Grand Patron, were brought to the East by the Grand Conductresses.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sisters and Brothers, we are indeed honored this evening to present the most distinguished Mason of the Grand Lodge of California, Most Worshipful Elmer W. Heald, Grand Master of Masons in California and his escort, Past Master James Leo Halley, our Past Grand Patron. It is with a great deal of pleasure that we welcome you this evening and we hope you will enjoy your visit with us.

Worthy Grand Patron, it is my pleasure that you present our distinguished guest.

Presentation:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Elmer W. Heald, by Edwin F. Collins, Worthy Grand Patron:

Worthy Grand Patron, Edwin F. Collins:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Members, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

It is seldom given to anyone to present such a distinguished gentleman as it is my privilege this evening. He received this wonderful distinction for his many years of dedicated work in the Masonic Fraternity.

To mention just a few of his activities in the years gone by—he has been very active in the work of the Order of DeMolay,

having been a Chapter Dad, also serving on the DeMolay Board in the Imperial Valley. He has been the Master of El Centro Lodge on two different occasions and two or three years ago he was the Eminent Commander of Imperial Commandery of the Knights Templar. He is a member of the Red Cross of the Considine in San Diego. At the present time he is a retired judge of the Superior Court, having retired a year and a half earlier than necessary in order that he might assume the duties and spend all of his time in the work of Freemasonry.

It takes many years of devoted work in Masonry to attain the position your honored guest has, and it is with the greatest pleasure that I present to you this evening, Most Worshipful Elmer W. Heald, the Grand Master of Masons in California.

Remarks:

Elmer W. Heald, Most Worshipful Grand Master:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Honored East and Members of the Eastern Star Convention:

It is a great honor and pleasure to appear before your Grand Chapter on this very important Annual Convention. At this time we look back over the past year with its mistakes and its accomplishments and perhaps with some regrets. This is not a time, however, for looking back, this is a new year for both Masonry and the Order of the Eastern Star.

As we look forward into the New Year we find that it holds a great challenge for every American and every member of the Order of the Eastern Star and Masonry.

We are living in a very dangerous, but intensely interesting and exciting period of World History. In fact, we are probably on the verge of what future historians may call the "Space Age".

America's destiny in this Age will be to preserve, perpetuate and maintain the glorious system of Free Government and liberty handed down to us by the Founding Fathers.

At this time in the history of our Country we are beset with many great problems and decisions, the solution of which will decide the future of each and every American. Masons and the Eastern Stars are the natural leaders in this great crisis. Masons had a leading and dominant part in the establishment of our Nation and the creation of our great Constitution.

Our Nation at this very moment is confronted with tremendous and overwhelming problems both from within and without. Domestically the number one problem confronting our great Nation today is that of law enforcement. During the last forty years it has been my work and calling in life to deal with this problem. During this period of time the crime problem has more than doubled across the United States outpacing the population growth at the rate of 4 to 1.

A great Mason, J. Edgar Hoover, tells us from the facts compiled in his office the following alarming statistics:

A murder is committed in the United States every fifty-eight minutes.

A vicious assault every four minutes.

A robbery every six minutes.

Forceible rape every thirty-four minutes.

A burglary every thirty-nine seconds.

A grand theft every five minutes.

It is estimated that the cost of our crime bill has reached the staggering total of \$60,000,000.00 per day. The most alarming part of this problem is that about 60% of all these major crimes are committed by persons between the ages of fifteen years and twenty-three years.

The juvenile problem which confronts our Nation is the divorce problem. The facts of this situation are that the divorcees are now almost equal to the marriages. Our American homes are being slowly undermined. The American home is one of the foundation stones of our Republic and its destruction would be fatal to our national life.

Our International situation still presents a deadly and dangerous threat to our Country's safety. While at the moment there appears to be a split between the two great Communist Countries, Russia and Red China, if such there be, it is only as to how or in what manner America is to be buried.

We must ever and constantly be on our guard against this external enemy, let us never be lulled into foolish complacency as a result of the recent treaty concerning aboveground testing of Atomic Bombs.

We can well heed the words of Dr. Walter R. Dornberger, Rocket Scientist and Vice President and Chief Scientist of Bell Aero-systems Company, when he warned:

"The Russians will not be bound by any treaty agreement. When they are ready they will bring war into space and from space back to earth. We must be aware that they in truth have a head-start. They have reliable high-thrust boosters, accurate navigation and guidance systems. Today they place payloads in space five times heavier than ours. In a few years they will be able to increase this payload to 100 tons and be able to rendezvous in space—crucial point in military operation. Having resolved this decisive problem, there should be no major difficulty in establishing a man-operated military system. They won't rest until they have obtained complete control of the space effort. They may achieve superiority in a couple of years while we are still arguing about a moon-shot and the usefulness of military space systems."

Has the crafty old "K" outsmarted us after all? What can Masons and the Eastern Star do in this hour of great need?

We have our great programs in the Easter Star and Masonry, Public Schools Week, Constitution Observance and our Great Youth Programs, all of these are things which we can do to combat the forces of evil and destruction which threaten our beloved country.

Masons and Eastern Stars can join hands with all Americans who are fighting for the preservation of our Great American Way of Life.

Response:

James Leo Halley, Past Grand Patron:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron. Worthy Grand Patron, our Distinguished Most Worshipful Grand Master, my Sisters and Brothers:

I was present at the time this distinguished gentleman was advanced to the office of the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in California, and at that moment I felt great happiness and yet some degree of regret, because for some years we had been associated with our great Masonic charity, the Masonic Homes of California, and in assuming the responsibilities of the Grand Master, he no longer remained as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Masonic Homes.

My Sisters and Brothers, we have been fortunate over the years in finding outstanding leadership here and in Masonry, and we are extremely rewarded to have as the leader of all Masons, as a guide for all kindred organizations, the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Elmer W. Heald. His record is one of a just man. As you know, justice is a two-way process. It can serve to punish, but it can also serve in kindness and understanding. We are, at the Grand Lodge, thankful again that one such as he, a gentle gentleman, has been given Masonry to lead us to greater fraternal accomplishments.

Most Worshipful, this Grand Chapter is truly honored, as you have been informed by our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron, and I am sure that no greater happiness could be mine than having the privilege of saying to you again and again, and again, Welcome, and from each of us our heartfelt prayer for your health and your happiness, and may Masonry and all of the kindred organizations prosper under your guidance and direction.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Brother Leo.

Most Worshipful Elmer Heald, may I add my greeting to those already given. Your presence and inspirational remarks have been very well received and we do appreciate your taking the time to be with us after having just been given the heavy responsibilities of Grand Master in our great State.

May God bless you with good health, courage and wisdom to carry on. We of the Eastern Star have always made a special effort to abide by the laws of the Grand Lodge.

It would be a privilege to have you stay and watch the participation of our Youth groups, which will follow immediately.

Escort, Youth Groups:

The Grand Conductresses retired and escorted the following to the East:

INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF JOB'S DAUGHTERS: Helen Kacer, Grand Guardian; Richard Brassell, Vice-Associate Grand Guardian, Acting Associate Grand Guardian and Miss Linda Davis, Grand Bethel Honored Queen, State of California.

INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF RAINBOW FOR GIRLS: Flo McDonald, Supreme Religion, Supreme Inspector in California and Miss Vickie Dennis, Worthy Grand Advisor of California.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sisters and Brothers, it gives me much happiness to present to you members of our wonderful Order, our Youth Leaders and their Officers and to extend to them a cordial welcome. (Guests introduced.) We are especially proud to have you present on the evening that our Grand Master of Masons in California could attend.

The thoughts within my heart and the gratitude within the members of our Order could not be expressed in mere words, but we hope that you, the leaders of these most wonderful Youth Organizations may FEEL our most cordial welcome and our appreciation for the guidance given to the young people of our State.

The lessons and experiences received in these worthwhile organizations will set a firm foundation on which to build. Some of the happiest years of my girlhood were spent in service to Rainbow.

As I have travelled the State during this past year, I have been delighted to hear our many members tell of their work in our Youth Organizations, and I have stressed the importance of their part in helping to mold the character of our Youth of today.

I am now happy to present Sister Helen Kacer, Grand Guardian of the Grand Council, International Order of Job's Daughters, for her remarks and introduction of your Honored Queen.

Remarks:

Helen Kacer, Grand Guardian, International Order of Job's Daughters:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Honored and Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

Thank you for the privilege of bringing to you, members of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, greetings from the Grand Guardian of the International Order of Job's Daughters in California.

There are many of you who have served on our Grand Guardian Council. Without our esteemed leaders to guide and direct our daughters in life, we would not have Job's Daughters to present to you. We are most grateful for your cooperation and your sincere

loyal support. We trust your service in our Youth Organizations has been most rewarding.

Members of Job's Daughters are ever striving for high ideals and true purposes. Our members are building for the future—they are our future citizens and God's blessings are with them.

It is an extreme pleasure to bring greetings from our Grand Guardian Council. We are proud of our organization of Job's Daughters.

To you, Sister Carol, and to you, Brother Ed, I have a little token as a reminder of this year. I know that you have many treasures, many wonderful mementoes of this wonderful year. As you chose for your Motto "Live for Others" I would like to present this small token to remind you of the Golden Rule, a rule for life. Thank you. (Presents a small golden ruler.)

At this time it gives me a great deal of pleasure to present our Grand Bethel Honored Queen, Miss Linda Davis, Past Honored Queen of Bethel No. 78.

Remarks:

Linda Davis, Grand Bethel Honored Queen:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Members and Friends of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. Thank you for inviting me here tonight.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Members and Friends of the Order of the Eastern Star, thank you for inviting us here tonight.

Tonight I am representing the spirit, the hopes and the love of 40,000 young girls, members of the 343 Bethels in California of the International Order of Job's Daughters. In their behalf, I am proud to address your Ninetieth Annual Session.

Our Order was founded by Mrs. Ethel T. Mead Mick in Omaha, Nebraska, assisted by members of the Grand Lodge and the Grand Chapter of Nebraska. It was through their unselfish efforts that Job's Daughters was founded.

I am sure you will remember Thair Knowles who, through her God-given talent for music and the piano, entertained your Grand Chapter last year. Our Junior Past Grand Guardian, Mrs. Adeline Morehead, selected as her motto last year "We walk by faith, not by sight", and Thair is a true example of this faith. She is now studying at Whittier College to be a teacher of music.

The concept of Faith in Job's Daughters is important, for upon it, much of our teachings are based. (There followed excerpts from the ritualistic work of Job's Daughters and the meaning of their teachings.)

Each year the Grand Guardian selects a philanthropic project to which the Bethels contribute. In 1949 donations were given to the Shriners' Hospital in Los Angeles to build the famous therapeutic

pool. In 1950 donations were given to equip the pool. In 1961 the Daughters raised money for the construction of an amphitheater, fire circle and a waterfall at the Camp for the Junior Blind in the Malibu Hills. In 1962 the project for retarded children in California was assisted by the Daughters of California, each Bethel to seek out and do what it could in the local area. This year, Mrs. Helen Kacer has chosen to raise money to pay for braces and crutches for the out-patients at the two Shriners' Hospitals for Crippled Children.

In Whittier and the surrounding area, the members recently sponsored a dinner at which \$1,700.00 was raised for one of the members of Bethel 93 for plastic surgery.

This poem expresses our thoughts, that the greatest reward a member of Job's Daughters can have is to share:

"If we've brought a little sunshine,
If we've helped to lift a care,
Made the day a little brighter,
Or a burden helped to share,
Then we'll feel that God has blessed us
For He has surely heard our prayer,
For we asked that He would lead us
And would use us everywhere."

At this time I would like to present the members of Bethels 123 and 281, who will present a tribute.

Members of these Bethels then put on a ritualistic tribute to Master Masons and Eastern Stars in tableau form, with Miss Phyllis Carr, Grand Bethel Senior Princess, acting as narrator.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Isn't it wonderful to know that so many of our members are helping the youth of today—these girls who will be wonderful mothers, the leaders of tomorrow and who will, we hope, be members of our Order in future years. Thank you so much, Linda, for coming and bringing us a beautiful message.

Sisters and Brothers, I would like to introduce Miss Phyllis Carr, Past Honored Queen of Bethel 208, Grand Bethel Senior Princess and Narrator of this beautiful tribute we have just witnessed. It was most inspiring to all the members present and we thank you. This was a most fitting tribute from you girls to the Masonic Fraternity and the Order of the Eastern Star. We were impressed with the beauty of the ceremony and thank you most sincerely.

Thank you, Sister Helen, for coming to us and bringing the leader of your girls. Linda, we do appreciate your taking time from your busy schedule to honor and inspire us with your interesting talk.

Never shall I forget the thrill of attending the Grand Bethel in Oakland. From our point of view it was as if looking out over a huge garden of colorful flowers waving in the spring air. Freshness, loveliness and beauty beyond compare. These girls will never forget this happy experience either.

Sister Flo McDonald and her late husband John, are dedicated to the work of Rainbow and the Eastern Star. How well we know this dedication, as we enjoyed many, many years of John's beautiful music during our Grand Sessions. We congratulate you, Sister Flo, in your most recent appointment as Supreme Religion and hope that this added experience will bring joy to your busy life of service. We are most grateful to you for coming this evening and would be pleased to have you speak and to introduce your young leaders.

Remarks:

Flo McDonald, Supreme Religion and Supreme Deputy in California, International Order of Rainbow for Girls:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members of the General Grand Chapter, Distinguished Grand Officers in the East, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

Sister Carol, I want to thank you for the privilege of giving this report of Rainbow in California for the past year.

Membership as of December 31, 1962, was 18,768. Since the last report we have instituted seven new Assemblies, making a total of 233 Assemblies.

We have given eighteen scholarships. The Service hours were 72,407, which includes work in the Eastern Star, Masonic Homes, the Hospitals and Community service. Over twenty-two thousand dollars was also donated. This amount does not include the Grand Worthy Advisor's project. Her project was for the Handicapped Children of El Dorado County, to enable them to attend public schools. About three thousand five hundred dollars was raised for this cause.

In memory of Brother John, the girls set up a Memorial Fund, and also a Music Scholarship Fund.

Sister Carol, I want to thank you for attending our Grand Assembly and especially for your attendance at Installation so that we had the pleasure of honoring you as our first Grand Love.

May you always have a Rainbow around your shoulders and your Pot of Gold overflowing.

I now take great pleasure in presenting to you our Grand Worthy Advisor, Miss Vickie Dennis, who will address you at this time.

Remarks:

Miss Vickie Dennis, Grand Worthy Advisor, International Order of Rainbow for Girls:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members of General Grand Chapter, Distinguished Members and Guests of this Grand Chapter:

The honor of speaking before your Grand Chapter is an experience I never dreamed would be mine. I am very grateful to your Worthy

Grand Matron for giving me this privilege so that I can bring you greetings from all of the Rainbow Girls in California, these girls who are so indebted to you for your sponsorship and your time so freely devoted to our beautiful Order.

I feel your Worthy Grand Matron could not have selected anything more beautiful than a Rainbow as her symbol this year. And what a fitting coincidence it is that as you have followed this Rainbow, I have chosen to follow a star. For to me this symbol represents the Great White Light which is the crystallization of the seven lovely colors in our Rainbow. It is a star of faith, for this is the only ray of light that will fully brighten a pathway that is shadowed by disappointments and fears. And there is not darkness enough in all the world to put out one little light that shines through faith. In the same way that we depend upon this star, we depend upon the guiding rays of our Eastern Star to lead us along our *Rainbow* pathways.

I like to compare a rainbow to a star, for I feel that in some ways they are very much alike. In the daytime we have our giant sun to give us warmth and light. But when a rainbow appears, doesn't it add a brighter glow to the Sky? And in the dark of night, although we have our moon, it is the stars that add that brighter glow. They almost seem to work together for the same purpose. But unlike a God-made star which radiates with a heavenly glow, our own Rainbow is a symbol and has no light of its own, so it can only radiate with a human glow—and we, as Rainbow Girls, are its source of light. It was created because of love and molded with purity, loyalty, and honor, and then placed in the heavens with faith. We know that the existence of our Rainbow depends upon us and that it will only radiate through us. And so we add to its radiance as we live by the lessons we receive. Each ray of light has a special meaning for us. Our Rainbow begins with love and ends in service. Love is the first lesson we receive, for where there is love there is God also, and without it our other lessons would have no meaning. Although service is at the end of the Rainbow, the service that we perform is never-ending; and we know that with our every act of service, the violet light of our Rainbow will shine a little brighter for the world to see.

I am sure you have all heard the ancient tradition that at the end of the Rainbow there lies a Pot of Gold. Again, we can follow a star that will lead us there, but this star must shine its light along the right path if we are to reach our destination. For our Pot of Gold contains not riches in gems or jewels, but in it we have placed more priceless treasures—goals that we have set for ourselves and that we hope to attain in our lives. It contains cherished ambitions, high ideals, kindness and love for others, everything that we hope to be, and more. We know we may never reach our Pot of Gold, but still we are constantly striving to let the pure gold in us be seen as we brighten our Rainbow by radiating the joy of living, the joy of loving, and the joy of serving.

We thank you for your guiding light to help us as we journey in search of our Pot of Gold. And I thank you for the cherished and loving memories of my past Rainbow years. Thank you.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

"Who can doubt God's presence when a Rainbow shines on High?"

Happiness reigned supreme in my Rainbow days, and I had hoped I might be privileged to relive those days again with a daughter. His plan was not this—for I was called to Eastern Star service and blessed with three wonderful boys. It just could be that I may have the love of some Rainbow or Job's Daughter yet—I hope so.

Thank you, Sister Flo, for your informative talk about our Rainbow Girls, and for bringing your Grand Worthy Advisor.

Vickie, you have delighted all of our members with your inspiring remarks, and we are grateful for your taking time to honor us this evening.

How well I remember the thrill of visiting Grand Assembly, and the excitement which prevailed amongst the thousands of girls. I was impressed by the excellent performance of the Officers, and regretted not being able to stay for the whole session. Thank you again for the honor given me in your Installation—I shall remember it always. The Rainbow Girls chose the Star to follow this year, and in their beautiful Installation they escorted me to the center of the "Ritual Star" where I was met by Vickie. As you will remember, at my Installation last year we formed a beautiful Rainbow—so we are both following the same Star and are also following that beautiful Rainbow of Hope which is in the sky following a storm.

The Rainbow Girls have chosen to bring with them for our entertainment a Drill Team, the "Rainbowettes", members of the Gardena Assembly No. 152, under the leadership of their Mother Advisor, Myrtle Younkin.

Thank you for coming. At this time Vickie will introduce her girls who have come to entertain us.

The members of the Drill Team of Gardena Assembly No. 152 were then presented by Miss Dennis and entertained the Delegates with a colorful, intricate drill.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Aren't they wonderful? I wonder how many of us, if participating in a beautiful drill such as this, could continue in such a perfect manner when the music went "sour." To you girls who have exemplified this beautiful drill, we are deeply grateful and congratulate you on your colorful and intricate patterns. Many hours of rehearsing have gone into preparation of these figures and we thank you for sharing its beauty with us.

We wish to express our gratitude to the parents of all of our girls who have made it possible for them to come—will you kindly rise for recognition? Thank you. We are most pleased that you could come

and spend this time with us so that we might enjoy the work that is being done by you for these young people. Thank you all for your presence and for the entertainment furnished our Delegates.

I am sorry that we did not hear from the DeMolay boys.

In order that we may continue with the business of Grand Chapter, our visitors may be excused at this time. (Visitors were escorted from the Grand Chapter room by the Grand Conductresses.)

The Session was then purged and business resumed.

Presentation of Charters:

The Worthy Grand Patron was asked to preside, and he, in turn, presented Junior Past Grand Patron Robert Atkinson and asked him to present the Charters to the Chapters which had been instituted in his year as Worthy Grand Patron.

Junior Past Grand Patron, Robert C. Atkinson:

Worthy Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished and Honored Past, Sisters and Brothers:

Thank you, Worthy Grand Patron for this generous gesture on your part, that of extending to me and our Junior Past Grand Matron, the privilege of presenting the Charters to the three Chapters which we instituted in 1962. Brother Ed and Sister Carol, as you participated in the institution of these three Chapters, it is my pleasure that the four of us join in presenting the Charters to these fine Chapters.

We are here to add three stones in the building of the Temple of Fraternity that is being built upon the Foundation of Faith, Love and Truth. May we build wisely and well, remembering that we are building, not for today but for Eternity.

On January 6, 1962 a Star Club was organized by Sister Nannie E. Mobley. This Chapter was instituted on May 21, 1962 in Mojave High School Gymnasium, all Grand Officers participating, with a membership of 88. The members of Desert Candle Chapter Under Dispensation will kindly rise. It is our pleasure to present Helen K. White, Worthy Matron, Roger E. White, Worthy Patron, Elinore J. Berger, Associate Matron, J. LaVerne Diekey, Associate Patron, and the members of Desert Candle Chapter, Under Dispensation.

On behalf of the Grand Officers and Members of Grand Chapter, we are honored and pleased to present your Charter, Desert Candle Chapter No. 633.

On January 3, 1962, a Star Club was organized in Santa Rosa by Sister Marion Cooper, Past Matron of Rose Valley Chapter, Santa Rosa. After many meetings and much planning, this Chapter was instituted on June 6, 1962 in Santa Rosa with a total of 129 Members. All Grand Officers participated in this institution. The Members of Santa Rosa Chapter, Under Dispensation will please rise.

It is my pleasure to present Sister Rosella Rudd, Worthy Matron, Brother Harry Murphy, Worthy Patron, Sister Bernice Price, Associ-

ate Matron, Brother Robert Price, Associate Patron and the Members of Santa Rosa Chapter, Under Dispensation. Worthy Matron, on behalf of the Grand Officers and Members of Grand Chapter, we are honored and pleased to present your Charter, Santa Rosa Chapter No. 634.

On November 4, 1961, a Star Club was organized in Orinda, California, under the supervision of Teresa and Richard Parsons. With much planning and enthusiasm this Chapter was instituted on June 7, 1962 at the Madison Street Temple in Oakland, California, with a total membership of 75. All Grand Officers participated in this institution. The members of Orinda Chapter, Under Dispensation, will please rise. It is our pleasure to present Sister Teresa Parsons, Worthy Matron, Brother Richard Parsons, Worthy Patron, Sister Esther Johnson, Associate Matron, Brother Charles Cunningham, Associate Patron and the members of Orinda Chapter Under Dispensation.

Worthy Matron, Sister Teresa, it is our pleasure to present, on behalf of the Grand Officers and Members of Grand Chapter, your Charter, Orinda Chapter No. 635.

May you all prosper and be charitable and tolerant, realizing that the most lovable quality any of us can possess is tolerance. Tolerance, the vision that enables one to see things from another's viewpoint. Tolerance, the generosity that concedes to others the right to their own opinions, and Tolerance, that magnificent attitude that enables us to let people be happy in their own way instead of in our way. May your minds be illuminated with the radiance coming from The Great Light, that you may put into practice those sublime virtues exemplified in the teachings of our beautiful Order.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Ed and Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol, Helen and I are most grateful for the privilege of presenting these Charters. Thank you.

The Junior Past Grand Matron, Helen O. Isberg, stood with Brother Atkinson as the Charters were presented and extended a hand of welcome to the recipients, who each, in a few words, thanked Brother Atkinson and the Grand Chapter.

At 10:45 P.M. the Session was called from labor to refreshment to reconvene at 9 A.M. Friday.

Friday, October 25, 1963

Morning Session

The Session on Friday Morning was called to order by Past Grand Matron Gilma Vick Moyers, who instructed the Grand Conduetresses to escort the Grand Officers to the Grand Chapter room.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Good morning, Sisters and Brothers of this wonderful Ninetieth Session of the Grand Chapter, State of California:

It has been a wonderful privilege to preside over this Session in these beautiful surroundings. All of you have been so attentive, so interested in our work. I thought that we might feel lost in this Auditorium, but it has been a most beautiful picture and so well attended that there has been a feeling of warmth and love throughout the Session. Again, I would like to express our thanks to all for your attendance throughout the Sessions—the chairs have been filled and we appreciate it.

On this, the final morning of our deliberations, we are most pleased to have two of our Past Grand Officers in the East as our Host and Hostess. At this time I would like to present Sister Gilma Vick Moyers, who is a Committee Member of General Grand Chapter, on the Pusan Children's Hospital and a Past Grand Matron of California. Sister Gilma, we would be very pleased to have you welcome us at this time.

Welcome:

Gilma Vick Moyers, Past Grand Matron, Hostess:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Worthy Grand Marshal, General Grand Chapter Committee Members, Distinguished and Honored East, Delegates, Sisters and Brothers:

To have the privilege of opening a Session of our Grand Chapter is indeed an honor and I sincerely appreciate the invitation extended to me by our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol, to open this, our Friday Morning Session.

This has indeed been a fruitful Session, and I want to compliment our presiding Grand Officers for the very capable manner in which they have conducted our meetings. May I also say to our delegates, we have been proud of your participation in our deliberations. This is as it should be, so all decisions made here are made with the voice of all of our members. We come together at our annual Session to *transact business according to our Constitution*, but in reality just as strong a magnet, drawing us together, is that of seeing friends and renewing our enthusiasm for the Eastern Star. We cannot be expected to think alike, but we can think together and act together. Let us always be tolerant of the opinions of others. It is understanding and tolerance that keep the little lamps of friendship burning in sympathy and trust.

Just ten years ago it was my privilege to preside at our Eightieth Session of our Grand Chapter here in Long Beach, with our late Brother, J. Clifford Lee. We were very crowded then in the old auditorium. What a joy it is to have plenty of room here for all the members who desire to attend, and I know our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron have been pleased to have their Session in this beautiful spacious Arena. In a few hours you will come to the end of a road that has been a road of faithful service, and at the end of this journey you will have proven to the members

of the Eastern Star that this beautiful work of ours is the building of a temple of charity, truth and loving kindness.

Sisters and Brothers, as we leave here to return to our respective homes, and our Chapters, let it be with this prayer: "Dear Lord, let there be peace, and may it start with me."

It is my honor to present Brother Harry Sproule, Past Grand Patron.

Greetings:

Past Grand Patron, Harry Sproule:

Good morning. Thank you, Sister Gilma, for the honor and privilege of standing beside you at this morning's Session.

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

Worthy Grand Matron, I want you to know how much I appreciate being asked to participate this morning, the last day of your Session.

Just a year ago two dedicated and most efficient people assumed the government of this Grand Chapter. They embarked on their trip with a cargo of love and understanding. They have sailed the sea of Eastern Star this year and there has never been a time when that love, faith and understanding has not been evidenced. We salute you, our leaders, we say, "Thank you", you have done the job well. Last night we listened to an inspiring talk by our Grand Master. I salute him for the courage he has to stand before us and to challenge us.

I should like to leave with you this little poem, entitled "Which Are You", author unknown:

"I watched them tearing a building down,
A gang of men in a busy town;
With a ho-heave-ho and a lusty yell,
They swung a beam and the sidewall fell.
I asked the foreman: 'Are those men skilled?
And the men you'd hire if you had to build?'
He gave a laugh and said: 'No, indeed!
Just common labor is all I need.
I can easily wreck in a day or two
What builders have taken a year to do!'
And I thought to myself as I went my way,
Which of these roles have I tried to play?
Am I a builder who works with care
Measuring life by the rule and square?
Am I shaping my deed to a well-made plan,
Patiently doing the best I can?
Or am I a wrecker, who walks the town,
Content with the labor of tearing down?"

Sisters and Brothers, as we go back to our homes and Chapters, let us not tear down, let us build.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

The last day for our deliberations of this Grand Chapter has arrived, but we still have important work to do.

To you, Sister Gilma, our Past Grand Matron, and General Grand Chapter Committee Member, and Brother Harry, our Past Grand Patron from my own District, your words of welcome and friendly greeting this morning are warmly received.

Sister Gilma is celebrating ten years as a Past Grand Matron this year, and Brother Harry seventeen years as a Past Grand. Both are still giving active service in our Order. Thank you for your inspiring remarks and for opening this Session.

It has been my pleasure, and it was with great pride that I have worn the Worthy Grand Matron's jewel, a gift from our late Sister Isabella Harrison Hilditch, Brother Harry's Worthy Grand Matron, on every official occasion this year.

The Session was opened in regular form and purged.

Prayer:

Edna Johnson, Grand Chaplain:

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father: As we meet for the last day of this beautiful Grand Chapter Session we would express our gratitude for the fellowship enjoyed and for the work accomplished, for Thy guidance and for Thy blessings on our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. Let us rededicate our lives to the high principles and teachings of our Order. As we go our separate ways and return to our homes we would humbly ask for Thy protection and continued blessings. In Thy Holy Name. Amen.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

I would like to recognize again at this time, those who have given so much to the meaning of our Session, particularly when there has been a lull—that is to those who have given of their talents in music. I would like to have our Grand Organist and our Song Leader step out here on the stage where they can be seen for the last time. Our Grand Organist has been tucked away at the piano all during the Session, and to you, Sister Louise, I would like to say we have enjoyed your music. You have filled in places where necessary to keep us moving.

To our Song Leader, Sister Kitty, who has been here early in the morning and kept our group happy with her jovial spirit and her leadership, we do appreciate the hours that you have given for the entertainment of our Delegates. Thank you both sincerely.

This has been the most beautiful picture from the stage as we look down on the floor with these lovely Grand Officers seated with beam-

ing smiles. All of you just thrilled me through and through and from the many compliments I have had from the members I know they too are very proud of the Grand Officers of this Grand Chapter. It has been most colorful and our Deputy Grand Matrons have made the picture frame which has been just the right finish for our Grand Chapter setup. Thank you all again for accepting the responsibility of your respective office this year—we shall meet again.

Minutes:

The minutes of the Sessions of Thursday afternoon and evening were approved as read.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sisters and Brothers, we have had an outstanding, most efficient Committee on Credentials and I am happy to present the Chairman, Sister Florence Emerick, who will give the final report.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

(Given by the Chairman, Florence Emerick, who presented the members of the Committee.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

Sister Carol, in behalf of the Committee and myself, I wish to thank you for the honor and privilege of serving on the Credentials Committee. We have all thoroughly enjoyed it.

We were very sorry our Sister Isabelle Mosher could not be with us. When I was advised I was to be Chairman I thought "I can never do it." I did not know then what a wonderful group you had appointed to the Committee. I know they have been the best workers at Grand Chapter. For all their hard work and cooperation, I thank them very much. Our thanks to the members that helped us fold the reports.

We were honored to have Sister Mildred Haney Harris, Most Worthy Grand Matron from Texas, among our distinguished guests. Worthy Grand Matrons from Utah, Nevada, Wyoming, and Oregon, Past Grand Matrons from Minnesota, Oklahoma, Washington, Alabama and New Mexico, Past Grand Patrons from Arizona and Wisconsin, as well as many Grand Officers, Grand Representatives and members were registered. Twenty states were represented.

Total registration was 6426, of which 4174 were voting delegates; 2180 were members in California and 72 visitors from out of State.

Ten Chapters were not represented: Esther No. 74, Augusta No. 80, Molino No. 83, Celandine No. 224, North East No. 254, Occi-

dental No. 280, Eowana No. 328, Maxwell No. 369, McCloud No. 381 and North Star No. 450.

Registered:

Grand Officers	18	
Deputy Grand Matrons	92	
Past Grand Matrons	24	
Past Asso. Grand Matron	1	
Past Grand Treasurers	17	
Worthy Matrons	465	
Worthy Patrons	322	
Associate Matrons	514	
Associate Patrons	319	
Past Matrons	1820	
Past Patrons	568	
Members and Visitors	<u>2252</u>	6426

Sister Carol, at this time I should like the privilege and pleasure of presenting this very efficient Committee.

Juanita Hawkins	Anne Stolle
Lura E. Sellick	Ruth Maerae
Bess Daum	Everett Moore
Norma Jensen	Grace Bodely
	Florence Emerick, Chairman.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Florence, and the members of your Committee. You have all worked very hard and most efficiently for these several days and we do appreciate your labors.

Brother Charles Boone, General Chairman of the Activities Committee, I would like to again express my appreciation, as well as that of all of the Delegates, for the hundreds and hundreds of little things that you and your Committee have done for our convenience during this Grand Session. In fact, I marvel how you have been in all the places where you were needed at so many special times, or if you were not there, some member of your Committee was. I thought it would be interesting to have your report before we discuss the invitations for the 1965 Grand Chapter Session.

REPORT OF GENERAL CHAIRMAN GRAND CHAPTER WEEK

(Presented by Charles Boone.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members of the Order, Officers and Members of this Grand Chapter:

Hasn't this been a week of short hours and short days? It seems only yesterday that our Sister Carol asked us to assist with the plans of the 90th Session of Grand Chapter—and now in a matter of hours the Rainbow Session will change in appearance just as the cloud formations in our skies.

I wish, for you members, that this committee report could contain more than statistics and Thank Yous—however, these two things are very important in this report.

To have been selected by Sister Carol and supported by Brother Ed was more than an honor—it was a deep privilege. The acceptance of the members of the Activities Committee when asked by Sister Carol allowed us to have a full understanding of the job to be completed. These fine members were Brothers Al Berkhan, Chairman, Harold Matthews and Sister Marjorie Bjorkman. Their experience in this committee work for Grand Chapter was very beneficial.

We want you, our visitors, to know that when we say "Thank You" to the City of Long Beach and the Convention Bureau, it is not only for their counsel but for the financial assistance. This convention hall was provided rent free by the City—our costs here are based only upon the operational fee of the building—which, I admit, is no small sum in itself.

The cost of operation for the Arena up to noon Thursday had reached a figure of \$3,900.00. Therefore, at this time I feel certain that our total expense for the week for this fine facility will not exceed \$5,000.00. Most important to you as delegates, however, is the other half of the picture. This Grand Chapter Session is the first time, in Long Beach, that your Activities Committee has handled the sale of exhibit space. These concessions were released to us by the City of Long Beach to assist in financing the new Arena costs which I have mentioned. Your committee had fine cooperation from business men desirous of having booth space during the week and we will realize a net profit from booth space of \$4,172.00. For comparison, our expenses for the Auditorium in 1961 was a total of \$928.00—therefore you will immediately realize that there has been less than a two hundred dollar increase in expenses for meeting facilities—but how much more convenient and roomy a location do we have this year—we know you like it—because everyone is in such a happy, friendly mood.

The Convention Bureau, by underwriting the cost of our programs, housing forms, letterheads and envelopes amounting to \$1,579.18 has been of considerable financial assistance. There were 2,567 pieces of correspondence mailed to members regarding hous-

ing confirmations to hotels and related items. For your enjoyment at our Grand Ball on Wednesday the Convention Bureau underwrote an amount of \$650.00. These are the large items in the Bureau records, but the total to which we are indebted to them is in the amount of \$5,257.88.

This Session was able to be so successful only because of the members who were assigned to the various committees. In addition to the appointments by our Worthy Grand Matron consisting of Sister Manila Richardson as Chairman of Housing and her committee; Sister Lorene Gibson as Banquet Chairman, and Brother Dee Burnham, Publicity, we had serving us 18 Chairmen on subcommittees which are required to weave this Session into a successful conclusion. To every one of these persons and those whom they selected to serve on their committees we extend deepest thanks and gratitude for a job well done.

Much of the work was similar to that conducted in years past—but with the new quarters for Sessions, much of our work was done on the trial and error basis. Therefore, one of our biggest Thanks for this week is to you, the members. First, because of your registration fees, all expenses will be paid. Second, because all of you have radiated happiness during the week and expressed to us your appreciation—no better pay could be given us than your words of satisfaction.

Sister Carol and Brother Ed, I again say "Thank You" for the appointment as General Chairman—both of your smiling faces have made this task a sincere pleasure. It is fun to work for and with such fine people. Thank you very much.

CHARLES H. BOONE,
General Chairman,
Grand Chapter Week.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Brother Charles, that was a very interesting report, most enlightening. I feel that if there were any things done that did not work, they were not feasible.

When I saw this huge Auditorium for the first time, with no stage, my heart sank and I did not think we would have anything like this, but now since this beautiful setting has been made with the comfortable seats that the Delegates have been privileged to use, I am thrilled. There is not one seat from which you cannot see what is going on, and, as I said, comfortably, because I have not seen the Delegates leaving. Thank you all again.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BANQUET ARRANGEMENTS

(Presented by Lorene Gibson, Chairman.)

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, and Members of Grand Chapter:

It has been a privilege for me to serve as Banquet Arrangements Chairman for this Grand Chapter Session and I offer my sincere thanks to our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron for this appointment.

Banquet arrangements are, of necessity, handled by one person for our Grand Chapter each year, but believe me, many wonderful members of our Order have helped me to facilitate matters in setting up these events.

My appreciation is especially extended to our General Chairman, Brother Charles Boone, and to the Past Matrons who have previously worked on Banquets, for their guidance and advice.

I express my thanks to the many, many chairmen who have contacted me personally or by correspondence this year to set up their respective events and their expressions of gratitude have truly pleased me.

The Hotels, Restaurants and Clubs of Long Beach have been most cooperative in making arrangements for all events and we have tried, to the best of our ability, to comply with the wishes of each request and are grateful for your cooperation and understanding.

The following events were scheduled:

- 34—Breakfasts
- 58—Luncheons
- 54—Dinners
- 9—Teas
- 4—Hi-Jinks
- 5—Open Houses and Receptions

A total of 164 events.

Respectfully submitted,
LORENE GIBSON, Chairman,
Banquet Arrangements.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Sister Lorene has handled all of the banquet arrangements and we thank you.

Just think, Sisters and Brothers, when you have a party at home how much preparation goes into arrangements—just think what planning it took for all of the affairs for this Session. Sister Lorene, we appreciate all that you and your Committee did for us and any little inconveniences were not willful, and believe me, the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron of 1963 still love you.

REPORT OF THE PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

(Given by Past Grand Patron Dalora K. Burnham.)

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

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Carol Jensen, when you asked me to accept chairmanship of Publicity for this year, I thought that I would be able to carry out your assignment without too much difficulty. With the cooperation of your Grand Officers, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons from all over the State and your fine husband, Brother Earl, who have gathered publicity and sent it to me I have received numerous articles regarding your activities. Many of the smaller communities were much more successful in getting very good publicity in their local papers, and I wish to publicly thank all who were so thoughtful in sending articles to me, as they have been more successful than I have been here in the City of Long Beach.

I have found by previous experience with our local newspapers that they are not interested in our convention or any phase of our activities because we do not agree with the religious beliefs of the people who control the papers. I am sorry to say that this type of publication controls all the news service, both the United Press and the Associated Press, and there is no such thing as free enterprise in the newspaper business in this city. I have worked every day since early last Saturday morning, but with very little response, even working through our former convention manager and now Vice-President of one of our largest hotels, the Chamber of Commerce and the Long Beach Convention Bureau.

I want at this time to publicly thank Brothers Kenneth Birnbaum and Lester Macrae who assisted me, also Howard Jones, Vice-President of Breaker's International Hotel in getting two small articles in the papers. Sister Carol, I apologize to you for calling you and Brother Ed off the platform last Tuesday evening for no better picture than we found printed in Wednesday's paper, and now, Sister Carol, and Brother Ed, I take pleasure in presenting you a book of the publicity of your year which I hope you will enjoy thumbing through in the months to come with as much pleasure as I have had in preparing it for you, and which I could not have accomplished without the assistance of all those who sent copy to me.

DEE BURNHAM, Chairman,
Publicity Committee.

Accepted.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

This is a wonderful memory book of this year of 1963, in which so many of you have had a part. I shall enjoy reading of our activities in the principal Cities as we have traveled over the State. You know, a Worthy Grand Matron is so busy as she travels that she gets way behind on the events of the day and we did not have time to read the local newspapers, so we will thoroughly enjoy reading these books. Brother Dee has worked diligently in this and we thank you for presenting us with this gift that we will enjoy for the rest of our lives.

Worthy Grand Patron, Edwin F. Collins:

I, too, wish to express my gratitude to Brother Dee Burnham and the Publicity Committee for their efforts.

My Sisters and Brothers, we of the Order of the Eastern Star and the Masonic Fraternity have striven for the equality of all men. We strive for the betterment of men and women, but I do not understand why there are those forces who are striving for supreme power to force others into submission. The only thing that I can say, my Sisters and Brothers, is to keep on fighting for the right.

Thank you again, Brother Dee.

Report of Money Received for Grand Chapter Projects:

The Grand Secretary, at the request of the Worthy Grand Matron, reported that the following amounts had been received since the books were audited at the end of the fiscal year, August 31st—which included the amounts presented at the Session:

J. Clifford Lee Cancer Fund	\$32,656.45
Cancer Dressings Fund	9,567.27
Home Endowment Fund	1,896.96

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Delegates and Members, for your contributions to these most worthy projects. We are proud of the work we are doing and for your generous help which makes it possible.

BUDGET**EASTERN STAR HOME OF CALIFORNIA 1963-1964**

(Presented by Past Grand Patron James L. Millard, Trustee.)

Anticipated Revenue:

Per Capita Tax	\$155,000.00	
1963 Assessment	155,000.00	
Bank Interest	7,000.00	
Endowment Fund Income	26,000.00	
1963 Fiesta	13,404.08	\$356,404.08

Anticipated Expenses**Operating:**

Food	\$ 37,000.00
Salaries	115,000.00
Payroll Taxes	9,200.00

Services to Residents:

Hospital and Medical	35,000.00
Laundry and Cleaning	3,600.00
Allowances	10,900.00
Funerals	5,000.00

Maintenance:

Housekeeping Supplies	4,000.00
Gardener and Supplies	2,700.00
Repairs and Replacements	20,000.00
Heat, Light and Power	11,000.00

General Administrative:

Insurance	5,000.00	
Real Estate Taxes	4,000.00	
Automobile Expense	300.00	
Office Expense	350.00	
Telephone	1,200.00	
Audit	950.00	
Investigations	150.00	
Grand Chapter Office	3,000.00	
Sundry	450.00	
Hairdresser and Supplies	2,700.00	
Trustees' Expense	2,400.00	\$273,900.00

Adopted.**Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:**

Thank you, Brother Jim, and your fellow-Trustees. We are so indebted to this group for all that they are doing and the many hours they give in this work. I know they derive great happiness in this work of helping our less fortunate members.

GRAND CHAPTER BUDGET 1963-1964

(Presented by Past Grand Matron. Bernice Jan Basich, member,
Finance Committee.)

Anticipated Revenue**Actual 1962-63**

Dues and Fees	\$57,450.00	\$58,025.65
Reports—net	900.00	952.00
Interest	2,200.00	2,330.45
From Eastern Star Home	3,000.00	3,000.00
	<u>\$63,550.00</u>	<u>\$64,308.10</u>

Estimated Expenditures:**Administrative:**

Salaries:

Grand Secretary	\$ 7,200.00	\$ 7,200.00
Office Clerks	16,000.00	13,999.14

Allowances:

Worthy Grand Matron	4,800.00	4,800.00
Worthy Grand Patron	1,500.00	1,500.00
Associate Grand Matron	500.00	500.00

Postage	2,000.00	1,490.41

Constitution and Laws		4,000.00

Roster	1,200.00	1,200.00

Book of Instruction	2,500.00	

Stationery and Misc. Printing	1,000.00	1,532.83

Allowances Standing Committees	3,000.00	2,550.31

Official Visits:

Deputy Grand Matrons	2,000.00	1,695.95

School of Instruction:

Deputy Grand Matrons	7,000.00	6,583.91

Office Rental	3,600.00	3,420.00

Incidental Office Expense	750.00	819.57

Telephone and Telegraph	650.00	569.99

Auditor	900.00	750.00

Payroll Taxes	1,200.00	1,157.84

Christmas Greetings	100.00	99.24

Jewel, Worthy Grand Matron	500.00	250.00

Jewel, Worthy Grand Patron	300.00	150.00

Taxes and Insurance	130.00	127.70

New Chapter Expense	250.00	25.00

Flowers, Funerals and Sick	100.00	83.68

Fifty Year Pins	2,000.00	1,932.88

Depreciation	500.00	214.98

Sundry		12.42

Grand Representative Badges		364.00

\$59,680.00\$57,029.85**Adopted.**

INVITATIONS FOR 1965 SESSION

(Presented by Past Grand Matron Thelma Rehnert Warner, member, Finance Committee.)

To the Grand Chapter:

As these are sufficient funds to go to either San Diego or Long Beach, the Finance Committee makes no recommendation.

FRANK CRUSE,
FRANCIS J. HERZ,
BERNICE JAN BASICH,
THELMA REHNERT WARNER,
HERBERT C. DUENCKEL, Chairman,
Finance Committee.

Motion by Charles Slater, Past Patron, Silver Strand Chapter No. 387, seconded by Past Grand Patron Lloyd E. Griffin, that the 1965 Session of the Grand Chapter be held in the City of San Diego.

Amendment by Helen Isberg, Junior Past Grand Matron, properly seconded, that San Diego be stricken from the original motion and Long Beach be substituted. Amendment carried. Vote on the original motion as amended **Carried**.

Solo:

Peggy Burris, Worthy Matron Parnassus Chapter No. 269.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Peggy, for your beautiful solo, "I DO Love All of You."

Readings:

Cleona Crozier, Past Matron, Morningside Chapter No. 601.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Sister Cleona. Not only does Sister Cleona give readings such as that for our entertainment, but she whistles beautifully, just like a little bird. She did not have her music with her, so we are sorry she could not favor us with a solo.

Minutes:

The minutes of the Session of Friday morning were approved as read.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Before we close, our Worthy Grand Patron would like to speak to us.

Remarks:**Worthy Grand Patron, Edwin F. Collins:**

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron.

I would just like to make a few observations that have come to me during the past year and have left a deep impression.

The Official Visits, I felt, were outstanding without exception. The happy attitude of Officers and members was really very heart-warming and we enjoyed every one of you. The Chapters and the Districts under the Deputy Grand Matrons have been most courteous to your Worthy Grand Matron and to me. It is something that we can remember for many, many days.

I admonished the Associate Patrons last year (the Worthy Patrons of this year), and I am very happy to say that for the most part they have followed my admonition, "My Brothers, please keep your Worthy Matrons happy." I believe that little admonition has borne fruit—you can tell by the attendance of the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons at the Session—they have enjoyed being Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons. Congratulations to all of you, we think more of you as the days go by.

Now I would like to give an admonition to the Associate Patrons of this year, and Brother Bill, I think maybe you will agree. I sincerely hope that you, too, will make your Worthy Matrons happy, but I do not recommend that you do a song and dance with a "slick chick" at every Session, even though it was a lot of fun. We have enjoyed this Session and I hope everything has gone to the satisfaction of all of the Delegates.

God bless you and grant you a safe journey home. Please be careful. Thank you very, very much.

REPORT OF THE GENERAL CHAIRMAN

Mr. Charles Boone, General Chairman, submitted the bills for his Committee and stated he would turn over to Grand Chapter the net rental of \$4,719.93 received from exhibitors.

Accepted and Referred to Committee on Finance.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

I believe we should be very happy with this report because the Committee started out with absolutely nothing to work on, because this is our first experience under these conditions. I am just thrilled beyond words that we risked it.

I am also proud to say we were so thrilled with the entertainment we had on Wednesday evening with the band. I thought we might have a little change for the entertainment of our Delegates, but I certainly didn't know our Trailers would be included. Perhaps now that we are retiring our Grand Trailers might start to work on this particular type of entertainment for the future.

Thanks:

Francis J. Herz, Past Grand Patron, member, Finance Committee:

Worthy Grand Matron, on behalf of the Finance Committee, we want to express our appreciation to Charles Boone for the very wonderful and able way he handled the details for this Session. This was a new venture on the part of the Committee in Long Beach, and also the Finance Committee, so consequently we were in doubt about the expenses. Having heard this report, we know we were within the budget and we want to express our appreciation to the Committee Members.

Worthy Grand Matron, Carol Mae Jensen:

Thank you, Brother Francis. I believe everyone in this Auditorium expresses thanks to our Brother Charles Boone for the efficient manner in which this Convention was handled.

Sisters and Brothers, I would like to thank our Worthy Grand Patron for his assistance this week as we have shared together as your Presiding Officers. The business of this Grand Session of the Grand Chapter, State of California, having been completed, I would like to acknowledge with deep appreciation your kind attention, cooperation and deep interest.

My heart is full of gratitude to those who have given of their time and talent to bring this Session into being and through to a happy close. It has taken many, many hands of loving members and I shall be eternally grateful.

Our Grand Pages, Grand Raindrops, Grand Guards and various Committees have rendered very fine service, and for your devotion to duty, many thanks.

I shall always be the Worthy Grand Matron with the most wonderful Grand Officers who ever served our Grand Chapter. My loving thanks always for your devotion to duty, kindness to all, and willingness to please at all times. We have all been proud of you this year, and especially during this week. May each of you, returning to your home, have a beautiful memory of our Rainbow Session.

With my responsibilities completed, I will begin a new voyage on that sea of pleasant memories where my ship will stop at the many ports of friendship, where I shall await the opportunity to greet you again.

As I left most of my Official Visits with this little thought, I would like to leave it with you at this time:

There is a destiny that makes us brothers.
None goes his way alone. All that we send
into the lives of others, comes back into
our own. This I believe.

BILLS

The following bills were approved for payment:

City of Long Beach:

Direct Labor:

Cleanup Arena	\$1,706.23	
Requested and Misc. Labor - Arena	32.55	
Setup Arena Decorations	791.77	
Strike Arena Decorations	145.26	
Equip. Operations, Decorations	<u>755.44</u>	\$3,431.25

Electricity - Arena		729.00
Operating Costs (\$200.00 charged to Ball)		1,500.00
Equipment Rental (Auditorium)		12.50
Equipment Rental (Arena)		<u>95.00</u>

TOTAL \$5,767.75

Lorene Gibson, Banquet Chairman:

Supplies, paper, etc.	\$ 4.94	
Postage	11.00	
Telephone (toll calls)	<u>9.76</u>	\$ 25.70

Firestone Pattern Shop:

Material for Necrology		\$ 16.08

Agnes McGehee, Necrology Service:

3 Dozen Lilies	\$ 9.36	
Glitter and glue for bowl	2.70	
Paint and sealer for golden links	1.36	
Links	3.59	
Rental of Wings	<u>5.00</u>	\$ 22.01

Thompkins & Co.:

Insurance for Session		\$ 22.75

Louise Bowman:

Grand Organist		\$ 100.00

Austin Garrett:

Grand Sentinel		\$ 25.00

Bertha Elsey:

Parliamentarian		\$ 100.00

Manny Harmon Orchestra:

Music, Grand Ball		\$ 250.00

Tanner Motor Tours:

Charter Buses, Residents of Home to Long Beach		\$ 144.00

Walters Jewelry Co.:

2 Memories Scrap Books	\$7.50	
6 Lines Lettering	<u>3.00</u>	

Tax	.42	\$ 10.92

Kittie Briggs:		
Song Leader		\$ 25.00
Dorothy Hill:		
Stenographer - Tuesday A.M.		\$ 55.00
Bowers Compressed Gas Co.:		
First Aid Supplies		\$ 9.00
Charles Boone, General Chairman:		
Postage	\$38.00	
Printing, Tickets, Letters and Mimeographing	97.62	
Office Supplies, Rubber Stamps, etc.	16.84	
Parking	5.00	
Luncheons	12.80	
Stenographic Work	20.00	
Lafayette Hotel	70.50	
Long Distance Phone Calls	42.00	
Telephone Installation, Arena for week	38.00	
Rental Adding Machine (election)	7.50	
Gratuities, Gifts, Employees, City and Con-		
vention	28.00	
Supplies, Election Committee	6.06	\$ 382.32
George Bailey:		
Election Expense:		
Show Card Material	\$2.00	
Show Card Paint	1.25	
1 Eraser	.10	\$ 3.35
Palos Verdes Building Fund:		
Rent, Oct. 19th - 3 hours	\$22.50	
Rent, Oct 26th - 6 hours	45.00	\$ 67.50
Bill Larson:		
Spotlight Operator		
October 21, Informal Opening	\$16.50	
October 23rd	16.50	\$ 33.00
Clarence Larson:		
Spotlight Operator		
October 21, Informal Opening	\$16.50	
October 23rd, Necrology	16.50	
October 25th, Installation	16.50	\$ 49.50
R.E.A. Express:		
Trunk - Long Beach to San Francisco		\$ 7.46
Western Scenic Studio:		
Grand Chapter Carpet		\$ 50.00

Everina Rheingans, Courtesies to Dignitaries Committee:

East Bay, material for Canisters	\$ 7.09	
Paid Mary E. Balden, 11 Visitors at Past Grands' Dinner @ \$5.50	60.50	
Paid Breakers Intl. Hotel, Tea	86.37	
Paid Breakers Intl. Hotel, 99 lunches	\$198.00	
Less 64 paid @ \$2.25	<u>144.00</u>	54.00
Supplies for Courtesies:		
Groceries for Scramble	41.71	
Plastic Bags	3.18	
Invitations - material	\$9.19	
Stamps	<u>5.65</u>	14.84
Printing Cards for Enclosures	4.68	
Corsages and Flower Arrangements	\$93.24	
Collected for Corsages from Grand Officers and Pages	<u>53.00</u>	40.04
Canisters: Supplies for Making	\$ 4.24	
Materials	<u>47.99</u>	52.23
Gratuities to hotel for moving materials, helping with deliveries and cleanup	<u>25.00</u>	\$ 434.38
Maud McWilliams Smith:		
Breakers Intl. Hotel (including M.W.G.M. \$53.04)		\$ 229.10
Breakers Intl. Hotel:		
Room, Judge Elmer Heald, M.W.G.M.		\$ 12.24
John F. Fixa, Postmaster:		
600 5¢ Stamps for Session		\$ 30.00
Pernau-Walsh Printing Co.:		
10,400 Registration Certificates		\$ 286.00
John F. Fixa, Postmaster:		
Postage - Mailing Housing Reservations		\$ 72.00
City of Long Beach:		
License Fee - Exhibitors		\$ 175.00
Terry Jurgensen:		
Decorations, Informal Opening	\$ 159.27	
Week Session	194.22	
Recessional	<u>12.52</u>	\$ 366.01
Diane Dixon:		
Supplies for Scramble (Courtesies to Digs.)		\$ 2.57
Martin Pihl:		
Pianist, Rehearsal and Installation		\$ 50.00

Arthur Russell:		
Soloist, Installation		\$ 50.00
Mary E. Balden:		
Room for Arthur Russell		\$ 12.28
Pacific Carpet Service:		
Rental of Carpet, Arena, for Installation		\$ 164.32
Taylor Decorating Co.:		
Rental and Removal, Stage Set, Installation		\$ 600.00
Manila Paine:		
Program Expense:		
Telephone Calls	\$10.64	
Postage	1.05	
Supplies for Master Program	2.60	\$ 14.29
Taylor & Son:		
Rental and Installation, Stage Draperies	\$950.00	
2 Pictures, Port of Long Beach and Skyline	200.00	
Cut Out Metallic Letters, Both Sides Stage	125.00	
3 Flags on Staff and 6 Flag Bases	22.50	
Cleaning Points of Star and Repainting		
1 Point	17.50	\$1,315.00
Hubert's Cafeteria:		
76 Luncheons for Election Tellers		\$ 95.00
Lafayette Hotel:		
58 Luncheons, Home Residents @ \$2.19	\$ 127.02	
Tax	5.08	
Gratuities	12.90	\$ 145.00
H. H. Keesling:		
Postage (Grand Guards)		\$ 4.75
Winkler Sign Co.:		
1 Card Sign and Tax	\$ 2.08	
27 Card Signs	35.00	
3 Card Signs	4.50	
Tax	1.58	\$ 43.16
Marguerite Johnson:		
Organist, Informal Opening and Recessional		\$10.00
James Duthie:		
Drill Master, Informal Opening		\$ 50.00
Winkler Sign Co.:		
2 Card Signs and Tax		\$ 15.60

Anthony Feola:

Mileage	\$156.00	
Housing, 2 nights	18.90	
Postage and stationery	10.00	
Telephone	10.65	
Cost of Soliciting and Managing Exhibit Space	250.00	\$ 444.65
City of Long Beach - City License		\$ 200.00
Rose Florist, refund		\$ 10.00
Manila Richardson, Housing Chairman:		
Gifts for Convention Bureau Secretaries	\$7.87	
Postage	3.15	\$ 11.02
Hotel accommodations, two nights:		
Elysabeth Franke, W.G.M., Utah	\$ 28.00	
Rita G. Fuhrman, W.G.M., Nevada	28.00	
Hester Peverly, W.G.M., Wyoming	28.00	
Virginia Wright, W.G.M., Oregon	28.00	\$102.00

At 11:45 A.M. the Session was called from labor to refreshment until 8 P.M.

RECESSIONAL

For the Recessional, the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the west where they boarded the "Ship" which had brought them to the East on Monday evening. Followed by the Grand Officers, the "Ship" sailed around the room between lines formed by the Deputy Grand Matrons, the Pages, Raindrops, Grand Guards, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons. First stop was the pier "Vallejo Yacht Club" which had been erected in the northeast. The Worthy Grand Matron disembarked and was greeted by her husband, Earl. Grand Trailers of the Northern Grand Officers awaited their wives and all were greeted affectionately. The "Ship" then proceeded to the "Santa Monica Pier" in the southeast where the Worthy Grand Patron and the Southern Grand Officers were also greeted affectionately by their wives and husbands. So, with laughter and tears, the year of 1963 came to an official end.

Evening Session

Preceding the Installation ceremonies the audience was entertained by the El Bekal Chanters, who delighted all with their beautiful music. The closing number was Mallotte's arrangement of the "Lord's Prayer".

Decorations for the evening were in the colors of 1964, red, shell pink and silver. The stage represented a beautiful "Stairway to the Stars" on one side and a beautiful ship in the background.

The installation was arranged and under the direction of Past Grand Matron, Mary E. Balden, assisted by Sister Nona Jack. Organist for the evening, Martin Pihl, Past Patron of Richmond Chapter No. 255. Soloist, Arthur Russell. Installing Marshals, Past Grand Matrons Bernice Jan Basich and Grace Hoffman. Installing Chaplain, Past Grand Matron Thelma Rehnert Warner.

The 1963 Pages and Grand Representatives entered and were seated.

The 1963 Deputy Grand Matrons then escorted those who were appointed to act as Deputy Grand Matrons for 1964 to seats on the north and south.

Escort:

Past Grand Patron James L. Millard, Host:
Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

Tonight we are about to witness the Ninety-first Installation and the first one of our Grand Chapter in this most beautiful new Arena. It is wonderful to know that all of our members who desire to attend can be seated.

The privilege and pleasure of extending a cordial welcome to each and every one present this evening has been extended to me by the incoming Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Esther Sandman.

The year that has just passed has been most successful under the fine leadership of our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. This evening we bid farewell to those who were the guiding light and inspiration to the leaders of the various Chapters. We thank them for giving of themselves to Grand Chapter this year and welcome them to the ranks of Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons.

The officers about to be installed have proven themselves as capable leaders in their years of loyal service. A special burden rests upon the incoming Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron who are ready and willing to accept the challenge of the heavy responsibilities of Grand Chapter for the coming year. Brother William Wilson's faithful service to our Order of the Eastern Star, Masonry, and our Youth organizations will make him a true helpmate to Sister Esther.

It makes no difference how efficient our leaders are, they cannot be successful without the support and cooperation of the members. Your presence this evening signifies your desire to support these new officers to the best of your ability and this makes them very happy indeed. Let each one of us be honest with each other and follow the words of Horatius Bonar:

Thou must be true thyself,
 If thou the truth wouldst teach;
 Thy soul must overflow, if thou
 Another's soul wouldst reach!
 It needs the overflow of heart
 To give the lips full speech.

Think truly, and thy thoughts
 Shall the world's famine feed;
 Speak truly, and each word of thine
 Shall be a fruitful seed;
 Live truly, and thy life shall be
 A great and noble creed.

The motto of our incoming Worthy Grand Matron illustrates her high ideals. "Let us walk by Faith, Stand Steadfast and Loyal, and Serve with Loving Kindness." Yes, Sisters and Brothers, let us walk in the faith of God's creation, in the goodness of life, the essence of brotherly love, and the knowledge that loving kindness is the golden chain that binds our Order together. May each one of us prove our merit by loyal devotion to our Order and to each other.

As these officers go on their journey the length and breadth of our great State, may our Eternal Friend walk beside them, giving them the wisdom, courage and strength to bring their hopes and dreams to fruition.

Installing Officers:

Installing Officers: Carol Mae Jensen, Worthy Grand Matron and Edwin F. Collins, Worthy Grand Patron; Mary E. Balden, Past Grand Matron and Philip Fredric Leahy, Past Grand Patron.

For Presentations: Annie Picknell Mills and Gertrude Conant Matson, Past Grand Matrons and Logan R. Cotton, Past Grand Patron.

(All were extended Grand Honors when presented.)

Flag Escort:

Members of the Knights Templar, in dress uniform, acted as Honor Guard for the escort of the National Flag to the East. All joined in the Pledge of Allegiance and singing of the National Anthem.

The lights were lowered and the spotlight turned on the stage where the incoming Worthy Grand Matron, Esther Sandman, stood on the "Stairway to the Stars."

Solo:

Arthur Russell.

The Worthy Grand Patron-elect, William P. Wilson, joined the Worthy Grand Matron-elect at the foot of the "Stairway".

Solo:

Arthur Russell.

As the name of each Grand Officer for 1964 was called she, or he, entered from the wings and formed a semi-circle on either side of Sister Sandman and Brother Wilson.

The Associate Matrons, in jeweled caps in the colors of 1964, formed a large silver Star on the floor of the Grand Chapter room. Sister Sandman descended the steps and was placed on a platform in the center of the Star. After a solo by Mr. Russell, the "Star" formation was changed to a "Red Rose" and escorted Sister Sandman to the West entrance. The Associate Patrons then formed a Square and Compasses, with the "G" in white formed by the Presidents of the Associations of the State. The formation was changed into an "Anchor", and with Brother Wilson in the center, moved to the West and retired.

After the Officers' stations were properly reset, Past Grand Matrons Corine Orban Melville, Helen Bell DeBeers, Marguerite Weisheimer, Helen O. Ishberg and Lillian Podesta entered and placed the Star Point emblems on the pedestals and Past Grand Matron Helen Louise Edwards placed the Bible on the Altar as Mr. Russell sang "How Great Thou Art."

The Past Grand Matrons retired and the Installation proceeded in ritualistic order.

Address, Esther Sandman, Worthy Grand Matron:

Worthy Grand Patron Brother William Wilson, Junior Past Grand Matron Sister Carol Mae Jensen, Junior Past Grand Patron Brother Edwin Collins, our Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

With our prayer, so beautifully sung by Mr. Russell, in my heart, I assume the responsibilities of office with humility and a realization of the heavy duties before me. I thank the Delegates to this Grand Chapter Session for your confidence, expressed so generously when you elected me to this high office. I accept the challenge it presents and pledge you my best efforts for the good of our beautiful Order in all that I say and do.

The hills ahead look hard and steep and high, and often we behold them with a sigh. But as we near them, level grows the road. We find on every slope, with every load the climb is not so steep, the top so far. The hills ahead look harder than they are.

No one walks alone and as I see the hills ahead I look to our Heavenly Father for strength, courage and wisdom to climb these hills, to keep the Obligation I have just taken at the Altar in the presence of my Sisters and Brothers and to perform the duties I have assumed. With His guidance, and your support, I know the climb will not be so steep and I look forward to a year of service dedicated to our Members.

Brother William Wilson, our Worthy Grand Patron, with you at my side I am sure our travels will be smoother, the burdens lighter and fraternal friendships strengthened. Brother William is a Master Mason. I can pay him no finer tribute. He not only belongs to the Masonic Fraternity, but he lives by its teachings every day of his life. How fortunate you and I are to have this fine gentleman a member of our Order and willing to give his time and energies for us that we may continue to work and build for the future welfare of our beloved Order. I am looking forward to this year of service together. Thank you for sharing this heavy responsibility with me.

The flowers I am carrying this evening are exquisite and I thank you and your Gladys for this beautiful gift, for your thoughtfulness and numberless courtesies all through this busy week of Grand Chapter.

Sister Carol Jensen, Junior Past Grand Matron and Brother Edwin Collins, Junior Past Grand Patron, it is going to take a little time to become accustomed to addressing you in this manner. It has been said that time passes more swiftly when one is happy or busy. This must be the reason this year has passed so quickly. It has been a happy year and certainly we have been busy. Thank you, both you and your Jeannette and Earl, for your friendship and many kindnesses as I have been a part of your Grand Family. As you return to your homes may you do so with a sense of tasks well done and a feeling of real accomplishment for all that you planned as our leaders in 1963.

As I have looked forward to this evening I have wondered how I would express what would be in my heart as I witnessed the pageantry to the Installation. Installation is always an impressive ceremony and to be part of it is an experience that shall forever live in my memory.

Holding our Grand Chapter Session in this beautiful Sports Arena has been a new and challenging experience for all of us. The many committees who had the responsibility of the week's program are to be commended for their fine work. In past years, many were denied the opportunity of attending the Installation because of the limited capacity of the Municipal Auditorium. We are happy so many Members and friends could be here to share the evening with us. Until last night I did not know anything about the plans for the Installation. Even as they practiced I could not envision the beautiful picture as presented to us by the Grand Officers, Deputy Grand Matrons, Grand Representatives, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of 1964. Under the very capable leadership of my own Worthy Grand Matron of 1960, Sister Mary Balden, assisted by her drill master, Sister Nona Jack, we have seen a lovely pageant unfold. How can mere words describe what we have seen or felt? As we return to our homes and Chapters may the service we give reflect the beauty we have witnessed here tonight.

Brother William and I are most grateful to all our Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons for their loyalty, support and encouragement. They have traveled this way and know the tasks we face. Just to know they are there when we need them gives us confidence.

We thank those who have had a special part in the Installation. Sister Mary Balden, words can never tell you all that is in my heart. Not only to have you install me, but to take the responsibility of the Installation has been a labor of love. I know. I only hope I can, in some way, live up to your expectations and by my actions this coming year say the "thank you" I do not seem able to put into words.

To our Grand Marshals, Sisters Bernice Jan Basich, our Worthy Grand Matron of 1954, who gave me my first Grand Floor Appointment, that of Grand Esther, and Grace Hoffman, our Grand Marshal of that same year, thank you for your beautiful and impressive floor work.

To Sister Helen Louise Edwards for being our Bible Bearer. Sister Helen Louise is a member of my own home district and was my Worthy Grand Matron when I served Brea Chapter as Worthy Matron in 1940. Our friendship is dear and very precious to me.

Our Grand Chaplain, Sister Thelma Warner, served as a Deputy Grand Matron in 1940 and then was the Worthy Grand Matron when our Brother William was Worthy Patron of his Chapter in 1955.

Our Host, Brother James Millard was our Worthy Grand Patron in 1960 and I thank him for his warm and sincere greeting.

Brother William will have a special thank you for Brother Fred Leahy, but I just want him to know I, also, am happy to have him in the East with us tonight, along with two of our Past Grand Matrons who will have an important part just a little later on our program.

I was happy to have Brother Logan Cotton announce the entrance of the 1964 Grand Officers. It has made the circle complete for me as he was our Worthy Grand Patron in 1945 when I received the appointment of Deputy Grand Matron.

Months and months ago I had a dream and then I dared to hope it might come true. This dream was to have our Past Grand Matrons who had served as Grand Star Points present the Emblem of the office each one had once held. Our Emblem Bearers have given many years of service to our Grand Chapter. They have not only served as Worthy Grand Matrons, but each one did serve as the Grand Star Point, represented by the Emblem she carried tonight. Sisters: Corine Melville, Worthy Grand Matron 1942, was Grand Adah in 1935; Helen Bell DeBeers, Worthy Grand Matron 1952, was Grand Ruth in 1944; Marguerite Weisheimer, Worthy Grand Matron 1957, was Grand Esther in 1948; Helen Isberg, Worthy Grand Matron 1962, was Grand Martha in 1954; Lillian Podesta,

Worthy Grand Matron 1945, was Grand Electa in 1937, and it was under her leadership I served as Deputy Grand Matron.

Thank each one, you made my dream come true and I hope it has brought to you, many happy memories of your particular year as a Grand Star Point.

There are always those whose service is unseen and unsung. It takes many, many willing workers, spending countless hours to have an evening's program presented so smoothly and beautifully. With Sister Nona Jack as the drill master, with these many Sisters and Brothers assisting, it has been an enchanting evening. I would not dare mention names as I know I would omit some and many have worked without my knowledge. To each of you a most heartfelt thank you for all you have done for my happiness and for those who are here tonight.

We are specially grateful to the members of the York Rite for their very impressive presentation of the Flag of our Country.

Friendship opens many doors. Through this door, opened by their Past Potentate, Ralph Barnes, a friend of ours for many years, came the Chanters of El Bekal Shrine, Long Beach, to entertain you with their beautiful music. I am sure you were as moved as I, as this vast arena was filled with the harmony of their voices. Thank you for being with us tonight. The warm reception you received told you how much we all enjoyed having you with us. Thank you, Ralph, for opening that door for us this evening.

Friendship opened another door and our Brother Martin Pihl, Grand Organist in 1960, came from San Francisco to play for us and with him came Mr. Arthur Russell, our soloist. We, who have been privileged to hear Mr. Russell sing and our Brother Martin play, knew they, too, would add to the beauty and enjoyment of our Installation. Each song had a special meaning for us. Our grateful thanks to you both for sharing your talents with us.

Thirty-four years ago another door was opened and I became a member of Brea Chapter. These have been happy years spent with the members of my own Chapter. Had it not been for them I would not be standing in this position tonight. As I have told them about you, our members from all parts of the State, I would like you to meet the members of my own beloved Chapter. I am very happy and proud to present the members of Brea Chapter No. 506 to you. Thank you, each member, for your friendship, cooperation and support through all these years. I am happy you can be here tonight and so very proud to be counted as one of your members.

The members of Brea Chapter and our Masonic Brothers work closely together to strengthen the fraternal bonds of friendship. The Master of Citrol Lodge and his wife have been our next door neighbors for many years. I would like to introduce Don Laey, Worshipful Master of Citrol Lodge and his wife Marjorie. Thank you, Don and Marjorie, for being with me tonight.

The Honored Queen of our Bethel is also present. Jane Hamilton, daughter of our Past Matron Sister Eva Hamilton.

This evening would not have been complete without my family. It has been their love, encouragement, faith and understanding that has made it possible for me to serve our Order. Understanding when I had to be away from home, encouraging when burdens seemed too heavy and letting me know I have their love and that they will be there to welcome me home when this year has been completed.

My grateful thanks to each of you for being with me tonight. Without the spot light I can not see to present you individually. Last, but always first in my heart, my husband, Grant. He has been at my side all along the way, lending a helping hand in oh, so many ways, giving encouragement, being my severest critic, praising a little now and then, but always making sure my feet stay firmly on the ground. A husband has a way of doing that. Thank you, Honey, for all you are to me. I do not need to put into words my love for you. I know you understand. This is our wonderful companionship and marriage.

This is our family, who will be keeping the home fires burning during this coming year.

Tonight I have acquired another family, the Grand Floor Officers who we affectionately call our Grand Family. I am sure they will see more of me this year than those I have just introduced to you.

To each of our Grand Line Officers, Sister Ellen Walters, Associate Grand Matron, Brother James Hoole, Associate Grand Patron, and our two Grand Conductresses, Sisters Marian Schwach and Vivian Kilgore, may I be the first to congratulate you and wish you happiness in your respective offices and as we work together this year. I can tell you now that each of you will be in this position before you know it. Time moves on so swiftly.

Our Grand Secretary, Sister Maud. What can I say to you except a most sincere and heartfelt "thank you" for your invaluable assistance during these past busy months of preparation. I know I would never have been ready if it had not been for your willing and always cheerful help. Just to know you are there gives me assurance.

It is the privilege of the Worthy Grand Matron-elect to select the ten Appointive Grand Officers. At first this seems such a difficult task as there are so many fine and deserving members in our Order. Somehow it did not prove to be difficult at all. Each one chosen seems so right for the office. To see you in your stations fills my heart with happiness. I am so proud to call you our Appointive Grand Officers and I hope you will have a wonderful and joyous year as you serve our Order of the Eastern Star. Sister Bessie Kidd, our newly elected Grand Treasurer, I congratulate and welcome you to our Grand Family, thus completing our picture. You make a beautiful picture as I see you in your respective stations for the first time.

However, no picture is truly complete without a frame. Our picture frame is our group of lovely Deputy Grand Matrons, representing ninety-five Districts. Walking beside you was the Sister who has served in 1963. As you entered our Grand Chapter tonight I am sure, with all the excitement of this experience, it gave you confidence to have her there. May each of you find joy in serving the members of your District.

When these girls who are soon to be the Worthy Matrons of their Chapters and I first met just three short years ago I gave them a goal and some guide posts to assist along the way. We were to build a Stairway to the Stars, serving our members with Faith, Loyalty and Loving Kindness. Building a Stairway to the Stars is not an easy task, so last year we were joined by our Masonic Brothers who would navigate a course guided by our Star, shining so brightly from above. And now, with our Grand Officers, Deputy Grand Matrons, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, we shall seek our goal, it seems only a step away. But step by step we shall continue to climb that Stairway and in 1964 we shall touch that Star through our dedicated service to the members of our beloved Order.

Let us give and then give again of all that we possess, our Faith, our Loyalty, and Loving Kindness. These come not from the purse but from the heart, bright smiles and friendliness, a helping hand, and kindly word of praise and loving thoughts, a gentle touch when the heart is sad, a sharing of the happy times, the very poorest may be lavish with these gifts. Without a penny we may give the kindness that uplifts. God never stints. He gives to us His blessings from above. Then may we give abundantly, the good gift of our love.

Worthy Grand Patron, may we hear from you.

Worthy Grand Patron, William P. Wilson:

Sisters and Brothers, it is with humility, because of your confidence in me I accept the opportunity to serve this great Order of ours during the coming year, asking only your support and co-operation.

It is the ambition of many members of our Order to be in a place of leadership, but to only a few, over the years does the opportunity present itself. It goes without saying that without the recommendation a year ago of our Worthy Grand Matron, without your vote of confidence, I could not be here in this position tonight. Let me assure you, Sisters and Brothers, that it is with a great deal of humility that I stand before you with a great desire to give to each of you and to every member of the Order in this State of California the type of stewardship you desire.

I hope you will give attention to the words of our Worthy Grand Matron. Let her courage, wisdom and strength of character, be our guiding light this year.

It has been our good fortune to know and to admire and to follow a great team of leaders. There is with us this evening a group of these Sisters and Brothers who have led our Order in past years to its present greatness. These men and women have dedicated their lives to the progress of our Order without hope of fee or reward, except the satisfaction of work well done. We shall rely during the year on their counsel.

Brother Fred Leahy, my Worthy Grand Patron of 1955, I want to tell you how happy and pleased I am to have had you install me Worthy Grand Patron. I am so fortunate to have you for a friend.

Sister Mary Balden, I too wish to thank you for the beautiful evening you have planned and for your confidence in our Sister Esther and for appointing her your Grand Marshal in 1960, which has ultimately led to her shining glory tonight.

We have enjoyed so much the close association we have had this year with the Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons of California. We thank them for their interest in the Order, the work they are doing in their Chapters, their loyalty to us, and we are looking forward to a fine year with them in 1964.

I am so pleased the Knights Templar escorted the Flag of our Country. I have had the honor of serving that Grand Body for many years.

If we have failed to properly thank anyone who has worked on this Installation, I assure you it is a lapse of mind and not of the heart.

How thrilled I was this afternoon when there was a knock on our door and, when I opened it, the members of Cacheville Chapter and the 15th District walked in. I had no idea they would come so far to be with us tonight. Needless to say, there were tears of joy all over the place, we were so happy to see our devoted members. It is with great humility and pride that I present to you my devoted members of Cacheville Chapter and the 15th District. They chartered a bus and made this long trip today and will return home tonight, a journey of 800 miles.

Somewhere in the audience I have a family and I would like to have them stand. First is my wife, Gladys. I am sure if I told you what feeling is in my heart there would be a little sentiment come out that might not be so good here.

Next, we have Susie. I am so glad you could come. She is a member of our Bethel of Job's Daughters. While her mother and I have been away from home, she has made the honor roll every year.

Then we have Bill, Jr. and Jim, both members of my Lodge. Will you stand, boys. These are the boys that keep the home fires burning while we run around. Next we have our daughter-in-law, Shirley, and hers and Bill's two children, Elizabeth and little Bill. Thank you, too, for being with us.

You have listened to the report of our Grand Secretary on Tuesday. This report indicated our Order is not gaining in membership as we would like to have it. You have also heard the recommendation

that our Worthy Grand Matron appoint a committee to try to do something about our lack of attendance.

We like to dwell on the record of our great Order, but these fine records made by leaders of other years will not permit us to rest on our oars and expect that we can progress on our history. You and I must make our own record and our own history.

We want to start right at the base of our whole structure in the subordinate Chapter. This Grand Chapter is only as strong as our subordinate Chapters make it through their own strength.

I would like to see a program of public relations through which we are not content with telling ourselves what a great work we are doing, but where we go out and tell our communities what we have done in Masonry, in the Eastern Star and all of the other affiliated Bodies. Let us tell them what we stand for and what we are doing. We have hidden our light too long under the proverbial bush. I believe our own pride in our achievements will attract the people we want and need for our leaders of tomorrow. Public relations does not necessarily mean community projects alone, but includes the manner in which we greet our visitors, and the way we conduct ourselves in public. By our action we can warrant respect and admiration in our communities and identify our Order as an organization devoted to Faith, Loyalty and Loving Kindness, so that membership with us is desired and sought after.

Good public relations to me also means cooperation with other Masonic affiliated Bodies, that they will see our good work and give us their wholehearted support.

Finally, may God grant us the health and strength for a year of progress and a continued march to even greater heights for this Order which we hold so dear, and may He in His Divine goodness grant His blessing on each of us, our families and loved ones and all of the members of our Order, as we navigate a true course and "build a Stairway to the Stars."

Worthy Grand Matron, Esther Sandman:

Worthy Grand Patron, it is my pleasure to have you preside.

Presentation:

Worthy Grand Patron, William P. Wilson:

Worthy Grand Matron, Junior Past Grand Matron, our Junior Past Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons of California, all Delegates of this Grand Session, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

The time has arrived when we have some presentations to make. The first presentation I would like to make is to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Esther Sandman.

Sister Esther Sandman, our Worthy Grand Matron, it is customary at each Installation of Grand Chapter for the Worthy Grand Patron to present the Worthy Grand Matron with a gavel for her

use during her term of office. These are usually beautiful new gavels that dazzle the eyes with their brilliance. But knowing *your* love for older things, as evidenced by you and Gladys dragging Grant and me through every antique shop in California, yours is different.

What this gavel and sounding block lack in intrinsic value I hope will be made up in sentimental value to you.

This sounding block is made from a cherry tree that bore fruit for nearly ninety years before it was removed for modern development of one of our super-highways. This gavel is made of acacia wood. In speculative Masonry the acacia is a symbol of the immortality of the soul. It was also used in making the *sacred furniture of the Tabernacle*.

This gavel with certain modifications, of course, to make it worthy of the use to which you will put it, and proper for the use of a gracious lady, is the same gavel my family had presented to me when I was installed Worshipful Master of Yolo Lodge No. 81. Let's not say it is secondhand. Let us say it has withstood the trials and has proven itself worthy.

I remember well what the Past Master said to me when he presented it. He said, "Bill, I know you will use this gavel with temperance, fortitude, prudence and justice." Sister Esther, I know you will have the fortitude of your convictions and will prudently temper justice.

Response, Worthy Grand Matron, Esther M. Sandman:

What does one say when you receive something as beautiful as this? And it has meant so much to the giver and yet he is willing to give it to me as we serve together. It has my name, Worthy Grand Matron, and it has a beautiful Star with a diamond in the center of the heart of it. Certainly there are not any words with which I can adequately express my appreciation, and with the sounding block, it is beautiful. I shall treasure it always, not only because it is the emblem of office, but because of the sentiment with which it was given to me. Thank you so much.

Worthy Grand Patron, William P. Wilson:

Sister Annie Mills, I believe you have a presentation to make.

Presentation of Jewel to Junior Past Grand Matron Carol M. Jensen:

By Annie Picknell Mills.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Junior Past Grand Matron, Junior Past Grand Patron, Hostess and Host, Distinguished Members of our Order, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

May I offer my congratulations to our newly installed Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Esther Sandman and our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Bill Wilson and wish for them a very successful and happy year of service to our Order.

Sister Carol Jensen, Junior Past Grand Matron, the presentation of your jewel is a very rare privilege, and I thank you for extending me this honor. An honor such as this comes to one only once in a lifetime. You have been a true and loyal friend, not only to me but to your Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons and all the members throughout this great State of California. All of the members of Eastern Star have been proud of you. We all love and admire you. I know that as the future years pass by, the luster of this beautiful jewel presented to you tonight will never be dimmed by any action of yours. With it comes the love, esteem and admiration of all.

Sister Carol, you don't know that I am going to do this, but I have asked your beloved husband Earl to step out from the wings and assist me. It was he who encouraged you to accept the opportunity to serve Grand Chapter. He has stood by your side and smoothed your path every step of the way.

(Annie Mills and Earl Jensen sang in unison.)

All good things are destined to end,
That others may start and grow
And yet your smiles and tears will blend
As you bid farewell and go.

But we who love you understand
We are here to ease your heart
And let you know it was simply grand
That we each had a part.

We present to you with pride
A jewel for all these years have meant
Given with love we cannot hide
This Emblem of fulfillment.

Acceptance of Jewel:

Carol Mae Jensen, Junior Past Grand Matron:

My heartfelt thanks to you, Sister Annie.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Junior Past Grand Patron, Distinguished and Honored Members, Sisters and Friends:

It hardly seems possible that it has been a year since I assumed the responsibilities of Worthy Grand Matron. Sister Annie, the privilege of serving Grand Chapter in 1959 as your Grand Marshal was a most wonderful experience, and these years which have followed have increased my happiness, knowledge, and given me a world of new and dear friends. All this was made possible by the trust and faith you placed in me. I shall never forget your kindness, and hope that I shall always merit your love and respect. Your presentation of my Past Grand Matron's Jewel is a fitting climax to this beautiful experience which you so lovingly made possible. It was a real surprise and thrill to have Earl included

in this presentation. He has been by my side constantly this year, giving me love, encouragement, and assistance in all things, with a bit of humor now and then to cheer me on. Thank you both for your sweet thoughts.

The friendships and rich experiences I have made travelling the path of the Rainbow are now gathered in my pot of gold to be enjoyed forever. The beautiful recessional at the close of our Session this morning will always be remembered by the Grand Officers, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons and all who had a part, for whom you so lovingly dedicated your efforts to complete our wonderful year as the leaders of 1963.

Within this jewel case is a beautiful bracelet with the emblem of our Grand Chapter embedded in precious stones. All members of this Grand Jurisdiction and our Grand Chapter have had a part in this most beautiful jewel and each time I wear it, happy memories of our evenings spent together will be brought to mind. My sincere gratitude to the members of this Grand Chapter for the privilege of wearing such an emblem.

Sister Esther, our Worthy Grand Matron, and Brother Bill, our Worthy Grand Patron and your Grand Officers, I wish you the best of health, happiness and the wisdom to perform all the duties which will be yours during the coming months. Your assistance and cooperation, Sister Esther, has been appreciated as we have served together these past four years.

Again may I express my gratitude to all who had a part in the plans for this most beautiful week, the most outstanding in my Eastern Star life.

William Wilson, Worthy Grand Patron:

Thank you, Sister Annie and Brother Earl.

Sister Gertrude Conant Matson, I believe you have a presentation to make at this time.

Presentation of Jewel to Edwin F. Collins, Junior Past Grand Patron:

By Gertrude Conant Matson, Past Grand Matron.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Junior Past Grand Matron, Junior Past Grand Patron, Distinguished East, Sisters and Brothers:

Every good wish to our Worthy Grand Matron, Esther Sandman and our Worthy Grand Patron, William Wilson. I feel close to Esther for when she started through the line in her Chapter, she was to be Worthy Matron in my year, but she had to advance and I lost her as my Worthy Matron, but not as my friend. Brother Bill is practically a neighbor of mine. May you have the joy of achievement this year.

It is truly a joy and an honor to present to my Worthy Patron of Ocean Park Chapter in 1941, his Past Grand Patron's jewel.

It has been a privilege to be with you and Jeannette this year, Brother Ed, for I love and cherish you both very much. I know that this jewel means as much to Jeannette as it does to you, Ed, for she has been your help-mate in every way possible.

At your reception, Ed, held just a little more than a month ago, the theme of the evening was "Home is where the Heart is". When you spoke you said that the entire state of California has been your home this year, so in presenting your jewel to you, remember always that it comes from the hearts of your home folks of the Grand Chapter of California. I know you will wear this jewel with honor and integrity always and may it ever remind you that while you are no longer our Worthy Grand Patron, all you have given to the membership will ever live in the hearts of your homefolk.

There is an old Irish Blessing that seems right for you, Ed: "May the Blessing of Light be upon you—Light without and Light within."

Your precious Jewel, Junior Past Grand Patron.

Acceptance of Jewel:

Edwin F. Collins, Junior Past Grand Patron.

Thank you, Sister Gertrude Matson. It has been a pleasure to have you present this jewel to me.

As you have heard her say, she was my Worthy Grand Matron in 1941—our friendship has endured and grown over the years and I am sure that it will continue to grow.

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Esther Sandman, Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Bill Wilson, Junior Past Grand Matron Sister Carol Jensen, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, Distinguished Guests and Honored Members, Sisters and Brothers:

A little over a year ago Sister Carol asked me to instruct the Associate Patrons, now the Worthy Patrons, that it was to be the custom for us to say "Our Worthy Matron, Our Chapter." Her instructions were followed and Carol was OUR Worthy Grand Matron, but due to the events of the past week she has made me so proud of her that I am going to break precedent and say MY Worthy Grand Matron. The kindnesses and courtesies that have been extended to Jeannette and to me over the past few years have been a great joy to us. We have had many wonderful and happy visits as we traveled together, so MY Worthy Grand Matron, thank you for asking me to act as your associate the past two years. .

Sister Esther, our Worthy Grand Matron, Brother Bill, our Worthy Grand Patron, may you have the guidance and blessing of the Supreme Architect of the Universe in the coming year. I know that your travels to the Chapters will be a great joy to you and your experiences will be both happy and fruitful.

Will the Officers and members of my Chapter, Ocean Park No. 245, please rise. I do not know whether there are many of them here this evening as they have heard me talk so many times they have probably gone home. Thank you, members of our Chapter for your faith and for your many kindnesses over the years.

And, Jeannette, we can now get back to normal and really lead an easy life. We can sit before the fire and talk about the good times we had travelling with Carol and the Grand Family of 1963. Jeannette, you have been a wonderful help, without you I am sure there would have been a lot of correspondence unanswered.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Bill, it has been a custom the last three or four years to present the newly installed Worthy Grand Patron with a Worthy Grand Patron's jewel. The custom was started by Brother James Millard and I am very happy to present this jewel to you. I sincerely hope that you will wear it with as much pleasure as I have, and I know that it will be worn with honor to the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of California.

Acceptance:

William P. Wilson, Worthy Grand Patron:

Thank you, Brother Ed, our Junior Past Grand Patron. I will certainly wear this jewel with pride and consider it an honor.

Sister Carol, may we hear from you?

Presentation of Isabella Harrison Hilditch Jewel:

By Carol Mae Jensen, Junior Past Grand Matron.

In 1946 Sister Isabella Harrison Hilditch served our Grand Chapter most capably as our Worthy Grand Matron, and at the time of her passing she requested that her Past Grand Matron's Jewel be presented to Grand Chapter to be used as the Worthy Grand Matron's Jewel. During this past year it was my great pleasure to wear this jewel, with pride, to every Official Visit, where it was admired by many hundreds of our members. Tonight the very great honor is mine to present to Sister Esther Sandman, our Worthy Grand Matron of 1963-64, this beautiful jewel. May you wear it with honor and distinction.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Patron. Worthy Grand Matron, Junior Past Grand Patron, our Distinguished Guests, Sisters, Brothers and Friends.

Acceptance:

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Esther Sandman:

Thank you, Sister Carol, our Junior Past Grand Matron. I accept this pin with pride, and, oh, with such a humble heart, because Sister Isabella set such a high example of the teachings of

the Order of the Eastern Star. I have that example to follow and I hope I may in some measure live up to it. I truly am very proud to have the privilege of wearing this Worthy Grand Matron's jewel, and I, too, shall wear it to all Official Visits as I travel the State this coming year.

Thanks, Carol, for your good wishes, for all the nice things you said, but most of all, I treasure the friendship that you and I have had this year. It has been such a wonderful year serving together and there has been no cloud in the Heavens to halt the sunshine of our friendship. As you return to your home I know that you know you served well and you did wear this pin with pride and honor. Thank you.

Worthy Grand Patron, William Wilson:

Thank you, Sister Carol and Sister Esther.

Worthy Grand Matron, it is my desire that you resume your authority.

There being no further business to come before the Session, the Ninetieth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star, was declared closed with customary formality by the Worthy Grand Matron, at 11:45 P.M.

Next Session to be in Sacramento, commencing Tuesday, October 20th, 1964.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed the Seal of the Grand Chapter of the State of California, of the Order of the Eastern Star, this twenty-third day of December, 1963.

Maud M^cWilliams Smith
Grand Secretary.

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Co-Captain—James O. Hawthorne (173)

Lieutenant—James A. Davis (558)

Lieutenant—Joe A. Itson (240)

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In Memoriam

Rita May Cooper

WORTHY GRAND MATRON

of the

Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star

1936-1937

Entered Into Rest April 16, 1963

Sister Cooper was a native of the City of Sacramento, so it was most appropriate that she chose Sacramento Chapter No. 190 as her Eastern Star Home. She was initiated on February 2, 1920 and served the Chapter as its Worthy Matron in 1927.

Her ability was recognized by Grand Chapter in 1930 when she was appointed a Deputy Grand Matron for the 1930-1931 term. Following this honor, she was appointed Grand Marshal in 1932, elected to the Grand Line in 1933 and climaxed her success in her service as Worthy Grand Matron in 1936-1937.

Sister Cooper served Grand Chapter as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Star Home, resigning this position due to the serious illness of her husband.

In 1952 Sister Cooper was appointed Worthy Grand Chaplain of the General Grand Chapter for the term 1952-1955. No more deserving member could have been given this high office as Sister Cooper took her obligation literally and seriously. She was always a gracious lady who lived "uprightly, that her life might be void of offense toward God and man." Her unexpected death leaves many sorrowing friends.

*"Her epitaph she herself has made,
Inscribed in kindly deeds and word
On hearts where records cannot fade,
While souls with gratitude are stirred.
Then sweetly sleep, and when at last
That sleep shall be our portion too,
May members calling up the past,
Speak well of us, as we of you."*

The sincere sympathy of the members of this Grand Chapter is extended to Brother Clinton, her beloved husband, and to her countless friends.

In Memoriam

"Birdie"

Isabelle McCulley Bassett

WORTHY GRAND MATRON

of the

**Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1946-1947**

Entered Into Rest July 6, 1963

Sister Bassett was initiated in Vernon Chapter No. 35, Gridley, on December 3, 1930 and served as its Worthy Matron in 1939. She served Grand Chapter as a Deputy Grand Matron in 1942, was Grand Marshal in 1943 and advanced through the Grand Line to become Worthy Grand Matron in 1947.

Sister Bassett had been ill and unable to attend Chapter activities for many years prior to her death.

*"The weary eyes are closed at last;
The hands are folded on the breast;
The labors of the day are past,
The Father gently whispered 'Rest',
And this is best."*

The sympathy of the members of the Grand Chapter is extended to Sister Bassett's relatives and sorrowing friends.

In Memoriam

M. Frank Holman, M.D.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON

of the

**Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1916-1917**

Entered Into Rest March 11, 1963

Brother Holman was initiated in Faith Chapter No. 193 in Clarks Hill, Indiana and affiliated with Pacific Chapter No. 192, Los Angeles, on June 22nd, 1912, serving as Worthy Patron in 1913. He was elected Worthy Grand Patron in 1916 and served as the presiding officer in 1917. In 1925 he demitted and affiliated with Los Angeles Chapter No. 168, where he retained membership until his death.

Brother Holman served Grand Chapter with distinction on its most important committees and his knowledge and ability will be sorely missed.

*"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."*

The sincere sympathy of the members of this Grand Chapter is extended to Brother Holman's sorrowing relatives and friends.

In Memoriam

Grace Biers Beckman

GRAND TREASURER

of the

Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star

1924-1925

Entered Into Rest November 20, 1962

Sister Beckman was initiated in Woodbridge Chapter No. 118 on September 15, 1900, was Worthy Matron in 1915 and served Grand Chapter as a Deputy Grand Matron in 1919 and as Grand Treasurer in 1924-1925. During her sixty-two years of membership in Woodbridge Chapter she was, until her final illness, always active and willing to do more than her share for the welfare of the Chapter. She served Grand Chapter on many committees where her gracious manner endeared her to all.

*"At the pathway's end is an open gate
Through which our loved ones go,
To a place of far more peace and joy
Than we could ever know.
Our loving Father's waiting there
To give them strength and rest—
May we, then find our comfort
In the thought that God knows best."*

The sympathy of the members of the Grand Chapter is extended to Sister Beckman's relatives and countless friends.

In Memoriam

Thelma Imogene Schleifer

GRAND TREASURER

of the

Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1958-1959

Entered Into Rest April 27, 1963

Sister Schleifer was initiated in Los Cerritos Chapter No. 234, Martinez, on May 12, 1943 and served as Worthy Matron in 1949. She served Grand Chapter as a Deputy Grand Matron in 1953 and as Grand Chaplain in 1957. She was elected Grand Treasurer in 1958.

*"When the spirit takes its flight
To join with the angels above,
It only passes from mortal sight
To dwell in the realms of love.
Look up, oh heart bowed low,
Through darkness shines the sun,
The triumph of death is God's reward
For the work of a life well done."*

In our sorrow we are conscious of the fact that this Grand Chapter has been blessed by the inspiration of her association with us.

The sympathy of the members of the Grand Chapter is extended to Sister Schleifer's beloved husband and family and to her host of sorrowing friends.

In Memoriam

Sally Liberman Chalson

GRAND TREASURER

of the

Grand Chapter of California, Order of the Eastern Star
1941-1942

Entered Into Rest August 16, 1963

Sister Sally Liberman Chalson was a charter member of Menorah Chapter No. 497, initiated at the institution of the Chapter on June 16, 1928. She served as Worthy Matron in 1932, was appointed Grand Adah for 1934, served as a Grand Representative and was elected Grand Treasurer in 1941, and served Grand Chapter on many committees.

To her has come, as it will to all, the finish of earth's sojourn, its joys and sorrows, its hopes and fears. The fine attributes of her character, her charm and grace, her loyalty, and her fair minded attitude, made all who knew her love her. Sister Chalson was a gentlewoman in every sense of the word and it will be difficult to fill her place in Menorah Chapter and in the Grand Chapter.

*"Who knows the quiet road beyond the silence?
Why? No one has e'er returned to tell;
But He that holds the measuring rod of ages
Knows every step of it—and it is well.
He measured it to fit the souls He'd fashioned,
He made it beautiful, wonderful as birth,
And bordered it with mercy and compassion
And lit it with the love that crowns the earth."*

The sympathy of the members of the Grand Chapter is extended to Sister Chalson's bereaved family and her countless friends.

In Memoriam

In Loving Memory of Past Matrons and Past Patrons
Who Entered Into Rest During the Year 1962-1963

OAK LEAF No. 8

Ray Sidney Smith
Estel Dorothy Skaggs
Frances Jane Plunkett
Melvina Bennett

EVENING STAR No. 10

William Davidson Mathews

MARTHA WASHINGTON No. 11

Walter C. Haight
Lester Clayton Potts
Joye E. Bennett

ST. JOHN'S No. 14

Eleanor C. Edwards

WELCOME No. 17

Samuel Gaston Smith
Mary Strode
Grace Ellington

Lily of the Valley No. 18

Howard Charles Jennings
Grace Palmtag
Walter Henry Reed
Mabel F. Burland

IDLEWILD No. 19

Allen C. Jones

VESPER No. 20

Rosa Kuhn

ACACIA No. 21

Isabel Hickey

FERNDALE No. 23

Robert Christensen

IVY No. 27

Leila Hachette Biddle
Ida May Brandt
Edna Wilson Cloud

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Mary Elizabeth Reynolds

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Rita Frame

SAN JOSE No. 31

Clarence Alfred Colley
Minnie Blewett Williams

ROSE VALLEY No. 33

Elmer Douglas Bills
Frederick Oran Reeder, Sr.

VERNON No. 35

Ida Alexander Shaffer
George Thomas Peckema
Mary Thomas Schorr

NAOMI No. 36

Arthur McNeil
Leta Lavolette
Edward Boyce Durand
Raymond John Newlove

STELLA No. 39

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Paul Ivan Jenks

ARIEL No. 42

Joseph Bruce
Myrtie Painter
Roy Colvin

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Emma Herron Height

CEANOETHUS No. 45

Gilbert Curtis Archibald

REVEILLE No. 47

Mable Warnock
Lillian Blackie
Clarence Church

WHEATLAND No. 48

Clifton Hite
John Taresh

PLACER No. 49

Claude Frank Herrold

HOMO No. 50

Charles Leslie Ellis

ALTURAS No. 51

Margaret D. Huffman

FIDELIA No. 56

Fred Henry Heiken

KINGSLEY No. 58

Bess Eversole

SILVER SPRAY No. 59

Henry G. Knief

YOLO No. 60

Hazel Irene McDonald
Walker Morell Apperson

MORNING STAR No. 61

Henry Riblet

MOUNTAIN FERN No. 62

Dayse M. Hall

CAMELLIA No. 63

Jack Thompson
Clay B. Carley

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LUCERNE No. 127

Fitzhugh Judson Bowden
Ora Eleanora Rea

LOS GATOS No. 128

H. Owen Smith
Alfred F. Holland

SIERRA STAR No. 129

Arthur Earl Strang

CLOVERLEAF No. 130

Jean Etta Smith

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Edna Reed Gould
Clyde Weaver
Arthur McGee

SOUTH GATE No. 133

George M. Donovan
Ollie Wise Catlin

SEMPER FIDELIS No. 135

George Alexander Therkof
Winona Lindbergh
Emma Leona Edwards

ORESTIMBA No. 139

Eda Mortensen

LYRA No. 144

Clara L. Jenkins
Frederick R. Bliss
Herbert S. Harris

DELANO No. 146

Mary Belle Mitchell
Celia Ketcham

PEARL No. 147

Dudley S. Wetherbee
Mable Mayo Taylor
Carrie Musselman

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Ernest Boyle

CHISPA No. 151

Sallie Maude Adams

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Alice Pickard

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ALBERTA

Fifty-first Session - Edmonton, Alberta - June 5, 6, 7, 1962

"Hearts of Friendship Session"

Elgreeda Dick - Worthy Grand Matron

Brock Christie - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 111

Membership 9,803

Motto: Believe, Belong, Build

For Informal opening a white background in the East with the Motto, Believe, Belong, and Build in gold and purple; also, Hearts of Friendship in gold on either side. The balcony was draped in purple. Large floral stars centered with the open Holy Bible were placed high in the East and West. Large baskets of flowers stood at the Star point pedestals topped with sheaves of gold. A one hundred year old Bible, given to the Worthy Grand Matron was reverently placed on the Altar.

The Worthy Grand Matron gave personal gift money to Star Temple to buy a Wurlitzer Organ in memory of two Grand Organists.

Projects were: The Home Fund, ESTARL, Pusan Children's Hospital, Cancer Research, International Peace Garden, Job's Daughters and Star Temple. Teas were given for the Home Fund.

Fifty-second Session - June, 1963

Francis Miller - Worthy Grand Matron

Thomas Morris - Worthy Grand Patron

ALABAMA

Sixty-second Session - Montgomery, Alabama - Oct. 15, 16, 17, 1962

"Deep South Session"

Motto: Happiness cannot be built upon the Unhappiness of Others

Frances H. Gorrie - Worthy Grand Matron

Frank Drake - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 305

Membership 31,806

Setting: On the stage was a giant replica of a handsome southern mansion, supported by tall white majestic columns. Beautiful Magnolia, Cape Jasmine and Tulips bloomed around the door. The stairs leading from the stage were softly draped in white. Between the stairs was a lovely garden setting. White lawn chairs were placed on a velvety carpet of grass. Beautiful flowers blooming here and there and a pink weeping willow tree gave a most romantic air. The station in the west was flanked by white trellis with purple wistaria hanging in clusters. The north and south stations had tall

white columns. Gray Spanish Moss with Magnolia and Cape Jasmine hung from the balcony.

The Session was dedicated to the "Dixie Darlings", the Past Grand Matrons and Patrons.

Projects: ESTARL received \$1,614.71 with nine scholarships awarded. O.E.S. reported the sum of \$2,312.88 donated to relief project. Educational Loan Fund: Nine new Students entered college on scholarships. Total number of students receiving loans: 133. \$695.89 was donated to the International Temple.

In Alabama the State is divided into three divisions: Southern Division, the Associate Grand Conductress is appointed Deputy; in the Central area the Grand Conductress is the Deputy; and in the Northern area the Associate Grand Matron is the Deputy.

Sixty-third Session - Montgomery, Alabama - Oct. 21, 22, 23, 1963

Mattie Lou Gray - Associate Grand Matron

Emory Olds - Associate Grand Patron

ARIZONA

Sixty-second Session - Yuma, Arizona - March 22, 23, 24, 1962

"Design for Living Session"

Virginia Eastlick - Worthy Grand Matron

Schuyler W. Fouts - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Be Ye Doers of the Word and Not Hearers Only

Chapters 50

Membership 11,488

Decorations for opening were scrolls in white with the initials "V" and "S" with sprays of turquoise roses on gold background with a large gold Star in between for the East. A large six foot white "Bible" placed to the left of the stage with a different Bible passage appropriate to each session. Five sessions were dedicated to the Star Points, with a beautiful ceremony surrounding the story of one Point at the beginning of each session.

A Grand Lecturer, appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron along with ten Assistant Grand Lecturers, instructs the membership and Officers. The Worthy Grand Matron visited each Chapter in the state. The Worthy Grand Patron made every Official Visit this year.

Projects were Eastern Star Home, Cancer Dressings and Research, Blood Bank, ESTARL, International Peace Garden and Pusan Children's Hospital. Four Scholarships were granted and ten ESTARL awards were given.

Fifty-ninth Session - Phoenix, Arizona - March 28, 29, 30, 1963

Helen V. Brooks - Worthy Grand Matron

Joseph A. Ivey, Jr. - Worthy Grand Patron

Sixty-third Session - Phoenix, Arizona - March 27-30, 1963

"Star of Bethlehem Session"

Helen V. Brooks - Worthy Grand Matron
Joseph A. Ivey, Jr. - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Hand in Hand to Lend a Helping Hand

Chapters 53

Membership 11,596

In keeping with the Worthy Grand Matron's theme, the decorations were very simple and effective. A beautiful scene was placed across the west in back of the stations of the Associate Grand Matron and Associate Grand Patron. White silhouettes of the Three Wise Men on their camels against a star-studded blue sky, appeared to be following a large lighted Star. In the Grand East a beautiful life size Nativity Scene. A lovely Angel was suspended over the spot-lighted Manger where the Baby lay. In back of each Star Point chair was a Triangle covered with blue satin flowers in colors appropriate to the Degrees.

Projects: All General Grand Chapter projects. ESTARL, O.E.S. Home in Phoenix. Arthritis and Rheumatism received \$1,421.70. ESTARL received in donation \$2,267.09 and eleven students received awards.

The Worthy Grand Matron's and Patron's request was that in lieu of personal gifts from the Chapters when they made their Official Visits, a donation be made to the Square and Compass Crippled Children's Clinic in Tucson. Ten automobile loads of toys of every description were taken to 2,000 little patients, some of whom had never had a toy.

Sixty-fourth Session - Phoenix, Arizona - March 19-21, 1964

Ruby Spargo - Worthy Grand Matron
Thomas Pierce - Worthy Grand Patron

ARKANSAS

Eighty-seventh Session - Little Rock, Arkansas - December 5-7, 1962

"Pathway to the Stars Session"

Motto: To live each day the principles we teach

Eddith Beshires Jenkins - Worthy Grand Matron
Thomas A. Biggs - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 228

Membership 25,117

The informal opening on stage was a simulated rock wall with ivy twining through a silver back-drop with glittering golden stars forming a path which seemed to rise from the rock garden. In large letters was the title, Pathway to the Stars Session. On the main floor near the Chaplain was a large simulated Bible page and on the

page inscribed was the Prayer "Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in Thy sight, O Lord, my strength and Redeemer." On the right side was the Scriptural guide "Let love be without dissimulation, abhor that which is evil; cleave to that which is good."

Projects: Educational Loan awarded twelve, ESTARL gave eight awards, along with O.E.S. Relief, Cancer Research, Pusan Children's Hospital, International Peace Garden, Arthritis and Rheumatism Fund and People to People.

Eighty-eighth Session - December, 1963
Grace Leatherberry - Worthy Grand Matron
Jeff Davis - Worthy Grand Patron

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Fifty-first Session - Westminster, B. C. - May 28, 29, 30, 1962

"Crown and Scepter with the Star Session"

Florence M. Porter - Worthy Grand Matron
Sydney Western - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Love, Loyalty, Service

Chapters 89

Membership 11,544

The "Crown and Scepter with the Star Session" was dedicated to Grace E. Wilcox, Past Grand Matron who served the Order of the Eastern Star for over sixty years and Katherine Irvin, Past Grand Matron, a charter member of the Grand Chapter of British Columbia.

The arena was transformed into a place of beauty, using colors, white, red and green blended with pink, being used many ways, with flowers, both real and artificial. The backdrop of the Grand East was of golden brocade, with white cut-out lettering: "Fifty-first Crown and Scepter with the Star Session." Below this hung the Motto "Love, Loyalty, Service". In the center just below the podium, stood a tall white pillar which held a large golden Crown and Scepter.

Projects: Much can be said about their Cancer project which is in three parts—a Cancer Research Fund, Cancer Dressings Stations including a Workshop and Physics Library. In the year 1961-62 there were 2,743 workers, who worked 60,392 hours, and made 635,538 dressings for over 6,000 patients.

At the fourteenth Annual Grand Council, the Worthy Grand Matron was presented a check for \$3,542.37 from the International Order of the Job's Daughters toward the Grand Guardian's Project, Leukemia.

Officers for Fifty-second Session:

Agnes Hindmarch - Worthy Grand Matron
Dr. Wilbur W. Bell - Worthy Grand Patron

COLORADO

Seventieth Session - Denver, Colorado - September 19-22, 1962

"String of Pearls Session"

Pearl Stehley - Worthy Grand Matron

Floyd Booth - Worthy Grand Patron

Aim: Practice Principles and Teachings of our Order

Chapters 139

Membership 37,407

The setting in the East was most appropriate for the theme of this Session. The Golden Jewel Box, emblem for the year, held a String of Pearls, most effective against the backdrop. The Open "Bible" and the Watchword, Peace and Happiness, completed the theme. Lovely baskets of flowers were placed in the East. The Labyrinth, in simplicity, consisted of a Chain of Pearls at each Star Point, and the word symbolizing each Point.

The Grand Officers' formals were purple; the Grand Pages', pink; the Emblem Bearers', gold; the Memorial Pages', white; and the members of the Pentalpha Club, mauve.

Projects: Chapters' combined efforts in contributions to Sands House and Cancer Research was \$2,674.52. International Temple, \$1,314.00; ESTARL awarded eight renewals and thirteen new awards, \$2,235.00.

Seventy-first Session - Denver, Colorado - September 18-21, 1963

Marianne Erickson - Worthy Grand Matron

Boyd L. Green - Worthy Grand Patron

CONNECTICUT

Eighty-eighth Session - Hartford, Connecticut - April 26-28, 1962

"The Guiding Light Session"

Eleanor "Betty" Gray - Worthy Grand Matron

Miley Heinbaugh - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Golden Deeds for Others

Chapters 104

Membership 26,380

Suspended to the left of the stage on the backdrop of black velvet was a large "Bible" opened to Proverbs 3:6 with rays of light to the right which glowed on a large golden "Crown and Scepter" reflecting jewels in various colors. In front of the podium were happiness roses and white chrysanthemums. Brick outlined the platform with a white picket fence trailing with ivy. Below was a garden scene carrying out the colors of the year, gold and white. Baskets of flowers were arranged behind each Star Point station. A picket fence was in the west entwined with roses. On

the north balcony was the Motto of the year. On the south, flanked by the golden Crown and Scepter, was the Watchword, "Forward".

The Worthy Grand Matron makes Official Visits to all Chapters and is now considering the Deputy system.

Projects: Twenty-two ESTARL awards were given. A corsage fund of money was given to ESTARL by request of the Worthy Grand Matron. Also, Hospital Endowment Fund of the Masonic Home, Aid in Misfortune: "A-I-M", Pusan Children's Hospital, International Temple, Cancer, and Robert Morris Relief Fund.

Eighty-ninth Session - Hartford, Connecticut - April 26, 27, 1963

Arline L. Morgan - Worthy Grand Matron

Alexander N. Chapman - Worthy Grand Patron

DELAWARE

Forty-first Session - Wilmington, Delaware - May 14, 15, 1962

"Radiant Star Session"

Katherine P. Marshall - Worthy Grand Matron

Charles H. Schultheiss - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Living our Eastern Star

Chapters 19

Membership 3,489

Informal Opening: Grand Pages dressed in orchid dresses formed a line on each side of the Grand Chapter room through which the Grand Officers entered. A "Bible" given to the Worthy Grand Matron by her home Chapter, Radiant No. 6, was used in each Chapter of her "Official Visits" and the names of all Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons were in the "Bible". In the East upper left corner hung a Radiant Star. In the lower right was the world, supported by two strong hands. The Star cast its rays on the World. In the west hung a Star within a Pentagon. On the pedestal of the Grand Line Officers were dolls dressed in orchid dresses. The Grand Secretary's desk had an orchid potted chrysanthemum.

Projects: By request the Worthy Grand Matron was given money instead of flowers on her Official Visits to be given to the Crippled Children. During the summer benefits were held which netted a gain of \$4,033.61 to be distributed to the Crippled Children and ESTARL. Others are: International Temple Fund, Pusan Children's Hospital, DeMolay, Job's Daughters and Rainbow Girls.

Forty-second Session - Wilmington, Delaware - May 13, 14, 1963

Miss Edith H. Shinn - Worthy Grand Matron

Carl E. Olliver - Worthy Grand Patron

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Sixty-sixth Session - Washington, D. C. - May 3, 4, 5, 1962

"The Golden Keys of Kindness Session"

Frances P. Smith - Worthy Grand Matron

G. Glenn Reese - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Open the Doors of Service with Golden Keys of Kindness

Chapters 40

Membership 11,512

The East was a white-walled garden effect centered with a faithfully-reproduced Federal Doorway with the door partly open. This was flanked by magnolia trees in full bloom with sprays of yellow forsythia, pink cherry blossoms and green twining vines and shrubs.

This Session marked a new fiscal year's conclusion, the Annual Sessions being moved from January to May. All Grand Officers and subordinate Chapter officers served a sixteen-month term.

Projects: Special, The Endowment Fund for the Masonic and Eastern Star Home. The Worthy Grand Matron requested "flowers" for her visitations be given in money to be donated to the Endowment Fund. Two ESTARL awards were allowed. Also O.E.S. Blood Bank, Cancer and Research, and International Temple.

Sixty-seventh Session - Washington, D. C. - May 2, 3, 4, 1963

Lavinia T. Tarr - Worthy Grand Matron

Robert Earl Wilhelm - Worthy Grand Patron

FLORIDA

Fifty-seventh Session - Jacksonville, Florida - April 10-13, 1962

"Faith and Friendship Session"

Emmalu Brown - Worthy Grand Matron

John F. Nicholson - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Deeds not Words

Chapters 239

Membership 41,037

Setting: In the East was a white Chapel with stained glass windows and a tall white steeple. A statue of "Martha" stood in the open door raising her hands imploringly to the "Cross". On the right of the Chapel stood a white Cross with the words "Faith and Friendship". In the west was a replica of the "International Peace Garden" with the stone marker and the pledged inscription. To the south in the midst of beautiful flowers and soft green grass floated the Stars and Stripes. On the north the Canadian Flag rippled in the breeze. At each "Star Point" station was a trellis covered with flowers in appropriate colors.

Projects were: International Temple, \$1,618.19, Pusan Children's Hospital, \$1,834.42, ESTARL, \$3,188.42, also Student Loans, and Masonic Home.

Fifty-eighth Session - Jacksonville, Florida - April 2-5, 1963

Leota Prosser - Worthy Grand Matron

Lewis Z. Kent - Worthy Grand Patron

GEORGIA

Sixty-first Session - Macon, Georgia - June 11, 12, 13, 1962

Dorothy King - Worthy Grand Matron
Farris M. Davies - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto:

A Good Deed, a Kind Word, and a Prayer Increase Happiness

Chapters 288

Membership 32,123

Setting: A white trellis entwined with pink roses and ivy was used in the East, South, West and North. Also in the East, painted on the backdrop, was praying hands in a lighted shadow box. In the west was an open book with Scripture and a Prayer. Behind each Star Point was a replica of praying hands.

The State is divided into thirty-six districts with a Grand Lecturer and an appointive Officer who instructs the District Deputies.

The revised ritualistic ceremony for Georgia Grand Chapter was adopted to conform with General Grand Chapter and other Grand Chapters.

Projects: The special was O.E.S. Cancer Aid Fund. Twenty-six awards were given through ESTARL. Others are O.E.S. Home, International Temple, Educational Loan, Blood Bank and Civilian Defense.

Sixty-second Session - Macon, Georgia - 1963

Ida Lee Powell - Worthy Grand Matron
Charles A. Miller - Worthy Grand Patron

IDAHO

Sixtieth Session - Boise, Idaho - June 11-14, 1962

"Our Good Shepherd Session"

Beulah M. Schaefer - Worthy Grand Matron
William C. Skinner - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Not My Will but Thine Be Done

Chapters 77

Membership 13,022

Informal Opening: In the East was a fountain of water guarded by the shepherd with his flock of plastic and cotton sheep. A large painting of a mountain and a stream flowing and several evergreen trees completed the scene. A Pastoral scene in the Labyrinth was separated from the Delegates by a simulated brick wall with flowers along the edges.

Projects: ESTARL awarded thirteen renewal and nine new awards. Scholarship awards: one in Music, one in Journalism; also Cancer Research, Pusan Children's Hospital, and International Peace Garden, Educational Loan.

Sixty-first Session - Coeur d'Alene, Idaho - June 10-13, 1963

Jane Benfer - Worthy Grand Matron
Aubrey K. Smith - Worthy Grand Patron

ILLINOIS

Eighty-eighth Session - Chicago, Illinois - October 2, 3, 1962

"Friendship Session"

Isla K. Somers - Worthy Grand Matron

James Hutchinson, Jr. - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: In Kindness We Serve

Chapters 753

Membership 148,809

Simplicity was the keynote to the setting. Red and white color theme transformed the huge stage, at the Medinah Mosque, into a picture of beauty. The "I" with initials "I K S" and the year 1962 served as a reminder to carry out the work. The beautiful "Book" was in the Grand East with the Motto and red carnations.

Projects included the International Eastern Star Temple, which contributions netted \$2,173.12, ESTARL, \$19,688.01 and Pusan Children's Hospital.

Eighty-ninth Session - 1963

Mildred Blomstrand - Worthy Grand Matron

Andrew Rapp - Worthy Grand Patron

INDIANA

Eighty-ninth Session - Indianapolis, Indiana - April 22-24, 1963

"Hearts in Peace Session"

Sara Ruby Scott - Worthy Grand Matron

David J. Miller - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto:

I will lift mine eyes unto the Hills, from whence cometh my help

Chapters 485

Membership 138,561

Setting: In the East forming the backdrop was a beautiful mural depicting hills symbolic of the "Biblical" scripture of the Worthy Grand Matron. Lights were on the mural showing the colors chosen for this year. Rays of the setting sun, soft melting blues, greens, orchid and rose. Large red letters "Hearts in Peace", were suspended across the East. The orchestra pit was transformed into a beautiful sunken garden with rose trees, a fountain of running water and wrought iron furniture. Standing at the fountain of running water was a mannequin dressed in white formal wearing a blue veil, symbolic of the station of Adah held by the Worthy Grand Matron in Grand Chapter. The garden was outlined by a wrought iron fence. Across the footlights were ferns; on either side were large palms. During the entire Session live, white Fan-tailed Doves were in the garden.

Fifty-year Pins were presented to 302 members.

Projects: The Worthy Grand Patron's Boutonniere Fund, by his request, used when making Official Visits, was given to the Deputies, a sum of \$225.25. This money was used for two serving buffets built into the dining room of the Masonic Home. The Masonic Home is shared jointly. The population as of March 31,

1963 was 455 members—133 Master Masons, 13 wives, 164 widows, 1 daughter O.E.S., 121 boys and 7 girls.

Members contributed \$2,575.38 to Pusan Children's Hospital, \$3,152.50 to Cancer Research, \$1,777.16 to International Temple, \$1,294.00 to Arthritis and Rheumatism.

1963-64 Session in Bridgewater, Indiana.

Helen S. Garriott - Worthy Grand Matron

Ivan Robert - Worthy Grand Patron

IOWA

Eighty-fifth Session - Sioux City, Iowa - October 23, 24, 25, 1962

"Springs of Life Session"

Lois Hanke - Worthy Grand Matron

Harry L. Cowden - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Know Thyself

Chapters 305

Membership 82,903

Informal Opening: A pink heart with a flowing blue ribbon faced with darker blue with the watchword: "Grace, Generosity and Gratitude" in white, also the Golden Cord for the golden opportunity of Christian Service with green palms and baskets created a Grand East. Baskets of flowers stood behind the Star Points' chairs. The pedestals were connected with golden cords.

Projects: Pretty Pennies for beauty was inspired for the Eastern Star and Masonic Home of one hundred members.

Twenty-six awards were given by ESTARL. Eight Educational Loans were made, money spent for corsages for the Worthy Grand Matron was given to a Jewel Fund for Jewels. Surprise Nights were shared by visiting a Chapter without previous notice and bringing refreshment and entertainment. Also O.E.S. Library, Cancer Education, International Temple.

1963 Session - Des Moines, Iowa - October 29, 30, 31, 1963

Helen Kline - Worthy Grand Matron

Wendell Teachout - Worthy Grand Patron

KANSAS

Eighty-seventh Session - Topeka, Kansas - April 23, 24, 25, 1963

"Friendship and Service Session"

Bernadine Russell - Worthy Grand Matron

LaVerne Spears - Worthy Grand Patron

Watchword: Simplicity, Sincerity, Understanding

Chapters 389

Membership 86,651

Decoration for the Grand East was a red satin curtain framed in white and at the rear of the stage were the words "Friendship and Service" in large glittering letters. Large baskets of red car-

nations and white gladioli were at each Station. In the southeast corner was framed a Star. In the northeast corner was framed the square and compass. In the center of the Grand East were white steps with wrought iron rails. Directly below the steps was a beautiful garden scene. The Labyrinth was carpeted in white with white posts trimmed with red roses connected with white satin rope.

Eight chapters observed their Seventy-fifth Anniversaries. Six observed their Fiftieth Anniversaries.

Projects: Twenty-seven new awards and seventeen renewals were presented by ESTARL. Five Educational Scholarships were awarded and Elizabeth West Reeder awarded one.

A beauty shop for the infirmary of the Masonic Home is to be given out of money used for corsages at the Worthy Grand Matron's Official Visits by her request.

Eighty-eighth Session - Topeka, Kansas - April 21-23, 1964

Myra Wille - Worthy Grand Matron

Douglas Crotty - Worthy Grand Patron

KENTUCKY

Sixtieth Session - Louisville, Kentucky - October 22, 23, 24, 1962

"Faith Unlocks the Door Session"

Opal H. Lee - Worthy Grand Matron

Hilton H. Vanover - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Be Kind, Be Sincere, and Love One Another

Chapter 319

Membership 44,498

As a prelude to opening the Grand Choir, directed by Miss Hazel Kaster, entered Memorial Auditorium robed in white with turquoise trim carrying books with blue covers singing "Holy, Holy, Holy". In the East they prayerfully sang "Cleanse Me" to the tune of "Now is the Hour."

In the foreground of the stage, encompassed by a stone wall, praying hands were supported beneath an open Holy Bible open to Psalms 19:14. To the left hung a picture of Dr. Robert Morris. Douglas Edwards, Past Grand Patron, read an original poem which he dedicated to the Worthy Grand Matron.

La Grange, Kentucky is the home of our founder, Dr. Robert Morris.

Projects: Special objective of the Worthy Grand Matron was the Home Building Fund. ESTARL received \$4,355.76, giving eighteen awards. International Temple Fund received \$1,960.00. Other projects are Arthritis and Rheumatism, Cancer Research, Pusan Children's Hospital, International Peace Garden and Robert Morris Memorial.

Sixty-first Session - Louisville, Kentucky - October 22, 1963

Lenore H. Gulett - Worthy Grand Matron

Keevil Galbraith - Worthy Grand Patron

LOUISIANA

Sixty-fourth Session - Shreveport, Louisiana - March 18-20, 1963

"Royal Dream Session"

Sybil Fullerton - Worthy Grand Matron

Lynn R. Pomeroy, Sr. - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Fulfilling our Dreams and our Destiny

Chapters 192

Membership 27,869

Setting: The Auditorium was transformed into an imaginary kingdom of "Royal Dreams". A Castle in the Air. First sighted was a glittering castle floating on a pink cloud. The clouds were lighted with ruby lights. Clouds of pale pink running roses swagged the mossy green lower balconies and trailed across the choir lofts defining the area. On the main floor was a formation of a thirty-six foot square pink carpet with a red velvet-centered Pentagon where the Altar stood. A royal path was made by a six-foot wide red plush carpet which stretched from the edge up the center steps and continued deep on the stage to a throne. Softly illuminated was a giant "Cameo", the profile was of "Christ" wearing a golden crown, silhouetted against a faint Star. The name Royal Dream in Old English lettering circled the gleaming gold-framed Cameo.

Projects: The specials listed for the Worthy Grand Matron are: Masonic Home for Children, 5 cents per member for children's trip to New Orleans \$1,380.16, 5 cents per member for Library, \$1,354.97, Charity Ball, \$1,401.00, Joy Fund for shut-ins, \$1,255.70. Grand Chapter gave \$2,825.38 for the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation. Others are Home for the Aged, Educational Loan Fund, Blood Bank, Pusan Children's Hospital, International Peace Garden, International Temple and Masonic Home for Children.

1963-64 Session Officers:

Delaine R. Able - Worthy Grand Matron

Marvin G. Wilder - Worthy Grand Patron

MAINE

Seventieth Session - Portland, Maine - May 14, 15, 16, 1962

"Guiding Light Session"

Mildred B. McIntosh - Worthy Grand Matron

Emil A. Kenny - Worthy Grand Patron

Motto: Others

Chapters 187

Membership 36,160

Informal Opening: A picture window was framed in deep orchid on a darker background with purple drapes at each side tied back with a gold cord. Greenery was banked below and at the sides of the window. Above was the Motto "Others" with our Star at either side. A silver star shed its rays upon a large "Bible"

opened to the book of Matthew, the Scripture "Lo, I am With You Always", superimposed in gold over a spray of red roses at the lower right. Hydrangeas, fern and white gladioli were across the front of the stage. The words "Dignity - Courage" inscribed on a large book formed the front of the podium.

Maine holds "Grand Family" Nights in which the Grand Officers exemplify the Degree work for subordinate chapters.

Projects: Maine has a Grand Chapter Charity Fund. ESTABL gave ten awards. Also O.E.S. Youth Educational Service, Pusan Children's Hospital and International Temple.

Seventy-first Session - Portland, Maine - May 21-24, 1963

Anne R. Horsman - Worthy Grand Matron

Stanley M. Whitney - Worthy Grand Patron

MANITOBA

Fortieth Session - Winnipeg, Canada, - May 28, 29, 30, 1962

"Friendship Session"

Motto:

In all thy ways acknowledge Him and He will direct thy paths

Violet Olson - Worthy Grand Matron

Edward R. R. Mills - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 66

Membership 6,027

In the Grand East "Friendship Session" was placed, in large silver letters on a maroon backdrop with a large "Eastern Star" centered with an open "Holy Bible" placed in a friendship circle of green links representing the sixty chapters of this Grand Jurisdiction. Also the watchword, Love, Faith, and Friendship and the Motto, placed above streamers of red roses. Approaching the Grand East was a garden of red roses and in front of the pedestal was a replica of the "International Peace Garden". In the west was an archway with the word "Friendship". Behind each Star Point's chair stood a large Star appropriate in each color.

Many Projects were in evidence; however, the Pusan Children's Hospital drive contributed \$1,086.78. Chapters donated \$3,000.00 and a special penny drive to pave eighty miles, Lundar to the Marlborough Hotel, netted \$3,500.00. It took sixteen pennies per foot. A grant of \$6,500 was then given to Cancer Control and Research.

Forty-first Session - Winnipeg, Manitoba - May 27, 28, 29, 1963

Ruth Swanton - Worthy Grand Matron

John P. Edgar - Worthy Grand Patron

MARYLAND

Sixty-fourth Session - Baltimore, Maryland - April 29-May 2, 1962

"Lamp of Fellowship Session"

Elizabeth M. Bach - Worthy Grand Matron

Elmer Borcharding - Worthy Grand Patron

The Hour of Remembrance

Chapters 106

Membership 25,478

In the Grand East hung a picture of a winding road edged with pink dogwood trees. A church with a tall spire nestled in a village. Curtains of pale green taffeta formed the backdrop. Real trees, covered with hundreds of pink dogwood blossoms were placed on the floor level across the backdrop. The front of the Grand East was in pale green taffeta. Pink dogwood trees filled the corners of the ballroom in the west and branches of dogwood blossoms covered the columns of the balcony on the north and south. Beautiful old-fashioned "Lamps of Fellowship" were placed on the Grand Secretary's desk, on the Organ and on the pedestals in the west, north and south. The platforms of these Stations were adorned with deep pink azaleas.

Projects: Chapters contributed to ESTARL \$1,725.00 with eight new awards and a total of \$1,800.00, Pusan Children's Hospital, \$1,037.77, International Temple, \$1,125.63, and Cancer, \$8,472.76. It seemed nothing was too small for these chapters to do.

Sixty-fifth Session - Baltimore, Maryland - April 28-May 1, 1963

Miss Gwendolyn R. Kelley - Worthy Grand Matron

Robert L. Maier - Worthy Grand Patron

MASSACHUSETTS

Eighty-sixth Session - Springfield, Massachusetts - May 10-12, 1962

"Peace Session"

Motto: Peace with God

Elsie F. Wheeler - Worthy Grand Matron

Kenneth C. Cousins - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 214

Membership 55,984

The stage was decorated with bright pink geraniums and white mums arranged against a wall of stone covered with ivy. Beautifully hanging against the backdrop was a large white "Bible" with praying hands beneath. The motto "Peace with God".

A Deputy Grand Marshal as well as a Deputy Grand Matron is appointed and they make visits to the Chapters together. The Official Visits to the Chapters are divided between the Worthy Grand Matron, Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress.

The Stoughton Cup is awarded to the Chapter making the largest contribution to the Home Maintenance Fund on a per capita basis.

One hundred Fifty-year Pins were presented.

Projects: The project of the Grand East this year was called "The Peace Offering" and was distributed as follows: Isadore Forbes Benevolent Fund, Home Maintenance, Home Endowment, Pusan Children's Hospital, International Peace Garden, Home Cheer, Educational Fund, giving thirty-nine awards and ESTARL, presenting sixteen awards.

Eighty-seventh Session - Worcester, Massachusetts - May 9-11, 1963

Blanche H. Shaw - Worthy Grand Matron

Charles W. Skinner - Worthy Grand Patron

MICHIGAN

Ninety-sixth Session - Grand Rapids, Michigan - Oct. 9-11, 1962

"Memory Lane Session"

Motto: We Serve

Doris M. Waldo - Worthy Grand Matron

George J. Soden - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 478

Membership 112,329

Setting: At the opening session, a formation, depicting an old-fashioned girl carrying a parasol, was made by the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons and Grand Committee members. The scene in the Grand East was that of a railroad station. Standing before the old-fashioned depot were a Past Grand Matron and Past Grand Patron, dressed in costumes of 1867. They were those of Memory Lane anxiously awaiting the arrival of the train which was late. Finally, the faint sound of an approaching train. The Grand Officers were arriving by train of Memory Lane. The Grand Officers were assisted to the platform by the station master. The Grand Officers then left the Grand East to the strains of that great hymn "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" and went to their stations.

There are three chapters of more than 1,000 members, and six with more than eight hundred members.

Projects: Every member project, total contributions by September 1, 1962 was \$43,738.73. This money was allocated to the following: Masonic Home Beauty Parlor, \$2,500.00; Cancer Fund, \$5,000.00; Regular Scholarship Fund, \$12,000.00; Pusan Children's Hospital, \$1,000.00; ESTARL, \$12,000.00 with \$10,300.00 granted to forty-seven students. Relief Fund Budget, \$9,192.17; O.F.S. Educational Department has three funds (Educational Loan Fund, Regular Scholarship, ESTARL). The balance was distributed to the Job's Daughters, Rainbow for Girls, DeMolay for Boys and Special Charities. In Michigan, a little over \$60,000.00 has been sent to General Grand Chapter and returned in their own jurisdiction, for ESTARL.

Special "Bible" of 1868 was used at Session the day of the Grand Officers' Election.

Ninety-seventh Session - Grand Rapids, Mich. - October 8-10, 1963

Pearl Rowell - Worthy Grand Matron
Frederic Keicher - Worthy Grand Patron

MINNESOTA

Eighty-fourth Session - St. Paul, Minnesota - May 16-18, 1962

"Forget-Me-Not Session"

Eunice Paul - Worthy Grand Matron
Remington Schoonmaker - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 270

Membership 53,993

Setting: Harmony, Home and Happiness, three words, an impressive stage setting on a velvet backdrop in large silver letters. Gold-colored draperies formed the rest of the backdrop, a garden scene, white iron gates through which led a pathway to the front of the stage. At each side were camellia trees and firefly lights. The pathway was trimmed with camellias and Forget-me-nots. White iron garden furniture was used. Front of the stage was draped in turquoise with potted camellias and colored geraniums. Below the rostrum, a fountain of blue flowed with floating pink water lilies.

Encircling the auditorium were white pillars draped with pink camellias, a golden bird cage atop with a blue bird and a glittering gold jewel box with many jewels alternated. The west was ablaze with pink camellias and blue forget-me-nots on each side of a gold center white outlined heart.

Each Star Point's chair was covered in white satin with candelabra. At each base were potted plants in pink and blue. The four corners of the floor were electrified, for the first time in the history of Grand Chapter, everywhere with many colors chosen by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Fraternal Courtesy: Through the Worthy Grand Matron Sister Helen O. Isberg, of California, a courtesy initiation was requested for Genevieve Janet Thompson, Miguelito Chapter No. 176, Lompoc, California, for Red River Chapter No. 226, East Fork, Minnesota.

Projects: The Worthy Grand Matron's request of twenty-five cents per member was well exceeded for ESTARL—\$14,816.13 was received, giving fifty-four awards. Eighty-one Chapters are 100% in contributions to the International Temple Fund. To date: \$34,630.46. Educational Loan Fund awards were three. No project was too small and there were too many to mention, even to shovelling snow for shut-ins.

Eighty-fifth Session - Minneapolis, Minnesota - May 22-24, 1962

Marecella Olson - Worthy Grand Matron
Arnold Schulz - Worthy Grand Patron

MISSOURI

Eighty-eighth Session - St. Louis, Missouri - October 8-10, 1962

"Esther's Crown and Heart Session"

Emblem: Holy Bible and Sun

Lois Jackson - Worthy Grand Matron

Harry H. Balsiger - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 547

Membership 88,368

Opening: Silver bunting outlined the balcony. The theme for the setting in the Labyrinth was of an ancient Persian courtyard. Stations of the west, south and north symbolized spires of Persian castles. Styrofoam hearts in Star Point colors were placed on the backs of the Points' chairs. The East held large silver letters suspended high spelling "Esther's Crown and Heart Session". A blue ruffled tulle "Crown Heart" was near the Chaplain's chair, and a Fuchsia Satin Heart near the Marshal's chair. A wide fuchsia runner of satin extended from the Altar to the East.

Projects: \$36,346.00 was distributed. ESTARL received \$13,643.22, this being the Worthy Grand Matron's special project. The balance was given to Cancer and Research, Arthritis and Rheumatism, Pusan Children's Hospital, Shriners' Hospital, International Temple and the Heart Fund.

Eighty-ninth Session - Kansas City, Missouri - October 21-23, 1963

Irene Hansen - Worthy Grand Matron

Edwin W. Kettleesen - Worthy Grand Patron

MONTANA

Seventy-third Annual Session - Helena, Montana - June 28-30, 1962

"Songbird Session"

Motto: Walk Humbly With Thy God

Chapters 123

Membership 25,772

Worthy Grand Matron's Special project was improvement and re-decoration of the Masonic Home. All chapters contributed a total of \$4,990.87. ESTARL—again awarded to ten students. All chapters contributed \$8,664.39. Special time was allotted to youth groups. All members were asked to take home with them from Songbird Session a new sense of responsibility, as Eastern Star members, by offering their services and talents to Rainbow Assembly, Job's Daughters and DeMolays. \$944.74 was contributed to the Pusan Children's Hospital, \$612.78 to the International Peace Garden and \$885.85 in stamps was bought for the Masonic Home for the elder sisters and brothers.

The Worthy Grand Matron's recommendation that 2 cents per member should be the contribution to the Masonic Americanism Committee, was accepted. She urged that this work continue and, in her words "Live up to our wonderful heritage, do not take it for granted, let us meet our individual responsibilities, as they present themselves and keep this 'One Nation under God, Indivisible, with

Liberty and Justice for All', for I know that God will not forsake us, if we do not abandon Him."

Seventy-fourth Session, 1963
Bernice Cole - Worthy Grand Matron
Arnold Beusen - Worthy Grand Patron

NEVADA

Fifty-seventh Session - Reno, Nevada - October 4-6, 1962

"Rainbow of Promise Session"

Motto: Prayer is the key to Heaven, but Faith unlocks the door

Margaret Kofoed - Worthy Grand Matron
Montford E. Barker - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 27

Membership 5,290

Opening: The Auditorium was beautifully decorated in the colors of the year, rose, green, silver with red roses and natural juniper. In the East was a Rainbow of Promise with a replica of the state of Nevada. This was suspended from the backdrop curtain, with the watchword "Faith, Love and Prayer".

The Worthy Grand Matron took her Bible on all Official Visits of Rainbow and Eastern Star and it rested upon every Altar in the state. It was given to her by two Rainbow Assemblies carrying every Grand Worthy Advisor's signature that the Worthy Grand Matron had worked with.

It was noted that Brother Gordon H. Jonasen, a Past Grand Patron, serving Grand Chapter of Nevada, 1920-21, had lived in California since 1924 with his final residence in Ojai, California.

Projects: ESTABL granted eight new scholarships. The contributions exceeded all other years and many fine comments were received from schools that had young people. Others were—O.E.S. Homes, Shriners' Hospital and People to People, Pen Pal's Library.

Fifty-eighth Session - Reno, Nevada - October 3-5, 1963

Myrtle A. Murphy - Worthy Grand Matron
Harry M. Overbey - Worthy Grand Patron

NEW BRUNSWICK

Thirty-second Session - Saint John, N. B. - June 13-15, 1962

"Open Bible Session"

Motto: A Smile, A Prayer, A Deed

Velma L. Branch - Worthy Grand Matron
Wallace Hyslop - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 41

Membership 4,402

The Lord Beaverbrook Rink represented a flower garden in decor. In the Grand East, our emblematic Star was emblazoned on a black backdrop. Baskets of flowers adorned the dais and the ascending steps. The floor and Labyrinth were most attractive with trellis work

intertwined with yellow roses, miniature wheelbarrows, complete with garden tools, and a hedge of evergreen trees.

Projects: The year 1961-62 contributions were \$11,035.51. The following, along with others, received shares: ESTARL gave nine awards, total \$1,482.00, Eastern Star Home, \$3,958.67, also International Temple, Pusan Children's Hospital, Educational Fund, and International Peace Garden.

Thirty-third Session - Woodstock, N. B. - June, 1963

Margaret Somerville - Worthy Grand Matron

Alexander MacCallum - Worthy Grand Patron

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Seventy-second Session - Concord, N. H. - September 14-15, 1962

"Bells of Friendship Session"

Motto: Be a True Friend

Emma E. Barnes - Worthy Grand Matron

Elmer O. Bergstrom - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 66

Membership 13,892

Bells of Friendship Session, on a backdrop of black and gold iridescent material, made a picture in the Grand East including a painted cluster of pink bells and silver bows at the left hand and on the right a painted open Holy Bible with the Scripture "Be ye doers of the Word and not hearers only." A silver Pentagon illuminated the center. On stage the replica of a white church steeple with pine boughs as trees and a beautiful silver bell in the belfry. This was used in the Memorial Service. Tall white baskets of deep pink zinnias were on the sides of steps leading to the Grand East with zinnias and green pine at the base of a railing with the watchword "Honesty, Integrity and Goodness". Tall baskets of carnations, in colors, were placed at the Star Point chairs, which were white with pink cushions. The motto was placed in the north and south. The west was a wooden arch, in white, entwined with pink roses and green boughs through which the Grand Officers entered.

The Worthy Grand Matron has taken note of the diminishing membership and loss of attendance. At the School of Instruction pink slips were provided for every member of the state. The Associate Matrons were asked to contact personally, or by committee, as many members as possible and to continue during their Worthy Matron year. A definite interest, their reward, came through renewed and new friendships and attendance of members not seen in years.

Much was realized during the year through the E. Maud Ferguson Fund, International Temple, Arthritis and Rheumatism, Fraternal Book Shelf, Educational Fund, O.E.S. Home, Peace Garden, Student Loans. Cancer Research and ESTARL made eight awards.

Seventy-third Session, September, 1963

Elna M. Stevens - Worthy Grand Matron

Jesse A. Currier - Worthy Grand Patron

NEW JERSEY

Ninety-second Session - Atlantic City, N. J. - May 22-24, 1962

"Happiness Session"

Motto: Look for the Silver Lining

Chapters 245

Membership 59,995

The Grand East was breathtaking with Motto "Look for the Silver Lining" with Sincerity in blue, pink and silver. Around a large "Silver Star" the flowers and ferns made a lovely picture. The word "Happiness" brought out the theme of the session.

Projects: The Most Worthy Grand Matron's approved special project netted \$2,625.49. The new wing donation envelopes returned \$24,934.34. The Charity Ball through ads, Worthy Patrons and tickets raised \$33,892.60. Educational Loan was \$1,600.00, with others being O.E.S. Home, Charity Foundation, Heart Fund and Disaster Fund.

New Jersey is an independent Grand Chapter and the only Grand Jurisdiction in the world that has its emblematic star with one point up. Ninety-seven received 50-year pins.

Ninety-third Session, 1963

Gertrude E. Smith - Most Worthy Grand Matron

Walter A. Slaboden - Most Worthy Grand Patron

NEW MEXICO

Sixtieth Session - Albuquerque, New Mexico - October 17-20, 1962

"Starlight Session"

Motto: God Answers Prayers

Vera W. Armstrong - Worthy Grand Matron

Frederick Macaron - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 60

Membership 11,842

Starlight Session was held in the ballroom of Cole Hotel. The theme Starlight year of rededication to God, to Country, to State was in the decorations. United States of America's flag, and the flag of Arizona, the flag of the Worthy Grand Patron, stood in the East. Also in the East hung a picture illuminated from the back creating an illusion of sunlight through stained glass. This was painted in water colors with praying hands. The Watchword: Prayer, Loyalty, Hope, hung on the north wall, a large red carnation Cross in the south and in the west twenty-three large silvered stars with the names of hostess chapters.

First consideration was given to the Benevolent Fund by the Board of Trustees in projects. This amount was \$3,900.00. Seven new awards were awarded with those having received awards before being given first consideration. This was \$2,150.00. Other projects were, Student Loan, Educational Fund, International Temple, Pusan Children's Hospital and O.E.S. Home.

Sixty-first Session - Albuquerque, New Mexico - October, 1963

Bessie S. Gibson - Worthy Grand Matron

Melvin G. Howe - Worthy Grand Patron

NEW YORK

Ninety-third Session - New York, New York - October 9-11, 1962

"Know your Order Session"

Motto: Ever Manifest Benevolence—Let Charity Glorify

Esther M. Bates - Most Worthy Grand Matron

Lester C. Grannis - Most Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 758

Membership 143,213

New York uses the Robert Macoy Ritual. Grand Chapter was instituted 1869, and is independent, not affiliated with General Grand Chapter. The state is divided into 49 districts, each with a name instead of a number. Each district has a deputy and a district Grand Lecturer, a brother. The Right Worthy Grand Marshal, a brother, assisted by two Associate Grand Marshals opened the session. The Most Worthy Grand Secretary, Annie Pond, has been secretary for 48 years and is a 68 year member of Star and a Past Most Worthy Grand Matron. The Most Worthy Grand Treasurer has held office for 25 years. A necrology committee sends cards to all bereaved sisters and brothers. O.E.S. of New York is incorporated and all authorized emblems of the Order are protected by copyright since October, 1910.

Projects: The project of 1960 was refurnishing the infirmary building and Home and continued through 1962. Also O.E.S. Cheer Fund, Emergency Relief, Special Services to Armed Forces in service and Veterans' Hospitals and Permanent Endowment Fund.

Ninety-fourth Session - October 8-10, 1963

Olive R. Forstell - Most Worthy Grand Matron

John W. Grau - Most Worthy Grand Patron

NORTH CAROLINA

Fifty-seventh Session - Wilmington, N. Carolina - June 10-13, 1962

"Trinity Session"

Motto: God is first, Others second. I am third

Reva Lewis Butler - Worthy Grand Matron

Hurston Booth - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 264

Membership 25,328

Setting was a Cathedral Sanctuary, pink, white, gold and blue were the colors used with pink flowers and red roses. An Open Bible within the Star within the Heart with the Dove of Peace completed the setting.

Projects: The Worthy Grand Matron had three specific projects:

1. ESTARL—264 chapters invested in 13,479 shares of stock at 50 cents per share, amounting to \$6,739.69.

2. Collection of greenbacks for the Greenhouse for guests at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, contributions were \$8,914.14.

3. Accomplishment of a request of 100% subscription to Tar Heel Star News, their official newspaper, information to Stars and provides useful trade for the children at Oxford Orphanage.

The Worthy Grand Matron's special project was the Pease Garden International Fund, the new project for North Carolina. \$668.03 was contributed by the different chapters. Chairman of Cancer Research contributions reported \$1,753.93, Oxford Orphanage Educational, love offering, was \$3,489.11. An Easter Egg Hunt committee, appointed, arranges an Egg Hunt for the children in the Orphanage and allows \$250.00 for expenses. Home Endowment Fund of \$1,461.84 was realized. Grand Chapter built a camp for girls, known as Camp Rainbow, now under the supervision of a Board of Directors. Grand Chapter Scholarships awarded were eight, \$1,725.00. ESTABL awarded twelve amounting to \$2,700.00. Send the Light granted three awards amounting to \$2,400.00.

Next Session-Fifty-eighth

Mary Smith Carter - Worthy Grand Matron

Robert Franklin Spence - Worthy Grand Patron

NOVA SCOTIA and PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Fifteenth Session - Yarmouth, Nova Scotia - July 4, 5, 1962

"The Gleaner Session"

Motto: Golden Deeds for Others

Annie Horton - Worthy Grand Matron

Mert MacLellan - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 63

Membership 5445

Used as part of the decorations was a picture of the "Gleaner Ruth" in a field of ripened grain. Also large baskets of talisman roses and sheafs of grain were used to accent the setting. This session was dedicated to the Grand Trailers.

This is the youngest Grand Chapter in General Grand.

Sixteenth Session - Kentville, Nova Scotia - July, 1963

Mabel Dodge - Worthy Grand Matron

Chesterton Davies - Worthy Grand Patron

OHIO

Seventy-third Session - Cleveland, Ohio - Oct. 30-Nov. 1, 1962

"Acacia Session"

Theme: One Nation Under God

Grace W. Grether - Worthy Grand Matron

Thomas W. Drake - Worthy Grand Patron

Membership 185,674

Setting: The Grand East was backed in black velvet flanked on either side by a huge blooming acacia tree. Greenery decorated the front of the stage with tall palm arrangements filling both sides.

A huge bouquet of white mums with the tips of the petals tinted a luxurious red interspersed with large white poms and lovely wax-like greens, a gift from the Worthy Grand Matron's Chapter, made a beautiful bit of color midst the natural loveliness. Behind each Star Point chair, the stations in the north, south, west and on each side of the two flights of steps leading to the Grand East stood the same majestic floral arrangements. West of the drill area the Labyrinth was outlined in white with runners going to the Grand East and west.

Projects: In 1962 a total of \$3,857.54 was given by chapters to ESTARL. Grants awarded these students, seventy-eight, for the 1962-63 school year, totaled \$19,000.00. For the first time in years Ohio Grand Chapter has a balance to continue to help those they have started on their way. \$37,530.00 was realized by the sale of soap by the chapters of Ohio for the clinic-type Hospital. Every Chapter in Ohio contributed to at least one project, many supported all five listed. Cancer Research \$6,817.43, Pusan Children's Hospital \$4,126.00. Also International Temple and Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation.

Next Session: Seventy-fourth Session
Marguerite L. Hile - Worthy Grand Matron
John R. Liber - Worthy Grand Patron

OKLAHOMA

Fifty-third Session - Guthrie, Oklahoma - November 26-30, 1961

"Symphony of Life Session"

Watchword: Charity, Truth and Loving Kindness

Ada Blanchard - Worthy Grand Matron

Earl Goode - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 369

Membership 54,514

Informal Opening: At either side of the dais was a large musical note on a clef representing a Grand Officer. Greenery and red roses completed the decor. A large silver note in front of the podium turned slowly. Keynotes: Smiles on your Lips, Songs in your Heart, Service in Love.

Projects: A new project in the Home, was a new Band and the children presented a program at the Wednesday evening session. There are fifty-two children in the Home. The Worthy Grand Matron and her husband and the superintendents spent an eighteen-day vacation on tour with some of the children. O.E.S. of Oklahoma helps support the Masonic at Guthrie. ESTARL gave fifty-one awards, also Pusan Children's Hospital, Cancer Relief, International Temple, Arthritis and Rheumatism and Masonic Home Service, Masonic Hospital Service and Red Cross. 49,462 hours were spent by chapter members for Red Cross.

Fifty-fourth Session - Guthrie, Oklahoma - November 6-9, 1962

Gene L. Jacobus - Worthy Grand Matron

Grady D. Harris - Worthy Grand Patron

Fifty-fourth Session - Guthrie, Oklahoma - November 6-9, 1962

"Charted Trails Session"

Motto: Smile and Shine in Service

Gene L. Jacobus - Worthy Grand Matron

Grady O. Harris - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 374

Membership 53,616

Charted Trails Session opened; the curtains rolled back revealing a breathtaking glimpse of the background pageant "Our World of Tomorrow". Two huge circular columns, with garlands of colored vines and leaves encircling them supporting silver glittered Keys, decorated with emblematic stars and garden flowers, were located at either side of the stage setting. Candle lighters were stationed in front of the columns, with an Altar displaying the open Holy Bible slightly in front of their position.

Projects: A vocational Fund of \$2,680.00 for the O.E.S. and Masonic Home for Piano, Voice, and special school fees, \$2,500.00 to the Scottish Rite Consistory for College Student Education Fund, Christmas Fund, \$3,071.91, Food Festival, \$5,563.60 plus varieties of canned goods, International Temple, \$1,041.00, Pusan Children's Hospital, \$3,328.13, Arthritis and Rheumatism, \$1,043.13, Cancer, \$934.06 and ESTARL Chapter contributions of \$12,086.96.

Fifty-fifth Session - Guthrie, Oklahoma - November 5-8, 1963

Grace Weilmuenster - Worthy Grand Matron

Ernest L. Rowan - Worthy Grand Patron

ONTARIO

Forty-seventh Session - Toronto, Ontario - September 19-21, 1962

"Fidelity with Understanding Session"

Motto: True to our Convictions of Right and Duty

Norma J. Eastwood - Worthy Grand Matron

Alex C. McDonald - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 288

Membership 40,031

Life membership was given to the Worthy Grand Matron by her chapter, Hamilton No. 93. Also, the Worthy Grand Patron received one from his chapter, Golden Triangle No. 291.

Projects: Through the efforts of members the Grand Chapter of Ontario presented a check for \$9,500.00 for Cancer Research, Ninety-five ESTARL awards were given with \$13,871.73 from chapters.

Hospital visiting groups were formed by the Worthy Grand Matron for the purpose of visiting sisters and brothers living out of town who are hospitalized in Toronto.

1963 Grand Chapter will be held in Windsor, Ontario.

Iris M. Walker - Worthy Grand Matron

Joseph Rex Delaney - Worthy Grand Patron

OREGON

Seventy-third Session - Portland, Oregon - June 4-7, 1962

"Portland Rose Session"

Motto: I know thy work, behold I have set before thee an open door

Elsie Oliotti - Worthy Grand Matron

Maldwyn C. Evans - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 166

Setting: The "Motto" was prominently displayed in glitter letters in the East. The front of the stage was banked with moss, red roses and pink geraniums. Suspended from the ceiling of the main part of the Auditorium were large baskets filled with hundreds of pink carnations. On the back of each Star Point chair was a huge red taffeta ribbon. On a driftwood fence on each side of the room were vases of silver filled with red roses. In the west, the open Bible, with these words written on its pages, "I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in Him will I trust". In the East a most beautiful picture of Mt. Hood and Portland banked in tall evergreen trees and each morning as the choir sang "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise" a golden rose came from behind the mountain to remain in the sky until the close of each day.

Projects: The Worthy Grand Matron's special "Home Endowment Fund" received \$1,186.66 from the many chapters.

Emera Club is comprised of those past officers who are presently serving from the sidelines. Their many deeds of kindness, hours of service, gifts and parties given for the pleasure of the Home guests have brightened the lives of the shut-ins and all members. Scholarship Endowment Committee awarded two students \$300.00 each. ESTARL awards were presented to twenty-five students. At the session of General Grand Chapter held in Miami, Florida, the Grand Jurisdiction of Oregon was one of the "Top Ten" in contributions to ESTARL projects, averaging over eighty cents per member, a total of \$31,625.00.

Officers for Seventy-fourth Session:

Florence Joeger - Worthy Grand Matron

Eldon Cone - Worthy Grand Patron

QUEBEC

Fortieth Annual Session - Montreal, Quebec - October 4, 5, 1962

"Harmony Session"

Motto: Friendship

Margaret B. Walker - Worthy Grand Matron

Howard Walsh - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 47

Membership 3,546

Informal opening: Upon the dark blue draped background hung a brilliantly-lighted Star in five colors. Surmounting the Star were

silver letters spelling out "Harmony Session". Musical notes were scattered over the backdrop. Greenery and baskets of chrysanthemums were in front of the dais in the East. Six ESTARL bursaries were presented to different Colleges and Universities, who, in turn, presented them to the individual chosen by that school.

In lieu of corsages and her gifts the Worthy Grand Matron asked that the equivalent amount of money be donated to Cancer Research. Other projects were: International Peace Garden, Canadian Arthritic Society, International Temple and Educational Loan Fund.

Progress Chapter No. 35 supports a little girl, Chan Nui, who resides at the Po Leung Kuk Children's Home at Hong Kong.

District Deputy Grand Matrons replaced Grand Instructors on a three-year trial, and the Grand Chapter was divided into six districts.

Forty-first Session - Frontenac Hotel, Quebec - October 2-4, 1963

Elaine Moore - Worthy Grand Matron

Elmer Reid - Worthy Grand Patron

RHODE ISLAND

Sixty-seventh Session - East Providence, R. I. - October 10, 1962

"Halo Session"

Motto

"Whatever ye would that men do to you, do ye even so to them."

Eleonora T. Butterworth - Worthy Grand Matron

Harlan H. Howe - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 26

Membership 7,808

Baskets of yellow flowers graced the East and five baskets of appropriately-colored flowers were placed in back of the Star Point stations.

Projects: Chairman on Cancer reported 199 workers served 7,422 hours making pads, binders, etc. Clothing Relief reported 125 pounds of clothing sent to Germany. Coupons and stamps redeemed and receipts from the silver projects amounted to \$3,000.00. Since 1953 money has been turned over to the O.E.S. Home. ESTARL committee reported \$2,204.05 realized by Easter Offering, Balls, Memorials, and Vesper Service. Seven Scholarships at \$300.00 each were given seven students. Applications for nurse training were given to six at \$100.00 each. \$242.05 enables the Veterans' Volunteer committee to distribute Christmas gifts to each patient. Twenty-three Emerson TV sets were purchased and given to the Hospital. Money was contributed toward the purchase of a

kiln, to be used in Occupational Therapy. Chapters sponsored Bingo parties for inmates of the TB Ward.

Next Session: Sixty-eighth Session

Althea S. T. Finch - Worthy Grand Matron

Charles H. Leffingwell - Worthy Grand Patron

SASKATCHEWAN

Forty-seventh Session - Moose Jaw, Sask. - April 29-May 1, 1963

"Spring Time Session"

Motto: Getting to Know You

Marion Cook - Worthy Grand Matron

Kenneth M. Coward - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 124

Membership 9,875

Setting: "Spring Time", words in large silver letters were placed in the center of a lovely pink backdrop. On either side of this was placed a large silver Star. Clusters of silver leaves at either end made a beautiful picture in the Grand East. A springtime garden, complete with fountain, flowers, etc., was displayed in front of the platform on the main floor. The platform, the garden and Labyrinth were outlined with a low white fence and potted geraniums were placed at intervals. Behind each Star Point chair was a large basket filled with flowers in appropriate colors and in the center of the Labyrinth a beautiful Altar. The Motto, in large silver letters and a pastel blue background, was placed at the west along the front of the balcony.

Projects: Contributions were made to the Canadian Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation, \$1,120.98; ESTARL awarded fifteen at \$200.00 each, a total of \$4,500.00, and ESTARL bookmarks and charms totaled \$752.31. Peace Garden realized \$301.93 and Cancer Fund amounted to \$1,031.78.

Forty-eighth Session - Saskatoon, Sask. - April 27, 28, 29, 1964

Tillie Smith - Worthy Grand Matron

Andrew Lawson - Worthy Grand Patron

SOUTH CAROLINA

Fifty-fifth Session - Greenville, So. Car. - June 18, 19, 20, 1962

"Emerald Session"

Motto: A pure and upright life is above the tongue of reproach.

Ruby B. Manly - Worthy Grand Matron

Barnett Ju - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 191

Membership 15,848

Setting for opening: The design of the auditorium was of spiritual intent. The name of the session was suspended from the ceiling in the Grand East. Three arch trellises, surrounded by Palmetto palms and evergreens, representing the countryside of the State of So. Carolina, formed the backdrop. Beautiful yellow roses were in artistic arrangement on the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer's desks, also in front of the dais, and added a touch of color to the impressive and dignified Grand East.

The garden setting directly in front of the Grand East was complete with wrought iron garden bench, chairs and table. In the center of the garden on a stand was a replica of the open Bible. Palmetto palms banked each corner of the Labyrinth, as well as the stations in the west, south and north. The Altar was draped with white satin cloth. Above the Star Point chairs were suspended arch trellises entwined with lilies. Ribbons appropriate to the Heroines were hanging from each trellis and joined directly over the Altar. Long ostrich plumes were placed back of each Star Point chair, these were bright in the emblematic color.

Project: Special project was the O.E.S. Home and comfort of its members and improvement of property and support of General Grand Chapter projects, especially ESTARL and International Temple. ESTARL awards were granted to twelve students.

Next Session - Fifty-sixth Session

Mildred B. Garrington - Worthy Grand Matron

Keith W. Seyle - Worthy Grand Patron

SOUTH DAKOTA

Seventy-fourth Session - Rapid City, So. Dak. - October 9-11, 1962

"Roseland Harmony Session"

Motto: Hearts in Harmony

Bernice Mills - Worthy Grand Matron

Merle Roselius - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 149

Membership 18,816

Informal opening: On the stage backdrop was a large frame with a setting depicting "Harmony", on either side were large quilted hearts, across which gold letters superimposed "Peace", "Under-

standing." A large golden lyre stood in front of the lectern and on the floor below was a pink musical note, flanked by large baskets of pink roses. Large pink notes against greenery entwined with roses, framed the Grand Chapter floor, between which were chains of golden links.

Projects: The membership voluntarily gave 25 cents per member to be donated to the ESTARL project. Nine awards were given, a total of sixty-one since the beginning of the project. Special Project was to "Carry a Song" whereby chapters take some talent from their chapter and visit another, presenting the program. Others were O.E.S. Home, Pusan Children's Hospital, International Temple, Cancer Research, Peace Garden and Educational.

Seventy-fifth Session - Sioux City, So. Dak. - October 15-17, 1963

Meriam Stegner - Worthy Grand Matron

Alvin Jensen - Worthy Grand Patron

THE SUPREME GRAND CHAPTER OF SCOTLAND

Fifty-eighth Session - Perth, Scotland - April 14, 1962

Netta Stewart - Most Worthy Grand Matron

James McK. Aitchison - Most Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 607

Members Gained 5584

The Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland meets twice a year. Meetings are held in October and April. All Officers except Star Points are elected to serve two years. The Most Worthy Grand Matron and the Most Worthy Grand Patron are elected on alternate years so that one is always experienced in the work of the Grand Officers. This Supreme Grand Chapter has jurisdiction over all chapters of British possessions except those in North America. It is divided into two districts with a Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron appointed by the Most Worthy Grand Matron. The other Grand Officers are called office bearers.

Committee meetings of the Supreme Grand Officers are held throughout the year and these reports are given at the half-yearly meetings.

TENNESSEE

Sixty-first Session - Nashville, Tennessee - April 24, 25, 1962

"Easter Session"

Orn Smith - Worthy Grand Matron

A. J. Hendrickson - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 279

Membership 46,781

Setting: The Grand East was a replica of a garden. In the shadow of a Cross were stained glass windows. Throughout the East and across the front at the base of a gold picket fence on which small crosses perched on corner posts, fern and Easter Lilies inter-

mingled. The Easter Lily is a symbol of light and purity and has been for over a hundred years. Lilies were placed behind each Star Point in the Labyrinth and used in abundance in the west, transforming the Grand Chapter room into a beautiful, inspiring and peaceful setting.

Projects: Contributions for Cancer were \$3,760.19. ESTARL received \$4,345.19, giving twenty-five awards to eleven ministers, eight missionaries, three directors of Christian Education, two directors of youth work and one Religious Education.

Pusan Children's Hospital, \$3,378.50 Student Loans: Twenty-four loans were made, the total number requested amounting to \$7,400.00.

Sixty-second Session - April, 1963
Cornelia Berry - Worthy Grand Matron
Charles F. Le Duke - Worthy Grand Patron

TEXAS

Eightieth Session - Houston, Texas - October 29-November 1, 1962

"The Gateway to Eternal Life Session"

Gateways: Light, Knowledge, Beauty

Thelma McReynolds - Acting Worthy Grand Matron

Paul Stoneman - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 767

Membership 133,347

Informal opening: The Grand East was a "Friendship Garden". The backdrop represented a scene from the "Holy Land". To the right was a stairway with the lighting effect on clouds and the gateway to the Star symbolized the passing to eternal life of those who follow the Star. In front of the podium was a Star within which was a picture of Pearl Hall, Worthy Grand Matron, who suddenly passed into eternal life on June 5, 1962.

Especially welcomed was Sister Mildred Haney Harris, Most Worthy Grand Matron of General Grand Chapter, a member of Texas Grand Chapter.

Projects: Founders' Day Committee: "It takes only a dime to light a Star". ESTARL awarded twenty-eight scholarships, International Temple, Pusan Children's Hospital, also the Educational Loan gave five loans.

Eighty-first Annual Session - Dallas, Texas - Sept. 30-Oct. 3, 1963

Thelma McReynolds - Worthy Grand Matron

Hal Burnett - Worthy Grand Patron

UTAH

Fifty-seventh Session - Salt Lake City, Utah - October 10-12, 1962

"Symphony of the Stars Session"

Motto: Be an Instrument for Good

Myrtice C. Matson - Worthy Grand Matron
James A. Henderson - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 20

Membership 4,177

Setting: The Motto gleamed against the black velvet curtain. In the foreground to the right were three golden birds turning and swinging during the sessions as did a three-dimensional Star in the left foreground. Around the organ loft was the word "Believe". Baskets of chrysanthemums in the appropriate colors were back of the Star Points' chairs and a basket of chrysanthemums in front of the speakers' stand. The piano was draped in rose and before it stood a white satin and gold Lyre.

Projects: Donations from twenty-plus to the following were, O.E.S. Home, \$2,688.01; ESTARL \$731.29, granting three \$200.00 Scholarships; O.E.S. Temple, \$138.00; Shrine Hospital, \$286.81; Pusan Children's Hospital, \$58.00; Cancer Research, \$80.00; International Peace Garden, \$43.00; Red Cross, a total of \$4,030.11 and Cancer Committee reported 816 hours, with \$108.00 in cash, made 6,131 dressings, 131 shirts, thirty-seven sheets, 34½ pounds of white material and twelve Pixie Dolls. The O.E.S. Home Fund Foundation applied for a Government Loan under the H.I.L.F.A. to build a seven-story building, with 99 apartments, 6 guest rooms, all with private baths and built-in kitchens. The building to be erected in Salt Lake City.

Fifty-eighth Session - 1963

Elsie R. Jones - Worthy Grand Matron
J. Verne Day - Worthy Grand Patron

VERMONT

Ninetieth Session - Burlington, Vermont - June 6, 7, 1962

"Green Mountain Cathedral Session"

Motto: Let Your Light Shine

Ruth L. Burnett - Worthy Grand Matron
Carlos G. Otis, M.D. - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 186

Membership 12,533

Opening: The Grand East held a large canvas on which was painted a lovely view of "Camel's Hump". Vermont's green mountains formed the background. At the left was a magnificent "Cathedral Window". On the right the open "Holy Bible". In the west was the Motto lettered in yellow on green background. The

Labyrinth was outlined with green and white streamers. White baskets with particular colors stood behind Star Point chairs. The Altar was draped with white cloth belonging to the Worthy Grand Matron.

Projects: District Deputies gave their mileage money and the Worthy Grand Matron specified that her corsage money go to the Cancer Fund, amounting to \$1,253.06; Arthritis and Rheumatism hoped to reach the goal of 1960-61, \$21,000.00; ESTARL account received \$1,976.96, with nine awards of \$150.00 each. To date over \$14,550.00 has been contributed with ninety-seven Scholarships. O.E.S. Home Project was a Solarium. Through District Party nights, joint collections and Grand Officers' Night \$2,529.65 was collected. Educational Loan has sixteen outstanding Loans as of May 15, 1962 totaling \$3,815.45. Others: International Peace Garden and Pusan Children's Hospital.

Ninety-first Session - Barre, Vermont - June, 1963

Leona B. Comstock - Worthy Grand Matron

Harry J. Lantman - Worthy Grand Patron

VIRGINIA

Fifty-eighth Session - Richmond, Virginia - May 8-10, 1962

Motto: Let Prayer and Love Abide in the Heart

"Heart of Love Session"

Louise N. Bryant - Worthy Grand Matron

William H. Neal, Jr. - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 177

Membership 27,689

Setting: The Grand Chapter was transformed into a lovely garden. The Grand East had a white trellis the width of the stage, entwined with red roses. The center of the trellis had a large white heart, outlined with crushed red foil, bearing the words "Hearts of Love". The bannisters were entwined with red roses and, on either side of the stage were red roses, trees and palms.

The opening morning session was for instruction, with Grand Lecturer and Assistant Grand Lecturers "opening a model chapter". The Officers were chosen from thirty-seven Assistant Lecturers.

Projects: The special project was Home Endowment Fund. A five cents a day club was formed, as well as a corsage club, and the money was donated to this fund. The corsage money came from the Official Visits of the Worthy Grand Matron. ESTARL renewed twelve awards and honored five new ones. Educational Loan awarded twelve new scholarships.

Fifty-ninth Session - Richmond, Virginia - May 14-16, 1963

Inez Parker - Worthy Grand Matron

John Marshall - Worthy Grand Patron

WEST VIRGINIA

Fifty-ninth Session - Wheeling, W. Va. - October 4-6, 1962

"Harmony of Stars Session"

Motto: Let There Be Music

Evelyn Pownell - Worthy Grand Matron

Veril Cain - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 132

Membership 32,060

Informal opening: On stage of the Grand East a backdrop of green curtains was fronted by a brilliant silver Lyre, adorned with pink roses, and on each side was a large Silver Star. These were draped together with a pink taffeta drape uniting with the Lyre, symbolizing Faith, Service, and Harmony. Silver Lyres and pink roses and fern were behind each Star Point chair and in front of the lectern.

Projects:

ESTARL: On the nights of the Official Visits of the Worthy Grand Matron a special collection was donated to benefit ESTARL and through this thirty-three awards were given;

Pusan Children's Hospital: The Worthy Grand Matron asked, instead of flowers, that the money be donated to this fund;

Other Projects: International Temple, Peace Garden, Rheumatism and Arthritic Research, O.E.S. Home and Building Home Fund, Youth Organizations and Educational Loan Fund.

Sixtieth Session - Clarksburg, West Virginia - October 3-5, 1963

Virginia C. Robinson - Worthy Grand Matron

Beryl Master - Worthy Grand Patron

WISCONSIN

Seventy-second Session - Milwaukee, Wis. - September 25-27, 1962

"Harbor Session"

Jeanne E. Johnson - Worthy Grand Matron

Curtis W. Lang - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 283

Membership 57,144

Opening: "Light of the World" inscribed in Old English letters of gold against the red velvet teaser above the Grand East proclaimed the theme of the year, taken from the Holy Scriptures, John 8:12—"I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life." Designated as the Harbor Session the auditorium had appropriate nautical decorations.

Projects: ESTARL awarded twenty-nine, a total of \$8,700.00. The total number given to date is now 223.

International Temple Fund contributions \$1,385.00, O.E.S. contributes \$10,000.00 to the Masonic Home at Dousman each year.

Foundation Committee: At the Grand Session a committee was appointed to investigate the feasibility of a low cost housing project for Eastern Star members. This would not provide free housing for any one. It would simply be a low-cost housing project to aid members who needed such aid. Subordinate chapters were asked to assist in their opinions to secure a better cross section in expression. Wisconsin Eastern Star Foundation, whose Articles of Organization provide for the reception of gifts, legacies and bequests, will disburse monies to care for indigent and aged members.

Seventy-third Session - 1963

Belle West - Worthy Grand Matron

Harold A. Hardies - Worthy Grand Patron

WYOMING

Sixty-fifth Session - Casper, Wyoming - August 23-25, 1962

"The Wonderful Wyoming Session"

Beth Carson - Worthy Grand Matron

Jack Nixon - Worthy Grand Patron

Chapters 51

Membership 11,674

Setting: A lovely painted picture of aqua background framed a beautiful winter scene of the "Tetons" a small rustic church in the foreground. A low border of evergreen boughs, sprayed white with glittering lights in pink and aqua in front of the platform. In front of the Podium was a large basket of pink gladioli and white pompoms. A golden Chalice stood at the right of the Worthy Grand Matron. This was made especially for her. All stations were accented. The Labyrinth was outlined with pink cord. The white pedestals from which the cord was suspended were topped by clusters of small Wyoming flags. Back of each Star Point station was a tall glittered cup overflowing with pink carnations.

Projects: Contributions were made to the following, Cancer Research, \$1,933.22; ESTARL, \$4,389.49, with eight awards at \$500.00 each; O.E.S. Home, \$740.65; Pusan Children's Hospital, Worthy Grand Matron's corsage fund was donated, by her request, to this worthy cause which originated through mercy of our Masonic brothers where sick and homeless children of Korea find refuge, \$591.75.

Sixty-sixth Session - Laramie, Wyoming - August 22-24, 1963

Joan N. Lamet - Worthy Grand Matron

Earl Christensen - Worthy Grand Patron

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.

1884-1885

*Fred Wm. Gustave Morbus 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 Elvinia (Kreba) 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 Ferria 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.

*Deceased

†Demitted

‡Suspended

1883-1889

*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 Haggood 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) Summerfeld 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.

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 (Routzahn) Craig G. M.
 †Erwin Sanford Logan G. A. P.
 *Agnes Conant G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats G. S.
 *Annie Beauchamp Barnes G. T.

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 Polhamus G. M.
 *Curtis Jefferson Monroe G. A. P.
 *Catherine Elizabeth Merritt G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats G. S.
 *Helen Seeman G. T.

*Deceased

†Demitted

‡Suspended

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 Dinamore G. M.
 *Briceno Amendez Fassett G. A. P.
 *Leah Nora Earl G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats G. S.
 *Charlotte Esther Jameson G. T.

1913-1914

*Fred Llewellyn Kincaid G. P.
 *Minnie Hiner G. M.
 *Arnold Goodfriend G. A. P.
 *Virginia Coate G. A. M.
 *Kate Josephine Willats G. S.
 *Theresa J. (Strong) Catron G. T.

1914-1915

*Eldon Perry Mains G. P.
 *Minnie Seymour Greaves 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 Willaon 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) Fischen 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 Breace 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.

*Deceased

†Demitted

‡Suspended

1926-1927

Hazel Marsh Piper G. M.
 Raymond Hadley Griest G. P.
 *Kate Josephine Willats G. S.
 Birdie Eiler 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

*Willie Jane Hellowig 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 Pierce 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.

1935-1936

Bertie Y. Todd Connolly W. G. M.
 *Edward C. Counter, Jr. W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Josephine L. Fisk G. T.

1936-1937

*Rita May Cooper W. G. M.
 Frank David Cruse W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 *Leila Vevoda G. T.

1937-1938

Mary Isabel Warner W. G. M.
 *Robert Purl Easley W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 *Flora T. Whitney G. T.

1938-1939

*Maude Ethel Fluetsch W. G. M.
 John Vale W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Catherine E. Yates G. T.

1939-1940

Helen Louise Edwards W. G. M.
 *Ernest E. Williams W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Grace King G. T.

1940-1941

Gertrude Conant Matson W. G. M.
 *Ralph Boynton W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Marguerite Macdonald.....G. T.

1941-1942

Corine Orban Melville W. G. M.
 Walker Peddicord W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 *Sally Liberman Chalson.....G. T.

1942-1943

Kathryn Farwell W. G. M.
 Donald A. Boone W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Kittie Briggs G. T.

1943-1944

Hazel Thorn Lane W. G. M.
 Francis J. Hertz W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Anna Shrader G. T.

1944-1945

Lillian W. Podesta W. G. M.
 Logan R. Cotton W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Esther M. Serel G. T.

1945-1946

*Isabella Harrison Hilditch W. G. M.
 Harry C. Sproule W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Beulah Ludlow G. T.

1946-1947

*Birdie Bassett W. G. M.
 Carson Hubbard W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Isabelle Mosher G. T.

1947-1948

Thelma Bailey W. G. M.
 George Harlan W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Viola Leota Rasneor G. T.

1948-1949

Elveta Grohl W. G. M.
 Joseph F. Reed W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Lillian H. Adkins G. T.

1949-1950

Margaret Hughes Lauritzen W. G. M.
 *Arthur J. Hook W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Verna Westhaven G. T.

1950-1951

Lois Blodgett Tamba W. G. M.
 *Henry James Hardy W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Sadie Lumry G. T.

*Deceased

†Demitted

‡Suspended

1951-1952

Helen Bell DeBeers W. G. M.
 James Leo Halley W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Hattie Mann Tolle G. T.

1952-1953

Gilma Vick Moyers W. G. M.
 *J. Clifford Lee W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Zelma La Verna Bray G. T.

1953-1954

Bernice Jan Basich W. G. M.
 Robert J. McMullen W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Viola Larsen G. T.

1954-1955

Thelma Rehnert Warner W. G. M.
 Philip Fredric Leahy W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Jennie E. Young G. T.

1955-1956

Mabel Tellefson W. G. M.
 Reuben G. Wright W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Agnes Caldwell Barnes G. T.

1956-1957

Marguerite Weisheimer W. G. M.
 *Elmer J. Walther W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Royetta Wilson G. T.

1957-1958

Grace M. Hoffman W. G. M.
 George D. Danielson W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Agnes McGehee G. T.

1958-1959

Annie Picknell Mills W. G. M.
 Henry Lee Wintz W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 *Thelma Schleifer G. T.

1959-1960

Mary E. Balden W. G. M.
 James L. Millard W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Isabel V. Meager G. T.

1960-1961

Everina Rheingans W. G. M.
 Dalora K. Burnham W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Eunice W. Benson G. T.

1961-1962

Helen O. Isberg W. G. M.
 Robert C. Atkinson W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Ruth V. Burnside G. T.

1962-1963

Carol Mae Jensen W. G. M.
 Edwin F. Collins W. G. P.
 Maud McWilliams Smith G. S.
 Ethel Holland G. T.

*Deceased

†Demitted

‡Suspended

LIVING PAST GRAND MATRONS AND PAST GRAND PATRONS

PAST GRAND MATRONS

Year	
1920	Louise Mae Elsensohn (329).....4065 S.W. 165th St., Beaverton, Ore.
1922	Maud Dezell Bradley (133).....431 So. Willaman Dr., Los Angeles (36)
1923	Maude Bigelow Sibley (168).....4259 Garthwaite Ave., Los Angeles (43)
1926	Cora Spring Holland (225).....126 N. Ave. 54, Los Angeles
1927	Hazael Marsh-Piper (273).....Box 575, Santa Cruz
1936	Bertie Y. Todd Connolly (107).....523 E. 8th St., Davis
1938	Mary Isabel Warmer (179).....32 Eucalyptus, Berkeley
1940	Helen Louise Edwards (191).....Claremont Manor, Claremont
1941	Gertrude Conant Matson (48).....Rt. 1, Box 256, Wheatland
1942	Corine Orban Melville (144).....616 Sierra Drive, Beverly Hills
1943	Kathryn Farwell (115).....2117 Otis Dr., Apt. B, Alameda
1944	Hazel Thorn Lane (329).....1554 Hill Drive., Los Angeles (42)
1945	Lillian W. Podesta (470).....222 Stonecrest Drive, San Francisco
1948	Thelma Bailey (289).....3845 Lavel Drive, Los Angeles (41)
1949	Elvetta Grohl (138).....Box 49, Knights Ferry, Stanislaus Co.
1950	Margaret Hughes Lauritzen (406) 2383 Oak Ranch Road, La Habra
1951	Lois Blodgett Tamba (150).....1226 Swanston Drive, Sacramento
1952	Helen Bell DeBeers (487).....619 So. Los Robles Ave., Pasadena
1953	Gilma Vick Moyers (555).....830 Normal Ave., Fresno
1954	Bernice Jan Basich (466).....313 No. Madison Ave., Monrovia
1955	Thelma Rehnert Warner (303).....280 Euclid Ave., Oakland
1956	Mabel Tellefson (395).....4230 Irving Pl., Culver City
1957	Marguerite Weishelmer (262).....46 Marcela Ave., San Francisco
1958	Grace M. Hoffman (435).....601 Terraine Ave., Long Beach
1959	Annie Picknell Mills (326).....Rt. 1, Box 1602, Butte City
1960	Mary E. Balden (361).....Box 515, Fillmore
1961	Everina Rheingans (549).....606 Roe Road, Paradise
1962	Helen O. Isberg (448).....Box 395, Temple City
1963	Carol Mae Jensen (278).....1028 El Dorado, Vallejo

PAST GRAND PATRONS

1907	Casimir J. Wood (111).....1600 Hobart Bldg., San Francisco
1927	Raymond Hadley Griest (210).....1730 Loma Drive, Hermosa Beach
1933	Lloyd Ellis Griffin (264).....1043 E. Briarfield Drive, San Diego
1937	Frank D. Cruse (418).....2557 6th Ave., Los Angeles (18)
1939	John Vale (217).....71-736 San Geronio Road, Rancho Mirage
1942	Walker Peddicord (409).....860 Broadmoor Court, Lafayette
1943	Donald A. Boone (414).....5522 Oleta Ave., Long Beach (15)
1944	Francis J. Herz (183).....2358 14th Ave., San Francisco (16)
1945	Logan R. Cotton (425).....624 So. Gertrude Ave., Redondo Beach
1946	Harry C. Sproule (3).....410 El Camino Real, Vallejo
1947	Carson Hubbard (286).....1404 E. 4th Place, Downey
1948	George Harlan (613).....1411 46th St., Sacramento (16)
1949	Joseph F. Reed (448).....3875 No. Walnut Grove Ave., Rosemead
1952	James Leo Halley (255).....703 Flood Bldg., San Francisco
1954	Robert J. McMullen (33).....County Admin. Ctr., Santa Rosa 95401
1955	Philip Fredric Leahy (452).....12624 St. Andrews Dr., Sun City, Ariz.
1956	Reuben M. Wright (261).....179 E. El Monte Way, Dinuba
1958	George D. Danielson (532).....Rt. 7, 318 Bent Rd., Modesto
1959	Henry Lee Wintz (344).....Box 173, Cambria
1960	James L. Millard (384).....2989 Knoll Drive, Concord
1961	Dalora K. Burnham (502).....3920 Country Club Drive, Long Beach
1962	Robert C. Atkinson (350).....2475 Mission St., San Francisco
1963	Edwin F. Collins (245).....13330 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF CALIFORNIA IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS

Grand Chapter	Representative	Address	Commission Expires
Alabama	Mrs. Leta Ingram	516-16 Way, Birmingham	Dec. 31, 1963
Alberta	Mrs. Gertrude Simmons	6-2102 2nd St., S.W., Calgary	Dec. 31, 1964
Arizona	Mrs. Lucille Phleger	2814 Potrero Rd., Phoenix	Dec. 31, 1964
Arkansas	Mrs. Hallie Allibaugh	Rt. 2, Rogers	Dec. 31, 1964
British Columbia	Mrs. Cecelia Douglas	1179 Esquimalt Rd., Victoria	Dec. 31, 1966
Colorado	Mrs. Katherine Rutrough	7591 W. 9 Ave., Lakewood	Dec. 31, 1963
Connecticut	Miss Loch Nan Stevens	Foster St., Middlebury	Dec. 31, 1965
Delaware	Mrs. Flora E. Rust	3618 Washington St., Wilmington	Dec. 31, 1964
Dist. of Columbia	Mrs. Grace Chamberlain	4808 Madison St., Riverdale, Md.	Dec. 31, 1964
Florida	Mrs. Rosa Fort	101 N.E. 2nd St., Ft. Meade	Dec. 31, 1964
Georgia	Miss Eva Lee	5321 Waters Ave., Savannah	Dec. 31, 1964
Idaho	Mrs. Emma Knodle	Rt. 2, Burley	Dec. 31, 1965
Illinois	Mrs. Janet Hutchinson	10350 So. Peoria, Chicago 43	Dec. 31, 1964
Indiana	Mrs. Dorothy Vaughn	1815 Washington St., Vincennes	Dec. 31, 1964
Iowa	Mrs. Agnew Hawthorne	324 W. Fillmore, Winterset	Dec. 31, 1964
Kansas	Mrs. Emily J. McDowell	723 West 5th, Junction City	Dec. 31, 1963
Kentucky	Miss Bessie Stone	1023 Oakwood Ave., Louisville	Dec. 31, 1964
Louisiana	Mrs. Marie Voigt	617 Oak Hill Dr., Shreveport	Dec. 31, 1965
Maine	Mrs. Christine M. Dancs	3 Sylvan Rd., So. Portland	Dec. 31, 1964
Manitoba	Mrs. Rhoda Thomson	415 Aikins St., Winnipeg	Dec. 31, 1964
Maryland	Mrs. Margaret G. Robb	Wittman	Dec. 31, 1963
Massachusetts	Miss Jean Landers	62 Avalon Rd., Milton	Dec. 31, 1963
Michigan	Mrs. Gladys Colgan	11027 Melrose, Livonia	Dec. 31, 1965
Minnesota	Mr. Carl H. Paul	1292 No. Avon Ave., St. Paul	Dec. 31, 1964
Mississippi	Mrs. Mable F. McCool	3909 Pearl St., Hattiesburg	Dec. 31, 1963
Missouri	Mrs. Hazel Phipps	Bronaugh	Dec. 31, 1963
Montana	Mrs. Irene Benjamin	Browning	Dec. 31, 1964
Nebraska	Mrs. Ruth Stanley	Palmyra	Dec. 31, 1964
Nevada	Mrs. Eileen Buchanan	1564 Stewart St., Reno	Dec. 31, 1964
New Brunswick	Mrs. Audrey Little		Dec. 31, 1965
New Hampshire	Mrs. Patricia M. Wenmark	New London	Dec. 31, 1963
New Jersey	Mrs. Louise Sprague	59 Lake St., So. Amboy	Dec. 31, 1965
New Mexico	Mrs. Edna McNiel	Mountainair, Box 345	Dec. 31, 1965
New York	Mrs. Hazel VanBuren	Schaghticoke, New York	Dec. 31, 1961
North Carolina	Mrs. Cleo S. Whiteside	53 Beachwood Rd., Asheville	Dec. 31, 1964
North Dakota	Mrs. Marion K. Enerson	Hamilton	Dec. 31, 1965
Nova Scotia	Mrs. Hazel Davidson	Country Harbor Cross Roads, Guysborough	Dec. 31, 1965
Ohio	Mrs. Lucille Fox	Gnadenbutten	Dec. 31, 1963
Oklahoma	Mrs. Florence Farrell	Nash	Dec. 31, 1963
Ontario	Mrs. Janet Chippendale	25 W. Goe St., Stratford	Dec. 31, 1964
Oregon	Miss Edith M. Wilkinson	218 31st St., Corvallis	Dec. 31, 1962
Pennsylvania	Mrs. Helen Cornelius	738 Market St., Lewisburg	Dec. 31, 1965
Puerto Rico	Mrs. Dolores Rigby		Dec. 31, 1965
Quebec	Miss Margaret Sloan	5210 Tremholme Ave., Montreal 2	Dec. 31, 1965
Rhode Island	Mrs. Lula M. Simmons	271 Front St., Lincoln	Dec. 31, 1963
Saskatchewan	Mrs. Bess Hopkinson	Wilkie	Dec. 31, 1964
Scotland	Mrs. Retta Gray	19 Millburn Rd., Bathgate	Dec. 31, 1961
South Carolina	Mrs. Martha Crapse	Bluffton	Dec. 31, 1963
South Dakota	Mrs. Margaret Wright	R.F.D., White Lake	Dec. 31, 1964
Tennessee	Mrs. Nannie Ross	Tenga, Georgia	Dec. 31, 1965
Texas	Mrs. Mabel Rush Jenkins	1510 Princeton, Midland	Dec. 31, 1965
Utah	Mrs. Lathryn A. Deck	1881 E. 3780 So. St., Salt Lake	Dec. 31, 1965
Vermont	Mrs. Charlotte Meszaros	North Clarendon	Dec. 31, 1963
Virginia	Mrs. Virginia M. Barnes	6140 Sylvan Ave., Norfolk	Dec. 31, 1963
Washington	Mrs. Harriet Anton	5511 N.E. 32nd St., Vancouver	Dec. 31, 1965
West Virginia	Mrs. Danzel Endicott	Wayne	Dec. 31, 1963
Wisconsin	Mrs. Alice Angus	Rural Route, Oconto Falls	Dec. 31, 1963
Wyoming	Mrs. Ruth Huffman	Midwest	Dec. 31, 1965

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Alabama	Mrs. Ida Lee Dowty (391)	230 Flower St., Bakersfield	July 1, 1965
Alberta	Mrs. Ruth Frebel (192)	9131 Lev Ave., Pacoima	Dec. 31, 1965
Arizona	Mrs. Anita Dubin (576)	1957 Ana Maria Pl., Palm Springs	Jan. 1, 1965
Arkansas	Mrs. Dora Hoppe (503)	848 No. Citrus Ave., Hollywood 8	Sept. 10, 1964
British Columbia	Mrs. Fordyce Mittelstadt (395)	10823 Oregon Ave., Culver City	Dec. 31, 1964
Colorado	Mrs. Charlotte Essman (155)	500 Eureka St., San Francisco	Feb. 2, 1965
Connecticut	Mrs. Olive Dillon (21)	2514 Santa Ana, Huntington Park	Dec. 31, 1965
Delaware	Mrs. Vivian Cook (380)	2207 W. Carson, Torrance	Dec. 31, 1964
Dist. of Columbia	Mrs. Violet Packer (286)	3373 Live Oak St., Huntington Park	Oct. 1, 1966
Florida	Mrs. Inarose Wolf (135)	3624 Bellaire Ave., No. Hollywood	Dec. 31, 1964
Georgia	Mrs. Alva Latham (588)	1645 Carmel Rd., Walnut Creek	Sept. 1, 1965
Idaho	Mrs. Geneva Hooper (290)	1510 San Lorenzo Ave., Berkeley	Dec. 31, 1965
Illinois	Mrs. Tess Vincent (495)	2058 Orange Grove Blvd., Pasadena	Sept. 30, 1964
Indiana	Mrs. Delores Gorey (160)	7943 E. Borson St., Downey	Jan. 1, 1964
Iowa	Mrs. Florence Peterson (225)	717 No. Kenwood, Glendale	Sept. 1, 1964
Kansas	Mrs. Mary Blanchard (535)	23838 Hatteras St., Woodland Hills	Jan. 1, 1965
Kentucky	Mrs. Harriette Connell (521)	Box 393, Laguna Beach	Dec. 31, 1965
Louisiana	Mrs. Mildred Thornton (308)	32 Rbeam Blvd., Orinda	April 6, 1966
Maine	Mrs. Cleda Dooley (582)	6048 Carlton Way, Hollywood	Mar. 1, 1964
Manitoba	Mrs. Clara Cram (408)	4512 Griffin Ave., Los Angeles	June 6, 1966
Maryland	Mrs. Frieda Barkley (30)	1121 W. 2nd St., Benicia	May 15, 1966
Massachusetts	Mrs. Eva Howard (404)	2425 No. Robertson, Los Angeles	Dec. 31, 1964
Michigan	Mrs. Margaret Price (124)	65 Balceta, S.F.	Jan. 1, 1964
Minnesota	Mrs. Mabel Lind Brown (60)	305 Buena Terra Dr., Woodland	Dec. 31, 1964
Mississippi	Mrs. Evelyn Simpson (184)	815 7th Ave., Crockett	Dec. 31, 1965
Missouri	Mrs. Emily Chamberlain (612)	15437 Sherman Way, Van Nuys	Dec. 31, 1965
Montana	Mrs. Ernestine C. Martin (546)	610 Yucca St., Barstow	Dec. 31, 1964
Nebraska	Mrs. Mary Tilden (473)	1247 E. Washington, Pasadena	Oct. 1, 1964
Nevada	Mrs. Gertrude C. Hill (65)	4126 Broadway, Oakland	Dec. 31, 1965
New Brunswick	Mrs. Ruth Beck (559)	227 Highland Dr., Bakersfield	Dec. 31, 1965
New Hampshire	Mrs. Bertha Barrett (423)	339 W. Broadmore, San Leandro	Jan. 1, 1964
New Jersey	Miss Ida Green (50)	421 E. Poplar, Stockton	Jan. 1, 1964
New Mexico	Mrs. Ethel McNeil (161)	721 Evan Ave., Sebastopol	Jan. 1, 1966
New York	Mrs. Susie Pine (376)	4954 Ambrose Ave., Los Angeles	Feb. 2, 1964
North Carolina	Mrs. Winifred Morgan (108)	2511 Brigadoon St., Pasadena	Jan. 1, 1965
North Dakota	Mrs. Myrl Reseck (35)	2420 Elm St., Live Oak	Jan. 1, 1965
Nova Scotia	Mrs. Margaret Morrison (392)	4586 Beatty Dr., Riverside	Dec. 31, 1963
Ohio	Mrs. Hazel Carpenter (531)	Box 335, Livingston	Sept. 1, 1964
Oklahoma	Mrs. Roberta Dikeman (189)	Calistoga	Oct. 1, 1965
Ontario	Mrs. Lorena Bobbie James (264)	7267 Blackton Dr., La Mesa	Dec. 31, 1965
Oregon	Mrs. Gladys Schrell (313)	1479 Holbrook, Los Angeles	Dec. 31, 1965
Pennsylvania	Mrs. Gerene Kennedy (478)	4119 Bedford Ave., San Diego 16	Nov. 1, 1964
Puerto Rico	Mrs. Anne Eastman (394)	1611 Roosevelt Ave., Richmond	July 1, 1965
Quebec	Mrs. Alice Wilson (511)	6560 Gundry Ave., Long Beach	May 1, 1964
Rhode Island	Mrs. Charlotte Hulstrom (568)	350 Colleen Pl., Costa Mesa	Dec. 31, 1966
Saskatchewan	Mrs. Aletha Adams (526)	2559 Highland Ave., Altadena	Dec. 31, 1964
Scotland	Mrs. Dorothy Ross (163)	Box 465, Orange	Dec. 31, 1965
South Carolina	Mrs. June Erwin (41)	Box 226, Riverdale	July 25, 1966
South Dakota	Mrs. Dorothy C. Fraysier (97)	1040 Price St., Pismo Beach	Dec. 31, 1962
Tennessee	Mrs. Emelia Parsons (570)	1595 Elm St., Long Beach	Dec. 31, 1963
Texas	Mrs. Florence McCourtney (219)	4 Manor Ter., Mill Valley	Oct. 10, 1965
Utah	Mrs. Phyllis Rowlands (252)	714 Teresita Blvd., S.F.	Dec. 31, 1963
Vermont	Mrs. Pearl Schultz (315)	1502 Nerion Way, Seal Beach	Oct. 1, 1965
Virginia	Mrs. Mary Gregg (418)	4318 Victoria Pk. Pl., Los Angeles	Nov. 1, 1964
Washington	Mrs. Hazel Hallock (509)	143 E. 5th St., San Dimas	Aug. 1, 1964
West Virginia	Mrs. Minerva Love (262)	30 Escondido Ave., San Francisco	July 31, 1966
Wisconsin	Mrs. Gladys Mansell (246)	Quincy	Apr. 22, 1964
Wyoming	Mrs. Marie Lamberson (310)	5316 Harvey Way, Long Beach	Dec. 31, 1963

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LIST OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS WITH A SUMMARY OF THEIR REPORTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 1, 1962

NAME OF CHAPTER	DATE OF No. INSTITUTION	No. of Members Sept. 1, 1961	Initiated	Affiliated	Reinstated	Demitted	Resigned	Suspended N. P. D.	Suspended or Expelled	Deceased	No. of Members Sept. 1, 1962	Deductions on Account of In Homes, 50 Yr. Members, Dues Remitted	Grand Chapter Fees and Dues	Representative Fund	Benevolent Fund	Scholarship Fund	Insurance Fund	Home Maintenance Fund	Endowment Fund	Home Assessment
1 Golden Gate.....	1 May 10, 1869	247	5		1	5		4	2	242	7	\$ 84.75	\$ 35.25	\$ 23.50	\$ 11.75	\$ 70.50	\$ 239.00	\$10.00	\$238.70	
2 Susan.....	2 March 12, 1870	323	10	5	1	7		3	2	326	6	119.50	48.00	32.00	16.00	96.00	320.00	22.00	321.00	
3 Silver Star.....	3 Nov. 22, 1870	879	6	5		17	1	14	7	852	32	292.50	123.00	82.00	41.00	246.00	820.00	16.00	826.00	
4 Oak Leaf.....	8 April 12, 1872	344	3	2		7			9	334	48	102.60	42.90	28.60	14.30	85.80	286.00	6.00	289.00	
5 Evangeline.....	9 June 17, 1873	248	4			9		3	6	235	7	81.80	34.20	22.80	11.40	68.40	168.00	8.00	211.00	
6 Evening Star.....	10 Oct. 9, 1874	177	5			4		3	2	173	5	61.30	25.20	16.80	8.40	50.40	148.00	10.00	168.00	
7 Martha Washington	11 Dec. 28, 1874	474	4			5		4	3	472	13	164.65	68.85	45.90	22.97	137.70	459.00	18.00	479.00	
8 St. John's.....	14 Jan. 5, 1875	198	9	4		1		4	3	201	5	74.10	38.40	19.60	9.80	58.80	196.00	8.00	196.00	
9 Welcome.....	17 April 3, 1875	257	7			2		4	2	262	7	95.75	38.25	25.50	12.75	76.50	255.00	20.00	255.00	
10 Lily of the Valley..	18 May 11, 1876	472	9	4		7		1	14	460	14	161.10	66.90	44.60	22.30	133.80	446.00	16.00	466.00	
11 Idlewild.....	19 March 30, 1876	538	14			8		4	2	570	8	111.20	84.30	56.20	28.10	168.60	297.00	20.00	297.00	
12 Vesper.....	20 March 1, 1876	296	10	3		2		2	4	301	4	110.45	44.55	29.70	14.85	89.10	261.00	14.00	261.00	
13 Acacia.....	21 March 14, 1876	283	7	1		3		2	10	274	13	95.35	39.15	26.10	13.05	78.30	261.00	14.00	261.00	
14 Fernside.....	22 Sept. 11, 1876	130				1		2	6	121	17	36.40	15.60	10.40	5.20	31.20	104.00	16.00	120.00	
15 Northern Light.....	23 Sept. 11, 1876	130	7	3		2			2	158	8	57.50	22.60	15.00	7.50	45.00	150.00	16.00	166.00	
16 Ivy.....	26 Dec. 7, 1876	357	6	3		7			4	354	14	123.50	51.00	34.00	17.00	102.00	340.00	16.00	340.00	
17 Vauxville.....	27 March 3, 1877	308	7	2		6		2	3	298	11	107.75	44.25	29.50	14.75	88.50	295.00	12.00	295.00	
18 Silver Gate.....	30 July 14, 1877	258	5	1		6		3	8	258	11	92.60	38.40	25.60	12.80	76.80	256.00	12.00	256.00	
19 San Jose.....	31 Sept. 7, 1877	609	12	3	2	15		6	3	603	35	205.25	84.75	56.50	28.25	169.50	565.00	24.00	571.00	
20 Koke Valley.....	13 Feb. 21, 1878	701	5			25		7	16	686	22	231.45	96.60	64.40	32.20	193.20	644.00	16.00	644.00	
21 Vernon.....	35 June 1, 1878	366	8	2		7		7	6	356	17	124.35	51.15	34.10	17.05	102.30	341.00	16.00	341.00	
22 Neamt.....	36 May 3, 1879	490	12	4		12		11	7	477	15	169.70	69.30	46.20	23.10	138.60	462.00	26.00	463.00	
23 Stella.....	39 May 24, 1880	295	7	2		9		1	3	298	12	104.60	42.90	28.60	14.30	85.80	286.00	14.00	286.00	
24 Aurora.....	40 Feb. 13, 1880	144	6	4	1	9		4	1	139	11	119.80	49.20	32.80	16.40	98.40	328.00	16.00	329.00	
25 Lily of the Lake.....	41 March 23, 1880	188	8	1		3			1	189	6	68.55	27.45	18.30	9.15	54.90	183.00		183.00	

26	Ariel.....	42	March 30,	1880	287	10	2	7	11	5	276	6	100.50	40.50	27.00	13.50	81.00	270.00	22.00	270.00
27	Redding.....	44	June 22,	1880	434	13	3	3	3	8	436	22	152.90	62.10	41.40	20.70	124.20	414.00	28.00	414.00
28	Canothus.....	45	May 22,	1880	60					1	59	5	18.90	8.10	5.40	2.70	6.20	18.90		231.95
29	Athena.....	46	July 7,	1880	238	12	2	1		6	235	8	80.45	34.95	22.70	11.35	68.10	227.00		417.00
30	Reville.....	47	July 9,	1880	437	11	2	2		6	439	22	182.95	62.55	41.70	20.85	125.10	417.00	22.00	170.00
31	Wheatland.....	48	March 23,	1881	175	11	2			3	181	11	61.00	25.50	17.00	8.50	51.00	170.00	6.00	144.00
32	Pleasant.....	49	March 24,	1881	149	3	1			2	150	6	81.90	31.60	14.40	7.20	43.20	144.00	18.00	529.70
33	Homestead.....	50	May 21,	1881	580	9	1	1		10	165	41	188.50	78.60	52.40	26.20	157.20	524.00	4.00	192.00
34	Altura.....	51	June 3,	1881	205	1	1	5		3	196	5	48.90	20.10	13.40	6.70	40.20	134.00	8.00	134.00
35	Sincerity.....	55	June 24,	1881	139	4	1			4	196	5	48.90	20.10	13.40	6.70	40.20	134.00	8.00	134.00
36	Marquette.....	56	June 28,	1881	490	7	1	6		8	371	12	130.15	53.85	35.90	17.95	107.70	359.00	16.00	359.00
37	Crystal.....	57	July 8,	1881	319	3	5	8		4	477	23	162.90	68.10	45.40	22.70	136.20	359.00	16.00	359.00
38	Kingsey.....	58	July 23,	1881	373	6	3	10		5	535	15	116.50	48.00	32.00	16.00	96.00	320.00	6.00	320.00
39	Silver Spray.....	59	Aug. 12,	1881	440	20	2	1		7	373	10	131.55	51.45	36.30	18.15	108.90	363.00	16.00	363.00
40	Volcano.....	60	Aug. 26,	1881	307	7	6	1		6	450	18	164.70	64.80	43.20	21.60	129.60	435.00	46.00	435.00
41	Morning Star.....	61	Sept. 17,	1881	410	11	4	3		12	409	9	147.50	60.00	40.00	20.00	120.00	400.00	22.00	297.00
42	Mountain Fern.....	62	Oct. 15,	1881	108	3	2			13	604	22	210.20	87.30	58.20	29.10	174.60	400.00	22.00	400.00
43	Unity.....	63	March 17,	1882	348	8	4	1		4	351	16	123.25	50.25	33.50	16.75	100.50	335.00	16.00	335.00
44	Golden Star.....	66	April 11,	1882	188	4				3	186	7	64.65	26.85	17.90	8.95	53.70	179.00	8.00	180.00
45	Friendship.....	67	May 3,	1882	157	6	5	1		2	157	14	53.05	21.45	14.30	7.15	42.90	143.00	12.00	143.00
46	Ocean Spray.....	68	Nov. 11,	1882	359	3		4		8	352	14	122.30	50.70	33.80	16.90	101.40	338.00	6.00	338.00
47	Queen Esther.....	69	June 29,	1883	489	7	3			1	175	6	61.65	25.35	16.90	8.45	50.70	169.00	8.00	169.00
50	Electra.....	72	July 5,	1883	205	5	3	12		6	480	1	172.65	71.85	47.90	23.95	143.70	479.00	16.00	479.00
51	Magnolia.....	73	July 19,	1883	109	2		4		4	203	6	72.95	29.55	19.70	9.85	59.10	197.00	14.00	197.00
52	Esther.....	74	July 28,	1883	563	7	4			14	550	18	191.70	79.80	53.20	26.60	159.60	522.00	4.00	522.00
53	Silver Wave.....	75	Sept. 8,	1883	296	2	1	2		7	283	10	97.05	40.95	27.30	13.65	87.60	273.00	4.00	273.00
54	Rohrerville.....	76	Sept. 13,	1883	202	3		2		2	199	7	68.70	28.80	19.20	9.60	81.90	273.00	4.00	273.00
55	Adala.....	77	Oct. 13,	1884	390	11	7	2		8	393	9	143.40	57.60	38.40	19.20	115.20	384.00	6.00	384.00
56	Marguerite.....	78	May 13,	1884	518	19	7	1		8	393	9	182.75	72.75	48.50	24.25	145.50	485.00	48.00	485.00
57	Ventura.....	79	May 31,	1884	117	2		19		7	486	1	40.90	17.10	11.40	5.70	34.20	114.00	4.00	114.00
58	Augusta.....	80	Sept. 3,	1884	271	2	2			2	267	13	89.90	38.10	25.40	12.70	76.20	254.00	8.00	254.00
59	Socotome.....	82	July 31,	1884	194	5	3	5		2	191	5	67.60	27.90	18.60	9.30	58.80	186.00	8.00	186.00
60	Molino.....	83	Nov. 31,	1884	203	2	5	1		7	203	3	71.50	30.00	20.00	10.00	60.00	200.00	6.00	200.00
61	Veritas.....	84	Nov. 6,	1884	245	6	5	8		5	239	5	87.50	35.10	23.40	11.70	70.20	234.00	12.00	234.00
62	Valley of the Moon.....	85	Dec. 6,	1884	278	3	4			7	264	17	87.95	37.05	24.70	12.35	74.10	247.00	6.00	247.00
63	Marshall.....	86	April 18,	1885	278	13	4	10		18	852	25	297.95	124.05	82.70	41.35	248.10	827.00	30.00	827.00
64	Raisina.....	89	April 24,	1886	882	10	2	24		13	852	25	297.95	124.05	82.70	41.35	248.10	827.00	30.00	827.00
65	Fallen Leaf.....	90	July 14,	1886	886	1	3	2		18	852	25	297.95	124.05	82.70	41.35	248.10	827.00	30.00	827.00
66	Madera.....	92	April 10,	1887	276	1	3	2		13	852	25	297.95	124.05	82.70	41.35	248.10	827.00	30.00	827.00
67	Holocaust.....	93	May 7,	1887	240	15	3	1		2	263	1	82.30	38.70	25.80	13.80	82.80	276.00	8.00	276.00
68	Tulare.....	94	Nov. 7,	1887	493	3	2	5		5	405	15	140.95	34.05	22.70	11.35	68.10	227.00	30.00	227.00
69	Bethlehem.....	95	March 22,	1888	263	3	2	9		4	255	8	88.95	37.05	24.70	12.35	74.10	247.00	6.00	247.00

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70 Southern Star.....	96 April	2, 1888	623	8	8	6	3	11		9			12	608	26	210.70	87.30	58.20	29.10	174.60	582.00	24.00	585.35
71 Ramona.....	97 June	19, 1888	207	8	4			9		1			9	208	6	76.70	30.30	20.20	10.10	60.60	202.00	18.00	202.00
72 Beulah.....	98 Aug.	16, 1888	238	2	4			4		1			4	228	15	75.55	31.95	21.30	10.65	63.90	213.00	4.00	213.00
73 Mizpah.....	100 Sept.	13, 1888	303	22	3			4		3			8	406	9	151.45	59.55	39.70	19.85	119.10	397.00	50.00	397.00
74 Violet.....	102 March	21, 1889	86	2	3			1		3			1	86	6	29.00	12.00	8.00	4.00	24.00	80.00	4.00	80.00
75 Golden Wave.....	103 April	5, 1889	422	4	3			6		6			8	406	13	141.05	58.95	39.30	19.65	117.90	393.00	14.00	393.00
76 Josephine.....	104 June	28, 1889	612	10	2			9		1			9	605	18	211.45	88.05	58.70	29.35	176.10	587.00	20.00	587.00
77 Hermosa.....	105 Oct.	13, 1888	515	6	5			10		3			10	503	30	171.05	70.95	47.30	23.65	141.90	473.00	16.00	473.00
78 Ungava.....	106 April	11, 1890	639	9	7	1	1	10		4			10	632	21	221.85	91.85	61.10	30.55	183.30	611.00	28.00	611.00
79 Corona.....	107 June	14, 1890	449	16	4		1	3		3			3	461	16	165.75	66.75	44.50	22.25	133.50	445.00	30.00	450.45
80 Pasadena.....	108 July	11, 1890	424	9	7			10		1			11	418	19	147.65	59.85	39.90	19.95	119.70	399.00	24.00	399.00
81 Elk Grove.....	109 Sept.	24, 1890	208	7	1			8		9			5	209	12	65.80	28.20	18.80	9.40	56.40	188.00		188.00
82 Pomona.....	110 Aug.	31, 1891	355	1	4	1		6		2			7	339	13	178.10	48.90	32.60	16.30	97.80	326.00	16.00	326.00
83 Ocean View.....	111 Sept.	30, 1891	150	3	1			7		1			7	139	8	46.35	19.65	3.10	6.55	39.30	131.00	2.00	131.00
84 Hesperian.....	112 Sept.	30, 1891	290	3	4	1	1	6		2			1	291	27	95.90	39.60	26.40	13.20	79.20	264.00	8.00	267.00
85 Santa Monica.....	113 Jan.	8, 1892	451	3	1			10		1			11	431	11	149.00	63.00	42.00	21.00	126.00	420.00	8.00	420.00
86 Palm Leaf.....	114 Feb.	18, 1892	511	6	2			9		2			8	540	17	187.05	78.45	52.30	26.15	156.90	523.00	14.00	523.00
87 Carita.....	115 March	9, 1892	395	9	1	1	1	10		1			8	387	15	135.20	55.80	37.20	18.60	111.60	372.00	20.00	373.00
88 Truckee.....	116 March	15, 1892	176	12	1			2		1			2	184	6	68.80	26.70	17.80	8.90	83.40	178.00	24.00	178.00
89 Columbus.....	117 Aug.	8, 1892	351	21	1			14		1			9	349	20	126.15	49.35	32.90	16.45	98.70	329.00	42.00	329.00
90 Woodbridge.....	118 Sept.	17, 1892	247	17	1			17		1			1	247	15	85.20	34.80	23.20	11.60	99.60	232.00	8.00	232.00
91 Anapola.....	119 July	5, 1893	458	15	3	3	3	18		3			13	448	22	158.10	63.90	42.60	21.30	127.80	426.00	30.00	429.00
92 Tuolumne Star.....	121 Aug.	25, 1893	343	5	8			6		7			5	340	9	121.35	49.65	33.10	16.55	99.30	331.00	10.00	331.00
93 Harmony.....	123 Nov.	10, 1893	215	5	3			10		3			2	210	9	72.85	30.15	20.10	10.05	60.30	201.00	10.00	201.00
94 Bakersfield.....	125 Dec.	18, 1893	507	16	6	1	1	10		1			11	508	24	180.40	72.60	48.40	24.20	145.20	484.00	38.00	487.00
95 Merced.....	126 Feb.	23, 1894	379	11	1			8		5			4	371	9	132.35	54.15	36.10	18.05	108.30	361.00	22.00	361.00
96 Lucerne.....	127 Feb.	15, 1894	283	5	1			10		8			4	271	10	93.85	39.15	26.10	13.05	78.30	261.00	10.00	261.00
97 Los Gatos.....	128 March	10, 1894	410	10	8			4		1			8	415	6	152.15	61.35	40.90	20.45	122.70	409.00	24.00	409.00
98 Sierra Star.....	129 June	12, 1894	488		1			2		4			1	82	1	28.85	12.15	8.10	4.05	24.30	81.00	2.00	81.00

99 Clover Leaf.....	130 July	21, 1894	125	3	5	3	1	132	5	48.45	19.05	12.70	6.35	38.10	127.00	8.00	127.00
100 Fidelity.....	131 Aug.	31, 1894	331	3	3	3	324	12	112.20	46.80	31.20	15.60	93.60	312.00	6.00	317.70	
101 South Gate.....	133 Dec.	24, 1894	308	9	1	9	301	18	104.05	42.45	28.30	14.15	84.90	283.00	20.00	283.00	
102 Angels.....	134 Dec.	18, 1894	94	1	1	1	90	5	30.25	12.75	8.50	4.25	25.50	85.00	2.00	87.00	
103 Sempier Fidelity.....	135 June	3, 1895	312	11	2	3	321	13	114.30	46.20	30.80	15.40	92.40	308.00	24.00	308.00	
104 Centinella.....	136 June	10, 1895	176	4	1	1	179	6	62.55	25.95	17.30	8.65	51.90	173.00	8.00	173.00	
105 Clear Lake.....	137 Oct.	9, 1895	341	10	3	9	340	10	122.00	49.50	33.00	16.50	99.00	330.00	20.00	330.00	
106 Summit.....	138 Dec.	21, 1895	103	10	3	9	102	4	34.30	14.70	9.80	4.90	29.40	98.00	18.00	98.00	
107 Orestimba.....	139 Dec.	28, 1895	172	5	4	4	171	4	62.95	25.05	16.70	8.35	50.10	167.00	18.00	167.00	
108 Oakland.....	140 Jan.	2, 1896	292	5	1	11	292	11	94.35	39.15	26.10	13.05	78.30	261.00	12.00	261.00	
109 Mira Monte.....	141 Jan.	8, 1896	407	15	8	6	416	8	154.30	61.20	40.80	20.40	122.40	408.00	36.00	408.00	
110 Copa del Oro.....	142 Jan.	23, 1896	336	2	5	6	329	17	112.70	46.80	31.20	15.60	91.60	312.00	10.00	312.00	
111 Norwalk.....	143 Feb.	12, 1896	334	8	3	6	335	17	119.15	49.35	32.90	16.45	98.70	329.00	16.00	329.00	
112 Lysa.....	144 Feb.	12, 1896	457	14	3	1	455	22	156.55	63.45	42.30	21.15	126.90	423.00	32.00	423.00	
113 Jasmine.....	145 Feb.	13, 1896	314	4	1	6	308	9	107.15	44.85	29.90	14.95	89.70	299.00	8.00	304.45	
114 Delano.....	146 March	12, 1896	252	4	1	3	249	8	86.85	36.35	24.10	12.05	72.30	241.00	10.00	241.00	
115 Pearl.....	147 April	10, 1896	400	4	3	6	385	8	135.45	56.35	37.70	18.85	113.10	377.00	14.00	377.00	
116 Del Norte.....	149 May	15, 1896	250	1	1	1	227	4	81.05	33.45	22.30	11.15	69.60	232.00	4.00	232.00	
117 Lodi.....	150 April	28, 1896	358	10	1	6	341	15	114.60	48.90	32.60	16.30	97.80	326.00	30.00	326.00	
118 Chuya.....	151 June	6, 1896	368	10	1	6	369	15	136.90	54.60	36.40	18.20	109.20	384.00	30.00	364.00	
119 Mt. Shasta.....	153 Jan.	8, 1896	328	6	3	8	327	4	81.05	33.45	22.30	11.15	66.90	223.00	12.00	223.00	
120 Escondido.....	154 Feb.	7, 1896	396	20	11	4	393	1	154.80	59.70	39.80	19.90	119.40	398.00	52.00	398.00	
121 Mission.....	155 Dec.	16, 1896	381	8	4	8	373	22	126.85	52.65	35.10	17.55	105.30	351.00	16.00	351.00	
122 Penryn.....	156 March	20, 1897	200	1	1	6	191	7	64.90	27.60	18.40	9.20	55.20	184.00	2.00	184.00	
123 Occident.....	160 June	19, 1897	484	7	2	1	476	10	167.60	69.90	46.60	23.30	139.80	466.00	18.00	466.00	
124 Gold Ridge.....	161 Jan.	6, 1898	362	5	6	2	365	14	128.35	52.65	35.10	17.55	105.30	351.00	14.00	351.00	
125 Crown.....	162 March	7, 1898	203	4	2	3	205	3	73.70	30.30	20.20	10.10	60.60	202.00	8.00	202.00	
126 Scepter.....	163 March	11, 1898	361	7	8	6	354	7	128.95	52.05	34.70	17.35	104.10	347.00	22.00	347.00	
127 Onisbo.....	164 April	29, 1898	168	6	1	4	167	6	59.35	24.15	16.10	8.05	48.30	161.00	12.00	161.00	
128 Crescent.....	165 June	15, 1898	134	8	7	4	138	9	70.10	29.40	19.60	9.80	58.80	196.00	4.00	197.00	
129 Esperanza.....	167 Feb.	11, 1899	202	2	1	2	199	3	52.65	19.35	12.90	6.45	38.70	129.00	16.00	129.00	
130 Los Angeles.....	168 Feb.	14, 1899	241	6	2	4	236	16	81.00	33.00	22.00	11.00	66.00	220.00	16.00	220.00	
131 Olive Branch.....	169 March	29, 1899	120	4	1	4	117	4	41.55	16.95	11.30	5.65	33.90	113.00	8.00	116.00	
132 King Solomon's.....	170 April	4, 1899	224	2	1	7	217	8	74.65	31.55	20.90	10.35	62.70	209.00	4.00	209.00	
133 Carnation.....	171 May	12, 1899	419	11	6	4	419	9	152.70	61.80	41.20	20.60	121.60	412.00	30.00	413.00	
134 Lexington.....	172 July	18, 1899	423	5	1	8	413	7	144.40	60.60	40.40	20.20	121.50	404.00	10.00	404.00	
135 Long Beach.....	173 Aug.	7, 1899	540	8	2	10	520	19	180.15	75.15	50.10	25.05	170.10	501.00	16.00	501.00	
136 San Pedro Harbor.....	174 Aug.	18, 1899	497	10	1	10	487	26	166.85	69.15	46.10	23.05	138.30	461.00	20.00	461.00	
137 Sisson.....	175 Sept.	23, 1899	134	4	1	9	134	4	47.50	19.50	13.00	6.50	39.00	130.00	8.00	130.00	
138 Miraflojo.....	176 Dec.	26, 1899	279	13	5	5	280	4	102.75	41.25	27.30	13.75	82.50	275.00	26.00	275.00	
139 Orient.....	177 March	21, 1900	220	8	2	2	218	8	78.50	31.50	21.00	10.50	63.00	210.00	16.00	210.00	
140 Berkeley.....	178 April	1, 1900	281	1	1	5	280	1	89.90	38.10	25.40	12.70	76.20	254.00	4.00	254.00	
141 Eureka.....	179 May	3, 1900	412	5	3	3	402	14	143.20	60.30	40.20	20.10	120.60	402.00	10.00	404.00	
142 Heber.....	181 May	29, 1900	304	11	5	1	313	10	114.05	45.45	30.30	15.15	90.90	303.00	28.00	303.00	
143 Valley Home.....	182 July	28, 1900	161	6	5	3	164	6	60.80	23.70	15.80	7.90	47.40	158.00	14.00	158.00	

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144 California.....	183	Aug.	4, 1900	355	2						13	338	20	113.30	47.70	31.80	15.90	51.40	31.00	6.00	318.00
145 Crockett.....	184	Aug.	7, 1900	175	5	1	3		2		8	168	7	160.25	24.75	16.50	8.25	49.50	165.00	10.00	165.00
146 Santa Paula.....	185	Sept.	22, 1900	315	6	2					10	316	9	112.15	46.35	30.90	15.45	92.70	309.00	16.00	309.00
147 Laurel.....	186	Sept.	22, 1900	575	18	10	13		4		10	577	9	212.80	81.20	56.80	28.40	170.40	568.00	44.00	570.00
148 Tehachapi.....	188	Jan.	16, 1901	195	6	2	9				5	193	3	70.30	28.50	19.00	9.50	57.00	100.00	16.00	191.00
149 Calistoga.....	189	Jan.	19, 1901	139	1		3				5	132	4	45.30	19.20	12.00	6.40	38.40	128.00	2.00	128.00
150 Sacramento.....	190	March	7, 1901	455	6	4	9		3		8	445	23	152.70	63.50	42.20	21.10	126.60	422.00	14.00	422.00
151 Fullerton.....	191	March	19, 1901	271	11	3	5		4		5	268	10	97.30	38.70	25.80	12.90	77.40	238.00	22.00	238.00
152 Pacific.....	192	March	23, 1901	145	1	4					3	145	5	50.00	21.00	14.00	7.00	42.00	140.00	2.00	140.00
153 Alhambra.....	193	March	25, 1901	419	11	1	6		2		11	411	8	148.05	60.45	40.30	20.15	120.90	403.00	24.00	403.00
154 Santa Clara.....	195	June	15, 1901	411	16	7	4		4		5	422	13	154.65	61.35	40.90	20.45	122.70	409.00	38.00	409.00
155 San Francisco.....	196	Sept.	16, 1901	291	10	2	9		2		4	288	3	105.75	42.75	28.50	14.25	85.50	285.00	24.00	285.00
156 Mr. Whitney.....	197	Jan.	11, 1902	317	1		11				2	304	3	106.35	45.15	30.10	15.05	90.30	301.00	2.00	301.00
157 Magolia.....	198	April	21, 1902	160	5	1	2		2		4	159	3	57.60	23.40	15.60	7.80	46.80	156.00	12.00	156.00
158 Ionia.....	199	April	29, 1902	191	5	1	2				8	185	11	62.90	26.10	17.40	8.70	52.20	174.00	8.00	174.00
159 Las Mariposas.....	200	May	27, 1902	260	11	7	2		4		4	214	6	81.80	31.20	20.80	10.40	62.40	208.00	26.00	208.00
160 Bethesda Star.....	201	June	25, 1902	171	1		7				8	158	8	52.50	22.50	15.00	7.50	45.00	150.00	40.00	150.00
161 La Paloma.....	202	Aug.	5, 1902	270	20	3	2		3		8	275	14	131.60	40.65	27.10	13.55	81.30	271.00	40.00	271.00
162 Sequoia.....	203	Sept.	1, 1902	506	10	10	2		3		8	510	14	183.60	74.40	49.60	24.80	148.80	496.00	30.00	496.00
163 Starr King.....	204	Sept.	26, 1902	366	4		2	1			4	357	13	77.10	30.90	20.60	10.30	61.80	206.00	16.00	206.00
164 Miramar.....	205	Sept.	30, 1902	366	4	3	9		4		4	358	13	133.90	51.60	34.40	17.20	103.20	344.00	14.00	349.70
165 Arcata.....	207	Dec.	25, 1903	211	8	2	1		8		9		6	123.55	51.45	34.30	17.15	102.90	343.00	14.00	343.00
166 Citrus.....	208	Feb.	28, 1903	484	8	3	10		5		13	467	14	164.05	67.95	43.70	22.65	133.90	453.00	18.00	453.00
167 Hollywood.....	209	Feb.	28, 1903	484	8	3	10				13	467	14	164.05	67.95	43.70	22.65	133.90	453.00	18.00	453.00
168 Palestine.....	210	March	7, 1903	232	2			1			8	224	16	173.80	31.20	20.80	10.40	62.40	208.00	4.00	208.00
169 Colton.....	211	July	8, 1903	382	9	3	12				8	377	11	134.10	54.90	36.60	18.30	109.80	366.00	20.00	366.00
170 Gate City.....	212	Aug.	13, 1903	718	11	8	3		22		11	695	20	245.75	101.25	67.50	33.75	202.30	675.00	34.00	679.00
171 Palo Alto.....	213	Aug.	22, 1903	616	17	10	16		5		13	613	17	222.10	89.40	59.60	29.80	178.80	596.00	44.00	598.00
172 Almona.....	214	Sept.	5, 1903	386	6	4	10		5		8	380	4	136.60	56.40	37.60	18.80	112.80	376.00	18.00	376.00
173 San Rafael.....	215	Sept.	11, 1903	453	9	8	10		2		14	447	11	160.05	64.95	43.30	21.65	129.90	433.00	18.00	433.00
174 Sunset.....	216	Sept.	16, 1903	146	5	2	13		3		14	147	7	52.50	21.00	14.00	7.00	44.00	140.00	10.00	144.00

175 Loyalty.....	217 Sept.	22, 1903	297	3	1	4	291	17	97.90	41.10	27.40	13.70	82.20	274.00	4.00	274.00
176 Yosilano.....	218 Feb.	13, 1904	149	1	1	4	146	5	49.85	21.15	14.10	7.05	42.30	141.00	2.00	141.00
177 Mill Valley.....	219 Feb.	16, 1904	357	6	6	3	345	10	120.23	50.25	33.50	16.75	100.50	335.00	12.00	335.00
178 Pinole.....	220 Feb.	21, 1904	209	6	4	2	204	6	72.30	29.70	19.80	9.90	59.40	198.00	12.00	198.00
179 Golden Rod.....	221 April	2, 1904	238	4	1	1	231	12	81.95	34.05	22.70	11.35	68.10	227.00	10.00	228.00
180 Rio Vista.....	222 April	2, 1904	218	4	1	1	221	6	78.25	32.25	21.70	10.75	64.50	215.00	12.00	215.00
181 Royal.....	223 April	27, 1904	141	1	2	4	130	9	42.85	18.15	12.10	6.05	36.30	121.00	2.00	121.00
182 Colandine.....	224 June	25, 1904	84	2	1	1	84	1	30.05	12.45	8.30	4.15	24.90	83.00	4.00	83.00
183 East Gate.....	225 Feb.	11, 1905	339	3	1	4	331	13	112.80	47.70	31.80	15.90	95.40	318.00	1.60	319.00
184 Oakdale.....	226 April	11, 1905	182	7	4	4	184	4	66.70	27.00	18.00	9.00	54.00	180.00	12.00	180.00
185 Montevia.....	227 April	12, 1905	276	8	1	4	278	3	100.25	41.25	27.50	13.75	82.50	275.00	16.00	275.00
186 Yerba Buena.....	228 April	14, 1905	240	1	6	1	232	1	81.35	34.65	23.10	11.55	69.30	231.00	2.00	231.00
187 Imperial.....	229 April	17, 1905	290	5	1	1	279	13	96.10	39.90	26.60	13.30	79.80	266.00	10.00	266.00
188 Sapphire.....	230 April	17, 1905	243	2	4	4	235	3	82.00	34.50	23.00	11.50	69.00	230.00	4.00	230.00
189 Lower Lake.....	231 April	20, 1905	190	7	8	1	186	7	70.15	26.85	17.90	8.95	53.70	179.00	14.00	179.00
190 Bonner.....	232 April	29, 1905	108	1	1	3	105	4	35.85	15.15	10.10	5.05	30.30	101.00	2.00	102.00
191 Natomia.....	233 July	3, 1905	219	7	4	4	220	10	77.00	31.50	21.00	10.50	65.00	210.00	14.00	210.00
192 Los Carritos.....	234 July	22, 1905	337	3	3	13	341	12	116.65	49.35	32.90	16.45	98.70	329.00	6.00	329.00
193 Keystone.....	235 Sept.	27, 1905	303	9	5	7	296	16	105.00	42.00	28.00	14.00	84.00	280.00	22.00	280.00
194 Glen Eyrie.....	237 Feb.	22, 1906	552	14	2	10	545	15	193.50	79.50	53.00	21.50	159.00	530.00	30.00	530.00
195 Jewel.....	238 March	30, 1906	175	3	5	12	172	2	63.50	25.50	17.00	8.50	51.00	170.00	6.00	170.00
196 Monterey.....	239 March	30, 1906	297	6	1	1	286	6	101.50	42.00	28.00	14.00	84.00	280.00	14.00	280.00
197 Buena Park.....	240 April	6, 1906	287	20	1	4	294	2	112.20	43.80	29.20	14.60	87.60	292.00	40.00	292.00
198 La Victoria.....	241 April	6, 1906	104	5	5	2	112	1	43.85	16.65	11.10	5.55	31.30	111.00	10.00	111.00
199 Needles.....	242 April	11, 1906	313	10	4	1	310	8	112.70	45.30	30.20	15.10	90.60	302.00	24.00	302.00
200 Elsinore.....	243 April	16, 1906	131	4	7	3	138	1	51.45	20.55	13.70	6.85	41.10	137.00	14.00	137.00
201 Milton.....	244 April	17, 1906	97	2	1	3	195	4	32.85	13.65	9.10	4.55	27.30	91.00	4.00	91.00
202 Ocean Park.....	245 May	10, 1906	375	4	2	3	366	6	129.00	54.00	36.00	18.00	108.00	360.00	10.00	360.00
203 Plumas.....	246 June	11, 1906	432	6	1	2	432	13	87.65	35.85	23.90	11.95	71.70	239.00	12.00	239.00
204 Columbia.....	247 June	14, 1906	434	11	1	20	419	13	148.10	60.90	40.60	20.30	121.80	406.00	24.00	410.00
205 Hollenbeck.....	248 June	23, 1906	276	3	1	2	271	23	88.80	37.20	24.80	12.40	74.40	248.00	6.00	251.00
206 Avenha.....	249 Sept.	7, 1906	396	2	1	20	374	12	128.20	54.50	36.20	18.10	108.60	362.00	6.00	363.00
207 San Mateo.....	250 March	8, 1907	320	15	4	1	318	1	120.45	47.55	31.70	15.85	95.10	317.00	36.00	320.00
208 Paul Reverse.....	251 April	8, 1907	508	1	2	11	503	5	31.50	13.20	8.80	4.40	26.40	88.00	2.00	88.00
209 Casimir.....	252 April	13, 1907	308	3	2	15	297	5	104.70	43.80	29.20	14.60	87.60	292.00	8.00	292.00
210 Artesia.....	253 April	15, 1907	161	3	2	1	165	8	58.45	23.55	15.70	7.85	47.10	157.00	12.00	157.00
211 North East.....	254 April	19, 1907	85	1	1	2	81	2	27.65	11.85	7.90	3.95	23.70	79.00	7.00	79.00
212 Richmond.....	255 April	22, 1907	331	9	11	3	335	8	113.00	46.50	31.00	15.50	93.00	310.00	18.00	310.00
213 Reedley.....	257 May	28, 1907	139	3	3	7	135	1	48.40	20.10	13.40	6.70	40.20	134.00	6.00	134.00
214 Oriental.....	258 Sept.	6, 1907	176	1	1	2	170	8	57.70	24.30	16.20	8.10	48.60	162.00	4.00	162.00
215 Seaside.....	259 April	17, 1907	227	6	1	9	216	5	76.85	31.65	21.10	10.55	63.30	211.00	12.00	211.00
216 Gardena.....	260 Sept.	30, 1907	364	11	9	8	371	3	138.80	55.20	36.80	18.40	110.40	368.00	28.00	368.00
217 Dumbia.....	261 Oct.	28, 1907	243	3	1	6	240	1	84.10	35.40	23.60	11.80	70.80	236.00	6.00	236.00
218 Amity.....	262 Nov.	30, 1907	305	4	2	4	292	19	98.55	40.95	27.30	13.65	81.90	273.00	12.00	286.00

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219 Highland Park.....	263	Jan. 13, 1908	382	4	3	1	7					5	372	1	128.10	53.40	35.60	17.80	106.80	356.00	18.00	359.00							
220 San Diego.....	264	Jan. 17, 1908	758	5	3	11	1908	758	18			13	774	9	254.25	107.25	71.50	35.75	214.50	715.00	12.00	715.00							
221 Daylight.....	265	Feb. 6, 1908	278	13	6	3	10		3			18	275	16	87.15	35.85	23.90	11.95	71.70	235.00	4.00	239.00							
222 Garvanza.....	266	Feb. 21, 1908	197	8	3	6	4					2	197	5	71.20	28.80	19.20	9.60	57.60	192.00	16.00	196.00							
223 Golden Rule.....	267	Feb. 19, 1908	155	9					1			2	157	2	58.75	23.25	15.50	7.75	46.50	155.00	18.00	173.00							
224 West Lake.....	268	Feb. 22, 1908	176	2					6			1	162	3	56.65	23.85	15.90	7.95	47.70	159.00	4.00	163.00							
225 Parnassus.....	269	Feb. 27, 1908	541	10	3		12					14	537	19	184.30	76.20	50.80	25.40	152.40	508.00	22.00	530.00							
226 Escholtzia.....	270	March 14, 1908	368	5	4	1	4					4	368	5	131.55	54.45	36.30	18.15	108.90	363.00	16.00	379.00							
227 Monte Vista.....	271	March 16, 1908	390	3	4		2					2	391	2	69.65	28.35	18.90	9.45	56.70	189.00	6.00	195.00							
228 South Pasadena.....	272	March 28, 1908	277	10	3	15	15					15	270	11	258.00	103.50	69.00	34.50	207.00	690.00	24.00	714.00							
229 Santa Cruz.....	273	April 4, 1908	693	16	17							15	701	11	98.90	39.60	26.40	13.20	79.20	264.00	16.00	280.00							
230 St. Helena.....	274	May 1, 1908	156	8	3	4						153	6	60.45	23.55	15.70	7.85	47.10	157.00	20.00	177.00								
231 Burlingame.....	275	May 16, 1908	563	10				2				10	544	7	194.95	80.55	53.70	26.85	161.10	577.00	12.00	589.00							
232 Signal.....	276	June 18, 1908	301	5	1		4					6	299	8	107.65	44.85	29.90	13.45	89.70	299.00	10.00	309.00							
233 Athens.....	277	June 20, 1908	279	3	5							10	277	8	98.15	40.35	26.90	13.45	80.70	269.00	10.00	279.00							
234 Vallejo.....	278	Sept. 16, 1908	809	17	4	3	10					10	813	11	291.20	120.30	80.20	40.10	240.60	802.00	40.00	842.00							
235 Mystic Star.....	279	Nov. 24, 1908	201	8	1				2			2	203	4	74.15	29.85	19.90	9.95	59.70	199.00	16.00	215.00							
236 Occidental.....	280	Jan. 22, 1909	86	4	1		3					6	89	3	50.15	11.85	7.90	3.95	21.70	79.00	10.00	89.00							
237 Placetas.....	281	Jan. 30, 1909	157	5	1							4	152	10	11.70	21.30	14.20	7.10	42.60	147.00	8.00	155.00							
238 La Posa.....	282	March 28, 1909	117	2	2	3			2			6	113	5	77.70	31.80	21.20	10.60	65.60	112.00	14.00	126.00							
239 Lone.....	283	April 22, 1909	115	10	2							1	115	5	40.50	16.50	11.00	5.50	33.00	110.00	4.00	114.00							
240 Albert Pike.....	284	April 26, 1909	573	3	4	21			3			14	549	18	192.85	79.65	53.10	26.55	139.30	551.00	24.00	575.00							
241 Rising Light.....	285	May 28, 1909	577	10	2	18						11	549	19	193.95	80.55	53.70	26.85	161.10	577.00	12.00	589.00							
242 Poinsettia.....	286	June 8, 1909	313	4	2	7			10			5	297	1	106.60	44.40	29.60	14.80	88.80	296.00	10.00	306.00							
243 Fraternity.....	288	Nov. 23, 1909	421	8	7	1	10					10	412	16	146.10	59.40	39.60	19.80	118.80	396.00	30.00	426.00							
244 Alamo.....	288	Jan. 13, 1910	199	5	4				4			4	200	4	71.10	29.40	19.60	9.80	58.80	196.00	10.00	206.00							
245 West Gate.....	290	Feb. 1, 1910	193	7	1	5						6	188	6	67.70	27.30	18.20	9.10	54.60	182.00	14.00	196.00							
246 Point Arena.....	291	May 31, 1910	130	2	2	6			3			2	121	7	46.90	17.10	11.40	5.70	34.20	114.00	4.00	118.00							
247 Rose.....	292	June 11, 1910	418	7	1				10			13	399	11	139.80	58.20	38.80	19.40	116.40	388.00	14.00	402.00							
248 Elvesta.....	293	July 30, 1910	368	4	1	12			3			11	347	11	120.10	50.40	33.60	16.80	100.80	336.00	8.00	344.00							

249 Pleasanton.....	294 Sept.	22, 1910	344	8	7	5	1	2	4	248	8	91.50	36.00	24.00	12.00	72.00	240.00	20.00	240.00
250 Fresno.....	295 Sept.	30, 1910	731	19	3	18	1	3	13	716	14	256.70	103.50	70.20	35.10	210.60	702.00	38.00	702.00
251 Wistaria.....	296 Oct.	1, 1910	349	6	1	21	1	2	1	329	5	116.90	48.60	32.40	16.20	97.20	324.00	12.00	324.00
252 Fruitvale.....	297 Dec.	21, 1910	437	10	1	1	1	2	10	432	11	352.85	63.15	42.10	21.05	126.30	421.00	20.00	421.00
253 Golden State.....	298 Jan.	10, 1911	196	4	2	7	1	2	3	182	9	61.55	25.95	17.30	8.65	51.90	173.00	4.00	173.00
254 Sierra Madre.....	299 Jan.	23, 1911	150	2	4	6	1	2	3	144	3	14.40	21.60	14.40	7.20	43.20	144.00	10.00	144.00
255 La Mesa.....	300 March	4, 1911	471	12	5	11	1	3	6	463	6	168.45	68.55	45.70	22.85	137.10	477.00	34.00	457.00
256 Ada.....	301 March	23, 1911	555	9	2	1	1	3	1	547	14	192.05	79.95	53.30	26.65	159.90	533.00	20.00	537.95
257 Miriam.....	302 April	28, 1911	177	5	6	1	1	3	6	180	6	66.40	26.10	17.40	16.25	52.20	174.00	16.00	175.00
258 Golden Cham.....	303 April	29, 1911	338	4	1	8	1	3	4	332	7	116.25	46.75	32.70	16.25	97.50	335.00	10.00	325.00
259 Bethany.....	304 May	9, 1911	134	1	2	2	1	3	3	133	3	47.00	19.50	13.00	6.50	39.00	150.00	2.00	130.00
260 Ruth.....	305 May	13, 1911	341	14	1	13	1	3	3	336	12	120.40	48.60	32.40	16.20	97.20	334.00	28.00	324.00
261 Linday.....	306 June	13, 1911	246	3	6	6	1	3	6	236	7	83.40	35.10	23.40	11.70	70.20	334.00	6.00	234.00
262 Southland.....	307 Jan.	10, 1912	335	12	6	6	1	3	11	336	9	123.45	49.05	32.70	16.35	98.10	327.00	30.00	327.00
263 Mary E. Partridge.....	308 Jan.	19, 1912	100	1	1	9	1	3	3	165	12	96.55	40.95	27.30	13.65	81.90	273.00	2.00	273.00
264 Calkota.....	309 Feb.	17, 1912	164	5	3	2	1	4	3	160	3	58.50	24.00	16.00	8.00	48.00	160.00	10.00	160.00
265 Palos Verdes.....	310 Feb.	26, 1912	608	12	15	1	1	8	1	599	4	221.75	89.25	59.50	29.75	178.50	595.00	40.00	597.00
266 Imperial Crown.....	311 March	27, 1912	130	2	4	1	1	4	1	135	11	46.40	18.60	12.40	6.20	37.20	134.00	8.00	124.00
267 Kingsburg.....	312 July	11, 1912	172	4	3	5	1	5	5	169	3	61.60	24.90	16.60	8.30	49.80	166.00	10.00	166.00
268 Eagle Rock.....	313 Sept.	12, 1912	291	2	2	13	1	3	6	276	8	98.80	40.20	26.80	13.40	80.40	268.00	4.00	268.00
269 Willets.....	314 March	13, 1912	164	7	2	9	4	5	1	164	10	58.60	23.10	15.40	7.70	46.40	158.00	14.00	154.00
270 Moneta.....	315 Nov.	30, 1912	358	2	2	9	1	7	1	359	2	119.95	50.55	33.70	16.85	101.10	337.00	6.00	337.00
271 Alamo.....	316 Feb.	1, 1913	159	4	2	4	1	5	3	149	1	53.80	22.20	14.80	7.40	44.40	138.00	4.00	134.00
272 Rose Croix.....	317 March	10, 1913	198	6	5	7	1	2	8	189	5	68.40	27.60	18.40	9.20	55.20	184.00	12.00	184.00
273 Inglewood.....	319 May	10, 1913	529	6	2	30	1	12	6	494	4	177.00	73.50	49.00	24.50	147.00	490.00	16.00	493.00
274 Concordia.....	320 June	3, 1913	459	15	3	10	1	2	5	460	2	169.30	68.70	45.80	22.90	137.40	458.00	30.00	458.00
275 Portola.....	321 June	16, 1913	199	5	3	12	1	3	3	199	3	71.10	29.40	19.60	9.80	58.80	196.00	10.00	196.00
276 Maricopa.....	322 June	28, 1913	342	1	2	4	1	2	4	328	4	115.40	48.60	32.40	16.20	97.20	324.00	6.00	324.00
277 Maricopa.....	323 July	12, 1913	172	5	2	12	1	3	5	169	3	61.60	24.90	16.60	8.30	49.80	166.00	10.00	166.00
278 Claremont.....	324 March	4, 1914	155	2	3	3	1	3	1	156	2	67.55	35.95	17.30	8.65	51.90	173.00	4.00	173.00
279 La Puente.....	325 April	4, 1914	168	11	3	3	1	1	4	102	4	36.30	14.70	9.80	4.90	29.40	98.00	2.00	98.00
280 Wild Rose.....	326 April	22, 1914	345	1	3	1	1	1	3	359	1	139.30	53.70	35.80	17.90	107.40	358.00	50.00	358.00
281 Sunshine.....	327 May	12, 1914	411	20	8	1	1	2	3	421	1	77.20	31.65	21.10	10.55	63.30	211.00	12.00	211.00
283 Rowana.....	328 May	30, 1914	216	5	3	5	1	3	5	213	2	77.85	31.65	21.10	10.55	63.30	211.00	12.00	211.00
284 Chino Valley.....	329 July	21, 1914	172	6	4	10	1	6	7	197	6	143.35	58.65	39.10	19.55	117.30	391.00	24.00	393.00
285 Hayward.....	331 Sept.	23, 1914	407	11	3	1	3	2	2	221	4	79.95	32.55	21.70	10.85	65.10	217.00	16.00	217.00
286 Coronado.....	332 Oct.	14, 1914	219	5	3	1	1	2	2	193	4	69.05	27.45	18.30	9.15	54.90	183.00	4.00	184.00
287 El Rio.....	333 Dec.	5, 1914	192	2	1	1	1	2	2	184	2	65.20	27.30	18.20	9.10	54.60	182.00	4.00	182.00
288 Exeter.....	334 Feb.	26, 1915	187	2	1	2	1	3	6	378	4	128.55	53.30	35.30	17.65	105.90	375.00	18.00	357.00
289 Montello.....	335 March	17, 1915	359	6	4	9	1	3	6	378	4	128.55	53.30	35.30	17.65	105.90	375.00	18.00	357.00
290 Riverview.....	336 April	13, 1915	182	4	2	5	1	3	6	378	4	128.55	53.30	35.30	17.65	105.90	375.00	18.00	357.00
291 Taft.....	337 May	22, 1915	406	6	1	5	1	7	1	403	5	142.80	59.70	39.80	19.90	119.40	398.00	12.00	403.00
292 Van Nuys.....	338 Sept.	10, 1915	611	12	7	12	1	1	18	607	9	218.80	89.70	59.80	29.90	179.40	598.00	32.00	598.00

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293 Pentalfa.....	339	Dec.	29, 1915	238								240	2	90.30	35.70	23.80	11.90	71.40	238.00	26.00	238.00
294 Esparto.....	341	April	28, 1916	132								126	1	43.75	18.75	12.50	6.25	37.50	123.00		125.00
295 Mananita.....	342	May	9, 1916	235								234	4	86.50	34.50	23.00	11.50	69.00	230.00	20.00	230.00
296 York.....	343	June	13, 1916	207								194	7	66.95	28.05	18.70	9.35	56.10	187.00	6.00	187.00
297 Atascadero.....	344	Sept.	2, 1916	176								174	7	63.45	25.05	16.70	8.35	50.10	167.00	20.00	167.00
298 South West.....	345	Oct.	9, 1916	419								412	2	131.00	41.00	41.00	20.50	123.00	410.00	24.00	410.00
299 Upland.....	346	Nov.	23, 1916	240								251	5	94.60	36.90	24.60	12.30	73.80	246.00	28.00	248.00
300 Yorba Linda.....	347	Feb.	9, 1917	126								128	1	47.35	19.05	12.70	6.35	38.10	127.00	10.00	127.00
301 Joquima.....	348	April	16, 1917	319								309	4	110.35	45.75	30.50	15.25	91.50	305.00	14.00	305.00
302 Cacherville.....	349	June	24, 1918	138								129	4	47.15	19.15	12.90	6.45	38.70	129.00	8.00	129.00
303 Golden West.....	350	June	1, 1918	295								283	9	49.95	41.55	27.70	13.85	83.10	277.00	12.00	277.00
304 Tahquits.....	351	Sept.	21, 1918	206								212	2	79.50	31.50	21.00	10.50	63.00	210.00	12.00	210.00
305 Burbank.....	352	March	31, 1918	520								522	9	188.55	76.95	51.30	25.65	153.90	513.00	36.00	513.00
306 Pittsburg.....	353	June	26, 1919	520								310	11	106.15	44.85	29.90	14.95	89.70	299.00	18.00	299.00
307 Elysian.....	354	June	28, 1919	185								187	5	69.20	27.30	18.20	9.10	54.60	182.00	18.00	182.00
308 Golden Poppy.....	355	Aug.	4, 1919	510								507	9	183.80	74.70	49.80	24.90	149.40	498.00	36.00	498.00
309 Glen.....	357	Oct.	3, 1919	184								181	1	66.90	27.00	18.00	9.00	54.00	180.00	6.00	180.00
310 Corinthian.....	358	Dec.	15, 1919	543								538	4	194.40	80.10	53.40	26.70	160.20	534.00	24.00	537.00
311 Blithe.....	359	Dec.	30, 1919	200								206	2	78.40	30.60	20.40	10.20	61.20	204.00	8.00	204.00
312 Coachella Valley.....	360	Feb.	7, 1920	505								500	1	72.15	29.85	19.90	9.95	59.70	199.00	6.00	202.00
313 Fillmore.....	361	March	11, 1920	194								191	3	67.30	28.20	18.80	9.40	56.40	188.00	6.00	188.00
314 Liberte.....	362	May	12, 1920	337								341	6	122.75	50.25	33.50	16.75	100.50	335.00	22.00	335.00
315 Lyman.....	363	May	15, 1920	125								123	2	42.85	18.15	12.10	6.05	36.30	121.00	2.00	121.00
316 Buena Vista.....	364	July	9, 1920	178								173	3	63.55	23.95	17.30	8.65	51.90	173.00	8.00	173.00
317 Chowchilla.....	365	July	29, 1920	196								195	4	70.75	29.35	19.50	9.75	58.50	195.00	8.00	195.00
318 Alheta.....	366	Aug.	23, 1920	268								253	4	88.65	37.35	24.90	12.45	74.70	249.00	4.00	249.00
319 Ramona Star.....	367	Sept.	15, 1920	404								403	7	143.60	59.40	39.60	19.80	118.80	396.00	20.00	396.00
320 Arbutle.....	368	Sept.	21, 1920	127								124	2	42.70	18.30	12.20	6.10	36.60	122.00		122.00
321 Maxwell.....	369	Sept.	22, 1920	90								90	1	31.65	13.35	8.90	4.45	26.70	89.00		89.00
322 Corcoran.....	370	Nov.	30, 1920	171								166	3	58.10	24.90	16.60	8.30	49.80	166.00	2.00	166.00

323 Live Oak.....	371 April	13, 1921	98	2	1	1	2	2	3	96	8	32,30	13,20	8,80	4,40	26,40	88,00	6,00	88,00
324 Linden.....	372 May	2, 1921	97	1	1	2	2	2	2	94	6	33,40	14,10	9,40	4,70	28,20	94,00	2,00	94,00
325 Stockton.....	373 May	14, 1921	365	10	1	15	15	4	354	354	6	126,80	52,20	34,80	17,40	104,40	348,00	20,00	348,00
326 Lebanon.....	374 May	21, 1921	289	5	1	6	6	2	288	4	4	102,40	42,60	28,40	14,20	85,20	284,00	12,00	284,00
327 Thousand Oaks.....	375 May	27, 1921	461	4	1	9	9	4	448	8	8	136,50	66,00	44,00	22,00	132,00	440,00	8,00	440,00
328 Sunbeam.....	376 June	2, 1921	324	4	2	5	5	8	302	11	302	2, 106,00	45,00	30,00	15,00	90,00	300,00	4,00	78,00
329 Westwood.....	377 June	27, 1921	278	5	1	8	6	6	266	6	6	94,00	39,00	26,00	13,00	78,00	260,00	10,00	260,00
330 Kearsarge.....	378 July	9, 1921	215	4	1	6	6	2	208	2	2	74,60	30,90	20,60	10,30	61,80	206,00	10,00	206,00
331 Griffin.....	379 July	10, 1921	120	2	1	1	1	1	119	2	2	42,65	17,55	11,90	5,95	35,70	119,00	7,00	119,00
332 Torrance.....	380 July	30, 1921	410	11	4	11	11	3	406	9	9	146,45	59,55	50,70	25,35	119,10	397,00	22,00	397,00
333 McClelland.....	381 Sept.	3, 1921	420	1	2	5	5	1	127	1	1	45,60	18,90	12,60	6,30	37,80	126,00	6,00	126,00
334 Crocker.....	382 Sept.	9, 1921	420	6	7	7	7	1	416	5	5	170,35	61,65	41,10	20,55	123,30	411,00	14,00	411,00
335 Beacon.....	383 Sept.	9, 1921	368	2	1	3	3	1	361	5	5	126,10	51,40	35,60	17,80	106,80	356,00	6,00	356,00
336 Concord.....	384 Sept.	28, 1921	438	10	2	4	4	4	446	4	4	161,05	66,45	44,30	22,15	132,90	443,00	20,00	446,00
337 Rainbow.....	385 Oct.	13, 1921	614	12	1	17	17	3	597	11	11	211,60	87,90	58,60	29,30	175,80	586,00	24,00	587,00
338 Alameda.....	386 Nov.	30, 1921	333	10	1	20	20	8	311	8	8	112,10	45,90	30,60	15,30	91,80	306,00	20,00	309,00
339 Silver Strand.....	387 Dec.	17, 1921	420	8	6	28	28	5	399	7	7	144,20	58,80	39,20	19,60	117,60	392,00	18,00	392,00
340 Victoria.....	388 Feb.	11, 1922	130	4	1	3	3	11	129	1	1	47,30	19,20	12,80	6,40	38,40	128,00	10,00	128,00
341 Santa Ana.....	389 March	8, 1922	532	14	9	15	15	4	525	2	2	194,55	78,45	52,30	26,15	156,90	523,00	34,00	523,00
342 Fallbrook.....	390 March	9, 1922	146	4	5	1	1	3	148	2	2	55,60	21,90	14,60	7,30	43,80	146,00	12,00	146,00
343 Caletonia.....	391 March	13, 1922	490	10	5	13	13	3	482	9	9	173,05	70,95	47,30	23,65	141,90	473,00	22,00	473,00
344 Elfin Easton.....	392 April	24, 1922	226	9	1	12	12	2	219	4	4	80,25	32,25	21,50	10,75	64,50	215,00	18,00	215,00
345 Bell.....	393 May	2, 1922	544	9	7	2	6	2	546	6	6	197,00	81,00	54,00	27,00	162,00	540,00	18,00	547,70
346 Point.....	394 July	6, 1922	266	9	6	9	9	4	238	4	4	93,40	38,10	25,40	12,70	76,20	254,00	18,00	254,00
347 Culver City.....	395 July	27, 1922	434	18	6	1	1	5	441	8	8	163,55	64,95	43,30	21,65	129,90	433,00	46,00	433,00
348 Seal Rock.....	396 Aug.	11, 1922	268	4	1	10	10	4	259	5	5	91,40	38,10	25,40	12,70	76,20	254,00	10,00	254,00
349 Bellflower.....	397 Sept.	6, 1922	481	27	7	7	7	9	492	8	8	186,40	72,60	48,40	24,20	145,20	484,00	68,00	484,00
350 San Fernando.....	398 Sept.	30, 1922	555	16	1	5	5	6	559	13	13	199,60	81,90	54,60	27,30	163,80	546,00	34,00	546,00
351 Bettina.....	399 Oct.	11, 1922	597	2	2	9	9	1	578	2	2	205,10	86,40	57,60	28,80	172,80	576,00	10,00	576,00
352 Starlight.....	400 Dec.	23, 1922	185	2	6	1	10	1	383	10	10	134,55	55,95	37,30	18,65	111,90	373,00	6,00	378,45
353 Belvedere.....	401 Dec.	9, 1922	185	2	2	2	2	1	184	6	6	64,30	26,70	17,80	8,90	53,40	178,00	6,00	178,00
354 No. Hollywood.....	402 Feb.	16, 1923	613	18	7	2	11	11	603	5	5	221,80	89,70	59,80	29,90	179,40	598,00	44,00	604,20
355 Beverly Hills.....	403 Feb.	2, 1923	305	12	2	5	5	1	292	3	3	108,20	43,80	29,20	14,60	87,60	292,00	16,00	292,00
356 Ami Tai.....	405 March	23, 1923	200	12	2	15	15	4	204	3	3	77,35	30,15	20,10	10,05	60,30	201,00	20,00	201,00
357 Sileam.....	406 April	11, 1923	160	8	1	4	4	3	161	1	1	60,50	24,00	16,00	8,00	48,00	160,00	16,00	160,00
358 San Gabriel.....	407 April	27, 1923	291	5	4	6	6	3	280	3	3	99,45	41,55	27,70	13,85	83,10	277,00	10,00	277,00
359 America.....	408 June	16, 1923	195	4	7	8	8	2	184	11	11	62,35	25,95	17,30	8,65	51,90	173,00	8,00	173,00
360 George Washington.....	409 July	9, 1923	380	12	3	3	3	6	380	4	4	137,60	56,40	37,60	18,80	112,80	376,00	24,00	376,00
361 Lake Merritt.....	410 July	10, 1923	308	3	5	299	299	6	299	6	6	104,55	43,95	29,30	14,65	87,90	293,00	8,00	293,00
362 West Adams.....	411 July	27, 1923	207	2	2	198	198	5	198	5	5	69,55	28,95	19,30	9,65	57,90	193,00	4,00	193,00
363 Estrella.....	412 Aug.	4, 1923	616	13	6	15	15	12	601	14	14	214,95	88,05	58,70	29,35	176,10	587,00	28,00	587,00
364 Cahuenga.....	413 Aug.	8, 1923	287	3	1	6	6	3	280	1	1	100,65	41,85	27,90	13,95	83,70	279,00	12,00	279,00
365 Service.....	414 Aug.	12, 1923	427	10	1	1	1	4	427	5	5	153,55	63,45	42,30	21,15	126,90	423,00	20,00	432,70
366 Loma Vista.....	415 Aug.	17, 1923	295	6	1	4	4	3	295	5	5	105,00	43,50	29,00	14,50	87,00	290,00	12,00	290,00
367 Smyrna.....	416 Aug.	18, 1923	183	8	1	2	2	3	187	4	4	68,55	27,45	18,30	9,15	54,90	183,00	18,00	183,00

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368 Patterson.....	417	Oct.	12, 1923	222		4			2		1		2	221		7	76.90	32.10	21.40	10.70	64.20	214.00	8.00	214.00
369 Arlington.....	418	Nov.	17, 1923	196		7	4						2	195		5	72.00	28.50	19.00	9.50	57.00	190.00	14.00	190.00
370 Fort Sutter.....	420	Nov.	30, 1923	318		14			3		3		5	320		7	117.05	46.95	31.30	15.65	93.90	313.00	28.00	313.00
371 Radiant.....	421	Jan.	19, 1924	166		7	1						5	155		2	53.70	22.80	15.20	7.60	45.60	152.00	2.00	152.00
372 Glenale.....	422	Jan.	19, 1924	420		7	1				3		6	408		2	144.50	60.00	40.00	20.00	120.00	400.00	16.00	400.00
373 Plymouth.....	423	Jan.	31, 1924	183		4	1	1					3	179		1	64.80	26.70	17.80	8.90	53.40	178.00	8.00	178.00
374 Nimble.....	424	Feb.	9, 1924	207		3							5	199		12	65.45	28.05	18.70	9.35	56.10	187.00		187.00
375 Playa Linda.....	425	March	11, 1924	242		15	2				7		5	240		3	91.45	55.55	33.70	11.85	71.10	237.00	30.00	237.00
376 Security.....	426	March	10, 1924	382		15	5						5	384		4	143.00	57.00	38.00	19.00	114.00	380.00	34.00	380.00
377 Seaport.....	427	March	29, 1924	216		4	1				3		4	207		4	75.55	30.45	20.30	10.15	60.90	203.00	30.00	203.00
378 El Camino.....	428	March	31, 1924	513		10	6				4		9	500		4	182.65	74.85	49.90	24.95	149.70	499.00	24.00	499.00
379 El Cañon.....	429	May	17, 1924	550		16	12				12		4	549		4	204.75	81.75	54.50	27.25	163.50	545.00	40.00	545.00
380 El Sereno.....	430	June	2, 1924	261		12							4	262		2	97.00	39.00	26.00	13.00	78.00	260.00	24.00	260.00
381 Smartville.....	431	June	14, 1924	151		4	1				2		4	143		1	52.20	21.30	14.20	7.10	42.60	142.00	8.00	142.00
382 Forest.....	432	June	21, 1924	145		4	2				5		6	140		4	48.60	20.40	13.60	6.80	40.80	136.00	2.00	136.00
383 Foothill.....	433	July	29, 1924	584		11	1						2	573		5	204.80	85.20	56.80	28.40	170.40	568.00	22.00	568.00
384 Trinity.....	434	Aug.	2, 1924	188		1	4				2		6	180		2	62.80	26.70	17.80	8.90	53.40	178.00	2.00	178.00
385 Searchlight.....	435	Aug.	12, 1924	433		3	4						6	432		10	152.70	63.30	42.20	21.10	126.60	422.00	16.00	422.00
386 Sunnyside.....	436	Dec.	15, 1924	431		6	4				3		4	419		7	149.10	62.40	41.60	20.80	124.80	416.00	6.00	420.00
387 Ascot.....	437	Jan.	30, 1925	281		3	1				8		5	276		3	96.15	40.35	26.90	13.45	80.70	269.00	6.00	269.00
388 Lynwood.....	438	Feb.	19, 1925	384		11	6						2	386		3	142.55	57.45	38.30	19.15	114.90	383.00	28.00	383.00
389 Guardian.....	439	Feb.	19, 1925	690		16	1				8		5	686		3	247.53	102.45	68.30	34.15	204.90	683.00	34.00	683.00
390 Fireside.....	440	Feb.	27, 1925	136		2	3						3	136		1	49.75	20.25	13.50	6.75	40.50	135.00	10.00	135.00
391 Utopia.....	441	March	9, 1925	129		1					2		9	125		3	44.25	18.75	12.50	6.25	37.50	125.00	2.00	125.00
392 Granada.....	442	March	25, 1925	414		17	2						6	415		3	133.70	61.80	41.20	20.60	121.60	412.00	38.00	412.00
393 White Park.....	443	March	26, 1925	277		6	4				1		5	277		6	99.85	40.65	27.10	13.55	81.30	271.00	18.00	271.00
394 Whittier.....	444	April	18, 1925	464		8	2						13	454		6	161.80	87.20	44.80	22.40	134.40	448.00	30.00	454.00
395 Tulunga.....	445	April	29, 1925	247		6	7						6	245		4	90.35	36.15	24.10	12.05	73.30	241.00	20.00	241.00
396 Lonic.....	446	April	27, 1925	488		49	6				10		4	522		10	207.20	76.80	51.20	25.60	153.60	512.00	110.00	512.00
397 Escallonia.....	447	May	6, 1925	199		2	8						6	199		7	74.65	29.85	19.90	9.95	59.70	199.00	6.00	199.00

398 Temple City.....	448 May	7, 1925	331	2	3	2	6	9	315	112.75	47.25	31.50	15.75	94.50	315.00	6.00	315.00	
399 Manchester.....	449 May	18, 1925	374	11	1	2	2	9	367	132.70	54.30	36.20	18.10	108.60	362.00	24.00	370.70	
400 North Star.....	450 May	29, 1925	183	2		9	9	9	183	65.05	27.45	18.30	9.15	54.90	183.00	4.00	183.00	
401 Liberty.....	451 June	24, 1925	128	1	2	1		2	109	38.25	15.75	10.50	5.25	31.50	105.00	2.00	105.00	
402 Canoga.....	452 June	7, 1925	293	12	8	4		9	299	3	113.60	44.40	29.60	14.80	88.80	296.00	34.00	296.00
403 Santa Maria.....	453 July	18, 1925	163	1	2	6	6		159	57.15	23.85	15.90	7.95	47.70	159.00	4.00	159.00	
404 Harding.....	454 Aug.	4, 1925	124						117	40.60	17.40	11.60	5.80	34.80	116.00		116.00	
405 Elmhurst.....	455 Aug.	7, 1925	427	9	2	2	6	5	423	4	152.15	62.85	41.90	20.95	125.70	41.90	18.00	419.00
406 Triangle.....	456 Aug.	10, 1925	394	24	5	2	5	6	411	3	157.30	61.20	40.80	20.40	122.40	408.00	52.00	412.00
407 Caliz de Oro.....	457 Feb.	11, 1926	331						220	57.25	32.25	21.50	10.75	64.50	215.00		215.00	
408 Chula Vista.....	458 Feb.	13, 1926	576	19	5	25	10		558	2	206.60	83.40	55.60	27.80	166.80	556.00	42.00	556.00
409 Wilmington.....	459 Feb.	27, 1926	375	11					372	5	133.95	55.05	36.70	18.35	110.10	367.00	22.00	370.45
410 Justice.....	460 April	5, 1926	205	7	3	3		6	187	1	70.10	27.90	18.60	9.30	55.80	186.00	20.00	186.00
411 Larchmont.....	461 May	7, 1926	205	6	5	1	1	2	213	3	80.05	31.95	21.30	10.65	63.90	213.00	14.00	213.00
412 The Gardens.....	462 May	8, 1926	316	5	1	1	6	4	313	6	110.45	46.05	30.70	15.35	92.10	307.00	10.00	310.00
413 Roseland.....	463 June	28, 1926	147	5	2	1		1	145	4	52.85	21.35	14.10	7.05	42.30	141.00	10.00	141.00
414 Melrose.....	464 July	29, 1926	233	3	3	1		6	125	6	44.65	17.85	11.90	5.95	35.70	119.00	8.00	119.00
415 Melra.....	465 July	30, 1926	238	7	2	1		3	242	4	87.80	35.70	23.80	11.90	71.40	238.00	14.00	241.95
416 Star of the West.....	466 July	31, 1926	356	9	11	8		7	356	3	133.55	52.95	35.30	17.65	105.90	34.00	353.00	
417 Hawthorne.....	467 Aug.	10, 1926	439	13	1	11		3	433	6	157.45	64.05	42.70	21.35	128.10	32.00	427.00	
418 Roosevelt.....	468 Aug.	18, 1926	434	15	1		12	9	435	1	163.90	65.10	43.40	21.70	130.20	43.40	2.00	434.00
419 Arcadia.....	469 Aug.	18, 1926	434	15	1	6	6	3	420	1	97.15	40.35	26.90	13.45	80.70	26.90	12.00	269.00
420 Brilliant Star.....	470 Oct.	12, 1926	273	5	1	4	2	6	273	1	100.70	40.80	27.20	13.60	81.60	272.90	18.00	281.65
421 East Pasadena.....	471 Nov.	20, 1926	270	7	3	7		6	273	3	120.45	49.05	32.70	16.35	98.10	32.00	20.00	327.00
422 Palisades.....	472 Jan.	15, 1927	333	9	3	1		5	333	4	54.85	22.65	15.10	7.55	45.30	151.00	8.00	151.00
423 Malta.....	473 Jan.	21, 1927	156	3	2	6		4	155	2	62.00	25.50	17.00	8.50	51.00	170.00	8.00	170.00
424 Bethel.....	474 Feb.	9, 1927	178	2	3	6	6	1	172	2	62.00	25.50	17.00	8.50	51.00	170.00	8.00	170.00
425 Florence.....	475 Feb.	12, 1927	207	5	3	4		3	274	5	98.15	40.35	26.90	13.45	80.70	26.90	12.00	269.00
426 Normal Heights.....	476 Feb.	18, 1927	408	10	1	5	18	3	393	1	142.70	58.80	39.20	19.60	117.60	392.00	20.00	392.00
427 La Jolla.....	477 March	7, 1927	234	8	9	1	6	2	243	1	93.20	36.30	24.20	12.10	72.60	24.00	4.00	212.00
428 Majestic.....	478 April	12, 1927	331	1	1			2	223	11	75.20	31.80	21.20	10.60	63.60	21.00	4.00	212.00
429 Presidio.....	479 April	14, 1927	332	12	2	8		5	322	3	117.65	47.85	31.90	15.95	95.70	31.00	24.00	299.00
430 Sanger.....	480 April	26, 1927	314	2	3	5	3	5	302	3	105.65	44.85	29.60	14.95	89.70	29.00	4.00	299.00
431 Garden Grove.....	481 April	28, 1927	288	9	5	1		3	290	4	107.10	42.90	28.80	14.30	85.80	28.00	22.00	288.00
432 Prudence.....	482 May	26, 1927	137	3	3	4	4	2	139	3	45.95	19.05	12.70	6.35	38.10	12.00	6.00	177.00
433 Big Bear.....	483 June	38, 1927	249	13	5	6	3	3	259	3	99.30	38.70	25.80	12.90	77.40	25.00	26.00	258.00
434 Glassell Park.....	484 July	13, 1927	242	3	5	6	6	2	234	2	85.90	35.10	23.40	11.70	70.20	23.00	12.00	234.00
435 White Pine.....	485 July	25, 1927	165	2		4	4	8	162	2	57.00	24.00	16.00	8.00	48.00	16.00	4.00	160.00
436 Orange Blossom.....	486 Aug.	16, 1927	415	11		5	5	6	407	2	145.85	60.15	40.10	20.05	120.30	40.00	22.00	401.00
437 Waco.....	487 Aug.	1, 1927	222	8	1	10		1	218	3	70.75	21.50	10.75	4.00	64.30	21.00	18.00	215.00
438 Point Loma.....	489 Oct.	14, 1927	526	9	5	2	14	5	513	2	185.85	76.65	51.10	25.55	153.30	51.00	24.00	511.00
439 Palms.....	490 Nov.	5, 1927	227	3	3	4	10	2	211	4	74.95	31.05	20.70	10.35	62.10	20.00	10.00	207.00
440 Henry S. Orme.....	491 Dec.	5, 1927	227	3	3	1		2	206	1	74.25	30.75	20.50	10.25	61.50	20.00	10.00	209.20
441 Jarnatt.....	492 May	14, 1928	479	6	7	23		7	456	2	165.40	68.10	45.40	22.70	136.20	45.00	16.00	454.00

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442 Crescenta Valley....	494 June	4, 1928	334		3	2		8		1		4	326	3	115.55	48.45	32.30	16.15	96.90	323.00	323.00	10.00	323.00
443 Beacon Ray.....	495 June	14, 1928	163		2		2	2				3	160		57.00	24.00	16.00	4.00	48.00	160.00	160.00	4.00	160.00
444 Menorah.....	496 June	16, 1928	100		3	2		1				7	101	3	35.80	14.70	9.80	4.90	29.40	98.00	98.00	6.00	98.00
445 Menorah.....	497 June	16, 1928	390		3			1				7	387		137.95	58.05	38.70	19.35	116.10	387.00	387.00	8.00	387.00
446 Composite.....	498 June	21, 1928	254		23	2						1	275		107.75	41.25	27.50	13.75	82.50	275.00	275.00	4.00	275.00
447 El Dorado.....	499 June	30, 1928	177		1							1	176	1	61.75	26.25	17.50	8.75	52.50	175.00	175.00	2.00	175.00
448 Jordan.....	500 July	12, 1928	234		8			3		4		2	233		85.90	35.10	23.40	11.70	70.20	234.00	234.00	16.00	236.00
449 Santa Barbara.....	501 July	14, 1928	350		14	3	2	3				3	343	5	128.90	51.60	34.40	17.20	103.20	344.00	344.00	30.00	344.00
450 All States.....	502 Aug.	8, 1928	352		7			7		6		8	342		133.70	51.30	34.20	17.10	102.60	342.00	342.00	16.00	342.00
451 Olivette.....	503 Aug.	13, 1928	203		12	1		7		2		4	203	6	75.45	29.55	19.70	9.85	59.10	197.00	197.00	2.00	199.00
452 Rosa M. Shattuck.....	504 Aug.	15, 1928	172		1	2		5				7	169		60.65	25.35	16.90	8.45	50.70	169.00	169.00	2.00	169.00
453 Reseda.....	505 April	1, 1929	422		15	3		13		7		7	414	5	122.65	40.90	20.45	12.70	122.70	409.00	409.00	34.00	409.00
454 Brea.....	506 April	12, 1929	265		5	3		3		4		2	255		62.45	25.05	16.70	8.35	50.10	167.00	167.00	14.00	167.00
455 El Perol.....	507 April	22, 1929	265		4			5	2			2	219	3	91.25	38.25	25.50	12.75	76.50	255.00	255.00	8.00	255.00
456 La Habra.....	508 April	24, 1929	217		4	6		6		1		2	158	1	80.60	32.40	21.60	10.80	64.80	216.00	216.00	12.00	217.00
457 San Dimas.....	509 April	25, 1929	160		8	2		7				3	162	1	59.95	23.55	15.70	7.85	47.10	157.00	157.00	10.00	157.00
458 Woodlake.....	510 April	27, 1929	158		8			8				3	162	2	60.70	24.30	16.20	8.10	48.60	162.00	162.00	10.00	162.00
459 Mar Vista.....	511 April	30, 1929	161		7	20		8		8		8	561	2	207.65	83.85	55.90	27.95	187.70	559.00	559.00	42.00	559.00
460 Point Pinpoint.....	512 May	4, 1929	119		5	6		6				7	312	2	114.00	46.50	31.00	15.50	93.00	310.00	310.00	14.00	310.00
461 Temple.....	513 May	11, 1929	355		6	4		6		4		5	352	3	127.15	52.35	34.90	17.45	104.70	349.00	349.00	18.00	349.00
462 Fairb.....	514 July	19, 1929	276		10			4				4	278		102.30	41.70	27.80	13.90	83.40	278.00	278.00	20.00	278.00
463 San Geronimo.....	515 July	31, 1929	343		7	5		8		9		5	254	4	94.90	38.10	25.40	12.70	76.20	254.00	254.00	16.00	254.00
464 Holly Vista.....	516 Aug.	3, 1929	178		8	2		7		1		5	163	1	120.65	49.35	32.90	16.45	98.70	162.00	162.00	14.00	162.00
465 Betsey Ross.....	517 Aug.	7, 1929	178		7	3		6		2		5	175	1	64.75	26.25	17.50	8.75	52.50	175.00	175.00	8.00	175.00
466 Encina.....	518 March	19, 1930	137		3			4				4	140	1	51.65	20.85	13.90	6.95	41.70	139.00	139.00	12.00	139.00
468 Wil-Brea.....	520 May	3, 1930	185		1	1		1	1			4	174	2	61.20	25.80	17.20	8.60	51.60	172.00	172.00	4.00	172.00
469 Laguna Beach.....	521 June	11, 1930	178		5	3		2				3	181	1	67.65	26.85	17.90	8.95	53.70	179.00	179.00	14.00	179.00
470 Atwater.....	522 June	17, 1930	240		3	5		2				3	241		87.35	36.15	24.10	12.05	72.30	241.00	241.00	10.00	241.00
471 Vallejo.....	523 July	19, 1930	92		1			4				2	89		32.65	13.35	8.90	4.45	26.70	89.00	89.00	4.00	89.00

472 San Clemente.....	524 May	5, 1930	138	4	7	5	1	2	141	54.85	21.15	14.10	7.05	42.30	141.00	141.00
473 Cambria Pines.....	525 Oct.	4, 1930	113	6	2	2	2	4	316	5	116.35	46.65	31.10	15.55	93.30	311.00
474 Alameda.....	526 March	14, 1931	314	9	6	1	4	3	316	5	116.35	46.65	31.10	15.55	93.30	311.00
475 Baldwin Park.....	527 April	30, 1931	236	14	1	6	4	4	238	2	90.10	35.40	23.60	11.80	70.80	236.00
476 Ojai.....	528 April	16, 1932	137	5	4	2	3	2	145	2	54.55	21.45	14.30	7.15	42.90	143.00
477 Laurelne.....	529 July	14, 1933	321	7	3	5	3	3	315	1	114.90	47.10	31.40	15.70	94.20	314.00
478 Willow Glen.....	530 Nov.	10, 1933	391	6	6	2	15	5	385	4	139.35	57.15	38.10	19.05	114.30	381.00
479 Livingston.....	531 Dec.	29, 1933	186	1	2	3	2	2	180	3	63.50	27.00	18.00	9.00	54.00	180.00
480 Modesto.....	532 March	10, 1934	333	14	1	9	8	3	333	3	122.50	49.50	33.00	16.50	99.00	330.00
481 Sterling.....	533 June	4, 1934	124	2	1	6	2	4	111	3	39.85	16.65	11.10	5.55	33.30	111.00
482 Venu.....	534 June	8, 1934	134	2	1	12	1	4	135	1	48.40	20.10	13.40	6.70	40.20	134.00
483 Westwood Hills.....	535 July	30, 1934	316	7	4	1	5	5	309	6	111.20	45.30	30.20	15.10	90.60	302.00
484 Victor Valley.....	537 Oct.	6, 1934	258	4	3	1	7	7	250	6	88.90	36.60	24.40	12.20	73.20	244.00
485 Tulelake.....	539 May	31, 1937	164	2	4	1	4	4	157	5	53.95	23.55	15.70	7.85	47.10	157.00
486 Elis. B. Wheeler.....	540 Dec.	30, 1937	126	2	3	1	1	2	124	2	44.40	18.60	12.40	6.20	37.20	124.00
487 Estrellita.....	541 July	1, 1938	150	8	3	10	1	1	151	2	57.65	22.35	14.90	7.45	44.70	149.00
488 Seal Beach.....	542 Sept.	27, 1939	184	7	3	10	1	7	182	4	68.70	27.30	18.20	9.10	54.60	182.00
489 Windsor.....	543 Jan.	27, 1940	141	9	7	5	6	5	141	3	67.00	27.00	18.00	9.00	54.00	180.00
490 Nova Dies.....	544 July	17, 1940	184	4	4	1	1	7	183	3	67.00	27.00	18.00	9.00	54.00	180.00
491 Dos Palos.....	545 Sept.	7, 1940	166	2	3	9	2	3	160	2	56.30	23.70	15.80	7.90	47.40	158.00
492 Barstow.....	546 Oct.	4, 1940	320	5	3	15	4	4	144	2	114.25	47.25	31.50	15.75	94.50	315.00
493 Seal Lake.....	547 Mar.	8, 1941	154	6	11	5	3	1	156	3	56.55	22.95	15.30	7.65	45.90	153.00
494 Arrowhead.....	548 April	29, 1941	454	34	11	14	10	5	475	4	187.35	70.65	47.10	23.55	141.30	471.00
495 Paradise.....	549 June	13, 1941	326	20	12	6	5	7	342	1	135.35	51.15	34.10	17.05	102.30	341.00
496 Albany.....	550 Jan.	28, 1942	333	3	3	10	1	5	319	2	113.95	47.55	31.70	15.85	95.10	317.00
497 San Carlos.....	551 Jan.	29, 1942	325	5	10	1	6	3	322	3	119.15	47.85	31.90	15.95	95.70	319.00
498 Mountain View.....	552 Oct.	7, 1944	152	7	6	11	4	4	144	8	53.90	21.60	14.40	7.20	43.20	144.00
499 Campbell.....	553 Oct.	12, 1944	321	12	6	11	7	7	321	11	118.55	46.95	31.30	15.65	93.90	313.00
500 San Marino.....	554 April	25, 1945	262	5	6	13	2	6	252	1	93.70	37.80	25.20	12.60	75.60	252.00
501 La Sierra.....	555 June	12, 1945	387	14	6	14	6	6	383	3	144.05	57.45	38.30	19.15	114.90	383.00
502 Star of Viera.....	556 Sept.	14, 1945	300	5	3	16	2	2	289	2	104.80	43.20	28.80	14.40	86.40	288.00
503 Fort Millerton.....	557 Jan.	23, 1946	278	7	2	1	4	4	274	2	99.70	40.80	27.20	13.60	81.60	272.00
504 Desert Holly.....	558 March	22, 1947	354	16	3	5	3	3	361	1	135.15	53.85	35.90	17.95	107.70	359.00
505 Oildale.....	559 May	20, 1947	214	12	2	1	2	1	218	2	81.95	32.55	21.70	10.85	65.10	217.00
506 Yucaipa Valley.....	560 July	16, 1947	173	11	3	1	1	18	181	1	70.00	27.00	18.00	9.00	54.00	180.00
507 Emery.....	561 July	17, 1947	322	1	21	9	1	4	317	1	121.60	47.40	31.60	15.80	94.80	316.00
508 Menalto.....	562 Aug.	30, 1947	155	15	3	1	4	1	172	2	68.50	25.50	17.00	8.50	51.00	170.00
509 San Juan.....	563 April	27, 1948	238	17	6	4	6	4	253	3	100.05	37.95	25.30	12.65	75.90	253.00
510 Redwood Empire.....	564 Aug.	18, 1948	145	2	2	1	4	2	143	2	51.35	21.35	14.10	7.05	42.30	141.00
511 Palomar.....	565 Sept.	13, 1948	310	15	10	4	3	3	326	1	126.25	48.75	32.50	16.25	97.50	325.00
512 Santa Ynez Valley.....	566 April	27, 1949	125	4	3	1	4	4	122	4	46.20	18.30	12.20	6.10	36.60	122.00
513 Rossmore.....	567 July	9, 1949	308	8	3	10	2	2	307	2	71.65	28.35	18.90	9.45	56.70	189.00
514 Harbor San.....	568 July	8, 1949	303	11	3	10	5	1	309	2	116.75	45.75	30.50	15.25	91.50	305.00
515 Westchester.....	569 Sept.	24, 1949	237	9	2	3	5	5	236	1	88.10	35.40	23.60	11.80	70.80	236.00

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516 Catalina Island.....	570 Jan. 28, 1950	86	2	1		2					85	11.25	12.75	12.75	14.70	4.25	25.50	85.00	4.00	85.00
517 Chabot.....	571 March 15, 1950	134	9	1		5		7		4	148	56.45	22.95	14.70	14.70	4.25	25.50	85.00	18.00	147.00
518 Castro Valley.....	572 May 25, 1950	215	11		1	2		3		3	218	87.55	34.95	23.30	11.65	69.90	69.90	233.00	24.00	234.00
519 San Antonio.....	573 June 28, 1950	196	11	2		2		4		1	192	68.70	28.80	19.20	9.60	57.60	57.60	192.00	2.00	192.00
520 El Gablan.....	574 July 14, 1950	175	11	1	4			4		2	187	72.95	28.05	18.70	9.35	56.10	56.10	187.00	28.00	191.00
521 Santa Anita.....	575 July 14, 1950	149	8	1		2		2		4	151	52.35	22.65	15.10	7.55	45.30	45.30	151.00	16.00	156.00
522 Palin Springs.....	576 March 15, 1951	238	8	5		4				2	235	88.40	35.10	23.40	11.70	70.20	70.20	234.00	22.00	234.00
523 San Lorenzo.....	577 March 29, 1951	282	15	1	8			4		2	279	103.95	41.55	27.70	13.85	83.10	83.10	277.00	28.00	277.00
524 Kim of the World.....	578 April 16, 1951	128	15	5		1		4		1	135	52.55	19.95	13.30	6.65	39.90	39.90	133.00	14.00	133.00
525 San Miguel.....	579 May 3, 1951	306	14	3	13			2		4	305	115.55	45.45	30.30	13.15	90.90	90.90	305.00	36.00	305.00
526 Castrolille.....	580 Sept. 17, 1951	91	5		6			9		3	76	28.10	11.40	7.60	14.50	22.80	22.80	76.00	6.00	76.00
527 Carmel.....	581 Sept. 18, 1951	153	4		3			3		1	149	52.75	21.75	14.50	7.25	43.50	43.50	145.00	8.00	145.00
528 Mendias.....	582 Jan. 30, 1952	93	2	7		3		3		4	98	38.80	14.70	9.80	4.90	29.40	29.40	98.00	12.00	98.00
529 Crystal Springs.....	583 Feb. 18, 1952	192	15	4		6		6			199	79.15	29.85	19.90	9.95	59.70	59.70	199.00	32.00	199.00
530 La Paz.....	584 May 1, 1952	192	12	2	3			3			200	77.00	30.00	20.00	10.00	60.00	60.00	200.00	24.00	200.00
531 Mountain Star.....	585 June 20, 1952	94	3							2	95	34.75	14.25	9.50	4.75	28.50	28.50	95.00	6.00	95.00
532 Vista Carrito.....	586 Aug. 25, 1952	153	8		6			1			154	57.20	22.80	15.20	7.60	45.60	45.60	152.00	16.00	152.00
533 Estero Bay.....	587 Sept. 9, 1952	185	11	6		2		1		4	195	76.05	28.95	19.30	9.65	57.90	57.90	193.00	22.00	193.00
534 San Ramon Valley.....	588 Jan. 31, 1953	146	5		5			1			139	50.15	20.85	13.90	6.95	41.70	41.70	139.00	6.00	139.00
535 Belmont Shore.....	589 Feb. 14, 1953	178	15	2	6			5		1	173	63.35	25.65	17.10	8.55	51.30	51.30	171.00	14.00	171.00
536 Silver Chalice.....	590 Aug. 28, 1953	236	15	8	16			3			238	93.80	35.70	23.80	11.90	71.40	71.40	238.00	34.00	238.00
537 Lomita.....	591 Oct. 8, 1953	293	17	5		3		2		4	298	108.95	44.55	29.70	14.85	89.10	89.10	297.00	18.00	297.00
538 Home.....	592 Oct. 9, 1953	275	16	6	1		2				285	110.75	42.75	28.50	14.25	85.50	85.50	285.00	42.00	286.00
539 Rising Star.....	593 Aug. 16, 1954	212	26	8		4		8		2	232	97.50	34.50	23.00	11.50	69.00	69.00	230.00	48.00	230.00
540 Fairfax.....	594 Aug. 21, 1954	218	2		1			1		1	250	90.00	37.50	25.00	12.50	75.00	75.00	250.00	6.00	250.00
541 Mono.....	595 Aug. 23, 1954	234	11	2		1		1		5	131	50.00	19.50	13.00	6.50	39.00	39.00	130.00	18.00	130.00
542 Riata.....	596 Aug. 25, 1954	254	13		1			1			263	99.20	39.30	26.20	13.10	78.60	78.60	262.00	28.00	262.00
543 Fuchsia.....	597 Aug. 26, 1954	256	12	3		1		6			267	100.15	40.05	26.70	13.35	80.10	80.10	267.00	28.00	267.00
544 Magnolia Park.....	598 Aug. 28, 1954	192	7	5		2		4		3	194	70.15	28.15	18.90	9.70	58.30	58.30	194.00	20.00	194.00
545 Clifford Lee.....	599 Sept. 20, 1954	190	5	3	1			3		2	189	73.90	29.10	19.60	9.80	58.70	58.70	189.00	12.00	191.00
546 Harbor Lights.....	600 May 28, 1955	432	5	12	30			46	1	9	461	170.00	69.00	46.00	23.00	138.00	138.00	460.00	28.00	460.00
547 Morningide.....	601 June 23, 1955	185	17	4	7			3		1	196	79.10	29.40	19.60	9.80	58.80	58.80	196.00	38.00	196.00
548 Desert Star.....	602 June 29, 1955	156	8	7	4			2		1	166	56.60	21.90	14.60	7.30	43.80	43.80	146.00	18.00	146.00
549 Arvin.....	603 June 29, 1955	153	8	5	4			3		1	134	51.40	20.10	13.40	6.70	40.20	40.20	134.00	16.00	134.00
550 Del Mar.....	604 July 8, 1955	118	5	2	3			1		1	118	44.80	17.70	11.80	5.90	35.40	35.40	118.00	10.00	118.00
551 Mission Bell.....	605 Aug. 29, 1955	115	13	4	5			1		1	124	51.90	18.60	12.40	6.20	37.20	37.20	124.00	26.00	124.00
552 Pacific Beach.....	606 Sept. 21, 1955	198	4	1		1		2		1	199	72.15	29.85	19.90	9.95	59.70	59.70	199.00	10.00	199.00

553 West Covina.....	607 Sept.	22, 1955	157	14	2	6	10	1	156	62.60	23.40	15.60	7.80	46.80	156.00	28.00	156.00
554 Sojourner.....	608 Sept.	26, 1955	133	12	1			1	146	57.60	21.90	14.60	7.30	43.80	146.00	26.00	146.00
555 Noyan.....	609 Oct.	5, 1955	202	8	4	7	1	1	205	76.70	30.30	20.20	10.10	60.60	202.00	18.00	202.00
556 Lake Tahoe.....	610 Oct.	5, 1955	108		2				106	38.10	15.90	10.60	5.30	31.80	106.00	2.00	106.00
557 Noel.....	611 June	29, 1956	123	6	5	4	2	1	128	50.30	19.50	12.80	6.40	38.40	128.00	12.00	128.00
558 Heritage.....	612 June	30, 1956	103	4			1		103	38.05	15.45	10.30	5.25	30.90	103.00	8.00	104.00
559 Century.....	613 Aug.	7, 1956	158	1		3	2	1	154	74.40	23.10	15.40	7.70	46.20	154.00	2.00	154.00
560 Hacienda.....	614 Aug.	8, 1956	175	8	1	2	2	2	179	66.45	26.55	17.70	8.85	53.10	177.00	16.00	177.00
561 Pelton.....	615 Oct.	10, 1956	73		3	6		1	69	25.65	10.35	6.90	3.45	20.70	69.00		69.00
562 Granada Hills.....	616 March 21, 1957	100	10	2	2		2		109	44.15	16.35	10.90	5.45	32.70	109.00	20.00	109.00
563 Star of Lakewood.....	617 March 23, 1957	131	6	5	4	1			139	53.15	20.85	13.90	6.95	41.70	139.00	16.00	139.00
564 Parva Stella.....	618 Aug.	6, 1956	89	4	2				91	34.85	13.65	9.10	4.55	27.30	91.00	8.00	91.00
565 Star of Palmdale.....	619 Oct.	7, 1957	197	7		4		5	193	71.05	28.95	19.30	9.65	57.90	193.00	14.00	193.00
566 San Diego.....	620 March 11, 1958	186	9	6	2			4	191	74.35	28.65	19.10	9.55	57.30	191.00	24.00	191.00
567 The Valley.....	621 April 26, 1958	89	8		4	4			95	38.25	14.25	9.50	4.75	28.50	95.00	16.00	95.00
568 Riverside.....	622 April 30, 1958	249	17	8	1	3	6	2	264	104.90	39.60	26.40	13.20	79.20	264.00	42.00	265.00
569 La Mirada.....	623 May 14, 1958	89	7				2		91	35.35	13.65	9.10	4.55	27.30	91.00	14.00	91.00
570 El Rancho.....	624 Sept.	15, 1958	126	7	1	1			134	50.90	20.10	13.40	6.70	40.20	134.00	16.00	135.00
571 Westminster.....	625 April 23, 1959	121	1				1		121	42.85	18.15	12.10	6.05	36.30	121.00	2.00	121.00
572 In Shallah.....	626 Aug. 4, 1959	135	16	1		2			147	59.95	22.05	14.70	7.35	44.10	147.00	32.00	147.00
573 Chito.....	627 Feb. 16, 1960	126	9	6			1		140	56.50	21.00	14.00	7.00	42.00	140.00	18.00	140.00
574 Paramount.....	628 March 26, 1960	98	13	1		3			107	44.10	15.90	10.60	5.30	31.80	106.00	28.00	106.00
575 Yucca Valley.....	629 Aug. 2, 1960	98	5	12				2	114	48.40	17.10	11.40	5.70	34.20	114.00	12.00	114.00
576 Joshua Tree.....	630 March 14, 1961	78	10	1				1	89	36.65	13.35	8.90	4.45	26.70	89.00	20.00	89.00
577 Rio Linda.....	631 July 22, 1961	72	10	2				1	83	35.05	12.55	8.30	4.15	24.90	83.00	20.00	83.00
578 Conejo Valley.....	UD Sept. 11, 1961		38	30					68	47.80	10.20	6.80	3.40	20.40	68.00	92.00	68.00
579 Desert Candle.....	UD May 21, 1963		42	32					74	36.95	11.10	7.40	3.70	22.20	74.00	114.00	74.00
580 Santa Rosa.....	UD June 6, 1963		43	66				1	108	61.40	16.20	10.80	5.40	32.40	108.00	122.00	108.00
581 Orinda.....	UD June 7, 1963		30	32					62	31.85	9.30	6.20	3.10	18.60	62.00	80.00	62.00

GRAND TOTAL

(Totals of all Preceding Pages)

Number of Members, September 1, 1961	162,674	Grand Chapter Fees and Dues	\$ 58,025.65
Initiated	4,204	Representative Fund	\$ 23,635.65
Affiliated	1,713	Benevolent Fund	\$ 15,757.10
Reinstated	215	Scholarship Fund	\$ 7,878.55
Demitted	3,490	Insurance Fund	\$ 47,271.30
Resigned	50	Home Maintenance Fund	\$157,571.00
Suspended N.P.D.	1,517	Endowment Fund	\$ 9,724.00
Suspended or Expelled	10	1962 Home Assessment	\$157,886.65
Deceased	2,722		
Number of Members, September 1, 1962	161,077		
Deductions on account of In Homes, etc.	3,506		

LIST OF EXTINCT CHAPTERS IN CALIFORNIA

No.	Name	County	Location	Instituted	Chartered	Charters
4	California.....	San Francisco.....	San Francisco.....	{ Before Grand Chapter was organized }	{ April, 1873.....	Recalled—October 17, 1893
7	Alameda.....	Alameda.....	Alameda.....		{ April, 1873.....	Surrendered—September 18, 1878
11	Rocklin.....	Rocklin.....	Placer.....		{ April, 1873.....	Recalled—February 9, 1878
12	Amador.....	{ Drytown } { Plymouth }	Amador.....	Mar. 7, 1874.....	Oct. 14, 1874.....	Surrendered—October, 1880
15	Electa.....	San Jose.....	Santa Clara.....	Feb. 2, 1875.....	Oct. 18, 1875.....	Surrendered—October 15, 1877
16	Rainbow.....	{ Rohnerville } { Hydesville }	Humboldt.....	April 3, 1875.....	Oct. 18, 1875.....	Recalled—October 22, 1891
22	Olive Branch.....	Hornitos.....	Mariposa.....	Mar. 21, 1876.....	Oct. 17, 1876.....	Recalled—August 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 29, 1889
29	Queen Esther.....	{ Windsor } { Healdsburg }	Sonoma.....	April 5, 1877.....	Oct. 16, 1877.....	Surrendered—October, 1880
32	Myrtle.....	Dixon.....	Solano.....	Sept. 14, 1877.....	Oct. 16, 1877.....	Surrendered—November 10, 1887
34	Opal.....	Winters.....	Yolo.....	April 18, 1878.....	Oct. 16, 1878.....	Surrendered—March 22, 1883
37	Adah.....	{ Meridian } { College City }	{ Sutter } { Colusa }	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	Ophir.....	Oroville.....	Butte.....	June 21, 1881.....	Oct. 18, 1881.....	Recalled—August 16, 1887
64	Occidental.....	Martinez.....	Contra Costa.....	Oct. 15, 1881.....	Oct. 18, 1881.....	Surrendered—August 28, 1885
69	Manzanita.....	Calistoga.....	Napa.....	April 13, 1883.....	Oct. 18, 1883.....	Surrendered—January 9, 1899
70	Brilliant Star.....	Orland.....	Colusa.....	May 15, 1883.....	Oct. 17, 1883.....	Recalled—October 22, 1891
81	Flower Valley.....	Coloma.....	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, 1896
88	Mountain View.....	{ Janesville } { Lassen }	Lassen.....	April 16, 1886.....	Oct. 20, 1886.....	Revoked—October 21, 1921
91	Fall River.....	{ Burgettville } { Glenburn }	Shasta.....	June 24, 1886.....	Oct. 20, 1886.....	Recalled—August 23, 1897
98	Yosemite.....	Oakdale.....	Stanislaus.....	June 20, 1888.....	Oct. 16, 1888.....	Surrendered—October, 1895
101	Elaine.....	Reedley.....	Fresno.....	Mar. 11, 1889.....	Oct. 15, 1889.....	Surrendered—May 22, 1899
132	Chrysanthemum.....	Sanger.....	Fresno.....	Feb. 14, 1894.....	Oct. 17, 1895.....	Recalled—June 29, 1900
157	King Solomon's.....	San Francisco.....	San Francisco.....	April 20, 1897.....	Oct. 20, 1897.....	Recalled—October 10, 1898
158	Galt.....	Galt.....	Sacramento.....	Aug. 9, 1897.....	Oct. 20, 1897.....	Surrendered—August 1, 1907
180	Golden State.....	{ Arbuckle } { College City }	Colusa.....	May 26, 1900.....	Oct. 17, 1900.....	Surrendered—March 10, 1910
187	Eagle.....	Eagleville.....	Modoc.....	Sept. 22, 1900.....	Oct. 17, 1900.....	Surrendered—February 9, 1938
194	Hilda.....	Mokelumne Hill.....	Calaveras.....	May 10, 1901.....	Oct. 16, 1901.....	Surrendered—February 22, 1928
206	Aloha.....	San Francisco.....	San Francisco.....	Oct. 4, 1902.....	Oct. 23, 1902.....	Consolidated with California No. 183, January 2, 1952

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
251	Paul Revere.....	San Francisco.....	San Francisco.....	April 8, 1907.....	Oct. 17, 1907.....	Surrendered—October 22, 1962
256	Marietta.....	Oakland.....	Alameda.....	April 30, 1907.....	Oct. 17, 1907.....	Revoked—October 21, 1921
285	Garvin.....	Randsburg.....	Kern.....	May 26, 1909.....	Oct. 20, 1909.....	Surrendered—November 7, 1917
318	Sierra.....	Big Pine.....	Inyo.....	April 14, 1913.....	Oct. 20, 1913.....	Surrendered—December 15, 1945
340	Ionic.....	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
400	Riverdale.....	Riverdale.....	Kings.....	Nov. 29, 1922.....	Oct. 22, 1923.....	Consolidated with Lily of the Lake No. 41, June 21, 1944
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, 1926.....	Oct. 19, 1926.....	Revoked—October 20, 1927
536	Dunsmuir.....	Dunsmuir.....	Siskiyou.....	Sept. 8, 1934.....	Oct. 21, 1934.....	Surrendered—November 1, 1959
538	Ad Astra.....	Fresno.....	Fresno.....	Oct. 3, 1936.....	Oct. 21, 1937.....	Revoked—October 18, 1944
U.D.	Alta Loma.....	Signal Hill.....	Los Angeles.....	Aug. 16, 1926.....		Dispensations Recalled—October 19, 1927
U.D.	Los Banos.....	Los Banos.....	Merced.....	Oct. 14, 1912.....		Surrendered—October 12, 1913

LIST OF NEVADA CHAPTERS WITHDRAWN FROM THE JURISDICTION OF CALIFORNIA

No.	Name	Location	County	Instituted	Chartered	Withdrew
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. 22, 1896.....	October 16, 1901
152	Silver State.....	Winnemucca.....	Humboldt.....	June 11, 1896.....	Nov. 11, 1896.....	October 16, 1901
156	Argenta.....	Virginia City.....	Storey.....	Mar. 20, 1897.....	Oct. 20, 1897.....	October 16, 1901
166	Iphigenia.....	Eureka.....	Eureka.....	Oct. 17, 1898.....	Oct. 18, 1899.....	October 16, 1901

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San Leandro	San Lorenzo
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San Francisco	San Francisco

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San Francisco	San Francisco
Imperial No. 229,	Olive Branch No. 169,
San Francisco	San Francisco
King Solomon's 170,	Parnassus No. 269,
San Francisco	San Francisco

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Crocker No. 382, Daly City	San Francisco
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San Francisco	San Francisco

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Fireside No. 440, San Francisco	Justice No. 460, San Francisco
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Casimir No. 252, San Francisco	Nonpareil No. 496, San Francisco
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Golden Gate No. 1, San Francisco	San Francisco No. 196, San Francisco

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4248 Moraga, San Francisco 22 MO 1-1842)

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California No. 183, San Francisco	Starr King No. 204, San Francisco
Forest No. 432, San Francisco	Yerba Buena No. 228, San Francisco

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Los Gatos No. 128, Los Gatos	Santa Clara No. 195, Santa Clara
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La Posa, No. 282, King City	
Monterey No. 239, Monterey	

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Buena Vista No. 364,

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Maricopa No. 323, Maricopa

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Caledonia No. 391,

Bakersfield

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 Golden State No. 298, Pacific No. 192,
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 Betsy Ross No. 518,
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Long Beach	Long Beach
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Long Beach	

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	South Pasadena

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Area No. 7: Districts 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45	
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Area No. 9: Districts 51, 52, 53 and 54	
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Area No. 11: Districts 60, 61, 62, 63, 87, 88 and 89	
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