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MRS. SALLY MATRANGA WORTHY GRAND MATRON MR. RICHARD T. PORTER WORTHY GRAND PATRON

MRS. REBECCA MILES GRAND SECRETARY

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MRS. MILDRED HANEY HARRIS Past Most Worthy Grand Matron



JUDGE MARVIN B. SIMPSON, JR. Member, Jurisprudence Committee General Grand Chapter



MRS. KATHERINE M. POULIS Chairman, Public Relations Committee General Grand Chapter

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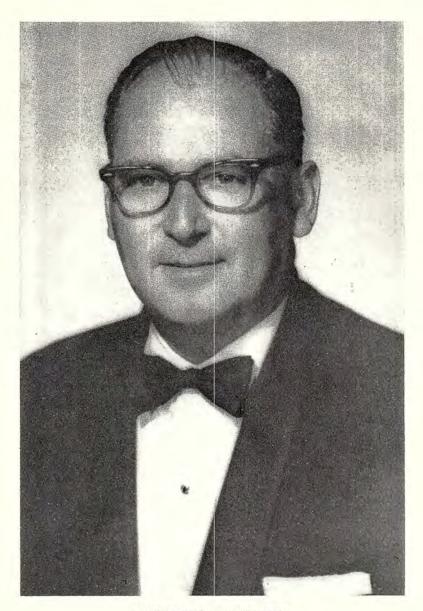
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RICHARD T. PORTER Worthy Grand Patron



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MRS. MATTIE LOU CHISM Grand Adah



MRS. LILLIE MAE WEAVER Grand Ruth



MRS. EARNESTEEN PORTER Grand Esther



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Texas Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons



Distinguished Guest Reception, Saturday Afternoon



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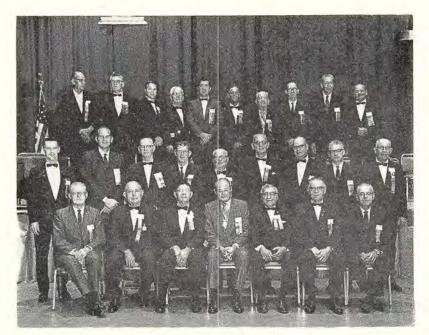
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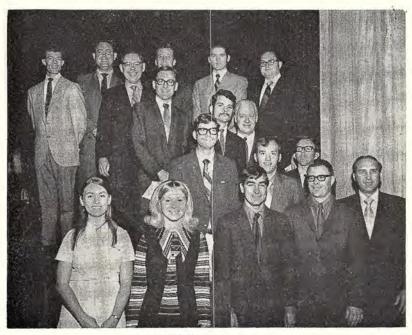
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Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and ESTARL Committee



District Deputy Grand Matron's Luncheon



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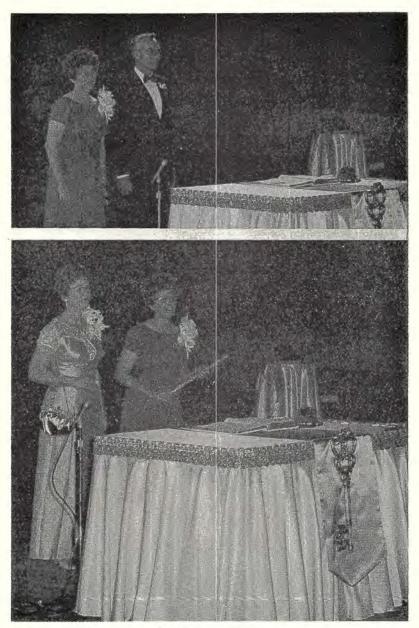
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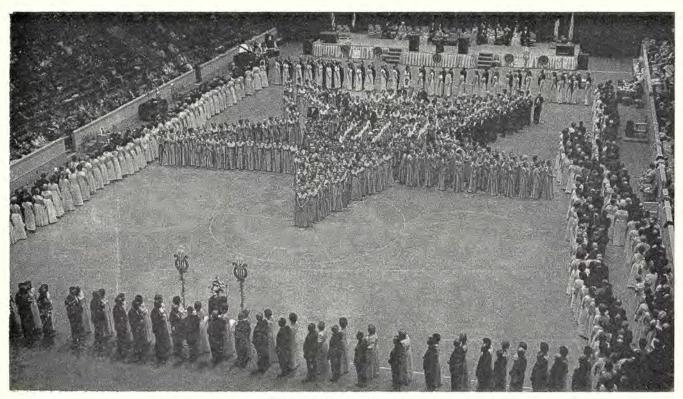
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#### EIGHTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION

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The Eighty-Eighth Session, The Harp of Happiness Session, of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, was held in Houston September 28 through Otober 1, 1970. All sessions were held in the Sam Houston Coliseum.

#### DECORATIONS FOR GRAND CHAPTER

In keeping with the Worthy Grand Matron's Musical and Artistic background, the huge Coliseum had been converted into a simple but elegant palace of green and gold, with the Emblems, the Harp and the Lyre, displayed throughout the decorative scheme. For a backdrop an Emerald green curtain extended across the entire central portion of the Coliseum. In the center of the curtain was hung a large golden Harp and on each side was a golden Lyre. Cloth of gold drapes extended from the platform of the stage to the Grand Chapter floor and Lyres with green background were spaced at frequent intervals.

Arrangements of pink roses were set on pedestals between the dual podiums in the East and at the Line Officers Stations. Floral arrangements of appropriate colors were on the Star Point pedestals.

The Altar was covered with an Emerald green velvet drape, with gold braid with lighted candelabras on each side. The Line Officers and Star Point pedestals were covered with green velvet with gold braid.

#### ESTARL CHURCH SERVICE

Sunday morning at 9:45 the ESTARL Church Service was held in the magnificent Jones Hall, with Mrs. Lena Maye Cook, Chairman, presiding. Special Music was by the Grand Choir and the Arabia. Temple Shrine Chanters. The sermon was by the Reverend Gaylord Dodgen, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, nephew of the Worthy Grand Matron. The decorations consisted of a single arrangement of mums and glads, the colors of yellow and white, in front of the podium. Thirty Scholarships were awarded and were presented personally by the Worthy Grand Matron to the recipients who were present.

#### RECEPTION

From 2:30 to 4:30 Sunday afternoon reception was held in the Grand Ballroom, Rice Hotel, honoring Mrs. Sally Matranga, Worthy Grand Matron; Mr. Richard T. Porter, Worthy Grand Patron; other floor officers of Grand Chapter of Texas; Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron; Mrs. Katherine Poulis, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee and Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., Member of the Jurisprudence Committee, General Grand Chapter; other Distinguished Guests of the General Grand Chapter; and Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas. The decorations consisted of arrangements of pink roses and lighted candles. Serving were District Deputies, Deputy Grand Matrons and Grand Examiners.

#### DRESSES

All of the daytime dresses were of the same design, A-line. The floor officers dresses were of pale yellow and their personal pages were of aqua silk. They wore slippers to match. The Committee members dresses were bluebell blue; the Boards, Deputies and Grand Examiners were of various shades of blue. The Assistant Grand Warders, pink; and the Grand Pages orange. These groups wore gold slippers.

For the evening the Floor Officers wore lime green chiffon dresses with empire effect, outlined with gold and pearl beads. Their personal Pages wore dresses of pale green brocade with simulated low necks outlined with pearl beads. Their slippers were the color of their dresses.

All participants wore formals of different shades of green. Their slippers were gold.

#### Monday, September 28, 1970

#### 6:00 P. M.

#### Informal Opening

The Informal Opening was called to order by Mrs. Robbie Yates, Past Grand Matron, and Mr. J. T. Sanders, Past Grand Patron.

Preceding the call to order Organ Melodies were by Mrs. Cloe Thomas, Past Matron of Houston Chapter No. 385.

Mrs. Mildred Garlitz, Past Grand Matron, was escorted to the East by Judge Clyde Smith, Past Grand Patron. Other members and guests appearing on the program were seated in the East.

#### CALL TO ORDER

MRS. ROBBIE YATES: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished Members and Guests, Sisters, Brothers and Friends: Good evening, all. With joy and gladness in my heart I welcome you to the Eighty-eighth Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

Our gracious Worthy Grand Matron has given Brother J. T. Sanders and me the privilege of calling to order this Informal Opening of the Harp of Happiness Session of our Grand Chapter.

I am delighted to stand again in the East with Brother J. T., and this is a happy privilege for me.

Sister Cloe Thomas, those assembled here this evening have enjoyed your lovely musical prelude. Surely your notes of happiness and harmony have winged their way into the hearts of all and have added much to the enjoyment of the evening. Thank you for your talent and for this time of inspiration.

Sisters, Brothers and Friends, as I welcome you here tonight I am reminded of how our Lord instructed us to be cheerful and happy. May all of you find a constancy, courage and charity through this session that will make your lives richer for having attended. It is my wish that we go through the next few days with a deeper appreciation of the work of our Order and for those who serve in this field of labor. Thank each of you for your attendance.

We extend to our Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, our most cordial welcome. We extend a very special welcome also to our own General Grand Chapter Officers, Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Member of the Jurisprudence Committee, and Mrs. Katherine Poulis, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee of the General Grand Chapter.

Opening night of any Symphony finds many distinguished guests in attendance, and tonight is no exception. General Grand Chapter is represented by other officers and committee members; the Grand Lodge of Masons in Texas by the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Brother Hal Burnet; and many, many of our distinguished and honored members of Texas and other Grand Jurisdictions. We trust that every greeting, and every smile and hand clasp will strike a golden chord in your hearts, denoting a true feeling of hospitality of this lovely evening to remember. This is the time that we gather at the end of the year's work to review the record and make plans for the future.

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally Matranga, your year in the Grand East has been one of joyful service. Brother Richard Porter, Worthy Grand Patron, you have added to the happiness of this Grand Chapter year. I congratulate you both and wish for you a very happy and harmonious session.

Brother J. T. Sanders, may we have a greeting from you.

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MR. J. T. SANDERS, Past Grand Patron: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters, Brothen; and Friends:

I, too, am thankful for the privilege extended to me by our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally Matranga, for the pleasure of assisting in calling to order this Eighty-eighth Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

It is a privilege to serve in the East with my own Past Grand Matron, Sister Robbie Yates.

I wish for you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, a very happy and successful year in this Grand Chapter. I look forward to being with you throughout the sessions of the week.

Thank you very much for this privilege.

MRS. ROBBIE YATES, Past Grand Matron: As we gather in this lovely setting we are reminded of the resolve of our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally Matranga, and our Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Richard Porter to lead the membership of this great State of Texas in a year of rededication to the purposes and the landmarks of our Order. This they have done. By diligent efforts and performance of duty they have endeared themselves to the membership of Texas as they walked in their Symphony of Service. They have brought music to the heart and we wish for them that the song will be unending.

I present to you now the Honorable Louie Welch, Mayor of Houston to bring the welcome to you from the City of Houston.

Mayor Welch.

#### WELCOME TO HOUSTON

MR. LOUIE WELCH, Mayor of Houston: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Ladies and Gentlemen.

Thank you very much for the privilege of greeting you on this occasion, and to extend to you a most cordial welcome to Houston and to this area. I understand you have members here from all of the major cities of Texas, and from Dallas. (Applause.) One of the greatest privileges I think that comes to a Mayor is to greet people who come from other places.

We are glad that you arrived on a day Houston's weather is typical. (Applause.) Because it so seldom is.

We want all of you to know that Houston is very proud that you are here, and we are always proud that so many ladies come, because we know there will be times that the ladies will be taking the opportunity to visit inside some of our stores. We have Sakowitz, Battlesteins and another store that operates in the small town of Dallas, a facility known as Neiman Marcus. There is another very interesting place known as Westbury Square. These are the best places to separate yourselves from your and your husband's money. In either case the city collects a sales tax, and that helps pay my salary. (Applause.) We hope you enjoy visiting inside our stores.

Early in my administration as Mayor which began some ten years ago I was in the hospital and I received many letters and telegrams, and the story was told that the City Council passed a resolution wishing me a speedy recovery, and the vote was 5 to 3. (Applause.)

I told the story a number of times that what actually occurred was that the resolution died for lack of a second. (Applause.)

We want all of you to know that all of our people of the City of Houston are delighted to have you come our way, and I bring you greetings from the City of Houston and an invitation from the City Council that you come to Houston each year for your annual convocation.

Thank you. (Applause.)

# PRESENTATION OF MASTER OF CEREMONIES

MRS. ROBBIE YATES, Past Grand Matron: It is now my pleasure to present to you Mrs. Mildred Garlitz, Past Grand Matron, as our Master of Ceremonies for the Informal Opening.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ, Past Grand Matron: Mrs. Robbie Yates, Past Grand Matron; Mr. J. T. Sanders, Past Grand Patron; Honorable Louis Welch, Mayor of Houston; Distinguished and Honored Guests, Ladies and Gentlemen:

It brings a glow of happiness to my heart to greet you and say, welcome to The Harp of Happiness Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

Thank you, Sister Robbie Yates and Brother J. T. Sanders, for your words of greeting so sincerely spoken. The kindness that is so much a part of your lives widened your circle of friends as you served our beautiful Order, and I am certain you both are enjoying the precious memories that are yours. Thank you so much for such a nice presentation.

"To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under the sun."

Time is relentless. Season follows season as rhythmically and harmoniously as a great sonata. The four seasons of the Eastern Star year have been fulfilled. The record is written as a great concordance.

It is a joyous privilege to greet you at this opening of this Grand Chapter session. I trust that my words will carry to each of your hearts the gladness and sincerity they are meant to convey and fill them with friendly songs.

Prophets proclaimed the Word in psalms and hymns. David took a harp and played it with his hands so "Saul was refreshed and well." Then David admonished us to "Praise the Lord with the harp." And in the Revelation of Saint John it is written: "I heard a voice from Heaven as the voice of many waters and the voice of a great thunder and I heard the voice of the harpers with their harps." Job gives us the noblest idea of beauty and harmony in the words: "The morning stars sang together." Yes, music is capable of filling our hearts with joy and peace, refreshment and beauty. It gives to us the means of singing praises to God. No man is poor or bereft who has music in his soul. The most glorious event in all history was announced with music when the angels sang over the little town of Bethlehem. How appropriate this session has been designated "Harp of Happiness" Session. The electric organ, grand piano and golden harp in the home of our Worthy Grand Matron bear witness to her musical talents. Surely this assembly will be blessed for God hears first of all music because it comes from the heart. Greatest of all is the music of a good life for it is like the melody from a harp of a thousand strings that gives forth unfailing music with divine resonance. My life is sweeter for having known the beautiful life of our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga.

Houston has long been famed for its gracious reception to friends and strangers within its gates. It is especially significant for me as it was here that I first served Grand Chapter. I was a Grand Page at the Victory session presided over by our lovely and gracious Viva Huffman.

Many changes have been wrought in the intervening years. No one would have dared dream that a man from Houston would some day walk on the moon. The Astrodome was not even on the drawing boards. And who ever would have thought of naming your Astros? But the warmth and friendli.1

ness have not changed. As we traveled the highways and airlines to this great city we anticipated a great reunion with the Stars of Texas. We have been rewarded. It is good to be in the home town of our Worthy Grand Matron.

It has been said that music in the heartbeat of angels. Surely Mrs. Cloe Thomas stirred the hearts of angels as she has ours with her beautiful music. Thank you Sister Thomas.

#### PRESENTATION OF DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS AND GUESTS

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Grand Marshal, you will present our Distinguished Members and Guests.

The following Distinguished Members were presented in the East:

Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, Past Worthy Grand Matron, escorted by Mr. Herbert L. Arnold, Past Grand Patron.

Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., Member of the Jurisprudence Committee, General Grand Chapter, escorted by Mrs. Earline Simpson.

Mrs. Katherine M. Poulis, Chairman of Public Relations Committee, General Grand Chapter, escorted by Mr. Byron Poulis.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: With the advent of the Age of Aquarius many people have been made aware of horoscopes. My escort tonight has been introduced so many times in so many different ways that I decided to consult his horoscope. It was no surprise to me that he has the ability to command respect. He is independent and forceful. He possesses many noble qualities, is quite frank and broadminded. He is the center of attention and is the type to form the backbone of the country.

Past Grand Patron, Judge Clyde Smith, you have just been given the Age of Leo introduction. And I must say that you fit the picture perfectly. Your words of greeting are eagerly awaited.

Judge Smith. (Applause.)

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Past Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I was delighted to hear our Honorable Mayor of the suburb of Woodville bring greetings in behalf of the City of Houston.

Yes, they are here from the large cities, and they are here from the small cities and small towns, all happily united this moment. I don't know what it will be tomorrow. (Applause.)

Yes, they are here from Woodville, here from Kountze, they are here from Silsbee, they are here from Red Cut, and they are here from Cut and Shoot. But regardless of where they are from, we have one purpose and one desire, and that is to meet on the Square, to be fair and square to each other, and enjoy this week in the Harp of Happiness Session. That no doubt we will do.

I have exacted a promise from our Worthy Grand Matron, and I am going to expect her to do it, and that is that she play her beautiful harp sometime during this session. (Applause.)

I told her I was rather lazy and that it is a long walk up here, but that if she would play that harp I would be glad to take it.

It is a pleasure to serve always with these gracious ladies, and it is a particular pleasure that we have the privilege of serving with our lovely Mildred Garlitz in this Informal Opening of our Eighty-eighth Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Judge Smith. It is a privilege to serve with you tonight.

#### PRESENTATION OF GRAND OFFICERS

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Through the thoughtfulness of our beloved Worthy Grand Matron I am privileged to act as your Master of Ceremonies. It will be my pleasure to present many persons of distinction, but none will please me more than to present the Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Grand Patron and their corps of officers. I will ask your indulgence with your applause. Will you please refrain from expressing your approval until all eighteen Grand Officers have been presented. Then you may give them a real Texas welcome.

The 1969-70 Grand Officers were presented by entering the platform through the curtain back of the East. The Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Associate Grand Matron and Associate Grand Patron were seated in the East, and the other Grand Officers were seated in chairs on the Grand Chapter floor. The Master of Ceremonies called their names as they were presented:

Mr. Claude L. Worthy, Jr., Grand Sentinel Mrs. Agnes Brown, Grand Warder

Mrs. Berenice House, Grand Electa Mrs. Edna G. Wood, Grand Martha

Mrs. Earnesteen Porter, Grand Esther

Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver, Grand Ruth Mrs. Mattie Lou Chism, Grand Adah Mrs. Mertis Stone, Grand Organist

Mrs. Billie Rogers, Grand Marshal

Mrs. Barbara Harrison, Grand Chaplain

Mrs. Katherine Harbour, Associate Grand Conductress

Mrs. Aliene Houston, Grand Conductress

Mrs. Jettie Hinton, Grand Treasurer

Mrs. Rebecca L. Miles, Grand Secretary

Mr. Victor Jones, Associate Grand Patron

Mrs. Frances Key Herrin, Associate Grand Matron Mr. Richard T. Porter, Worthy Grand Patron Mrs. Sally Matranga, Worthy Grand Matron

The Grand Officers were greeted with a real Texas welcome.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: The ability to give the world good music is a gift for which we are all grateful. One here tonight who has a life enriched by the largos and allegros of music and the generosity of spirit to share his talent with us is Mr. Richard Fisher, soloist. He will gladden our hearts with song, accompanied by Mrs. Cloe Thomas.

#### SOLO

Mr. Richard Fisher, Past Grand Soloist, Grand Chapter of Michigan, then sang 'My God and I."

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thanks cannot begin to express our appreciation for your music.

## PRESENTATION OF HOLY BIBLE AND SQUARE AND COMPASSES

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: The Altar plays a great part in our Order. It is at the Altar that we take the solemn vows which unite us to the Eastern Star. But without a Holy Bible it would be only a piece of furniture. The Holy Bible makes of it a holy place. The Square and Compasses rest on the Bible in our Grand Jurisdiction, and in so doing joins us together in the spirit of brotherly love through the great principles of Masonry. The Holy Bible will be placed on the Altar by our charming Past Grand Matron, Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard, and the Square and Compasses by our affable Past Grand Patron, Mr. Gerald Allen.

The Holy Bible and the Square and Compasses were reverently placed on the Altar by Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard, Past Grand Matron, and Mr. Gerald Allen, Past Grand Patron.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: One whose life is the epitome of benevolence, fraternalism and service to his fellow man is our highly respected Past Grand Patron, Mr. Paul Stoneman, who will give the invocation.

# INVOCATION

# MR. PAUL STONEMAN: Let us bow our heads in reverence.

Our most gracious Heavenly Father, we invoke Thy blessing as we assemble in this beautiful city for the Eighty-eighth Session of our beloved Grand Chapter of Texas. Guide and direct our thoughts and deeds that we may prove worthy of the achievement of this week, that it may be for the good of our great Order.

Open our hearts to the true spirit of fraternalism and love and our minds to the practice of Thy command that we love one another.

Dear Father, we ask Thy special blessing on our Worthy Grand Matron and our Worthy Grand Patron, their officers and committees, and we pray that their work may be dedicated to good in Thine eyes.

All of this we ask in Thy Holy name. Amen.

#### PRESENTATION OF FLACS

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: This assembly would not be complete without the flags that are so dear to us.

The United States flag will be presented by Mr. Paul Ofton; the Texas flag by Mr. J. C. Gilmore; the Christian flag by Mr. Herschel Smith; and the Eastern Star flag by Mr. Carl T. Denson.

# PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: With dedication in our hearts for all of these flags, let us join with the Worthy Grand Patron and pledge allegiance to the flag of our country.

The pledge of allegiance to the flag was led by Mr. Richard T. Porter, Worthy Grand Patron.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Music is the golden key that unlocks the doors to our hearts, for music, like love, is the language of the heart. At this time the Grand Choir, under the direction of Miss Peggy Patterson, will present a musical number.

# GRAND CHOIR

#### The Grand Choir sang "God Bless America."

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: The dream of our founding fathers was to fashion a country that would be self governing; an idea utterly new in the world when it was conceived. It was a dream that would cause all men to become patriots to the idea of conforming to the highest laws of man's nature and to the eternal standards of justice and right. Patriotism is a form of faith. The flag of stars and stripes is a symbol of faith of the people in our land. Just so, the lone star flag symbolizes the faith in and love for our Beautiful Texas. The Christian flag is a symbol of our faith in the eternal light that was brought to the world by the Son of Heaven. The Eastern Star flag is a symbol of the vision of our founder, Rob Morris, that free men could live together in a more abundant life through brotherhood. Tributes will be paid to these four flags by our lovely Past Grand Matron, Mrs. Mabel Harle.

#### TRIBUTE TO THE FLAG

MRS. MABLE HARLE: Flags, banners, or standards originated with the Egyptians at an early age. Flags represent nations, states, religions and organizations as symbols . . . Symbols of the things for which those nations or organizations stand and under which its people should march proudly and patriotically and always be ready to defend by what they say and the way they act and live.

# THE AMERICAN FLAG

Of all the signs and symbols since the world began, there is none so full of meaning as the flag of our country . . . Old Glory. This piece of Red, White, and Blue means years of struggle upward. It is a full grown flower of ages of fighting for liberty. It is the century plant of human hope in bloom.

Except for the Cross, there is nothing that we should hold more sacred than the Flag of the United States, because of its record in peace and war, and because it stands for the rights and the freedom of all mankind.

Freedom, democracy, and government of the people, by the people and for the people are the great principles for which our flag stands.

Red, White and Blue . . . All these colors blended into our flag, making the symbol of Unity, fraternity and good will among men. So may it ever be . . . Flag of freedom and friendship . . . Proclaiming the time honored and glorified principles wrought by the tears and prayers of our forefathers.

#### CHRISTIAN FLAG

Let us lift our eyes to the Christian Flag and so acknowledge our debt to the great Christian Faith, to the teachings of our Heavenly Father. Let us pledge allegiance to the Christian Ideal and to the Saviour for whose kingdom it shines, one brotherhood uniting all mankind in love and service.

The Christian Flag is the banner of the Prince of Peace. It is equally significant to all nations. It stands for no creed or denomination . . . But for Christianity . . . It is a banner of faith.

The whole inspiration of our life as a nation flows out from the waving folds of this banner. As we salute and pay tribute to this Christian Flag we pledge our allegiance to the Kingdom of God. Its White Ground is a symbol of purity and truth . . . Its Blue Field is a token of our hope and faith . . . Its Red Cross is a reminder of the zeal and self sacrifice of our Christ.

## THE TEXAS FLAG

Our Texas Flag, the only State Flag conceived when the State was a Republic, swings before our eyes as a bright gleam of color, a symbol of its people. It represents our dreams and labors .  $\therefore$  Bright and cheerful, brilliant with courage, firm with faith. It floats in majestic silence, and though silent it speaks to us ... Speaks of the past, of the men and women who went before us and of the records they wrote upon it.

The Texas Flag is a sacred symbol, conveying the faith to which Texans were born. The flags of six nations have flown over our fair State and we have emerged a courageous people, forever hopeful and with a firmer faith in God.

The Lone Star Flag, like each States Flag, has behind it a lengthy and lively tradition. May we strive always to preserve the purity of these records of our Lone Star State.

# EASTERN STAR FLAG

The dream of Rob Morris became a reality when he assembled the Flag of the Eastern Star. It is welcome to all points of the Compass. As it travels in foreign lands, it carries with it an Open Bible and the Word of God. It has no character other than that which we give it from generation to generation.

Let us remember as we look at our emblem that the Point that is Blue bears a message of loyalty; The Yellow denotes constancy in all that is lovely; The White Point sheds light and joy: The Green Point is a symbol of natures own life eternal, and speaks of faith and hope; The point that is Red bids us to "Love One Another."

As we raise our eyes to this emblem let each heart take on new courage and determination to do the right, ever following the teachings of Him whose Star appeared in the East.

Bright-hued and beautiful these flags float in the breeze. Tonight we express our tributes to our four flags in the pledge that all that is best in Americanism, and all that is best in fraternalism shall be exemplified in our Christian Flag and that by the sign we shall conquer, until the world shall be controlled by liberty and Love, by justice and charity.

To some, these tributes and these precious pieces of cloth mean nothing

... To them they are only rags. But thanks to our Great Creator, to most of us, they mean much... They are our Flags. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Sister Harle. Your words have stirred our hearts to noble thoughts.

#### PRESENTATION OF WORTHY GRAND MATRON

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: To present the Worthy Grand Matron is like presenting my own daughter. As a Mildred Garlitz Girl she was one of my Precious Jewels and added immensely to our Jewel Session with her golden harp. That music floated like moonlight mist to refresh the souls of listeners. She walks in beauty and gives to the world a great measure of kindness and mirth. In the eventide of her year of service she will dedicate her Harp of Happiness Session.

#### DEDICATION TO THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH SESSION "THE HARP OF HAPPINESS SESSION"

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: There are things in our lives that can never be forgotten. Instances that can never be relived and kindnesses, that one is always grateful for. Tonight is one of the many for which I shall always be grateful.

I am very conscious of one of the most telling verses in the New Testament. It is a short verse, but oh so important. It is found in the third chapter of the letters of St. Paul to the Church of Colosse, the fifteenth verse which ends, "And be ye thankfull"

I am humbly thankful for this year, and the faith in God which has enabled us to walk the path together. I have been grateful for the touch of your hands, the well wishes of your hearts, the kind words and your acts of faith. I have prayed that if God gave me nothing else, let it be a thankful heart.

Some one has written that the heart of man, must truly and relentlessly reach out at least once before it quits and dies, must reach out in trust and tenderness toward that part of another heart, so that its role on earth will be consumated, and enriched. I feel that this has been accomplished and that we have a greater realization of our potentialities and purposes.

No man walks alone down the path of the years and although we walk to the beat of different drums, the cadence of our marching makes a beautiful sound in the hearts of the unbelieving. It is written that a feeling is something that happens now and then, but love like a home, is what we dwell in.

The Order of The Eastern Star has now reached a point, where we must examine the home in which we dwell, and make it bright and beautiful, a sanctuary of faith, duty and involvement. There is a verse from an ancient religious sect that says:

> "When the strings of my heart be in tune— Then shall come forth the music of love."

The most ancient of harps in the beginning of time, usually had three strings so I strung my harp with three significant strings, Courage, Compassion and Humility. Each of us is a Harp of God! And we become a Harp of a thousand strings, representing the service of all. I trust that the strings that have made the most beautiful music this year, has been Humility and Service.

Humility is the rarest, most beautiful and least understood of all human virtues. True humility is a complete unawareness of self, a constant giving of the spirit with no hope of recognition, or public acclaim. To be Humble, is to sound the trumpets of the Heart like the night bird sings on the wind. To be so in love with life, to be so grateful to God for life and so eager to share the gifts of the soul, and never count the costs. To be truly humble is to give back that which God has given, and not care, whether the gift is acknowledged or not. To walk in true humility is to walk in an aura of "We," not "I." The truly humble realize that without God, without the human touch, without love, we would walk in blindness and be less than the creatures of the field.

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

It is the gift which God meant us to nurture, when he made us a "Little lower than the angels." It is to be nurtured and fed with tears of the heart, is worn like a badge of Love and is known only to God. It is the green oasis of faith fed by courage and friendship. The pathway that we have walked, has been most pleasant and the green fields of God, much closer.

The string that I have enjoyed most this year has been Service. True service is a thing of the heart, rather than the hands. Token service given without humility, is as dead as the ashes of yesterday. Service given because the heart says "we must" is the service that makes the vineyards grow. You cannot serve if you do not love, and you can not love if you do not serve. John Ruskin has written that the "Highest reward for a man's toil is not what he gets for it, but what he becomes for it."

My service, has come from the Music of the Heart and my life has been doubly enriched by it.

"It is in Love . . . Not in being Lover— The heart is blest; It is in giving . . . Not in seeking gifts We find our Quest."

The beautiful music from the Harp of a Thousand strings, has been played by the membership of Texas. Love has been the frame which held together the many strings, and faith the hand that strummed the cords.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Sister Sally Matranga. Our hearts were gladdened by your beautiful words.

And now, a solo to delight us by Mr. Richard Fisher, accompanied by Mrs. Cloe Thomas.

#### SOLO

Mr. Richard L. Fisher, attired in a green tuxedo and in magnificent voice, then sang "I Walk With God."

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: We regret that His Excellency, the Governor, is unable to be with us, but he has a very able representative. A member of our State's highest tribunal who surpasses imitation. His words are very convincing and his manner makes friends with every stranger. If the stature of a man were to be measured in the service he has rendered to his fellowman Judge Smith would be a giant among men. It is a privilege to present our own Past Grand Patron and Supreme Court Justice, Honorable Clyde E. Smith, who will bring greetings from the State of Texas.

# GREETINGS FROM THE STATE OF TEXAS

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Post Most Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Grand Officers, Members of the Order of the Eastern Star, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers and Friends:

You know the Master of Ceremonies introduced me a while ago as one who was born under the sign of Leo. I read the horoscope every morning before Mrs. Smith gets up to see what it says. She and I were born the same day, July 31. I leave off the year out of respect to her.

One morning I read the horoscope, and it said, "This would be a fine evening for you to have a date."

So I solved the problem very quickly by informing my lovely wife, Eupha, that we were having a date that evening. So we went out on the town.

It is a distinct pleasure to have the privilege of representing the Governor of Texas. A couple of years ago I had the pleasure of representing him, and some friends of mine said: "We regret very much that your son could not be here. We are happy though to have you represent him." (Applause.)

I figured out that could make me ninety-two years old.

Nevertheless, it is a pleasure to bring greetings from the State of Texas. It is a pleasure always to be on such occasions as this.

And, by the way, I want to tell my good friend Hall Etter that I have written this down, so he won't have to keep writing. I told him yesterday I was going to have a blank piece of paper probably. But I have it, Hall.

It is always a great honor to be invited to welcome so many wonderful citizens of Texas. All of you are keenly interested in preserving our form of government. In behalf of Governor Smith I welcome you and join you as we work during the week, and may our efforts produce a constructive program which will bring happiness to all.

Without harmony and unity of the spirit this caunot be accomplished. Above all, we will not have happiness and peace. We will not have that in this country unless we have a united people.

It is essential that we maintain law and order. We must resist with all our might those who would destroy our religious and educational institutions, as well as our homes. They would go that far,

I welcome you because it is my belief that you realize that happiness in the future will be in proportion to the degree we assume the responsibility to bring our fondest hopes to pass.

It is a pleasure to me to bring greetings and best wishes as the representative of the Governor of Texas. I know that you will have a wonderful meeting. Knowing all of you as I do, I feel that we during this week will work together in harmony and in unison, and that we will love each other and respect each other with the greatest degree of confidence at the close of this meeting as we have at this moment.

I think it is important that such institutions as this, working like this for the preservation of democracy, for the preservation of harmony, for the preservation of peace, and for the preservation of love and human kindness in our hearts, stand against the onslaughts against our laws and our sacred institutions.

So with humble pride that I welcome you here on this occasion. I hope it will be a happy and constructive program. I know our Worthy Grand Matron has worked hard. She and our Worthy Grand Patron have worked diligently to prepare for us a very interesting and well rounded program.

Thank you very much. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Judge Claude Smith. You have no peer in our Grand Chapter.

One whose name has been acclaimed through service and good deeds is the chairman of the Executive Committee. He is a person for whom no one can find an unpleasant word. With personal pride I present Mr. Paul Harriss, Chairman of the Executive Committee, who will bring us Fraternal Greetings.

# FRATERNAL CREETINGS

MR. PAUL HARRISS: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Past Grand Patron and Most Wonderful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M., Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers and Friends:

How can I in just a moment find the words to express my thanks to you for your presence on this occasion and for the privilege of bringing fraternal greetings to those of you who have come to Houston. I cannot find the words. I can only say that I am humbled and I am privileged in this moment.

So to the visitors in Houston, speaking on behalf of the thirty-one Chapters of District 4, Section 5, I extend a warm welcome to you, and I certainly hope that you will enjoy your stay here in Houston, and particularly that you will find that the Grand Chapter Sessions will not be a total failure, but that you will find the arrangements and preparations that have been made for you both enjoyable and profitable.

So I welcome you to this Harp of Happiness Session. All of you who are visiting in Houston have a special place in the hearts of the 9,822 members of the Order of the Eastern Star in this Section.

The Executive and Arrangements Committees have worked hard to prepare for your comfort and convenience during your stay here in Houston. To facilitate your transportation between the hotels and this coliseum we have arranged buses for you. These buses will travel the route that is shown on the map that was in your registration bag. They will run at intervals of ten minutes apart. Tonight we carried the first people on those buses. We hope you will patronize those buses, for if you do not, we may have to take them off. Tonight, for example, the buses are costing us \$243.00. Tomorrow, they are going to cost us \$681.00. So you be sure to ride them, will you?

I bring fraternal greetings to you from the Host Chapters of the Order of the Eastern Star and also from the Grand Master of Masons in Texas as his personal representative in District 30 A. Speaking for just a moment, if you will permit me this personal privilege, I being Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Order of the Eastern Star and being District Deputy Grand Master of Masonic District 30-A, which is the largest District in the State of Texas, in membership, I have the privilege of being something that no one else in the history of the Order of the Eastern Star has been, that of serving both as District Deputy and Chairman of the Executive Committee at the same time. If you don't think that is a problem, try it sometime. But when we have such wonderful people to work with as Sister Sally Matranga and Brother Hal Burnett, it is a wonderful privilege. I love them both. These two people have made this year the best year in my Masonic life.

Thank you for coming to Houston, and God bless you. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Mr. Paul Harriss, for what you have done, what you are doing, and for your generous words. (Applause.)

#### PRESENTATION OF WORTHY MATRONS AND WORTHY PATRONS OF HOST CHAPTERS

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Any worthy accomplishment deserves our best efforts. The Host Chapters have achieved the ultimate. It is a joy to present the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons who represent the Chapters that have done so much and given so much to this session. Will you hold your applause until all are presented.

The Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of the following Host Chapters were presented in the West: WORTHY MATRON WORTHY PATRON Mrs. Betty Wells. ......Mr. Jack Pilkenton Aldine Chapter No. 1088 Almeda Chapter No. 1081 ...... Mr. Kendall W. Baker ......Mr. Douglas W. Siems Mrs. Audramaua Siems Bellaire Chapter No. 1021 ..... Mr. Jack Cleveland Mrs. Dorothy Cleveland Bethlehem Chapter No. 728 East Houston Chapter No. 955 Mrs. Allie Lee Pearle..... Mrs. Christine Morris...... Eastwood Chapter No. 1077 Mrs. Helen M. Holmes..... ..... Mr. Carl Portefield Fairbanks Chapter No. 1041 Frank W. Lynn Chapter No. 1015 Mrs. Clara Honea..... Mrs. Virginia J. Walker...... Mr. Blewett Chenault Houston Chapter No. 385 Mrs. Barbara J. Childers......Mr. James I. Twyman Jacques DeMolay Chapter No. 1094 ...... Mr. Warren Reid Mrs. Bernice James..... . ..... Magnolia Chapter No. 706 Mrs. Barbara Anderson......Mr. Milan Hurlbut Melrose Chapter No. 920 Mrs. Margie Buckley......Mr. James E. Wooley Memorial Chapter No. 958 Mrs. Louise Patton...... Mr. M. F. Patton Mount Houston Chapter No. 1034 Mrs. Dorothy Montgomery...... Mr. A. B. Gibson Norma D. Allen Chapter No. 1050 Mrs. Winona Forbus..... Mr. Franz D. Essl North Shore Chapter No. 1058 Mrs. Evelyn Evans..... ...... Mr. Edwin W. Helmke North Side Chapter No. 651 Mrs. Ouida Brown..... ...... Mr. Jack Bishop ..... Oak Forest Chapter No. 1080 Mrs. Judy DuPriest...... Mr. Eston Boahm Park Place Chapter No. 731 Mrs. Annie May Adam...... Mr. Robert B. Macgruder Ransford Chapter No. 135 ......Mr. John T. Landrum Mrs. Oleta Pulliam..... Rosewyn Chapter No. 927 Mrs. Pearl Hattz ..... Mr. Bill R. Leonard Rothwell Chapter No. 669 South Houston Chapter No. 915 Mrs. Lou Pyle..... Spring Branch Chapter No. 984 Mr. Morris Durham Mrs. Cora Brown..... Mrs. Sue Knapp ..... ...... Mr. Rod Davis Sunshine Chapter No. 300 ...... Mr. A. J. "Jim" Davis Mrs. Ola Michael..... ..... Mr. Ralph Dalton ... ..... Woodland Chapter No. 696

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Let us express our appreciation to these Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, and through them to the Hostess

Chapters our sincere appreciation. (Applause.)

Many greetings and welcomes will be extended to you this evening. None will be more sincere than the words of our Worthy Grand Matron. In her sweetness she seems to wear a shawl of stars about her shoulders. It is my joy to present our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga. (Applause.)

# GREETING—WORTHY GRAND MATRON

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Master of Ceremonies, Mrs. Mildred Garlitz, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Members and Guests, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

You have been welcomed by our distinguished Mayor Louie Welch, welcomed from the State of Texas by Judge Clyde E. Smith, Supreme Court of Texas, and have been extended Fraternal Greetings by the Chairman of the Executive Committee Brother Paul Harriss, and other Greetings will be extended to you by the Most Worshipful Grand Master and other distinguished Masons, but as the Worthy Grand Matron, I want to extend my personal welcome. We thank you for coming to this "Harp of Happiness Session," the Eighty-eighth Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. We have made many plans for your enjoyment and hope that each of you will have a good time and be glad that you came.

To our out of state guests, we are truly honored by your presence and look forward to having you with us during our session. We hope that the beauty and happiness will linger long and that you will want to return again and again. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Sister Sally Matranga. Our hearts were gladdened by your words.

To paint a picture of our Worthy Grand Patron it would take the skillful hands of an artist with the understanding of real success. He has achieved success in his family life, in the business world and in the Masonic family. Greatest of all he is successful in his personal life. He is a true friend, an able counsellor and a real gentleman. Proudy I present Mr. Richard T. Porter, Worthy Grand Patron.

# GREETINGS-MR. RICHARD T. PORTER

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Thank you, Sister Mildred Garlitz, for your most gracious words.

Worthy Grand Matron, Most. Worshipful Grand Master, Brother Hal Burnett, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished General Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, Distinguished Visitors, Sisters and Brothers and my Friends:

I would like to join our Worthy Grand Matron in extending to you a welcome to the Grand Chapter of Texas as we stand on the threshold this week of service to you. We appreciate all the arrangements that have been made by our local committees and all the preparations they have made.

I express to our visiting dignitaries our appreciation for their presence and for their words of fellowship.

To my distinguished colleagues of the Grand Commandery, the Grand Chapter, the Grand Council, and to the Most Worshipful Grand Master of

the Grand Lodge of Texas, Brother Hal Burnett, I express to each of you my personal appreciation for your presence here. To me it shows a unity in which we are privileged to share in our Fraternal relationship for our great organization. We appreciate your coming here. And to each of you who is spending this week with us we wish for you a joy and peace of heart, and that you take home with you from this Grand Chapter session something that will make your life a little more pleasant and a little more comfortable and a little more dedicated to the work of your Grand Chapter.

God bless you. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: For each one here I express appreciation for your words, Brother Porter.

One attribute that is universally admired is success, whether the success be in art, science, business or just in a good example of a life dedicated to the principles of truth and justice. One is here whose success is richly deserved and one in whom we rejoice over his greatness. He first achieved success as a dedicated Christian gentleman, then in rapid succession as Right Eminent Grand Commander, Worthy Grand Patron, and now as the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

Pridefully, I present our friend and Brother, Mr. Hal Burnett, (Applause.)

#### GREETING-HAL BURNETT

MR. HAL BURNETT: Master of Ceremonies, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

What a privilege it is to be here this evening with these fine Sisters and Brothers. You know as we have sat here this evening and listened to those marvelous talks by distinguished people, and this year as I have traveled from place to place, from one side of this state to the other, it has been a real privilege to serve with Sister Sally and Brother Dick. They have truly brought Masonry home to you first hand.

It has been our purpose this year to do our best to unite the principles and the teachings of our great Masonic organizations with the membership of this great state. We feel that each of the independent bodies, Rainbow, DeMolay, Scottish Rite, Chapter and Council, Commandery, the Beauceant, and all that go to make up Masonry are all important to this great fraternity.

I need not tell you that some of the conditions in our great Nation are not what we really like at this time, because you are familiar with that. And truly somewhere there is a road out. Truly somewhere there is a road that will lead us back to the high and noble principles on which this great Nation of ours was founded. And that road is the one that was followed by the Star as it went across the sky and hovered over the Christ Child. And you know there is one thing a little peculiar about this particular road and the knowledge of the Star. You know it was the Wise Men, and along with the Wise Men, the sheep herders that followed this trail.

And may I submit to you that if we bring America back to the high and noble principles on which it was founded, and cure some of the ills that would wreck our schools and poison our youth with narcotics, we must find this road and dedicate ourselves to it.

From the beginning of time there have been principles for which people have dedicated themselves. And we in this organization have dedicated ourselves to following this road that we are talking about and doing all that is in our power to follow the principles of God's Creation when he created this world of ours.

There is a destiny that makes men Brothers. No one goes his way alone. Much we put into the lives of others come back into your own.

> What e'er the station we receive One thing holds firm and fast; That in his life of days and deeds The soul of man is cast.

Our forefathers lived, sacrificed and dedicated their lives to give us these great principles. Through dedication and sacrifice, the soul of America was cast.

It is said that Carl Marx was so dedicated to the destruction of the principles upon which we founded this great nation that in his lifetime he had more conversion to his way of life than all of the Protestant preachers put together. He dedicated himself, along with Lenin, to bring into existence an order that would destroy the very foundation of God's Creation for man.

Our Pilgrim forefathers were men and women who dedicated themselves to the principles of living their lives according to the dictates of their own consciences and to worshiping in the Church of their choice.

My friends, it is a struggle between right and wrong. And if this road is paved properly by the dedication of all people of their lives for the high and noble principles of our great order, than our ills in America will be cured.

So, my friends, our purpose this year is to take our program to the homes, to take our programs to the children, and to the ladies. Certainly the principles of Free Masonry are not secret. And those principles will be brought to our homes. And if that is done I feel that we will have the most intelligent generation the world has ever known through the children of today.

It is serious, my friends. We have a great responsibility to the children. They need our attention. A great responsibility rests upon our shoulders. And may we as Masons and Eastern Stars, and all Rites of Masonry, rededicate ourselves to those principles that have brought America to the greatness it now enjoys. It is a great privilege, my friends, to be a part of the salvation of the great America, the greatest Nation on the face of the earth.

Sister Sally and Brother Dick, what a pleasure it has been to be with both of you. And may God in his infinite love reach down and guide each of you to a wholesome, happy life.

Thank you very much. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Brother Burnett. Truly it is an honor to have you as one of our own. (Applause.)

In the history of the Crusades we learn that ageless and enduring treasures of life have come down to us through and by the bravery of those Valiant Knights of the Cross. Todays Knights of the Cross of the Grand Commandery of Texas are a bulwark of strength in the Masonic family and a force for good in our State. Tonight they are represented by the esteemed Right Eminent Grand Commander, Sir Knight Ed Bloomquist.

It is a privilege to present you to this assembly Right Eminent Sir Knight Bloomquist.

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

#### GREETINGS—GRAND COMMANDERY

#### MR. ED BLOOMQUIST: Thank you, Master of Ceremonies.

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, and if I may dispense with the Masonic Fraternity and simply pay my respects to those of you here, when I stand in the presence of my mentors who have given so much of their time and their talents, it makes me feel very, very humble.

And to stand here and see the beautiful group of ladies and these Brothers, it is truly an honor.

I would like for you to imagine with me for a moment what Texas, what the United States, what the free world would be tonight if it were not for the Masonic Order. What would our civilization be with out it? What would our culture be without it? It is simply to tell you that no man has the words to describe the contribution that the Masonic Order and the Eastern Star have made to the freedom and the heritage and good life we enjoy. Praise God we may pass it on to those who follow, in better hands, in better conditions, and in greater strength than when we received it from those who preceded us.

I have the honor to bring you greetings from the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Texas, and when your Worthy Grand Matron invited me to come I felt it was an honor and a privilege, and I readily accepted.

I want to tell you a story. After I had accepted the invitation of the Worthy Grand Matron there were friends of mine, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, who said, "I understand you are going to Grand Chapter."

And that got to be asked so much it reminded me of a story.

A young lady was driving her car down the road at seventy-five miles an hour, and she looked in the rear view mirror and saw a cop. She figured if she speeded up to eighty miles an hour she might lose him. So that is what she did. And when she looked in the rear view mirror again she saw not one cop but two. So she rushed into a filling station with a screech, stopped, and ran into the little room marked "Ladies."

When she came out the two police officers were still standing there, and without batting an eye she smiled and coyly said, "I bet you two fellows thought I wasn't going to make it." (Applause.)

Now I bring greetings from the Knights Templar of Texas to the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

Just recently the York Bodies decided to honor our Grand Master. You can tell by what I am going to say how active I have been in the Eastern Star. I actually thought there were about 100 Chapters. So I made the statement that I was going to write a letter to at least five Past Patrons of all the Chapters in Texas. And I asked Brother Hal Burnett for his lists. And Lo and Behold he gave me a list of 775 Chapters. I didn't know what I was going to do.

I want to publicly thank the Grand Officers, Past Grand Officers and especially that wonderful Secretary, Mrs. Rebecca Miles, (Applause), and the Secretaries of those 775 Chapters who helped me address the envelopes.

We want to honor the Most Worshipful Grand Master and Past Grand Patron on October 10, and I would appreciate your doing one other little thing for us, ask your husbands to be in Waco, Texas, on October 10, when we honor this great Christian gentleman. Thank you. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Sir Knight Bloomquist. You honor us by your presence.

Many distinguished personages honor our Grand Chapter tonight. Each one is a representative of one of the Masonic Bodies, There is a bond between the Eastern Stars and all branches of the Masonic fraternity. It lies not alone in mutual respect and esteem. The ties that bind us are the dearest of all. We are the wives, daughters, mothers, widows and sisters of Master Masons. It is a pleasure to present the Honorable Doctor D. D. Tidwell, Grand High Priest, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Texas. (Applause.)

#### GREETINGS-GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF TEXAS

DR. D. D. TIDWELL: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Officers, Past and Present of the various Eastern Star and Masonic Bodies, Ladies and Gentlemen:

It is a privilege to bring you greeting from the more than 40,000 Royal Arch Masons of Texas.

Royal Arch Masons of Texas are the owners and operators of the Home for Aged Masons in Arlington, not far from your own Eastern Star Home. It is one of the major projects of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons.

I felt that this would be a very pleasant and profitable session in the age in which we find ourselves, an age of tumult and turmoil, and age in which we hear so many angry and dangerous voices.

Perhaps Masonry and the Eastern Star and our various organizations have never been challenged more to demonstrate the spirit of fraternal love and the spirit of Brotherhood. I am sure that those of you who are here tonight will seek to demonstrate this spirit and this attitude in a world that is desperately in need of understanding, of a helpful hand and a cheerful word.

My order has done a lot for me. Some years ago as I thought about the significance of those special degrees I tried to express it in these words:

Long years ago I climbed a stair And rapped at an ancient door.

I entered in a temple fair

And trod the checkered floor.

I passed between the pillars two; I climbed the winding stair. The letter G came into view— I earned my wages there.

I raised my heart in ardent prayer.

I counted not the cost.

I searched afar with earnest care But still the Word was lost.

Though some may think my search absurd→ When time shall ebb and fail,

I hope to hear the Master's Word Beyond life's mystic veil.

(Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Dr. Tidwell. Truły you honor your office.

Another distinguished Mason who has acquired the esteem of his fellowmen honors us by his presence tonight. It is a pleasure to present Honorable Charles C. Sherrod, Grand Master, Grand Council, Royal and Select Masons of Texas.

Mr. Sherrod. (Applause.)

# GREETINGS-GRAND COUNCIL, ROYAL AND SELECT MASONS

MR. CHARLES C. SHERROD: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worshipful Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

It is indeed an honor and pleasure for me to bring greetings to you, fraternal greetings and best wishes, from the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masons of Texas. We are very proud that the Order of the Eastern Star is a part of the Masonic family and for the unity that exists among us which enables us to be of more service to our fellowmen.

As members of this great fraternity we are building a wonderful structure for all to see, a structure where the foundation is laid on firm ground and the highest ideals. This structure is supported by the great beauty of our structure and devotion to the best interest of all.

Let me wish for you a most successful and fruitful meeting. God bless you. (Applause.)

#### MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Mr. Sherrod.

Tradition has given to us a very delightful custom of inviting the Associate Grand Matron to respond to the words of welcome spoken by the distinguished guests and members. That custom gives us a glimpse into the future to see the fine leadership we might expect in the year ahead. It is with pleasure that I present one who walks in the paths of service with the inward assurance of God's tender guiding hand.

Mr. Frances Key Herrin, Associate Grand Matron. (Applause.)

#### RESPONSE

MRS. FRANCES KEY HERRIN, Associate Grand Matron: Master of. Ceremonies, Mrs. Mildred Garlitz, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, General Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, the Most Worshipful Mr. Hal Burnett, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, other Distinguished Masons, the Honorable Mr. Louie Welch, Mayor of Houston, Distinguished East, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

Through custom and tradition and the courtesy of our Worthy Grand Matron, it is my pleasure and honor to respond to the words of welcome extended to us, the Visitors to Houston and to this 88th "Harp of Happiness" Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star;

Houston's welcome has a distinction all its own! With our world growing ever smaller, the City of Houston is famous for its role in the Space Program. Peoples of all countries have been impressed with the activities in the Control Room at NASA, and the great responsibilities of those working in that Program. Each of us has come with the keenest anticipation; anticipation of renewing old friendships, making new ones and yes, a bit of sight-seeing on the side!

Mayor Welch, thank you for your warm welcome and the wonderful hospitality we have experienced in your great City. Each visitor in this assemblage would want me to express their personal appreciation for your cordial welcome. We will try to show our gratitude by being the sort of guests you would be pleased to welcome on other occasions!

Judge Clyde E. Smith, we thank you for the words of welcome on behalf of our Governor, the Honorable Preston Smith. We, in Texas, are proud of our great State and her leaders! We appreciate your presence here as one of our beloved Past Grand Patrons, the contributions you make to the welfare of our State and as the emissary of our Governor! Especially do we appreciate your welcome! As members of the Order of the Eastern Star, we are deeply grateful for the heritage that is ours. We fully realize that it is through our affiliation with a member of your great fraternity that we are privileged to meet under any conditions and certainly, on an occasion such as this!

To Mr. Paul Harriss, Chairman of the Executive Committee and to the Eastern Stars of Houston, our deepest and most sincere "thank you" for your warm welcome! We are aware of the hours, days and months you have spent in preparing for this Session, and for our coming! Please consider these words as personal ones from each visitor here assembled!

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, we have come with the intention of giving our best to help make this, your Session, both profitable and pleasant! We trust that you may have the satisfaction of remembering this Session with gladness, all the days of your life! (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you, Sister Frances Herrin. Tonight we are assured that you will add efficiency and brilliance to your office.

# PRESENTATION

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Like the chords and octaves of a great cantata the cadence and rhythm of a drill is a masterpiece of the enduring qualities of patience and persistence. Under the direction of the Grand Marshal, Mrs. Billie Rogers, a drill will be given by the Grand Officers, Boards, District Deputy Grand Matrons, Deputy Grand Matrons, Committees, Grand Representatives, Grand Pages, Assistant Grand Warders, Assistant Grand Sentinels, Grand Ushers, Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons.

#### RHAPSODY OF STARS

The Grand Officers, Boards, District Deputy Grand Matrons, Deputy Grand Matrons, Grand Representatives, Grand Pages, Assistant Grand Warders and Sentinels, Grand Ushers and Committee Members and Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of Texas were presented in the Rhapsody of Stars Drill.

The concluding formation was a Lyre within the Pentagon, within the Star.

The Floor Oficers were the Notes, the Boards were the top of the Lyre, the Masonic Education and the Home Endowment Committee formed the bottom of the Lyre. The Deputies, Grand Examiners, Grand Chapter Committee Members formed the strings of the Lyre. The Worthy Matrons and

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Worthy Patrons the pentagon and other Grand Chapter Committees formed the points of the Star.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: There is no criteria by means of which due recognition be given to so many for so much time and effort in presenting this drill. Mr. Dick Fisher, with his inimitable voice, will dedicate a song to those in the drill to express our appreciation.

#### SOLO

Mr. Richard L. Fisher then sang "Live One Day at a Time."

#### PRESENTATION OF EXECUTIVE AND ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Whatever measure of success this Grand Chapter Session achieves, much of the credit rightfully belongs to the Executive and Arrangements Committees. Because of their skill, talents and willingness to work the Harp of Happiness Session is replete with success. As an outward expression of their love and loyalty they have planned a surprise for the Worthy Grand Matron. They will now execute their surprise drill.

#### COFFEE POT DRILL

The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were seated in rocking chairs on the Grand Chapter floor and the Executive and Arrangements Committees entered and formed a Coffee Pot. Large cups were presented to the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. The Grand Organist played "Let's Have a Cup of Coffee, Let's Have a Cup of Tea." The presentation was heartily applauded.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: We, thank you very much for this very clever drill, (Applause.)

The benediction will be pronounced by one whose life exemplifies in the highest degree the teachings of our Order, our amiable Past Grand Patron, Dr. James Goettee. During the prayer will you please stand with bowed heads and thankful hearts that we are privileged to gather here in His Name. And will each one whisper a prayer for the Mother of our Worthy Grand Matron who is very ill.

Doctor Goettee.

#### BENEDICTION

DR. JAMES GOETTEE: Heavenly Father, we are grateful for the love and friendship we enjoy as members of this beautiful Order. With humble hearts we thank Thee for the Order of the Eastern Star and the great philosophical truths it inculcates. May we ever be mindful of the blessing we enjoy as a society of Sisters and Brothers, dedicated to the beautiful and good in life.

Bless our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, and give them guidance and wisdom in their deliberations. May the accomplishments of the Eighty-eighth, "The Harp of Happiness" Session of this Grand Chapter be pleasing in Thy sight.

Help each of us in meeting our responsibilities in this session of Grand Chapter. When our deliberations are ended and the decisions are made, may the final results be good and our experiences be remembered as pleasant. These blessings we ask in Thy ineffable name and through Thy Son Jesus, our Lord. Amen.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Now we will prepare for the ritualistic opening of Grand Chapter.

The Informal Opening was concluded at 9:10 P. M.

# **Ritualistic Opening**

The ritualistic opening of the Eighty-eighth Session, The Harp of Happiness Session, of the Grand Chapter of Texas was called to order by Mrs. Mary Ella Schoverling, Past Grand Matron, and Mr. Ed. Sharpe, Past Grand Patron.

# PRECIOUS ROSE DRILL

Preceding the Formal Opening the Floor Officers and their Personal Pages were presented in their Precious Rose Drill, They carried styrofoam Lyres with silver strings, with pink roses at the base with ribbon streamers. Following the performance of a revolving wheel they went into the formation of a rose, tracing the petals on a large canvas depicting a pink rose. While they remained in the formation Mr. Richard L. Fisher sang "Only a Rose."

### CALL TO ORDER

MRS. MARY ELLA SCHOVERLING: Master of Ceremonies, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers:

My heart is filled with humility and gratitude for the privilege of service as we call to order this Formal Opening of the Harps of Happiness Session. We are grateful for the privilege of assisting precious friends in a time when love, understanding and help are needed. Our hearts are sad because our beloved friends who were to call to order this Formal session cannot perform these duties. Early last Wednesday morning God gently touched the heart of our beloved Past Grand Patron, Brother William G. Vollus, and called him to eternal rest. Our love, our thoughts and prayers are with our beloved Sister Lallah Mae. We pray that God will enfold her in His everlasting arms of love and give her comfort, courage and faith for each tomorrow. Brother Ed. Sharpe and I are grateful that we can assist our Worthy Grand Matron by performing these duties.

Time moves all too swiftly and we find ourselves at the closing of another year in the history of our Grand Chapter. We stand upon the threshold of the Harp of Happiness Session. Storm Jameson once said, "Happiness comes of the capacity to feel deeply, to enjoy simple things of life, to think freely, to risk life and to be needed." Surely our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron should be very happy tonight for they have given their best to each of these attributes. We are grateful to them for their leadership and for their great contribution to the work of our Order. Sally's sweet smile of happiness has won the hearts of all of us.

It is a joy to greet each of you. We are honored and blessed by the presence of so many distinguished guests. Sister Mildred Haney Harris, our Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, what a blessing your presence brings us on

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this special occasion. We are happy that you can be with us. Truly you are our bright and shining Light.

Sister Katherine Poulis, Brother Marvin Simpson, our Distinguished Members of General Grand Chapter, do know how pleased and honored we are by your presence. Soon you will be going to General Grand Chapter tocomplete your duties, and our love and thoughts will be with you.

Sister Birdie Mae Mulhern, Brother Dub Sanders, both members of General Grand Chapter Committees and our good neighbors, your presence rings a melody of happiness in our hearts. Thank you for coming to our Harp of Happiness Session. May you have many happy memories of your visit with us.

Grateful are we for the presence of many members—this is your Grand. Chapter. We hope you will be mindful of the importance of your presence in each session. We are here to legislate and plan for the future welfare of our Grand Chapter. Do know that your presence and cooperation will mean much to our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. May you have a happy and joyous time and return home feeling that your time spent with us was profitable. I look forward to greeting each of you during these days of our Harp of Happiness Session.

Worthy Grand Matron, as you come to this high moment of your year as our Worthy Grand Matron, that of bringing in the sheaves of your harvest, I know each of us will rejoice at your many accomplishments. May God richly and abundantly bless you and give you Divine wisdom as you preside over your Harp of Happiness Session. Thank you for the honor and privilege of serving you and our Grand Chapter.

An extra special Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for inviting Brother Ed. Sharpe, one of our distinguished Past Grand Patrons, to assist me in calling to order this session. (Applause.)

Brother Ed, I know our members eagerly await words of greetings from you.

MR. ED. SHARPE: Worihy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, other Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

It is a very special privilege to participate in the opening of this Eightyeighth Session of our Grand Chapter of Texas. We know that every effort has been put forth by the members of the Host City Chapters to make this meeting a most enjoyable and most productive session.

During the week I hope to meet old friends and renew many old acquaintances and make many new friends.

Thank you, my good friend Sister Mary Ella Schoverling, for the privilege of acting as your escort and for giving me the privilege of greeting our Sisters and Brothers.

# Thank you. (Applause.)

MRS. MARY ELLA SCHOVERLING: We will now have a report from the Credentials Committee. It is my privilege to present Mr. Bill Holmes, Chairman of the Credentials Committee.

## PARTIAL REPORT OF CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members of the Order, My Sisters and Brothers:

Your Credentials Committee is pleased to report and certify that representatives of regular appointed proxies of two hundred Subordinate Chapters of the Grand Chapter of Texas together with the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron are present; and this, according to the Constitution, constitutes a Quorum to open this Grand Chapter for the transaction of business. This is a preliminary report of your Credentials Committee.

Respectively submitted,

C. A. "BILL" HOLMES, Chairman MRS. MAYDELLE GRUBBS MRS. LOLA WALLACE LARRY A. WHEELER WALTER CALLAWAY

#### MRS. MARY ELLA SCHOVERLING: Thank you, Brother Holmes.

Sisters and Brothers, the Credentials Committee having reported that we have present a quorum, I now call to order the Formal Opening of the Eightyeighth Harp of Happiness Session of this Grand Chapter.

Grand Marshal, you will escort into our Grand Chapter room Brother Richard T. Porter, Worthy Grand Patron, Bother Victor Jones, Associate Grand Patron, and Sister Katherine Harbour, Associate Grand Conductress.

Worthy Grand Patron, it is with pride that I present to you the gavel so that you may invite the Worthy Grand Matron and other Grand Officers<sup>•</sup> to enter for the Ritualistic opening of our Grand Chapter.

#### RITUALISTIC OPENING

Grand Chapter was opened in ritualistic form at 9:50 P. M.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, may I again welcome you to this Eighty-eighth Session and express my appreciation to those who participated in the Informal Opening, to Sister Robbie Yates and Brother J. T. Sanders for calling our Informal Opening to order for us. Each one participating played an important part in my Eastern Star career.

To Sister Mary Ella Schoverling and Brother Ed L. Sharpe, my undying thanks to you for filling in at the last moment. Sister Lallah Mae and Brother William G. Vollus were to have opened the Formal Session, but we have been saddened by the sudden death of Brother Bill Vollus. It is at times like this that we are eternally grateful for cherished and loyal friends. Thank you for accepting this place of service.

Worthy Grand Patron, I know you would like to add your thanks. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron.

Sister Mary Ella Schoverling and Brother Ed Sharpe, my two very good friends, I am appreciative of your fine service to this Grand Chapter. I am delighted to be with you on all occasions and to share the Grand East with you on this occasion. Thank you for giving us this honor of your calling this Grand Chapter to order.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for giving me the opportunity to express my appreciation to these two very fine friends. (Applause.)

# INTRODUCTIONS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We are delighted and consider it a privilege to have many distinguished Guests with us and it is a pleasure to introduce them to you.

## PAST MOST WORTHY GRAND MATRON

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris at the Altar.

CRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the honor of presenting Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Past Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, no greater pleasure could be mine than to welcome you at our Altar. You represent the greatest achievement of all in our Order, and the State of Texas is proud to call such a gracious Lady, our very own. (Applause.)

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our distinguished member to the East.

Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, was escorted to the East, introduced and given Grand Honors.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Do we have any elective and Floor Officers of the General Grand Chapter?

#### GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER COMMITTEE MEMBERS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the General Grand Chapter Committee Members at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the honor and privilege of presenting Mrs. Birdie Mae Mulhern, Unfinished Business Committee; Mrs. Katherine Poulis, Chairman of Public Relations Committee; Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Member of Jurisprudence Committee and Mr. E. N. (Dub) Sanders, Members of the Unfinished Business Committee, of the General Grand Chapter.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Katherine Poulis and Judge Marvin B. Simpson, it is with pride that I welcome you tonight. We in Texas are most proud that you were chosen to represent the State of Texas in the General Grand Chapter, and for the honor that you bring to us. You are most deserving. (Applause.) Sister Bertie Mae Mulhern and Brother Dub Sanders, we welcome you to Texas and appreciate your coming our way. We hope that you enjoy your visit with us and will want to return again.

The distinguished members presented at the Altar were escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

#### WORTHY GRAND MATRONS AND WORTHY GRAND PATRONS OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of other Grand Jurisdictions at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, it is my honor and privilege to present Mrs. Jane McCluskey, Worthy Grand Matron of Kentucky.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It is a happy privilege for me to welcome you tonight. Your presence here assures us of the strong bonds of friendship that exists between our Grand Jurisdictions. We want your stay with us to be a happy one and that you will come again. (Applause.)

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our distinguished member to the East.

The distinguished member presented at the Altar was escorted to the East, introduced and given Grand Honors.

## PAST GRAND MATRONS AND PAST GRAND PATRONS OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present our distinguished member at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the honor and pleasure of presenting Mr. Leon Rosa, Past Grand Patron of Idaho.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It is a pleasure for me to greet you tonight. I know how important you are to your own Jurisdiction. The State of Texas extend to you a most hearty welcome and hope you will come again. (Applause.)

The Past Grand Patron presented at the Altar was escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

# PAST GRAND MATRONS AND PAST GRAND PATRONS OF TEXAS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present our own Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, it is my honor and happy privilege to present:

Mrs. Birdie Jane Easterling Mrs. Mattie M. Mitchell Mrs. Rebecca L. Miles Mrs. Viva S. Huffman Mrs. Hallie Anglin

Mrs. Cynthia Mae Watts

Mrs. Mabel Harle Mrs. Mildred Garlitz Mrs. Mary Ella Schoverling Mrs. Eunice Connell Mrs. Lois Burnett Mrs. Ruby Enloe Mrs. Thelma McReynolds Mrs. Mary Katherine Smith Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard Mrs. Molly Goodpastue Mrs. Amy Coebel Mrs. Edna Earl Duke Mrs. Mildred Sharpe Mrs. Nancy Bailey Mrs. Robbie Yates, Past Grand Matrons Judge Clyde E. Smith Mr. Frank R. Phillips Mr. Ed. L. Sharpe Dr. R. O. Fuqua Mr. Gerald C. Allen Mr. Hal Burnett Dr. James H. Goettee Mr. Herschel F. Harrington Mr. Herbert L. Arnold Mr. J. T. Sanders, Past Grand Patrons

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: To us, this is a very special group and one whom we all admire and respect. You have brought to us through the years a priceless heritage, and those who follow in your footsteps try to measure up to the many accomplishments that have gone before. Our hearts swell with pride as we greet you tonight. (Applause.)

The Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas who were presented at the Altar were escorted to the East, introduced, and given. Grand Honors.

#### GRAND OFFICERS AND OFFICERS OF GRAND CHAPTER OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sicters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Grand Officers of Grand Chapter of other Grand Jurisdictions behind Esther's station.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the honor to present:

Mrs. Jonna Prewett, Grand Organist of Grand Chapter of Louisiana.

Mr. Clarence Henderson, Associate Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of Louisiana.

Mrs. Lucille Grimes, Grand Conductress of the Grand Chapter of Florida.

Mrs. Virginia Patton, Associate Grand Conductress of the Grand Chapter of Louisiana.

Mrs. Ruth Levy, Grand Chaplain, Grand Chapter of Louisiana.

Mrs. Dorothy McClure, Grand Esther of Grand Chapter of Louisiana.

Miss Ruth Louise Spofford, Grand Ruth of Grand Chapter in Louisiana. Mr. Peck L. LaBauregeois, Grand Sentinel of the Grand Chapter of Louisiana.

Mrs. Grace Grimes, District Deputy Grand Matron of the Chapter of Louisiana.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It is with pleasure that I welcome you tonight. We are most pleased that you came our way. We are not strangers but co-workers in our beautiful Order. We look forward to your coming our way again. (Applause.)

The Grand Officers and Officers of Grand Chapter of other Grand Jurisdictions were given a hearty welcome.

#### GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Grand Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the honor to present:

Mrs. Margaret Hass, Texas in California Mrs. Ruby Nieman, Texas in Iowa Mrs. Judy Gaunce, Texas in Indiana

Mrs. Ada Albin, Texas in Idaho Mrs. Rena Clinesmith, Texas in Kansas

Mrs. Leona Wuest, Texas in Kentucky Mrs. Omadell Beasley, Texas in Louisiana

Mrs. Alice Carstens, Texas in Missouri

Mrs. Florence Littlefield, Texas in Nova Scotia

Mrs. Rebah Holcomb, Texas in New York Mrs. Virginia Caudell, Texas in North Carolina

Mrs. Doretta Brock, Texas in Ohio

Mrs. Loiretta Biotk, Texas in Oregon Mrs. Hope Ham, Texas in Virginia Miss Elizabeth Cheeney, Texas in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Pearl K. Henderson, Florida in Louisiana Mrs. Gaynel Jessup, North Carolina in Louisiana Mrs. Mabel Rosa, New Hampshire in Idaho Mra Margaret Nathurat Kantadu in Elorida

Mrs. Margaret Nathurst, Kentucky in Florida

Mrs. Marjorie Stephenson, Delaware in Louisiana

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It is a pleasure to welcome you to this Eighty-eighth Session and hope that your stay will be a pleasant one, that the many miles you have traveled will be worth while. (Applause.)

Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort these Grand Representatives to the East.

The Grand Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions who were presented at the Altar were escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

## GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS TO TEXAS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present the Grand Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions in Texas at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, I have the honor and privilege of presenting:

Mrs. Dovie Davidson, Alabama

Mrs. Violet Dean, Arkansas

Mrs. Opal Tippen, Colorado Mrs. Elenor Petro, District of Columbia Mrs. Clara Fuqua, Georgia Mrs. Lela Wilson, Idaho

Mrs. Edna Struby, Kentucky

Mrs. Lelia Sawers, Manitoba

Mrs. Jewel Montgomery, Massachusetts

Mrs. Rachel Burnett, Michigan

Mrs. Mae Tietze, Missouri

Mrs. Minnie Lee Spencer, Mississippi

Mrs. Sarah Finger, New Jersey

Mrs. Irene Callaway, New Mexico Mrs. Belle Atchison, North Carolina Mrs. Nola Claxton, Oklahoma

Mrs. Agnes Morris, Ontario Mrs. Mary Louise Harris, Pennsylvania

Mrs. Mildred Love, Puerto Rico Mrs. Myrtle Davis, Saskatchewan Mrs. Clara Klein, South Dakota

Mrs. Uva Reuwer, Tennessee Mrs. Sadie Sickel, Vermont Mrs. Irene Viereck, Virginia Mrs. Alma Chandler, Washington

Mrs. Vera Trout, Wisconsin

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It is a pleasure for me to welcome our own Grand Representatives at the Altar. You are our ambassadors of good will to the other Jurisdictions and the ones who strengthen the ties of fraternal love and friendship of our great Order. May I express my personal gratitude to you for the great work you do. (Applause.)

The Grand Representatives were escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress.

To give the response to the Welcome for the Distinguished Guests, I am happy and delighted to present a very lovely lady from Kentucky.

Sisters and Brothers, I present to you Mrs. Jane McCluskey, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Kentucky. (Applause.)

## **RESPONSE TO WELCOME FOR THE DISTINGUISHED GUESTS**

MRS. JANE McCLUSKEY: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Members of the General Grand Chapter, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred Haney Harris, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

It is a distinct honor to be invited to respond in behalf of all distinguished guests from Sister Grand Jurisdictions, to your most cordial and heartwarm-ing welcome and to thank you and the Grand Jurisdiction of Texas for all the courtesies extended to us. To represent all distinguished guests in this manner is an honor to my Grand Jurisdiction, of Kentucky, and a personal pleasure for me. We are delighted to be here and are enjoying the melody from your Harps of Happiness. We have felt the warmth of your handclasp, the sunshine of your smile and for every deed of kindness we are indeed grateful.

One of the most wonderful rights that is given to us in the Landmarks of our Order is the last one, the right and privilege to visit other Chapters and Grand Jurisdictions. The more we take advantage of this opportunity, the more wonderful friends we make. Sister Sally and Brother Richard, I am reminded of the similarity between the beauty, grandeur and pageantry of this evening and the poem "My Neighbor's Roses." Yours has been the toil and care; ours the pleasure to behold.

May I extend to all of you a most cordial invitation to attend our "Friendship Session, October 25 through 28, to be held in Louisville, Kentucky. We would be very happy to have you with us at that time.

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally, may God in His goodness richly bless and direct you as you preside over this "Harp of Happiness" Session, and my sincere gratitude for this privilege of responding on behalf of the distinguished guests. Thank you sincerely.

There is much joy in presenting to you, Worthy Grand Matron, and Worthy Grand Patron, this little token of love and appreciation from your distinguished guests. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you so much.

Sisters and Brothers, do we have distinguished members who have not been introduced?

Since it is growing so late, we will delay the presentation of the Executive and Aarangements Committee until in the morning.

I recognize Mrs. Lena Maye Cook for the adoption of the ESTARL Committee Report.

#### REPORT OF ESTARL COMMITTEE

MRS. LENA MAYE COOK: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, My Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, I want to thank you for the privilege which has been mine to serve with four efficient, cooperative, lovely ladies as the Committee you appointed to assist in this wonderful year for ESTARL. Many pleasant memories will be ours for years to come.

It is an honor to present them:

Mrs. Ruth Stewart, District One, Dallas, Texas Mrs. Nina Jo Spikes, District Two, Lubbock, Texas Mrs. Sadie Ball, District Three, Fort Worth, Texas Mrs. Lucille Powell, District Five, San Antonio, Texas

After Grand Chapter Installation of Grand Officers in Fort Worth, the following officers were chosen to serve for the ESTARL year.

Mrs. Nina Jo Spikes, District Two, Secretary Mrs. Sadie Ball, District Three, Treasurer

We deeply appreciate the generous contributions given by the Chapters who gave with the wonderful spirit of unselfishness. We feel much good will come from these fine people who have sought our aid in trying to better a Christian World by a religious phase of study in our colleges. May their leadership be outstanding always.

We, the Committee, gave preference to applicants having their legal residence in Texas, who are attending Texas collegs, who have completed at least one year of college work, this being in compliance with the application forms accepted by General Grand Chapter. We made exceptions to this rule when a Chapter gave a full scholarship, and sponsored an applicant; that is, if same met all requirements.

Each Committee member handled all applications and correspondence of their respective districts. There were fifty-one applications to be studied when we met in Austin, Texas, August 22, 1970.

The following eight Chapters gave a full \$400.00 scholarships:

Mt. Auburn No. 755	District I <sup>.</sup>
A. C. Garrett No. 774	District I
Melrose No. 920	District IV
Woodland No. 696	District IV
Spring Branch No. 984	District IV
Magnolia No. 706	. District IV
Alamo Heights No. 734	. District V
Bethany No. 912	District V

We gave long study and careful consideration to the following twentynine awards; twenty-eight were \$400.00 each, and one was \$200.00.

#### District I

- 1. Samuel Jesse Burnett, recommended by Bonham Chapter No. 852, studying for the Baptist Ministry, attending Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.
- 2. Marilyn Graham, recommended by Lindale Chapter No. 864, Religious Education, Southwestern Seminary.
- 3. Robert B. Hays, recommended by Love Field Chapter No. 875, studying for the Ministry, Perkins School of Theology, S. M. U.
- 4. Bettye Housman, recommended by A. C. Garrett Chapter No. 774, Music, Baylor University.
- 5. Minus Baskin Jackson, recommended by Longview Chapter No. 610, Ministry, Union Theological Seminary.
- 6. Robert C. Maxey, recommended by Southern Star Chapter No. 707, Ministry, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.
- 7. Terry J. Parsons, recommended by Paris Chapter No. 5, Chaplain, Perkins School of Theology, S. M. U.
- 8. Randy Smith, recommended by Oak Cliff Chapter No. 303, Ministry, Dallas Baptist College.
- 9. Billy Ray Smith, recommended by Mt. Auburn Chapter No. 755, Ministry, El Centro Junior College, Perkins Lay Pastor School.
- 10. John F. Teer, recommended by Cockrell Hill Chapter No. 971, Ministry, Perkins School of Theology, S. M. U.

## DISTRICT II

- 11. John Thomas Ball, recommended by Ft. Stockton Chapter No. 230, Medical Missionary, University of Plano.
- 12. John W. Christian, recommended by Midland Chapter No. 253, Ministry, Dallas Baptist College.
- 13. Thomas J. Dufresne, recommended by Ft. Stockton Chapter No. 230, Ministry, Howard Payne College.
- 14. John Lee Rabon, recommended by Ft. Stockton Chapter No. 230, Ministry, Howard Payne College.
- 15. Ted Kendal Wright, recommended by Anson Chapter No. 867, Ministry, Hardin Simmons University.

#### DISTRICT III

- 16. Otis Swafford Hawkins, Jr., recommended by Polytechnic Chapter No. 420, Ministry, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.
- 17. Clenn C. Sammis, recommended by Fort Worth Chapter No. 681, Ministry, Brite College (T. C. U.).

#### · DISTRICT IV

- John E. Carkeet, recommended by Spring Branch Chapter No. 984, Ministry, Luther Rice Seminary.
- Spurgeon M. Dunnam, Jr., recommended by Sweeney Chapter No. 873, Ministry, Perkins School of Theology.
- 20. Guy L. Knoll, recommended by Bellaire Chapter No. 1021, Ministry, Southwestern University.
- 21. James T. Ramsey, Jr., recommended by Woodland Chapter No. 696, Ministry, Virginia Theological Seminary.
- 22. Roger W. Reed, recommended by South Park Chapter No. 1056, Ministry, Lamar State College of Technology.
- 23. Ernest W. Pounders, recommended by Melrose Chapter No. 920, Music, Sam Houston State Teachers College.
- 24. Frankie J. Schaefer, recommended by Frank W. Lynn Chapter No. 1015 Ministry, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.
- 25. Rex M. Shepperd, recommended by Somerville Chapter No. 245, Chaplain, Perkins School of Theology.
- 26. Don Wolf, recommended by Magnolia Chapter No. 706, Ministry, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

# DISTRICT V

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- 27. Bobby Joe Danley, recommended by Uvalde Chapter No. 297, Ministry, Hardin Simmons University.
- 28. Thomas C. Elliott, Jr., recommended by Ed Couch Chapter No. 859, Ministry, Perkins School of Theology, S. M. U.

- 29. Charlene R. Peal, recommended by Oso Chapter No. 868, Church Music, Southern Methodist University.
- 30. Ben E. Hall and recommended by Alamo Hts. Chapter No. 734, Ministry, San Antonio College.

Our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, requested a "Harp of Happiness" Worship Service at the Jones Hall, Sunday morning, 9:45 to 11:30, September 27, 1970. Local religious leaders were on the program and our guest speaker was Rev. Gaylord H. Dodgen, Pastor of Trinity Presbyterian Church, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Rev. Dodgen is the nephew of our Worthy Grand Matron. We wish each of you could have experienced the spiritual blessings which have been ours.

We wish to express our appreciation to Mrs. Mertis Stone, Grand Organist; Miss Peggy Patterson, Grand Choir Director; the members of the Arrangements Committee, our Junior Past Patrons and all who helped in any way, and especially to my son, Clyde Cook, Rev. Dodgen, Pastor Wells, Dr. Williams, Mrs. Diane Tobola and the Arabia Temple Chanters.

Fraternally submitted,

LENA MAYE COOK, Chairman RUTH STEWARD NINA J. SPIKES SADIE BALL LUCILLE POWELL

# 1969-1970 ESTARL FINANCIAL REPORT

11-24-1969 Deposit	nk	157.82 4,911.89 856.03
28—\$200.00 checks—Balance of 1968-1969	Total	5,925.74 5,600.00
Balance in Bank August 1, Deposit September 2, 1970	1970	325.74 325.74 11,164.00
28 checks @ \$200.00 1 check @ \$200.00	Total in Bank	\$ 11,489.74 5,600.00 200.00
2 checks @ \$200.00	Balance	
Welfare reported 9-30-1970	Balance	3 5,289.74 3 11,438.13 3 621.00
We gave:	Year Total	12,059.14
30—\$400.00 Award	ls	

1- 200.00 Award

Fraternally submitted,

LENA MAYE COOK, Chairman

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

## SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT OF ESTARL COMMITTEE DISTRICT I

William Pruitt Ashworth recommended by Mineola Chapter No. 454, Ministry Union Theological Seminary, Mr. R. E. Broodville at Broadway at 120th St., New York City, New York 10027.

Balance in Bank 9-1-1970	11,489.74 11,438.13
Thirty (30) Eastern Star Training Awards:	

# 1 Award @ \$400.00 ......\$ 12,000.00 1 Award @ \$200.00 ......\$ 200.00

\$ 12,200.00

Fraternally submitted,

# LENA MAYE COOK, Chairman

Worthy Grand Matron, I move the Adoption of the Report.

The ESTARL Committee Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this Monday Evening Session from Labor to Rest and direct him to permit no interruption while we are thus engaged.

#### GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM LABOR TO REST

The Bible was closed and Grand Chapter was called from Labor to Rest at 11:50 P. M.

# Tuesday Morning, September 29, 1970 . 9:00 A.M.

The Tuesday Morning Session was called to order by Mrs. Mildred Sharpe, Past Grand Matron, and Mr. Herschel Harrington, Past Grand Patron.

Preceding the Call to Order organ melodies were by Mrs. Mertis Stone, Grand Organist.

#### CALL TO ORDER

MRS. MILDRED SHARPE: Good morning, Sisters and Brothers. It is a real joy to greet you. I am sure the various greetings and welcomes, along with the beauty and pageantry of last evening, are still ringing as a glorious melody in your hearts. May the music of gladness and joy continue to blend into this Harp of Happiness Session as we begin our actual deliberations.

I now call this Tuesday morning Harp of Happiness Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas to order.

Grand Marshal, you will present the Grand Pages and Assistant Grand Warders in the "Hearts of Love" Drill.

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

#### HEARTS OF LOVE DRILL

The Grand Pages and Assistant Grand Warders, carrying folded red umbrellas, entered with two lines from the East and two lines from the West. After criss crossing and going into the formation of two hearts and at a given signal the umbrellas were opened and twirled. The Grand Organist played "Let a Smile Be Your Umbrella."

MRS. MILDRED SHARPE: Grand Marshal, the applause indicates our appreciation of your work and the intricate beauty of this presentation.

Again, we shall enjoy the work of our Grand Marshal, Mrs. Billie Rogers, as she directs the Grand Officers and their Pages in the "Precious Rose" Drill.

## PRECIOUS ROSE DRILL

The Grand Officers and Personal Pages entered and repeated the "Precious Rose Drill." During the drill Mr. Richard L. Fisher sang "Only a Rose."

MRS. MILDRED SHARPE: Again we express appreciation to our Grand Marshal, Mrs. Billie Rogers, as well as to Brother Dick Fisher and Sister Mertis Stone for adding to our enjoyment with the beautiful drill and with special music.

Grand Marshal, you will invite the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and other Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter Room.

## ENTRANCE OF GRAND OFFICERS

The labyrinth was set up and the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and Floor Officers entered, and assumed the formation outside the Chairs.

The Grand Officers assumed their stations.

MRS. MILDRED SHARPE: Sisters and Brothers, happiness is a magic word. There is a little book entitled "Happiness is Everywhere." Perhaps you read it. In the last part of the book we find the comment, "And when happiness seems to be nowhere around, remember, it's waiting to be found." We find happiness all around us this morning, Worthy Grand Matron. You've added to my personal happiness by inviting me to preside with my own Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Herschel Harrington, in calling this Tuesday Morning Session to order and in greeting our membership and in serving you. There are glorious memories of the "In Tune with the Infinite" Installation flashing through my mind, for it was in this building in 1966 that Brother Herschel and I were installed as Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. It is my pleasure to call upon that fine Christian gentleman, beloved by all, to bring you greetings this morning.

#### Brother Herschel Harrington.

MR. HERSCHEL HARRINGTON: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand . Patron, Distinguished Members, my Sisters and Brothers:

Mrs. Mildred Sharpe, it is a pleasure to be with you again. I am very much pleased to serve as your escort and to assist you in the opening of this Tuesday Morning Session. I can especially recall the time when we were in this same place to be installed four years ago as Associate Grand Matron and Associate Grand Patron when our families were with us here. It is good to look into the faces of those who were with us then and are present with us today, and to have the wonderful memories of those who were with us then and have since passed on, and to remember their love for our Order and for you and for me. Thank you. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED SHARPE: Worthy Grand Matron, surely the Music of your Heart is tuned in happiness as we assemble in your very fine Convention Center. We voice appreciation to you and to the membership of the Hostess Chapters for their labors in preparing for our comfort and happiness.

Years ago Grace Noel Crowell wrote "Happiness for Sale." It is a charming story of a little girl who brought gladness and warmth to the hearts of all who knew her. We could liken this charming person to you, Worthy Grand Matron. You have brought a spirit of happiness and warmth into our Chapter Room and we are grateful for your leadership. May the years bring about the increased measure of happiness to you and yours.

Worthy Grand Patron, the Poet must have had a man such as you in mind when he penned the words:

"God give us men! A time like this demands strong minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands."

The membership of this State is fortunate to have you as our Wonthy Grand Patron. I personally value the friendship of you and Earnesteen, our beautiful Grand Esther.

Worthy Grand Matron, thank you for this delightful privilege. Many personal words of gratitude, praise, love and appreciation could be spoken to you. Somehow, I feel those are not necessary for somehow you know and understand the mutual love we share. May our friendship continue to deepen and to grow in love. I extend to you your gavel and thank you for this privilege. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this Tuesday morning session from Rest to Labor and direct him to permit no interruption while we are thus engaged.

# CALL FROM REST TO LABOR

Grand Chapter was called from Rest to Labor at 10:10 A.M.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Mildred, may I express my appreciation to you for calling the Tuesday morning session to order.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Officers, my Sisters and Brothers:

I, too, would like to express my appreciation to Sister Mildred and Brother Herschel for getting us off to a very fine start this morning. We appreciate their fine service to this Grand Chapter.

Thank you. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I am pleased to present Mrs. Viva Huffman, Past Grand Matron, who will deliver our Invocation.

#### INVOCATION

The Invocation was by Mrs. Viva S. Huffman, Past Grand Matron.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Mrs. Mary Ella Schoverling, Past Grand Matron, will now bring our Devotional.

## DEVOTIONAL

#### MRS. MARY ELLA SCHOVERLING:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, our Distinguished Members, my beloved Sisters and Brothers:

As we begin this first morning of our "Harp of Happiness" Session, I would like for us to think together on how we, as members of this great Order, may bring happiness to others and ourselves as we touch the strings on our "Harp of Life" which God has so lovingly entrusted to us. A great Philosopher once said, "Life is like the beautiful music of the harp. In order for our melody to be beautiful and worthwhile we must be in perfect tune with our Master Musician. When LOVE touches the strings, the harp gives forth mellow music of kindness, love, peace and understanding."

No other Fraternal Order gives to us higher principles for a good and fruitful life than does this wonderful Order to which we are privileged to belong. Sometimes in our hustle and bustle of every day living in this confused world, and in our struggle to keep in tempo with the unrest about us, these principles grow dim and we seem to forget to incorporate into our daily living those acts of charity and loving kindness; we seem to think of "self" and forget the wonderful privilege of bringing happiness to others. So, as we have before us the challenge of "Harps of Happiness," let us seriously consider a few simple truths which will not only bring happiness to ourselves but to all we meet on the Road of Life.

First, in order to bring happiness to others we must become involved ... involved in doing those things which go into the making of a good and worthwhile life. Thus, fulfilling the obligation we took when we became members of the Order; also fulfilling one of the great commandments given by our blessed Lord, that we "Love our neighbor as ourselves." In our world so torn, confused, filled with hatred and unconcern, we need guidelines to help us in our struggle to live as Sisters and Brothers which will greatly assist us in making the melody we play upon our "Harp of Life" a melody of "Happiness."

Confucious, the greatest of all Chinese philosophers, was out for a walk in his garden when he was approached by two peasants who said to him, "Sir, our minds are weak and we do not understand your teachings, but we do have a great desire in our hearts . . . we want our lives to be noble, we want to be respected by our fellow man, we want to be useful and do good . . . so tell us in simple words how ito make our lives good and worthwhile. The wise old philosopher thought for a moment and replied, "What you do not want done to yourselves DO NOT do to others." Five hundred years later almost these identical words were given to us by Jesus as the "Golden Rule" of life . . . "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do you even so to them." I feel this admonition from these two great and wise leaders is most important in our daily living; that is, if we hope to produce a melody of "Happiness" on our "Harp of Life."

We are all familiar with the story of the "Good Samaritan" so beautifully told in the 10th Chapter of Luke. Have you ever felt sorry for the priest and the Levite who passed by on the other side? They refused to become involved in this great need of another . . . they closed their eyes to one in distress . . . they passed by on the other side. Then there came the Good Samaritan who lovingly cared for the needs of this man who had been robbed, beaten and left to die. He bandaged his wounds, he took him to a nearby Inn so that he might receive further care, using his own money to pay for this service. I am sure that through these acts of kindness the melody he played on his "Harp of Life" was a melody of Happiness, acceptable to our Lord. As we journey on the Road of Life, let us not "pass by on the other side." So many in our world today are lonely, sad, neglected and ill. They desperately need a kind word, a true, loyal friend, someone to be concerned about their welfare. God has put us here to make the world brighter, happier and better by helping to bear one another's burdens. In order to fulfill our mission as God's children and as Sisters and Brothers we must keep in perfect tune with our Master . . . otherwise there will be no harmony in life . . . no happiness added to the lives of others.

Jesus placed great emphasis upon the value of LOVE. You recall the farewell message to His disciples as they sat about the Table for the last time. I am sure He was thinking of what He might say that would be of the greatest value to them and helpful to all mankind down through the ages. You recall His words, "This last commandment I give to you that you love one another as I loved you." This love upon which Jesus placed such great value costs so little and profitith so much. It brings so much joy and happiness, yet so often we are stingy with that which we possess in unlimited quantities. No degree of happiness can come into any life without the mellowing influence of love. A life that goes out in love to all is a life that is full of harmony, rich and continually expanding in beauty and 'power. The more one loves, the nearer he approaches God, for LOVE is the ladder by which we climb to the likeness of God. Just think what would happen if every person in this room started loving every one  $\cdot$ . forgetting all pecularities, faults, mistakes, shortcomings, but give to everyone, regardless of behavior, an abundance of love and understanding. This has to begin with you and me . . . just think what would happen if all of the nations of our war weary world forgot their envy, greed, hatred, selfishness and began loving one another. It would not take long to formulate a lasting peace if love for God and love for our fellowman ruled at our Peace Conferences. Oh, the peace and joy that comes into any life when it is purified by love.

A most remarkable demonstration of the influence that love has upon a life was made in a school in Chicago some years ago. A certain teacher in a school in a foreign settlement where there was a great deal of trouble with the low ideals of the pupils decided to decorate a corner in one of the study halls . . . she decided to call this the "Be Still and Love" corner. A beautiful stained glass window was placed in the end of the hall, a divan, a lovely rug upon the floor and a picture . . . Hoffman's Head of Christ was placed there. The children took great pride in this little retreat and felt highly favored when allowed to sit in this special corner. Immediately their conduct was affected by these beautiful surroundings; they became more considerate and thoughtful of each other, their kindness and eagerness to do something for others was demonstrated to all. One young Italian boy who had been incorrigible before the "Be Still and Love" corner was established became so changed and softened that the teacher was amazed. One day she asked him what had made such a change in his conduct—he pointed to the picture of Christ and said, "Shucks teacher, how can a fellow do bad things when He's looking at them?" May we always remember that He is looking at you; He

William Morris once said, "I am going your way, so let us go hand in hand. You help me and I'll help you. We shall not be here very long for soon death, the kind old nurse will come back and rock us to sleep. Let us help one another while we may." If we want to know what happiness is we must seek it, not as if it were a pot of gold at the end of a rainbow. We can find happiness only in doing . . . doing for others . . . that means reaching out, ministering, blessing, giving of ourselves to others. Henry Drummond said, "There is no happiness in having or in getting, but only in GIVINC." The message I have attempted to bring is not new; these are simple truths presented in simple words, but Oh, how we need to put them into action and become involved in bringing happiness . . . then shall we be worthy of membership in this beloved Order and worthy of bearing the name of God's children. If, each day we practice the Golden Rule . . . if, on every opportunity we faithfully serve our fellowman; if, we do not pass on the other side but act as did the Good Samaritan giving a full measure of love, understanding, kindness and service to others . . . If we really and truly LOVE one another . . . then we shall play a melody of Happiness upon our Harp of Life.

#### GRAND CHOIR

The Grand Choir sang "I Believe," and "How Great Thou Art."

#### WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Grand Choir.

Sisters and Brothers, according to our Constitution we must have the report of the Jurisprudence Committee on Unfinished Business before we continue with the other business of Grand Chapter.

I recognize Brother Chauncey Penix.

# REPORT OF JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

#### MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: Worthy Grand Matron, Sisters and Brothers:

My committee is running one short, and one of the members is going to have to leave today. So we are trying to get all the business possible attended to this morning.

The first report of the committee is always on the Distribution of the business of Grand Chapter. Sometimes I wonder about the merits of this report. If you would read the Annual Reports then you would not have to have this report. (Applause.)

# JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT No. 1

In conformity with the provisions of our Code of Laws, Governing Grand Chapter, relating to the duties of the Jurisprudence Committee we recommend that the matters contained in the Annual Report of the Grand Officers be distributed as follows:

#### 1. TO THE MEMBERS OF GRAND CHAPTER.

We recommend to each member of this Grand Chapter, that they read and study the Annual Report of your Grand Officers.

# 2. TO THE BOARD OF GRAND TRUSTEES.

A. The Report of the Grand Treasurer, on page 81,

B. The Report of the Grand Secretary, on page 87,

C. The Report of the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolence, on page 96.

#### 3. TO THE BY-LAWS COMMITTEE.

A. The By-Laws Amendments, as contained in the Worthy Grand Matron's Report on page 64,

#### 4. TO THE WELFARE COMMITTEE.

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

- A. The report of the Welfare Program, 'as contained in the Worthy Grand Matron's report, on page 19.
- B. To the proposed laws with regard to the Welfare Program, set out in the Proposed Resolution No. 1, 2, and 3. On page 4 and 5.
- .5. TO THE COMMITTEE ON CHAPTERS UNDER DISPENSATION.
  - A. To that part of the Worthy Grand Patron's Report on new Chapters Instituted, on page 77 and 78,
- 6. TO THE JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE.
  - A. The Physical Disabilities, waived and refused, on page 62, of the Worthy Grand Matron's Report.
  - B. The Decisions and Rulings of the Worthy Grand Matron, as set out on page 70,
  - C. That part of the Worthy Grand Matron's Report, dealing with By-Laws Amendments, on page 64,
  - D. The proposed Amendments to the Constitution and Code of Laws, at the back pages of the Annual Reports.
  - E. All other matters contained in the Reports calling for action by this Grand Chapter, which has not been distributed herein to other Boards and Committees.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAUNCEY E. PENIX MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH ED. L. SHARPE

Worthy Grand Matron, I move the approval of this report.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Is there any discussion?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I am glad of the opportunity to say just what Brother Chauncey said, that if you would read your Annual Reports you would not have to have this Distribution.

Now it so happens that I have read these reports, and if you will examine the report there is nothing said about how much in the Endowment Fund you have and what our security is. There is only mention about it in the Grand Treasurer's Report.

So I move that when these reports are referred to the Board of Grand Trustees that the Board of Grand Trustees come back as early as possible and tell us how much Endowment Fund we have and what that security is. (Applause.) There is an item of interest shown of \$25,000.00. I do not see in here anywhere, in any of these reports, anything about the \$600,000.00 that we have in the Endowment Fund.

I move that the Grand Trustees report as soon as possible on these reports and give us a complete report as to the amount of the endowment Fund and the securities behind that Endowment Fund. I make that as a motion.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We have a motion and it has been seconded.

Is there discussion?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Sister Rebecca says that it was in the proceedings last year. And it is. But what I am thinking about, I want to bring it up to date. The main thing I am interested in is a list of the Securities. I think this Grand Chapter ought to know what we have our Endowment Fund invested in, and that is all I am asking.

MRS. REBECCA MILES: Sisters and Brothers, every year at the close of Grand Chapter we have the records of Grand Chapter and our accounts show the money we have and where it is. At the close of the last Grand Chapter we had \$644,935.75 in the Endowment Fund. You will find that on Page 464 of the proceedings.

When you get your proceedings you turn to the back of the proceedings and you will find the Auditor's Report, and at the back of the Secretary's Report you will find all the securities that are intrusted to my care. (Applause.)

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: I have had a great number of members ask me how much we had in the Endowment Fund. Since Sister Rebecca has given us that information I will withdraw my motion. I wanted you to know, and I think the membership should be informed. (Applause.)

I am withdrawing my motion, but I do want to discuss some time the financial problems we have. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you.

Motion has been made and seconded that we accept the Jurisprudence Committee's Report.

Is there discussion?

The report was adopted.

#### REPORT OF JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS

MR. ED. SHARPE: Worthy Grand Matron, this is report of the Jurisprudence Committee on Unfinished Business.

The following Resolution was presented to the 1969 Session of this Grand Chaptsr and referred to the "incoming jurisprudence Committee," PURPOSE:

To amend Article VII B, Section 9 (2), page 39, to read as follows.

"Such Board of Directors shall maintain and operate the O. E. S. Home and administer the funds appropriated by the Grand Chapter, from time to time for its upkeep, support and maintenance; provided that no repairs or improvement to the property of the Home requiring an expenditure in excess of \$10,000.00 shall ever be made except with the consent of the Grand Chapter, and the approval of an appropriation therefor by the Grand Chapter." This was passed at the 1969 Session of this Grand Chapter, and must be voted on at this Session in order to become a part of our laws.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAUNCEY E. PENIX Chairman, Jurisprudence Committee. MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH ED. L. SHARPE

MR. ED. SHARPE: Worthy Grand Matron, I move that this report be accepted.

# WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Any discussion?

MR. DAVE REANEY: Worthy Grand Matron, I know what this is about, if this Grand Chapter would like to know. The purpose of this amendment to the Constitution and Laws of this Grand Chapter is prior to this amendment there was a maximum amount that could be expended for improvements to the Eastern Star Home of \$5,000.00, without approval of Grand Chapter.

The question was taken of the delegates and by vote of Chapter Representatives and the Report was adopted.

MRS. MARGARET WARREN: This is Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 4.

#### JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 4

We, your Jurisprudence Committee, have carefully examined RESOLU-TION NO. 4 of the Proposed Amendments to the Code of Laws, of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, and find same in legal and proper form to submit to the Grand Chapter for their consideration and action, which Proposed Amendment reads as follows:

#### **RESOLUTION No. 4**

We, the undersigned members of Clara Mills Chapter No. 1032, do hereby submit the following resolution to be considered and acted upon at the Annual Session of Grand Chapter to be held on September, 1970.

That Chapter Six of the Laws Governing Grand Chapter, which has to do with Districts and Sections, and that part of Article 106, page 82, which provides for the following Chapter to be in District 2, Section 8, to-wit:

County	Chapter	No.	City
Reagan (Part)	Clara Mills	1032	Midkiff

That same as set out above be deleted therefrom, and same be added to District No. 5, Section 2, Article 130, to read as

County	Chapter	No.	City
Reagan	Clara Mills	1032	Midkiff

(This resolution is offered for the purpose of asking Grand Chapter to. authorize the moving of Clara Mills Chapter No. 1032, O. E. S., located near the town of Midkiff, from District 2, Section 8, to District 5, Section 2.)

Respectfully Submitted,

CHAUNCEY E. PENIX MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH FD. L. SHARPE MRS. MARGARET WARREN: I move that this report be adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Is there discussion?

The report was adopted.

MRS. OLIVIA SMITH: This is Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 5.

#### JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 5

We, your Jurisprudence Committee, have carefully examined RESOLU-TION NO. 5 of the Proposed Amendments to the Code of Laws  $\uparrow^{f}$  the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, and find same in legal and proper form to submit to the Grand Chapter for their consideration and action, which Proposed Amendment reads as follows:

# **RESOLUTION No. 5**

We, the undersigned members of Grand Chapter, respectfully submit for your consideration the following amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED, that Article 88, Division. This Grand Chapter shall be divided into Five Districts of ten sections each, numbered and composed of Counties and Chapters as follows:

(Only that part of said Article as set out below is amended.)

# DISTRICT NUMBER FIVE—SOUTHWEST

· Article 131, Sec. 3, page 92

be amended by deleting the following:

	Count Real	У	Chapter Leakey		. No. 18			City Leakey			
and	that	Art.	132,	Section	Four,	page	93,	be	amended	$a_S$	follows:
	Count Real	y		Chapte Leakey	r			Io. .8		I	City Leakey

and that said amendment be printed in the "45-Day Pamphlet" as provided by our laws.

Respectfully submitted,

# CHAUNCEY E. PENIX MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH ED. L. SHARPE

MRS. OLIVIA SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of Jurisprudence Report No. 5.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It has been moved and seconded that Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 5 be adopted. Is there any discussion?

The report was adopted.

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: This is report in regard to Resolution No. 7.

# JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 7

We, your Jurisprudence Committee, have carefully examined RESOLU-TION NO. 7, of the Proposed Amendments to the Code of Laws, of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, and find same does not comply

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with our Code of Laws and should not be submitted to the Grand Chapter for their consideration and Action. The Proposed Amendment reads as follows:

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 7.**

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS, O. E. S.

Arlington, Texas, 76011 Att: Sister Rebecca L. Miles, Grand Secretary,

#### Dear Sisters and Brothers:

At a special meeting of Humble Chapter No. 415, O.E.S., we voted to request Concurrent Jurisdiction with the Houston Chapters and we, therefore, respectfully request action by Grand Chapter on same.

We took this matter up with Jurisprudence Committee and were advised by them to petition Grand Chapter for same.

# Sincerely and fraternally.

Humble Chapter No. 415, O.E.S. VELMA CAMPBELL, Secretary.

Art. 207 Sec. (4), Provides that "Any Chapter with exclusive jurisdiction adjacent to an exclusive or concurrent jurisdiction shall have the right to petition Grand Chapter for concurrent jurisdiction with said adjacent juris-diction same to be approved by Grand Chapter. Each petition shall be ac-companied by an approval of said Petition by the Chapter so petitioned, and by a majority of the Chapters with which a concurrent jurisdiction is sought. of those Chapters with which a concurrent jurisdiction is sought.

Your Jurisprudence Committee, has not been presented with an approval of those Chapters with which a concurrent jurisdiction is sought.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAUNCEY E. PENIX OLIVIA A. SMITH MARGARET WARREN ED. L. SHARPE

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: This is a letter from Humble Chapter No. 415. I would like to state that this resolution is not in legal form and may not be voted on at this Grand Chapter because the Jurisprudence Committee has not been presented with.

SISTER REBECCA MILES: Sisters and Brothers, Humble Chapter requested concurrent jurisdiction with Houston. The law requires that before that can be granted a majority of the Houston Chapters have to vote in favor of it. They did not secure this vote. Consequently, this resolu-tion asking for concurrent jurisdiction is of no value.

The motion is to approve the report of the Jurisprudence Committee that the resolution was not in order to be voted on. I am afraid there is a misunderstanding. If a majority of the Houston Chapters vote in favor of the request next year it will be ready for your vote. (Applause.)

#### The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: I recognize the Worthy Grand Matron for her report.

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# Report of the Worthy Grand Matron

God's Mosaic

An artist can take a few bits of colored glass And fit them together with infinite pains Into a design of symmetry. When he is finished, his colors so blend together That he has created a picture in glass.

You are God's mosaic, A distinctive, original design. The way you fit each "piece" of you together: Your dreams, your education, Your life work, and your total personality, Will determine whether the "Design for Your Tomorrow" Will be the masterpiece God has in mind.

Almost one year ago, I assumed the position of leadership of our Grand Jurisdiction. It has been my sole aim to serve with courage, compassion and in deep humility, the membership of our great Order. We are all builders of the same masions, taking up the torch given to us by the many who have made this Order what it is today.

I hope that whatever has been accomplished this year will prove worthy of a place among the records of those who have served so faithfully in the previous years.

When Moses was preparing the children of Israel for entry into the land of promise, he said: "The land into which you go is a land of hills and valleys." How accurate was Mose's discription of Canaan with its verdant plains and towering hills. But this is a discription not only of a land, but also of life itself . . . by life . . . yours. Very little of our lives is lived "on the level" as it were. In the words of the old Negro Spiritual, "Sometimes I'm up . . . sometimes I'm down," for life is indeed one of "hills and valleys."

The purpose of those rapturous mountain-top experiences, are to reinforce and prepare us for the valley's of life. I reminded myself many times this year that though the way be dark at times, somewhere out ahead, there will be another mountain-top, when God knows I need it the most.

The many beautiful mountain-top experiences have out numbered the valley's and this year of service will be one of the great treasures of my life.

It is a distinct pleasure to personally welcome our Most Distinguished Guests, to the Harp of Happiness Session. I sincerely hope that your visit to our Grand Chapter will be a percious memory. Certainly we are pleased to have among our midst Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons, General Grand Chapter Officers and Committee Memebers . . . Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons of other Grand Jurisdictions, many distinguished members from other States and we welcome each of you. The presence of the members of our own jurisdiction is an inspiration to me. For this is your Session, Sisters and Brothers, you are the delegates and you enact the legislation. I hope this will be a challenging experience for each of us, inspiring us to move forward to new and greater accomplishments.

# IN MEMORIAM

#### You Know Neither the Day Nor the Hour Matt. 25:13

Something wonderful can happen Any time or any day, Many times the things we pray for May be only hours away— Who knows when a flower will blossom As the seed's dropped in the sod? Prayer's are like that—we must pray them And just leave the rest to God! Helen Farries

In the midst of our happiness, our hearts are saddened when we recall the many beloved members who have been called home. The loss of many members in the subordinate Chapters and some of our Grand Officers this year in our Grand Jurisdiction is keenly felt. Our hearts go out with fraternal love and understanding, as we extend sincere sympathy to the members of our Order and their families who have been visited by sorrow. We bow in humble submission as we say "Thy will be done."

Mrs. Jimmie Nelson	Deputy Grand Matron, Dist. 3, Sec. 5
Mrs. Pauline Riley	Arrangements Committee
Mrs. Marie Harrington	
Mrs. Lillie Shryrok	
Mrs. Juanita McKelvey	Fraternal Visitation
Mr. C. D. Osborn	Masonic Education
Mr. Leslie Long	Masonic Education
Mrs. Patsy Screws	Grand Representative
Mrs. Myrtle Rogers	Grand Representative

It is with deep sorrow that we record that a link has been severed from the Golden Chain of our Past Grand Matrons—Mrs. Belle P. Tomlinson of Rosenberg Chapter No. 429.

Being out of the city at that time and not being able to reach me Sister Rebecca L. Miles, Grand Secretary, notified Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus, Past Grand Matron in Houston, who so capably took care of the arrangements for me.

The following Past Grands accompanied Sister Lallah Mae Vollus to the service. Mrs. Viva Huffman, Mrs. Mary Ella Schoverling and Mr. Herschel Harrington along with Mrs. Pearl Ruth Johnson. The services were well attended and conducted by the members of Rosenberg Chapter. The Grand Chapter floral emblem was very lovely and stood at the head of the casket.

Thank you Sister Lallah Mae for your report and being among those representing Grand Chapter in the final salute to Mrs. Belle P. Tomlinson.

> God knows the way, He holds the key, He guides us with unerring hand; Sometimes with tearless eyes we'll see; Yes, there, up there, we'll understand.

# SCHOOLS

It is difficult to express my appreciation adequately to the District Deputy Grand Matrons, the Deputy Grand Matrons, the hostess Chapters and all the subordinate members of each District for the wonderful Schools. The hours of planning the lovely decorations in the Chapter rooms, the beau-tiful music, the lovely corsages, the personal gifts and your friendly warm reception shall never be forgotten.

I was so very pleased that our Worthy Grand Patron and his lovely wife were able to attend and take part in many of our schools and that we had many members of our Grand Family as well as Past Grands in attendance.

# District 5

Novemb	er	Decemb	er	t
18	Jourdanton	2	San Angelo	
19	Beeville	6	Aransas Pass	
22	Harlingen	10	Sonora	
25	Junction	11	Del Rio	
29	Austin	13	San Antonio	
January	·	District 3 January		
3	Olney	15	De Leon	
6	Hillsboro .	17	Brownwood	
8	Clifton .	· 20	Temple	
10	Waco	· 22	Burnet	
13	Granbury	24	Fort Worth	

#### District 1 ·

F'ebruary	<b>7</b> .
10	Denison
12	Denton
14	Dallas
19	Corsicana
21	Irving

#### District 2

March	
21	Amarillo
24	Pampa
26	Plainview
April	
<u></u> 2	Vernon
4	Lbbock

# District 4

#### April Lufkin 15 Smithville Nederland 18 Houston 21 Hempstead 23 Crockett Cameron 25 Channelview Galveston

11 14 Edna

January 29

February 3

March 7

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14 16

February

April

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Tyler

Kilgore

Atlanta

El Paso

Odessa

Abilene

Monahans

Wellington

Gladewater Paris

No sweeter association could have been mine in traveling over this great state of ours than that of having you, Grand Examiners, District Deputy Grand Matrons and the District Secretaries accompanying me. Your expression of friendship in the many thoughtful things you did for the Worthy Grand Matron, your jovial manner and great sense of humor made our journey so perfect that the memory of it will last forever.

# FRATERNAL VISITS

Memory is truly a precious thing, and among the most lasting memories that I shall have from this year of service will be the memories of the Fraternal Visits. You, the members have made it a book of wonderous size, and as I turn its pages, I shall live again the happiness of this past year. The cordial welcomes, unique programs, beautiful settings—in Chapter and banquet rooms—the generous gifts, material and otherwise and your many expressions of kindness will long be remembered.

I want to express appreciation to the Worthy Grand Patron and his lovely wife, Earnesteen, our Grand Esther, for being with us and adding much to the enjoyment and pleasure of the membership.

## BLUEBELL CHAPTER No. 856

My first Fraternal Visit was to my own Chapter on November 8, 1969, in a meeting I shall long remember—one in which the Worthy Grand Patron was also included. I have expressed my appreciation many times to the membership of Bluebell Chapter for their love and loyalty. For the beauty of this meeting, the work of the various members, the tributes paid, the large attendance and the kindnesses extended, I am humbly grateful. Through the years, your prayers, the words of encouragement, the praise and expressions of friendship have lighted the way and there will always be a feeling of deep and abiding love for each of you.

### SOUTH HILLS CHAPTER No. 835

On November 15, 1969, I had the pleasure of being in South Hills Chapter No. 835 who was paying tribute to the Worthy Grand Patron and enjoyed the privilege of being an honored guest for the evening. I express appreciation to this fine Chapter for the many courtesies that have been extended to me.

# APPRECIATION

There are some things in life that are above price, Some things that no one can buy.
Some things I never can hope to repay, No matter how hard I try.
'Tis the love of friends who walk by my side And encourage and cheer with a smile;
'Tis the faith that is theirs, though mistakes I have made. That have made my year worthwhile.

I shall always be indebted to the many Chapters over the state for the privilege and honor that has been mine in visiting with you as the Worthy Grand Matron of Texas.

November 8, 1969 Bluebell Chapter No. 856 November 18, 1969 Jourdanton Chapter No. 581 Devine Chapter No. 43 Pleasanton Chapter No. 133 Cotulla Chapter No. 1004 Pearsall Chapter No. 278 Poteet Chapter No. 913 Lytle Chapter No. 335 November 19, 1969 Violet Chapter No. 158 Cuero Chapter No. 618 Beeville Chapter No. 422 Port Lavaca Chapter No. 373 Kenedy Chapter No. 36 Yoakum Chapter No. 282 Stockdale Chapter No. 69 Yorktown Chapter No. 6945 November 22, 1969 Hope Chapter No. 124 Donna Chapter No. 644 Edcouch Chapter No. 644 Edcouch Chapter No. 473 Harlingen Chapter No. 641 La Feria Chapter No. 732

McAllen Chapter No. 14 Mercedes Chapter No. 629 Mission Chapter No. 527 Pharr Chapter No. 800 Raymondville Chapter No. 748 Rio Grande City Chapter No. 843 Rio Hondo Chapter No. 815 San Benito Chapter No. 565 San Juan Chapter No. 726 Weslaco Chapter No. 772 November 25, 1969 Boerne Chapter No. 200 Kerrville Chapter No. 24 London Chapter No. 449 Summerland Chapter No. 322 Junction Chapter No. 497 November 29, 1969 Leander Chapter No. 473 Luling Chapter No. 155 Lockhart Chapter No. 210 San Marcos Chapter No. 210 Austin Chapter No. 304 Travis Chapter No. 472 Seguin Chapter No. 555 Creedmoor Chapter No. 607 New Braunfels Chapter No. 771 Capitol Chapter No. 803 Dripping Springs Chapter No. 860 Martha Chapter No. 883 Fidelis Chapter No. 963 Loyalty Chapter No. 1036 December 2, 1969 Brady Chapter No. 167 Norton Chapter No. 28 San Angelo Chapter No. 10 Concho Chapter No. 826 Miles Chapter No. 672 Carlsbad Chapter No. 1092 Paint Rock Chapter No. 391 Winters Chapter No. 80 Christoval Chapter No. 761 Robert Lee Chapter No. 187 Ballinger Chapter No. 266 December 6, 1969 Alice Chapter No. 61 Aransas Pass Chapter No. 162 Bishop Chapter No. 452 Corpus Christi Chapter No. 354 Ingleside Chapter No. 1037 Laredo Chapter No. 86 Freer Chapter No. 848 Independence Chapter No. 1044 Oso Chapter No. 868 Kingsville Chapter No. 325 Rockport Chapter No. 479 Mathis Chapter No. 874 Taft Chapter No. 218 Robstown Chapter No. 540 Sinton Chapter No. 515 Woodsboro Chapter No. 678

December 10, 1969 Sonora Chapter No. 575 Big Lake Chapter No. 752 Ft. McKavett Chapter No. 753 Rankin Chapter No. 176 Eldorado Chapter No. 140 December 11, 1969 Del Rio Chapter No. 204 Eagle Pass Chapter No. 250 Uvalde Chapter No. 297 Sarah Chapter No. 353 Sabinal Chapter No. 407 December 13, 1969 Adah Chapter No. 49 Alamo Chapter No. 665 Alamo Heights Chapter No. 734 Army Chapter No. 664 Bethany Chapter No. 912 Bexar Chapter No. 616 Floresville Chapter No. 271 Harlindale Chapter No. 270 Highland Hills Chapter No. 1075 Logos Chapter No. 998 Prospect Hill Chapter No. 817 Radiant Chapter No. 636 San Antonio Chapter No. 3 Schertz Chapter Ño. 911 Somerset Chapter No. 730 Star Chapter No. 782 South San Antonio Chapter No. 691 Texas Chapter No. 35 Wimodausis Chapter No. 141 January 3, 1970 Throckmorton Chapter No. 500 Olney Chapter No. 321 Graham Chapter No. 668 Loving Chapter No. 985 January 6, 1970 Ruth Chapter No. 20 Itaska Chapter No. 70 Grandview Chapter No. 828 Rio Vista Chapter No. 343 Godley Chapter No. 922 Hillsboro Chapter No. 769 Glen Rose Chapter No. 171 January 8, 1970 Hico Chapter No. 419 Gatesville Chapter No. 1005 Copperas Cove Chapter No. 1070 Hamilton Chapter No. 215 Walnut Springs Chapter No. 401 Regina Chapter No. 283 January 10, 1970 Waco Chapter No. 7 Mexia Chapter No. 57 Mart Chapter No. 109 West Chapter No. 203 Marlin Chapter No. 286 McGregor Chapter No. 427 McLennan Chapter No. 639

Groesbeck Chapter No. 810 E. C. Cannon Chapter No. 825 Centennial Chapter No. 842 Walter Baldwin Chapter No. 929 Bellmead Chapter No. 980 January 13, 1970 Weatherford Chapter No. 21 Stephenville Chapter No. 801 Prudence Chapter No. 44 Lipan Chapter No. 127 Millsap Chapter No. 1042 Granbury Chapter No. 530 January 15, 1970 De Leon Chapter No. 693 Cisco Chapter No. 461 Dublin Chapter No. 910 Clyde Chapter No. 308 Callahan Chapter No. 242 Desdemona Chapter No. 512 Rising Star Chapter No. 277 January 17, 1970 Bangs Chapter No. 467 Blanket Chapter No. 918 Brownwood Chapter No. 116 Coleman Chapter No. 360 Comanche Chapter No. 310 Indian Creek Chapter No. 255 Santa Anna Chapter No. 247 Zephyr Chapter No. 932 January 20, 1970 Temple Chapter No. 153 Vashti Chapter No. 32 Troy Chapter No. 72 Hadassah Chapter No. 188 Killeen Chapter No. 490 Belton Chapter No. 589 Lott Chapter No. 594 January 22, 1970 Burnet Chapter No. 425 Bertram Chapter No. 48 Llano Chapter No. 216 Lampasas Chapter No. 295 Lometa Chapter No. 871 Marble Falls Chapter No. 435 San Saba Chapter No. 191 January 24, 1970 Arlington Chapter No. 249 Arlington Heights Chapter No. 702 Azle Chapter No. 899 Castleberry Chapter No. 1028 Crescent Chapter No. 820 Everman Chapter No. 624 Fort Worth Chapter No. 681 Grapevine Chapter No. 326 Haltom City Chapter No. 982 Handlev Chapter No. 617 Hurst Chapter No. 1061 Keystone Chapter No. 9 Mansfield Chapter No. 876 Wedgwood Chapter No. 756

North Fort Worth Chapter No. 684 Polytechnic Chapter No. 420 Richland Hills Chapter No. 1040 Ridglea Chapter No. 999 Riverside Chapter No. 834 South Hills Chapter No. 835 Southside Chapter No. 673 Tarrant Chapter No. 8 White Settlement Chapter No. 1053 January 27, 1970 Blum Chapter No. 931 Alvarado Chapter No. 656 Burleson Chapter No. 431 January 29, 1970 Lindale Chapter No. 864 Rose Garden Chapter No. 975 Mt. Sylvan Chapter No. 595 Bullard Chapter No. 972 Athens Chapter No. 177 Troup Chapter No. 421 Alto Chapter No. 496 Jacksonville Chapter No. 377 Tyler Chapter No. 112 January 31, 1970 Arp Chapter No. 844 Aurora Chapter No. 844 Beckville Chapter No. 799 Beckville Chapter No. 273 Carthage Chapter No. 994 Hallsville Chapter No. 995 Henderson Chapter No. 597 Jefferson Chapter No. 627 Kilgore Chapter No. 630 Laneville Chapter No. 944 Longview Chapter No. 610 Marshall Chapter No. 356 Overton Chapter No. 830 Pinehill Chapter No. 675 Pine Tree Chapter No. 1090 Starlight Chapter No. 1016 Waskom Chapter No. 812 February 3, 1970 Atlanta Chapter No. 151 DeKalb Chapter No. 894 Hughes Springs Chapter No. 349 Linden Chapter No. 576 Maud Chapter No. 879 New Boston Chapter No. 700 Pittsburg Chapter No. 381 Village Chapter No. 1030 February 5, 1970 Canton Chapter No. 667 Gilmer Chapter No. 355 Gladewater Chapter No. 831 Ore City Chapter No. 1033 Quitman Chapter No. 695 Ashland Chaoter No. 961 Big Sandy Chapter No. 865 Hawkins Chapter No. 908 Grand Saline Chapter No. 290

Mineola Chapter No. 454 February 7, 1970 Deport Chapter No. 1045 Cooper Chapter No. 885 Sulphur Sjrings Chapter No. 718 Commerce Chapter No. 208 Paris Chapter No. 5 Greenville Chapter No. 189 Caddo Mills Chapter No. 82 February 10, 1970 Gate City Chapter No. 77 Leonard Chapter No. 1091 Whitewright Chapter No. 939 Carpenters Chapter No. 183 Farmersville Chapter No. 940 Wylie Chapter No. 977 Bonham Chapter No. 852 McKinney Chapter No. 518 Plano Chapter No. 703 Whitesboro Chapter No. 708 Honey Grove Chapter No. 901 February 12, 1970 Belle Moone Chapter No. 90 Denton Chapter No. 259 Lewisville Chapter No. 935 Pilot Point Chapter No. 1025 Sanger Chapter No. 1027 Bowie Chapter No. 16 Nocona Chapter No. 62 Saint Jo Chapter No. 17 Spanish Fort Chapter No. 284 Alvord Chapter No. 946 Boyd Chapter No. 897 Bridgeport Chapter No. 346 Chico Chapter No. 433 Decatur Chapter No. 543 Greenwood Chapter No. 1060 February 14, 1970 A. C. Garrett Chapter No. 774 Areme Chapter No. 736 Bluebonnet Chapter No. 717 Cockrell Hill Chapter No. 971 Dal-Cliff Chapter No. 574 Dallas Chapter No. 1 Delta Chapter No. 824 East Dallas Chapter No. 715 Edwin J. Kiest Chapter No. 959 Electa Chapter No. 872 Fidelity Chapter No. 383 Flora Chapter No. 794 Fruitdale Chapter No. 1055 Highland Park Chapter No. 1029 Hillcrest Chapter No. 1000 James Ladd Burgess Chapter No. 983 John L. DeGrazier Chapter No. 881 Love Field Chapter No. 875 Loyal Chapter No. 648 Lucinda Conner Chapter No. 1006 Mike Thomas Chapter No. 951 Mt. Auburn Chapter No. 755

Oak Cliff Chapter No. 303 Roy Stanley Chapter No. 1086 Southern Star Chapter No. 707 Templar Chapter No. 374 Vickery Chapter No. 1039 Vienna Buckner Chapter No. 888 February 19, 1970 Corsicana Chapter No. 118 Dawson Chapter No. 1046 Fairfield Chapter No. 331 Frost Chapter No. 965 Malakoff Chapter No. 1012 Palestine Chapter No. 395 Tennessee Colony Chapter No. 102 Wortham Chapter No. 96 February 21, 1970 Garland Chapter No. 156 Winnie Chapter No. 160 R. A. Terrell Chapter No. 194 Lancaster Chapter No. 943 De Soto Chapter No. 1089 Rockwall Chapter No. 859 Nash Chapter No. 320 Midlothian Chapter No. 234 Forney Chapter No. 557 Mesquite Chapter No. 887 Ferris Chapter No. 508 Farmers Branch Chapter No. 687 Duncanville Chapter No. 1014 Grand Prairie Chapter No. 219 Waxahachie Chapter No. 599 Bardwell Chapter No. 560 Richardson Chapter No. 921 Seagoville Chapter No. 697 Irving Chapter No. 777 February 26, 1970 Lufkin Chapter No. 382 Nacogdoches Chapter No. 428 Broadus Chapter No. 889 Zavalla Chapter No. 952 Center Chapter No. 348 Joaquin Chapter No. 903 John Gillespie Chapter No. 257 Hunting Chapter No. 938 February 28, 1970 Beaumont Chapter No. 71 Bridge City Chapter No. 1038 Groves Chapter No. 953 Jasper Chapter No. 291 Kirbyville Chapter No. 263 Kountze Chapter No. 724 Lakeside Chapter No. 1054 Nederland Chapter No. 1079 Orange Chapter No. 214 Port Acres Chapter No. 1073 Port Arthur Chapter No. 262 Port Neches Chapter No. 677 Silsbee Chapter No. 298 Sour Lake Chapter No. 75 Vidor Chapter No. 914

Winnie-Stowell Chapter No. 1076 Wisteria Chapter No. 823 South Park Chapter No. 1056 March 7, 1970 Van Horn Chapter No. 514 El Paso Chapter No. 4 Fabens Chapter No. 764 Fort Hancock Chapter No. 992 Harmony Chapter No. 244 Ocotillo Chapter No. 837 Pleiades Chapter No. 620 Rob Morris Daylight Chapter No. 759 Rose Croix Chapter No. 701 Thunderbird Chapter No. 1087 Woodbine Chapter No. 738 Ysleta Chapter No. 991 Sierra Blanca Chapter No. 154 Dell City Chapter No. 1057 March 9, 1970 Monahans Chapter No. 561 Pecos Chapter No. 81 Wink Chapter No. 937 Imperial Chapter No. 882 Fort Stockton Chapter No. 230 Grandfalls Chapter No. 244 Iraan Chapter No. 832 Kermit Chapter No. 845 March 11, 1970 Big Spring Chapter No. 67 Odessa Chapter No. 447 Andrews Chapter No. 849 Crane Chapter No. 866 Floyd Easterling Chapter No. 1074 Friendship Chapter No. 1008 Goldsmith Chapter No. 854 Lamesa Chapter No. 363 Midland Chapter No. 253 Norman Read Chapter No. 1010 Seminole Chapter No. 855 Clara Mills Chapter No. 1032 Stanton Chapter No. 409 Laura B. Hart Chapter No. 1019 March 14, 1970 Mamie D. Crane Chapter No. 1018 Anson Chapter No. 867 Merkel Chapter No. 212 Sweetwater Chapter No. 352 River Oaks Chapter No. 1013 Abilene Chapter No. 30 Stamford Chapter No. 269 Anson Chapter No. 867 Cora Posey Chapter No. 1072 March 16, 1970 Clarendon Chapter No. 6 Childress Chapter No. 101 Wellington Chapter No. 238 Memphis Chapter No. 351 Paducah Chapter No. 506 Turkey Chapter No. 569 Quitaque Chapter No. 878

March 21, 1970 Claude Chapter No. 104 Bonita Chapter No. 184 Dumas Chapter No. 653 Panhandle Chapter No. 760 Amarillo Chapter No. 787 White Deer Chapter No. 802 Sunray Chapter No. 869 Stratford Chapter No. 960 A. E. Shirley Chapter No. 986 Tascosa Chapter Ño. 1052 Channing Chapter No. 1078 Delhart Chapter No. 1051 March 24, 1970 Adobe Walls Chapter No. 1059 Borger Chapter No. 811 Canadian Chapter No. 227 Follett Chapter No. 809 Gruver Chapter No. 973 Miami Chapter No. 98 Pampa Chapter No. 65 Perryton Chapter No. 161 Shamrock Chapter No. 384 Spearman Chapter No. 721 Stinnett Chapter No. 347 Top-O-Texas Chapter No. 1064 Wheeler Chapter No. 942 March 26, 1970 Floydada Chapter No. 31 Tulia Chapter No. 33 Plainview Chapter No. 37 Lemond Chapter No. 38 Canyon City Chapter No. 105 Hereford Chapter No. 312 Lockney Chapter No. 437 Happy Chapter No. 562 Muleshoe Chapter No. 792 Dimmitt Chapter No. 819 Silverton Chapter No. 900 Friona Chapter No. 990 Petersburg Chapter No. 1001 April 2, 1970 Archer Chapter No. 917 Faith Chapter No. 713 Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237 J. A. Kemp Chapter No. 970 Vernon Chapter No. 424 Quanah Chapter No. 47 Crowell Chapter No. 916 Electra Chapter No. 539 Iowa Park Chapter No. 42 Burkburnett Chapter No. 655 April 4, 1970 Morton Chapter No. 841 Crosbyton Chapter No. 891 Ralls Chapter No. 169 Seagraves Chapter No. 829 Post Chapter No. 206 Abernathy Chapter No. 877 Anton Chapter No. 936

Levelland Chapter No. 797 Sundown Chapter No. 926 Littlefield Chapter No. 742 Sudan Chapter No. 806 Freedom Chapter No. 898 Idalou Chapter No. 890 Lubbock Chapter No. 76 Slaton Chapter No. 585 Truth Chapter No. 941 University Chapter No. 1082 O'Donnell Chapter No. 725 Tahoka Chapter No. 743 Brownfield Chapter No. 785 Ropesville Chapter No. 880 Denver City Chapter No. 863 Plains Chapter No. 862 April 9, 1970 Bryan Chapter No. 222 Cameron Chapter No. 553 College Station Chapter No. 1026 Hearne Chapter No. 722 Madisonville Chapter No. 193 Rockdale Chapter No. 23 April 11, 1970 Archives Chapter No. 1095 Cedar Bayou Chapter No. 11 Channelview Chapter No. 954 Cleveland Chapter No. 465 Crosby Chapter No. 261 Dayton Chapter No. 233 Deer Park Chapter No. 1063 Galena Park Chapter No. 884 Goose Creek Chapter No. 798 Hull Chapter No. 737 Humble Chapter No. 415 La Porte Chapter No. 683 Liberty Chapter No. 634 New Ćaney Chapter No. 1093 Pasadena Chapter No. 711 Seabrook Chapter U. D. April 14, 1970 Palacios Chapter No. 125 Shiner Chapter No. 272 Columbus Chapter No. 324 Bay City Chapter No. 380 Wharton Chapter No. 389 Rosenberg Chapter No. 429 Eagle Lake Chapter No. 483 El Campo Chapter No. 535 Edna Chapter No. 692 Ganado Chapter No. 957 April 15, 1970 Bastrop Chapter No. 64 Elgin Chapter No. 241 Smithville Chapter No. 39 Caldwell Chaoter No. 976 Somerville Chapter No. 245 Flatonia Chapter No. 813 La Grange Chapter No. 484 Schulenburg Chapter No. 647

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# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

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# TO THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

We do not have a theme for this year, but rather a purpose. A theme is a thing of the moment, but a purpose is a resolve that involves our heart and our spirit. Our purpose will call for courage and compassion in all our members, and, above all else, a fine sense of humility.

I am asking that you call this year a year of re-dedication to the purposes and landmarks of our order. Let us firmly resolve that no members shall escape our earnest and heartfelt endeavors to embrace them in Chapter Life and purposes. Let us search out the lonely, the sick, the neglected, and bring them once again into our golden circle of fraternalism. Let us examine our hearts and forget all grievances and petty worries and once more march forward as a dedicated and united organization.

I am asking that you study the structure of your Chapters and make an honest attempt to repair any damage caused by misunderstanding or forgetfulness. The social and fraternal aspects of our Order should never be forgotten, for these are links in the chain of brotherhood.

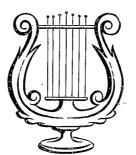
Each member is asked to bring back one absent member and to enter wholeheartedly with them in the enterprises of the Chapter. Concern yourselves with happiness that comes from combined and happy involvement in the lives of your Sisters and Brothers.

As you work at this re-dedication, you will find that you are a finer person, your Chapter will grow and prosper, and the harmony from the strings of our hearts will mingle with the Celestial music of God.

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THE LYRE



"Sing . . . my heart . . . In joyful ecstasy . . . Sing . . . my soul . . . In paeons of joy . . . "

# THEME

MUSIC OF THE HEART "When all the strings of my life be tuned, O Master, then at every touch of Thine shall come out the music of love."

Tamil Lyric . . . Ceylon

#### EMBLEM

# THE LYRE

The lyre is one of the oldest musical instruments in history. It was the symbol of Apolla, the God of music and poetry. The Lyre is also a small constellation of stars seen in the Northern Hemisphere, containing Véga, the fourth brightest star in the Heavens. This instrument usually contained three to ten strings. This year, our Lyre will contain three strings symbolizing our three guideposts for the year, Compassion, Courage and Humility.

# I AM MUSIC

"Servant and master am I: servant of those dead, and master of those living. Through me, spirits immortal speak the message that makes the world weep, and laugh and wonder and worship.

"I tell the story of love, the story of hate, and the story that saves. I am the incense upon which prayers float to heaven. I am the smoke which palls over the field of battle where men lie dying with me on their lips. "I am close to the marriage Altar, and when the grave opens I stand near by. I call the wanderer home, I rescue the soul from the depths, I open the lips of lovers, and through me the dead whispers to the living.

"One I serve as I serve all; and the king I make my slave as easily as I subject his slave. I speak through the birds of the air, the insects of the field, the crash of the water on rock-ribbed shores, the sighing of wind in the trees; and I am even heard by the soul that knows me in the clatter of wheels on city streets.

"I know no brother, yet all men are my brothers; I am the father of the best that is in them, and they are fathers of the best that is in me, I am of them, and they are of me.

"For I am the instrument of God."

# "I AM MUSIC"

# DEDICATION

Today, we all stand on a new threshold in our Eastern Star world! Yet, this threshold is not ours alone, for it has had a yesterday and we will have a tomorrow.

Those who builded before us gave us the foundation; we, today, build the sanctuary; tomorrow, those who follow, will raise the towers!

So, this year is dedicated in gratitude and humility, to the loving memory of our forebears, and to the living presence of our contemporaries, our Sisters and Brothers of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

A harp of many strings cannot be played if one string is lost. Without the love and help of every member, there would be no music played this year.

So, this year is yours! May the music swell and ring!

Yesterday - - they had the Faith . . . Today - - we have the Hope . . . Tomorrow - - They will abide in love . . . !

So . . . shall our song rise and mingle with the celestial music of God!

# "THE HARPS OF THE SOUL"

Let us all solemnly resolve that this year shall hear new harmonies from the strings of our hearts. That the music we play shall be dedicated to God and echoed by all the Angels and Archangels. Let us resolve to be counted among the "Pure in Heart, so that we shall see God" We will do this by ...

- 1. Giving to our Sisters and Brothers greater understanding.
- 2. Guarding our hearts and heads from the unkind and the unjust.
- 3. Remembering that we are all created equal in God's eyes, therefore we all are children of God.
- 4. Remembering the sorrows of the heart, and the agonies of the soul, and the touching where we can, the strings of compassion and love.

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- 5. Giving of the hands as well as the spirit, so that we can face God with humility.
- 6. Making of the Order of the Eastern Star an instrument of peace and a Harp whose music is loved and understood.

# THE FIRST STRING

# COURAGE

To face each dawn with eagerness . . Each sunset with faith and understanding . . To love in the face of rebuke . .

To keep trying when mind and spirit are exhausted . .

To protect Truth in the face of the fires of hell. To walk each day with your hand in God's . .

This is courage . . . .

# THE SECOND STRING

# COMPASSION

Our lives like dreams endure . . And reach out over the universe . . Nothing real is to itself alone . . There are side streams to rivers, there are overtones to thought . . Great love reaches out . . And is involved in the world's purpose . .

# THE THIRD STRING

#### HUMILITY

A great world consciousness . . A larger love flows into living . . From which vast and subtle changes . . Shall descend upon the nations . . Bringing healing . .

#### Courage

Courage is the Spirit of God within us which keeps us going when the mind and the body says we must stop. It is the untiring search for the truth which activates all true Children of God.

It is the facing of each day with eagerness and the greeting of each night with joy. It is the going forth, step by step, no matter how rigorous the path, in the sure and certain knowledge that God guides our footsteps.

Courage is the willingness to be involved with mankind, to relieve its suffering, and to enter its happiness with thanksgiving.

Courage is the bulwark of our Faith, the reason for our loving, and the purpose of our existence.

Let us display our courage in all our dealings with sisters and brothers and come to the end of our journey with a happy heart.

#### Prayer for Humility

O Living God, we thank Thee that Thou hast not left us to grope after Thee in the dark; that Thy law has been a lamp unto our feet, and a light unto our path. In the harvest season when Thy people had gathered in their crops. Thy law did enjoin them to leave their home and make their abode in frail booths. Thus did Thou remind them of the transient nature of earthly possessions and the insecurity of a life stayed on prosperity without faith in Thee.

Vouch safe unto us, too, O Father, an understanding of this truth, so that no arrogance may tarnish the joy of success, no self-exaltation debase the love of achievement. Teach us to be humble. Keep far from us the pride of possessions and the despair of want. In poverty save us, O God, from bitterness; in abundance rescue us from self-indulgence. Incline our hearts unto Thee and keep us from covetousness. Kindle within us a passion for a better world. Enlarge our sympathies, make us eager to ease the sorrow and distress of men and thus learn to know the joy of service. Lift up our eyes that, like our fathers, we too may see, through the leafy booth, the light of sun and star so that our souls may soar to Thee.



# THE THIRTY-THIRD PSALM

- 1. Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous; for praise is comely for the upright.
- 2. Praise the Lord with Harp; sing unto him with the psaltery and an instrument of ten strings.
- 3. Sing unto him a new song; skillfully with a loud noise.
- 4. For the word of the Lord is right; and all his works are done in truth.
- 5. He loveth righteousness and judgment; and earth is full of goodness of the Lord.
- 6. By the word of the Lord were the heavens made; and all of the host of them by the breath of his mouth.
- 7. He gathereth the waters of the sea together as a heap; he layeth up the earth on storehouses.
- 8. Let all the earth fear the Lord; let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him.
- 9. For he spake and it was done as he commanded, and it stood fast.

# THE COMMANDMENT

"Put on, therefore, as God's elect, holy and beloved, a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, long suffering; forebearing one another, and forgiving each other if any man have a complaint against any; even as the Lord forgave you, so also do ye; and above all these things put on love which is the bond of perfectness."

---Col. 3:12-13

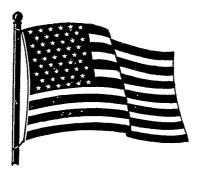
# THE REWARD

"Therefore the redeemed of the Lord shall return and come with singing unto Zion; and everlasting joy shall be upon their heads; They shall obtain gladness and joy and sorrow and mourning shall flee away.

For the Lord shall comfort Zion: he will comfort all her waste places; and he will make her wilderness like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the Lord; joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving and the voice of melody."

-Isa. 51:3-11.

"THE FLAG"



# PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, ONE NATION under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

# THE AMERICAN FLAG

In reverence and in dignity we pay tribute to our American Flag, the emblem of our national authority. It proclaims our principles, upholds our ideals, gives us freedom to worship and represents all we are as a nation and all we hope to be as a people.

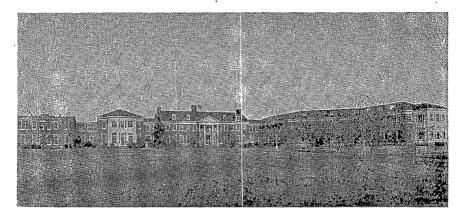
The glittering stars that adorn the constellation of the American Flag tell us a story that each star is a state, and each state a star. In this flag each star stands alone, each independent of all others, yet united in national affairs.

The colors, the history and the achievements of our flag have caused it to have various names: in the laity of the land, it is called "Our Country's Flag." By virtue of its triple colors, it is is referred to as "THE RED, WHITE AND BLUE." Every star and stripe and color proclaims that it is not the insignia of a ruler, but the emblem of a people. Not the stars for the few and stripes for the rest, but the FLAG OF OUR COUNTRY FOR ALL.

Today, the American Flag, in all its beauty and majesty, has a new dimension: It has lifted its silken folds as a flame in the sky, around the world, as an emblem of peace. May it always and forever wave triumphantly over the land of the free and the home of the brave; AMERICA, the beautiful.

> CYNTHIA MAE WATTS Past Grand Matron

GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS



# WELFARE PROGRAM—1969-1970

Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of The Eastern Star

To achieve success not by heritage but by individual effort is one of the greatest joys of life.

It is my earnest hope that this year will be a successful one in service and in the welfare of others.

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

The test of any human institution, is its fidelity of Purpose.

When we see with the eyes of our Heart, we see with love, faith and understanding. Love sees only the good. Faith discerns ways, even where there seems to be no way. Understanding sees through appearance and recognizes reality.

The growth and prosperity of our Order necessitates that our membership never lose sight of our lofty aims and high purposes and our endeavors will bring happiness, not only to ourselves, but to others.

Our Eastern Star home is always first and foremost in our thoughts and the most important to the membership of Texas. It is the purpose which binds us together in Brotherly Love and Christian Fellowship. We all appreciate the many blessings and privileges which are ours as members of this great Order.

The life of our organization represents a continuous march forward and shows a record of accomplishment which is most gratifying to us and God in His wisdom has given us a great work to do.

#### 1. O.E.S. HOME

Each of us is well aware of the responsibility that rests upon our shoulders in maintaining and providing for the lovely ladies in our Home. This is a sacred trust and one we are proud to accept.

# 2. O.E.S. ENDOWMENT FUND

I believe that if we increase our Endowment Fund, the day will soon come when we can operate our Home from this interest and our membership may be relieved from the continual asking for so many contributions. In this way we would certainly be assured of the future security of our O. E. S. Home.

#### 3. ESTARL

This is in accordance with our Laws as well as a "way" of assisting those who would dedicate their lives to Christian Service.

4. V. A. V. S. (Veterans Administration Voluntary Service.)

This is a plan for community participation in the V.A.'s program for hospitalized veterans. The basic concept of V.A.V.S. is, the careful integration of proffered services on members of voluntary service organizations and individuals into over all V.A. programs for the veteran patients and the integration of the hospitals into community thinking and living.

This charitable work imposes no expense only another "Gateway of Service" to those who served and are serving our Country.

To become 100% in our Welfare Work, it is necessary that each member contribute through the respective Chapters \$1.00 each. As a Chapter becomes 100% in its contributions, recognition is given through our Grand Chapter Bulletin published monthly. Then at Grand Chapter in 1970, each 100% Chapter will again be recognized in a Special Program.

The Charter of our Grand Chapter states we are organized for "Charitable and Benevolent purposes and to cement good feelings among its members and adherents." These are worthy projects and I especially solicit your assistance in the first two phases of the Welfare Program and that we fill the primary purposes as set forth in our original Charter by becoming 100% in our Welfare Work.

> An act of kindness, or a word of sympathy, May render the whole line of life different, From what it would otherwise have been. How careful then we should be that Our influence may at all times, Be in the right direction.

I shall keep my pitcher filled at the fountain of service and pour cups full for the thirsty ones by the wayside.

Sincerely and fraternally,

# SALLY MATRANGA Worthy Grand Matron

# INSTRUCTIONS TO THE GRAND EXAMINERS

To achieve success not by heritage but by individual effore is the greatest joy of life.

(J. P. Morgan.)

Having served on the Board of Grand Examiners five years. I am fully aware of the sincerety with which you serve the membership of your District, the dedication you exemplify for our Order, and the knowledge you must have of our Laws and Regulations.

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Through your office, as Grand Examiner, comes the opportunity to lend encouragement to the members desiring to become more familiar with our Laws, Rules and Regulations.

The Worthy Grand Matron is granted the power to supervise Grand Officers, Boards and Committees. I am fully aware of your problems, responsibilities and your joys and I lend my heartfelt assistance to you at all time in the fulfillment of your duties.

Your duties are clearly stated on Pages 72, 73 and 74 of our Constitution. Likewise on these pages are found the regulations regarding Examinations, Reports and Certificates, Expenses and Mileage. I know you will study these well.

The Deputy Grand Matrons have been instructed to give you every needed assistance, at your request, in planning for the work of the Examining Room at our Schools. She has been instructed to appoint Two Special Pages to assist you in your duties. You need only to let the Deputy Grand Matron know your needs and your desires.

Registration at the Schools will begin not later than 8:30 A.M. with the School Officers being seated in the East by 9:15 A.M. The School will be called to order promptly at 9:30 A.M. You will remain in the East until you have been presented to give the necessary instructions and the Drill on the Secret Work. As the welcome has been previously given, I feel that no further comments are necessary.

In the essence of time, PLEASE make your instructions brief. Ask those who are to assist to retire with you as quietly as possible. After giving your instructions and prior to the rendition of the Drill, you would ask the Warder to admit members desiring to hear the Drill and then direct the Warder to permit no interruptions during the Rendition of the Secret Work.

The Examining Room should close when the School closes at noon. However, if you are able to secure competent assistants to leave in charge during the noon hour, you may do so for the benefit of those members who work and must secure their certificates during this time. You will close the Examination Room at 4:00 P. M. when the School closes. However, you will want to be in the School Room by 3:00 P. M. to give your partial report and remarks of appreciation.

In order to accommodate the membership in the larger City Schools, you must plan to open the Examining Room on the day preceding the School. Since it is your duty to conduct and supervise the Examining Room, you would determine the opening and closing hours, notifying the Deputy Grand Matron in order that the proper announcements may be made to the membership concerning the hours, and in order that proper arrangements for the room may be made.

I know you will want to open the Examining Room as early as possible, preceding the Fraternal Visit, to accommodate the membership. If it is possible for you to set up a definite time of 7:00 P. M. for the re-opening of the Examining Room, give this information to the Deputy for announcements to be made to the membership prior to the date of the School.

The number of Certificates issued during the Fraternal Visit would be added to the partial report given in the afternoon, given to the Secretary, who will give the final Report just before Good of the Order. You will want to be introduced at the proper time during the Fraternal Visit, so I suggest that you leave an assistant in charge, in the event there are still members taking examinations, to enable you to be present in the Chapter Room for the introductions.

I anticipate pleasant hours of association as we travel through your District. My work as Grand Examiner brings many pleasant and happy memories. I want yours to be likewise. I am ever ready to give you any assistance.

# Sincerely and fraternally.

# SALLY MATRANGA Worthy Grand Matron

# INSTRUCTIONS TO THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS 1969-1970

Tuning the Harp of a Thousand Strings is very important. The Master touch must do the tuning for no instrument tunes itself. God and Universe make the Harp of a Thousand Strings resound. This year let us play upon the strings of our hearts so that our song will be for greater understanding, compassion and love for one another. Giving of the hands as well as the spirit, so that we can face God with humility. Making the Order of the Eastern Star an instrument of peace and a Harp whose music is loved and Understood.

The greatest joy in our journey of life comes from the service we gladly give in order to bring happiness and comfort to others. May some of the joy that thrilled my heart as I appointed you as my District Deputy Grand Matron flow into yours, lending encouragement and cheer throughout this year.

No group has a greater responsibility or a more joyful privilege than you, the five District Deputy Grand Matrons. Your duties are many fold, but the promotion of the year's work and the up building of the Order will be the real accomplishments that will live on.

I have the utmost confidence in your ability and your integrity to so lead and guide those who work under your supervision, that our Order may show much progress and growth as we work together with compassion, courage and humility. Much depends on your willingness to serve, the enthusiasm you put into your work and the determination to succeed.

You will have supervision of ten Deputies. That is a delightful experience and one, I hope, will bring you much happiness.

#### Correspondence

There is enchantment with each letter, perhaps its message is hidden behind a seal, but we are all fascinated with the anticipation of each communication. Your correspondence will take much time and thought, but will bring you pleasure without end. There will be countless requests for help, advice and instructions. Answer each inquiry accurately and promptly, giving the exact place in the Ritual and Constitution (Article, section and page) the answer may be found. Make a special effort to let your letters reflect the interest, enthusiasm, and joy in service—which I know each of you has. Inform your Deputies to always direct their questions and problems to you first. If you are unable to properly answer the question, please NEVER hesitate to tell them so. Be honest, for you will always gain respect and admiration with this attitude. Inform them that you will

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be happy, though, to try and find the answer. PLEASE, where there is no law do not give an opinion. Inform them that their letter has been forwarded to the Worthy Grand Matron. In such cases please send me a copy of your reply to them.

Set up a file for each Deputy in your section . . . keeping a copy of ALL CORRESPONDENCE NEVER write a letter to anyone without keeping a copy for your file. Since it is your Worthy Grand Matron's desire to always be of assistance to you . . . feel secure in referring to her, all questions and problems you are unable to selve.

#### Reports

Your duties concerning all reports, books, and funds, etc., are specifically outlined in the Constitution and Lews (Chapter 7, Article 140, 141 and 142, Pages 96, 97). Study these CAREFULLY.

Forms are provided for all reports. These, as well as all correspondence, should be typewritten, if possible. Your Monthly Report must reach the Worthy Grand Matron and the Associate Grand Matron by the 10th of the month. Mail the original copy of your report to the Associate Grand Matron. Be sure sufficient postage is used to insure delivery of all correspondence. Financial reports MUST BALANCE.

Remember, your Annual Report shall be made on or before August 31st. Preferable—several days prior to August 31st. Then, if there is a correction to be made or an adjustment, there will be sufficient time to make it before the deadline date.

#### Funds

You will receive an appropriation to be used in defraying the expenses incurred by you and the ten Deputy Grand Matrons of your District. This check will be mailed to you soon after Grand Chapter. You should immediately forward the pro-rata to each of your Deputies.

You and the Deputy Grand Matrons will be allowed three (3) cents per mile for traveling on official business, except when riding with the Worthy Grand Matron in the Grand Chapter car.

Any unused portion of the appropriation should be returned before August 31st, through the Grand Secretary's office—to the General Fund of Grand Chapter. If you should need money for duties performed after the above date, a Supplemental Report must be filed.

Last year's reports are included in your Deputy Book. It will help you to study these, and assist you in the allocation of the funds.

#### Minute Book

You will keep a record of all EASTERN STAR SCHOOLS held in your District in a Minute Book. Inform the School Secretary, in advance, that she will be required to send a copy of the minutes to each hostess Chapter, and MUST have the minutes recorded in the Minute Book by the close of the day. (We must take the Minute Book with us.) The School Secretary will also serve as Secretary for the Fraternal Visit. Ask her to arrive at the School 30 minutes prior to School Time, that you may give her necessary instructions.

The Deputy will secure the School Secretary, but you will appoint the Secretary, the Registration Chairman, and the Invitation Chairman in the opening of each School. The Registration Committee to consist of the Junior Past Matrons and the Invitation Committee to consist of the

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Associate Matrons. The Deputy will furnish you these names in advance if possible. You will have in your charge the necessary forms for the Registration and Invitation Committees, and will give them to the Deputy the morning of the School (these you will receive in your supplies from Grand Chapter.

The real success of a School lies greatly in the work of the Deputy Grand Matron. Keep in close contact with her and secure her cooperation in all matters in her Section. I suggest you write a detailed letter to each Deputy, giving *Explicit Instructions* as to what will be expected of her at the School. You will forward this minute book to the Associate Grand Matron within thirty (30) days after the close of your last School.

#### Schools

It will be your duty to arrange the school schedules. Work closely with your Deputies in your planning. It is your duty to recommend to the Worthy Grand Matron the time and place for the Schools and Fraternal Visits. Submit your complete schedule to the Worthy Grand Matron for approval. Send one copy of the APPROVED schedule to the Grand Secretary before the 13th of the month previous to the month in which the Schools will be held, in order that the School and Fraternal Visits of the Worthy Grand Matron may be published in the Bulletin.

Copies are also sent to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Secretary, Grand Examiner of your District, and to each of the Line Officers of Grand Chapter. Complete and DETAILED ITINERARIES must be sent to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Secretary and your Grand Examiner. These must include dates; time of arrival and departure; names, addresses of buildings where Schools and Visits will be held; names, addresses and phone numbers of hosts and hostesses, motels or hotels where School Officers will be housed. All motel and hotel confirmations must be sent to the Worthy Grand Matron before leaving on the School schedule. Be sure to send two copies of the completed schedule to the Worthy Grand Matron so she may have one to give to her husband. It is always a nice courtesy to send a copy to the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons in your District.

Always include the Worthy Grand Patron and his wife in our plans. Extend them every courtesy and see that they have satisfactory housing.

Your Deputy Grand Matrons will assist you in making the necessary arrangements for all accommodations. Please see that the Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Examiner, District Deputy Grand Matron (and the Deputy Grand Matron when needed) have these accommodations. If the District Secretary is traveling with us, please include her too. PLEASE REMEM-BER the District Secretary is NOT A SCHOOL OFFICER. She is the Secretary to the Worthy Grand Matron and is not included in the courtesies accorded to the School Officers at the close of the day. Always her housing is provided for with us, but she attends to her own tickets (unless the Deputy wishes to do so of her own accord.)

The Grand Examiner is an important participant in our Schools, PLEASE be sure that every courtesy is extended to her. Her needs must be carefully considered; adequate space and comfortable quarters for the examining room, sufficient Pages to aid her in every way, and competent, dependable members with "A" certificates to assist in the examing room. Keep her informed of all plans. The Worthy Grand Patron is a business man and it will not be possible for him to attend all the Schools and Visits, but he will be present at every one he can attend. Certainly you would want to be sure that every courtesy and consideration is shown him as a token of our appreciation of his and his lovely wife's presence.

The Eastern Star Schools are conducted for the purpose of instruction and demonstration of the work of our Order. It is not a ritualistic Chapter meeting and so does not require a Charter or Quorum. The Salutation Sign will NOT be given on entering and leaving. The School will be opened and closed with one blow of the gavel. It will be in session from 9:30 Å. M. to 12:00 noon, and from 1:30 P. M. to 4:00 P. M. Registration beginning at 8:30 Å. M. and the entrance of the School Officers at 9:15 Å. M.

All Grand Officers will be introduced during the Fraternal Visit unless they will not be present at that time. Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons and Grand Chapter Line Officers will be recognized by the Worthy Grand Matron in the morning. General Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons and Line Officers will be invited to be seated in the East. (If they desire to do so.)

#### Fraternal Visits

A joint Fraternal Visit of the Worthy Grand Matron to the participating Chapters should be scheduled on the evening following the Eastern Star School. Since the meeting will be opened in Ritualistic form, *Charters* and *Quorums will be required*. Remind your Deputies to enthusiastically encourage the Chapter of each Section to participate in the Joint Fraternal Visit following the School.

A Chapter may receive the Worthy Grand Matron for a Fraternal Visit at a Stated or Special Meeting, called for that purpose. Should you desire to include the Worthy Grand Patron, he will be listed as a Special Guest. Should two or more Chapters desire to honor the Worthy Grand Matron they may call a Special Meeting for a Joint Fraternal Visit. The Worthy Grand Matron will enjoy and be keenly interested in fraternal fellowship with as many of the wonderful members in Texas as possible. So plan her itinerary carefully in your District, that it may include Visits.

We will endeavor to eliminate as much night traveling as possible, try to plan so as not to retract steps. I prefer three Schools a week. Try for Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. If at any time it is necessary for four be sure the traveling distance is at a minimum. I prefer that no visits be planned on Wednesday nights as this is "Church Night" to many of our members.

#### Dispensations

I will have two Dispensation Books; one is numbered and these are the ones to be used when there is a fee. The unnumbered Dispensation Book is the one we use for Joint Fraternal Visits—we give a blanket Dispensation without fee, but you must instruct the School Secretary to list all Chapters participating on back of the Dispensation, and then, in the Minute Book. It will be your duty to list the participating Chapters on the back of the STUBS of the Dispensation Book.

#### Conclusion

"To understand what to do is knowledge; to be able to do it is skill; to see that it is done right is service." The Constitution gives the District Deputy Grand Matron the privilege of presiding over and conducting the Schools. Your Worthy Grand Matron will be present to assist you and lend her support, but it is her desire that you prepare yourself so that you may confidently teach the beautiful work of our Order. You were chosen because of your ability, and there is a sincere belief that you will be the best District Deputy Grand Matron your District has ever had. This I truly believe as we work together with compassion, courage and humility.

#### Sincerely and fraternally.

#### SALLY MATRANGA Worthy Grand Matron

# INSTRUCTIONS TO DEPUTIES

### Correspondence

First, you will set up a folder for each of the Chapters in your Section.

One for the D.D.G.M., one for the plans for your school, and one for your own personal file. (Always be sure to weigh mail to insure proper delivery.)

As soon as possible after Grand Chapter, you will write a letter of Fraternal Greetings to each Chapter in your Section, giving information about the W.G.M.'s aims for the year, stating the date of your Official Visit of Inspection, and attaching a copy of the schedule of your visits within your Section. Give the name and address of the District Deputy Grand Matron. This letter should be on your Official Letterhead stationary which will be furnished you immediately after Grand Chapter.

Be prompt . . . courteous and neat. A carbon Copy of every letter written should be in your file. Always state a Law, giving Page number in Ritual, the Page, Article, Section and paragraph in the Constitution. *NEVER* give an opinion when there is no definite law. Always consult your D.D.G.M. If a serious problem arises tell them you will need a letter and to send the letter in triplicate. You then file one copy, and two copies of their letter, along with one from you giving anything you have to offer on the situation to your DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRON.

Your letters to the Chapters requesting the date for your Official Visit will be sent to the Chapter Secretary, but should be directed in Salutation—"Dear Sisters and Brothers." After date of your visit has been confirmed by the Chapter Secretary, write her a letter stating the request to inspect the Books, and giving information you will require when you visit, (I.E. number of members on roll of Chapter, number of non-resident members on roll, number present at meeting, "A" and "B" certificate report, amount given to Welfare Projects, different types of welfare work, and contributions to Civic and benevolent projects.)

#### Chapter Inspections

The Chapters look forward to the visit of the Deputy Grand Matron. It is your duty to know your work well and give them both instructions and a renewed inspiration.

Enclosed in your Deputy's book is a directory giving the date of the meeting of each Chapter, also the name and address of the Secretary. You will receive a check from the District Deputy Grand Matron soon after Grand Chapter. This money is for your expenses, incurred during the year for OFFICIAL USE ONLY. If possible, be sure to always write (not phone) as long distance called amount up in a hurry. Any unused amount will be returned to your D.D.G.M. by August 1st, when you make your final report. Only Deputy Grand Matrons make official visits. As Deputy, you are authorized to make only one official inspection, unless instructed to return by the Worthy Grand Matron.

Inform the Chapters in advance the hour of your arrival and departure. What books and records you will need for your inspection, together with the data you will require to complete your report on the Official inspection of the Chapter.

In your inspection, you will read the minutes of each meeting since the visit of the previous Deputy Grand Matron. Study the report of the previous Deputy reflecting the condition of the Chapter before making your visit. Place the date and your signature after the last minutes. After inspecting the Treasurer's Cash Book, place the date and your signature after the last entry. Check carefully to see if reported irregularities existing the previous year have been corrected. Report any irregularities you may find and mention same to the Chapter. (You are not to make any corrections, this is the affair of the Chapter.) Only report this when making your monthly report to the D.D.G.M. Check supplies of the Secretary to see if they have sufficient forms, etc., for the need of the Chapter. Examine the By-Laws of the Chapter to see if they conform with our Constitution and Laws, if not, suggest that the Worthy Matron appoint a committee to amend the By-Laws.

IT IS NOT THE DUTY OF THE DEPUTY GRAND MATRON to audit the Chapter books. She only ascertains that the Chapter records are being kept in proper order on prescribed forms and that an audit of the books was made in accordance with the Constitution and Laws and the By-Laws of the Chapter.

You will bring your instructions under the Good of the Order. Read and study carefully the instructions to subordinate Chapters for 1969 and 1970 so that you will not have to take the time to read all the instructions in their entirety when making your visit. Make your introductory remarks, then give a resume of the Worthy Grand Matron's theme and aims, and present your instructions. By observance you may determine the instructions and if any demonstrations are needed by the Chapter. Enject your own personality into your comments and instructions. It would be good if you checked with the Worthy Matron before hand to see if any special help is needed. By diplomatic and courteous in all your remarks. Make a Chapter feel through your cooperative spirit, that it is your duty to be only helpful, never critical. It is wise never to take over approximately (30) thirty minutes in giving your instructions. The custom of the Chapter should prevail whether to give a very SHORT program to honor the Deputy or not on the night she make her Official Visit.

#### Masonic Lodge Bulidings

A deep debt of gratitude and appreciation is due the Masonic Lodges for the many courtesies extended to the Eastern Stars for the use of their Lodge Rooms. ALL CHAPTERS are ureged to cooperate with the wishes, rules and regulations set out by that Grand Body. ALL CHAPTERS are urged to cooperate with the Masonic Brothers in their observance of Public Schools Week. It is the request of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas that no ceremonies including the ceremony of initiation, be conducted during Public Schools Week. TO ALL CHAPTERS who meet in Masonic Lodge rooms, special attention is called to the two St. John Days; December 27th and June 24th. It is their wish that NO MEETINGS be held in the Lodge Room on either date.

#### Reports

Study the duties of the Deputy Grand Matron concerning Reports— Article 144, Page 97 in the Constitution and Laws. It is important that your report to the D.D.G.M. be prompt and accurate. Her report, which is based on your report to her, must reach the Worthy Grand Matron by the 10th of each month. Use the typewriter when possible (otherwise use ink). Report whether you have done any work or not. Make two copies of the monthly report of the Deputy Grand Matron. Send one copy to the D.D.G.M. and retain one copy for your files. (This is most important just in case the D.D.G.M. needs to call you and ask you anything that is in doubt to her on your report. You would then have one before you and valuable time would be saved.) Make three copies of Report of Chapter Inspection. Mail two copies to the D.D.G.M. and retain one copy for your file.

# Schools

While the D.D.G.M. has charge of the Eastern Star Schools and ALL plans must be approved by the Worthy Grand Matron (through the D.D.G.M.) you as the Deputy Grand Matron have the responsibility to make all arrangements for housing accommodations, schedule all activities and forward to the D.D.G.M. all invitations for schools and visits. It is also your duty to have the responsibility of planning and preparing for the schools in your section. It is important that you keep in close contact with the D.D.G.M. concerning all plans for the school and Fraternal visit in your section. It is sincerely hoped that every Chapter will participate in the school and visit. Your personal contact and enthusiasm will encourage their participation.

Your Chapter Secretary should have an itemized statement of the previous Eastern Star School. Ask to see these statements and study them carefully, preparing the budget for your school. Keep in mind that you must send an itemized statement of the expenses of your Section's School to each Chapter along with your letter of appreciation, as soon as possible after the school and visit.

In the event you are unable to secure a Masonic Hall for the school and you will be using a recreational building or community building, remember the building must be of the type to secure sufficient secrecy. Provide a microphone for use in the East, if possible. In a large room two microphones will be needed.

Call a meeting with the Worthy Matrons of your Section and make plans for the School—if Deputy does not live in the town where school is to be held, appoint a Chairman who does live there. The Worthy Matrons are your co-workers. See that they have a participating part in the School activities. It is the desire of the Worthy Grand Matron that the Matrons draw for the Stations for the School unless they and you, the Deputy, want to appoint such officers. You will, with their approval, appoint such committees as DECORATIONS, PROGRAM, BANQUET, LUNCHEON, BADGES, ETC. I also desire that the Associate Matrons be invited to assist and attend such meetings as necessary for their participation. Since the Worthy Matrons, Associate Matrons and Line Officers should be in the School Room at all times it would be best to not appoint any of these Officers to any duties outside the School Room. There are many Past Matrons, Past Patrons and interested members who can and probably would appreciate the opportunity, to assist with many of your plans, leaving the Officers free to remain in the School Room. It would be good to appoint one from each Chapter to take care of the preparations for the Luncheon or Banquet. This same group could be asked to be pages for the School Officers also.

ALL plans and expenses to be incurred in connection with the School, Fraternal Visit and social activities, are to be submitted by the worthy Matrons to the Deputy Grand Matron for approval, and shall be the expense of the particular Hostess Chapters of the Section.

The Associate Matrons will serve on the Invitation Committee. Junior Past Matrons will serve on the Registration Committee. Forms for these two Committees to make their report on may be secured from the D.D.G.M. on the morning of the School. You must give the name of the Chairman of each of these Committees as well as the School Secretary to the D.D.G.M. the evening before the School. It would be helpful if when forwarding your plans, reservations and other pertinent information about your School to the D.D.G.M. that these names be given her then. But ALWAYS confirm these names as stated, the night before.

The School Secretary MUST have the minutes of both the School and Fraternal Visit recorded in the Minute Book supplied by the D.D.G.M. immediately after the Fraternal Visit, as the D.D.G.M. must take this book with her to the next School. The School Secretary should be in her station at least thirty minutes before School time and thirty minutes before the Fraternal Visit.

The Worthy Matrons will report to the School Secretary their Quorum and verify the presence of their Charter before the Fraternal Visit. This MUST be done before the Opening Ceremony. If the Worthy Matron does not have the Charter and/or Quorum then that Chapter will NOT be counted as having participated in the Fraternal Visit. If the Fraternal Visit is on a stated meeting night of a participating Chapter the Worthy Grand Matron CANNOT give permission for the Chapter to miss its meeting.

The Chapters will not be required to have their Charters or a Quorum for the School. However; it is wise to bring them that morning though in case one should be left, there would be time to have someone to get it before the night meeting.

No Chapter Jewels are worn for the School. Neither will the Salutation Sign be given upon entering or retiring in the Eastern Star School. The salutation sign is required during the Fraternal Visit. Only the W.G.M. makes a Fraternal Visit. If the W.G.P. is present he is listed as an Honored Guest.

No dispensation will be requested for the Fraternal Visit, the W.G.M. will have them with her and no fee is required.

Registration will begin at 8:30 A. M. School Officers to be escorted to the East at 9:15 A. M. Drill will be executed and we will open at 9:30 A. M., closing at 12:00 noon for lunch. After lunch we will open at 1:30 closing at 4:00 P. M. Reports and Special Courtesies will be at 3:00 in the afternoon.

The Custom of the Section will be followed as to Corsages . . . whether they be Flowers or Money.

The Welfare Program and Drill, if any, will begin at 7:30 and the Fraternal Visit will open at 8:00 P. M. It is suggested that only a short

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program be given at the Fraternal Visit. Final reports are given by the SECRETARY (Registration and Grand Examiners) just before talks for the Good of the Order, and ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS, will be made at this time. Greetings by the Worthy Grand Patron and then Greetings by the Worthy Grand Matron. NEVER should there be other talks after the Worthy Grand Matron's Greetings.

ALWAYS see that those in the East are escorted out. Taking the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron FIRST, followed by General Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Floor Officers, School Officers and other Grand Chapter Officers. Music is played for them to retire.

It is suggested that no silver drills or penny marches be asked for on. Honor Nights or Fraternal Visits.

Provide a reserved and marked space for the W.G.M.'s and W.G.P.'s car.

At the LUNCHEON only the W.G.M., W.G.P., School Officers and those at the Head Table along with the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons will be introduced.

At the BANQUET before the Fraternal Visit, only the Head Table will be introduced. Your W.G.M., W.G.P., those seated at the Head Table, the P.G.M.s or P.G.P.s seated at the Head Table (If any). The School Officers need not be introduced again. No Grand Officers in the audience. (These will be introduced at the Fraternal Visit. Of course you know that if GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS are present they always are introduced after the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron).

If someone from out of town is asked to be on the program, it is a nice courtesy to furnish them with complimentary tickets. If it is a Line Officer, contact her "Girls" or his "Boys" to see if the group will provide their tickets. Always we must write to those to be on the programs, asking them to participate... never surprise them on their arrival.

NO CANDIDATE for a Grand Chapter Office shall be asked to be on a program.

Always have someone available (assigned) to direct those who are to be seated at the Head Table or Reserved Tables. It is most embarrassing to walk into a Luncheon or Banquet and not know where you are expected to sit.

The HUSBANDS of the Worthy Grand Matron and Associate Grand Matron, the WIVES of the Worthy Grand Patron and Associate Grand Patron, MUST have escorts and be seated in a reserved place (if they are not to be seated at the Head Table) BEFORE the Worthy Grand Matron is escorted to her place at the Head Table.

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The W.G.M. (and W.G.P. if present), School Officers, persons participating on the Program . . . P.G.M.'s, P.G.P's, elective Grand Line Officers and General Grand Chapter Officers are to be seated at the Head Table if room provides. If not room for these, then a SPECIAL RESERVED TABLE for P.G.M.'s, etc. will be set up.

(See attached drawing for suggested proper seating arrangements for Head Table.)

Always include the Worthy Grand Patron and his wife in your plans, ascertaining if they will be in attendance. Secure reservations for them and always keep them informed, sending confirmation of housing accommodations, and all other necessary information.

When sending out invitations for the School, Fraternal Visits, Teas, etc., be sure to include the street and town in which it is to be located, with complete address. The same applies for the notice in the Bulletin. Remember all information is to be sent to the 'Grand Secretary, in Arlington, before the 10th of each previous month of your school if it is to be in the Bulletin. Include address and telephone number of those in charge of the tickets for Luncheons, and Banquets.

You will make reservations for the School Officers. The W.G.M., the D.D.G.M., and the Grand Examiner will be traveling together. Sometimes the District Secretary will be traveling with the W.G.M.—if so you are to arrange for her housing. (The District Secretary is not a School Officer and will not be furnished tickets to Luncheons or Banquets unless you, the Deputy Grand Matron, should desire to include her. However, if traveling with the Worthy Grand Matron her room, as stated before, should be provided.)

Make reservations in Hotels or Motels, unless it would cause bad feelings. Explain that the W.G.M. has work to do and confidential matters to work out. This is not always possible when in a home.

I prefer the School Officers stay as close to each other as possible in connecting room or adjoining rooms. Be sure the Worthy Grand Matron and the District Deputy Grand Matron are housed together. Confirmations must be sent to the D.D.G.M. as soon as possible, as it is necessary that she have the place, address, and telephone number in order to complete her itinerary.

Be sure to list on your School Program the Worthy Grand Patron with the School Officers whether he be present or not.

The Grand Examiner is most important in the work at the School, extend every courtesy to her. Appoint at least two Pages for her. Write to the Grand Examiner to offer your assistance and to determine her needs for the Examining Room. See that she has a comfortable and ample room for the Examining Room. If she desires to ask for helpers, be sure they

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have "A" Certificates. Use other than Line Officers to assist, if possible, since the Worthy Grand Matron feels that these Line Officers should be in the School Room for the instructions. In City Schools the Line Officers may assist should the Examining Room be open the day before.

If the Grand Examiner wishes to do so only the Worthy Matrons may take the examinations the night before the School.

Let me remind you again to be sure to have microphones available in large rooms. One in the East and one at the Altar.

The Deputy Grand Matron will keep you informed if you are to assist with the demonstrations at the Schools.

When there is a Banquet between the time the School dismisses and the Fraternal Visit, there will be NO reception aftrward. This does not apply when the Banquet is held the night before. If there is a reception after the Fraternal Visit, there will be NO receiving line.

No Coffees or Teas will be held during Church Hours.

No Teas will be held on Sunday after the Fraternal Visit on Saturday Night. The Worthy Grand Matron feels that the membership is tired after a heavy weekend, and would be glad to come back if your section so desires at a later date.

It is not necessary to use the Worthy Grand Matron's theme in plans for the Schools.

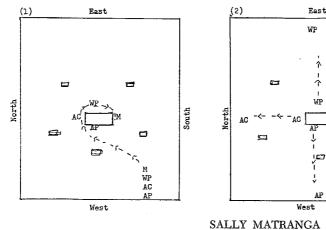
The presentation of the Flag is not necessary. However, pay particular attention to placing it in the East. It should always be in the East to the right of the presiding Officer. Always being placed so as not to obstruct the view of those seated in the East. A patriotic song may be sung.

The Salutation Sign is NOT required for the School and No Charter for the School. The School is for demonstrations and it is permissible to walk in front of the Bible.

Our Ritual on page 23 does not provide the manner in which the Organist, Associate Conductress, Worthy Patorn and Associate Patron assume their stations for the opening ceremony. They may do so in any impressive manner desired by the Worthy Matron, so long as the Worthy Patron ascends the dais AFTER the other three are in their stations.

Our Worthy Grand Matron offers this manner as a SUGGESTION ONLY. Let the Organist assume her station without ceremony, in order that she might play, as the Marshal escorts the following (Line up in this order).

Marshal Worthy Patron Associate Conductress Associate Patron Let the Marshal lead these three Officers in—lining up inside the outer door, and going to the Altar by passing between Ruth and Esther the Marshal goes around the Altar to the south side—the Worthy Patron stops on the East side of the Altar—the Associate Conductress to the North side of the Altar—with the Associate Patron stopping on the West side of the Altar. When all are in position (on all four sides of the Altar), they will then bow to each other, and go directly from their positions to their stations. When the Worthy Patron gets to the East, before he ascends the dais, he will turn and be sure that Associate Patron has already reached his station, the Associate Conductress her station, and the Marshal back to her place in line outside of the door, at which time he would then ascend the dais, and proceed according to the Ritual on Page 24.





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# INSTRUCTIONS TO SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS

(To be mailed by the Grand Secretary to each Chapter Secretary in November. Upon receipt, she will pass it on to the Worthy Matron, who will see that the instructions become immediately effective. A second copy will be given to the Associate Matron by the Deputy Grand Matron, when she makes her Official Visit.)

## PRELIMINARY INSTRUCTIONS

The instructions to Subordinate Chapters are given to aid in the uniformity of the ritualistic work as has been set forth for us in the Ritual and our Constitution and Laws.

It is the desire of the Worthy Grand Matron that the membership adhere strictly to our Ritual, Constitution and Laws in the conducting of the meetings, thereby helping maintain the tradition and dignity developed during the history of our Order. In many instances only the page number of the Ritual and/or the Constitution will be given. The Deputy will elaborate on such instructions as are necessary in the individual Chapters.

Attention is called to Page 165 of the Ritual in that there is a penalty for copying any portion of the Ritual, Copyrighted by the General Grand Chapter.

The fine print of the Ritual is as important as the large print. The fine print is the specific instruction for carrying out our ceremonies in the uniform manner.

#### CHAPTER ROOM

Page 166 of our Ritual gives our Chapter Furniture and Page 167 shows a properly prepared Chapter room—the position of the emblems on the pedestals, etc. The Chairs of the Star Points shall be so placed as to form a perfect Star. No other chairs are permitted to be placed within the Labyrinth.

Our Constitution, Page 157, Art. 305 (4) states the chairs shall face East.

It is the duty of the Worthy Matron to see that the Chapter Room is properly prepared even though specific officers or a committee performs these duties.

Bible presentations, programming or processionals, are permissible prior to the beginning of the Opening Ceremony, provided the ritualistic Opening begins at the time stated in the Chapter By-Laws. We encourage the Worthy Matron to use her good ideas in this connection so long as they do not conflict with our Laws.

The time designated in your Chapter By-Laws is the time to begin your meetings. Start on time. If you plan brief, interesting meetings, you will find that your members will attend in greater numbers. Plan Special or Called Meetings, if possible, presenting varied programs, such as

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Obligation, Friendship, Masonic Brothers, etc. No business is to be transacted at a called meeting other than that specified in the call. (Art. 269. Code of Laws, Page 145.)

# OPENING CEREMONY

Our Code of Laws, Page 146, gives the requirements for the Opening of a Chapter. Our Ritual, Page 166, gives us the list of necessary Chapter Furniture. If the Flag is presented, it must be retired just preceding the Closing Ceremony. (See Constitution, Page 195, for Presentation of Flag Ceremony.)

When ready for the Opening Ceremony, the officers, with the exception of the four officers named in the fine print of the Ritual, Page 23, retire to the ante room. The Ritual does not provide for the manner these four officers assume their stations. They may do so in any impressive manner desired by the Worthy Matron, provided the Worthy Patron ascends the dais after the other three are in their stations. If the Worthy Matron desires the Marshal may escort these four officers to their stations, retiring immediately. The Worthy Patron calls the meeting to order with one blow of the gavel. Officers wear their badges as the entrance drill is a part of the Opening.

The Entrance Drill may be elaborated upon as long as the officers assume the order and position given in our Ritual, Page 24, at the conclusion of the drill.

The lines may be formed either inside or outside the chairs, whichever is more convenient for the Chapter room. If the lines are formed inside the chairs, the officers are standing in the position within the Star Point Chairs. If formed outside the chairs, the lines must be OUTSIDE ALL Star Point Chairs.

The Worthy Matron may be conducted to the East through the Labyrinth or along the North Marching Line (Ritual, Page 24), depending whether the lines are formed inside or outside the chairs. In either instance, the Conductress merely turns right, going behind Adah's chair if the lines are formed inside the Chairs, proceeding along the South marching line and marches far enough West to approach the Worthy Matron. With the line formed within the chairs, the Worthy Matron would advance a few steps toward the West to permit the Conductress to approach her. After the customary bows, the Conductress offers her right arm and continues across the West to conduct the Worthy Matron to the East. As the Worthy Patron is assisting the Worthy Matron to the dais, the Conductress returns directly to her former position at the head of the South line. The Worthy Matron, after receiving the gavel from the Worthy Patron, gives the charge to the officers and then seats the Chapter. If the lines are formed inside the chairs, the officers will leave the Labyrinth between Adah and Electa and go directly to their stations. If the lines are formed outside the chairs, they will walk to the line of march in the East and countermarch. In either instance the officers will go directly to their stations and are seated IMMEDIATELY. (Constitution, Page 157.)

PROVING THE CHAPTER: Proving the Chapter is the responsibility of the Associate Matron, who remains standing during this entire procedure. If the Associate Matron is able of her own knowledge to vouch for all present, she responds at once; if not, she directs the Conductress and the Associate Conductress to assist her. The Conductress and Associate Conductress follow the procedure outlined in the fine print of the Ritual, Page 26. The Constitution, Page 147, provides further law on the proof of good standing and vouching.

A Member and Visitor Register should be in the ante-room, in charge of a committee appointed by the Worthy Matron.

If it is known before the Opening Ceremony that Visitors are present who cannot be vouched for, they should be examined at once, so they may witness the Opening Ceremony. The Examining Committee should consist of three members and one member of the committee should be a Brother. The examination of a visitor must take place in a room secure from interruption. Visitors must always be examined separately. The examination is conducted as directed in the fine print of the Ritual, Page 17, 26 and 27.

If the Visitor is from New York or New Jersey, the Chairman must ask the eligibility and must know from whom the member attained eligibility. If through an uncle, the member is not eligible to visit Chapters or Grand Chapters under the Jurisdiction of General Grand Chapter. (General Grand Chapter Ruling.)

Every member must present a current or preceding year's receipt for dues or a demit. (Not more than one year old) countersigned by the member. If a visitor from another Chapter in this Grand Jurisdiction does not have a receipt for dues or valid demit but has been properly vouched for, the name should appear in the latest published Roster of the membership in this Grand Jurisdiction and would be accepted in lieu of the presentation of receipt of dues.

#### ALTAR SERVICES

When the Conductress is directed to attend at the Altar during the Opening and Closing Ceremonies, she leaves her station on the East side of the pedestal, marches West until OPPOSITE Esther's station, makes an acute angle and enters the Labyrinth, makes a slight bow to the Worthy Matron, and proceeds according to the Ritual. The Conductress and the Chaplain DO NOT walk with clasped hands when advancing to the Altar or at any time when performing duties in the Chapter Room, nor do they carry small Bibles. General Grand Chapter says the Chaplain does not carry a small Bible to the Altar, her hands must be free.

To properly open the Bible, the Conductress places her right hand firmly in the center of the front edges, and places her left hand firmly on the back edge, just opposite her right hand. With her right hand, she raises the front edges of the Bible to the center of the Altar; with her left hand, she guides the back of the Bible to the center of the Altar. She then moves her left hand slowly up the front side of the Bible until it meets the right hand, and opens the Bible with both hands, lowering both sides at the same time. She removes the marker (if one is used) then, she places the Square and Compasses in proper position, using both hands if it is possible, drawing both hands away into the SALUTATION SIGN. Facing the Altar, the Conductress then steps back into the circle of Officers, between Ruth and Esther, and assumes the REVERENT ATTITUDE.

The Chaplain in the Opening and Closing Ceremonies, marches West until opposite Esther's station, then makes an acute angle, entering between Esther and Martha. When she reaches the Altar, she stands until the music ceases and then should kneel to offer the prayer. After completing the prayer, with face toward the Altar, she steps back into the circle of officers midway between Esther and Martha. Care should be taken to perfect the circular pattern (Ritual Page 42). The position of the Star

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Point Officers, Chaplain and Conductress form an arc of a circle (See Diagram, Page 3 of the Ritual). The Chaplain and Conductress remain in these positions in both the Opening and Closing until the Warder has reported back to the Worthy Matron in the Opening and until the Warder has informed the Sentinel in the Closing. In returning to their stations the Conductress turns South and the Chaplain turns North, having marched West far enough to reach the South and North Marching Lines. Appropriate music may be played during the March to the Altar, during the Opening and Closing of the Bible, but not during the prayer. Our Ritual, Pages 16 and 17 gives our instruction on the Reverent Attitude and the Attitude of Prayer. All Officers and members face the Altar during Altar Services. The Reverent Attitude is assumed during devotionals and all Obligations. Do not confuse LOOSELY CLASPED HANDS with INTERLACED fingers. The Reverent Attitude is assumed as the Conductress enters the Labyrinth in the Opening and as the Chaplain enters the Labyrinth in the Closing Ceremony. The Attitude of Prayer is assumed when the Chaplain kneels to offer the prayer. The Attitude of Prayer is held until after the Response is given.

ALL members and ALL Officers FACE the ALTAR during Altar Services.

# FLAG CEREMONY

If the Flag is presented, this should be done immediately after the Warder reports back to the Worthy Matron and the Conductress and Chaplain have returned to their stations. If the Flag is presented, it must be retired just preceding the Closing Ceremony. Page 195, Constitution, gives a suggested form for Presentation of the Flag. The Pledge of Allegiance MUST be given at every meeting. The position of the Flag is on a level with and at the right of the Presiding Officer. (Be sure that the Flag is placed in a position that it will not obstruct the view of those seated in the East and not interfere with the Introduction of Grand Officers.) During the pledge of Allegiance, all members will place their right hand over their left breast and face the Flag. No members should be allowed to enter the Chapter Room until after the Pledge of Allegiance; the WARDER and SENTINEL will observe this instruction carefully.

We suggest that members read the Public Law on Flag Etiquette. We honor our Flag as the emblem of our UNITY, our POWER, our AUTHORITY and our purpose as a Nation.

The Flag of the United States of America, the most beautiful of all Flags—may we never fail to honor it and adhere to the principles that it represents. The Star is a symbol of the heavens and the divine goal of which man has aspired from time immemorial; the stripe is symbolic of the rays of light emanating from the sun. Our Flag, from its birth until now, has witnessed a great history, has floated on high the symbol of great events, and has been a part of a great plan of life worked out by great people. It is only a symbol, but a symbol representing the proud heritage of America's past and our most precious legacy. May God will that "Our Flag" shall proudly and victoriously wave over our glorious land of FREEDOM forever.

# OFFICÉRS

The officers are charged with their specific duties at the time of installation and these duties are further stipulated by the Ritual and

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Constitution (Pages 143, 144). Every officer should feel the responsibility to their Chapter to study their duties and give their best possible performance in the fulfillment of our Obligation.

Worthy Matrons should instruct and call practice session as often as necessary to comply with their charges. Pro tem officers can only be appointed to fill an office for one meeting at a time. If the Worthy Matron appoints an officer to fill another station pro tem., the minutes record the officer present in his or her own station.

Although the Ritual provides for the Short Form Opening (Page 28), this practice is not to be abused. Open in short form ONLY when necessary. Full form takes very little extra time and is much more impressive and instructive for the members and visitors. Opening in Short Form more than four times a year would constitute abuse of this privilege. (General Grand Chapter.)

The Ritual gives explicit instructions on the Use of the Gavel, Raps, Grand Honors, etc. on Pages 16 and 17. Officers should memorize their work and NOT use a Ritual in the Chapter Room. Officers and Members ALWAYS RISE and address the Presiding Officer any time they wish to speak during meetings.

Parliamentary Procedure and Usage is outlined on Page 107, Article 167, and Page 146, Article 273 of the Constitution. All members should be familiar with this procedure. The Warder and Sentinel are important appointive Officers. We rely upon them for security from interruption. Since members are not admitted during the Opening and Closing Ceremony, while a ballot is being taken (except as provided in the Ritual for the Balloting of the Sentinel). During a lecture or during any portion of the Secret Work, should the Sentinel mistakenly give the raps, the Warder would not respond until the Order of Business or the ceremony is completed. The WARDER never leaves her station and the doors are opened ONLY by the officer inside the door. These two Officers should be ever watchful in their positions.

The Secretary has a responsible charge. Her duties are outlined in our Ritual and Constitution (Pages 143, 144, Art. 261). She orders ALL supplies from the Grand Secretary's office with payment attached (checks and money order are made payable to the Grand Chapter of Texas, O.E.S.) Though she collects all money due the Chapter, it is paid to the Treasurer, who in turn, pays the Chapter's bills. All bills are voted paid to the Heasther, Chapter or payment for same provided in the Chapter By-Laws. The Secretary writes on prescribed form for any special dispensations, so ordered by the Chapter, with necessary fee attached. All correspondence directed to the Chapter must be read at the next stated meeting after receipt. Minutes of the meetings should be as brief and concise as possible, but they are to record all items of business. Official correspondence, names of visitors, reports, acceptance or rejection of petitions, bills voted paid and motions are very important and should be carefully noted. It is not necessary to write lengthy discussion of motions, but the minutes will carry the result of the action of the Chapter. Descriptions of decorations, ceremonies, and long remarks are not essential for record. Minutes of Open Installations, Funeral Ceremonies, Memorials, must be recorded, read and approved at the stated meeting following such Ceremony. The Chapter Seal is placed and all Chapter correspondence. The Secretary writes Chapter letters only at the order of the WORTHY MATRON or by VOTE of the Chapter, and she MUST write the letters so ordered. The Secretary should inform the Worthy Matron prior to the meeting of any unfinished or new business and/or correspondence that will need attention. The Secretary will send

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the NOTICE of DUES as outlined on Page 153, Article (6) of the Constitution. She shall read the list of delinquent members at the last stated meeting before the 31st of May. If names of delinquent members are omitted from such list, then the Chapter shall continue to carry such members on their roll and pay per capita fees for that year; however, if such list is not read or if the names of delinquent members are omitted from such a list, the Chapter shall have a right to suspend such members at a later date by vote of the Chapter. Names of such members actually suspended will be read by the Secretary at the first meeting after May 31st, and recorded in the minutes.

# INTRODUCTION OF GRAND OFFICERS

In greeting and welcoming our Distinguished Guests, we should be as gracious and hospitable as we would in our own homes. Those primarily responsible for this would be the Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, Conductress and the Associate Conductress.

The Conductresses meet in the West, the Associate Conductress takes the LEFT ARM of the Conductress. If there are distinguished guests on both sides of the room, each Conductress should pick up those on HER respective side. The Conductress offers her RIGHT ARM to the Guests, the Associate Conductress her LEFT. Those entitled to Grand Honors are escorted to the Altar for presentation. Other Distinguished Guests are escorted behind Esther's Station for presentation. Whether the Conductress and Associate Conductress escort the Distinguished Guests to the East through the Labyrinth or along the North and South marching lines, they will bow to them, and remain until all are introduced from the East. After joining in giving Grand Honors and/or a hearty welcome, if they are on the same side, and the Distinguished members are to remain in the East, the Conductress to offer her LEFT ARM to the Associate Conductress and return to the West. If the Distinguished Guests are to be escorted back to their seats, the Associate Conductress steps BEHIND the Conductress and is in proper position to escort the Distinguished Guests to their seats.

The Constitution, Page 148, states the Conductress MAY call their names and titles, it is believed that the Worthy Matron would WANT the Conductress to call the names and titles of those presented at the ALTAR. (It is good that the Conductress ESPECIALLY KNOW and CALL the names of those to be presented at the Altar, and the Worthy Grand Matron this year requests that you do so.) For the presentation of a large group behind Esther's station, the Conductress may merely state, "Worthy Matron, it is my pleasure to present these DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS." The Constitution, Pages 148 and 149, Article 281, gives the Order of Introductions and further instructions. Study carefully, there was a change in the Introductions at Grand Chapter last year, and we would want to do the work correctly. When there are Grand Representatives of this Grand Jurisdiction included in the group presented behind Esther's Station and introduced in the East, they should be included with the other in the identification of this Grand Jurisdiction. (Example: The Worthy Matron would state: "Sisters and Brothers, I am pleased to introduced Mrs. Mary Jones, By-Laws Committee, Mrs. Virginia Brown, Credentials Committee; and Mrs. Martha Smith, Grand Representative of Montana to Texas, Grand Chapter of Texas, O. E. S.") Appointive honors expire with the termination of the administration in which they were appointed.

#### ORDER OF BUSINESS

The Order of Business is that followed in the Chapter By-Laws. After reading the minutes, such Order may be suspended by unanimous consent or by 2/3 vote of the members present. (Constitution, Page 149, Article 284.)

#### PETITIONS

No person shall be INVITED or SOLICITED to become a member. Petitions are presented ONLY at a stated meeting, on prescribed form, with the proper fee attached. The two members recommending the petitioner should KNOW the person they are recommending for membership. When they sign the petition, they are vouching for the character, moral as well as physical fitness, and the Masonic eligibility of the petitioner.

The Investigating Committee is appointed at the Stated Meeting and report ONLY at a stated meeting. The duties of the Investigating Committee are specifically outlined on the Pages 127 and 128, Article 217, of the Constitution. The Committee to which a petition for degrees, affiliation, transfer, reinstatement or waiver is referred must be composed of three, two Sisters and one Brother. At least TWO MEMBERS of the Committee SHALL visit with the applicant before making report to the Chapter and such report shall show this provision has been complied with.

ALL PETITIONS must be disposed of by ballot, unless in case of degrees the Committee reports "ineligible."

There are three types of Petitions ONLY, for affiliation. A Petition for DEGREES, Petition for TRANSFER and a DEMIT, all three must be handled in the same manner, following the procedure set forth in the Constitution.

A Request for Demit may be withdrawn at any time by the applicant before the Demit is automatically granted. No Demit shall be considered legal unless countersigned in the handwriting of the holder.

A request for Waiver may be withdrawn at any time before the ballot is taken by the applicant filing a written request.

A member from a Chapter of another Grand Jurisdiction cannot affiliate with a Chapter in the State of Texas on a "Letter of Good Standing." A member must sever its membership by a "Demit." Letters of Good Standing are not honored by the Grand Chapter of Texas. In the same instance, a member from a Chapter in the Grand Jurisdiction of Texas cannot affiliate with a Chapter in another Grand Jurisdiction without first securing a "Demit" from their Texas Chapter.

# THE BALLOT

We still have with us that powerful weapon of fraternal warfare, the BLACK BALL. In many cases someone takes advantage of the opportunity and in this Fraternal Order, dedicated to Charity, Truth, and Loving Kindness, uses the black ball to avenge a real or fancied wrong. Such a member has failed to understand the spirit and purpose of our Order, which is neither a place to seek revenge for personal or political spites, nor to exercise hatred with which charity and fraternity have nothing in common. We urge the members to strive for a greater understanding of the precepts and purposes of our Order.

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Your attention is called to Landmark No. 7 and No. 11, Page 163, of the Ritual. The ballot is taken only at a stated meeting and a Brother must be present and occupy the Worthy Patron's station. The Associate Conductress is in charge of the ballot box, under the direction of the Worthy Matron. It is the duty of the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron to determine before the balloting that the ballot box is properly prepared. Our Laws governing the ballot are found on Pages 134-140 of the Constitution. We are further governed by the Ritual, Pages 13 through 15. It is the prerogative of the Worthy Matron to decide which method of balloting is to be followed. The proper procedure for balloting is found on Pages 137 and 138 of the Constitution. We encourage balloting at the Altar, as in this method we are forcefully reminded of our Obligation as we approach the OPEN BIBLE, to make our Salutation Sign prior to casting our ballot. There are those occasions, however, when it is more expedient to pass the Ballot Box.

The Ballot Box is kept at the station of the Associate Conductress when not in use. When the Associate Conductress is directed to prepare the Ballot Box, even though she has determined earlier it is properly prepared, she would again check the box in the presence of the membership. (A properly prepared Ballot Box contains as many white balls as members are present and at least ten black cubes or balls.)

After all in the room have balloted, the Worthy Matron follows the procedure set forth in the Ritual, Pages 13 and 14, for the ballot. The wording for the declarations on various petitions, accepted and rejected, are to be found on Pages 138, 139, 140, Articles 247, 248, 250, 251 of the Constitution. Article 245 (3) Constitution, Page 136, requires protests against a person who has applied for membership in a Chapter must be WRITTEN and FILED PERSONALLY with the WORTHY MATRON. Neither the person filing the protest nor the Worthy Matron receiving it can reveal the protester; if this is done, DISCIPLINARY action is in order.

ONLY THE SECRETARY notifies the petitioner of her or his election or rejection.

# INITIATION

The Diagram of the Labyrinth is for the purpose of assisting the various Officers with the floor work. The Diagram is for the use of the Worthy Patron, Associate Patron and the Conductress and must always be kept under lock and key when not in use, and in charge of one of the Officers. However, it is not intended that the other Officers never be permitted to see and study the Diagram. Particularly do those Officers participating in the Prayer Circle need to "SEE" the procedure for assuming the Prayer Circle. It is suggested therefore, that the Diagram be used during ALL PRACTICE SESSIONS and shown to all the Officers. In addition to memorizing their lectures, the Officers should study the FINE PRINT of the Ritual and the Diagram of the Labyrinth so our candidates receive favorable and lasting impression of their initiation.

The room should be properly prepared for the Initiation Ceremony prior to the opening of the meeting. The SIGNET should be placed in the Northeast at the right of the Worthy Matron and in view of the candidates, Worthy Patron and Conductress, but never should it obscure the Flag. There should be a sufficient number of small Bibles placed on the Northeast and Southeast corner of the Altar. No Rituals should be used by any Officer except one person designated by the Worthy Matron as prompter for the Initiation Ceremony, the Officers and members should look ONLY to that person to prompt. The Ceremony, beginning on Page 49. Ritual, should be accurately followed. Certain permissions are granted, such as, adapting the words to the initiation of a woman or a man, or plural numbers; the choice of using music or Scriptural quotations during the march from one station to another; the use of gestures during Star Point lectures; the right of the Worthy Matron to conclude the ceremony from Pages 80 through 91, if invited to do so by the Worthy Patron; the giving of the optional lecture, etc. These permissions are all found in the FINE PRINT of the Ritual. When there is one candidate, the Conductress works alone. After the Conductress completes her lecture at the door, she proceeds along the North marching line. The Associate Conductress, on reaching her station, remains there and is seated. In conducting the candidate to the Associate Matron's station when there is only one, the Conductress may turn left at Esther's station to a position in front of the Associate Matron. The Conductress gives only that portion of No. 1 of the Secret Work pertaining to holding the Bible. (If the Associate Conductress is assisting, she, too, exemplifies the proper position of the hands and assists in placing the Bibles in the candidate's hand.) The Conductress with new members, remain standing at the Altar at the close of the Obligation until the Worthy Patron seats the Chapter, then proceeds according to the Ritual. In presenting the candidates to the various Officers, the Conductresses and candidates should keep a straight line, centering the line on the Officer addressed so a perfect triangle is formed. (Diagram of the Labyrinth and fine print of the Ritual.)

The lectures should be delivered in an impressive manner, without affectation and with sincere interpretation. It is important that each Officer remember she is teaching the lessons of our Order to others. Through her presentation the initiation work will remain a pleasant permanent memory. The Signs are held until the Pass is given WHENEVER they are used in our ritualistic work.

Since the pedestals may be placed at the side, in front or in back of the Star Points chairs, these Officers would be governed accordingly in handling their emblems. If the pedestals are at the side of the chairs, the Star Point Officer goes behind her pedestal, picks up her emblem, returns to her former position and then explains the emblem. If the pedestal is behind the Star Point chair, she may turn and pick up her emblem without leaving her position beside the chair. If in front, the emblem can be easily reached without moving her position. The emblem is lifted with the RIGHT HAND and rests on the palm of the LEFT HAND while the officer explains the significance. Adah and Esther take the sword and the scepter with the RIGHT hand, the veil and the crown with the LEFT hand. The Officer remains in her position by her chair, holding the emblem, until the Conductress and new members have passed her station. Then she would place the emblem on the pedestal and be seated. The proper position of the sword is placed toward the Altar. The head of the scepter is on top of the crown and the scepter points toward the Northeast.

The Diagram of the Labyrinth should be studied carefully for the proper positions of the officers in the Prayer Circle, also the fine print, Pages 78 and 79 of the Ritual, and the manner in which these positions are assumed. Only by practice can this particular ceremony be beautifully performed. The Star Point Officers go behind their stations to assume their positions. The officers join hands as soon as the Chaplain reaches the Altar. All members assume the Attitude of Prayer. (As the officers are assuming their positions in the Prayer Circle, the Conductresses and new members have counter-marched in the East to form a straight line. facing West.) When the officers are in position in the Prayer Circle and joined hands, the Conductresses move forward with the new members to complete the circle. The Chaplain will wait until the circle has been completed before beginning the prayer. Here, again, as in the opening and closing prayer, she would wait until the music ceases, then kneel and offer prayer. As the Chaplain says the words "GOLDEN CHAIN," the Officers standing next to the new members join hands with the members on their right and left respectively. The CLASPED hands are then raised, shoulder high, as if links of a chain. The dropping of the hands begins with the Worthy Matron's right as the Chaplain says "each link" and should be so timed that the Worthy Matron drops her left hand as the Chaplain says

"Amen." This entire ceremony at the Altar should be deliberate and dignified. The Officers assume the Reverent Attitude during the balance of the period at the Altar in this service. After the ode has been sung, the Conductresses and the new members counter-march as they leave the Altar single file, marching abreast to their former positions in the East. The remaining Officers return to their stations in the same manner in which their positions were assumed. The Worthy Patron seats the Chapter AFTER ALL are in their proper places for the conclusion of the Ceremony of Initiation.

In working with the Worthy Patron for the signs and passes, the Conductress holds the sign until the pass is given. The Secret Work (No. 17) is given between the Worthy Patron and the Conductress. When the Cabalistic Word and Motto are given, the Conductress should address the new members. In communicating the Grip (if there is more than one candidate), the Conductress passes back of the new members to her position near the signet. It is suggested that the Worthy Matron appoint a committee or a member to instruct the new members concerning Chapter Courtesy, how to enter and retire from the Chapter while in session, how to obey the gavel, how to ballot, and give them such information as they may desire on the general work of the Chapter, and the Order.

#### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The election of officers is held annually, under New Business, at the stated meeting next preceding April 30th, or under special dispensation from the Worthy Grand Matron at a later stated meeting. Article 253, Page 141, of the Constitution.

In preparing for the election, the presiding Officer will determine the number of possible votes in the election. This count includes the Presiding Officer. Should members enter during the election, the Warder should report same to the Persiding Officer. Tellers are appointed by the Presiding Officer, with one named Chairman. Sufficient paper, pencils and tally sheets should be available. It is suggested that the Presiding Officer read the following instructions to the membership:

In nominating a candidate, ONLY the name of the person and the office for which that person is nominated may be given. Nominations need not be seconded. Any member desiring to make a nomination should rise, address the Presiding Officer and wait for recognition, before placing the nomination. Parlimentary procedure permits the Presiding Officer to declare nominations closed after she or he has allowed sufficient time for other nominations. If there is only one candidate, election is by acclamation. It is not necessary to move that nominations cease and the person be elected by acclamation. The following procedure is suggested to assist the Presiding Officer after the general instructions have been given and all is in readiness for the election:

PRESIDING OFFICER: "Sister (or Brother) has been nominated for the office of of this Chapter for the ensuing year. Are there other nominations?" After waiting a reasonable length of time, the Presiding Officer says: "I declare the nominations for the office of classical closed, and we will proceed to elect by acclamation." (Acclamation is to acclaim by voice.) "All those in favor of electing to the office of classical content of this Chapter for the ensuing year will please make it known by saying 'Aye.' Those opposed by saying 'No.'"

If there has been more than one nominated for an office, the Presiding Officer, after having given sufficient time for other nominations, wil say: "I now declare the nominations closed and we will proceed to elect by ballot."

The tellers will distribute and collect ballots. The Presiding Officer asks: "Have all members cast their ballots?" (Give time for reply.) "I now declare the ballot Closed."

The tellers count the ballots within the Chapter Room and the Chairman addresses the Presiding Officer and reads the following report:

If on one ballot no one candidate has received a majority of the votes, the name with the lowest number of votes shall be dropped and ballot will continue until an election is reached.

#### INSTALLATION

All Officers of Chartered Chapters shall be installed June 1st, or as soon thereafter as possible. By action of the Chapter at a previous stated or called meeting, the Chapter may hold an open meeting for the Installation of Officers. Open Installation of Officers may be held without a Special Dispensation from June 1st to June 15th, both days included, if same is held in the regular meeting place. By vote of the Chapter at a stated or called meeting, a dispensation may be secured to hold Open Installation after June 15th or outside the regular meeting place. The request for Dispensation shall be on prescribed form, under the seal of the Chapter, with the fee of \$1.00 attached and shall be sent to the Worthy Grand Matron by the Secretary. If the Open Installation is to be held in a Masonic Lodge Hall, permission must be obtained from the Master of the Lodge.

If the Open Installation is to be held on the same night as the Stated Meeting of the Chapter, the Chapter must be opened and closed in ritualistic form. The procedure for Open Installation would then be followed.

'... It is important that the Worthy Matron-elect study the General Regulations set forth in the Ritual, Pages 93 through 98. The Diagram of the Labyrinth shows the floor work for the Installation procedure. We are likewise governed by Article 254, Page 142, of our Code of Laws.

Only members may assist in the Installation Ceremony. Non-members may participate in a program prior to or following the Installation Ceremony. After the Ceremony of Installation begins with the call to order by the Worthy Patron, there can be no additions. The Ceremony ends with the Mizpah Benediction.

All Special Courtesies are extended only after the Installation of all officers has been completed. Music, vocal or instrumental, may be introduced as seems best. It is the prerogative of the Worthy Matron-elect to select all Installing Officers. The Installing Officer shall be a present or Past Matron or a present or Past Patron.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO INSTALLING OFFICER

The Worthy Matron-elect and Worthy Patron-elect shall not be installed into office until the Installing Officer is satisfied, by separate examination, that they know the Secret Work.

No Officer can be installed by proxy.

No member shall be installed into office who has not paid Chapter dues for the year during which he or she shall serve;

The Installing Officer shall examine and sign the Annual Report prepared by the retiring Secretary, together with the certification. This Annual Report should be mailed immediately after Installation by the Secretary. Should Officers not present for the Installation be installed at a later date, the Secretary must send this information to the Grand Secretary immediately after their installation.

The Ritual, Page 97, gives permission for the emblems of the Star Points Officers to be used and the ELECTRIC STAR may be lighted. Do not confuse the electric star with the Signet. The SIGNET IS NOT used at Open Installation.

The extra chairs are placed at the LEFT of the Marshal's station for the Installing Marshal and at the RIGHT of the Chaplain's station for the Installing Chaplain. The following is a suggested outline for Open Installation (please note the additional instructions given within the brackets.)

#### MUSICAL SLECTIONS

#### CANDLELIGHTING

- BIBLE PRESENTATION (Non-members may participate in the above preliminaries.)
- CALL TO ORDER (A call to order is by one blow of the gavel. The Worthy Patron, Associate Patron and Organist assume their stations without ceremony.)
- ENTRANCE OF OFFICERS (Immediately after the Call to Order by the Worthy Patron, the officers enter and assume their stations without invitation or escort. It is suggested that the Worthy Matron and Associate Matron exchange sides in the entrance March in order for the Worthy Matron to assume her station in an easier manner. The officers enter, march through the Labyrinth, or along the north and south marching lines, continue to the East, assume their stations as they come to them and are seated.)
- OPENING OF BIBLE (The Worthy Matron instructs the Conductress to open the Bible. The Worthy Matron calls up the Chapter. The Bible is opened without ceremony with the Conductress going directly to the Altar from her station, entering the Labyrinth between ADAH and RUTH, opens the Bible at the 2nd Chapter of Matthew, places the Square and Compasses thereon and returns to her station. The same procedure is followed in closing the Bible.)
- LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison) (After the Lord's Prayer, the Worthy Matron gives one blow of the gavel and declares the Chapter OPEN for the purpose of the Ceremony of Installation of Officers. If a dispensation is required, the Worthy Matron will inquire of the Secretary if same has been granted. It is NOT NECESSARY to have the Dispensation read.)
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- SINGING OF NATIONAL ANTHEM (Worthy Matrons seats the members and visitors.)
- WELCOME (The Worthy Matron extends a welcome to all present and at this time recognizes Distinguished Guests, who are escorted to seats in the East. Grand Honors may be given to those entitled to receive them. It is suggested this NOT BE DONE at the Open Installation. Distinguished Guests are escorted to the East by the Conductress and Associate Conductress.)
- PRESENTATION OF INSTALLING OFFICER (If the Installing Officer has not been escorted to the East as a Distinguished Guest, then the Worthy Matron would direct the Conductress to escort her or him to the East.)
- INTRODUCTION OF ASSISTING INSTALLING OFFICERS (This is done by the Installing Officer. Those assisting rise, acknowledge the introduction and are seated. The Ritual, Pages 94, 95 and 96, is very clear as to the titles of those serving as the Installing Officer and those assisting.)
- RECESS (Recess is called by the Installing Officer to prepare for the Installation Ceremony.)
- OUTGOING OFFICERS RETIRE (Attention is called to the OPEN BIBLE on the Altar. We would observe Chapter Courtesy. Officers WOULD NOT retire through the Labyrinth and they would NOT pass between the Altar and the East in the retiring march. The officers

remove their badges after retiring to give to the Installing Marshal. During the recess NO PERSON is permitted to cross between the East and the Altar and the INSTALLING MARSHAL is the ONLY person permitted to enter the Labyrinth. The Installing Marshal places the Badges on the Altar in proper order, sees that the chairs arranged in the semi-circle in the West, and would see that the Officers are in proper position in the preparation room, before returning to the Chapter room, she would close the preparation room door.)

- CALL TO ORDER BY THE INSTALLING OFFICER. (The Assisting Installing Officers assume their stations.)
- INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS (Installing Chaplain enters the Labyrinth for the Installation prayer in FRONT of MARTHA'S STATION and retires in the same manner.)

The Chapter is called up by the Installing Officer in the installation of the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron AFTER they have been conducted to the East and are standing in her or his station. (Ritual, fine print Pages 106 and 109.) In presenting the Officers at the Altar for installation the Marshal takes one step back so the Officers stand alone at the Altar.

In making the proclamation at the Altar, the Installing Marshal enters the Labyrinth between Ruth and Esther, places her LEFT HAND on the Bible, raises her RIGHT HAND, makes the proclamation and retires between Esther and Martha. (Art. 254, (3), Page 142, Constitution.) (Immediately following the proclamation, the Worthy Matron instructs the Conductress to close the Bible. She attends in the same manner as in the beginning.)

# CLOSING OF THE BIBLE

#### CLOSING ODE

MIZPAH BENEDICTION (The Worthy Matron then seats the members and visitors, thus closing the Installation Ceremony as outlined in the Ritual.) A Master of Ceremonies is possible. Non-members may participate.

#### PROGRAM

Greetings by Worthy Matron

Greetings by Worthy Patron

Presentation of Past Matron's Jewel

Presentation of Past Patron's Jewel

Benediction

## CLOSED INSTALLATION

The officers of a Chapter may be installed at a closed installation either at a stated or called meeting for that purpose. In either case, the Chapter is opened in ritualistic form. If the installation ceremony is part of the stated meeting, it is performed under either "new business" or "good of the Order." The retiring officers open the meeting of the Chapter and the new officers close the meeting. The fine print of the Ritual, Pages 97 and 98, clearly gives the instructions for Closed Installation. Pro tem.

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

officers are appointed to perform the duties of the Warder and Sentine1 for a Closed Installation.

# INSTALLATION OF OFFICER(S) AFTER REGULAR INSTALLATION

IF for some reason, an Officer is unable to be present for the regular Installation, she or he may be installed at a later Stated Meeting without a Special Dispensation.

SUGGESTED PROCEDURES: Installing Officer will give remarks at the bottom of Page 98, Ritual, changing words to fit the person being Installed.

Installing Officer calls up the Chapter for prayer. Chaplain offers prayer on Page 99 of Ritual. Installing Officer seats Chapter.

The Installing Officer instructs the Marshal to give the name of the Officer to be installed . . . Ritual, Page 100. After the Officer is in position, the Marshal addresses the Installing Officer as in the last two lines of the Ritual, Page 100.

Installing Officer gives charge, Pages 100 and 101, Ritual. Installing Officer calls up the Chapter and gives the Obligation from the East, or it may be given from a position on the East side of the Altar.

Installing Officer gives the instruction to the Marshal at the top of Page 102, Ritual, using the words appropriate to the Officer being installed. The Officer will be invested with the badge of office and escorted to her or his station. The Marshal returns to her station.

Installing Officer gives charge, Pages 123, 124 and 125, deleting the instructions to the Worthy Patron (unless it is the Worthy Patron to be installed and the Worthy Matron. We know that a corps of officers cannot be installed without the Worthy Matron.

The Installing Officer calls up the Chapter and instructs the Installing Marshal to proclaim the Officer installed. (Read the fine print on Page 126, Ritual.) The Installing Marshal proclaims the Officer Installed.

August 31st is the anniversary of the birthday of our illustrious founder, Rob Morris. All Subordinate Chapters shall, sometime during the month of August each year, observe the anniversary in such manner and form as they may deem appropriate.

#### CHAPTER OF SORROW

Each Chapter shall, during the year, hold a Chapter of Sorrow (Memorial) in memory of deceased Sisters and Brothers of such Chapter and of this Grand Jurisdiction. The Altar shall be draped for a period of 30 days for the deceased Grand Officers and deceased Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons. This ceremony shall be held just prior to the closing of the Chapter. An appropriate drape of any color or size is at the Conductress's Station. I would suggest a soft pale green or any other pale color.

The following is a suggested Outline for DRAPING THE ALTAR:

The Conductress, Associate Conductress and Chaplain are the participating officers under the direction of the Worthy Matron. When directed to assume positions for Draping the Altar, these officers rise. The Worthy Matron would call up the Chapter for this Ceremony. The Chaplain leaves her station immediately, proceeding along the North Marching line to a point opposite Esther's station, turns to make an acute angle to approach the Altar. The Conductress carrying the drape, and the Associate Conductress leave their stations from the East side of their pedestals in order that these three officers may approach the Altar together. The Conductress entering between Adah and Ruth, the Associate Conductress between Martha and Electa. The members assume the Reverent Attitude as these Officers enter the Labyrint. When the three officers are in position at the Altar, the Chaplain on the West side, the Conductress on the South and the Associate Conductress on the North side, the Chaplain reverently raises the Bible. The two Conductresses slowly arrange the drape on the Altar. The Chaplain carefully places the Bible back in place (soft music is being played through this procedure). Should the Square and Compasses become disarranged, the Conductress would rearrange the emblem. The Conductresses assume the reverent attitude while the Chaplain kneels to offer prayer.

At the conclusion of the prayer, the three officers slowly step back to the edge of the Labyrinth, turn and return to their stations. The Worthy Matron seats the Chapter when the three have reached their stations.

If desired, the Worthy Matron may use the same wording for the draping of the Charter, making the necessary and proper substitutions in the wording.

• If the Chapter is so fortunate to have a vocalist, before or after the prayer, an appropriate vocal number may be introduced.

This is a very solemn and beautiful ceremony and we have not specified outline; the Worthy Matron may use her own discretion on the choice of Special Tributes in memory of the departed member.

#### DRAPING OF THE CHARTER

Many of our Chapters follow a lovely and traditional ceremony of draping the Charter for a deceased Chapter member. The period for draping the Charter is (30) thirty days. We have no special law on this. In our 1936 Proceedings we were given an optional ceremony for draping the Charter and the Altar. It is reprinted below for your consideration and I suggest you use this ceremony. It would seem appropriate that the Charter be draped just prior to the Closing Ceremony. In the optional Ceremony, the Chaplain and the Marshal are the participating Officers. In reverence to the deceased members, the Worthy Matron would call up the Chapter when she directs the Chaplain and Marshal to assume their positions. The Chapter would be seated at the close of the Ceremony when these officers have returned to their stations. The Resolutions of Respect may be read prior to the Ceremony of Draping the Charter. Should the Charter and the Altar both be draped at the same meeting the Charter would be draped first.

#### CEREMONY FOR DRAPING THE CHARTER

(Before the Chapter is opened the Charter should be placed in front of the Associate Matron's Station, the drape for the Charter at the Marshal's Station, and a spray of evergreen at the Chaplain's Station. The Chaplain and Marshal advance to the West from their own stations.)

WORTHY MATRON: "In this great family of ours, the sorrow of one is the sorrow of all. With submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, let us pause and gently drape our Charter." "Sisters Chaplain and Marshal, you will assume positions for the draping of the Charter." (Marshal stopping in front of Charter—Chaplain entering the Labyrinth between Esther and Martha to the Altar.)

WORTHY MATRON: "Life is like a tree in all its glory, and then comes the falling—the falling of the leaves—and we hear, 'I am the resurcction and the life; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live, and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.' Sister Marshal, you will arrange the drape on the Charter." (While this is being placed, an appropriate song may be sung.)

WORTHY MATRON: "As a token of love and remembrance to our departed loved one, I would ask that we bow our heads in prayer."

The Chaplain then places a spray of evergreen on the Altar and offers a prayer. At the conclusion of the prayer the officers return to their stations.

#### WORTHY MATRON:

"There are stars that go out in the darkness,

But whose silvery light shineth on;

There are roses whose perfume still lingers When the blossoms are faded and gone

When the blossoms are faded and gone; There are hearts full of light and of sweetness When no longer their life current flows,

Still their goodness lives on with the living

Like the souls of the Star and the rose."

# CHAPTER COURTESY

Members are not allowed to enter the Labyrinth save as required by the Ritual, or in presenting the Flag of our Country, or in connection with the following programs:

Rob Morris, Memorial, Draping the Altar, the Obligation, and in presenting Grand Officers. They shall not be allowed to pass between the Altar and the Worthy Matron's station save as required by the Ritual.

#### DIAGRAM OF THE LABYRINTH

Two copies of the Diagram of the Labyrinth are furnished to each Chapter. These are for the use of the Worthy Patron, Associate Patron, and Conductress, and must always be in charge of one of these officers and kept under lock and key when not in use. The reproduction of all or any portion of the diagram in any way or manner is positively prohibited.

Check to see if your Chapter's two copies are the latest, dated September, 1955. If not, forward old copies to the Grand Secretary with the necessary fee for exchange.

## SECRET WORK

Two copies of the Secret Work are furnished each Chapter, one for the use of the Worthy Patron and one for the use of the Associate Patron. These copies must always be in charge of one of the first four officers of the Chapter and kept under lock and key when not in actual use. Article 251, Pages 140 and 141, on the Code of Laws gives specific instructions on the handling of the Secret Work, the penalty of loss of the copies, and the penalty for violation of the law pertaining to the copying of the Secret Work.

# SIGNS AND PASSES AND LANDMARKS

It is suggested that the Signs and Passes be reviewed from time to time, particularly if your meeting is a short one, just prior to the Closing Ceremony. (Fine print, Ritual, Page 45.)

It is likewise suggested that the Worthy Matron have some member speak on the Landmarks of our Order at one of your meetings during the course of the year. Many of our members do not purchase Rituals and therefore are not familiar with our General Regulations. Various interesting and educational programs could be developed along this line at the prerogative of the Worthy Matron.

#### SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

A deep debt of gratitude is due our Masonic Brothers for the use their fine Masonic Halls and for the many courtesies and generosities extended the Eastern Stars. We should strive zealously to be worthy of their consideration and respect and to merit these various courtesies. We urge our members to cooperate fully with all the wishes and rules set forth by the Grand Lodge of Texas in the use of their Masonic Buildings. If you are not acquainted with their rules and regulations regarding the use of their Halls, I suggest that each subordinate Chapter holding meetings in these buildings contact the Master of the local Masonic Lodge for such instructions. The following OPEN MEETINGS are allowed and these, of course, are subject to the conditions and restrictions that such meetings comply with the usual Masonic Law and Customs:

- 1. Installation of Officers
- 2. Memorial Services
- 3. Observance of Anniversaries of the Order
- 4. Special Educational Programs.

All Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction are requested to obtain permission from the Masonic Lodge in whose Hall they may meet to hold any of the above listed Open Meetings. Attention is called to the two days which hold special significance for the Masons, December 27th and June 24th, designated as Saint John Days. You MUST comply with their request and hold NO MEETINGS on either of these dates. If your Stated Meetings should fall on either of these dates, you may secure a Special Dispensation to move your place of meeting.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK will be observed March 2nd through March 6th. NO EASTERN STAR MEETINGS will be held in the Masonic Lodges during this period of time EXCEPT the stated meetings prescribed by your By-Laws with no social functions or refreshments.

#### FUNERALS

A subordinate Chapter may conduct funeral ceremony for a member of the Order of this or another Grand Jurisdiction when requested to do so by the Chapter to which the deceased member belongs. The Chapter requesting the courtesy shall be notified of the compliance.

The Worthy Matron or her proxy shall conduct the funeral of a member in good standing. The ceremony may be given within the Church or Funeral Home or at the grave. It is not necessary to open or close the Chapter for funeral ceremony, but the Secretary shall make a record of such meeting. (Code of Laws, Pages 145, 146, Article 271 (3).)

The Worthy Matron or proxy, and the regularly installed officers of a Chapter may relinquish their offices to allow another group of members to conduct the funeral ceremony. Page 53 of the Ritual stipulates that the funeral ceremony should be committed to memory. Only by so doing will the ceremony be effective and impressive.

#### SUSPENSIONS

The report of the Grand Secretary the last few years reflects a loss of membership. Our attention should be turned toward a solution to this problem, as many Chapters experience, each year, a long suspension list. I suggest the Worthy Matron appoint a committee to work with the Secretary to contact, not only those on the current suspension list, but those members going suspended in previous years. Make a concentrated effort to encourage these members to reinstate.

In the event the member, or members can not be active in the Chapter and financial circumstances are such that continued payment of dues is impossible, after reinstatement suggest they apply for a Demit. Many times families are embarrassed when a loved one passes away and in contacting the Eastern Star Chapter, they find their mother, perhaps unknown to them, had been suspended for non-payment of dues. Explain our law to the members and see if you can help solve our suspension problem by a little effort on the part of the membership.

## CONCLUSION

The Deputy Grand Matron, appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron, is her official Representative for your Section. She will be happy to assist you with the ritualistic work and to render such additional assistance as you may need. Do not hesitate to call on her. She is the one to whom you should turn for assistance.

This year's work is dedicated in Gratitude and Humility, to the loving memory of our forebears, and to our Sisters and Brothers of the Grand Chapter of Texas. We do not have a theme this year, but rather a PUR-POSE. Let this year be a year of re-dedication, to the PURPOSES and LANDMARKS of our Order. Let us firmly resolve that no member shall escape our earnest heartfelt endeavor, to embrace them in Chapter life and purposes. Concern yourselves with the happiness that comes from combined and happy involvement in the lives of our Sisters and Brothers. You will find that you are a finer person, that your Chapters will grow and prosper and that the "Beautiful Harmony" from the strings of your hearts will mingle with the "Celestial Music of God."

Sincerely and fraternally,

SALLY MATRANGA Worthy Grand Matron

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

# SUGGESTED PROGRAM FOR EASTERN STAR SCHOOLS

(Outside cover may be designed as Deputy Grand Matron and Worthy Matrons wish.)



# EASTERN STAR SCHOOL

DATE
PLACE
LOCATION

# HONORED GUESTS

Mrs. Sally Matranga	Worthy Grand Matron
Mr. Richard T. Porter	Worthy Grand Patron
Mrs	Grand Examiner
Mrs	District Deputy Grand Matron
Mrs	Deputy Grand Matron
Mrs	
	(if other than Deputy Grand Matron)

# MORNING SESSION

8:30 A. M. Registration
9:15 A. MW.G.M., W.G.P., Grand Examiner, D.D.G.M. and D.G.M. will be seated in the East
9:15 A.M.
Call to Order
Drill School Officers
Invocation (Any Member)
Welcome Deputy Grand Matron
Presentation of D.D.G.M Deputy Grand Matron
Opening of School District Deputy Grand Matron
Opening Ode (Name of Song)
Pledge of Allegiance Worthy Patron
Patriotic Song (Name of Song)
D.D.G.M. appoints Committees—Invitation, Registration,
and School Secretary
Presentation of Worthy Grand Matron
Presentation of Worthy Grand Patron
Presentation of Grand Examiner
Rendition of Secret Work Grand Examiner
Announcements
Study of Ritual, Constitution and Laws D.D.G.M.
12:00 Call from Labor to Rest

# LUNCHEON

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Chairman	
Tickets	

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

# AFTERNOON SESSION

AP I BRING	JOIN BESSION	
1:30 P. M. Call from Rest to Labor STUDY OF RITUAL, CONSTI		
3:00 P. M.		Reports
Invitation Committee	Mrs	Chairman
Registration Committee	Mrs	Chairman
Grand Examiner (Partial)	Mrs	Chairman
Special Courtesies		
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
Closing of School		D.D.G.M.
Closing Song	,	(Name of Song)
Benediction		. (Name of Member)
Special Courtesies ANNOUNCEMENTS Closing of School Closing Song		D.D.G.M. (Name of Song)

# BANQUET

Place
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Chairman

# EVENING SESSION

7:30 P. M. Drill (if one is planned 7:45 P. M. Welfare Program	) a
3:00 P.M. JOINT FRATERNAL VISIT Worthy Grand Matron	a
Ritualistic Opening	
Program	)
Final Reports	
Registration (Final	)
Grand Examiner (Final	)
Both Reports to be given by School Secretary	,
Greetings Worthy Grand Patron	n
Greetings	2

# RITUALISTIC CLOSING

Please list: Hostess Chapter Officers of the School Officers of the Fraternal Visit

Any other special announcements or information of interest to the membership.

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# OPENING CEREMONY FOR EASTERN STAR SCHOOL

(The W.G.M., W.G.P., Grand Examiler, District Deputy Grand Matron and Deputy Grand Matron will be seated in the East at 9:15 A. M.)

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9:15 A. M. D.G.M.:	(With one blow of the gavel invites Officers to enter and give drill.) At conclusion of the drill, they will assume their stations and remain standing until the D.G.M. introduces each of the 18 officers. They will be seated in unison. This is a School for instruction and demonstration. The Officers will not wear badges and the Salutation Sign will not be given. The Warder and Sentinel will guard the doors throughgout the School.
D.G.M.:	Introduces member bringing the Invocation.
D.G.M.:	Extends Welcome. Then, will introduce the District Deputy Grand Matron who responds briefly.
D.D.G.M.:	Warder.
Warder:	District Deputy Grand Matron.
D.D.G.M.:	You will see that the doors are secure and inform the
D.D.C.m.	Sentinel we are about to engage in the Ceremony of Open- ing an Eastern Star School and direct
Wårder:	(After closing all doors Sentinel, we are about to engage in the Ceremony of opening an Eastern Star School and you are directed to permit no interruption while we are thus engaged.
Sentinel:	There will be no interruption,
Warder:	The doors are secure and there will be no interruption, District Deputy Grand Matron.
D.D.G.M.:	It is well.
Associate M.:	Sister Associate Matron. District Deputy Grand Matron.
D.D.G.M.:	You will ascertain and report if all present are members of the Order.
A.M.:	Sisters Conductress and Associate Conductress, ascertain and report if all present are members of the Order. (Pro- ceed as outlined in Ritual, Pages 26, 27, and Constitution, Page 157.) (Pages may assist if School attendance is large.)
D.D.G.M.:	Sister Conductress, you will attend at the Altar.
D.D.G.M.:	Let us unite in singing I now declare this Eastern Star School at for District, opened. (Sound gavel) 
Warder:	
D.D.G.M.:	Let us join in the Pledge of Allegiance to our Flag. Let us unite in singing (Name of patriotic song. ((Sound gavel to seat membership.) Sentinel will permit no inter- ruption until after the Pledge is given and Patriotic Song (if one is desired). Any member presenting Receipt for

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	dues or valid Demit may be admitted throughout the day,
	if properly vouched for. (Constitution, Page 147). The Sentinel will instruct the entering members to be seated
	without giving Salutation Sign.))
D.D.G.M.:	Appoints Committees, School Secretary, Chairman of Reg- istration, Chairman of Invitation.
D.D.G.M.:	Introduces the Worthy Grand Matron.
D.D.G.M.:	Introduces the Worthy Grand Patron.
D.D.G.M.:	Introduces Grand Examiner, who will give brief remarks of instruction.
Gr. Examiner:	Instructs Warder to admit members desiring to enter to hear the Drill on the Secret Work, directing the Warder to instruct the Sentinel to permit no interruption during the Drill.
Gr. Examiner:	Drill on Secret Work.
D.D.G.M.:	Study of RITUAL, CONSTITUTION AND LAWS.
12:00 Noon:	Call from Labor to Rest.
D.D.G.M.:	Warder.
Sentinel:	District Deputy Grand Matron.
D.D.G.M.:	You will inform the Sentinel we are about to call this Eastern Star School from Labor to Rest and you are di- rected to permit no interruption while we are hus engaged.
Warder:	Sentinel, we are about to call this Eastern Star School from Labor to Rest and you are directed to permit no interruption while we are thus engaged.
Sentinel:	There will be no interruption.
Warder:	District Deputy Grand Matron, your order has been obeyed.
D.D.G.M.:	It is well.
	Sister Conductress, you will attend at the Altar. (Cond. steps back into circle of Star Officers.)
	I now declare this Eastern Star School called from Labor to Rest until 1:30 P. M. (Sound gavel.)
	Warder, you will so inform the Sentinel.
Warder:	from Labor to Rest until 1:30 P. M.
	AFTERNOON SESSION
D.D.G.M.:	(Sounds gavel promptly at 1:30 P. M.)
	The Officers of the School will assume their stations. (If new Officers are to serve for the Afternoon Session, they will be introduced at their stations by the Deputy Grand Matron.)
D.D.G.M.:	
Warder:	District Deputy Grand Matron.
D.D.G.M.:	You will see that the doors are secure and inform the
	Sentinel that we are about to call this School from Rest to Labor and direct him to permit no interruption while
	we are thus engaged.
	(The Warder instructs the Sentinel—then reports back to the D.D.G.M.)

D.D.G.M.:	It is well.
	Sister Associate Matron.
	(Proceeds to prove School according to Ritual Page 26, and procedure for Opening of School.)
D.D.G.M.:	Sister Cnductress, you will attend at the Altar. (Cond.
	steps back into circle of Star Officers.)
	I now declare this Eastern Star School called from Rest to Labor. (Sounds gavel.)
Warder:	
,,	called from Rest to Labor. District Deputy Grand Matron, your order has been obeyed.
D, D. G. M.:	It is well. (Seats members.)
D.D.G.M.:	STUDY OF RITUAL, CONSTITUTION AND LAWS.
D.D.G.M.:	(Prior to closing, call for report).
	Invitation Committee.
	Registration Committee (Partial). Grand Examiner (Partial).
	Presents Deputy Grand Matron who will make any appro-
	priate remarks of appreciation, then presents gavel to
151	Worthy Matron for Special Courtesies (if any).
<b>D.D.G.M.:</b> லி	Makes remarks of appreciation and announces time of Fraternal Visit.
	CLOSING OF SCHOOL
D.D.G.M.:	
. Warder:	District Deputy Grand Matron.
D.D.G.M.:	You will inform the Sentinel that we are about to close this
	Eastern Star School and direct him to permit no interrup-
Warder:	tion while we are thus engaged. (Proceeds as instructed, then reports to D.D.G.M.)
D.D.G.M.:	It is well. Let us unite in singing our closing song. (Call
D.D.G.M	up members.) (D.D.G.M. then introduces member to bring Benediction, whose name shall be on the program.)
D.D.G.M.:	Sister Conductress, you will attend at the Altar.
<i>D</i> , <i>D</i> , <i>G</i> , <i>M</i> ,	I now declare this Eastern Star School at for
	District, Section, Closed. (Sounds gavel.)
	Warder, you will so inform the Sentinel.
Warder:	Sentinel, this Eastern Star School is closed.

## GRAND LODGE

On December 4, 1969, it was my pleasure to attend the Installation Ceremony of the Grand Lodge of Texas accompanied by the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Richard T. Porter, his lovely wife, Earnesteen, District Deputy Grand Matron of District Five, Mrs. Bebe Hillmer, and Mrs. Isabelle Sellers, Secretarial Committee of District 5. It was indeed an honor to witness the installation of Brother Hal G. Burnett, a Past Grand Patron, as Most Worshipful Grand Master, of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M.

# MASONIC COURTESIES

I want to express my appreciation to Gray Masonic Lodge No. 239, A. F. & A. M., for the courtesy extended to me as the Worthy Grand Matron.

On March 19, 1970, I was privileged to be their honored guest for the evening. This year they are celebrating their 100th antiversary. My own Chapter, Bluebell Chapter No. 856, is privileged to meet in this beautiful Masonic Hall. As a member of Bluebell Chapter and as the Worthy Grand Matron of Texas, may I say to the Worshipful Master his corps of officers and the members of Gray Lodge No. 329, "Thank You" for this courtesy to the Office of Worthy Grand Matron and to the Order of the Eastern Star.

## JOINT MEETING OF MASONS AND EASTERN STARS

On May 31, 1970, I had the pleasure of attending a joint social occasion in Corpus Christi with the District Five Masonic Education Committee and Fraternal Visitation Committee. We were privileged to enjoy a delicious covered dish supper and an excellent evening's entertainment with the membership. Brother Hal Burnett, the Worshipful Grand Master, was with us and gave a most inspiring talk. Several hundred members attended.

The following social occasions were enjoyed and I thank each group for your graciousness to me:

November 9, 1969-Reception-Past Matrons and Past Patrons of Bluebell Chapter No. 856.

April 12, 1970—Tea—Austin—Sally's Pals. April 24, 1970—Tea—Houston—Past Matrons and Patrons Association.

July 17, 1970—Covered Dish Supper—Chapters of District 4, Section 9.

July 25, 1970-Ice Cream Party-Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association of District 4, Section 10,

August 1, 1970—Banquet—Houston Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association. August 2, 1970—Tea—Sally's Pals of Houston.

These as well as many other informal affairs given by friends, and clubs throughout the year, will be pleasant memories.

From the writings of Robert Louis Stevenson, we hear these words: "The best thing that we find in our travels is an honest friend. He is a fortunate voyager who finds many." I feel that I have been most fortunate this year in making many new friends over the state. Sisters and Brothers, we could not live if we were alone upon the earth, and cut off from the remembrance of our friends. Thank each of you for your kindnesses to me.

To the many loyal friends who have stood by my side, all the way especially when I needed you the most, "May God bless you always."

#### HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS

To the more than 700 Chapters throughout the State who presented Honorary Membership to me, I will always be grateful for your thoughtfulness and the honor you bestowed upon me. Although I am not listing them individually, the beautiful thoughts of love and fraternal friendship expressed in each presentation, will linger forever.

## CHAPTERS CONSTITUTED

In 1969 the Grand Chapter granted Charters to three new Chapters. I want to thank the Worthy Grand Patron for planning the Constituting of these Chapters so I might be present. It was a joy to attend and install the first corps of officers in:

> New Caney U. D. Jacque DeMolay U. D. Archives U. D.

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# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

# CHAPTERS INSTITUTED

Again, I want to express my appreciation to the Worthy Grand Patron in planning the Instituting of new Chapters so as not to conflict with the schedule of the Worthy Grand Matron. I had the pleasure to attend and participate in the Instituting Ceremonies and to speak to the following new Chapters:

## Burke U. D. Hurst U. D. Wallace Hugston U. D.

# CORRESPONDENCE

"With privileges come responsibilities." How often have I been reminded of this truth this year. The correspondence of a Worthy Grand Matron is heavy and requires many hours of writing. It was a pleasure to hear from our members—many with questions and others with loving thoughts and words of encouragement. I have tried to answer all correspondence promptly and, I hope, in a clear and helpful way, I enjoyed reading and answering the many letters which I received, feeling that it gave us a better understanding of each other and the duties that are ours as officers and members of our Order. It also gave me the opportunity to share your joys and your sorrows, and in many instances, to assist you in the solution of your problems.

I wish to gratefully acknowledge the cards, letters, telegrams and mes-sages sent to me on special occasions such as Christmas, Easter, Thanksgiving, birthdays and anniversaries, for they speak of the love and friendship that is ours.

## SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS WITHOUT FEES

Special Dispensations were issued to all Chapters jointly receiving the Worthy Grand Matron for a Fraternal Visit with fee waived.

#### SPECIAL DISPENSATION WITH FEE

#### To Elect a Worthy Matron

Bowie Chapter No. 16-Unable to serve, notified before installation.

#### To Elect an Associate Matron

Electra Chapter No. 539-Unable to serve on account of ill health, resigned before installation.

Rob Morris Chapter No. 759-Resigned before installation.

Tuscola Chapter No. 793—Refused to be installed. Keystone Chapter No. 9—Resigned on account of illness.

#### To Elect an Associate Patron

Tenaha Chapter No. 185-On account of death of Associate Patron.

Queen Esther Chapter No. 833-Resigned on account of death of wife.

Ore City Chapter No. 1033—Resigned, did not wish to go on. Bridge City Chapter No. 1038—Could not serve. Wedgwood Chapter No. 756—No candidate night of election. Bullard Chapter No. 972—No candidate night of election.

Fairbanks Chapter No. 1041—No candidate night of election. Queen Esther Chapter No. 833—Transferred out of town.

#### To Elect a Worthy Matron and Associate Matron

Italy Chapter No. 1067-Worthy Matron-elect resigned, ill health and Associate Matron will be elected Worthy Matron.

Graford Chapter No. 905-Worthy Matron-elect resigned, Associate Matron will be elected Worthy Matron.

Hadassah Chapter No. 188-Worthy Matron and Associate Matron-elect resigned.

Winnie Chapter No. 160-Worthy Matron-elect resigned, ill health, and Associate Matron will be elected Worthy Matron.

To Elect an Associate Matron and Associate Patron

Somerset Chapter No. 730-No candidates at the time of election.

To Elect an Associate Matron and Associate Conductress

Sonora Chapter No. 575-No candidates night of election.

To Elect a Secretary and Treasurer

Waller Chapter No. 1047-Secretary resigned, ill health, Treasurer resigned.

# To Elect a Secretary and Conductress

Southern Star Chapter No. 707-No candidate for Conductress, Secretary resigned due to ill health.

#### To Elect a Secretary and Associate Conductress

Rotan Chapter No. 52-Secretary resigned due to illness of husband. No candidate for Associate Conductress.

# To Elect a Secretary

Pearland Chapter No. 1065-Resigned due to accident. Brock Chapter No. 274—Secretary-elect resigned before installation. Leakey Chapter No. 18—Secretary-elect resigned before installation.

#### To Elect a Treasurer

Cameron Chapter No. 553-Treasurer-elect unable to serve.

Willis Chapter No. 1017—Treasurer-elect unable to serve. Bluebell Chapter No. 856—Treasurer resigned, moving out of town.

#### To Elect a Conductress

Temple Chapter No. 153-Resigned due to ill health.

Aransas Pass Chapter No. 162—Conductress-elect resigned due to family reasons.

Travis Chapter No. 472-Moved out of town.

Hearne Chapter No. 722-Conductress-elect unable to serve.

Farmers Branch Chapter No. 687-Resigned due to health.

Groom Chapter No. 861-Moved out of town.

Spurger Chapter No. 315-Conductress-elect refused to be installed due to illness of husband.

Handley Chapter No. 617-Resigned due to personal reasons.

Regina Chapter No. 283-Moved from jurisdiction.

#### To Elect an Associate Conductress

Mike H. Thomas Chapter No. 951—Moved out of city. West University Chapter No. 933—No candidate available.

E. C. Canon Chapter No. 825-No candidate available election night.

Delta Chapter No. 824-No candidate on election night.

La Vernia Chapter No. 436-No candidate on election night.

Johnson City Chapter No. 376-No candidate on election night.

Winnie Chapter No. 160-Resigned from office.

Vickery Chapter No. 1039-Candidate not available on election night.

#### To Change Date of Annual Election of Officers

Norman D. Allen Chapter No. 1050 Woodland Chapter No. 696 Hurst Chapter No. 1061 Utopia Chapter No. 468

To Change Place of Meeting

South Park Chapter No. 1056 Burnet Chapter No. 415 South Park Chapter No. 1056 Plainview Chapter No. 37 Harmony Chapter No. 244 Dell City Chapter No. 1057 Rob Morris Chapter No. 759 Indexe

1056Celina Chapter No. 857Fruitdale Chapter No. 10551056McLannan Chapter No. 63937Eldorado Chapter No. 140244Waco Chapter No. 7.057Walter Baldwin Chapter No. 929.759Lubbock Chapter No. 76Independence Chapter No. 1044

To Change Place of Meeting for Installation

Bonita Chapter No. 184 Wylie Chapter No. 977 Sealy Chapter No. 285 South Park Chapter No. 1056 Novy

Castleberry Chapter No. 1028 Jacques DeMolay Chapter No. 1094 Thunderbird Chapter No. 1087 1056 Mertzon Chapter No. 251 New Caney Chapter No. 1093

To Hold Open Installation After June 15

North Fort Worth Chapter No. 684 Desdemona Chapter No. 512 E. C. Canon Chapter No. 825 Whitewright Chapter No. 939 Capitol Chapter No. 803 Ralls Chapter No. 169 Hadassah Chapter No. 188 Lockhart Chapter No. 210 Centennial Chapter No. 842 Vashti Chapter No. 32 unter No. 787

Amarillo Chapter No. 787

To Secure Copy of Secret Work

Lancaster Chapter No. 943 Llano Chapter No. 216 Ore City Chapter No. 1033 Linden Chapter No. 576 Knox City Chapter No. 119 Alamo Chapter No. 665 Hemphill Chapter No. 375 Wisteria Chapter No. 823 Groom Chapter No. 861 Merkel Chapter No. 212 Castleberry Chapter No. 1028 Faith Chapter No. 713 Bronson Chapter No. 337 Everman Chapter No. 624

To Secure One Copy of Diagram of the Labyrinth

Tyler Chapter No. 112

Everman Chapter No. 624

To Secure Two Copies of the Diagram of the Labyrinth

James Ladd Burgess Chapter No. 983 Palestine Chapter No. 395

r No. 983 John L. DeGrazier Chapter No. 881 Austin Chapter No. 304 Kermit Chapter No. 845

To Secure Copies of the Secret Work and Diagram of the Labyrinth

Center Chapter No. 348 West Chapter No. 203 Coahoma Chapter No. 499 Bonham Chapter No. 852 Conroe Chapter No. 710 Memorial Chapter No. 958 Alto Chapter No. 496 Shepherd Chapter No. 1003 North Side Chapter No. 651 Border Chapter No. 211 Comanche Chapter No. 310 Madisonville Chapter No. 193 Highland Park Chapter No. 1029 Glen Rose Chapter No. 171

To Secure Two Copies of the Secret Work Henderson Chapter No. 597

## SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS REFUSED

Slaton Chapter No. 585—Refused dispensation for installation prior to June 1. This is in violation of Constitution and Laws, Article 254.

El Campo Chapter No. 535-Dispensation refused to change time of stated meeting. This is in violation of Chapter By-Laws.

Ganado Chapter No. 957—Dispensation refused to change time of stated meeting. This is in violation of Chapter By-Laws.

East Houston Chapter No. 955—Dispensation refused for installation prior to June 1. This is in violation of Constitution and Laws, Article 254.

Laura B. Hart Chapter No. 1019—Refused dispensation for declaring the office of an elective officer vacant. This is in violation of Constitution and Laws, Article 253, Section (3).

Thunderbird Chapter No. 1087—Dispensation refused to move Charter to the School of Instructions. Not necessary.

## CHARTERS RETRACED

East Dallas Chapter No. 715-Permission to have Charter retraced.

#### PURCHASING A NEW CHARTER

Everman Chapter No. 624—The Charter which they now have is a duplicate itself, and was damaged by water a few years ago.

## PHYSICAL DISABILITIES WAIVED

On page 124 of the Code of Laws, Article 206, authority is granted the Worthy Grand Matron to waive the physical disqualifications of a petitioner. To waive means to refrain from applying or enforcing a rule or a law when, after careful investigation, the circumstances justify such actions, the following waivers were granted.

For a petitioner who following an occupational accident, suffered the loss of his left arm below the elbow. The petitioner wore an artificial hand.

For a petitioner with the last three fingers of both hands webbed together.

For a petitioner who was born with Cerebral Palsy and does not have the full use of her right hand, but enough to qualify.

For a petitioner who was unable to kneel because of polio.

For a petitioner who was handicapped by the loss of his left arm below the elbow, but who has a prosthetic hand and very adept in the use of it.

#### PHYSICAL DISABILITIES REFUSED

To refuse any one the privilege of becoming a member of our Order is quite a hard decision for a Worthy Grand Matron to make, and she does so only after much prayer and council. I believe that our laws are not just symbolic, they have a purpose and therefore it is the duty of this office to abide by them to the best of her ability. When a petitioner is unable to fill ANY of the requirements, our laws leave us no choice.

For a petitioner who has only one hand.

#### WAIVERS OF TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION

On January 27, 1970, Texarkana Chapter No. 78, Texarkana, Arkansas, granted Waiver of Jurisdictions to Border Chapter No. 211 of Texarkana, Texas, on Mr. Clayton T. Nunn, Sr., and Mrs. Iva L. Nunn. Waiver granted.

On March 10, 1970, Texarkana Chapter No. 78 of Texarkana Arkansas, requested Waiver of Jurisdiction from Border Chapter No. 211 of Texarkana, Texas, on Mrs. Gayle Arledge.

# FRATERNAL COURTESIES REQUESTED OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

On April 28, 1970, request was made of the Grand Chapter of Alabama for a Courtesy Investigation for El Paso Chapter No. 4 on Mrs. Vinnie Johnson. The investigation was made and report was made to El Paso Chapter No. 4.

On June 1, 1970, request was made of the Grand Chapter of Washington to conduct a Courtesy Investigation for Lubbock Chapter No. 76 on Patsy Jean Marshall for reinstatement who now lives in Seattle, Washington. Investigation report pending.

On August 19, 1970, request was made of the Grand Chapter of Arkansas to conduct a Courtesy Investigation for North Fort Worth Chapter No. 684 on Mr. and Mrs. W. T. (Sue) Landrum now residing in Eureka Springs, Arkansas, former members suspended for non-payment of dues, Report pending.

#### COURTESY INITIATION

On April 15, 1970, a request was made through the Grand Chapter of Nebraska for the Degrees to be conferred by courtesy on Mrs. Margaret Wessler, elected to membership in Dalhart Chapter No. 1051, Dalhart, Texas. The Degrees were conferred in May, 1970.

On August 1, 1970, request was made of the Grand Chapter of New Mexico for a courtesy initiation in Electa Chapter No. 13, Farmington, New Mexico on Mrs. Beverly C. Jefferson, Shiprock, New Mexico, who was elected to membership in Rose Croix Chapter No. 701, El Paso, Texas. Report is pending.

# FRATERNAL COURTESIES REQUESTED OF GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS BY OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

On December 18, 1969, the Grand Chapter of Arkansas requested Dayton Chapter No. 233, Dayton, Texas, to make a courtesy investigation on Mrs. Ray Jane Craig for Walter Moore Chapter No. 525, Mountain View, Arkansas. The investigation was completed and the report forwarded through the office of the Worthy Grand Matron of Arkansas.

On February 6, 1970, the Grand Chapter of Arkansas requested a courtesy investigation of Mr. Bryan Pettus, for reinstatement in Pines Chapter No. 517 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Spring Branch Chapter No. 984 was assigned the investigation. The investigation was completed and the report was forwarded through the office of the Worthy Grand Matron of Arkansas.

The Grand Chapter of Arkansas requested a courtesy investigation on Mrs. Emogene Washburn of Waldo Chapter No. 504, Waldo, Arkansas, for reinstatement. The request was assigned to North Fort Worth Chapter No. 684. The report is pending.

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# COURTESY INITIATIONS

On November 17, 1969, Ardmore Chapter No. 70, Ardmore, Oklahoma, requested a courtesy initiation of Mrs. Etta May Vaughn, Killeen, Texas. Killeen Chapter No. 490, O. E. S., Killeen, Texas, conferred the Degrees and the report was made through the Grand Chapter of Oklahoma.

On February 26, 1970, the Worthy Grand Matron of Virginia requested a courtesy initiation on Miss Nancy Lee Durst, elected to membership in Wimodausis Chapter No. 106, Manassas, Virginia. E. C. Canon Chapter No. 825, Waco, Texas, conferred the degrees and the report was forwarded through the office of the Worthy Grand Matron of Virginia.

On June 1, 1970, the Grand Chapter of Tennessee requested Trinity Chapter No. 186, Trinity, Texas, for a courtesy initiation for O. K. Houch Chapter No. 229, Memphis, Tennessee, on Mrs. Patricia Riddle of Trinity, Texas. Report is pending.

On July 6, 1970, the Worthy Grand Matron of Louisiana requested a courtesy initiation for Rob Morris Chapter No. 1, New Orleans, Louisiana, on Mrs. Abbie Hall Schultz, of Dallas, Texas. The requested was assigned to A. C. Garrett Chapter No. 774. The report is pending.

On August 10, 1970, the Grand Chapter of Washington requested a courtesy initiation of Abilene Chapter No. 30 on Alvin W. Jorgensen and Nancy J. Jorgensen of Abilene, Texas, elected to membership in Cyclamen Chapter No. 65, Auburn, Washington. Report is pending.

# AMENDMENT TO BY-LAWS APPROVED

McAllen Chapter No. 14 Alvin Chapter No. 15 Texas Chapter No. 35 Alice Chapter No. 61 Gate City Chapter No. 77 Pecos Chapter No. 81 Claude Chapter No. 104 Hope Chapter No. 124 Wimodausis Chapter No. 141 Garland Chapter No. 156 Carpenters Chapter No. 183 Luling Chapter No. 155 Lockhart Chapter No. 210 Border Chapter No. 211 Velasco Chapter No. 220 Elgin Chapter No. 241 Arlington Chapter No. 249 Marlin Chapter No. 286 Navasota Chapter No. 309 Jeff Davis Chapter No. 336 Bronson Chapter No. 337 Bridgeport Chapter No. 346 Gilmer Chapter No. 355 Teague Chapter No. 408 Rosenberg Chapter No. 429 Handley Chapter No. 617 Dumas Chapter No. 653 Graham Chapter No. 668 New Boston Chapter No. 700 Magnolia Chapter No. 706

Somerset Chapter No. 730 Alamo Heights Chapter No. 734 Southern Star Chapter No. 707 Grand Falls Chapter No. 744 Woodbine Chapter No. 738 Carthage Chapter No. 747 Heath Chapter No. 781 Tuscola Chapter No. 793 Sudan Chapter No. 806 Prospect Hill Chapter No. 817 Crescent Chapter No. 820 Overton Chapter No. 830 Ocotillo Chapter No. 837 Andrews Chapter No. 849 Edcouch Chapter No. 859 Lindale Chapter No. 864 Oso Chapter No. 868 Love Field Chapter No. 875 Crosbyton Chapter No. 891 Hawkins Chapter No. 908 Walter Baldwin Chapter No. 929 West University Chapter No. 933 Truth Chapter No. 941 Memorial Chapter No. 958 La Marque Chapter No. 979 Fort Hancock Chapter No. 992 Centerville Chapter No. 1002 Cotulla Chapter No. 1004 Willis Chapter No. 1017 Dickinson Chapter No. 1024

Castleberry Chapter No. 1028 Wallare Chapter No. 1047 North Shore Chapter No. 1058 Eustace Chapter No. 1062 Copperas Cove Chapter No. 1070 Oak Forest Chapter No. 1080

# AMENDMENT NOT APPROVED

# Southern Star Chapter No. 707-Not in proper order.

#### CHAPTER BY-LAWS RETURNED

Article 195. Instituting Chapters Regulations.

(6) By-Laws. The Chapter shall adopt By-Laws, in accordance with the Constitution and Laws of Grand Chapter, which shall be approved by the Worthy Grand Patron, subject to approval by the By-Laws Committee of Grand Chapter IF CHARTER IS GRANTED. I returnd proposed changes of a U. D. Chapter for this reason.

#### GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

One of the most pleasant duties of a Worthy Grand Matron is that of recommending to the Worthy Grand Matron of other Grand Jurisdictions the names of our members to represent their Grand Jurisdiction in our State of Texas. It was a pleasure to recommend the following for Grand Representative appointments:

Alberta	Ruth Jones
Arizona	
Colorado	Opal Tippen
Iowa	
Massachusetts	Jewel Montgomery
Minnesota	
Missouri	
Montana	
New Hampshire	
New Jersey	
New York	Helen Ray
Oregon	Potsy Sawyer
Pennsylvania	
South Carolina	
South Dakota	
Tennessee	
Virginia	Irene Viereck

I also had the privilege of appointing Grand Representatives of Texas in other Grand Jurisdictions. I deeply appreciate the cards, letter, monthly news bulletins and magazines received from our Grand Representatives in other Grand Jurisdictions,

British Columbia	Mrs. Betty Staley
Delaware	Mrs. Joan Hontz
Indiana	Mrs. Judy Gaunce
Kentucky	Mrs. Leona Wuest
Massachusetts	Mrs. Beatrice Gebow
Minnesota	
North Dakota	Mrs. Grace Renwick
Nova Scotia	Mrs. Florence MacConnell
Ohio	Mrs. Doretta Brock
Oklahoma	Mrs. Harriett Hamm
Ontario	Mrs. Mary Ross

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Puerto Rico	Mrs. Carmen Gonzales
Quebec	
Rhode Island	Mrs. Mildred Stenberg
South Carolina	

## FRATERNAL VISITS TO OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

One of the great disappointments of my year of service as the Worthy Grand Matron was not having the opportunity of attending some of the Grand Chapter Sessions in other Grand Jurisdictions. Most of these came during our school schedule, and I could not leave.

#### SPECIAL COURTESIES

How great is the privilege that is afforded us in having a part in moulding the lives of our young people, and I want to express my appreciation to the Order of Rainbow for Girls for the many courtesies they have extended to me.

At installation I was presented a beautiful white Bible by the lovely Grand Worthy Advisor of the Grand Assembly of Texas. This will be a cherished memory always.

Through the year I remember many lovely and gracious things that were done for me by the Rainbow Girls over the State. Many beautiful drills, programs and presentations at the Fraternal Visits. I was honored in our own Rainbow Assembly, Bluebell Assembly No. 261, and this will always be a memorable occasion for me.

I regret very much that I was not able to attend Grand Assembly this year. It was the first I had missed in many a year. I was in Europe in Oberammergau, Germany, and to see the beautiful Passion Play. Always will I be grateful for having had this mountain top experience.

To Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield, Supreme Service and Supreme Inspector in Texas International Order of Rainbow for Girls, may I express my appreciation to you and Mr. Whitfield, for all the courtesies extended and for your love and friendship through the years. It is indeed an honor to call you friend.

# CITY AND COUNTY

On numerous occasions during this year I was honored to be welcomed by the Mayor to the cities and accorded special recognition in various capacities. Among these honors were keys to the cities, honorary membership, deputy sheriff, Proclamation of Sally Matranga Days and Honorary Citizenships to the various cities.

## GAVELS

I want to thank two very special friends for the presentations of gavels. Brother Monty Montgomery and Brother Berb Slater. Each are friends of long standing and I have used them in the schools this year. The gavels hold deep significance and are prized possessions.

#### BULLETINS

Each month I have received bulletins from many of our Chapters and the Past Matrons and Past Patrons Association over the State and I express my appreciation to them and the Secretaries for placing my name on their mailing list. I have enjoyed receiving and reading the interesting items of your Chap-

ters' and the Associations' activities and the news of the members. Thank you for remembering me.

# GRAND CHAPTER CAR-

On Thursday evening, October 30, 1969, after I was installed as Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Lois Bell, retiring Chairman of the Board of Grand Trustees, announced that the new Grand Chapter car, a 1970 Oldsmobile Station Wagon, would be delivered in Houston and gave a letter authorizing the Worthy Grand Matron the use of the automobile in visiting other Grand Jurisdictions.

It has been a joy and pleasure to travel over the State in this beautiful car and I am grateful to the Grand Chapter of Texas for this convenience. I have traveled approximately 26,000 miles, plus several miles by plane at my own expense, in the interest of Grand Chapter.

During the School Schedule, it was a pleasure to have the District Deputy Grand Matrons, the Grand Examiners and the District Secretaries to travel with me. Thank each of you girls for the pleasure you afforded me on this journey.

# APPROPRIATION FOR WORTHY GRAND MATRON

At the beginning of the year a check for \$2,800.00 was given to help defray the expenses of the Worthy Grand Matron in the interest of Grand Chapter. I was also given a check for \$500.00 for secretarial expenses for the year. The district members of the Secretarial Committee were of tremendous help during the school schedule.

#### O. E. S. HOME PARTIES

I want to express my appreciation to the various committees who were in charge of the many parties and teas at our Eastern Star Home. I know the ladies at the Home as well as I enjoyed each occasion.

To the many Chapters and individuals over the State who sent gifts, money and all kinds of goodies, a special thank you for your contributions.

#### CHRISTMAS PARTY

On December 21, 1969, the Christmas Party at the Home was in charge of the Fort Worth Sally's Pals, the Worthy Matrons of District Three, Section One. It was a pleasure to help them in assorting the many gifts which were sent to the Home for Christmas. The Home was beautifully decorated in the traditional Christmas theme. The Time and Talent Committee members helped in the decorations and assisted in serving the refreshments. During the afternoon Christmas Carols were sung and the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Richard T. Porter, and I distributed the gifts to the ladies. It was a joy for us to give each lady in the Home and hospital a personal gift.

## VALENTINE PARTY

The Time and Talent Committee was in charge of the Valentine Party on February 8, 1970. Mrs. Nora Pinyon, chairman, and Mrs. Nadine Rucker, co-chairman, and other members of the committee did a beautiful job and lovely red valentines were everywhere. Again I had the pleasure of being there for the occasion. Besides the many other gifts the Worthy Grand Patron and I presented each little lady with a heart shaped box of candy.

#### EASTER PARTY

The Easter Party was in charge of the Dallas Sally's Pals bringing all kinds of treats. It is said that the Easter "Bunny" left an egg with "green filling" which delighted all the ladies. A special "Thank You" to all who remembered them at Easter.

# HOMECOMING

It was a joy to again have the privilege of attending the Homecoming Celebration. Having just finished the last school in Galveston on Saturday, April 25, 1970, we made it just in time for refreshments. I want to thank the Worthy Matrons of District One, Section Five. Some four hundred (400) guests came during the day.

# MOTHERS DAY

The Worthy Matrons of Fort Worth, District Three, Section One, were the hostesses for Mothers Day. We celebrated a week early on May 3rd so that the ladies could be with their own families and friends on May 10th, Mothers Day. I could not attend but know they had a lovely day. Refreshments were served and the ladies were entertained by the Townsmen.

#### FOUNDERS DAY

I do not have a report as yet on Founders Day, but as recorded in the Bulletin, "WHAT A DAY WE HAD AUGUST 8TH." Between five and six hundred braved the heat to be with us. The Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and the Floor Officers of Grand Chapter stood in the receiving line and welcomed all those who came to the Silver Tea. To those who did not attend the Talent Show in Dallas on Saturday evening, you certainly missed a wonderful evening's entertainment. To these fine committee members, Mrs. Loyce Chancellor, Chairman, Mrs. Roce Cunningham and Mrs. Blanche Wilson, Co-Chairmen, thank you for a splendid job. I know that when your report is given it will be a most rewarding one.

#### IRREGULARITIES

I am happy to report that the conditions of the Chapters in general are exceptionally good throughout the State. However, unfortunately there are a few who are having internal dissensions which stem from personal differences.

The misuse of the black ball, malicious tongue, envy, jealously, untruth and injustice, still prevail among our members. These are the things which destroy the good name of Eastern Star. They lead to additional strife, result in false charges, dishonesty, and unfraternalism.

The aims and purposes of every organization are measured by the quality of the members, and officers who represent us in public. The strength of our Order lies in its principles and our prosperity is measured by the character of our members.

If you stand in front of the mirror and look into the eyes that are looking back at you, ask this one question. If all the members of the Order were like you and me, what kind of an Order would our Order be? We should always place QUALITY above QUANTITY, and in doing so we will save the prestige and honor of our fine organization.

I have had two summoned meetings this year with Chapters who have completely disregarded some of the rules and regulations of our Order and that is very disheartening to a Worthy Grand Matron. One I am happy to report is correcting the conditions which exist in their Chapter. After receiving numerous letters from the Chapter members and officers I had a summoned meeting. The Line Officers were not willing to go on if things did not straighten out. The members were ready to transfer somewhere else, if peace and harmony could not be restored. I counciled with each one present about the problem which existed and about the future of the Chapter. After reprimanding them about the misuse of the black ball and discord existing, a fraternal chain was formed around the Altar and the Obligation was repeated as a reminder of their duty toward one another.

In reading the Deputy report I noticed that this Chapter seemed to be in bad condition. No interest being shown whatsoever. When in the area for the schools, I sent for their books to read and examine. They seemed to be doing nothing for the last several years and was getting steadily worse. There were violations of a number of our Code of Laws.

I had a summoned meeting with the Chapter and out of 55 resident members 13 came. Only three or four had excuses for not being present. The Chapter meets in a new one-story Masonic Hall and actually has great possibilities.

In January, 1969, the Worthy Matron sent a letter to the members asking them to attend the next meeting to discuss the future of the Chaper. February there were 5 members present, March, 4 members present and in April 12 members came. After some discussion a vote was taken 6 to continue, 5 to consolidate and 1 to demise, and nothing was done. My purpose in going was to see if I could help or encourage them.

Certainly I understand the problems of the small Chapters, but at least most of them show the proper interest and work hard to keep their Chapter alive. The Worthy Matron was not even going to set up the Chapter. When questioned she replied, "Why! Nobody is coming." When questioning the members about the condition of the Chapter, they all wanted to be members, but could care less about doing anything. Too many other things conflicted with their attending the meetings. No initiations in 6 or 7 years and 9 officers had not been installed for the year including a line officer. I reprimanded them for such complete lack of interest and told them they must decide if they wanted to continue as a Chapter.

At the writing of this report I know that I will go back to this Chapter, for they have completely ignored my request.

I received a letter in which was enclosed a copy of the Secret Work issued to a Chapter with some of the code words written in ink on the document. The Chapter stated that they did not know when this was done as it had been this way for a long time, but the Deputy Grand Matron had instructed them to turn it in.

I wrote to the Chapter reminding them that this was a serious offense. That those who are to give this portion of the Secret Work SHALL and MUST learn their work. On front of each copy of the Secret Work are these specific words: THE REPRODUCTION OF ALL OR ANY PORTION OF THE SECRET WORK IN ANY WAY OR MANNER IS POSITIVELY PRO-HIBITED.

I refer you to our Code of Laws, page 140, Article 251, SECRET WORK: section (3a) and (4). ESPECIALLY No. 4.

(4) The Secret Work is copyrighted and all members are forbidden to copy any part of it. Any violation of this law must be reported to the Worthy Grand Matron, and any member found guilty of such shall be subject to reprimand by the Worthy Grand Matron or suspension or expudsion of the Order. i

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I felt that those who had reported this was not responsible for the violation and instructed them to comply with section (3a) in securing another copy of the Secret Work.

Two Chapter Secretaries reported receiving letters from Secretaries of other Grand Jurisdictions informing them that members had joined their Chapters by transfer and to send them demits. I instructed the Secretaries to inform the Chapters that according to our Code of Laws members must affiliate in other Grand Jurisdictions by demit. Therefore they are still members in Texas and must secure demits from their respective Chapters.

#### DECISIONS AND RULINGS

A Chapter balloted on a petition and the first ballot was not clear. On the second ballot the divider in the box slipped and mixed up the ballots. The Worthy Matron declared the ballot illegal after announcing what had happened. The Worthy Matron wrote for a special dispensation to take the ballot over since she felt that it was not the fault of the members but a faulty ballot box.

Answer: The request for a special dispensation cannot be granted. However I refer you to Chapter 8, Article 245, Page 136, of the Code of Laws. The ballot not being declared by the presiding officer, it was not a second and final ballot. The ballot box being faulty no final ballot could be taken. I ordered a second and final ballot to be taken on the petition at the next stated meeting.

2. Can the wife of a service man, stationed outside this country claim her husbands established legal residence as hers, and join a Chapter, when she is not a citizen of this country or resided in this jurisdiction (or country) the required length of time.

Answer: Since she has not lived in this country before or in the jurisdiction in which she wishes to join, it would not have her legal residence only his. She must wait the rquired length of time specified in our Laws. On page 25 of our Code of Laws, Article 208. Residence for Initiation: The term "residence" is defined to be the legal residence of the petitioner where SHE or HE exercises HER or HIS rights as a citizen, such as voting, etc.; the place which has been fixed by the petitioner as HER or HIS legal residence.

3 Can an Eastern Star who was suspended for non-payment of dues petition for reinstatement if her husband is delinquent in his Masonic Lodge?

Answer: Yes. Code of Laws, page 132, Article 237, Section (3) paragraph 3. Loss of membership by a Brother in his Masonic Lodge shall in no wise affect the membership of such Brother's female relative in a Chapter of the Eastern Star.

4. May an Eastern Star who is out on demit petition a Chapter if she is physically unable to attend a meeting for that purpose and who lives in another Grand Jurisdiction?

Answer: A Waiver of Terriorial Jurisdiction would have to be secured through the office of the Worthy Grand Matron from the subordinate Chapter in which the applicant resides. Our Code of Laws, page 132, Article 235, states that a demit Grand or otherwise, shall be valid indefinitely for the purpose of affiliation and that visiting privileges shall be unrestricted for a period of one year from date, after which visitation thereon cannot be made except at a stated meeting, and then only for the purpose of affiliation with the Chapter visited. She must visit the Chapter in order to affiliate with it.

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5. A Chapter wanted to know if they could have their installation before the 1st of June as the Worthy Matron-elect would be out of town until September?

Answer: All installations must be held from June 1st to June 15 without special dispensation and that any installation after June 15th shall be by special dispensation. No installation may be held before June 1st.

6. A Chapter asked that since the school and fraternal visit in their section would be on their stated meeting night, could they come and participate in the school and fraternal visit and leave the Charter for the stated meeting?

Answer: A Charter is not required for participating in a school, but the Chapter could not be counted as having a part in the fraternal visit. A Chapter may not have two meetings in one day except as that specified in our Code of Laws.

7. A Worthy Matron-elect has asked a Past Matron who is also the the Secretary-elect to be her installing officer. Is it legal for her to install the officers and be installed herself later at a stated meeting by the Worthy Matron?

Answer: She may be installed the same night as the other officers by an assisting Installing Officer or later if she desires. It is to the best interests of the Chapter that all officers be installed as soon as possible.

8. A Chapter reported that business has been transacted and petitions balloted upon without the signet being present in the Chapter room. They are aware that the signet is part of the Chapter furniture but that it had been removed during a Masonic Installation and was locked in a closet and no one had a key.

Answer: We know that the signet must be present for initiation ceremonies but our Code of Laws or Ritual does not say it MUST be present to transact business.

9. A Chapter wrote that the auditing committee duly appointed by the retiring Worthy Matron attempted to make a report on the Chapter's books. The books were in perfect order and balanced in every detail. The Worthy Matron read a part of the report, laid it down and refused to accept it. The members were surprised as the report was for the Chapter and not her alone. A subsequent motion to reject the report and to appoint a new committee seemed out of order since the report had not been presented to the Chapter. Could the report be rejected since it was not presented to the Chapter and what to do with the new audit committee appointed?

Answer: The financial affairs of each subordinate Chapter shall be audited immediately after May 31st each year and a report made TO THE CHAPTER at the first stated meeting after installation or as soon as possible. The constitution states at the first stated meeting after installation, and that audits may be made during the year as may be ordered by the Chapter. Most audits are given in detail so the members may know the financial condition of the Chapter. The CHAPTER votes whether it is accepted or rejected.

10. A Chapter reported that a petition for affiliation by demit was received from an out-of-state Chapter on the 9th of June. The investigating committee was appointed by the Junior Past Matron as the first meeting in June came before installation. At the first meeting in July, the Brother on the committee requested additional time in order to receive a reply to his inquiry on the Masonic affiliation. At the time an additional 4 weeks were granted. The Lodge of the Masonic Brother is in darkness during the summer months and the answer would not be forthcoming until August at which time he could report. Could additional time be granted the committee?

Answer: If more time is needed to make a thorough investigation, the Chapter, by vote may extend the time, but the subsequent report shall be made within the extended time.

11. A member of another Chapter became a member of said Chapter by transfer. She was elected to be a member. Before signing the By-Laws she was hospitalized by an accident and will not be able to sign for some time. Can the Secretary take the By-Laws to her home to sign?

Answer: She became a member when she was elected by ballot and does not have to sign the By-Laws until she is able to come to the Chapter for that purpose. Our Code of Laws, page 130, Article 229, paragraph (3) states: Membership of applicant shall begin on the date of election in the Chapter petitioned for affiliation by transfer.

12. A member who was installed as a star point fell and broke her hip recently and is confined to a wheel chair. She cannot stand alone, must be assisted to rise or sit. May she attend Chapter while a pro tem. fills her station, or must she comply with the 4th paragraph of Article 256 of the Code of Laws? She is a very dedicated member and wants to attend the Chapter meeting.

Answer: She must comply with our Code of Laws, Article 256, and fill her station if she is present in the Chapter room. However, it is a shame to deprive any member of the privilege of attending Chapter. If she stays out side during the opening and closing ceremony she may come inside during the meeting.

13. A member from the state of New Jersey recently moved into the jurisdiction of a Chapter and wants to affiliate with them. Her husband is a member in good standing in the Lodge in Texas. Since we do not recognize the state of New Jersey can she petition the Chapter on his membership in Texas?

Answer: First you would ascertain her Masonic affiliation in the state of New Jersey. If by an uncle she cannot petition, if by her father or brother she is eligible for affiliation with said Chapter. But she is only eligible by the affiliation which she first obtained her membership in the Eastern Star.

#### ANNIVERSARIES

It has been my privilege to attend several anniversary meetings this year and to be the guest speaker for the occasions. To share these observaices with the members was a most enjoyable experience. When you hear the accomplishments through the years and the labours of those who have gone before, you are certainly more mindful of the great heritage which is ours and the responsibility which rests upon us in the future. It was an honor to be a guest at the 50th anniversaries of Bexar Chapter No. 616 and Radiant Chapter No. 636 and the 75th anniversary of Alvin Chapter No. 15.

#### VACATION TIME

On June 4, 1970, it was my pleasure to join with 34 other members of the Eastern Star on a wonderful trip to Europe. The trip was under the direction of Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus, Past Grand Matron, of Houston, Texas. We visited 8 different countries and had many wonderful experiences which I shall never forget. To me the most outstanding one was the "Passion Play" in Oberammergau, Germany. To those who have not witnessed this mountaintop experience, your life is not complete.

#### APPRECIATION

How can one finds words to express thanks for one of the most happy and rewarding years in Eastern Star work. This has been made possible by the members of this Grand Body. I am humble and grateful to have been entrusted for a year with the most precious gift of this Grand Chapter, its government, welfare and prosperity.

Life's events are heralded with a time to begin and a time to end. But we who retaind our membership and retain a sense of the great values of this Order, never stop. Each hour is fresh and new with the promise of a bright and shining event. Farewells are sometimes said in sadness, some are said in relief, and some are said with joy—but all are given because of a parting.

Many times this year I have said "the work of our Order is worthy of our earnest labour" and if we live up to the high principles taught by our Order, the light of our radiant star will shine brightly into eternity. You have given me a year which will be treasured forever in my memory. A year of friendship, fun and, at times, frustration, but a year to look back upon with only the warmest feelings, and I cannot begin to express to each of you how much I appreciate all the "kindness, consideration and love" that has been mine this year. It was through the "Grace of our Heavenly Father" that I was permitted the health and strength to carry out the arduous duties of Worthy Grand Matron and I am humbly grateful to Him from whom cometh all wisdom and strength.

To my Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Richard: It has been a pleasure to share the East with you this year. I appreciate your co-operation and attendance at so many schools and meetings. It has been a joy to have your lovely wife, Sister Earnesteen, present also. Her warm smile and pleasing personality makes her a delight to know and to be with. God's richest blessings to both of you now and always.

To the Associate Grand Matron and the Associate Grand Patron: Very soon now the responsibilities of this Grand Chapter will be yours and I wish for you both a successful and happy year and may you be blessed with good health to enjoy it to the fullest.

To our Grand Secretary: How can you begin to thank such a person as our Sister Rebecca L. Miles. She is a tower of strength and ever ready to lend a helping hand. The warmth of your love and friendship through these many years has meant a great deal to me and I shall never forget your patience and understanding at all times.

To our Grand Treasurer: Miss Jettie: I know that you know how I feel about you. We have traveled many miles together through the years and the love and understanding still grow deeper and deeper. Only you and I know the full meaning of our association.

To our Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress: May I express my sincere appreciation for the gracious manner in which you have performed your duties. I wish both of you happiness as you travel Eastward and I will be watching you with keen interest.

To our Appointive Officers: You will always occupy a special place in my heart and the memory of this year which we have spent together will remain with me always. For the love and loyalty you have shown and for the dignity with which you have filled your stations, thank you from the bottom of my heart.

To the Boards and Committee Members: Mere words could never convey to you how much I appreciate your efforts on my behalf and that of this Grand Chapter. We would make little progress were it not for your continued interest and devotion to duty for you are the members who make the wheels go round. My sincere appreciation to each of you for loyalty to me and to the service you have rendered to Grand Chapter.

To my Sally's Pals and Porter's Partners: When you try to find the right words to express appreciation to this fine group of Matrons and Patrons who served with us this year, you are at a loss for this is a very special group and close to my heart. For the many courtesies extended and expression of love from you individually and from your Chapters I am most grateful and wish for each of you in the years ahead success in every way. May God bless and keep each one always.

To the Members of My Chapter: When we start getting closer to home, the words become more difficult to find. My deepest gratitude to the members of Bluebell Chapter No. 856 for having made this year possible, and for their loyalty and support throughout the year. You have been my inspiration all the way.

To my Family: How does one thank one's family for love and devotion? For encouragement, understanding, cooperation? I am richly blessed for I have had all that and more from the members of my family and I will never be able to thank them for their contribution towards this wonderful year. To my husband, who has played the most important part in making this a wonderful year I cannot begin to express the depth of my feelings. His patience and understanding at all times has been beyond all doubt and I hope that I can show each one how much I deeply appreciate their faith in me.

It is a pleasure for me to pay tribute to our Distinguished General Grand Chapter Officers.

To Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris: Our Distinguished Past Most Worthy Grand Matron and a cherished dear friend, to me you have always been the perfect example of dignity, grace and exemplified the real meaning of true prestige belonging to our Order. The State of Texas is proud to have you as our shining star.

Mrs. Katherine Poulis, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee of General Grand Chapter, and Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., member of the Jurisprudence Committee of the General Grand Chapter, our Grand Chapter has always been proud of these fine Past Grands and appreciate the recognition given to you by the appointments you hold.

To the Grand Examiners, the District Deputy Grand Matrons and the Deputy Grand Matrons: To this special group, there is so much one could say for there is such a close association with them and it is worth more than silver or gold. The joys and experiences that we have shared and the excellent manner in which you performed your duties will be one of the most cherished memories of this year. Words cannot express my love and appreciation to you.

To the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons: To be following in your footsteps is a great honor indeed. Words cannot express how much I

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appreciated your words of encouragement and advice as well as your attendance at our schools and meetings. Soon this year will end and I trust you will find me worthy of a place in the ranks of the Past Grands.

#### CONCLUSION

Sisters and Brothers, this has been one of the busiest and happiest years of my life and I have tried to serve you faithfully and to the best of my ability. As I lay before you the record of my year, I will be eternally grateful for the privilege of being your Worthy Grand Matron.

Sincerely and fraternally submitted,

Sally Matranga SALLY MATRANGA

Worthy Grand Matron

#### SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF WORTHY GRAND MATRON

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, may I submit my Supplemental Report.

#### SPECIAL DISPENSATION WITH FEE

To Elect an Associate Conductress-Andral Vann Chapter No. 741.

To Elect an Associate Matron and Conductress-Imperial Chapter No. 882.

To Elect an Associate Matron, Associate Patron and Conductress—Snyder Chapter No. 450.

To move into New Hall—Rosewyn Chapter No. 927.

To move meeting place for a Call Meeting-Capitol Chapter No. 803.

To Secure Copy of Secret Work-Coolidge Chapter No. 1020.

To Secure Copy of Secret Work and Diagram of Labyrinth—Fort Worth Chapter No. 681.

To Secure two (2) copies of Secret Work and Diagram of Labyrinth— Perryton Chapter No. 161.

#### FRATERNAL COURTESIES REQUESTED OF TEXAS BY OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

Completed the request of the Grand Chapter of New Mexico for courtesy investigation by Lubbock Chapter No. 76 on Mrs. Verna Bivins.

Completed the request of the Grand Chapter of Arkansas for courtesy investigation by North Fort Worth Chapter No. 684 on Mrs. Emogene Mashburn.

Completed the request of the Grand Chapter of Washington for courtesy Initiation, for Cyclamen Chapter No. 65, Auburn, Washington, of Abilene Chapter No. 30 on Alvin W. Joregensen and Nancy J. Joregensen. Completed the request of the Grand Chapter of Louisiana for courtesy Initiation for Rob Morris Chapter No. 1, New Orleans, Louisiana, of A. C. Garrett Chapter No. 774 on Mrs. Abbie Hall Schultz.

Completed the request of the Grand Chapter of Tennessee for a courtesy Initiation for O. K. Houch Chapter No. 229, Memphis, Tennessee, of Trinity Chapter No. 186 on Mrs. Patricia Riddle.

#### FRATERNAL COURTESIES REQUESTED OF OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

Request was made of the Grand Chapter of New Mexico for a countesy Initiation in Electa Chapter No. 13, Shiprock, New Mexico, for Rose Croix Chapter No. 701, El Paso, on Mrs. Beverly C. Jefferson. Request was granted and Certificate of Initiation by Courtesy was received.

Request was made of the Grand Chapter of Oklahoma for a courtesy investigation on a petition for re-instatement, of Circle Chapter, Tulsa, Oklahoma, from Borger Chapter No. 811 on Mrs. Martha Parr, Petition granted.

#### BY-LAWS APPROVED

Harlandale No. 750 - Abernathy No. 877 - Rockdale No. 23.

#### LEGAL PAPERS EXECUTED

- 1. Warranty Deed from Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star to Pebble Fisher Daniel, covering Lot 8, in Block 3, of the Hamilton Creek Addition to Burnet County, Texas, for a consideration of \$5,500.00. (Formerly Mary Francis Property.)
- 2. Warranty Deed from Grand Chapter of Texas, to B. F. Herron, et ux, covering Lot 10, 12 and 14, of the Liberty Heights Addition to the City of De Leon, Commanche County, Texas, for a consideration of \$1,500.00. (Formerly Lizy King property.)

#### SUMMONED MEETINGS

With information that a Chapter was having quite a bit of trouble and after receiving correspondence from the Deputy Grand Matron, Officers and members I called a meeting of the Chapter in order to council with the membership. I instructed the Worthy Matron and Secretary to send notices to all members of the Chapter to be present.

On reviewing the records of the Chapter and information received I found that time after time in the past years petitions were rejected, including Masons, Rainbow Girls and others. There seemed to be ugliness, jealousy and personal conflict. Realizing the feeling of heartsickness among the membership after relating my findings and reasons for calling the meeting. I invited each member to speak and to answer direct questions as to their interest in the Chapter, and whether they could and would forget personal differences and past experiences with a determination to work together as Sisters and Brothers, in a spirit of brotherly love and friendship. That if they were proud of being an Eastern Star then their actions must reflect such. I reminded them that Grand Chapter granted them a Charter to work for the good of the Order and that it could be taken away if their actions do not reflect as much. That it is up to every member of the Chapter how you continue and whether you want to remain a Chapter.

Most of the complaints were the mis-use of the blackball, the under current, lack of co-operation and the constant bickering. The fear of presenting petitions knowing that they would be blackballed. I invited all Masons to stand. We owe the existence of our Order and the privilege of being members, to these fine men. You have the privilege of meeting in their Lodge Halls and when you abuse these courtesies they can be taken from you at a moments notice. I admonished the members to consider their actions, to help make the Chapter to be what it was established for. To labor for Peace, Harmony and the good of the Order.

I again express appreciation to the membership of Texas, the many Chapters, the Grand Officers of 1969-70 and dear friends for the many kindnesses and courtesies extended.

To my own Chapter, Bluebell No. 856, for the privilege that is mine in being a member and for the use of the Chapter's Holy Bible for Grand Chapter, I am humbly grateful.

#### Respectfully submitted,

#### SALLY MATRANGA Worthy Grand Matron

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Worthy Grand Patron, I move the adoption of the report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, Mrs. Birdie Mae Mulhern, Past Grand Matron of Louisiana and Member of Unfinished Business Committee of General Grand Chapter has to leave, and I recognize her at this time.

#### PAST GRAND MATRON OF LOUISIANA

MRS. BIRDIE MAE MULHERN: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I want to express my thanks for all the courtesies that have been shown to me and to the other visiting Grand Officers to this Harp of Happiness Session. We have enjoyed every minute of our stay with you and we deeply appreciate the love that has been shown to us. It has made us very happy to be here.

Thank you very much. (Applause.)

#### GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM LABOR TO REST

The Bible was closed and Grand Chapter was called from Labor to Rest until 2:00 P. M.

## Tuesday Afternoon, September 28, 1970 2:00 P. M.

The Tuesday afternoon session was called to order by Mrs. Nancy Bailey, Past Grand Matron, and Mr. Herbert Arnold, Past Grand Patron.

Preceding the call to order organ melodies were by Mrs. Mertis Stone, Grand Organist.

#### CALL TO ORDER

MRS. NANCY BAILEY: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests and Members:

To greet you this afternoon as we open this Tuesday Afternoon Session of the Harp of Happiness Session is a special privilege and I am truly grateful to the Worthy Grand Matron for extending the invitation.

I now call to order this Tuesday afternoon Session, the Eighty-eight, the Harp of Happiness Session, of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

From the examination of the program for this afternoon, we are to be honored with the "Flickering Butterfly" Drill which will be executed by members of the Fraternal Visitation Committee and the Masonic Education Committee. Sisters and Brothers, as each year has passed since the beginning of these two committees, many steps of progress have been made. We all respect and admire the untiring efforts of these two wonderful committees as they strive to unite the ties of fraternialism.

Before we are privileged with the presentation of this drill I would ask the Grand Marshal to escort the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron to the East, so they can enjoy this special drill which has been arranged by our Grand Marshal.

The Grand Marshal escorted the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron to the East.

#### FLICKERING BUTTERFLY DRILL

The Fraternal Visitation Committee, the Founders Day Committee, Masonic Education Committee and Assistant Grand Sentinels were presented in the Flickering Butterfly Drill. They entered the Grand Chapter Room and formed a large butterfly and as the lights were lowered the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the top of the fomation and the ladies fluttered their fans.

MRS. NANCY BAILEY: It is now my pleasure to invite the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron and other Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter room.

#### ENTRANCE OF GRAND OFFICERS

The Grand Officers entered the Grand Chapter Room in regular formation, and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

The Grand Officers then assumed their respective stations.

MRS. NANCY BAILEY. Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally and dear friend. In the past years I have experienced many hours of happiness and pleasure with you, whether it be on the highways, by-ways or in your lovely home, and certainly this afternoon is an added pleasure and a time of happiness for me. I thank you again for inviting me and my Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Herb Arnold, to open this Tuesday afternoon session.

Worthy Grand Matron, I am borrowing some words from your Music of the Heart Installation. And I quote. "All of us have listened at one time or another to a great symphony. We have sat transformed as the beauty of the perfectly matched tones echoed and re-echoed through our being. We have been lifted up by the wild sweet tones of the woodwinds and the intricate lacings of the strings, and stirred beyond belief by the roll of the percussion instruments. When the program was finished, we walked away still hearing the ringing melodies of the whole orchestra. "Now, Sister Sally, your program is almost finished and the time for you and the Worthy Grand Patron to walk away, but for many years to come you and the membership will still hear the ringing melodies of the whole orchestra. You have practiced the notes of beauty and love and the great membership of our Order has been "in tune" with you and Dick as the Director.

Worthy Grand Patron, you are a dear and I know you have endeared yourself to the membership of the Eastern Star. You are a respected leader of many Masonic Bodies and we commend you for the fine work you have done as you have traveled this great state in all capacities of Masonry. You have given your best to give our Grand Chapter a glorious bright year.

Brother Herb Arnold, my own Worthy Grand Patron, it is always a delight and pleasure to be with you on any occasion, but I am especially proud to have you by my side this afternoon. It brings back many fond memories of two years past. Your service to our Order has not ceased in these last two years. Your heart is still entangled with love and interest for our great Order and for the Home and its occupants. Your interest and faith is unfaltering, and I personally think you are great. I know that you are happy to have a part in the opening of this session and I proudly present you to the membership and ask that you add your greetings.

MR. HERBERT ARNOLD: Thank you, Past Grand Matron. It is a great privilege to serve in the East with you this afternoon. Only a short time ago you and I were installed in this city and in this auditorium as Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. We are proud of the Eastern Star and proud of this Grand Chapter.

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for this privilege. I have watched you with great pride this year as you two have presided over our Grand Chapter. I am looking forward to a wonderful Grand Chapter Session here. I wish for you the best of everything.

Thank you. (Applause.)

MRS. NANCY BAILEY: Thank you, Brother Herb.

Worthy Grand Matron, again I thank you for the privilege that has been accorded me in opening this Tuesday afternoon session of your Harp of Happiness Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas. It is with pleasure that I present to you your gavel.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this Grand Chapter from Rest to Labor and direct him to permit no interruption while we are thus engaged.

#### GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM REST TO LABOR

Grand Chapter was proved, the Bible opened, and the Grand Chapter was called from Rest to Labor at 2:40 P. M.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Nancy Bailey and Brother Herb, may I express my appreciation to you for the opening of this session of our Grand Chapter.

Worthy Grand Patron, do you have a word for these fine people.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: I would like to add my special word of appreciatin to you two wonderful people for your wonderful service to this Grand Chapter. We thank you for the privilege of your calling this Grand Chapter to order, and thank you for your service to our Order. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Worthy Grand Patron, at this time we would like to hear your report.

#### REPORT OF WORTHY GRAND PATRON

To the Officers and members of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. Just a few short months ago you chose to elevate me to the very high office of Worthy Grand Patron, of the Grand Chapter of Texas. It was with a great deal of humility and concern that I entered upon this year of service. Concern that I should be able to find the time to do the things which I knew it was necessary to do in order to serve in the manner that should be acceptable to the membership.

On November 8 we were privileged to attend the home Chapter of our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, Bluebell Chapter No. 856. On this occasion she paid her Fraternal Visit and received the honors of her own members as well as the allocades of so many of the dear folks of Houston. This was a delightful and interesting occasion.

On Saturday, November 15, our Worthy Grand Matron paid a Fraternal Visit to South Hills Chapter No. 835, Fort Worth, being by own Chapter, and on this occasion we were jointly honored. Both of these two meetings of our individual Chapters were delightful occasions and expressions of the support of our own members, without which the task of serving Grand Chapter would be extremely difficult.

On Monday, November 10, at 7:30 P. M. it was our privilege to constitute New Caney Chapter No. 1093 with the following serving as Grand Officers:

Worthy Grand Matron	
Worthy Grand Patron Associate Grand Matron	Mrs Frances Horrin
Associate Grand Patron	
Associate Grand Fairon	Mrs. Lollah Maa Vollus
Grand Secretary	Wirs. Lanan Wae vonus
Grand Treasurer	Mrs. Jettie Hinton
Grand Conductress	Mrs. Irene Scarbrough
Associate Grand Conductress	
Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Barbara Harrison
Grand Marshal	Mrs. Billie Rogers
Grand Organist	Mrs. Mertis Stone
Grand Adah	Mrs. Lula Jane Wall
Grand Ruth	Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver
Grand Esther	Mrs. Earnesteen Porter
Grand Martha	Mrs. Annette Pierce
Grand Electa	Mrs. Bernice House
Grand Warder	Mrs. Agnes Brown
Grand Sentinel	

On November 11 it was our privilege to constitute Jacques De Molay Chapter No. 1094 with the following serving as Grand Officers:

Worthy Grand Matron	Mrs. Sally Matranga
Worthy Grand Patron	Mr. Richard T. Porter
Associate Grand Matron	Mrs. Frances Herrin
Associate Grand Patron	Mr. Victor Jones

Grand Secretary	Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus
Grand Treasurer	Mrs. Annette Pierce
Grand Conductress	Mrs. Irene Scarbrough
Associate Grand Conductress	Mrs. Katherine Cowgill
Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Barbara Harrison
Grand Marshal	Mrs. Billie Rogers
Grand Organist	Mrs. Mertis Stone
Grand Adah	
Grand Ruth	Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver
Grand Esther	Mrs. Earnesteen Porter
Grand Martha	Mrs. Lorraine Porter
Grand Electa	Mrs. Bernice House
Grand Warder	Mrs. Agnes Brown
Grand Sentinel	Mr. Claude Worthy, Ir.
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On Thursday, November 13, it was our privilege to constitute Archives Chapter No. 1095 with the following serving as Grand Officers:

Worthy Grand Matron Worthy Grand Patron Associate Grand Matron	Mr. Richard T. Porter Mrs. Annette Pierce
Associate Grand Patron	
Grand Secretary	Mrs. Viva Huffman
Grand Treasurer	Mrs. Jettie Hinton
Grand Conductress	Mrs. Alma Miller
Associate Grand Conductress	Mrs. Irene Scarborough
Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Barbara Harrison
Grand Marshal	Mrs. Billie Rogers
Grand Organist	
Grand Adah	Mrs. Lula Jane Wall
Grand Ruth	Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver
Grand Esther	
Grand Martha	
Grand Electa	
Grand Warder	
Grand Sentinel	Mr. Claude Worthy, Jr.

We were also privileged to institute three Chapters. On March 30 with the concurrence of the Worthy Grand Matron we instituted Burke Chapter U. D. with the following serving as officers for the ceremony:

Worhy Grand Matron	
Worthy Grand Patron	Mr. Richard T. Porter
Associate Grand Matron	. Mrs. Cynthia Mae Watts
Associate Grand Patron	
Grand Secretary	Mrs. Rebecca Miles
Grand Treasurer	
Grand Conductress	Mrs. Aliene Houston
Associate Grand Conductress	Mrs. Irene Scarbrough
Grand Chaplain	
Grand Marshal	
Grand Organist	
Grand Adah	
Grand Ruth	Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver
Grand Esther	
Grand Martha	Mrs. Carmen Johnson
Grand Electa	Mrs. Alma Miller
Grand Warder	Mrs. Agnes Brown
Grand Sentinel	Rev. David Early

It was our privilege to institute Hurst Chapter U. D. on August 6, 1970, at 7:30 P. M. With the following serving as Grand Officers:

Worthy Grand Matron Worthy Grand Patron Associate Grand Matron	Mr. Richard T. Porter
Associate Grand Patron	Mr. Victor Jones
Grand Secretary	Mrs. Rebecca Miles
Grand Treasurer	Mrs. Jettie Hinton
Grand Conductress	Mrs. Maude Arnold
Associate Grand Conductress	Mrs. Katherine Harbour
Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Mildred Garlitz
Grand Marshal	Mrs. Lillian Anderson
Grand Organist	Mrs. Irma Cannon
Grand Adah	
Grand Ruth	Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver
Grand Esther	Mrs. Earnesteen Porter
Grand Martha	Mrs. Edna G. Wood
Grand Warder	Mrs. Agnes Brown
Grand Sentinel	Mr. Herbert Arnold

And on August 15, with the concurrence of the Worthy Grand Matron, it was our privilege to issue a dispensation for a new Chapter, being Wallace Hughston U. D. at El Paso and we were further to deputize the Associate Grand Patron, Bro. Victor Jones, to perform this ceremony. The following served as officers during the instituting ceremony:

Worthy Grand Matron	
Worthy Grand Patron	Mr. Victor Jones
Associate Grand Matron	Mrs. Jocie Jones
Associate Grand Patron	Dr. Russell Holt
Grand Secretary	Mrs. Rebecca Miles
Grand Treasurer	Mrs. Millie Brenner
Grand Conductress	Mrs. Sybil Langley
Associate Grand Conductress	Mrs. Daphne Thrasher
Grand Chaplain	Mrs. Carolyn Paul
Grand Marshal	Mrs. Vera Trout
Grand Organist	Mrs. Mina Eason
Grand Adah	Mrs. Betty Fitch
Grand Ruth	Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver
Grand Esther	Mrs. Earnesteen Porter
Grand Martha	Mrs. Mazie Feeney
Grand Electa	Mrs. Gladys Johnson
Grand Warder	Mrs. Dorothy Jordan
Grand Sentinel	

We wish to commend the Associate Grand Patron, Bro. Jones, on the very fine job that he did. While I was present for the ceremony it was still my privilege to extend this courtesy to Bro. Jones.

It was our privilege during the year to attend 29 of the 50 schools and to attend the Fraternal Visit of the Worthy Grand Matron after the schools. We were further privileged to attend an additional 8 of the Fraternal Visits held after other Schools and many other Fraternal Visits of the Worthy Grand Matron during the year.

#### HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS

During the year I received 619 honorary memberships in the various Chapters throughout the state. I shall always be grateful for this high honor. Perhaps I can find some time to visit these Chapters over the years.

#### GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

#### IN APPRECIATION

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, I wish to express to her my sincere appreciation for the opportunity of serving with her in this capacity. Your cooperation, friendship, sincerity, and ability have been outstanding during this past two years. For your kindness to Earnesteen and me we shall always be grateful.

To the Sally's Pals and Porter's Partners throughout this great state: They have on so many occasions furnished us with tickets, corsages for Earnesteen, and shown many other courtesies that have made this journey a pleasant one, I express to them my sincere appreciation.

To the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons: Your lives have been an inspiration to me as each of you in your own way has made a mark upon my years of service in Grand Chapter.

To the members of my own Chapter, South Hills No. 835: I express to them my deep appreciation for their many courtesies and for their kindnesses and support throughout these past two years. It is certainly an honor to be a member of this fine Chapter.

To the Deputies and District Deputies, I express to you my sincere appreciation for the many courtesies you have shown Earnesteen and me throughout this past year. Your preparation, interest and the manner in which you conducted your Schools were outstanding. I shall always have fond memories of these wonderful occasions with you.

To each of our Grand Officers with whom it has beeen such a pleasure to serve as our Worthy Grand Matron and the Grand Chapter of Texas, I express to you my deep appreciation for the many courtesies and opportunity of fellowship with each of you. I am looking forward to the many years of friendship and opportunities of visiting and renewing the many acquaintances we have been privileged to share this past year.

Last but not least I express to my dear wife, Earnesteen, who has served this year so well as Grand Esther. For the love and affection, for her wisdom, advice, and support. Without it this year would have been an impossible one. I express to you my deepest appreciation.

#### IN CONCLUSION

While this year is now going into the record book, to those of us who have served Grand Chapter I am sure it will become a memory of another enriching experience and trust that the efforts we have made will have written into the record book as another year of great service, prosperity, and achievement for the beautiful Order of the Eastern Star.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Richard J. Varter

RICHARD T. PORTER Worthy Grand Patron

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now hear the report of the Grand Secretary.

MRS. REBECCA MILES: Sisters and Brothers, I have been greatly puzzled by the background of this stage. The Harp refers to Sally. I am wondering who those two Lyres refer to. (Applause.)

I know, of course, the Harp refers to our Grand Matron—I am sure the Lyres do not refer to the Grand Treasurer and the Grand Patron—It could be Brother Clyde and I should confer with the Grand Matron and try to determine who she had in mind.

MRS. REBECCA MILES: Worthy Grand Matron, since I prepared this report Brother William G. Vollus passed away.

#### REPORT OF GRAND SECRETARY

To the Grand Matron, Grand Patron, Officers and Members, Grand Chapter of Texas, O. E. S.:

Nothing is quite as confusing in your Grand Chapter records and reports as the constant changing of the time for the annual session. Since the size of our registration limits the location of our meetings to two or three different cities, and the availability of facilities causes change in the dates of meetings we are constantly confronted with partial yearly reports.

In closing my records, August 1st, for the printing of advanced reports, I find difficulty in making a lucid report of the affairs of the year.

This report covers the period Nov. 1, 1969-Aug. 1, 1970. After the close of the year, I will add to the records moneys, dispensations, 50-year certificates, etc., that occur after Aug. 1st.

#### IN MEMORIAM

Only one Past Grand passed away during this year, Sister Belle P. Tomlinson—July 18, 1970. Sister Tomlinson has not been active during recent years because of her health and her failing eye-sight. However, her interest in Eastern Star affairs was keen to the very end.

Brother Vollus and I have been long time friends—When he came into Grand Chapter, I was serving as a Deputy—When he was Grand Patron, I was District Deputy—The friendship has been not only fraternal but a close personal one—We shall miss him—

I offer the following original verse as a Tribute to him—

#### "CONFIDENCE"

There is a flash of bright light From beneath my cottage eaves As a red bird takes its flight To the live oaks dark green leaves.

With a swish of his tail and wings He seeks the top most limb And there majestically sings An evening worship hymn—

He knows no doubt, no fear, no bother, Swinging there on treetop high; If thus he trusts the Heavenly Father, So, also, should you and I—

#### MEMBERSHIF

1969 roll (as corrected)	126,013	
Gains— Initiated		
Reinstated		
	4,719	
Losses— Demitted 1,199 Transferred 850 Suspended 2,452 Died 2,015 Demised Chapters 210		
	6,726	
Present Membership Loss Chartered Chapters U. D. Chapters	$   \begin{array}{r}     124,006 \\     2,007 \\     768 \\     3   \end{array} $	
Total number of Chapters	771	
CHARTER CHANGES		
Kyle No. 1049 Hurst No. 1061 Gruver No. 973	4, 1970	
Chapters consolidating— Roaring Springs No. 950 with Matador No. 66 June 1, 1970 Crystal City No. 928 with Sarah No. 353June 8, 1970		
Charters Retraced— McLemmon No. 639Nov. East Dallas No. 715March		
CHAPTER REPORTS		
The Following Chapter reports did not clear before the deadline:		

Bowie No. 16 Saltillo No. 173 Del Rio No. 204 Oakville No. 521 Schulenberg No. 647 Arlington Heights No. 702 Van No. 840 Anton No. 936 Weldon No. 969

As of Aug. 1st-Avery No. 252 has not reported.

#### CONSTITUTIONS AND INSTITUTIONS

Grand Chapter 1969 granted Charters to:

New Caney No. 1093 Jacques deMolay No. 1094 Archives No. 1095

#### PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

Their Charters were prepared and the Chapters have been constituted:

New Caney No. 1093Nov.	10,	1969
Jacques deMolav No. 1094	11,	1969
Archives No. 1095Nov.	13,	1969

Seabrooks and Sam P. Cochran, not being six months old, were continued as U. D. Chapters this year. Burke Chapter was instituted March 30, 1970.

#### SECRET WORK AND DIAGRAM OF LABYRINTH

Handling of the Secret Work and the Diagram continues to be a serious problem. It might be wise for the Chapters to require from those to whom these pamphlets are issued a deposit of the penalty, until such time as they are returned. Some plan should be worked out to remedy the constant careless handling of these documents.

The following lists give some idea of the seriousness of this matter:

#### EXTRA COPIES OF THE SECRET WORK CODE ISSUED

Knox City Chapter No. 1191 coClen Rose Chapter No. 1711 coMadisonville Chapter No. 1931 coWest Chapter No. 2031 coBorder Chapter No. 2111 coMerkel Chapter No. 2121 coLlano Chapter No. 2161 coOak Cliff Chapter No. 3031 coBornson Chapter No. 3751 coCoahoma Chapter No. 3751 coCoahoma Chapter No. 5761 coLinden Chapter No. 5761 coLinden Chapter No. 5761 coLinden Chapter No. 5761 coHenderson Chapter No. 5771 coHenderson Chapter No. 7101 coBornouzett Chapter No. 7101 coBornouzett Chapter No. 8231 coBornouzett Chapter No. 8231 co	ру ру ру ру ру ру ру ру ру ру ру ру ру р
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#### EXTRA COPIES OF THE DIAGRAMS OF THE LABYRINTH ISSUED

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This office suggest that the incoming deputies familiarize themselves with the requirement for securing additional copies of Secret Work and Labyrinth and save the Chapters, the Worthy Grand Matron and the Grand Secretary's office much correspondence.

This suggestions applies also to those seeking admittance to the Home. Each deputy should be supplied with a copy of the form letter issued by the Benevolent Board in reply to enquiries from Chapters or members. The deputies would then be in position to help those seeking information.

#### SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS

The Grand Secretary's office issued the following Special Dispensations during the year:

Elect Worthy Matron:

Groesbeck No. 810 Graford No. 905 Because of illness ones elected could not serve.

Elect Worthy Patron:

Warren No. 638—None available at April election. Graford No. 905 Pearsall No. 278 Sulphur Springs No. 718 None had been installed. Breckenridge No. 659

Associate Matrons:

Ingleside No. 1037 Bluebonnet No. 717 Graford No. 905 Camilla No. 994

Associate Patron: Iraan No. 832 Ingleside No. 1037 Bluebonnet No. 713 Haltom City No. 982

Elect Secretary:

. Centennial No. 842 Almeda No. 1081 Farmersville No. 940

Elect Treasurer: Iraan No. 832 Cockrell Hill No. 971 Bluebonnet No. 717

Elect Conductress: El Paso No. 4 Nederland No. 1079 . Lewisville No. 935 Laura B. Hart No. 1019 New Braunfels No. 771 Riverside No. 834 Broaddus No. 889 Nixon No. 339 Eagle Lake No. 483

Graford No. 905 Roscoe No. 502 McLean No. 239 Buffalo No. 157

Clara Mills No. 1032 Adobe Walls No. 1059 Dallas No. 1

Brownfield No. 785 Concho No. 826

Port Neches No. 677 Pearsall No. 278 Corrigan No. 631 Iraan No. 832 Lampasas No. 295 Elect Associate Conductress

El Paso No. 4 Hope No. 124 East Dallas No. 715 Grand Prairie No. 219 Laura B. Hart No. 1019 Perryton No. 161 Memorial No. 958

Change Meeting Place: Ocotillo No. 837 Evant No. 962 Rose Croix No. 701 Lewisville No. 935 Creedmore No. 602

Open Installation After June 15th: Huntsville No. 240 Wimodausis No. 141 Laura B. Hart No. 1019 College Station No. 1026 Rio Grande City No. 843 Killeen No. 490

Late Election of Officers: McCamey No. 818

Hope No. 124 Sinton No. 515 New Braunfels No. 771 Midland No. 253 Riverside No. 834 College Station No. 1026

Dell City No. 1057 Ysleta No. 991 Hillcrest No. 1006 Poteet No. 913

Cora Posey No. 1072 Fidelis No. 963 Travis No. 472 Haltom City No. 982 Graford No. 905

Douglassville No. 493

#### **50-YEAR MEMBERSHIPS**

The following 50-Year Certificates were issued and many more are due in August, September and October. The completed list will be prepared for the Proceedings:

Dallas No. 1—Ruby C. Bass. San Antonio No. 3—Elza Mae Koepke, Meta Craven, Aurie Rowland, Opal Carter, Mabel M. Post, Emma Beck, Lolla Rork Dietz, Minnie Weston, Otta J. Solcher, Ada Robson.

El Paso No. 4-Zarilda Shields, Agnes Hawley.

Paris No. 5—Era Hunter, Grace Echols. Waco No. 7—Maree Henton, Olga Smith, Mildred Harris.

Tarrant No. 8-Maude Clark, Ella Painter, Elizabeth Schlottman, Bertie Adams.

Keystone No. 9-Auma Lattimore.

Cedar Bayou No. 11-Audrey Fowler.

Alvin No. 15—Nan Wilson. Bowie No. 16—Bessie Borden. Ruth No. 20—Justina Leonard.

Weatherford No. 21—Alta Boley, Cora Bounds,. Vashti No. 32—H. W. Heigh. Kenedy No. 36—Veda Seay, Grace Franklin, Bessie Holchak, Ethel Moore, Myrtle Rogers. Smithville No. 39—Ida Kunath, Nora May Insale. Devine No. 43—Zettie Briscoe.

Quanah No. 47-Jeffie Thompson, Ether Walkup.

- Adah No. 49-Beulah Garner, Ethel Gaven, Alvina Johnson, Zula K. Fricks, Florence Lukenback, Mae Muenster.
- Rotan No. 52-Jennie Brown.

Bastrop No. 64—May Darden. Pampa No. 65—Edna Davis.

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- Big Spring No. 67-Maymie Schwarzenbach.
- Beaumont No. 71-Pearl Terry, Eva G. Lee.
- Troy No. 72-Ariel Thaxton, Sadie Rogers.
- Lubbock No. 76--Ethel Keenum, Irma Pryor, Bertha Ensey.
- Gate City No. 77-W. A. Neef, Olive Neef, Maude Brown, Chick Babb. Winters No. 80—Levie Lee.
- Belle Moone No. 90-Gertrude Craw, Annie Leager, Addie Leach.
- Miami No. 98—Vernie Craig. Mart No. 107—C. E. Russell.
- Brownwood No. 116-Lillian Stalcup, Dollie Glover.
- Corsicana No. 118-Bettie Sue Huff, Caroline Grav.
- Alpine No. 132—Electa Wade. Pleasanton No. 133—Mary Helen Cook, Vera Marlin, Elva B. Jamison, John A. Jamison.
- Ransford No. 135-Georgia Humphries, Netty Woody, Mady King, Marion King, Bertha Hamlink.
- Sanderson No. 136-Sybil Savage. Eldorado No. 140-Ruth Hext.
- Wimodausis No. 141—Dee Westbrook, Harry Isaacs, Laura D. Crooks.
- Luling No. 155-Rosa Munk.
- Prairie Hill No. 159-Pearl McKinney.
- Winnie No. 160-Susie Schoeps, Jewel Shipley.
- Glen Rose No. 171-Dora Ballard,
- Carpenters No. 183-Martha Roberts, Minnie Riggs.
- Bonita No. 184—Nancy Layton. Trinity No. 186—G. S. Murphy.

Greenville No. 189—Nellie Currie. R. A. Terrell No. 194—Pearl McNutt, Lizzie Bond, Willie King, Guy Knipp. Bel Rio No. 204—Eunice Dannelley. Border No. 211—Nellie Alford, Ora McGee, Isabelle Pardon, Sallie Anderson.

- Taft No. 218-Zola B. Crow
- Velasco No. 220-Mary Walling, Ruth Magee, Ruth Brown.
- Canadian No. 227-Frances Jones, Eva Parsell, Ruby Rhea.
- Wichita Falls No. 237-Doris Shields, Frances Roberts, Lilyan Ward, Maud Fore, Myrtle Owen, Estelle Karrenbrack.
- Elgin No. 241—Myrtle Huffman.
- Callahan No. 242-Beulah Helton, Norma Baulch.
- Harmony No. 244-Olivette Denney, Robbie Hanson, Mable Rothman.
- Santa Anna No. 247-Addie Smith.

- Arlington No. 249—Jone Vickery. Midland No. 253—Lulu Wycoff. Houston No. 258—Leona Hemphill, Nettie Wilson, Earl Wilson.
- Port Arthur No. 262—Eura Spence, W. W. Glass, Sr., Clyde Secrest, Minnie Secrest, Gladys Harl, Elliott Harl, Willie Hastings, Mary Green, Eula Goodwin.
- Ballinger No. 266—Rama Saunders. Stamford No. 269—Carrie Pace.
- Floresville No. 271-Lallah Warren, Cora Johns, Louise Murray.
- Shiner No. 272-Lizzie Rogge.
- Brock No. 274-Glynn Doss.
- San Marcos No. 276—Eula Sutherland, Emma Bragg.

- San Minicos 140, 20 Fluid Scott, Lillian Bragg.
  Pearsall No. 278—Ethel Scott, Lillian Brown.
  Yoakum No. 282—Lela Woolsey.
  Regina No. 283—L. E. Tennison, Lizzie Mae Tennison.
  Sealy No. 285—Della Kveton.
  Marlin No. 286—Nettie Phillips.
  Marlin No. 286—Letti Vacanta

- Helena No. 289-Lucille Yeary.

Uvalde No. 297—Fred Spruill, Mary Alice Spruill. Silsbee No. 298—Eula Mae Turrentine.

- Oakcliff No. 303-Julia Sprague, Edna May Kerr, Carrie Keahey, Beatrice Moore.
- Hereford No. 312-Pearl Gass.

Spurger No. 315-Mary Swearington, Sally McInnis.

Summerland No. 322-Clyde Smith, Norene Eckhart.

Columbus No. 324—S. K. Seymour, Jr. Grapevine No. 326—Lela Mae Wiley, D. B. Wiley.

Jeff Davis No. 336-Lura Williams.

Nixon No. 339-Luella McKean.

Marfa No. 344-Ruth Roark.

Center No. 348—O. J. Rushing, Hughes Springs No. 349—Lola Traylor, Geddings No. 350—Ida Kennerly, Sarah No. 353—Lula B. McClendon,

Sarah No. 353—Lula B. McClendon. Corpus Christi No. 354—Marie Shirkey, May Harris, Mittie Starner. Marshall No. 256—Hattie Leeper, Mary Kelley. Lamesa No. 363—Addie Fulkerson, Effie Hodge. Cushing No. 368—Ethel Paine. Templar No. 374—Kenneth Hayden, Margaret Hunter, Oneida Crosthwaite. Hemphill No. 375—Mary Woody Houston. Bay City No. 380—Luther Bunch, Caresea Bunch.

Lufkin No. 382-Maggie Oberpriller.

Shamrock No. 384—Eula Benson. Palestine No. 395—Mattie O'Briant, Henry A. O'Briant, Ella Vanover.

Wells No. 400-Nell Stokes, E. E. Saunders.

Gonzales No. 403---Rose Mary Morrison.

Hondo No. 404-Elsie Timmerman. Mary Pope, Aurelia Crow, Irene Marshall, Nellie Dee Fly.

Stanton No. 409—Leta Eidson. Hedley No. 413—Pearl Mobley.

Sipe Springs No. 416—Sally Hope Jay. Polytechnic No. 420—Mary Ellen Hartman, F. A. Stockton.

Beeville No. 422—Mona Nutt. Vernon No. 424—Bessie Wright. Chico No. 433—Anna Robinson.

Marble Falls No. 435-Edith Lacy, Tennie Corwin.

La Vernia No. 436—Maude Conner. Florence No. 440—Myrtle Atkinson.

London No. 449-Elizabeth Goodman, Menta Jones, O. D. Price, Meta Price, Daisy Waddell.

Woodville No. 462-Ruby Kach, Odessa Lowe, Winnie Matthews, Gladys Pennington.

Center Point No. 463-Mayme Sikes, Leila McBride.

Edinburg No. 473—Ellen A. La Fever. Junction No. 497—Vina Dickerson, Kate Taylor.

Coahoma No. 499-Elizabeth Martin, Florence Read, Hannah Thompson.

Throckmorton No. 500—Zula Morrison, Rena Thompson. Paducah No. 506—Ruth Biddy, Mary Brothers. Crockett No. 509—Libbie McClain.

Sinton No. 515—Esther Higgins. Vega No. 528—Nettie Wiseman.

Decatur No. 543-Bernice Clifton.

Turkey No. 569-John R. Adamson, Sr.

Lott No. 594-Margaret Steen.

Seadrift No. 602-Violet Walker.

Longview No. 610-Adeline Hoeft.

Bexar No. 616—Faye Reinke, Maggie Sheppard, Lola White, Betty Allen. Cuero No. 618—Katie Cheatum.

Pleiades No. 620-Bessie White, Helen Overton, Mildred Warden, Lillie Dawson, Adolph Story, Laura Hudson.

Everman No. 624—Minnie Kelly, Mattie Curtis, Grace Baker. Corrigan No. 631—Mary Kent Walker. Radiant No. 636—Alma Rum, Ethel Albrecht. Harlingen No. 641—Jennie Bennett, Emily Mooradian, Hettie Withers. Loyal No. 648—Ruby Sayer, Bertha Spinks, M. J. Spinks.

George West No. 658—Della Cox. Breckenridge No. 659—Bertha Platt.

South San Antonio No. 691-Anna Mae Williams, Lula M. Durham.

West Columbia No. 705-Ellen Rhodes.

Magnolia No. 706--Icy Lena Dawling.

Bluebonnet No. 717-Fern Dawson, Anna Duncan.

Kountze No. 720-Lelia Shivers.

San Juan No. 726-Sadie Roscoe.

Park Pace No. 731-Ruby Woodward.

Alamo Heights No. 734-Irma Kahn.

Woodbine No. 738-Lois Voelzel, Alvina Mottinger.

Andral Vann No. 741-Georgiana Mason.

Weslaco No. 772—Belle Bellman.

Star No. 782-Ruth Callahan.

Concho No. 822—Clara McDonald. Ocotillo No. 837—Enid B. Stevens. Olton No. 847—B. C. Conncr. Gatesville No. 1005—Lula Holder.

Lake Jackson No. 1009-Lyle Stephenson.

River Oaks No. 1013-Delia Martin.

Laura B. Hart No. 1017-Oza Green.

Ingleside No. 1037-Emma Stewart.

Norma D. Allen No. 1050-Portia L. Patterson.

The Grand Secretary's office finds the membership records one of the most time-consuming demands. It requires hours each week to trace those who believe themselves to be 50-year members. This we are required by law to do, and take pleasure in doing for those who are due such attention. But many Chapters seem to have taken a notion to record each member's previous records along with the current Chapter. One Chapter sent in a list of 75 names and requested a complete run down on the entire membership. Such a task would require two helpers for about two full weeks. There is not sufficient help in this office to do this subordinate Chapter work.

#### GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

The following Texas members were recommended by our Worthy Grand Matron as representatives of other Jurisdiction in Texas. Their appointment commissions have been received and presented.

Alberta	Mrs. Ruth Iones
Colorado	Mrs. Onal Tippen
District of Columbia	Mrs. Eleanor Petri
Iowa	Mrs. Ruth Conring
Massachusetts	
Minnesota	
Missouri	
Montana	Mrs. Helen Smithwick
New Jersey	Mrs. Sarah Finger
New York	Mrs. Helen Ray

Oregon	Mrs. Potsy Sawyer
Pennsylvania	Mrs. Mary Louise Harris
South Carolina	Mrs. Kitty Wallace
South Dakota	Mrs. Ćlara Klein
Tennessee	Mrs. Uva Reuwer
Virginia	

The Worthy Grand Matron appointed the following members to represent Texas in other Jurisdictions. Their commissions, badges, etc. have been prepared and forwarded to their respective Grand Secretaries.

British Columbia Delaware	
Indiana	Mrs. Judy Gaunce
Kentucky	Mrs. Leona Wuest
Massachusetts	Mrs. Beatrice Gebow
Minnesota	Mr. Ray Lundeen
North Dakota	Mrs. Grace Renwick
Nova Scotia	Mrs. Florence MacConnell
Ohio	Mrs. Doretta Brock
Oklahoma	Mrs. Harriet Hamm
Ontario	Mrs. Mary Ross
Puerto Rico	Mrs. Carmen Gonzales
Quebec	Mrs. Elaine Chamberlain
Rhode Island	Mrs. Mildred Stenberg
South Carolina	Mrs. Myrtle Ward

#### FINANCIAL RECORDS

The office has handled the following regular funds, exclusive of all Welfare and Special Committee funds:

Home Fund	\$299,600.38
General	\$146,574.28
Benevolent	\$ 47,366.72
Permanent Endowment	\$148,059.40
Endowment Interest	\$101,692.32
Purl Estate	\$ 3,853.47
	\$ 3,000.11

Included in these figures are maturing stocks and bonds, transfers between funds and some Endowment Funds from Welfare.

The detail record showing origin and disposition of all these funds will be included in Auditor's report for Proceedings. The Proceedings will also designate the securities held by Grand Secretary's office.

The table of all Welfare and Special Funds will be completed at close of the year and appear in the Proceedings.

#### PERMANENT ENDOWMENT

It is especially gratifying to those who handle Grand Chapter's finance that some consideration is being given to the future welfare of our Home. One of the very first moves in regard to the Home made by Grand Chapter, was to set aside \$100,000 as a nucleus for endowment. In some way those of us who followed have strayed from the idea and our general attitude has been "Take care of this year, and let the future look out for itself." We have given several hundred thousand dollars to outside activities, all of them worthwhile, but not Eastern Star activities. Now that we have launched a crusade to increase the endowment let's all give our best effort to it, and follow through to a worthwhile completion.

#### CONCLUSION

This has been a very satisfying year in many respects. I have enjoyed my relationship with the Grand Officers, Boards, Committees, and membership in general. I express my thanks to all who have shown me so many courtesies and considerations.

#### Fraternally submitted,

#### REBECCA L. MILES Grand Secretary

## ANALYSIS OF SECURITIES YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 1970 HELD BY GRAND SECRETARY

### GENERAL FUND

	Account Number	Type of Account	Interest %	Value 10-31-70
Haltom City State Bank	551	C of D	5.000	\$ 15,000.00
First Federal Savings & Loan-				
Corpus Christi	5087	C of D	5.250	10,652.19
Abilene Savings & Loan	36809	Savings	5.000	14,998.62
San Angelo Savings & Loan	10409	C of C	5.250	10,627.62
Gonzales County Savings & Loan	1396	C of D	5.250	10,000.00
Security Fed. Savings & Loan-Pampa	4012143	C of D	5.250	10,000.00
Fort Worth National Bank	023135	Savings	4.500	15,353.01
First Fed. Savings & Loan-Beaumont	520792	C of D	5.250	10,656.42
Citizens National Bank-Brownwood	027847	Savings	4.500	13,295.69
First Federal Savings & Loan—				
New Braunfels	B22383	C of D	5.250	10,652.23
First National Bank-Dallas	1019454	Savings	4.500	5,621.34
Bank of the Southwest-Houston	114756	Savings	4.500	3,218.41
Corsicana Savings & Loan	274	C of D	5.250	15,000.00
Mutual Savings & Loan-Austin	05262	C of D	5.250	10,653.87

#### HOME FUND SAVINGS

	Account Number	Type of Account	Interest %	<b>Value</b> 10-31-70
First Fed. Savings & Loan-Greenville	260699	C of D	5.250	\$ 10,000.00
Security Fed. Savings & Loan-Amarillo	3011518	C of D	5.250	15,000.00
American Savings & Loan-Grand Prairie	524778	Savings		
First Federal Savings & Loan-Amarillo	24907	Savings	5.000	171.24
Southwestern Savings & Loan-Houston	30127304	Savings	5.000	11,613.89
Mutual Savings & Loan—Arlington	38571	Savings	5.000	11,534.84
Tarrant Savings & Loan-Fort Worth	92362	C of D	5,250	16,014.64
Equitable Savings & Loan-Fort Worth	3711323	Savings	5.000	12,597.14
Guaranty Savings & Loan-Galveston	63334	C of D	5.250	10,000.00
Pasadena Savings & Loan	9698	Savings		-

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Metropolitan Savings & Loan—Dallas	43529	C of D	5.250	10,630.30
	607758	CofD	5.250	10,000.00
Travis Savings & Loan—San Antonio	10070	Savings	×	
American Savings & Loan-Houston	12152	Savings	5.000	2,595.11
First Federal Savings & Loan—Lubbock	28357	Savings	5.000	11,877.95
First National Bank—San Antonio 1	.428934	<ul> <li>Savings</li> </ul>		
Citizens of Texas Savings & Loan-				
Baytown	3775	Savings		
Austin Savings & Loan	30200	Savings	5.250	10,000.00
Brownsville Savings & Loan:	23246	Savings		
Bank of the Southwest—Houston	18221	Savings		
Oak Cliff Savings & Loan-Dallas400	015063	C of D	5.250	10,653.33
United Savings & Loan-Corpus Christi	3088	C of D	5.250	15,196.88
Sabine Valley Savings & Loan-Center		Savings		10,000.00
Port Arthur Savings & Loan	452	C of D	5.250	10,000.00
Odessa Savings & Loan (Purl Estate)	11072	Savings	5,000	19,622,48
Mutual Savings & Loan-				-
El Paso (Purl Estate)	1351	Savings	5.000	18,621.92
Denton Federal Savings & Loan 1	109014	Savings		-
City National Bank—Wichita Falls	A2169	Savings		
Mercantile National Bank—Dallas	16912	Savings		
Texas Bank & Trust—Dallas				
American Savings & Loan-				
Grand Prairie (Hospital)	27603	Savings		16,665.74
Harris County Savings—	2.000	5012085		20,000.12
Baytown (Welfare)	19543	Savings		35,988.97
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Total—Home Fund				\$268 784 43
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### HOME FUND INVESTMENTS

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	nterest %	Maturity Date	Total
Federal National Mortgage Association	8.10	12-10-70	\$ 5,000 <sup>.</sup>
Federal Intermediate Credit Banks	7.50	1- 4-71	55,000
Federal Home Loan Banks	7.95	8-25-75	60,000
U. S. Treasury Bonds-Series H.		12-15-78	3,000

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## HOME FUND CORPORATE STOCKS

	Type	Shares	Value 10-31-70
Texas Electric Service Company	\$4.56 Preferred	5	\$23.00
BENEVOLENT FU	IND SAVINGS		
	ccount Type of umber Account	Interest %	Balance 10–31–70

	Number	Account	%	10-31-70
Federal Savings & Loan-Marshall	7676	Savings	5.000	\$11,190.98 <sup>,</sup>
First National Bank—Hurst	2531	C of D	5.750	11,221.53
Republic National Bank—Dallas	75627	Savings		14,991.48
Midland National Bank	1040103	Savings	4.500	11,500.43
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Total—Benevolent Savings Fund				\$48,904,42

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### BENEVOLENT FUND INVESTMENTS

	Interest %		ate	Total
Federal Land Bank	5,70	2-	-72	\$13,000

## EDUCATIONAL FUND SAVINGS

	Account	Type of	Interest	Value
	Number	Account	%	10-31-70
American National Bank—Austin	1870016	Savings	4.500	\$13,333.40

### EDUCATIONAL FUND INVESTMENTS

		Maturity Date	Total
U. S. Treasury bonds	4.25	5-15-74	\$10,000
U. S. Treasury notes	6.00	5 - 15 - 75	2,000

## FANNIE V. WARD FUND

	Type of Account	Interest %	Balance 10-31-70
Graham Federal Savings & Loan	C of D		\$4,050.00
Texas Bank & Trust-Sweetwater	Savings	4.500	4,221.91
Texas Bank & Trust—Certificate of Deposit			

Int	% terest	Date Maturity	Total
U. S. Treasury bonds	4.25	5-15-74 .	\$ 1,000.00
U. S. Treasury notes	6,00	5-15-75	1,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds-Series H.		9- 4-76	1,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds-Series H.		9-19-77	2,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds	3.25	1978	17,000.00
Federal Home Loan Banks	8.00	11 - 25 - 74	5,000.00

#### Total ......\$35,271.91

### ENDOWMENT FUND INVESTMENTS

## Federal Government

]	nterest	Maturity	
	%	Date	Total
Federal Home Loan Banks	8.00	2-25-71	\$ 5,000.00
Federal Home Loan Banks	6.60	2 - 25 - 71	15,000.00
Federal Home Loan Banks	7.25	4 - 26 - 71	25,000.00
Federal National Mortgage Association	8.60	7-12-71	30,000.00
Federal National Mortgage Association	8.45	10-12-71	10,000.00
Federal National Mortgage Association	6.85	11-10-71	10,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds	3.875	11-15-71	12,000.00
Federal Land Bank	5.70	272	39,000.00
Federal National Mortgage Association	8.70	3-10-72	25,000.00
Federal Home Loan Banks	8.35	2 - 26 - 73	10,000.00
Federal Intermediate Credit Banks	7.75	7- 2-73	30,000.00

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Federal Land Bank	8.45	7-20-73	26,000.00
Federal Land Bank	7.95	7-22-73	55,000.00
U. S. Treasury notes	8.125	8-15-73	10,000.00
Federal Land Bank		10-22-73	20,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds		2 - 15 - 74	10,000.00
Federal National Mortgage Association		3-11-74	70,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds	4.25	5 - 15 - 74	23,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds	4.25	6-15-74	5,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds		11-15-74	23,000.00
Federal Land Bank	8.375	1 - 20 - 75	16,000.00
U. S. Treasury notes	6.00	5-15-75	10,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds	4.25	5-15-75	65,000.00
U. S. Treasury notes		5-15-76	23,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds	3.25	1978.	1,000.00
U. S. Treasury bonds	4.00	2-15-80	88,000.00

\$656,000.00

## Savings and Loans

	Type Shares	Interest %	Value 10-31-70
Graham Federal Savings & Loan		5.750	\$10,000.00
Jacksonville Savings & Loan	C of D	5.250	10,000.00
Jacksonville Savings & Loan	Savings	5.000	4,503.18
First Federal Savings & Loan-Austin	Savings	,	
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Total—Home Endowment Fund			\$24,503.18

# Corporate Bonds

	Type Shares	Shares	Value 10-31-70
American Telephone and Telegraph Company	Common	60	\$ 4,020.00
Browning-Ferris Machinery Company	Preferred	300	3,000.00
General Mills, Inc.	Common	59	1,600.00
Mobil Oil Company	Common	68	2,988.00
Rio Grande Savings & Loan	Common	27	2,700.00

\$14,308.00

## TABLE OF GIFTS FROM CHAPTERS, 1969-1970

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32* V		O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
	ashti		546.00			546.00	34.20		18.00			598.20
	ulia		107.00			107.00	/ 12.70		14.00			133.70
	'exas	41.00	264.00	5.00		310.00	28.70					338,70
	enedy	50.00	3.88			53,88						53,88
87 PJ	lainview				······					••••••		
	emond		50.00		•••••	50.00		•••••				50.00
1	mithville	63,50	77.19	••••••	·····	140.69	•••••				•••••	140.69
	owa Park			•••••					13.00			13.00
	Devine	15.00	198.00		······	213.00	17.30		13.00		••••••	243,30
44 Pı	rudence	•••••	10.00	•••••	•••••	10.00			•••••		•••••	10.00
46 T	hornton	10.00				10.00			3.00		••••••	13.00
47 Q	uanah	20.00	58.00			78.00			10,00		•••••	88,00
	ertram	3.34	8.33	8.83		10.00					•••••	10.00
49* A	.dah		876.87	6.00	•	882.87	53.97		18.00			954.84
51* Re	ocksprings	86.00				86.00	•••••					86.00
52 Re	.otan		10.00	•		10.00			13.00			23,00
54* A:	ngleton		211,00			211.00	16,80		11.00		5.00	243.80
57 M	lexia	16.20	20.00			36.20	16.20		1.00	•••••		53.40
58 C	olorado	57.00				57.00				•••••		57.00
·61 A	lice		10.00			10.00		••••••	12.00			22.00
62 N	locona	5.00	5.00	5.00		15.00	11.00		•••••		••••••	26.00
	astrop	10.00	10.00	10.00		30.00	,			•••••		30.00
65* Pa	ampa		283.00			283.00	28.10	•	52.00		•••••	363.10
66 M	latador	15.00	•••••			15.00					•••••	15.00
67* Bi	ig Spring	390.00	•••••	•••••		890.00	37.70		15.00			442.70

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	BSTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Cluristmas	Total
69 <b>°</b>	Stockdale	92,50	17.38			109.88						109.88
70	Itasca		15.00	5.00		20.00			12.00	••••••	•••••	82.00
71	Beaumont	10.00	130.75	18.00		158.75	47.60			•••••		206.35
72	Troy	7.50	5.00			12.50		••••••			••••••	12.50
73*		52.00	10.00			62,00						62.00
			20,000							•••••		
74*		97.00			·····	97.00			14.00			111.00
75°		98,50	31.50			130.00						130.00
76*		513.00	25.00	20.00	••••••	558.00						558.00
77	Gate City	71.00		45.00		116.00	48.80		24.00		•••••	188.80
79	Rusk	•••••	5.00	••••••		5.00	17.30			••••••	••••••	22,30
80	Winters		20,00			20.00						20.00
81	Pecos	57.50		12.50		70.00	17.20		16.00			103.20
82	Caddo Mills		5.00			5.00						5.00
84	Petrolia	5.00				5.00			17.00			22.00
86	Laredo	139,00	13.00			152.60	•••••		25.00			177.60
87							7 00					
90¢	Normangee	283.00	50.00			333.00	7.20		 ۲ ۵۵		••••••	7.20
90*		283.00 87.00	40.00	25.00		152.00	83.30	•••••	5.00	••••••	••••••	371.80
93* 96	Frisco		40.00 15.00			152.00	•••••		•••••		•••••	$152.00 \\ 15.00$
90 97	Wortham	10.00		••••••		10.00	5.50	•• •••••	•••••		•••••	
97	valley wills	10.00				10.00	5.50	•• •••••	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••		••••••	15.50
98	Miami		14.00	••••••		14.00			25.00		••••••	39,00
101	Childress		25.00	5.00		30.00			1.00		••••••	31.00
102	Tenn. Colony		25.00	•••••		25.00	12.00					37.00
104	Claude	15.00		•••••		15.00				<i></i>		15.00
105	Canyon		15.00	•••••		15.00			10.00			25.00

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Tæmple	Christmas	Total
106*	Runge	5.00	58.88			63.88						63,8
1.09	Mart	30.00	25.00			55.00					20.00	75.0
112	Tyler	15.00	10.00			25,00				•••••	••••••	25.0
113	Fredericksburg	35.00	5.00		<i>.</i>	40.00	9.10					49.1
116	Brownwood		136.00		••••••	136.00	32.90		39.00			207.9
118	Corsicana		25.00			25,00						25.0
119	Knox City	25.00				25.00	12.90					37,9
120°	Grapeland		103.00			103.00						103.0
124*	Hope	150.75	35.15	20.10		206.00			10.00		•••••	216.0
125	Palacios		10.45			10.45					••••••	10.4
127	Lipan	2.00				2.00	8.50					10.5
180	Byers	5.00				5,00		•••••				5.0
131	Joshua		10.00			10.00						10.0
132	Alpine		·····				12.80		•••••			12.8
133	Pleasanton		90.00			90,00	15.20	•••••		•••••		105.2
135*	Ransford		1,005.00	2.00		1,007.00	54.70	•••••	37.00	40.00	10.00	1,148.7
136	Sanderson	22,00				22.00			7.00			29.0
140°	Eldorado	92,00				92.00	•••••				•••••	92.0
141	Wimodausis	94.00	. 2.00			96.00	28.10		15.00		•••••	139.1
148*	Garden City	25,00	11.00	10.00	•••••	46.00	4.60				5.00	55.6
144	Brenham											
146*	Falfurrias		129.00			129.00	12.60		12.00			153.6
151*	Atlanta			229.00	••••••	229.00	22.90					251.9
153	Temple	32.00	128.00	,		160.00			32.00			192.0
154	Sierra Blanca	•••••			·····		6.20		•••••		5.00	11.2

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	, Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
155*	Luling	81.00	77.00			158.00			80.00			188,00
156*		22.50	453.50			476.00						476.00
157	Buffalo	5.00	5.00	5.00		15.00				•••••		15.00
158*	Violet	50.00	53,88	143.00		246.88			31.00			277.88
159	Prairie Hill										•••••	
160	Winnie	5,00	28.00			33.00	16.00		12.00			61.00
161	Perryton		15.00			15.00					•••••	15.00
162*	Aransas Pass	75.75	75.75	75,50		227.00			33.00		•••••	260.00
164	Spur		6,00	•••••		6.00		•••••				6.00
167*	Brady	154.00	•••••			154.00	15.40		19.00		••••••	188.40
169*				121.00		121.00	12.00			:		138.00
170	Quinlan			•••••	•••••	17 00		•••••	•••••			
171	Glen Rose	10.00	5,00	•••••	•••••	15.00	•••••	•••••	•••••	••••••		15.00
173	Saltillo		•••••	·····	••••••		•••••			•••••	••••••	
176*	Rankin	94.00	•••••	•••••		94.00			1.00			95.00
177*	Athens	55.00	110.00			165.00						165.00
183	Carpenters		25.00			25.00						25.00
184	Bonita	103.00		·····	·	103.00			27.00			130.00
185	Tenaha	10.00				10.00						10.00
186*	Trinity		101.00			101.00	9,10		12.00	•••••	·····	122.10
187*	Robt. Lee	70.00	5.00			75.00	7.50					82.50
188*	Hadassah	134.00		10.00		144.00		•••••	11.00			155,00
189	Greenville	20.00	10.00		67.00	97.00			14.00			111.00
191*	San Saba		102.00	10.00		112.00		•••••	3.00	•••••		115.00
192	Garrison	13.50	•••••			13.50			•••••			18.50

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Fund Endowment	BSTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
193	Madisonville	25.00		15.00		40,00	14.70					54.70
194	R. A. Terrell	71.00				71.00	16.70					87.70
200	Boerne		5.00			5.00	18.50		4.00			27.50
203	West		82.50		•••••••	32.50		•••••				32.50
204*	Del Rio	85.00	146.00			231.00	·······	·····	1.00		••••••	232.00
206	Post						10.60		·····		·····	10.60
208*	Commerce	191.00	5.00			196.00	19.10		25.00			240,10
210*		141.00				141.00			28.00			169.00
211	Border		7.00			7.00		•••••	1.00			8.00
212°	Merkel	41.06	41.00	41.00	,	123.00	12.30					135.30
214	Orange		63.00			63.00	81,90		19.00			113.90
215*	Hamilton	125.00				125.00	- 11.20				10.00	146.20
216	Llano		15.00			15.00			3.00		25.00	48.00
218	Taft	15.00				15.00			10.00	·····		25,00
219*	Grand Prairie	7.06	483.00	10.00		450.00	43.90			٠	10.00	503.90
220*	Velasco		275.00			275,00	21,50		22.00			318,50
222*	Bryan	5.00	209.00			214.00	21.40		•••••			235.40
224	Newton		9.50			9.50	8.60					18.10
227	Canadian		17.50	•••••	•••••	17.50	11.30		1.00			29.80
228	Montgomery	10.00			·····	10.00		•••••		2.00		12.00
230*	Fort Stockton	32.50	37.50	100.00		170.00	16.50		7.00			193.50
283	Dayton		25.00			25,00		•••••	23.00	•••••	••••••	48.00
234	Midlothian				•••••	·····		•••••			•••••	
237	Wichita Falls	25.00		••••	•••••	· 25.00	•••••	••••••	41.00			66.00
288	Wellington		25.00		<i>,</i>	25.00	9.50		•••••		•••••	84.50

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No.	S amo Chapter 원 O프	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
239	McLean										
240*	Huntsville			·····	331.40	20.90		33.00	·····		385.80
241	Elgin 55.0		•••••	·····	65.00			21.00			86.00
242	Callahan 5.0				5.00	•••••	•••••			·····	5.00
244	Harmony	74.00	·····		74.00	25.90		5.00	•••••	••••••	104.90
245*	Somerville 55.00				55.00					5,00	60.00
246	Sulphur Bluff 10.00	0			10.00						10.00
247	Santa Anna 10.00	)			10.00	7.90		13.00			80.90
249*	Arlington 481.00	0 10.00	2.00		493.00	48.30		27.00		5.00	573,30
250	Eagle Pass 5.00	0 10.00	5.00		20.00		•••••				20.00
251	Mertzon				37.00	7.20					44.20
252	Avery						•••••			•••••	····
253*	Midland 229.00		100.00	••••••	329.00	32,00		30.00	•••••	••••••	391.00
255°	Indian Creek			••••••	45.00		•••••				45.00
257	John Gillespie	. 59,18	•••••		59.18	11.60			•••••	•••••	70.78
258*	Houston Heights 8.00	0 745.50	100.00		853.50	73.00		62.00			988.50
259	Denton	. 50.00			50.00	••••••					50.00
261°	Crosby 207.00	)			207.00	20.40		•••••			227.40
262	Port Arthur 43.00	206.50		25,00	274.50			4.00			278,50
263	Kirbyville	. 29.50			29.50	••••••					29,50
264*	Richland Spgs	. 70.00			70.00	•••••					70,00
266	Ballinger 16.00				31.00	10.30					41.30
269	Stamford	. 30.00			80.00			•••••		~~~~~	30.00
270	Santo 5.00	)			5.00	•••••					5.00
271*	Floresville		34,06		112.00		·····				112.00

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272 273	Shiner				10.45 13.32	4.20					14.65 13.32
274 275* 276*	Brock Ranger San Marcos	112,00		·····	112.00 139.00	13.90			······	5.00	117.00 152.90
277 278* 280	Rising Star Pearsall 120.00 Eastland 6.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	5.00 	······	5.00 120.00 12.00	12,20	······	6.00 10.00	•••••••	, 	5.00 138.20 22.00
282* 283*	Yoakum Regina		10.00		203.88 182.00	12.40	·····	•••••	••••••	······	203.88 144.40
284 285* 286 287* 289	Spanish Fort         2.50           Sealy	100.00  65.00	2.50		20.00 100.00 10.00 75.00 8.88	8.10 13.10 	······	15.00	······	······	20.00 123.10 23.10 75.00 15.48
290 291 293* 295 297*	Grand Saline Jasper	2.00 91.50 			2.00 91.50 38.00 10.00 155.00	16.20		17.00  14.00 13.00	······		2.00 108.50 38.00 40.20 178.00
298* 300 303 304*	Silsbee	18,00	······································	······	300.00 5.00 18.00 717.00	76.60 27,10		 101.00 1.00		······	$\begin{array}{c} 800.00\ 5.00\ 195.60\ 745.10\end{array}$
305	Mt. Pleasant									••••••	

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
308*	Clyde	3.00	66.00			69.00						69.00
	Navasota		89.00			89.00	7.30		16.00			112.30
810	Comanche		4.00			4.00						4.00
311*		25.00	32,00	25.00		82.00	8.20		3.00			93,20
312*		20.00	144.00	34,00		198.00			51.00			249.00
315	Spurger		19,50			19.50						
316*		87.00		•••••		87.00	8.80	•••••	18.00	•*••••	••••••	19.50
317*	Augusta		67.00		•••••	67.00				•••••		$113.80 \\ 67.00$
320	Nash		10.00	10.00		20.00	7.00			••••••	••••••	27.00
321*			. 90.00			90.00						90.00
822	~	5.00	5.00	•		10.00	7.90				5.00	
824*			175.45			175.45		•••••		•••••		22.90 175.45
325*		233.00	25.00	•••••		258.00	26.20		••••••			284.20
326*	0		209.00			209.00	20.90		15.00	•••••••		204.20
331	Fairfield	15.00				15.00						15.00
335	Lvtle	10.00	96.50			106,50	14.00		19.00			
335 336	Jeff Davis	20.75				20.75				••••••	••••••	139.50
337	Bronson		8,20			8,20				•••••••	•••••	20.75 8.20
839	Nixon	4.00	31,88		3.00	38.88		•••••	•••••	••••••	•••••	38.88
843	Rio Vista	25.00				25,00			1.00	•••••		26.00
									2100	••••••		*
344	Marfa		••••••		••••••••		···········	•••••		••••••	10.00	10.00
346	Bridgeport	$25.00 \\ 20.00$	16.00	5.00	•••••	30.00 36.00	13,50	•••••	13,70		•••••	57.20
347 348*	Stinnett Center	20.00		*****	•••••	36.00	•••••		•••••		••••••	36.00
348* 349*	Center		139.00	•••••		139.00				*******	••••••	379.00
049-	Trigues optimes		100.00			100.00	••••••				*******	139.00

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350*	Giddings	85.00	15.00	7.00		57,00						57.00
351	Memphis	50.00				50.00	13.70			•••••		63.70
352	Sweetwater						17.00		28.00			45.00
353°	Sarah	82.00	25.00			107.00	10.70					117.70
354°	Corpus Christi	10.50	463.00			473.50	45.30		54.00	••••••		572.80
355*	Gilmer	66.00	100.00			166.00	16.20		6.00			188.20
356*	Marshall		302.53			302.53			50.00			352,53
358	Dunn					•••••						
360	Coleman	10.00				10.00	12,10		13.00			35.10
361	Strawn		••••••	••••••								
363	Lamesa	64.00				64.00	20.50					84.50
366	Wills Point		2.00			2.00			14.00			16.00
368	Cushing	15.00	•••••	•••••		15.00	5.60				5.00	25.60
373*	Port Lavaca	176.00	3.88			179.88						179.88
374*	Templar	148.00	659.00		•••••	807.00	77.70		64.00		•••••	948.70
375	Hemphill	12.50		12.50		25.00					••••••	25.00
376*	Johnson City	35,00	33.00	33.00		101.00	10.10				•••••	111.10
377	Jacksonville	10.00	25.00			85.00	22.40					57.40
380*	Bay City		242.95			242,95	27.30					270.25
381	Petersburg		••••••		•••••						•••••	
882*	Lufkin	73.00	200.50	51,00		324.50	32.10	••••••	25.00	••••••	5.00	386.60
883	Fidelity		38.50			38.50	<b>33.60</b>		20.00		•••••	92,10
384	Shamrock		. 15.00	10.00		25.00			15.00	••••••		40.00
885*	Houston	20.00	176.00	350.00		546.00			75.00		10.00	631.00
387	Eden		15.00	10.00		25.00	••••••			••••••		25.00

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellancous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	• Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
389*	Wharton	54.55	64.95	54.50		174.00	17.40					191.40
390	Jacksboro	10.00				10.00	·					10.00
391	Paint Rock	2.00	5.00			7.00			5.00			12.00
392	Richland		5.00			5.00	4.40	••••••••		·····		9.40
395	Palestine		58.50		•••••	58.50	40.30				ŕ <b></b>	98.80
396	Timpson		10.00			10.00		•••••				10.00
398	Meridian		10.00			10.00			·		.,	10.00
399	Sunshine	107.75	63.75	10.50		182.00	83.40		27.00	2.00		244.40
400	Wells											
401*	Walnut Springs	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	53.00	•••••		53.00		•••••	12.00			65.00
403 <b>*</b>	Gonzales	58.00	53.88	8.00		119.88	11.30					131.18
404	Hondo		10.00			10,00	11.80				•••••	21,80
407	Sabinal		6.00			6.00			6.00			12.00
$408 \cdot$	Teague		•••••									
409	Stanton	5.00			•••••	5.00		·····ž	4.00	••••		9.00
413	Hedley			5.00		5.00	•					5.00
415	Humble								4.00			4.00
416	Sipe Springs		3.20			3.20						3.20
419	Hico	22.00				22.00						22,00
420	Polytechnic	312.00	200.00	200.00		712.00			18.00			730.00
421	Troup	•••••	10.00	10.00		20.00						20.00
422*	Beeville	150.00	44.90			194.90			1.00			195.90
424*	Vernon	103.00	31.50	31,50		166.00	16.70		50.00	18.00		250.70
425	Burnet		10.00			10,00	14.50		6.00			30.50
427	McGregor	25.00	15.00		10.00	50.00						50.00

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428	Nacogdoches	5.00				5.00	21.70					26.70
429*	Rosenburg	17.00	283.00			300.00	30.00		1.00			331.00
431	Burleson		10.00			10.00	13.30		1.00	6.00		30.30
433*	Chico	58.50	58.50	••••		117.00	10.40		•••••			127.40
435*	Marble Falls	186.00	10.00			146.00	10.60	·····	15.00			171.60
436*	La Vernia	25.00	23,88	15.00		63,88	6.00		8,00			77.88
437*	Lockney	54.00	54.00			108.00						108.00
440	Florence		20,00			20.00			••••••			20.00
441	Lake Creek		5.00	•••••		5.00						5.00
448	Gorman			••••••	•••••			•••••	••••••	••••••		•••••
447*	Odessa	227.00		227.00		454.00			83.00		•••••	537.00
448	Smiley		13.88	5.00		18.88						18.88
449	London	······································	5,00			5.00		•••••				5.00
450	Snyder		54.67	4.30		58.97			•••••		••••••	58.97
452*	Bishop		78.00	•••••		78.00			21.00			99.00
453	Buda					•••••			5.00	••••••	••••••	5.00.
454	Mineola		2.00			2.00						2.00
455	Cross Plains		•••••				8.50					8.50
458	Iola	8.00	3.00	4.00		10.00	6.80					16.80
460	Hamlin		15.00			15.00	••••••		•••••		••••••	15.00
461	Cisco	20.00	50.00			70.00		•	•••••			70.00
462°	Woodville		168.00			168.00	16.80		36.00	4.00 .	31.66	256,46
463	Center Point	20.00	5.00		·····	25.00	7.00					32.00
465*	Cleveland	60.00	50,00	50.00	•••••	160.00			15.00			175.00
467	Bangs		5.00			5.00			17.00		••••••	22.00

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468	Utopia	25.00				25.00						25.00
472°	Travis	418.00				418.00					10.00	428.00
47,3*	Edinburg	6.00	162.00	25.00		193.00	19.10		16.00	••••		228.10
474	Henrietta			15.00		15.00						15.00
478	Avinger			•••••••			•••••					
479*	Rockport	17.00	90.00			107.00		•••••	7.00		•••••	114.00
483	Eagle Lake	5.00	10.45			15.45						15.45
484	La Grange						8.20	· · · · · · · · · · · · ·	•••••			8.20
488	Seymour	15.00			·····	15.00	14.10		10.00			39.10
490*	Killeen	·····	329.00			329.00			22.00			351,00
491	Annona			•••••	•••••	•••••		<i>.</i>				
493	Douglassville			•••••	•••••		3.40	•••••	•••••	•••••	•••••	8.40
494	Hylton	10.00		•••••		10.00		•••••	•••••	•••••	••••••	10.00
496	Alto		2.00		·••••	2.00	•••••		*********			2.00
497	Junction	5.00	5.00	•••••	•••••	10.00	•••••	••••••	•••••		•••••	10.00
498*	Springtown	106.00	5.00			111.00	10.00		1.00			122.00
499*	Coahoma	114.00				114.00	11.40					125.40
500°	Throckmorton	55.00				55.00	5.50	•••••	1.00			61.50
502	Roscoe	•••••					,,,		·····			•••••••••••
506	Paducah		•••••	•••••		·····	10.90					10.90
508°		63.82		31.68		95.00	••••••			••••••		95.00
509°	Crockett		529.00	•••••		529.00		••••••			••••••	529.00
510	Hempstead		86.00	•••••		86.00	8.60		•••••	8.00	•••••	97.60
512	Desdemona	5.00		••••••		5.00	4.00	•••••	•••••	•••••		9.00
514	Van Horn	7.00		•••••••••		7.00					•••••	7.00

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515*	Sinton	25.00	25.00	68.00		118.00	10.60		12.00			140.60
518*	McKinney	155.00				155.00	15.50		29.00	,		199.50
521	Oakville		•••••				••••••	•••••		•••••	•••••	
527	Mission		28.00	••••••	•••••	28.00		•••••	•••••		••••••	28.00
528*	Vega	•••••	74.00	•••••		74.00	•••••		15.00	·····	·····	89.00
$530 \\ 531$	Granbury North Zulch		10.00			10.00	••••••	••••••		••••••	•••••	10.00
585	El Campo	45.00	40.45	25.00	10.00	120.45				•••••	•••••	120.45
539	Electra	5.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	15.00		•••••	9.00	••••••	•••••	24.00
540	Robstown	18.00				18.00			4.00	·····	•••••	22.00
543	Decatur	25.00				25.00	12.60		25.00			62.60
553	Cameron		10.00		••••	10.00	11.40			••••••		21.40
554	Mobeetie		7.50	•••••		7.50		•••••		•••••	•••••	7.50
555*	•		207.00	49.00	•••••	256.00	18.50		23.00			297.50
557*	Forney	99.00	20.00	••••••		119.00	•••••		37.00		•••••	156.00
560	Bardwell	5.00				5.00	·····					5.00
561	Monahans	169.50	48.00	10.00		227.50			24.00			251.50
562°	~~~	128.60	•••••		5.00	183,60		·····	24.00			157.60
.563	Calvert			•••••				•••••				
565°	San Benito	77.65	60.00	50.48	••••••	188.13	16.20		6.00	2.00	•·····	212.33
569	Turkey		16.00			16.00	5.90		•••••			21.90
574°	Dal-Cliff	•••••	669.25		5.00	674.25	64.40		30.00	•••••	5.00	773.65
575*		100.00	•••••	•••••		100.00		••••••				· 100.00
576	Linden		•••••			•••••	10.30			•••••		10.30
578	Taylor	10.00	15.00	10.00	10.00	45.00	11.80	•••••	8,00			64.80

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	, Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
579*	Toyah	37.00	29.00			66,00						.66.00
581*		98.00	- 20.00	•••••		118.00	11.60	••••••••	•••••		•••••	129.60
583*		43.00	3,88	••••••		46.88	4.20			••••••		51.08
585	<b>01</b> • •			•••••	••••••					••••••	5,00	5.00
589		18,00	16.00	16.00	••••••	50.00		•••••	•••••	•••••		50.00
209	Belton	10.00	10.00	10.00		30.00	••••••		•••••	••••••		50.00
591	Moran	5.00	<i>.</i>	•••••		5.00	6.80		1.00		2.50	15.30
594	Lott	25.00		•••••		25.00	6.90					31.90
595	Mt. Sylvan		5.00	·····	•••••	5.00						5.00
597	Henderson		28.53	•••••		28,53				••••••••		28.53
599	Waxahachie	7.50		7.50		15.00	17.00	•••••				82.00
602	C Juith	6.00	8.88			14.88			7.00			21.88
	Seadrift		10.00	••••••		10.00		•••••	1.00		•••••	
604	Mertens			•••••		333.00			0100	•••••	•••••	10.00
607*	Creedmoor	888.00	0 50	0.0.00	0.00	90.53	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	•••••	34.00	·····	•••••	867.00
610	Longview	43.00	9.53	30.00	8.00	90.53		••••	15.00	••••••	••••••	105.53
611	Bellville	•••••	•••••	••••••		•••••••	10.00		14.00	••••••		24.00
616°	Bexar	12.00	297.50	25.00		334.50	24,90			2.00		361.40
617	Handley	69.00		******		69.00	39.20		60,00			168.20
618 <b>*</b>	Cuero		90.88		4.00	94.88	8.30					103.18
620*		398.00	4.00			397.00			21.00		10.00	428.00
621*		179.00				179.00	17.90		13.00			209,90
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624	Everman	50.00		•••••		50.00	21.70		56.00	••••	•••••	127.70
626*	Texas City		196.00	••••••		196.00	•••••		37.00	••••••		233.00
627*	Jefferson	106.00	4.13	••••••		110.13			•••••		•••••	110.13
629*	Mercedes	35.00	49.00			84.00	8.40	······			•••••	92.40
630	Kilgore	71.00	84.53	2.00	109.00	271.53	•••••		1.00			272.53

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631*	Corrigan		121.00			121.00			20.00			141.00
634*	Liberty	74.00	74,00			148.00	14.80		23.00			185.80
636*	Radiant		1,016.50			1,016.50	27.30		10.00	•••••		1,053.80
638	Warren		9.50			9.50						9.50
639	McLennan	25.00				25.00			27.00	•••••••	•••••	52.00
640*	Texline		85.00			85.00					16.00	101.00
641*	Harlingen	10.00	. 282.00			292.00	28.40		10.00		•••••	330,40
642	Royse City		10.00	15.00		25.00	8.00			••••••		38.00
643	Bandera	7.00	5.00			12.00					•••••	12.00
644	Donna			••••	•••••	•••••	9.80			•••••	•••••	9,80
647*	Schulenburg	5.00	52.00			57.00						57.00
648*		500.00	530.00			1,030.00			147.00			1,177.00
649*	Anahuac		199.50			199.50	17.40		12.00			228.90
651	North Side		241.80			241.80	42.50		32.00	10.00	•••••	326.30
652*	Brookshire	60.00	60.00			120.00				·····		120.00
653	Dumas		25.00			25,00					••••••	25.00
655	Burkburnett	100.00		9.50		109.50	20.90		18.00			148.40
656	Alvarado		25.00			25.00						25.00
658*	George West		65.00			65.00	•••••			•••••		65.00
659	Breckenridge	25.00		•••••		25.00				••••••	•••••	25.00
662	Clarksville											•••••
664	Army						24.70		24.00	41.50		90,20
665*		74.00	77.00	72,00		223.00	21.60	••••••	26.00	••••••		270.60
667	Canton		2.00		15.00	17.00	••••					17.00
668	Graham	15.06	·····	•••••		15.00			1.00		•••••	16.00

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669 <b>°</b>	Rothwell	35.00	565.00	115.00		715.00	37,90		41.00	18.00		811.90
672*	Miles	23.50	\$1.50			55.00	4.50				16.00	75.50
673	Southside		135.00			135.00	45.30		36.00			216.30
674	Collinsville		·····			••••••	•••••		•••••	•••••		
675	Pine Hill	5.00	8.32	,		13.32					•••••	13.32
677	Port Neches	75.00	9.50			84.50	27.00		29,00			140.50
678*	Woodsboro	148.00			•	148.00			25.00		••••••	173.00
679	Woodson	10.00				10.00					•••••	10.00
681	Fort Worth	20.00	200.00			220.00	100.00		57.00		5.00	382,00
683*	La Porte	227.50				227.50	•••••		43.00	6.00	•••••	276.50
684	North Fort Worth		149.00			149.00			16.00			165.00
685	Kemp			•••••			•••••		••••••	••••••	•••••	
686	Austwell		3.88			3.88		•••••			•••••	3.88
687*	Farmers Branch	20.00	262,00		•••••	282.00	25.30		13.00	8.00		328.30
691*	South San Antonio.	86.20	206.70	9.00		301.90	30.50	•••••	72.00			404.40
692*	Edna	83.00	57.00			140.00	11.30					151.30
693	De Leon		5,00			5.00			1.00		••••	6.00
694	Rosebud	10.00				10.00						10.00
695	Quitman	28.00	2.00			30.00			······			30.00
696°	Woodland	138.00		400.00		588.00	38.00		2,00			578.00
697	Seagoville					,					······	
698	Eliasville	15.00				15.00						15.00
700	New Boston						16.00					16.00
701*	Rose Croix	85.00	81.00			166.00			12.00			178.00
702*	Arlington Hts		218.00		310,00	528.00	52.60		30.00			610,60

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703*	Plano		152.00			152.00	15.20		17.00			184,20
705 <b>°</b>	West Columbia	32.00	32,00	31.00		95,00	9.50					104.50
706*	Magnolia	205.00	25.00	410.00		640,00	65.40		30.00			735.40
707*	Southern Star	•••••	33.00	400.00		483.00						433.00
708	Whitesboro		41.00			41.00						41.00
710*	Conroe	163.00				163,00	16.10		14.00			193.10
711	Pasadena		505.00	3.00		508.00	68.60					576.60
713	Faith	50.00				50.00			37.00		•••••	87.00
715	East Dallas		18.00			18.00	<i></i>		22.00	·	•••••	40.00
716*	Galveston	377.50	6.00	3.00		386,50		·····	26.00		•••••••	412.50
717	Bluebonnet	6.00	18.00			24.00	44.20		85.00			153.20
718	Sulphur Springs	7.50	15.00	······		22.50			12.00			84.50
721*	Spearman	60.00	15.00	50.00		125.00					••••••	125.00
722	Hearne	35.00	•••••			35,00		•••••				35.00
723*	Livingston		178.00		•••••	173.00	••••••		••••••	••••••		173.00
724*	Kountze	26.00	94.00			120.00	12.10		15.00		••••••	147.10
725	O'Donnell	50.00				50.00	•••••		16.00		*	66.00
726	San Juan		80.00			80.00	17.00		9.00		•••••	106.00
728	Bethlehem		230.00			280.00	59.40	10.00	46.00	2.00		. 347.40
730	Somerset	22.50	3,00			25.50	8.00	•••••				83,50
731*	Park Place		780.00	10.00		790.00	•		242.00			1,032.00
732	La Feria						9.40		••••••			9.40
733	Albany										5.00	5.00
734*		100.00	200.00	400.00		700.00	35.10			14.00		749.10
736	Areme		15.00			15.00	42.30		44.00			101.30

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737	Hull		55.00		•••••	55.00	. 12.50		12.00			79.50
738*		135.00	250.00	100.00	•••••	485.00	49.90		41.00			575.90
741		734,00	1,500.00		·····	2,234.00	23.70	•••••	60.00	18.00	5.00	2,340.70
742	Littlefield		·····	•		••••••			6.00	•••••		6.00
743	Tahoka	•••••	•••••	••••••	•••••	•••••	14.90		•••••	•••••	••••••	14.90
744*	Grandfalls	71.00				71.00						71.00
747	Carthage	16.66	25.00	16.67		58.99					11.53	70.52
748*			37.00	100.00		137.00	13.70				••••••	150,70
749*		40.00	29,50	4.00		78.50	6.40					79.90
750*			419.39	135.61		555.00			35.00			590.00
752*		98.00	60.00			158.00			22.00			180.00
755*	Mt. Auburn		18.00	422.00	•••••	440.00			2.00		10.00	452.00
756	Wedgwood	•••••		•••••		••••••			33.00	••••••	•••••	83.00
759	Rob Morris		•••••	·····			••••••				•	
760	Panhandle	10.00	••••••			10.00			21.05	•••••	•••••	31.05
761	Christoval		5.00			5.00					•••••	5.00
764	Fabens		19.00			19,00					•••••	19.00
769	Hillsboro	5.00	10.00			15.00		•••••				15.00
771*	New Braunfels	198.00		•	2.00	200.00	19.80		23.00		•••••	242.80
772*	Weslaco		127.00			127.00		••••••	18.00	•••••	••••••	145.00
774*		15.00	169.00	400.00		584.00	58.40		34.00		••••••	676.40
777 <b>*</b>	Irving		547.00	5.00		552.00	•••••	•••••	34.00		••••••	586.00
778	Wrightsboro		3.88	•••••		8.88		•••••	2.00	•••••	•••••	5.88
781	Heath				•••••				•••••	••••••		
782*	Star	292.85	115.00	50.00		457.85	50.00			••••••	••••••	507.85

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Pund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
783*	Fort McKavett	62.00				62.00						62.00
785	Brownfield				30.00	80.00	19.40					49.40
786	Blackwell					•••••	4.10					4.10
787*	Amarillo	418.00	15.00	10.00		443.00	46.80					489.80
788	Gordon			•••••			7.00				2.00	9.00
790	Darrouzette	34.00	5.00	34.00		73.00						73.00
792*	Muleshoe	134.50				134.50			25.00		10.00	169.50
793	Tuscola		5.00			5.00						5,00
794	Flora	3.75	68.00	215.00	50.00	336.75	49.50		23.00			409.25
797°	Levelland	15.00	181,50			196.50						196.50
798	Goose Creek	10.00	172,10	47.00		229.10	43.50		1,00			273.60
799*	Aurora	198.00	18,18			216.18	18.30					234.48
800	Pharr			5.00		5.00	10.40		10.00			25.40
801*	Stephenville	5.00	167.00	20.00		192,00						192.00
802	White Deer		5.00			5.00						5,00
803*	Capital	326.00				326.00			27.00			353,00
806	Sudan	35.00				35.00	9.10		18.00			62.10
808*	Hebbronville		28.00	10.00		38.00						38.00
809*	Follett	27.00	2.50	27.00		56.50						56.50
810	Groesbeck			••••••						••••••		
811	Borger	10.00	15.00			25.00	34.40		20,00			79.40
812	Waskom		22.78			22.78						22.78
813*	Flatonia	51.00				51.00	5.10				10,00	66.10
814	Dodson	20.00	•••••			20.00				•••••		20.00
815*	Rio Hondo	80.00				80.00	8.20					88.20

\*100% in Welfare. <sup>.</sup>

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816°	Crane	197.00				197.0Ŏ	19.70		19.00			235.70
817*			500.75			500.75			20.00			520.75
818*	McCamey	5.00	64.00	25,00		94.00	8.40			• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		102.40
819*	Dimmitt	97.00				97.00						97.00
820*	Crescent		410.00	•••••		410.00	43.00		19.00			472,00
821*		68.00	5.00			73.00	•••	•••••			······	73.00
822	Barstow		110 50	••••••	•••••	119.50	•••••	•••••	•••••	······		119.50
823	Wisteria		$119.50 \\ 18.00$	•••••	5,00	23.00	25.10		••••••			48.10
$824 \\ 825$	Delta E. C. Cannon		128.00	5.00		138.00		••••••				133.00
825 826*	~ .	191.00	45.00	50.00		286.00		•••••	•••••••			286.00
827	Concho Booker							•••••		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
828*			61.00			61.00	5.90	••••••		••••••	•••••••	66,90
829*		82.00				82.00			24.00	•••••		106.00
830*	•		220.99			220,99						220.99
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831*		76.00	58.00	•••••		134.00		••••••	38.00	·····		167.00
832*		40.50	21.25	. 21.25		83.00	8.30	•••••			1.00	92.30
833*	Qneen Esther		223.00			223.00			14.00		•••••	237.00
. 834	Riverside	18.00		150.00	•••••	168.00	59.20	•••••	27.00			254.20
835	South Hills	10.00	·····	•••••		10.00	25.30		42.00	•••••		77.30
836	Granger	10.00	6.00	•••••		16.00						16.00
837	Ocotillo	205.00	25.00			230.00			15.00		1\$3.00	348.00
838*	Tomball	20.00	70.00	100.00		190.00	·····		15.00		10.00	215.00
840	Van	,		2,00		2.00						2,00
841*	Morton	68.00	2.50	45.60	•••••	116.50	•••••	·····	•••••	••••••		116,50

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842	Centennial							5.00			5.00
843*	Rio Grande City 79	00			79.00	7.90				•••••	86.90
844	Arp	2,78	10.00		12,78		<b>`</b>	•••••			12.78
845	Kermit 111	75			117.75	26.10					137.85
846	Talco					6.40				••••••	6.40
847	Olton	9.00			9.00	10.70		25,00			44,70
848	Freer				48.00						48.00
849*	Andrew 146			•••••	146.00	14.60		15.00			175.60
850	Iredell 15	00			15.00						15.00
851	Holliday			•••••	·····			21.00	••••••		21,00
852*	Bonham	58.50	58.50		117.00	11.70		20.00			148,70
853	Lone Oak	5,00			5.00				•••••		5.00
854	Goldsmith 50	.00			50.00	·····		•••••			50,00
855*	Seminole 73	.00	78.00		146.00	14.60		25.00		••••••	185.60
856*	Bluebell 5	00 1,005.00	48.00	42.00	1,100.00			13.00	6.00	••••••	1,119.00
857	Celina 10	00			10.00						10.00
858	Rockwall 10	00			10.00						10.00
859	Edcouch	10.00	43.00		53.00						58,00
860*	Dripping Springs	67.00		•••••	67,00	6.70					73.70
861	Groom					5.80				•••••••	5.80
862	Plains		****	•••••		8.10					8,10
868		.00 5.00	5.00		15.00						15.00
864	Lindale	5.00			5.00	•••••				••••••	5.00
865	Big Sandy	56.00			56.00						56.00
866	Kaufman					••••••					

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867	Anson	5.00				5.00			38.00			43.00
868*		20.00	525,00	78,00	15,00	638.02	43.70		61.00	16.00		758.72
869*	Sunray	152.00		36.00		188.00			18.00			206.00
870	Earth	20.00				20.00		·····				20.00
871	Lometa	3.00	5.00		•••••	8.00	5.10		7.00			20.10
872	Electa	50.00	28.00			78.00			2.00		5.00	85.00
873*		75,00		64.00		139.00	14.20					153,20
874*		50.00				50.00	5.00					55,00
875*	Love · Field	187.00	28.00	105.00		320.00			31.00		•••••	351.00
876	Mansfield		25.00	•••••		25.00				···.:	5,00	30.00
877*	Abernathy		126.00			126.00			9.00			135.00
878	Quitaque		53.00			53.00						53.00
879*		116.00				116.00						116.00
880	Ropesville					·····						
881	John L. DeGrazier	15.00	18.00		•••••	83.00			64.00			97.00
882*	Imperial	7.00	53,00			60.00	5.30		14.00		5.00	84.30
883	Martha		5.00			5.00			9.00	·····		14.00
884*	Galena Park	100.00	100.00	32.00		232.00	23.30		16.00	2.00		273.30
885	Cooper	15.00	5.00			20.00			13.00	•••••		83.00
887°	Mesquite	235.00	·····			235.00	23.50		32.00	18.75		309.25
888	Vienna Buckner	10.00	18.00			28,00			36.00	•••••	·····	64.00
889	Broaddus	5.00				5.00						5.00
890*	Idalou	174.00	15.00			189.00		·····	10.00			199.00
891*	Croshyton	94.00			10.00	104.00	9.40		8.00			121.40
892	Haskell	•••••			••••••	·····	. •••••••••			······,		••••

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893*	Liberty Hill	53.00				58,00			14.00		`	67.00
894*	DeKalb	112.00				112.00	11.30					123,30
895	Ector		5.00			5.00		•••••		••••••		5.00
897	Boyd		, 10.00			10.00	8.80		50.00			68.80
898*	Freedom	15.00	160.00			175.00						175.00
899	Azle		25.00		······································	25.00	25.00		7.00			57,00
900*	Silverton	80.00	8.00			88.00	8.80	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	9.00			105.80
901*	Honey Grove	7.00	122.50			129.50	12.60			· · · · · · ·		142.10
902	Brownsboro											
903	Joaquin		10.00	•••••		10.00	•••••	•••••				10.00
904	Edgewood		2.00		10.00	12.00			18.00			30.00
905*	Graford	55.00		·····		55.00	5.50					60.50
906*	Daingerfield	106.00				106.00	10.60			••••••		116.60
907	Naples	7.00	7.00	6.00		20.00						20.00
908	Hawkins		2,00		•••••	2,00	8.70					10,70
909*	Goldthwaite	73.00				73.00		•				73.00
	Dublin	41.50	41.50			83.00	8.30		8.00			99.30
911*	Schertz	65.75	17.00	136.25		219.00	22.80		17.00			258.80
	Bethany		100.00	<b>400.00</b>	3.00	503.00	25.00					528.00
913	Poteet		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		••••••		••••	•••••	•••••			
914 <b>*</b>	Vidor	7.00	258,50			265.50	24.90		12.00			302,40
915*	South Houston		125.00	122.50	75.00	822.50	31.90					354.40
916	Crowell		5.00			5.00	•••••					5.00
917	Archer		10.00			10.00			2.00			12,00
918	Blanket		5.00			5.00	••••••					5.00

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919°	Tilden		50.00			50.00	5.00			,		55.00
920*	Melrose	67.00		400.00		467.00			40.00			507.00
921°	Richardson	273.00		•••••		273.00	27.30		37.00	•••••		337,80
922	Godley		10.00			10.00						10.00
923*	Venus	53.00			••••	53.00	5.30		2,00			60.30
924	Montalba		5.00			5.00						5.00
925	La Pryor		10.00			10.00	•••••					10.00
926	Sundown		25.00	•••••		25.00	5,70					30.70
927*	Rosewyn		340.00			340.00	32.00					372.00
929	Walter Baldwin		87.00	••••••		87.00		••••••		••••••		87.00
930*	Whitney	117.00				117.00	11.20					128.20
931	Blum	25.00				25.00	9.90					34.90
932*	Zephyr		54.00			54.00						54.00
933	West University		158.60	23.00		181.60	27.30		23.00			231.90
934	Blanco		5.00	•••••		5.00	8.60		•••••	······		13.60
935.°	Lewisville	158.00	25.00			183.00	18.00		20.00			221.00
936	Anton		•••••	••••••			••••••		•••••	•••••		
937	Wink			•••••	3		·····			•••••	15.00	15.00
938¢	Huntington		72.92	15.00		87.92	8.80		5.00	·····,		101.72
939	Whitewright	15.00	5.00	5.00	·····	25.00		••••••			••••••	25.00
940	Farmersville	••••••					10.70			••••••		10.70
941	Truth				·····				12.00	•••••		12.00
942	Wheeler		10.00			10.00					••••••	10.00
943°	Lancaster	5.00	188.00		5.00	198.00	18.80		22.00			238.80
944	Laneville	5.00	1.43	·····		6.43				••••••		6.43

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945	Yorktown		8,88			8.88						8,88
946	Alvord	40.00	•••••			40.00	8.20					48.20
949*	Carlton	39.00				39.00				•••••		39,00
951	Mike H. Thomas		178.00			178.00	34.70		2.00		••••••	214.70
952	Zavalla	12.00				12.00						12.00
953 <b>*</b>	Groves	123.00	228.50		•	351.50	32.50		43.00			427.00
954*	Channelview	6.00	500.00			506.00			28.00			534,00
955*	East Houston		210.00	•••••		210.00	•••••		11.00			221.00
956	Mt. Vernon		5.00			5.00				.,		5,00
957*	Ganado	20.00	35.45	20.00		75.45	6.50	••••••			•••••	81.95
958¢	Memorial	125.00	128.00	20.00		273.00	25.60		11.00			309,60
959*	Edwin Kiest	402.00	•••••			402.00	37.70		44.00			483,70
960*	Stratford	23.00	92.00			115.00	11.40		12.00		••••••	138.40
961	Ashland		2.00	·····		2,00	10.90	•••••				12.90
962°	Evant	29.00	29.00	•••••		58.00	5.80	•••••	•••••	•••••	•••••	63.80
963*	Fidelis	121.00		•••••		121.00	23.60		21.00			165.60
964	Lawn			•••••	•••••		4.20			••••••	••••••	4.20
965	Frost	•••••	11.10			11.10						11.10
966*		51.00				51.00	5.10				••••••	56,10
967	Winnsboro	•••••	2.00	•••••	•••••	2.00			•••••	••••••		2.00
968	Buna		9,50			9.50			8,00		••••••	17,50
969*	Weldon		48.00			48.00	•••••		10.00	••••••		58.00
970	J. A. Kemp		•••••	10.00	••••••	10.00		•••••	29.00	••••••		39.00
971	Cockrell Hill	•••••		18.00	••••••••	18.00	33.10		18.00			69.10
972	Bullard		5.00	·····		5.00	•••••				•••••	5.00

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974*	Hermleigh	70.00				70.00						70.00
975	Rose Garden		10.00	•••••		10.00			·····			10.00
976	Caldwell						6.60					6.60
977*	Wylie			94.00		94.00						94.00
978*	Bluegrove	52.00	•••••	•••••	••••••	52.00			••••••	•••••		52.00
979*	La Marque 1	40.00				140.00	•					140.00
980		25,00				25.00	17.20		1.00			48,20
981*		25.00	125.00			150.00			16.00			166.00
982	Haltom City		18.00			18.00			43.00			61.00
983*	J. L. Burgess		354.00	******		854.00	34.90		45.00			433.90
984*	Spring Branch			515.00		515.00	28.10		32.00			575.10
985*	~ 0	13.00	13.00	18,00		39.00					16.25	55.25
986*			304.00	165.06		469.06	20.30		13.00			502.36
987*		31.00	30.00	5.00		266.00	23.10		37.00			326.10
988	Medina		5.00			5.00			•••••			5.00
989	Rule		. 5.00			5.00						5.00
990	Friona	25.00	·			25.00						25.00
991	Ysleta	13.00	98.25			111.25	29.50	•••••	10.00		••••••	150.75
992	Fort Hancock	5.00				5.00	5.40		11.00	1.00		22.40
9 <b>93</b>	Munday					•••••		·····	12.00		••••••	12.00
994	Camelia		9.53	25,00	50.00	84.53						84.53
995	Hallsville		2.78	18.00		20.78						20.78
996*			52.00			52.00	5.20		4.00			61.20
997	Omaha									•••••		
998*	Logos	5.00	108.00			113.00	11.30		16.00			140.30

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education '	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
999	Ridglea	75.00		10.00		85.00	20,90		63.00			168.90
1000*	Hillcrest	233.00	88.00	5.00		326.00			55.30			381.30
1001°	Petersburg	21.00	105.00			126.00	•••••			!		126.00
1002°	Centerville	5.00	5.00	5.00		15.00						15.00
1003°	Shepherd		127.00	••••••	•••••	127.00	12.80		19.00			158.80
1004°	Cotulla	94.00				94.00	9.40		19.00			122,40
1005	Gatesville	25.00			•••••	25.00						25.00
	Lucinda Conner	189.00	168.00	75.00		432,00	45.00		34.00			511.00
1007	Covington								•••••		•••••	•••••
1008*	Friendship		168,50	168.50	•••••	337.00	33.70		42.00	·····	••••••	412.70
1009*	Lake Jackson	67.00	33.50	33.50	5.00	139.00	13.40		22.00			174.40
	Norman Read		171.00	·		171.00	•••••		21.00	·····		192.00
1011*	Clute City		118.00	•••••		118.00	11.80			••••••••		129.80
1012*	Malakoff		92.00			92.00	9.20					101,20
1013*	River Oaks	175.00				175.00		•••••	15.00		••••••	190.00
1014*	Duncanville	77.00		77.00		154.00			•••••		•••••	154.00
1015*	F. W. Lynn		198.00	30.00		228.00			40.00		••••••	268.00
1016°	Starlight		99.83	98.17		198.00	19.60		21.00	•••••		238.60
1017*	Willis	40.00	514.00			554.00	75.00		11.00			640.00
1018	Mamie D. Crane		15.00			15.00			<b>:</b>		······	15.00
1019°	Laura B. Hart	152.00				152.00				*****		152.00
1020*	Coolidge	36.00				36.00						36.00
	Bellaire	245.00	30.00	100.00		375.00	24.50		82.00	••••••		431,50
1022	Bryson				••••••							
1023°	Waelder	2.50	3.88	53.62		60,00	5.60			•••••		65,60

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
1024*	Dickinson		79.00	5.00		84.00	8.40					92.40
1025	Pilot Point	5.00	5.00	5.00		15.00	6.00					21.00
1026	College Station	35.00				35.00	9.80					44.80
1027	Sanger	15.00				15.00	7.40		<i>t</i>			22.40
1028*	Castleberry	178.00		•••••		178.00			36.00	•••••	••••••	214.00
1029*	0	180.00	••••••	•••••		180.00	16,80		29,00		······	225,80
1030	Village		••••••	•••••	•••••	•••••••		•••••	11.00		••••••	11.00
1031	Hooks		0.00	 0 ۲ 00	••••••	71.00	10.00		11.00	1.00		93.80
1032* 1033*	Clara Mills Ore City	$\frac{43.00}{31.00}$	$3.00 \\ 32.00$	25.00	10.00	71.00 73.00	6.80		$15.00 \\ 10.00$			83.00
1033-	Ore City	31.00	32.00	······	10.00			••••••			••••••••	
1034*	Mt. Houston	40.00	80.00	140.00		260.00	16.70		1.00	18.00		295.70
	Groveton		76,00	•••••		76.00	7.60		24.00		·····	107.60
	Loyalty	117.00	•••••			117.00	11.50	·····		2.00	•••••	130.50
	Ingleside	66.00	10.00	65.00		141.00	12.70		14.00		•••••	167.70
1038*	Bridge City	••••••	122.50	•••••	•••••	122.50		•••••	16.00	15.00	*******	153.50
1039	Vickery		18.00			18.00	12.70		55.00			85.70
1040*	Richland Hills		200.00			200.00	20.00		26.00			246.00
1041*	Fairbanks			157.00		157.00	15.00		32.00			204.00
1042	Millsap		5.00		33,00	38.00						38.00
1048	Cumby	48.00				48.00	•••••	· •••••			·····	48.00
	Independence		1,000.00	•••••	·····;·····	1,000.00	23.60		73.00			1,096.60
	Deport	54.00	5.00			59.00	••••••	••••••	•••••		•••••	59.00
	Dawson	••••••	10.00	•••••		10.00				••••••	·····	10.00
1047	Waller						7.30		13.00	•••••		20,30
1048*	Bronte	5.00	39.00	•••••	•••••	44.00	·····		•••••		********	44.00

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1050*	Norma D. Allen	74.00	50.00	30.00		154.00	15.50		23.00			192,50
1051	Dalhart	25.00				25.00	••••••••••		16.00			41.00
1052*	Tascosa		119.00	·····		119.00			20.00			189.00
1053	White Settlement		35.00			35.00	16.50	•				51.50
1054*	Lakeside	102.50	107,00	5.00		214.50	12.10		28.00			254.60
1055*	Fruitdale		138,00			138.00					······	138.00
$1056^{*}$	South Park	100.00	34,50	92.00	•••••	226,50	21.70		27.00			275.20
1057	Dell City `	· 5.00				5.00						5.00
1058	North Shore		100.00		•••••	100.00			18.00			118.00
1059	Adobe Walls	•••••	15.00	•••••		15.00			9.00			24.00
1060	Greenwood		33.00			33.00						33.00
1062	Eustace		26.00			26.00	4.60					30.60
1063*		65.50		65,50		131.00	13.10		25.00			169,10
1064*	Top O' Texas		104.00		•••••	104.00	10.00					114.00
1065*	Pearland	34.00	34.00	83.00		101.00	10.10		19.00			130,10
1066	Skellytown		5.00			5.00				•••••		5.00
1067	Italy	$1.50^{\circ}$	1.50	2.00		5.00					•••••	5,00
1068*	Colmesneil		79.00			79.00	7.90			•••••	18.43	105,33
1070*	Copperas Cove	117.00	·····	24.00		141.00	11.30		20.00		•••••	172.30
1072*			152.00	.,		152.00	15.30		85.00	18.00	•••••	220.30
1078*	Port Acres	69.00	9.50			78.50	7.00					85.50
1074*	F. W. Easterling		121.00			121.00			83.00			154.00
$1075^{*}$	Highland Hills	35.00	77.00		11.00	123.00	10.20		1.00			184.20
1076*	Winnie-Stowell	23.00	79.50	····		102.50			22.00			124.50
1077*	Eastwood		165.00	10.00		175.00	16.50		30.00			221.50

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endor	ESTARL	Misce	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Educa	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
1078*	Channing	51,00	•			51.00	4.90					55,90
	Nederland	110.00	109.56			219.56			60.00			279.56
1080°	Oak Forest	136.00				136.00	······································		25.00			161,00
1081*	Almeda			72.00		72.00			19.00		••••••	91.00
1082	University	••••••			••••••	•••••			12.00			12.00
1083*	Lone Star	63.00				63.00						63.00
	Bogata	47.00				47.00						47.00
	Hitchcock		55.00	35.00		90.00			15.00			105.00
1086*	Roy Stanley	10.00	71,00			81.00	7.40		24.00		•••••	112,40
1087*	Thunderbird		62.00	•••••	•••••	62.00			9.00			71.00
1088*	Aldine		111.00			111.00				18.75		129.75
1089*	De Soto		66.00			66.00			6.60			72.60
	Pine Tree		96.32			96,82	8.90					105.22
	Leonard		39.00			39.00						39.00
1092*	Carlsbad	15.00	15.00	15.00		45.00		•••••	••••			45.00
1093*	New Caney		51.00			51.00	5.10		17.00			73.10
1094*	Jaques DeMolay	38.00	40.00			98.00	5.30		55.00			158.30
1095*	Archives	\$1.00	21.00	21.00		73.00	7.30		35.00			115.30
U.D.	Seabrook	••••••	•••••									
U.D.	Sam P. Cochran		18.00		·····	18.00						18.00
U.D.	Burke '	•••••							••••••		•••••	·····
928	Crystal City		10.00			10.00						10.00
950	Roaring Springs	15.00				15.00						15.00
973	Gruver	15.00	68.00	5.00		88.00			•••••			88.00
1061	Hurst	••••••	18.00	•••••		18.00			16.00			84,00

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No. Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
P. M. & P, Dist. V, Sec. 7	6.00				6.00						6.00
Dist. V. Sec. 4		2.00			2,00						2.00
Ada V. Dugger		500.00			500.00	•••••					500.00
P.M.s Lubbock	5.00				5.00	••••••					5.00
Perry Memorial	••••	20.00		······································	20.00		•••••		••••••		20.00
Dist. V, Sec. 1		$10.00 \\ 100.00$			10.00 100.00						10.00 100.00
Eleanor Petri R. T. and Earnesteen Porter		1,100.00			1,100.00			,		•••••	1,100.00
Doris Mills		5.00			5.00			•••••		•••••	5.00
H. L. and Maude Arnold		1,000.00		f	1,000.00		•••••				1,000.00
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Myron H. Appel		100.00			100.00	•••••					100.00
P. M. & P., Dist I, Sec. 10		101.95	•••••		101.95					•••••	101.95
W. M. and Alma Chandler		1,000.00			1,000.00					•••••	1,000.00 10.00
Dallas Starlets		10.00	•••••		10.00						1,000.00
Flora Besst Boone	•••••	1,000.00	•••••		1,000.00	•••••			••••		•
Ruth Jones		1,000.00			1,000.00						1,000.00
C. and H. E. Hard	5.00		•••••		5,00						5.00
J. D. and R. Isenhower	5.00	····· ,			5.00						5.00
Music			•••••	1.00	1.00				·····	•••••	1.00
Mrs. S. R. Vast	•••••	••••••	•••••	5.00	5.00					·····	5.00
Matranga Olub V, Sec. 7		28.50	••••		28.50					·····	28.50
T. McReynolds Club		5.00	·····	•••••••	5.00	••••••	·····			••••••	5.00
I Sec. 5 School		8.45			8.45	•••••		••••••		•••••	8.45
III Sec. 8 School		2.06	••••••	·····	2.06 100.00					••••••	2.06 100.00
C. Ellison		••••••	•••••		100.00				••••••		100.00

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
Bernice	House		1,000.00			1,000.00						1,000.00
	ous		500.00			500.00			•••••		••••••	500.00
Margare	t Forsyth		50.00			50.00						50.00
Paul Of	ton		100.00			100.00						. 100.00
II Sec. 9	9 School		59.99			59.99			•••••			59,99
Cash in	envelope		1.00			1,00						1.00
	ul Tucker		5.00			5.00						5.00
II Sec.	6 School	35.42				35.42	••••••					35.42
P. M. &	r P. III, Sec. 7	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	25.00			25.00						25.00
P. M. &	: P., Houston	•••••	100.00			100.00						100.00
Sally's J	Friends IV, Sec. 1		114.00			114.00						114.00
Candle 3	Lighters IV, Sec. 10	•••••	10.00			10,00						10.00
Lamp L	ighters IV, Sec. 10		10.00	•••••		10.00						10.00
Study C	lub IV, Sec. 10		10.00	••••••		10.00						10.00
Dora H	altom	•••••	100.00	·····	•••••	100.00			•••••			100.00
Nell Cl	onts		100.00			100.00				•••••		100.00
Lula Cl	ark		100.00			100.00						100.00
Mr. and	Mrs. Finger		100.00			100.00			•••••	••••••		100.00
	4 School		6.23	••••••		6.23			••••	••••••		6.23
Nancy	Johnson		100.00	••••••	•••••	100.00						100.00
Gr. Offi	icers, II, Sec. 1		15.00			15.00		•••••				15.00
	aul			5.00		5.00				•••••		5.00
	Officers V, Sec. 7		3.00			3.00			•••••			8.00
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I Sec. 3	School	·····	1.03		•••••	1.03	•••••			•••••		1.08

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No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total
P. M. &	r P., Dallas No. 1	5.00				5.00						5,00
Kitty C	rawford		200.00			200,00						200,00
	l Schools		68.03	·		68.03					••••••	68,08
	Juke Club V, Sec. 7		8.00			8,00		•••••	- 			3.00
P. M. 8	r P. of Dallas	•••••	539.94			539,94			••••••••••	·····		539.94
C. E. &	c Clara Klein		100.00			100.00						100.00
Judy H	eald		9.00		•••••	9,00						9.00
	Davis		1,500.00		•••••	1,500.00						1,500.00
	oone Club V, Sec. 7		3.00		···· <i>·</i> ····	3.00						3.00
Sharpe	Notes V, Sec. 7		6.00			6.00	•••••		·····		•••••	6.00
D. & S.	. Matranga		1,000.00			1,000,00		········				1,000.00
Sally M	latranga		200.00			200.00		,				200.00
	, 1969 Banquet		1,648.86			1,648.86				•••••	••••••	1,648.86
Lela Da	avis		100.00			100.00						100.00
K. Paul	is Officers, V-7		3.00	•••••		3.00		••••••	••••••	•••••		8,00
Henry I	Knolle		100.00			100.00	•••••••••••					100.00
Capt. a	nd Mrs. Dickson		100.00			100.00	•••••				••••••	100.00
Iva She	lby				5.00	5.00					•••••	5.00
	ufflebeam		5.00	·····		5,00		••••••	•••••			5.00
Lillian	Alphin		100.00		•••••	100.00	••••••	•••••		•••••		100,00
Marjori	e Johnson			5,00		5.00		••••••A		•••••		5.00
I Sec. 9	9 School		101.27			101.27	•••••				•••••	101.27
Lillian	Gee		5.00		•••••	5.00		•••••				5.00
Vesper	Service		••••••	612.00	•••••	621.00				•••••		621.00
Bennie	Johnson	••••	•••••		·····			•••••	•••••	•••••	35.00	85.00

*100%	in Welfare.		Table of Gifts From Chapters–Continued											
No.	Chapter	O.E.S. Home	Endowment Fund	ESTARL	Miscellaneous	Total Welfare	Founders Day	Education	Time and Talent	Temple	Christmas	Total		
Bran P M & P P										10.00 25.00	10.00 25,00			
Tot	als	\$29,336.44	\$62,603.43	\$12,059.14	\$1,016.00	\$105,015.01	\$6,383.27	\$ 10.00	\$7,670.15	\$318.00	\$608.37	\$120,004.80		

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Mrs. Dorothy Marton of Irving gave the Endowment Fund 59 shares of Common Stock in General Foods.

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#### PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

Worthy Grand Matron, the report having been referred to the proper committees, I move its acceptance.

The report was adopted.

#### RESTORATION OF VOTES

MRS, REBECCA MILES: Worthy Grand Matron, I move that the ballots be restored to Chapters in my report whose Chapter Reports did not clear before the deadline.

As of August one Chapter had not reported.

#### Motion carried.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the report of the Fraternal Visitation Committee.

#### REPORT OF FRATERNAL VISITATION COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron Distinguished Guests,

#### My Sisters and Brothers:

This has been one of the most rewarding years of my life. The dedicated members who have served with me on the Fraternal Visitation Committee have put forth efforts far beyond the call of duty to set a record for this special committee of our Worthy Grand Matron. Words cannot express my appreciation for the five fine ladies appointed as District Co-Chairmen. Only three of them are here with us. They are: Sister Angie Bonner, District I, Sister Ruth Maness, District IV and Sister Olive Warlick, District V. Sister Dortha Conn of District II and Sister Zena Wilson of District III were unable to be here. However, the achievements of the Chapters throughout the State will attest to the inspiration of these five ladies and the Committee Members in their respective Districts. A complete statistical report has been given to the Worthy Grand Matron, but a few statistics are necessary in this report.

Certificates of Achievement have 'been prepared for the two Chapters in each of the Districts which have accumulated the highest number of points. There are also Honorable Mention certificates for 25 other Chapters. If a representative of each of these 35 Chapters will meet me after this report is finished, I shall be happy to present the awards.

A total of 172,608 points was amassed by all of the participating Chapters. In District I, the top Chapter is Tennessee Colony No. 102; second is Rose Garden No. 975 of Tyler. In District II, the top Chapter is Cora Posey No. 1072 of Abilene; second is Anson No. 867. In District III, the top Chapter is Southside No. 673 of Fort Worth; second is Marble Falls No. 435. In District IV, the top Chapter is Huntsville No. 240; second is Pasadena No. 711. In District V, the top Chapter is Corpus Christi No. 354; second is Seguin No. 555. I would like to add that in spite of "Celia" and its devastation, Corpus Christi No. 354 is also high in the State with 2,672 points. Right on their heels is Huntsville No. 240 with 2,608 points. Third is Seguin No. 555 with 2,527 points. There were also 25 other Chapters which amassed more than 1000 points each. They are, in District I, Gladewater No. 831, Gilmer No. 355, Loyal No. 648 of Dallas, Palestine No. 395 and Corsicana No. 118. In District IV they are, Port Arthur No. 262, Croves No. 953, Channelview No. 954, Archives No. 1095, Houston Heights No. 258, Park Place No. 731, both of Houston, Pearland No. 1065 and Mizpah No. 2 of Galveston. In District V, they are, Creedmoor No. 607, Austin, Texas No. 35, San An-

tonio, Schertz, No. 971, Aransas Pass No. 162, Ingleside No. 1037, Woodsboro No. 678, Falfurrias No. 146, Kingsville No. 325, Independence No. 1044 and Oso No. 868 of Corpus Christi, Harlingen No. 641 and Hope No. 124 of Brownsville.

Worthy Grand Matron, thank you so much for the privilege of chairing this committee. I shall remember the associations formed 'this year for the rest of my life. I feel that this committee along with the Masonic Education committee has generated much needed enthusiasm among our Chapters, and I shall be happy to hear in years to come that this enthusiasm is maintaining its momentum. For all of the Members of this Committee, thank you for the joy we have had in serving.

> AUGUSTA L. BRATTON, General Chairman 1969-70 ANGIE BONNER, Co-Chairman District I DORTHA CONN, Co-Chairman District II ZENA WILSON, Co-Chairman District III RUTH MANESS, Co-Chairman District IV OLIVE WARLICK, Co-Chairman District V

MRS. GUSSIE LOUISE BRATTON: I move the adoption of this Report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Sister Gussie.

We will now have the report of the Masonic Education Committee.

#### REPORT OF MASONIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE

MR. J. C. GILMORE: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brothers:

The purpose of the Masonic Education Committee for this year has been to promote appreciation, dependence and understanding between all Masonic Bodies. The desire of 103 men of this committee has been to present the whole of Masonry in Texas to our Sisters and Brothers, to create a spark of interest in our work, and to be brought closer together through fellowship and understanding. The aims have been utmost in our minds and hearts. The Masonic Education Committee was created as a special committee of the Worthy Grand Matron to be ambassadors of goodwill between the Masonic Fraternity and the Order of the Eastern Star and their related families.

> Serving on the committee this year as General Co-Chairman is Mr. F. C. Herndon;
> Mr. E. K. Patrick, Co-Chairman of District I
> Mr. Charles Logsdon, Co-Chairman of District II
> Mr. Neuman L. Johnson, Co-Chairman of District III
> Mr. B. M. Mason, Co-Chairman of District IV
> Mr. Weldon M High, Co-Chairman of District V and
> 97 committee members across the State.

As man cannot live alone, neither could this fine committee function by itself. The men join me in expressing deep appreciation to Mrs. Augusta Bratton, Chairman, and the very fine Fraternal Visitation Committee, the Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons, the Deputy Grand Matrons and the Worshipful Masters. The Fraternal Visitation Committee and the Masonic Education Committee have worked very closely throughout the year in promoting each of the individual committee's aims and goals. Masonic Education Committee members have accompanied the Deputy Grand Matrons as they made their Official Visits and were given special recognition. The Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons and Worshipful Masters invited committee members to their various meetings to present the work of this committee and to them we are grateful. Through the work of these fine people, meetings too numerous to relate here have been planned and executed. District-wide dinners and programs including the families of Eastern Star, Masons, DeMolay, and Rainbow Girls have helped broaden the scope of our program and permitted this committee to address itself to many who never would have known the greatness of the Masonic family.

May I re-iterate, Fraternalism cannot function by itself. And few are the men who prefer to walk alone. Co-operation within the Masonic Lodge and the Order of the Eastern Star with others outside our own walls gives proof of the genuine spirit which functions inside each of us.

Worthy Grand Matron, I submit to you the following report which is a culmination of the work of your Masonic Education Committee for the year 1969-70:

- 4,022 meetings made to various Masonic related functions, 469 speeches made,
- 150 visits to Schools of Instruction
- 1,826 visits to functions held outside Lodge and Chapter rooms
- 40 visits made to other Grand Jurisdictions
- 145,000 (approximate) miles traveled to promote interest and •. walfare of our Order—an average of 1,450 miles per member. Some have even traveled as many as 10,-000 miles this year in promoting the work of this committee.

The month of April was designed by the Worthy Grand Matron as Eastern Star month and the Masonic Education Committee assisted the various Chapters in conducting special meetings in their recognition of this special month.

This year has been enjoyable for the members of the Masonic Education Committee. The reward for being and serving on this committee is great. Each Brother has the satisfaction of a job well done. We are appreciative of the experience of working together as a team and in so doing grown closer together as friends and Brothers.

In conclusion, we look upon our year's work with appreciation to you, Worthy Grand Matron, for the appointments and challenges; with pride and gratitude to the members who made our work possible and, *like Mark Twain upon first seeing the great Atlantic Ocean*, we term our year's work a "HUGH SUCCESS."

Fraternally submitted,

J. C. GILMORE, General Chairman Masonic Education Committee 1969-1970

MR. GILMORE: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Brother Gilmore, for a job well done.

We will now have the report of the Board of Grand Crapter Benevolences. I recognize Mr. Paul Huffhines.

#### REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF GRAND CHAPTER BENEVOLENCES

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

We, the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolences, wish to submit the following report for the first eleven months of the 1969-1970 fiscal year:

Following the election of Mr. William I. Tippen, a member of Galveston Chapter No. 716, as the member from District 4 to succeed the retiring member, Mr. James B. Starnes, the Board convened to welcome him and present the orientation file prepared through the year for each newly elected member. This file contains copies of all minutes of meetings, established policy decisions, a map of the five Districts and forms used by Chapters in making applications.

The Board was organized as follows.

Mr. Paul Huffhines, District 3	Chairman
Mrs. Maurine Arnold, District 5 Vice	Chairman
Mrs. Virginia Phillips, District 2	Secretary
Mr. J. N. Farndale, District 1	Treasurer
Mr. Wm. I. Tippen, District 4	

This report is being prepared for the Printers as of September 29, 1970, therefore a complete report through October 1, 1970 will be included in the Proceedings of the 1969-1970 year.

Notice of all Board meetings and minutes of each meeting are mailed to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, the Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, and all Line Officers. We have appreciated the interest manifested by those attending any of the meetings.

There have been ten meetings since the October Grand Chapter Session and two of these included joint meetings with the Board of Grand Trustees. We take this opportunity of expressing our appreciation for their cooperation and sincere interest in the Home and its welfare. Our work together has been both pleasant and gratifying.

There are always problems of maintenance of the buildings, general repairs and replacements and they have been numerous this year, especially regarding the air-conditioning and plumbing. Complete report will be in the Auditor's Report.

At the joint meeting May 23, 1970 the Board of Grand Trustees, the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, the Grand Secretary, Mrs. Rebecca L. Miles, four members of the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolences and Mr. Preston M. Geren, Jr. with Mr. C. Bryan Clark met for opening bids for the renovation of the West Wing. Plans drawn for re-wiring and re-plumbing this wing were drawn in 1966 therefore did not include the air-conditioning and heating of the Auditorium-Chapel. This will be a separate bid and all will be completed at the same time. The West Wing contract was given to Loftin Witcher in the amount of \$122,336.00 plus the Architect's fee. Work was started June 1, 1970 and is now in progress with completion time of 150 days.

We are grateful to the membership for their help in the Welfare and to Sister Robbie Yates, Past Grand Matron, for the financial aid through making Home Expansion the major Welfare Project of her program.

During these eleven months of the 1969-1970 year the Board has acted upon the following applications from Chapters:

Total applications mailed to Chapters	25
Number completed applications returned	23
Number entered the Home	11
Number rejected	1
Number ineligible	1
Number pending investigation	0
Number applications withdrawn	1
Deaths in the Home	11
Members to withdraw	2
Members dismissed from the Home	2
Present members in the Home1	00

The Benevolent Aid Fund is one of the best that Grand Chapter has to offer Chapters with members in need of extra help. At the present time there are 33 Chapters receiving Benevolent Aid for 37 members. It is hoped that Chapters will keep a careful check on their membership and avail themselves of this aid. The semi-annual checksheets to these Crapters keeps the Board up to date on the financial status of the recipients.

One of the most rewarding achievement of the Board of Directors this year was awarding a contract to a local Podiatrist to care for the feet of all members of the Home suffering from foot trouble. Miss Frankie Howze, R. N., makes regular weekly trips to the Clinic to take the patients and with the additional therapy treatments from our own Therapy Treatment Room at our Hospital many of the ladies are walking in comfort and expressing their very deep gratitude for this service.

Many useful and needed gifts have been presented to the Home by generous members, Chapters and interested persons not members of the Order of the Eastern Star.

The Board of Directors wish to extend grateful thanks for all material gifts and those of talents that have been brought to our Home this year. Complete lists will be given by the Chairmen of the different committees and by the Superintendent of the Home in their excellent reports.

In December of 1969 it was decided to drop the membership in the Texas Association for the Aging. This was an expensive membership and it was decided by the Board that such was not applicable to the type Home we have.

Mrs. Nora Pinyan, Chairman of Time and Talent Committee, came before the Board and presented projects of her Committee for our approval, asking for suggestions for the most urgent needs. You will hear her excellent report. The installation of a rest room in the basement where many women work at laundry, ceramics and sewing, was an outstanding project.

Mrs. Loyce Chancellor, Chairman of Founder's Day Committee, came before the Board with plans for her committee and asking for suggestions for projects needed. It was determined that a new dish washer for the kitchen was most urgent since repair bills on the one in use were too numerous. You will hear an excellent report from her.

After the increase in the Social Security checks in April the Board voted to allow each woman \$20.00 instead of the \$10.00 previously received.

There is one more increase to be made this coming year in accordance with the Federal Minimum Wage Law; Mr. Bowling had made an estimate of the cost of this increase for 39 employees in the amount of \$15,000.00.

Mr. William L. Pendergrass was employed as Business Manager for the Home March 1, 1970 but requested the termination of his employment in April. His resignation was accepted.

Mrs. Ora Lee Rexroat has been given the title of "Book-keeper" and is doing an excellent service in the office.

A contract for painting all outside trims of all buildings on the grounds was given to Ray Norton, Contractor, in the amount of \$7,500.00. This includes caulking and glazing where necessary.

We, the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolences wish to express our grateful appreciation to the women in charge of the different Departments operating within the Home.

To Mrs. Edythe L. Dixon, Superintendent and in charge of the Eastern Star Home; we could not find a more capable and dedicated person for this work. Her capabilities and constant concern for the ladies welfare are proven by the fact that she is on call 24 hours per day more than 50 weeks of the year.

Since the resignation of the Business Manager in April of this year, Mrs. Dixon, with the help from the Book-keeper, has absorbed this work and is doing an excellent job of same. Many thanks!

To Miss Frankie Howze, Registered Nurse, for her special training and her love of "her little ones" as she affectionately refers to those in the hospital, we are more than grateful. The capable assistance from Mrs. Edna Roberts has helped to make our hospital one of the best.

The Ambulatory Ward is almost completely filled to capacity and as of May 31, 1970 there were 22 patients in the hospital. Five of this figure are terminal cases and ten are disoriented.

To Mrs. Hilda Sones, the Dietitian for her continuing concern for the proper diet for each woman in the Home and Hospital, her conservative purchasing of the foods and her management of the kitchen and dining room personnel, we are grateful!

To the members of this Board I wish to say "Thank You." Your cooperation and friendship have meant much to me and together we have tried to do our best to work for the good of the Home and the Grand Chapter of Texas.

My thanks to the membership of this Grand Chapter for electing me to serve from District 3 on this Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolences. It has been five years of rewarding work in seeking to further the welfare of all that live in the Eastern Star Home.

Fraternally submitted:

PAUL HUFFINES, Chairman MAURINE ARNOLD, Vice Chairman VIRGINIA PHILLIPS, Secretary J. N. FARNDALE, Treasurer WM. I. TIPPEN, Member

MR. PAUL HUFFINES: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: That is a very fine report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We have with us this afternoon the superintendent of the Home. We will have a report on our Eastern Star Home at this time.

Mrs. Edythe Dixon.

#### REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF THE HOME

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Board of Grand Trustees, Board of Grand Chapter Benevolence, Officers and Members of Grand Chapter, I bring you Fraternal Greetings from your Eastern Star Home, Arlington, Texas:

To our Worthy Grand Matron, Sally Matranga, our Worthy Grand Patron, Richard T. Porter, certainly your Purpose for the year has been carried out both in heart and spirit. Your Purpose in setting up the Perpetual Endowment Fund for the Eastern Star Home shows your true Christian spirit and the love in your heart for the members of the Home in providing for them in the years ahead. What a privilege it has been this past year to have you in the Home, and we extend to you a perpetual invitation to return.

To our Benevolent Board, what a rewarding year it has been to work with each of you, to know the many hours you have given in planning for the betterment of the Home and its membership. The year that is drawing to a close has been filled with many blessings, because of the privilege I have had serving as Superintendent of our Eastern Star Home. Thank you for this honor.

To our Eastern Star Membership, we at the Home thank God for you dear friends of ours, for your faithfulness to the Home by your visits, bringing little deeds of kindness, little words of love. You are always welcome and the more often you visit the better the ladies like it, they are proud to show the Home and tell of the many activities we have. Make your plans now to come visit the 100 members in the Home. We have 11 members who have reached their 90th birthday. Eleven ladies have been admitted to the Home since we met for Grand Chapter October 28, 1969. Four members withdrew due to their not being able to adjust to community living.

Eleven members were called to their Eternal Home. Three were buried in the Eastern Star Plot in Parkdale Cemetery, Arlington, Texas. The other eight were taken back to their family plot by relatives. May I take just a few minutes to tell you a few particulars on the procedure for burial of the members. If the family does not wish to furnirh the burial clothes or pay for

the funeral services the Home takes care of all costs. When the member has requested that they be taken back to their family plot, and the family does not wish to pay for the clothing or casket, the Home will do so, but the cost of transporting the body must be taken care of by the family or friends. You might like to know that 35 of our Eastern Star members are buried in the Masonic Plot on Highway No. 157, just North of the Home. You can be proud to say that you belong to the Order of the Eastern Star, because you as members of our great Fraternal Organization make our Home a Haven of Security for our beloved members who have reached the Golden Years in life. May your happiness add and multiply as you divide with others.

This might be of interest to you to know that we have 46 rooms on the second floor and 36 on the first with forty in the West end being refurbished, making a total of 122 rooms. Four guest rooms are provided for relatives who wish to visit, however, a limitation of two nights and three days is set up in order that a room will be available for others who might wish to pay a visit to their relative.

Our daily schedule starts with the bell ringing at seven, which means arise and dress for breakfast at 7:30 A. M. I would like to say the ladies do not come to the dining room in robes or house shoes, but neatly dressed, and from the many comments we hear about how nice they look we are proud to say they are always dressed ready to go any place. The noon meal is served at 12:00 and supper at 5:00 P. M. Three well balanced meals are prepared daily by the kitchen supervisor and dietician, Mrs. Hilda Sones and her capable crew. We are fortunate to have this Eastern Star Member in charge of the purchasing and management of the kitchen. Saturday and Sunday we have sack lunches for supper in order that the kitchen employees will have Saturday afternoon off. The Noon meal on Sunday is served at 12:30 which gives the ones who have attended an outside church service time to return.

With the many activities going on in the Home the ladies do not have much idle time on their hands. The Past Matrons Club meets once a month, and for their project they adopted a little girl from the Masonic Home and School, Fort Worth and have been sewing for her, making clothes out of the materials you have sent. Ceramics is the highlight of the day on Tuesdays, when some twenty to thirty retire to the basement to work on the pieces of ceramic they have chosen. We are indeed grateful to those who are so faithful to come and help with this phase of the Home's activities. Monday morning a Bible Class is conducted by a member of the Home. Chapter meetings are attended and some fifty programs have been put on by the "Go-Go Girls" this past year. For those who do not wish to go out, Sunday School is brought to them by a teacher from a local church. An Afternoon Religious service on Sunday is brought to the ladies by different churches. A Wednesday night prayer service is conducted by one of the ladies, or someone from a local church. Unless it is raining about twenty five attend an outside church on Sunday, being picked up by the bus from their church, or taken by bus from the Home.

We have approximately forty rooms in the Hospital and Ambulatory ward, and at this time we have 18 in the hospital, and 8 in the Ambulatory ward. Very few members have been sent to an outside Hospital this past year, because of the good care given by our Hospital Staff. We are indeed fortunate to have a Registered Nurse, Miss Frankie Howze, and Mrs. Edna Roberts, Registered LVN on twenty four hour call. Both are Eastern Stars. Dr. Donald Davis the Home physician comes Tuesday afternoon of each week, and is called at other times when needed. The ladies see the Home Podiatrist, Dr. Robert Weir on a regular basis. Therapy treatments are given several times a week which helps that arthritic condition so prevalent among our ladies. The Pill Box up in the Home proper is still the center of attraction after each meal, as the ladies go by to get their daily dosage. With the good care provided by the doctors and nurses we feel that everything possible is being done to keep the members of the Home healthy and happy physically, mentally and spiritually.

Friendship is a Miracle that happens in the heart. This applies to our Time and Talent members who come weekly to shop, do the ladies hair, write letters and many other personal things for the ladies. When you give your dollar to belong to Time and Talent you are giving, that extra things can be done for the ladies. Such as the rest room in the basement, the extra pieces of therapy equipment, watermelon parties, salad suppers, fun parties, ice cream and cake socials, all are extra bits of love you share with them. We are grateful for the many many jellies, linens, memorials, Hospital needs, boxes of good clothing which made "bargain basement day" a most interesting something to behold. For the Chapters who have adopted one of the members, thank you and to them this is an extra bit of love. If you haven't adopted a member write and let me send you a name and then you will know the real joy of happiness that comes to you by doing for others. We know that you Time and Talent members are our friends, because "in the garden of God's Blessings there are members sweet and fair, and among them bright with beauty is your friendship that we share." Thank you Nora Pinyan, Chairman Time and Talent, and Nadine Rucker, Co-Chairman and the other seven to eight thousand members for your Love, Friendship and interest in the Home and its members.

Founder's Day observance August 8, 1970 was a gala day at the Home when some six to seven hundred braved the heat to attend the Silver Tea. We are grateful for your coming and we hope each one took time to go to the kitchen to see the paint job, new lighting fixtures, dishwasher, two deep freezes, new drapes in the Hospital and the beautiful China Cabinet in the dining room, all this was made possible because you gave. If you did not attend the tea, a welcome awaits you to come see the change that has been wrought in the kitchen. Congratulations to Founders Day Chairman, Loyce Chancellor, Blanche Wilson and Rose Cunningham, Co-Chairman for your untiring hours of labor spent in making Founder's Day 1970 a most successful one. The highest reward for your toil is not what you get from it, but what you become by it, for where there is a human being there is an opportunity for a service. We are mighty proud of what you accomplished for the Home this past year.

To each Eastern Star I close with, "It's not the things that can be bought that are life's richest treasure, it's just the little "heart gifts" that money cannot measure." A cheerful smile, a friendly word, they are the things that can't be bought with silver or with gold, for thoughtfulness and kindness and love are never sold.

Respectfully submitted,

EDYTHE L. DIXON, Superintendent

MR. J. C. GILMORE: Worthy Grand Matron I move the approval of this report. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Edythe, the thanks of the whole membership of Texas go to you for your fine work at our Home. (Applause.)

The report was approved.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Next we will have the report of the Grievances and Appeals Committee.

# REPORT OF GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS COMMITTEE, 1969-1970

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers: It gives me pleasure to introduce the members of the Grievances and Appeals Committee for the current year:

I am Dave L. Reaney, a Past Patron of Dallas Chapter No. 1. Chairman; Mr. Robert L. Wood, a Past Patron of Dallas Chapter No. 1, and Sister Dorothy Bernhard, a Past Matron of Ransford Chapter No. 135, members.

We wish to express our appreciation to the Worthy Grand Matron for appointing us to serve on this Committee and to the Subordinate Chapters and the membership of Texas for the many courtesies that have been extended to us this Grand Chapter year.

We are extremely happy to report that no grievance or appeal has been referred to this committee and truly happiness and harmony have prevailed throughout the Grand Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVE L. REANEY, Chairman ROBERT L. WOOD, Member DOROTHY BERNHARD, Member

MR. DAVE REANEY: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report. (Applause.)

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON. We will now have the report of the By-Laws Committee.

# REPORT OF BY-LAWS COMMITTEE

# By-Laws approved by the Worthy Grand Matron

Preliminary Report from By-Laws Committee (1969-1970) from time of Grand Chapter in 1969 through September 21, 1970.

Name and Number	No. Amend-	Name and Number	No. Amend-
of Chapter	ments	of Chapter	ments
McAllen No. 14 Alvin No. 15 Texas No. 35 Alice No. 61 Gate City No. 77 Pecos No. 81 Claude No. 104 Hope No. 124 Wimodausis No. 141 Luling No. 155 Garland No. 156 Carpenters No. 183 Post No. 206 Lockhart No. 210 Border No. 211 Velasco No. 220 Elgin No. 241 Harmony No. 244 Arlington No. 249	1 4 1 1 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Marlin No. 286 Navasota No. 309 Jeff Davis No. 336 Bronson No. 337 Gilmer No. 355 Teague No. 408 Rosenberg No. 429 Handley No. 617 Dumas No. 663 Graham No. 668 New Boston No. 700 Plano No. 703 Magnolia No. 706 Southern Star No. 707 Somerset No. 730 Alamo Heights No. 734 Woodbine No. 738 Grandfalls No. 744	1         1         1         7         2         1         5         1         5         1         1         5         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         2

Heath No. 781 Tuscola No. 793 Sudan No. 806 Prospect Hill No. 817 Crescent No. 820 Overton No. 830	Lovefield No. 875         2           Crosbyton No. 891         1           Hawkins No. 908         1           Walter Baldwin No. 929         1           West University No. 933         7           Truth No. 941         1           Memorial No. 958         1           Memorial No. 979         2
Overton No. 830	5 Memorial No. 958 1
Ocotillo No. 837	LaMarque No. 979 2 Fort Hancock No. 992 1
Edcouch No. 859	2 Centerville No. 1002 1
Undale No. 864	Cotulla No. 1004

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By-Law Amendments refused:

Alamo Heights No. 734—one seeking elimination of meetings which might fall on the dates of January 1st

#### Good Friday July 4th

- Southern Star No. 707—four which had been passed by the Chapter and presented for approval prior to 1969 Grand Chapter, for which the former Secretary presented only one copy of certificate and that an old form. They were presented to this Chairman during the present Grand Chapter year, with the second certificate, on proper form, signed by the new Secretary and bearing a date in 1970. It was the decision of the Worthy Grand Matron that these amendments if still desired, should again be presented in Chapter, following the required procedure.
- Seabrook Chapter U. D.—This Chapter submitted a number of amendments, and it was the decision of the Worthy Grand Matron that Seabrook get their charter before making any changes in their By-Laws.

Received from Grand Chapter to cove	er ?	
expenses of this Committee		00

Expenses to September 21, 1970:

Postage .		\$	15.80	
Telephone	calls	·	6.56	22.36

Respectfully submitted,

HILARY COOPER, Chairman By-Laws Committee 1969-1970

# FINAL REPORT OF BY-LAWS COMMITTEE 1969-1970

By-Laws approved for the following Chapters subsequent to preliminary report on September 21, 1970:

report on september =:	.,		
Name & Number	No. Amendments	Name & Number	No. Amendments
Rockdale No. 23 Taft No. 218 Port Lavaca No. 373 Quitman No. 695 Conroe No. 710		Harlandale No. 750 Muleshoe No. 792 Abernathy No. 877 Liberty Hill No. 893	
making a grand total o	of Chapters havir	ng By-Law Amendments	
Number of letters writ	ten		186
Chapter U. D. By-Laws	s approved:		
Burke Chapte Hurst Chapte Sam P, Cochr Seabrook Cha Wallace Hugi	r :an Chapter		
Received from Grand	Chapter to cover	expenses of this Comm	ittee \$75.00
Expenses through Sept	tember 21, 1970		22.36—
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		HILARY COOPER, Ch By-Laws Committee 19	
MRS. HILARY C of this report.	OOPER: Worthy	y Grand Matron, I mov	e the adoption
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The report was ad	opted.		•
WORTHY GRAN of Grand Trustees?	D MATRON: Ar	e you ready for the repo	ort of the Board
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MRS. ANNETTE PIERCE: Worthy Grand Matron, this is our Report No. 1.

# Report of the Board of Grand Trustees

**REPORT No. 1** 

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Officers and Members of Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star:

We, the Board of Grand Trustees, herewith submit a brief report of our work for the year 1969-1970. After the election of Mrs. Lillie May Hurst of Corpus Christi, Texas, to succeed Mrs. Lois Bell, who was retiring from the Board, the Board was reorganized as follows:

Mrs. Annette Pierce	Chairman
Mr. T. R. BramlettVio	ce-Chairman
Mr. Perry Smithwick	Secretary
Mr. Steve Baker	Member
Mrs. Lillie May Hurst	Member

Mrs. Lois Bell, the retiring Chairman of the Board, was given the privilege of presenting the keys to the new Grand Chapter Car to Mrs. Sally Matranga, along with a letter authorizing her to use the Grand Chapter Car to visit other Grand Jurisdictions.

The Board has held 6 meetings, including two joint meetings with the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolences. The dates of these meetings are: December 6, 1969; January 24, 1970; March 6, 1970 (joint meeting); April 27, 1970; May 23, 1970 (joint meeting), and July 25, 1970.

This report consists of the minutes of the six (6) called meetings held on the above dates and for brevity they are attached for recording in the proceedings. We urge you to read these minutes so that you may fully understand the works of your Board of Grand Trustees.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ANNETTE PIERCE, Chairman MR. T. R. BRAMLETT, Vice-Chairman MR. PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary MR. STEVE BAKER, Member MRS. LILLIE MAY HURST, Member

# MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF GRAND TRUSTEES DECEMBER 6, 1969

The Board of Grand Trustees of the Grand Chapter of Texas, O.E.S., met in Arlington, Texas, at 9:00 A. M. on December 6, 1969. All elected Board members were present. Sister Rebecca Miles was absent due to the death of her sister.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Annette Pierce, our chairman. Minutes of our organizational meeting was read and approved. The audit for the year 1968-1969 was studied and bookkeeping procedures were discussed. Motion was made, seconded and passed that our chairman request Rebecca Miles to attempt to employ a bookkeeper by the 1st of January, if possible, so that our auditor might work with them before his "rush season" starts around the 15th of January.

Meeting adjourned for the lunch hour and reconvened at 1:30 P. M.

The Board approved the removal of \$26,715.71 from the Sweetwater Savings & Loan Association, and to reinvest it in the best bonds available. This money is in the Endowment Interest Fund.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 P. M.

# Respectfully submitted,

# PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary

#### BOARD MEETING—JANUARY 24, 1970

Meeting of the Board of Grand Trustees was called to order by Annette Pierce, Chairman. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rebecca Miles, Grand Secretary.

Those in attendance were: Mrs. Annette Pierce, Chairman, Mr. T. R. Bramlett, Vice-Chairman, Mr. Perry Smithwick, Secretary, Mr. Steve Baker, Member, Mrs. Lillie May Hurst, Member, Mrs. Rebecca Miles, Grand Secretary, and Mrs. Jettie Hinton, Grand Treasurer.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Motion by Lillie May Hurst, seconded by Perry Smithwick, that our Auditors be paid \$4,000.00 (the actual cost of our audit). Motion carried.

Mrs. Miles reported that progress had been made toward hiring a bookkeeper, and thought that one would be employed before the end of January.

There seemed to be some misunderstanding between the Board of Grand Trustees and the Board of Grand Chapter Benevolence on the proceedure for replacing money spent from the Benevolent Fund. The Board of Trustees to notify the Benevolent Board to request money from the Grand Secretary in the amount as expended. The secretary of the Board requested a joint meeting with them to discuss bonding and insurance.

Mrs. Miles reported that she has collected \$1,100.00 from the Mae Morgan Estate and \$1,000.00 from Maggie Tynes Endowment Policy. Estates of several other deceased members are in the process of liquidation.

Letters from Mrs. Robbie Yates, in regard to Welfare Monies collected during the 1968-69 year, were read and discussed.

Adjourned for lunch at 11:45 A. M.

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Re-convened at 12:50 P. M. and continued the discussion of Welfare money.

Upon motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Steve Baker, that the above mentioned monies be invested in Treasury Bills for a period of 90 days, until we have an opportunity to meet with Mrs. Yates. Motion carried.

The Board Secretary is to notify Mrs. Yates of our next meeting date and invite her to meet with us.

Motion by Perry Smithwick, seconded by T. R. Bramlett, that monies coming in for the New Endowment Project be invested in Treasury Bills, and that interest earned be placed in the Endowment Interest Fund. Motion carried.

Motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Steve Baker, that we redeem our Series "H" Bonds and invest the money in Treasury Bills. These monies and amount are: \$66,500.00 HOME ENDOWMENT FUND; remove \$3,000.00 from HOME FUND (that matured in 1968) to make a total \$69,500.00 and \$3,000.00 FANNIE V. WARD FUND. Motion carried.

Our next meeting will be sometime near the end of March.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 2:30 P. M.

## Respectfully submitted,

# PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary

#### MINUTES OF BOARD OF GRAND TRUSTEES-MARCH 6, 1970

Meeting was called to order by Mrs. Annette Pierce, Chairman. Meeting was opened with prayer by T. R. Bramlett.

All members were present. Minutes of preceeding meeting were read, corrected and approved.

The Board of Grand Chapter Benevolences met with the Board of Grand Trustees. Mr. Dick Bernhard was invited to meet with us and explain insurance coverage on all O.E.S. property in Arlington. It is the consensus of both Boards that the insurance coverage is adequate at this time.

The Board of Benevolences requested monies for Phase III for the refurbishing of the O.E.S. Home. Since the architect could not be with us, no costs were available. The board deferred any action of refurbishing until cost estimates were available. The Benevolent Board was requested to get cost estimates, then re-present their request.

The Grand Treasurer was directed to invest the per capita money in Treasury Bills as it comes in at the close of the O.E.S. Year.

The Benevolent Board requested an allotment raise for residents of the Home. Motion by Perry Smithwick, seconded by Steve Baker, that each member in the Home be allowed \$20.00 instead of the \$10.00 per month, starting April, 1970. Motion carried.

Motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Steve Baker, to replace money which has been used for the Benevolent Fund. Motion carried.

Board adjourned for lunch at 11:55 A. M.

Re-convened at 1:15 P. M.

The Grand Treasurer was authorized to buy a new electric adding machine for a cost not to exceed \$200.00.

Meeting adjourned at 3:30 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

# PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary

#### MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING-APRIL 27, 1970

The Board of Grand Trustees met at 9:00 A. M., on Monday, April 27th, with all members present except Mrs. Lillie May Hurst. The meeting was called to order by our chairman, Mrs. Annette Pierce. Perry Smithwick opened with prayer.

Minutes of preivous meeting were read and approved.

A letter was read from Mr. Dick Bernhard stating that accident insurance for members attending Grand Chapter would be \$1.00 per person for a seven day period. Mr. Bernhard explained that the cost was up about 10 cents over last year. He is, however, seeking a policy at the same price of last year. Upon motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Steve Baker, approval was given Mr. Bernhard to secure insurance at the best price available, not to exceed \$1.00 per person.

Steve Baker made a motion-seconded by T. R. Bramlett to allow the purchase of a new ledger book for the secretary of the board. Motion carried.

Letter from Mrs. Virginia Phillips, secretary of the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolence, was read. The letter stated that their next meeting would be on May 23rd and invited the Board of Grand Trustees to meet with them on this date as bids for further refurbishing would be opened and discussed. The Board accepted this invitation.

Our present investment procedures were discussed-no action was taken.

Mrs. Mae Francis, a home resident passed away. Our legal advisor will work with the Benevolent Board to complete her estate papers before delivery to the Trustees for final disposition.

A motion was made by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Steve Baker, that the offer to buy Pearl Rogers property in Monohans be rejected and the property be retained until a later date. Motion carried.

Mrs. Frances Herrin, Associate Grand Matron, was welcomed to our meeting.

Our Worthy Grand Patron explained our Endowment Insurance Program,

Mrs. Miles reported we have received \$16,000 bequest from a friend in Dallas. The bequest has a provision that the money be used for the Home.

A monthly recap sheet of all monies received and the placement thereof was requested of the Grand Secretary (this has been received). Upon motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Steve Baker, the Worthy Grand Matron was authorized to purchase a new electric portable typewriter.

Received a report from Mrs. DeVore, chairman of the Executive Committee for 1969, returning \$1,402.97 to Grand Chapter. Mrs. DeVore is to be commended for the effective money management for this annual session.

Upon motion by Steve Baker, seconded by T. R. Bramlett, that one half of the insurance premium of \$25.00 on property we jointly own with the daughter of one of our Home members be paid. Motion carried.

Motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Steve Baker, that Steve Baker be authorized to sell all personal property of Mrs. Beulah Hampton for the best available price. Motion carried.

Perry Smithwick made a motion, seconded by T. R. Bramlett that the taxes be paid on the property at Monahans. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 3:25 P. M.

Fraternally submitted,

PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary

The Board of Grand Trustees met in the office of the Worthy Grand Matrons at 9 A. M., May 23, 1970. Meeting was called to order by Mrs. Annette Pierce and Perry Smithwick opened the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Sally Matranga, Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Rebecca Miles, Grand Secretary, and all elected members of the Board were present. Minutes of last meeting were read and corrected to show money from the estate of Mrs. Byron L. Price to be placed in a special hospital account. The Board accepted Grand Chapter insurance coverage as presented for a cost of \$1.00 per member.

Mr. Forrest Smith was interviewed as a prospective bookkeeper for Grand Chapter. Mrs. Miles and our Auditor are going to make final decision on his employment.

We met jointly with the Benevolent Board to open bids on final phase of refurbishing of the Home. The low bid of \$122,336.00 was submitted by Loftin Witcher and accepted.

Mrs. Sally Matranga was granted an allotment of \$2,000.00 for General Grand Chapter Officers entertainment. This item was inadvertently omitted from the budget at the time of approval.

Upon motion by Perry Smithwick, seconded by T. R. Bramlett, the Grand Secretary was authorized to pay for refurbishing as payment became due from incoming Home Funds and not disturb present investment at this time. Motion carried.

Motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Lillie May Hurst, that the Grand Treasurer be authorized to remove \$60,000.00 from the Home Fund Pass Book savings account as of July 1, 1970, and re-invest in the best available Government Securities. This money to be that which is producing the lowest yield. Motion carried. This money to be invested for a period up to 5 years.

Upon motion by T. R. Bramlett, seconded by Perry Smithwick, the property of Beulah Hampton in Big Springs to be sold by Steve Baker for best available price. Motion carried.

T. R. Bramlett made motion, seconded by Steve Baker, that Sister Mae Francis' property be sold for \$5,500.00. We pay the closing costs, this to be referred to Brother Chauncey Penix for completition.

Past Matron's pin of Sister Maggie Coons to be returned to Wedgwood Chapter.

Meeting adjourned at 3:45 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary

### MEETNG OF BOARD-JULY 25, 1970

The meeting of the Board of Grand Trustees was called to order at 9:30 A. M. by the chairman, Mrs. Annette Pierce, in the office of the Worthy Grand Matron. Meeting was opened with prayer by Perry Smithwick. All

elected members were present except T. R. Bramlett. Our Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer met with us. Motion was made that reading of minutes be deferred—motion carried.

Mr. Red Carrison and Mrs. Frank Blackstone of First Life Insurance Company were invited to present the Home Endowment Fund Expansion Program. The Board unanimously approved this program.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Motion by Steve Baker, seconded by Lillie May Hurst, that all instructions to Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer, pertaining to board business, be made by the board chairman or secretary, upon authorization of the board.

Reports show all papers belonging to Mae Francis Estate have been forwarded to Brother Chauncey Penix. Property now in process of liquidation.

Sister Hampton's property, in Big Springs, has not been sold as yet-negotiation in progress.

Mrs. Miles reported on meeting with Arlington officials on opening of Shannon Street behind O.E.S. property. All information on this project is to be sent to Brother Penix for him to handle in whatever manner he deems best.

Budget request from the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolences was received and studied. It will be presented to Grand Chapter for approval. (Copy is attached to these minutes.)

Mrs. Miles reported that a bookkeeper had been employed and was being trained.

Purchases of automobile for the incoming Worthy Grand Matron was discussed and our chairman was directed to contact Sister Herrin to ascertain her desire in an automobile.

Old papers found in the Home basement will be sent to Brother Penix to study and make disposition of same.

Resolution to raise salaries of Grand Secretary to \$500.00 per month and the Grand Treasurer to \$325.00 per month were prepared and signed by the Board to be presented to Grand Chapter.

Meeting adjourned at 3:50 P. M.

Fraternally submitted,

# PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary CHAUNCEY E. PENIX

# **REPORT No. 2**

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

We, the Board of Grand Trustees, are pleased to present for your approval the Proposed Budget of the Board of Grand Chapter Benevolences for the year 1970-1971.

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

# HOME FUND

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	1969-1970	1970-1971	Increase or (Decrease)
Home Salaries	\$ 51,100.00	\$ 55,600.00	\$ 4,500.00
Hospital Salaries	41,100.00	45,600.00	4,500.00
Payroll Taxes	. 4,850.00	5,227.00	377.00
Groceries	. 40,100.00	42,600.00	2,500.00
Utilities		20,100.00	2,350.00
Telephone	. 900.00	900.00	_0
Cars, Tractors, Mowers	. 1,150.00	1,150.00	0
Laundry and Cleaning		4,000.00	(2,000.00)
Doctors	. 4,000.00	5,000.00	1,000.00
Drugs and Hospital Supplies		9,000.00	1,000.00
Office Supplies and Postage		600.00	(150.00)
Yard Maintenance	. 3,000.00	3,000.00	0
Maintenance and Supplies	. 2,200.00	2,500.00	300,00
Pest Control	. 600.00	600.00	_0
Miscellaneous	. 500.00	500.00	0
	\$182,000.00	\$196,377.00	\$ 14,677.00
BO	DARD FUNDS		
Business Manager's Salary	\$ 4,800.00	0	(4,800.00)
Superintendent's Salary	5,250.00	5,400.00	<b>`</b> 150.00
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Registered Nurse's Salary	5,250.00	5,304.00	54.00
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Respectfully submitted,

ANNETTE PIERCE, Chairman T. R. BRAMLETT, Vice-Chairman PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary STEVE BAKER, Member LILLIE MAY HURST, Member

MR. T. R. BRAMLETT: I move the adoption of this report.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It has been moved and seconded that the report of the Board of Grand Trustees No. 2 be adopted. Is there discussion?

# JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, Sisters and Brothers:

This is one of the most important pieces of business that this Grand Chapter has to come before it, the Report of this Board of Grand Trustees. I deplore the fact that so few members are here this afternoon to hear this report that has so much to do with the welfare of our Home.

Were it not for the confidence I have in our Board of Grand Trustees I would certainly be seriously concerned. But I want to tell you, Sisters and Brothers, that if we are not going to stand behind this Board of Grand Trustees and our Benevolent Board, if we are not going to try to help them, I think it is a deplorable condition.

I am not objecting to this report, you understand. We just barely have a quorum here right now. And I think those of you who are here ought to make it your business to tell these members who are not here that tomorrow there is still going to be some very important business that is going to control the destiny of this Grand Chapter to a great degree. And I hope you will be an emissary and that you will make it your business to see to it that during tomorrow, and especially tomorrow morning and tomorrow afternoon, that the membership stay here so that they can vote.

I just wanted to say this in passing. I think the committee has made a good report. But it is too bad that so many people are not here to hear it. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: How many Chapters are represented here at this time? Will you please stand up.

Sisters and Brothers, there is hardly a quorum here for the transaction of Grand Chapter business.

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: I suggest that this splendid report be made in the morning. (Applause.)

MR. T. R. BRAMLETT: Sisters and Brothers, I would like to withdraw my motion to have the report adopted.

Thank you, Brother Clyde.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Brother Chuck Bramlett has withdrawn his motion to adopt the report until in the morning.

#### RECOGNITION OF ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, I would like to recognize at this time the Arrangements Committee.

Grand Marshal, you will present the Arrangements Committee in the West.

I would like to present at this time the Grand Chapter Arrangements Committee and to express my appreciation for the wonderful job this committee has done. (Prolonged applause.)

Thank you, very much.

# GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM LABOR TO REST

(The Bible was closed, and at 4:20 P. M. Grand Chapter was Called from Labor to Rest until 8:00 P. M.)

The Benediction was by the Grand Choir.

# Tuesday Evening, September 29, 1970 8:00 P.M.

The Tuesday Evening Session was Called to Order by Mrs. Edna Earl Duke, Past Grand Matron, and Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., Member of the Jurisprudence Committee, General Grand Chapter.

Preceding the Call to Order Organ Melodies were by Mrs. Pat Smith.

### CALL TO ORDER

MRS. EDNA EARL DUKE: Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brothers:

It is with particular pleasure that Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., and I greet you, our beloved Texas Membership, this Tuesday Evening of The Harp of Happiness Session. Our hearts are filled with happiness that we have been accorded the real privilege, through the graciousness of our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, of also welcoming our many Distinguished Members who are with us tonight from other Grand Juris-dictions.

Judge Simpson, will you welcome these distinguished members.

JUDGE MARVIN B. SIMPSON: Past Grand Matron, may I join with you in thanking our beautiful and beloved Worthy Grand Matron for this privilege of helping to open this Tuesday Evening Session. It brings back wonderful memories to me. Just a few short years ago it was our privilege to share the East in this Grand Chapter.

Thank you again for this privilege. (Applause.)

MRS. EDNA EARL DUKE: I now Call to Order this Tuesday Evening Session of the Eighty-eighth Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

Sister Grand Marshal, you will invite the Worthy Grand Matron, the Worthy Grand Patron and Grand Officers to enter the Gand Chapter Room, that we may enjoy their beautiful Grand Officers Drill.

#### ENTRANCE OF GRAND OFFICERS

The Grand Officers and their Personal Pages then entered the Grand Chapter Room and performed their Precious Rose Drill.

MRS. EDNA EARL DUKE: Grand Marshal, you will escort Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Katherine Poulis, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee and Judge Marvin Simpson, Member of the Jurisprudence Committee, all of the General Grand Chapter to the East.

Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris was escorted by Judge Clyde Smith, Past Grand Patron.

Mrs. Katherine Poulis was escorted by Mr. Byron Poulis.

Judge Marvin Simpson was escorted by Mrs. Earlyne Simpson.

While the General Grand Chapter Officers were being escorted to the East Mr. Richard L. Fisher sang "If I could Tell You of My Devotion."

MRS. EDNA EARL DUKE: Sister Mildred Harris, Sister Katherine Poulis and Judge Marvin Simpson, I am deeply honored to be in your presence as Texas' Own Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patron, now bearing titles of great distinction in the General Grand Chapter.

Sister Mildred Harris, as our most illustrious member, your gracious dignity and outstanding sevice to our Order when you served as our Most Worthy Grand Matron is always a source of great pride to each and every member of the Grand Chapter of Texas. We welcome you tonight with deep attachment and much respect. (Applause.)

Sister Katherine Poulis, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee, and one of our most esteemed Past Grand Matrons, we have all been most cognizant of the service you have rendered General Grand Chapter these three years in the office for which you are so eminently qualified. The membership of this Grand Chapter joins me in paying a special tribute of praise and love for the manner in which you always shoulder all responsibilities and successfully perform every duty. (Applause.)

Judge Marvin Simpson, Member of the Jurisprudence Committee, and my own Worthy Grand Patron who presided with me over our own Glad Tidings Sessions in this Coliseum in 1966, it is with personal pride that I greet you as a distinguished member of the Official Family of our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sayda Pettersen. The membership welcomes you with affection and salute your accomplishments. (Applause.)

This night has been set aside by our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron to honor the three of you. May it truly make your hearts sing the melody, "Loveliest Night of the Year," and be just that for each of you.

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, it is with difficulty that I attempt to word the appreciation in my heart for the courtesy you have extended to me of Calling this Sessing to Order with Judge Marvin Simpson, my own Worthy Grand Patron and Member of the Jurisprudence Committee of the General Grand Chapter. You must know the "Glad Tidings" memories that flood my whole being since last I stood here in 1966, just four short years ago. But of more importance are the moments of great pride now as I share with you the beauty and success of your own Harp of Happiness Session in this year of 1970.

Your talented fingers have plucked the strings of our hearts this year as you have diligently led and inspired our membership with you outstanding Home Endowment Program and other worthy projects. We have been impressed by your noble efforts and purposes to awaken all the members of Texas to a rededication of the landmarks of our order. We thrill with joy at your successful accomplishments. (Applause.)

I know Judge Simpson is anticipating the opportunity of addressing both of you.

JUDGE MARVIN B. SIMPSON: I want to thank you both again for this honor, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. (Applause.)

MRS. EDNA EARL DUKE: Now, Worthy Grand Matron, again with grateful thanks for this honor, I present your gavel.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Edna Earl Duke and Brother Marvin, Thank you for Calling this Session to Order.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Sister Edna Earl and Judge Marvin Simpson, I, too, would like to add my thanks and best wishes for presiding here, and we express our appreciation to you for Calling this Session to Order. My fellow townsman, Judge Simpson, I have been privileged to be with you on many occasions. We are grateful for your service to our Grand Chapter and for your presence at this session.

Thank you. (Applause.)

.WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the report of the International Temple Committee, Mrs. Loraine Porter.

#### REPORT OF INTERNATIONAL TEMPLE COMMITTEE "HARPS OF HAPPINESS" SESSION

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Other Distinguished Members, My Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, Dear Sally, I wish to thank you for your confidence in me and for the privilege and pleasure of having served on the committee of International Temple Fund. This year of service and my contact with the Chapters through our correspondence will always be a pleasant memory to me.

Although we had only one (1) Chapter reaching 100% goal this year, I feel that we have come just a little nearer in our effort of being a 100% Grand Chapter. The International Temple Building and its furnishings is a building worthy of representing our beautiful Order of the Eastern Star...so if you have not already given your "One Dollar Once in a Lifetime," will you not send it now so that this building may be perpetuated.

I wish to thank our Grand Secretary, Sister Rebecca Miles, for her time and assistance given me during the year.

I would like to thank our Worthy Grand Matron again for giving me this year of service in her Grand Family.

Respectfully submitted,

LORAINE M. PORTER Chairman of International Temple Fund Committee

# REPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL TEMPLE FUND THE YEAR—1969-1970

	Total Contributions received\$ 31	
2.	Total Bond Dollars credited	7.50
3.	100% Chapters Last Report	399
4.	100% Chapters To Date	400
5.	Chapters Attaining 100% 1969-1970	1
6.	100% Chapters Contributing to Fund	25
7.	Chapters Not 100% Contributing	1
8.	Chapters Contributing 1969-1970	31
	Chapters Showing Temple Slides	
	Letters Written	

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Sister Loraine Porter.

We will now have the report of the Fraternal Correspondent, Mrs. Marie Harcum.

# REPORT OF FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENT

# "MAKE ME AN INSTRUMENT OF THY PEACE"

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred Haney Harris, Our Two Distinguished Members of General Grand Chapter, Sister Katherine Poulis, Chairman of Public Relations Committee and Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., Member of the Jurisprudence Committee, Past Grand Matron, Past Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brothers:

I'd like to give a special thanks to: Herb Crow, J. C. Gilmore, Weldon High, D. A. Morris, Robert Wood and Claude Worthy and your very fine and cooperative Arrangements Committee, especially Grover Mathews, B. A. (Buck) Pinette, and David Bratton.

Love, goodwill, and understanding hearts exist everywhere as our Sisters and Brothers beautifully decorate Grand Chapter meeting rooms to carry out each individual theme for the year, as described below. Wouldn't it be wonderful if these great attributes could be bound together around our world? Today,

If we would only resolve to "Let There Be Peace On Earth And Let It Begin With Me" we would become an Instrument of God's Peace. Peace does not rest in the Charters and Covenants alone. It lies in the hearts and minds of each person. May we look forward with bright hopes to lasting Peace on Earth by it starting with each of us.

Worthy Grand Matron it has indeed been a pleasure for me to serve as your Fraternal Correspondent this past year. It was wonderful to visit with each Grand Jurisdiction through the pages of their Proceedings which was a rich and rewarding experience. Thank you most sincerely for having given me this opportunity. A special thanks to Sister Rebecca Miles, our Grand Secretary for getting the Proceedings to me promptly and printing the articles in our Bulletin throughout the year. I have received and visited with 53 Jurisdictions this year and find that basically we are all the same, but each Jurisdiction has its own personality. I would like to say a very special thank you to Sister Mildred Haney Harris, because of her friendship and courtesies extended me, through the years, this year was more meaningful since so many of these people I read about, I knew personally through Sister Mildred.

It is customary to give a history of the founding of our Order for the benefit of those who are attending our Grand Chapter for the first time. However, while the story merits repeating, this information is accessible, as it is in the Ritual, and if you have not read it, I urge you to do so, as it is most interesting.

The Order of The Eastern Star is International consisting of four Bodies: General Grand Chapter which was organized in 1876, and has Jurisdiction over 49 Grand Chapters in the United States, 10 in Canada, 1 in Puerto Rico and is over Subordinate Chapters in Alaska, Burma, Canal Zone, China, France, Germany, Hawaii, Japan, Mexico, The Netherlands, Okinawa, Philippines, West Indies and Yukon, for a total of 59 Grand Chapters over 14,150 Subordinate Chapters and over 3 million members. The Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland has Jurisdiction over Chapters in Australia, England, New Zealand, Scotland and South Africa and meets twice a year. The Independent Grand Chapter of New York and New Jersey have Jurisdiction over their own respective States.

Each Grand Jurisdiction under General Grand Chapter follows the same Ritual, but each has its own Constitution, Rules and Regulations. New York is governed by the Macoy Ritual and is the only State that displays Esther's Point of the Star upward. New Jersey is governed by a modified version of the Robert Morris Ritual.

The Ritual is published in English, Chinese, Spanish, Italian and German. Over the years many changes have taken place in the Ritual but the colors, emblems, signs, passes and cabolistic word have remained unchanged.

In all Jurisdictions, our Holy Bible rests upon every Altar, reminding us that our Order is founded on a belief in God. Prayer is a vital part of our ceremonies. Many of the informal openings were spectacular with their pageantry while others were beautiful in their simplicity. Church Services precede the opening of many Grand Sessions, and in many instances, these Worship Services are conducted as we conduct ours by young people who have received ESTARL Awards.

The Flag of our Country a symbol of our proud heritage holds the first place of honor and is always received in the East with great pride. Each individual State Flag, Eastern Star Flag and The Christian Flag are also received in the East in most Jurisdictions.

Our International Temple in Washington, D. C. displays the lighted Star within the Pentagon within the Circle—The Emblem of General Grand Chapter. This beautiful building contains 54 rooms 20 of which are opened for visitors to view the priceless furnishings given by members from all parts of the world. Rooms in the Temple are also used for the residence of The Right Worthy Grand Secretary, and for offices of The Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron. The value of our Temple is placed at three million dollars, is completely paid for, and is maintained by funds to which every member pays \$1,00 once in a life time.

The International Peace Garden was established and dedicated on July 24, 1932, commerating the 150 years of Peace between U. S. and Canada, and is located on the boundary between Manitoba and North Dakota, and is an example of unity of purpose and sincere fraternalism. It covers over 2,300 acres, 888 being donated by the State of North Dakota and 1,451 acres being donated by the Province of Manitoba. It is a symbol of peace between Canada and the United States. The entrance to this Garden is guarded by two Flags, Old Glory and The Canadian Maple Leaf. Its purpose is clearly stated on the bronze plaque which is inscribed "To God In His Clory" we two Nations dedicate this Garden and pledge ourselves that as long as man shall live we will never take up arms against each other." Almost every Grand Jurisdiction supports this project. When Most Worthy Grand Matron Abbie Hanson and Most Worthy Grand Patron Franklin Miles, prescribed over the "World Peace Session" in 1952, which was the 27th Triennial in Milwaukee, Eastern Star became a part of this project. Our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda Pettersen has had as her project to have a Chapel in the Peace Garden and I'm pleased to advise that on July 18, 1970, this Chapel was dedicated in a beautiful and impressive ceremony. Our Most Worthy Grand Matron presented the Chapel and it was accepted by John Storman, President of the Internation Peace Garden Inc. The corner stone was laid by our Most Worthy Grand Matron assisted by members of the Peace Garden Committee, and Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons and Patrons. An Organ was given for the Chapel and dedicated by R. Donald Stewart, Past Grand Patron of Ontario, and Sister Irene Ramsey, Past Grand Matron, who has visited us many times served on this committee this Triennial. It was in Milwaukee that The Eastern Star as an organization started the interest and became a part of the International

Peace Garden and in Milwaukee this our Most Worthy Grand Matron will submit her report that the Chapel has been given by The Eastern Stars.

From the wealth of material available, this is just a short resume of some of the interesting items gleaned from my reading. A more complete statistical report of the various Jurisdictions will be printed in the Proceedings.

#### DID YOU KNOW?

Indicative of the fact that we are a Benevolent, Christian and Patriotic Order is substantiated by the contributions totaling in the millions given to charity annually. All Jurisdictions support General Grand Chapter projects as well as special projects of their own. Most Jurisdictions contribute to the support and Maintenance of Eastern Star and Masonic Homes as well as Homes for children. Many support our Youth Organizations: International Order of Rainbow for Girls, Jobs Daughters and DeMolay Boys. The lack of attendance and loss of membership seems to be a great problem throughout our Order and much effort is being expended to keep our Chapters active and alive with enthusiasm.

Grand Chapter Sessions vary in length from 1 to 5 days and registration fees range from 50c to \$5.00.

Approximately 30 Grand Jurisdictions allow dual membership.

Texas and Kansas are the only two Grand Chapters that place the Square and Compass on the Open Bible. Texas has more Subordinate Chapters than any other State.

Alabama grades their Chapters by Point System.

Arizona has a "Square and Compass" Association for Crippled Children.

Arkansas' Worthy Grand Matron sent 5,623 cards to O.E.S. Shut-ins.

After the Flags have been presented at Grand Chapter the Star Point Emblems are presented in ceremony.

British Columbia gave \$8,024.00 to Cancer Research and Dressing, their outstanding project.

Connecticut has a Worthy Grand Matron's Emergency Fund to be used at her discretion to help needy Sisters and Brothers.

District of Columbia have a group called "Star Ladies" who assist daily at The Masonic and Eastern Star Homes.

Delaware—Each Chapter takes part in their Memorial Service. Chapters having a death presented a white flower and those not having a death presented with a Red Flower of Thankfulness.

Florida has an Eastern Star Magazine of 48 pages with subscriptions from many other Jurisdictions.

In Iowa the Fraternal Correspondent's Report is given at the Grand Representatives' Luncheon.

Kansas, may vote to give a Life Membership but this must be approved by The Worthy Grand Patron before it is presented.

Kentucky members make an Annual Pilgrimage to home of Dr. Rob Morris at LaGrange, Ky. The Masonic Widows and Orphans Home in Louisville has been in operation 100 years and was the first Masonic Home in the world.

Louisiana's Worthy Grand Matron had as her project "To Enrich The Lives of Others"—1,095 benefitted by it with useful articles in a chest on Valentine's Day. Funds for this came from Worthy Grand Matron's corsage Fund and Worthy Grand Patron's Boutonniere Fund.

Manitoba gave to 24 charitable organizations a total of \$21,778.00. Also, in Manitoba, a pair of white gloves is given the Worthy Grand Matron if there are no grievances during the year.

Michigan is oldest Grand Chapter, holding their 102nd Session.

Nova Scotia is the youngest—only 21 years old; Ohio is the largest and Puerto Rico, the smallest, and conducts their meetings in Spanish. They support a Leper Colony.

In Massachusetts, a loving cup is presented to the Chapter that has the greatest average per capita, contribution to a special scholarship award.

Nebraska sponsors the Fremont Home for Boys.

In Nevada Chapter members remain seated when the Bible is opened informally.

Main has two Chapters on Islands, one 3 miles and one 12 miles at Sea.

North Carolina gave 15-50-Year Pins this year.

North Dakota fines Chapters \$10.00 if they are not represented at Grand Chapter Sessions.

New Hampshire and Maine Grand Officers held an Exchange Night with 547 members present and 109 different Chapters represented.

Oklahoma Grand Officers provide Christmas for the Home for the Aged. The Program is given by children supervised by their director.

Pennsylvania sponsored a cruise to Hawaii and proceeds were given to their Home Maintenance and Operating Fund. They maintain two Eastern Star Homes and give two Rainbow Girls Scholarships each year.

Rhode Island is the only Grand Jurisdiction that completes its Grand Chapter Session in one day.

Saskatchawan-adopted a 5 year old Chinese Daughter living in Taiwan.

Scotland commissions Brothers as Grand Representatives.

During Degrees when the Associate Conductress reports there are candidates in waiting, the Treasurer retires and collects the dues.

Supreme Grand Chapter meets twice a year, one day in April and one in October. Supreme Grand Committees do most of their work and meet several times a year. Grand Officers serve two years. Queen Mother of England is a member of Supreme Grand Chapter.

South Carolina has traveling Stars. A certificate is given for 20 visits on The Worthy Grand Matrons Itinerary. Blue Bird Pin is given for each 20 additional visits.

Tennessee has a "Look Out Committee" who receive information from all Chapters on cards sent, Flowers, phone calls, food, fruit baskets, etc. Results most rewarding.

Vermont has 11 Districts and each has District Deputy Grand Matron and District Deputy Grand Patron.

Virginia's Worthy Grand Matron's name is Mary. The Matrons and Patrons called themselves "Mary's Little Lambs." Open Installations are not permitted in Grand 'Jurisdictions of Virginia and California. They may be held on Sunday with Special Dispensation and upon majority vote of Chapter. One Chapter in Louisiana meets on Sunday. North Carolina maintains "Camp Rainbow." Iowa holds a 3 day School of Instruction for District Instructors and Grand Officers. Wyoming is the home of Our Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron, Sister Mae Mickelson.

Today, we are living in a changing world, but after reading the Proceedings of our Grand Jurisdictions, I am most definite in my belief that there is one group of people who feel the strong bonds of fraternal love and spiritual kinship, who have faith, who pray, who have courage compassion and humility and do not believe that God is dead. They are the Members of the Order of the Eastern Star.

In securing a theme for this report—realizing that Sister Mildred Haney Harris had for her "Peace In Our Father's World" and Sister Katherine Poulis and Brother Marvin Simpson represent our present Most Worthy Grand Matron who's theme is "Forward To Peace In God's Cathedral" and Our Worthy Grand Matron's purpose is "Music of The Heart" with the Lyre her Emblem and her Session "Harps of Happiness" I could think of nothing more appropriate than "Make Me An Instrument of Thy Peace."

On every heart throughout the world, there is one thought—one prayer. May all men live as Brothers and Peace reign everywhere. To have Peace it must begin with each and everyone of us. A Harp of many strings cannot be played if one string is lost and as long as one person has hate in his heart we cannot have peace. At this time, Brother Richard L. Fisher, Accompanied by our Grand Organist, Sister Mertis Stone will bring us in Music and Song:

"Let There Be Peace On Earth And Let It Begin With Me."

Thank you, Dick and Mertis.

Our Grand Representatives play a most important role in our Grand Jurisdictions. They are the Diplomatic Corps of The Eastern Star and have the rare opportunity to live in the making of Eastern Star History. As envoys of a special mission Grand Representatives from all over the world join hands in the True Spirit of Fellowship and Service, to help speed the day when all the world will realize the importance of that great Commandment that we must "Love One Another." They strengthen the bonds of fraternal friendship through correspondence and visits to their Jurisdiction's Grand Chapter Session which many have made from our Grand Jurisdiction this year, proving that it is the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man that will bring Peace to the World.

To all visiting Grand Representatives, it has been a pleasure to greet you and the members of this Grand Jurisdiction join with me in extending you a warm Texas Size Welcome. To our very own Grand Representatives you have carried out our Worthy Grand Matron's and Worthy Grand Patron's purpose in Sharing your *Courage* with others, in having *Compassion* for those less fortunate and serving with *Humility*. At this time our Grand Representatives will make a formation for you of the Lyre, the emblem of our Worthy Grand Matron. It will be formed with three string, one of *Compassion* one of *Courage* and one of *Humility*. Our leaders for this formation will be Sisters, Mildred Love, Sarah Fingers, Opal Tippen, Agnes Morris and Alma Chandler.

At this time without saying anything, Grand Marshal will escort:

Worthy Grand Matron—Worthy Grand Patron (Spot will follow them) as Dick Fisher sings—"Around the World."

Sister Katherine Poulis and Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr. (Spot will follow them) as Dick Fisher sings "Everywhere You Go." They are escorted to the two strings on either side of the Lyre.

Sister Mildred Haney Harris (Spot Fellows Her and is *held* on her and the two General Grand Officers either side of her in the Lyre) Dick Fisher sings I'll Weave a Lei of Stars.

Music is the only language in which you cannot say a mean or sarcastic thing. Happy the world would be if we could all sing our message as Brother Richard L. Fisher has just sung our message to these Honored and Distinguished Members, accompanied by our Grand Organist, Sister Mertis Stone.

# GRAND MARSHAL NOW CONDUCTS WORTHY GRAND MATRON, WORTHY GRAND PATRON AND HONOREES BACK TO GRAND EAST

Our leaders will now conduct our Grand Representatives back to their places in the Grand Chapter Room. As they move quietly, Brother Richard L. Fisher accompanied by our Grand Organist, Sister Mertis Stone will bring us in Music and song—"Eternal Life."

Thank you sincerely Richard Fisher, Mertis Stone, Grand Representatives and Thank you our General Grands.

Sister Sally has given us the Instrument and our Past Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Matron have given us the Theme of "Peace." It is not "Peace" in terms of war with other nations we need, it is placing our hands in God's hand and submitting completely to His will whereby, we will become an Instrument of His Peace because we will have Peace of Mind, Peace of Heart, Peace of Soul, and through Him each of us will become an Instrument of Peace throughout His world. Yes, Lord, Make Me An Instrument of Thy Peace.

#### MARIE HARCUM Fraternal Correspondent

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I know that everyone has enjoyed this report. (Applause.)

May we hear now from Judge Marvin Simpson.

JUDGE MARVIN B. SIMPSON: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Officers, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

This report tonight tells more than I could express to you in words.

It is indeed a privilege, a pleasure, and a high honor to represent the great State of Texas and the Order of the Eastern Star in the General Grand Chapter.

As you know, very shortly General Grand Chapter will be meeting in Milwaukee. If you have the opportunity you should attend, because this is the Body that controls all the Subordinate Jurisdictions and the laws and rituals emanate from that source.

I, again, want to thank you Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for this privilege, and to wish for you a most successful Grand Chapter Session.

Thank you again for this privilege. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Judge Marvin Simpson.

May we now have a word from Sister Katherine Poulis.

MRS. KATHERINE POULIS: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Guests, My Sisters and Brothers:

As you see, it is not on the printed program that I am scheduled to speak tonight.

Last year on a similar event the hour had gotten quite late and when it came time for my address I gave my address to an almost empty house, except for a few hardy souls who had managed to hold out. Further than that, my good friend Hall Etter did not take down my address, as he thought it was a prepared speech, and most of it was not. So the Proceedings simply read, "Sister Katherine Poulis gave an eloquent address."

Somehow or other, in spite of the lost speech, Grand Chapter managed to survive. (Applause.) So I believe, Sisters and Brothers, our Grand Chapter might profit perhaps by hearing less speeches. (Applause.) So I think again this year the Proceedings might report that I gave my address eloquently as Room 1025, Rice Hotel. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It is now my happy privilege to present to you our Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris. (Applause.)

#### GREETINGS-MRS. MILDRED HANEY HARRIS

MRS. MILDRED HANEY HARRIS: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Committee Members, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas, beloved friends of this Texas Grand Chapter—

Thank you, my lovely Worthy Grand Matron, for the privilege and courtesy of bringing Greetings from the General Grand Chapter on this evening of Inspiration and beauty. The melodies of the music and song and your words of friendship will make this special session of "Harp of Happiness" live always in our heart.

You took your lovely Gold Harp to Miami, Florida, and gave us the beautiful strains of your music at my installation as your Most Worthy Grand Matron. I shall ever love you for the peace and harmony you brought into my heart with the tender strains of sweet music at that very early "Sun Up" Installation. You will remember that daylight was breaking when the benediction was given.

That gift from you of "Peace of Heart" went with me through the three busy years of service and travel with our more than 3 million members around the Fraternal World. My deepest appreciation and thanks for those melodies which linger on.

It is a Miracle that the Stars were put in place.

It is a Miracle the earth was hung in space.

This World is a part of that glorious firmament—a part of that miracle a small part but we hope an in intelligent part and a great Spiritual part.

The living pictures, brought to us during the flights of our Astronauts, of its beauties and wonders as seen by them, flying through the Star light trails around the World and beyond to the sentimental Moon, prove that it is beautiful beyond description.

It was my privilege as your Most Worthy Grand Matron to fly around this World, touching down in many Cities and Towns of many Countries, visiting in remote villages as well as the Capitols of the world. I found, at that time, deep appreciation for Our Order of the Eastern Star, its purposes and teachings were important in the minds and hearts of our Fraternal leaders and most of the membership. There was a great dedication to our Christian way of Life.

However, our records at that time were showing a decrease in membership by demission or suspension. That was our first signal of distress in our great Fraternal Order which reaches from the Far East to the Middle East to the West, the North and the South.

Today, in this short span of time we find ourselves facing a completely different World. *Is this* World today a completely new world in which our sound basic truths have lost purpose? Never in our history has a social Order undergone such far reaching disturbances *at one time*.

Changes have ordinarily come more slowly. People, in the past, have been for the most part able to adjust themselves to life's changes which bring a new way of living. It has not always been done easily or peacefully but we were able to keep *something* to cling to that had a secure stable core.

So, we are concerned—vitally concerned—Concern with the future is easy to understand—we are living in a swirling world where change is coming so fast that we feel the "Future" is truly crowding the "Now."

Halloween for the children has completely crowded out Thanksgiving for the adults; and we find ourselves in one mighty swoop from October to Christmas and the New Year.

*Our Fraternal Order* is caught in this whirling Movement of humanity's mass along with our other dedicated groups, even our Churches.

Change has always been a part of human existence. The thing that is different now is the *pace* of change. What are the prospects of this change in the future? Will it continue to accelerate and come faster and faster? Will it effect every part of our life, our personal values, our morality and even our religion?

Some believe it will. We felt the great concern of the M. W. Grand Master on last evening as he spoke to us. However, this major upheaval, which we are going through is difficult to comprehend much less adjust to.

In this period of change we must seek to make our old truth's more meaningful and influential in this new environment. This and this alone should be the underlying philosophy in meeting these changes.

Our Order may require a different outreach and approach to its teachings; and our dedication to its meanings and its purpose must be greater.

Why do we not have a greater percentage of our fine Masonic Order interested? Do they hear too much discussion at home of the problems which we create, in our Chapters by often being self centered, self willed, desiring to run things our way and just in general being unkind to *some* instead of being kind, forbearing and forgiving to all.

These unhappy situations, where they exist, must be resolved only in our Chapter rooms. No person outside should know of our problems and we, as individuals, should try not to dictate or run the affairs of our Chapter or Grand Chapter. This same mistake of creating friction in our Chapter or Grand Chapter has a tremendous influence on our sons and daughters our young people. They are not interested in being a part of this intrigue or discord, and so they are staying away from the Orders which in years past were a great influence on building character in the lives of the young people.

So let's get back to the dedication of the real purposes of our Order in family life.

Let's be kind, forbearing and forgiving towards all people. Let's live in our daily lives, our pronounced belief in the existence of our Supreme Being.

Let's live with an understanding heart and forgiveness for even the one who does us wrong. Let's emulate the teachings and example of the Founder of our Order who was gentle, kind, tender of heart and loving in disposition toward all.

We will then make a better world in this age of great change, for ourselves and especially for our young people. "For 'tis love and love alone the world is seeking." (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Sister Mildred Haney Harris, for that beautiful message.

Sisters and Brothers, it is still a little early. We have our Grand Choir over here, and I think it would be a good idea if they would sing for us. (Applause.)

## GRAND CHOIR

The Grand Choir sang "Healing."

## BENEDICTION

The Benediction was by Mrs. Barbara Harrison, Grand Chaplain.

# Wednesday Morning, September 30, 1970 9:00 A. M.

The Wednesday morning session was Called to Order by Mrs. Eunice Connell, Past Grand Matron, and Mr. Chauncey Penix, Past Grand Patron.

Preceding the Call to Order Organ melodies were by Mrs. Pat Smith.

# CALL TO ORDER

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: September is summer's fruition, the fulfillment of Spring's promise. As one of the pages from the closing season of color and splendor unfolds before our eyes the glories of harvest time are revealed.

The God of Beauty has blessed our efforts, our deeds and our labors, and we are here to view the harvest of this year enriched with colors truly divine.

So for many of us autumn is the most glorious time of the year. I think I can agree, for it is truly a blessing to greet each of you again, and I look forward to every moment with you.

I now Call to Order this Wednesday morning session of the Harp of Happiness Session, of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

We will now be favored by the Sound of Music Drill by the Grand Pages, Assistant Warders, Grand Sentinels and the Masonic Education Committee.

# SOUND OF MUSIC DRILL

The Grand Pages, Assistant Grand Warders, Assistant Grand Sentinels and Masonic Education Committee Members entered the Grand Chapter Room with the Grand Organist playing the "Sound of Music." They formed a beautiful Harp of Happiness. The drill was written and conducted by the Grand Marshal, Mrs. Billie Rogers.

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Sister Grand Marshal, you will invite the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and other Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter Room.

# ENTRANCE OF GRAND.OFFICERS

The Grand Officers entered in regular formation, and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were intoduced, and given Gand Honors. The Grand Officers then assumed their stations.

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Sister Mertis Stone, Grand Organist, Grand Choir Director Miss Peggy Patterson, and Grand Choir, thank you for your beautiful music this morning. The language of tones belongs equally to all mankind, and melody is the absolute language in which the musicians speaks to every heart. Grand Organist, Grand Choir Director and Grand Choir, you have spoken to every heart here this morning.

Sisters and Brothers, let us show our appreciation. (Applause.)

Brother Chauncey, I am deeply grateful that our Worthy Grand Matron has afforded us this pleasure. Your's and Sister Mildred's friendship is a priceless treasure to me and to the entire membership. I am sure they would like to hear from you.

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: Sister Eunice Connell, Past Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

I feel like saying to you, take off your shoes, the formal part of this is over.

I want to thank you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, for inviting us to open this Grand Chapter Session. I doubt very seriously the Worthy Grand Patron had anything to do with it. I am judging by my own experience in the Order.

After sixteen years I am most surprised that any person would remember that I ever served or that anybody would ever invite me to assist in opening Grand Chapter. I was a young man when I took the office. I appreciate my friends in Grand Chapter. If you took them away I wouldn't be here, I will tell you that. Unless I could be associated with them I would stay at home on the banks of the creek in my little town, and I wouldn't even think about Grand Chapter. I appreciate all of you, and I appreciate the service I have had with my Worthy Grand Matron. I am not going to tell you that life was smooth and that everything was perfect while we served. But I will tell you we never had a serious thing come between us.

I am proud that I had th privilege of serving with my own Worthy Grand Matron. I appreciate her and I appreciate her husband.

Thank you. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Worthy Grand Matron, I want to thank you for inviting my Worthy Grand Patron and me to open this Wednesday Morning Harp of Happiness Session of our beloved Grand Chapter.

Worthy Grand Matron, music has played a very important part in your life. Through it you have scored a host of friends. It was through your music that we met.

This may seem to be a strange comparison to you, but in memory I recall your beautiful harp upon which you played so skillfully. I have come to believe a harp such as yours has much in common with you and me. It was made by a Master Craftsman, beautifully constructed remarkably responsive, and efficiently played, it vibrates with thrilling tones of harmony.

We, too, give off vibrations by words, thoughts, deeds and feelings, and if tuned into the right vibrations we create harmony and beauty in our own life and in the lives of others. So for a beautiful year of service I salute you, my treasured friend and Master Music Maker. Your melodies will linger in the hearts of all of us in the years to come.

Worthy Grand Patron, it is my observation that the Worthy Grand Patron sometimes feels that he is second fiddle. But remember, Dick, the leader of an orchestra is always a man who had played second fiddle.

Seriously, Worthy Grand Patron, life gives to every man a staff and a scale of notes. The song he sings is one of his own fashioning. The world will stop to hear it if it is sweet. If it be brave and good they will follow him. You have been a good leader in your own right, and we shall long remember your service to our beloved Order.

Worthy Grand Matron, I now present you the gavel so that you may preside.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Sister Eunice Connell.

#### GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM REST TO LABOR

Grand Chapter was proved, the Bible was opened, and Grand Chapter was Called from Rest to Labor at 9:45 A. M.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, our Invocation this morning will be given in song by our Grand Choir.

# INVOCATION

For the Invocation the Grand Choir sang "I Am Weak and Thou Art Strong."

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Eunice and Brother Chauncey, thank you very much for Calling this Wednesday Morning Session to Order.

Sister Eunice, we appreciate your beautiful words and it is our hope that we may continue to warrant them in service to our Great Order.

Brother Chauncey, it is always a great satisfaction to have your presence in Grand Chapter and to have the benefit of your long and cherished service to our Order.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Sister Eunice Connell and Brother Chauncey Penix, I, too, would like to thank you for Calling this Session to Order. And remember that I was a Chauncey Penix boy and that I got interested in working in Grand Chapter along about the time you two were serving in the Grand East.

Now, Brother Chauncey, I know that we Past Grand Patrons sometimes are not remembered too well, and I want to recite a little experience I had this year at one of the schools. Some of the boys were talking, and one of them said, "I was one of the Smith boys." And then one of them said, "I was one of the Chauncey Penix Boys."

# And somebody said, "Who was that?" (Applause.)

But, Brother Chauncey, I want you to know that I remember that I was one of the Chauncey Penix boys and I am very proud of your fine service to Grand Chapter. Thank you for your wonderful service. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Our Devotional this morning will be brought by our charming and talented Past Grand Matron, Mrs. Cynthia May Watts.

# DEVOTIONAL

#### MRS. CYNTHIA MAY WATTS, Past Grand Matron:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

In the quietness of this early morning hour, in reverence and in praise, we lift our hearts to the throne of God to rejoice and give thanks for this gloriously beautiful day the Lord has given to us.

The Psalmist says: Praise God in His Sanctuary; praise Him in the firmament of His power. Praise Him for His mighty acts; Praise Him according to His excellent greatness. Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet: Praise Him with the Psaltery and Harp: Praise Him with the Timbrel and Dance: Praise Him with stringed instruments and Organs. Praise Him upon the loud Cymbals: Praise Him upon the high sounding Cymbals: Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. Psalm 150.

The Apostle Paul says "In Everything Give Thanks for it is the Will of God in Jesus Christ Concerning You." 1 Thessalonians 5:18.

This is a personal message to the Believer in Jesus Christ. It is real; it is meaningful, it is wonderful. At this moment I give thanks to a loved one for giving me a little book that has been such an inspiration. It contains assets

of incomparable values in faith and love, revelations of a dedicated life to God's will and way. Now I want to share with you some excerpts from this book entitled: "Mine Eyes Have Seen The Clory" by Anita Bryant, a nationally known singer and entertainer.

Many of you have seen and heard Miss Bryant on Television and heard her say "Breakfast Without Orange Juice Is Like A Day Without Sunshine!"

Millions of people know Anita Bryant through her appearances on the Billy Graham Crusades; For seven consecutive stints with Bob Hope Christmas Tours to perform for American Service Men in Viet Nam, and other far flung military bases throughout the world.

Anita Bryant was born in Oklahoma, and lived with a big singing, church-going family. God blessed this beautiful girl with a Golden Talent, a beautiful voice that was to charm millions. Her beloved grandparents recognized at an early age that this little girl possessed an unusual talent so they encouraged her by saying over and over again: Sing, Anita Sing.

The first performance of this young entertainer was in her own Church; at the age of two years she sang her favorite song: Jesus Loves Me This I Know, For The Bible Tells Me So.

As a teenager Anita Bryant accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Lord and Saviour. Prayer became her chief weapon against fear. From that time on and throughout her life, Miss Bryant never makes a decision without first taking the matter to the Lord in prayer. She never goes before a camera or on stage without first askintg God for His blessing.

In life there are experiences of happiness and there are experiences of sadness. The life of Miss Bryant was no exception. In her early teenage life she suffered a great heartache that seemed so unnecessary. Her mother and father separated and this divided their home sweet home. With her troubled heart, one night Anita knelt beside her bed and prayed: Lord Please Guide Me. I Need You So Much At This Time. I want to do your will. Quite a few tears streamed down her face, then suddenly Miss Anita said: "I felt a tremendous, indescribable peace descend upon me. I knelt there drained of all feeling and tension, simply waiting—how long I knelt there I do not know, but I do remember I jumped to my feet, feeling absolutely washed with relief and joy because I know that God had blessed me with his great love and definitely wanted me to serve him with my life. This was my great moment of submissiveness."

Anita Bryant has received countless professional honors since she became at 18, second runner-up to Miss America in the Miss America Pageant in Atlantic City, New Jersey. During this time a very handsome, young man, by the name of Bob Green, from Miami, Florida, served as one of her escorts. She was not aware of the impression she had made on him nor of his serious intentions. Two years later Bob Green and Anita Bryant were married, and moved to Miami, Florida to make their home.

Following the Miss America Pageant, Miss Bryant engaged in professional singing, and soon achieved her first gold record, followed by numerous other outstanding records and albums in sacred, patriotic, popular and show categories.

The night she lifted her tremendous voice in the White House in singing "The Battle Hymn of The Republic" something amazing happened. Electrified by the fervent way she sang "Mine Eyes Have Seen The Glory" the President of the United States led his world famous guests in a standing ovation. Anita Bryant has appeared 14 times at the White House. In 1968 she became the first vocalist ever to appear on the podiums of both the Democratic and Republican Conventions. She is the youngest citizen ever elected to the Oklahoma Hall of Fame.

One of the greatest personal triumphs of Miss Anita Bryant was experienced at the funeral of her beloved Grandmother, who had given her so much love and so much encouragmnt to sing. In flying from Miami to Tulsa, Anita prayd over and over for the Lord to give her strength to sing, As a beautiful tribute to a great loved one, as a personal testimony to kindred and friends, Anita Bryant for a moment hung her head in silent prayer, then lifted her golden voice through a ray of sunshine that instantly enveloped her, she sang "My God How Great Thou Art."

For Anita Bryant and her Husband-Manager, Bob Green, and their four miracle children, they have worked hard to keep their family life paramount. "It is in my home," she said, "I want to always to witness for my Christ. There is no such thing as private Christianity. It takes every kind of witness from every kind of Christian to share the power of Jesus' Love."

"My own best witness is through the medium of music. In many times and places, 'Mine Eyes Have Seen The Glory'—the glory that seems so bright— at home."

(At this time Mrs. Watts presented to the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, a copy of this book.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Sister Cynthia May Watts, for that beautiful and inspiring devotional.

At this time we will have the adoption of the Fraternal Correspondent's Report. I recognize Mrs. Marie Harcum.

# ADOPTION OF REPORT OF FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENT

MRS. MARIE HARCUM: Worthy Grand Matron, thank you again for naming me as your Fraternal Correspondent.

And I want to express my appreciation to Dick Fisher for assisting in our report with his wonderful voice. And thank you, our membership, for staying and listening to the Fraternal Correspondent's Report.

Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Fraternal Corespondent's Report as given last eveing.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the adoption of the International Temple Committee Report.

# ADOPTION OF INTERNATIONAL TEMPLE COMMITTEE REPORT

MRS. LORAINE PORTER: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the International Temple Committee Report as given last evening.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for the privilege of serving.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Our Grand Treasurer did not give her report yesterday, so at this time we will have the report of the Grand Treasurer.

# Report of Grand Treasurer

To the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order Eastern Star:

I present for your consideration a summary of cash receipts, disbursements, balances and investments in the funds for the period of September 5, 1969, to July 31, 1970.

A Supplemental Report will be in the Proceedings due to the date of Grand Chapter.

# BENEVOLENT FUND

Balance September 5. 1969 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings	$\begin{array}{c} \$ & 66,987.11 \\ 17,269.12 \\ 2,010.77 \end{array}$
Disbursements:	
Paid to Home Board         \$ 14,750.00           Balance July 31, 1970         71,517.00	
	\$ 86,267.00
Allocation of Funds:	
Peoples State Bank, Baytown Midland National Bank, Midland, Texas First National Bank, Hurst, Texas Republic National Bank, Dallas, Texas Marshall Savings & Loan, Marshall, Texas	$\begin{array}{c} \$ & 24,165.54 \\ 11,307.45 \\ 10,167.34 \\ 14,824.70 \\ 11,051.97 \end{array}$
	\$ 71,517.00
HOME WELFARE FUND	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings	\$`53.994.51 36,559.44 1,082.18
Disbursements:	
Purchase Treasury Bills\$ 59,793.87 Balance July 31, 1970	
\$ 91,636.13 Balance in Harris County Savings & Loan, Baytown, Texas.	\$ 91,636.13
ENDOWMENT INTEREST FUND	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings	\$ 39,841.84 25,750.46 1,052.45
Disbursements:	
Purchase Bonds	
\$ 66,644.75 Balance in Texas Bank & Trust, Sweetwater, Texas.	\$ 66,644.75

# HOME EXPANSION FUND

Balance September 5, 1969	\$ 16,464.15
Disbursements:         10,334.52           Paid to Beals Construction Co.         \$ 10,334.52           Paid to Preston Geren         1,753.57           Balance July 31, 1970         4,376.06	
\$ 16,464.15 Balance in Checking, Peoples State Bank, Baytown, Texas.	\$ 16,464.15
HOME ENDOWMENT FUNDS	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings	\$ 23,231.09 3,709.68 131.25
	\$ 27,072.02
Allocation of Funds: First City National Bank, Houston, Texas Jacksonville Eldg. & Loan, Jacksonville, Texas Graham Savings & Loan, Graham, Texas Jacksonville Bldg. & Loan, Jacksonville, Texas	\$ 2,700.09 10,000.00 10,000.00 4,371.93
· · · ·	\$ 27,072.02
HOME ROOM FURNITURE	
Balance September 5, 1969 Balance in First National Bank, Dallas, Texas.	\$ 1,456.40
HOME HOSPITAL FUND	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from Savings	5 - 0 - 0 0 0 0
Balance in American Savings & Loan, Grand Prairie, Texas.	\$ 16,458.73
1969 O.E.S. MILEAGE FUND	
Mileage Appr.	\$ 16,000.00
Disbursements:	φ 20,000.00
Paid to Delegates       9,908.76         Refund to Grand Secretary       6,000.00         Balance for late checks       91.24	-t
\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00
K. T. EYE FOUNDATION	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary	
Disbursements: Paid to A. C. Martindale	•
\$ 2,524.20 Balance in First National Bank, Big Spring, Texas.	\$ 2,524.20

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# CANCER FUND

Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary	\$ $899.64 \\ 42.00^{\circ}$
Disbursements:	\$ 941.64
raid to M. D. Anderson Hospital, Houston\$ 941.64	

#### PURL ESTATE FUNDS

Balance September 5, 1969	\$ 30,719.09
Received from Grand Secretary	4,874.99
Interest from savings	874.49
Allocation of Funds: Odessa Savings & Loan, Odessa, Texas	\$ 36,468.57

\$ 36,468.57

EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings	$\begin{array}{c} \$ 11,675.15 \\ 1,908.28 \\ 510.18 \end{array}$
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Balance in savings, American National Bank, Austin, Texas.	\$ 1 <b>4,093.61</b>
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FUND	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary	$\begin{array}{c} \$ & 3,547.64 \\ & 13,385.06 \end{array}$
Disbursements: Paid to Chairman ESTARL	
	\$ 16,932.70
HOME FUNDS	
Balance September 5, 1969 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings Refund from Bond purchase	3353,778.89 302,121.16 4,001.35 906.17
Disbursements:	
Paid to Home Board       \$244,900.00         Paid to Grand Secretary, taxes       1,500.00         Paid to Preston Geren, Architect       5,505.12         Paid to Witchner Const. Co.       19,836.00         Ladies in Home       15,120.00         Purchase Bond       60,020.00         Balance July 31, 1970       313,926.45	

\$660,807.57

\$660,807.57

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Allocation of funds:

Equitable Savings & Loan, Fort Worth, Texas	. \$ 12,440.67
Southwestern Savings & Loan, Houston, Texas	. 11,469.53
Sabine Valley Savings & Loan, Center, Texas	. 10,000.00
First Federal Savings & Loan, Lubbock, Texas	. 11,731.31
American Savings & Loan, Houston, Texas	. 2,562.85
Austin Savings & Loan, Austin, Texas	. 10,000.00
First Federal Savings, Amarillo, Texas	
Mutual Savings & Loan, Arlington, Texas	. 10,000.00
United Savings & Loan, Corpus Christi, Texas	. 15,000.00
Tarrant Savings & Loan, Fort Worth, Texas	. 15,000.00
Security Federal Savings & Loan, Amarillo, Texas	. 15,000.00
Guaranty Federal Savings & Loan, Galveston, Texas	
First Federal Savings & Loan, Greenville, Texas	
Metropolitan Savings & Loan, Dallas, Texas	
Port Arthur Savings & Loan, Port Arthur, Texas	
Oak Cliff Savings & Loan, Dallas, Texas	
Houston First Federal Savings & Loan, Houston, Texas	
National Bank of Commerce, Dallas, Texas	. 140,465.48

# GENERAL FUNDS

 Balance September 5, 1969
 \$212,577.96

 Received from Grand Secretary
 156,966.70

 Interest from savings
 3,247.41

bursements:

Total Vouchers given	\$ 96,068.65
Balance July S1, 1970	276,723.42

372,792.07	\$372,792.07
Allocation of Funds:	. ,
Corsicana Savings & Loan, Corsicana, Texas	\$ 15,000.00
Abilene Savings & Loan, Abilene, Texas	14,813.45
First National Bank, Dallas, Texas	5,558.30
Bank of Southwest, Houston, Texas	3,182.41
Fort Worth National Bank, Fort Worth, Texas	15,000.00
Citizens National Bank, Brownwood, Texas	13,146.97
First Federal Savings & Loan, Beaumont, Texas	10,517.48
Haltom City State Bank, Fort Worth, Texas	15,000.00
Security Savings & Loan, Pampa, Texas	10,000.00
First Federal Savings & Loan, Corpus Christi	10,000.00
Gonzales Co. Savings & Loan, Gonzales, Texas	10,000.00
Mutual Savings & Loan, Austin, Texas	10,515.85
San Angelo Savings & Loan, San Angelo, Texas	10,354.04
First Federal Savings & Loan, New Braunfels, Texas	10,000.00
Citizens National Bank & Trust Co., Baytown, Texas	123,634.92

\$276,723.42

\$313,926.45

# APPRECIATION

To the members of the Grand Chapter of Texas:

I wish to express deep and sincere appreciation for the privilege of serving you as Grand Treasurer. I have endeavored to give prompt and conscientious attention to the duties of my office.

For the invitations to attend meetings that have come to me, I thank. each Chapter. My only regret is that the barrier all too often raised by time and distance prevented my acceptance.

# WORTHY GRAND MATRON:

Words are inadequate to express my love to you. Soon our year will have ended and the year we have spent so happily serving together will be but a pleasant memory, but it will be a memory sparkling with your deeds of love and kindness.

> "May love always be near you, Bringing cheer in countless measure, And every single minute be A Symphony you will always treasure!"

## WORTHY GRAND PATRON:

I extend my heartfelt thanks, for the harmonizing chord tells us that you have given of your best in your loyal, capable and faithful service. I appreciate you and Earnesteene as my real friends. I have always been proud to call you "Worthy Grand Patron." May the good you have done over our great State come back to you in double measure.

# GRAND SECRETARY:

To my faithful co-worker, Sister Rebecca Miles, I extend my thanks for another year of splendid service together.

# ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON AND ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRON:

Frances and Victor, soon you will assume the responsibilities of Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron. My special wish for both of you is that you may know and realize to the fullest, all the joy and satisfaction which you both so richly deserve.

#### GRAND TRUSTEES:

Grand Chapter could not possibly function without the splendid work of our Grand Trustees. Thank you for the faithful service you have given throughout this year and for the duties you are performing at this session. A special thank you for the help you have given me all through the year.

Many acts of kindness and thoughtfulness from the membership of Texas this year have added joy to my service as your Grand Treasurer. May we always have melodies of love in our hearts for this Eastern Star year.

> Sincerely and fraternally, JETTIE HINTON, Grand Treasurer

# GRAND TREASURER'S SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

July 31, 1970 through October 31, 1970

# ENDOWMENT INTEREST FUND

Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary	\$ 24,592.30 16,263.01
Balance in Texas Bk. & Trust, Sweetwater	\$ 40,855.31 \$ 40,855.31

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# ARTHRITIS AND RHEUMATISM

ARTIMUTIS AND THEOMATISM	
Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary Balance in Grand Prairie State Bank	\$ 369.00 \$ 369.00
HOME WELFARE FUND	
Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from saving	\$ 32,049.39 3,601.83 337.75
Balance in Harris Co. Sav. & Loan, Baytown	\$  35,988.97 \$  35,988.97
ESTARL FUND	
Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary	\$ 11,164.78 1,841.08
Disbursements:	
Paid to General Grand Chapter         \$ 11,164.00           Balance Oct. 31, 1970         1,841.86	
Balance in Citizens National Bank, Waco, Texas	\$ 13,005.86 \$ 13,005.86
HOME FUNDS	
Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary Received from Interest	\$313,926.45 22,392.94 1,135.19
Disbursements:	
Witcher Const. Co.       \$ 67,129.20         Preston Geren       1,304.48         Home Board       61,538.25         Grand Secretary, Tax & Ins.       1,000.00         Ladies in Home       5,960.00         Balance Oct. 31, 1970       200,522.65	
\$337,454.58	\$337,454.58
Allocation of funds:	
Equitable Sav. Loan, Fort Worth Southwestern Sav. Loan, Houston Sabine Valley Sav. Loan, Center First Fed. Sav. Loan, Lubbock American Sav. Loan, Houston Austin Sav. Loan, Austin First Fed. Sav. Loan, Amarillo Mutual Sav. Loan, Arington United Sav. Loan, Corpus Christi Tarrant Sav. Loan, Fort Worth Security Sav. Loan, Amarillo Guaranty Sav. Loan, Galveston First Fed. Sav. Loan, Greenville	

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Metropolitan Sav. Loan, Dallas Port Arthur Sav. Loan, Port Arthur Oak Cliff Sav. Loan, Dallas Houston First Fed. Sav. Loan, Houston National Bank of Commerce, Dallas	10,000.00 $10,653.33$ $10,000.00$ $25,926.49$
EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND	\$200,522.65
Balance July 31, 1970         Interest from savings         Disbursements:         Sent to Mrs. Miles correct error         Balance Oct. 31, 1970         13,333.40         \$ 14,246.30	152.69
ه 14,246,50 Balance in savings, American National Bank, Austin	\$ 14,246.30 \$ 14,246.30
PURL ESTATE FUND	
Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings	\$ 36,468.57 1,533.58 242.25
Odessa Sav. Loan, Odessa	\$ 38,244.40
\$ 38,244.40	
K. T. EYE FOUNDATION Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary	\$    277.60 963.90
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Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary	963.90
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Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary Balance First National Bank, Big Spring HOME HOSPITAL Balance July 31, 1970 Balance American Savings & Loan, Grand Prairie. HOME ENDOWMENT Balance July 31, 1970	963.90 \$ 1,241.50 \$ 16,458.73 207.01 \$ 16,665.74 \$ 27,072.02
Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary Balance First National Bank, Big Spring HOME HOSPITAL Balance July 31, 1970 Interest from savings & Loan, Grand Prairie. HOME ENDOWMENT Balance July 31, 1970 Interest from savings Disbursements: Paid to Grand Secretary \$ 4503.18	963.90 \$ 1,241.50 \$ 16,458.73 207.01 \$ 16,665.74 \$ 27,072.02

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# BENEVOLENT FUND

Balance July 31, 1970 Received from Grand Secretary Interest from savings	489.10
Disbursements:	
Home Board	
Feoples State Bank, Baytown       \$ 82,529.63         Marshall Sav. Loan, Marshall	\$ 82,529.63 30,296.64 11,190.98 14,991.48 10,167.34 11,413.19
	\$ 78,059.63

# GENERAL FUND

Balance July 31, 1970	\$276,723.42
Received from Grand Secretary	24,606.26
Interest from savings	673.89

# Disbursements:

Total Vouchers	\$ 58,269.15
Balance Oct. 31, 1970	

	Citizens Nat'l Bank, Brownwood Abilene Sav. Loan, Abilene Bank of Southwest, Houston First Nat'l Bank, Fort Worth Corsicana Sav. Loan, Corsicana First Fed. Sav. Loan, Beaumont Haltom City State Bank, Fort Worth Security Sav. Loan, Pampa First Fed. Sav. Loan, Corpus Christi Conzales Sav. Loan, Conzales Mutual Sav. Loan, Austin San Angelo Sav. Loan, San Angelo First Fed. Sav. Loan, New Braunfels	$\begin{array}{c} 14,998.62\\ 3,182.41\\ 15,000.00\\ 15,000.00\\ 10,656.42\\ 15,000.00\\ 10,000.00\\ 10,000.00\\ 10,000.00\\ 10,653.87\\ 10,354.04\\ 10,000.00\\ \end{array}$
Citizens National Bank & Trust, Baytown	First Fed. Sav. Loan, New Braunfels First Nat'l Bank, Dallas Citizens National Bank & Trust, Baytown	10,000.00 5,621.34 89,972.03

\$243,734.42

# JETTIE HINTON Grand Treasurer.

GRAND TREASURER: Worthy Grand Matron, I move that this report `be referred to the proper committees.

Motion carried.

WORTHY CRAND MATRON: We will now have another report by the Board of Grand Trustees.

# REPORT OF BOARD OF GRAND TRUSTEES

# REPORT NO. 2

MR. T. R. BRAMLETT: Worthy Grand Matron, this is our Report No. 2 which was read yesterday afternoon.

MR. T. R. BRAMLETT: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Is there any discussion?

The report was adopted.

# REPORT NO. 4

MR. T. R. BRAMLETT: Worthy Grand Matron, this is Report No. 4: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, My Sisters and Brothers.

We, the Board of Grand Trustees purpose the following budget for Contingencies:

Home Fund Contingency: \$	7,500.00
General Fund Contingency:	
Worthy Grand Matron	1.500.00
Grand Chapter	3,500.00
Total\$	12,500.00

Respectfully submitted.

MRS. ANNETTE PIERCE, Chairman MR. T. R. BRAMLETT, Vice-Crairman MR. PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary MR. STEVE BAKER, Member MRS. LILLIE MAY HURST, Member

 $\operatorname{MR.}$  T. R. BRAMLETT: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

### **REPORT NO. 3**

MR. STEVE BAKER: Worthy Grand Matron, this is our Report No. 3:

To: The Board of Grand Trustees

From: Frances Key Herrin, Associate Grand Matron

The following Budget for the year 1970-1971 is submitted for your consideration:

Mileage\$	16,000,00
Grand Matron's Expense Fund	2,800.00
Grand Patron's Expense Fund	
Associate Grand Matron's Expense Fund	
Associate Grand Matron's Books and Supplies	
Associate Grand Patron's Expense Fund	150.00
Grand Conductress Expense Fund	100.00
Associate Grand Conductress Expense Fund	100.00
Grand Secretary's Office Expense Fund	4,000.00

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

Office Building Maintenance Fidelity Bond (Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer) Social Security and Unemployment Roster and Proceedings Annual Printing Office Help (Grand Secretary) Grand Matron's Automobile Expense Grand Matron's Automobile District Deputies and Deputies Expense Grand Examiners Expense Fraternal Correspondent International Temple Committee By-Laws Committee Welfare Committee	$\begin{array}{c} 1,500.00\\ 150.00\\ 1,200.00\\ 15,000.00\\ 15,000.00\\ 1,500.00\\ 2,345.00\\ 3,800.00\\ 600.00\\ 25.00\\ 25.00\\ 75.00\\ .300.00\\ \end{array}$
Transportation and Mileage Committee Credentials Committee	$\begin{array}{c} 10.00\\ 10.00\end{array}$
Registration Committee	. 20.00
Grand Chapter Memorials-Flowers	100.00
Grand Chaplains Memorial	100.00
Grand Chaplains Memorial Editing Proceedings	40.00
Worthy Grand Matron's lewel	500.00
Worthy Grand Patron's Jewel Delegates' Expense to G. G. C. (6)	300.00
Delegates' Expense to G. G. C. (6)	2,000.00
UISPADAHOH PADEDSES	750.00
Entertainment—Visiting Grand Officers	750.00
Grand Secretary's Salary	6,000.00
Grand Treasurer's Salary	3,900.00
Grand Treasurer's Expense Fund	220.00
Grand Chapter Session	12,500.00
Board of Grand Trustees	1,400.00 3,500.00
Audit ESTARL Committee	100.00
Grand Matron's Secretarial Expense	500.00
Grand Histrians Expense	50.00
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Total ......\$117,320.00

Thank You:

FRANCES KEY HERRIN, Associate Grand Matron

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ANNETTE PIERCE, Chairman MR. T. R. BRAMLETT, Vice-Chairman MR. PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary MR. STEVE BAKER, Member MRS. LILLIE MAY HURST, Member

MR. STEVE BAKER: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Is there discussion?

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, I know that many times at Grand Chapter you have heard Judge Clyde Smith, and I know that you look forward to hearing his views on matters of importance that come

before this Grand Chapter. This morning Judge Smith is going to speak to us, and I know you will want to give him your undivided attention.

Judge Clyde Smith. (Applause.)

# "THE USE OF SQUARE AND COMPASSES ON THE BIBLE"

### JUDGE CLYDE E. SMITH:

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Other General Grand Officers, Grand Officers, Sisters and Brothers:

I am grateful to the Worthy Grand Matron for the privilege of addressing this Wednesday morning session. It is a signal honor. Worthy Grand Matron, with the assistance of our Worthy Grand Patron and with the cooperation of many loyal friends, you have provided for us a wonderful and constructive program for the entire session. It is a great inspiration to see present so many of those who have labored for years to preserve the principles and ideals of this secret organization.

There are certain fundamental principles which must never be forgotten, if we expect to survive as a dynamic influence for good. In order to promote and perpetuate the spirit of harmony among men and love for our fellow man, we, as a group, must stand firmly for law and order in this country, as well as the observance of law and order within our own organization. As a background for our subject, I call your attention to certain provisions of the constitution of General Grand Chapter together with excerpts from our own constitution. Article XIII, of the 1876 Constitution of General Grand Chapter, relating to the organization of Grand Chapters, contains Section 2, which reads:

"The said Grand Chapter shall make such rules and regulations for its government as may be necessary, *not inconsistent with* the regulations of the General Grand Chapter.

As you know, a dispensation to organize our Grand Chapter was issued in 1884. We find in the 1886 Proceedings of General Grand Chapter a paragraph in the Most Worthy Grand Patron's report which reads:

"A constitutional number of Chapters in the State of Texas having organized a Grand Chapter, and adoped a Constitution, Regular and Proper in its provisions, and elected Grand Officers, it was duly recognized by me July 20, 1884 as The Grand Chapter O. E. S. of Texas, forming a part of this General Grand Chapter."

From the beginning, if one follows strictly the provisions of the respective constitutions (General and Grand) there has never been any room for doubt in my mind as to the powers of each. I quote one section of our 1884 Constitution to demonstrate what I mean:

"Section 2. The authority of Grand Chapter shall be supreme within its jurisdiction excepting matters under the control of the General Grand Chapter."

The continued existence of General Grand Chapter and Grand Chapters, in peace and harmony, depends largely upon the interpretation given the provisions of their respective constitutions and the charter under which our Grand Chapter operates. It is somewhat comparable to our Federal and State governments. For example, we have in both Federal and State governments three branches of government, legislative, executive and judicial. These branches of government operate successfully so long as each functions in a

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manner to avoid a conflict in the exercise of power. Our Supreme Court of Texas is often called upon to decide questions which belong solely to the legislative branch of the government. In such case, it is our solemn duty to rule that the judiciary is without power to rewrite the law; if the law is to be changed, it must be accomplished by legislative act and not by judicial fiat.

One of the chief powers which is recognized to rest with the general Grand Chapter is that of preserving uniformity of the ritual and lectures. My examination of the Proceedings of General Grand Chapter, the papers and writings, as well as conferences with such leaders as Dr. Alfred C. McDaniel,<sup>1</sup> The Honorable M. A. Childers,<sup>2</sup> The Honorable Frank Lynn,<sup>3</sup> and Mrs. Mildred H. Harris,<sup>4</sup> only to name a few, as well as a careful study of the constitutions of General Grand Chapter and the Grand Chapter of Texas, so far as our use of the square and compasses is concerned, leads me to conclude that the authority to prohibit the use of the square and compasses at Eastern Star meetings does not rest with General Grand Chapter. This is true simply because, as you know, the Ritual does not contain any provision which prohibits or authorizes the use of the square and compasses.

My purpose in discussing this subject is not to stir up strife over our long usage of the square and compasses, but to impress upon each of you the need for being prepared in the future to knowledgeably defend our sacred right to continue the use of these emblems. The alertness of our leaders in the past and their ability to convince the membership of General Grand Chapter that some few, by their decisions, have erroneously ruled, that the use of the Square and Cocmpasses on the Bible is in violation of the Ritual is to be commended. From the time our Charter was granted in 1S84, this Grand Chapter has never sought to operate in any manner contrary to the agreement contained in its Charter. We are cognizant of the fact that our original Charter contains the following provision:

"And we *do require*, that said Grand Chapter shall be duly represented at the assemblies of the General Grand Chapter; 'that said Grand Chapter shall forever use only the Ritual now issued or hereafter to be issued by the General Grand Chapter; that said Grand Chapter shall make no laws which are not in accord with the Ritual, Constitution, Rules and Regulations of the General Grand Chapter, in failure or neglect thereof this Charter and the powers granted therein are to cease and to be of no further validity."

There are a number of us here today who actively participated in the the revision of our constitution in 1937. It was my privilige to work with many others in adopting Article 11, Relationship to General Grand Chapter, which reads:

# "RELATIONSHIP TO GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER

"Section 1. Allegiance to General Grand Chapter. This Grand Chap-

ter declares its allegiance to the General Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in the following particulars:

1Dr. Alfred C. McDaniel Grand Patron of Texas (1900-1901); Most Worthy Grand Patron of General Grand Chapter.

2Honorable M. A. Childers, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas (1925-1926); Worthy Grand Patron of Texas (1934-35).

3Honorable Frank Lynn, Worthy Grand Patron of Texas (1917-1918), Most Worthy Grand Patron General Grand Chapter(.....).

- "(1) Requirements for membership in the Order."
- "(2) Landmarks of the Order."
- "(3) Secret Work of the Order."
- "(4) Ritual of the Order, so far as it relates to opening, closing, initiation, installation, test oath and funeral ceremonies."
- "(5) Signet of the Order."
- "Section 2. Support of General Grand Chapter. This Grand Chapter agrees to make an annual assessment of two cents per capita for the support of the General Grand Chapter if requested by that body to do so."

Earlier in this address I quoted from our original Charter (1884) the provision that our Grand Chapter shall make "no laws which are not in accord with the Ritual, constitution, Rules and Regulations of the General Grand Chapter." I respectfully urge each of you to strictly comply with this and all other provisions of our Charter and Laws. George Washington, our first President, in his farewell address delivered on September 19, 1776, admonished the people that it was their duty to obey every law as written until such law or laws have either been changed or repealed.

As heretofore indicated, a few members of the General Grand Chapter have unsuccessfully sought to deprive us of the right to use the Square and Compasses under the mistaken belief that the Ritual prohibits such use. General Grand Chapter, in years past, has never failed to sustain our position.

In 1958, the subject of the use of the Square and Compasses was revived in Texas. The matter was called to my attention by Mrs. Harris and Judge . Childers, As early as March 1958, Mrs. Harris furnished me with considerable data in regard to the question. On November 15, 1960, the late Judge Childers, one of our greatest leaders, addressed a letter to me in which he said in part; "In all probability the 'Square and Compasses on the Altar' question will arise at the General Grand Chapter . . . . I suggest that you study this whole question and be prepared to represent our Grand Chapter . . . ." Our combined efforts were successful to the end that the question was not presented at that session and has never been raised since.

The significance of the Masonic signs and emblems can be found in Masonic encyclopedias, the most popular one being by Massey and another by Oliver. I will not attempt to go into this subject in detail but I will attempt to clarify the use of the Square and Compasses at our Eastern Star meetings. These emblems united as commonly observed in connection with the letter G is frequently referred to as the Masonic emblem and is understood by most Masons to have that significance. The Square and Compasses do not necessarily have the same significance, as the generally recognized Masonic emblem but to the Mason it has a special significance which is understood by its members and the significance can be found in the several Masonic encyclopedias which are available to anyone.

The use of the Square and Compasses at the Eastern Star meetings was granted by the Grand Lodge of Texas, and has been used since the institution of The Grand Chapter of Texas. It was requested because of a rule of the Grand Lodge that no person or organization could use "landmark 5" of the Eastern Star for any purpose without authorization from the Grand Lodge and to be assured that the use of this landmark was not abused in any way it was agreed that the Eastern Star be privileged to use these emblems as designed and to impress the Eastern Star of the necessity to observe the moral and sacred principles that the Masonic Order deems necessary for the perfection of Eastern Star rites. In observing the relations of this emblem to the Eastern Star it would be a constant reminder that the misuse of this landmark will be objected to by that Order, and further the quality of membership in the Eastern Star must closely coincide with that of the Masonic Order. The Masonic Order realizes the sovereignty of the Eastern Star and that it will not dictate the methods of operation of its ceremonies or any way conflict with its ritualistic observance, but it requires allegiance from the Eastern Star in respect to "Landmark 5" and the observance moral, civil and sacred principles of Masonry so well known by members of the Eastern Star.

The presence of these emblems in the Chapter room means a close tie with the Great Masonic Order and a beautiful sacred relationship with our Creator. The presence of these emblems gives real purpose and meaning to Landmark 5 and makes it *our* bulwark of strength in the O. E. S. with our Masonic relations and our fellowman. (Applause, the Assembly standing.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Judge Clyde Smith, from the bottom of my heart. (Applause.)

# BIBLE CLOSER

The Bible was closed for the presentation and reports of the District Deputy and Deputy Grand Matrons.

# REPORTS OF DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS REPORT OF DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRON DISTRICT 1

# Mrs. Velda Anderson

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, beautiful indeed was this year of service and "Music of The Heart" has touched our lives and caused Harmony from the strings of our hearts to be an Instrument of Peace. Touching where we could with a spirit of compassion and love through our District One.

The Deputies of District One join me in expressing sincere gratitude to you for the honor given us, for a year of special service to our beautiful Order.

My sincere thanks to you for the ten very capable and lovely ladies you selected to serve with me in District One. No task was too small or too large for them to do their best.

. The Schools in District One were held the last week in January and the month of February. The Schools were outstanding and well attended and reflected much work and cooperation. Harmony and Peace prevailed in our District because of the love, understanding and appreciation of the Deputies for the Membership.

Thank you, fine Ladies, for your Love and Co-operation.

It is my pleasure to present the Deputies of District One with the Date and Name of their School.

Mrs. Bernice Wright, Section One, February 12, "With A Song In My Heart." Mrs. Gladys Tracy, Section Two, February 10, "Melody of Hearts."

Mrs. Aline Dver, Section Three, February 7, "Harmony of Hearts." (Illness-Not Present)

Not Present) Mrs. Rubye Meador, Section Four, February 14, "Music and Poetry." Mrs. Janice Thornhill, Section Five, February 21, "Cherry Blossom Festival." Mrs. Irene Allen, Section Six, February 19, "Gems of Understanding." Mrs. Mildred Cates, Section Seven, January 29, "Star Flight—One Seven." Mrs. Virginia Turner, Section Eight, January 31, "Melody of Love." Mrs. Patsy Washington, Section Nine, February 3, "Upward Bound." Mrs. Mildred Krumm, Section Ten, February 5, "Symphony of Hearts."

It is with pride that I present the report of our year of service.

Chapters Assigned	Letters Written
Chapters Demised or Consoli-	Miles Traveled 11,064
datedNone	Expense Mileage \$326.69
Chapters InstitutedNone	Hotel and Meals\$ 92.56
One U.D. Chapter	Postage \$155.03
Under Worthy Grand Patron	Telegrams and Telephone\$ 87.59
Chapters Inspected	Other Expense\$ 56.56
Chapters Not InspectedNone	Total Expense for Year \$718.43
School Conducted	Money Received \$760.00
Schools Attended Officially 19	Money Refunded\$ 41.57
School Attended Unofficially 55	Balance on HandNone

To the membership of District One, we thank you for the Honorary Memberships in your Chapters and the many courtesies you extended. Your words of encouragement and generous hospitality made the school work a joy. We shall ever be grateful to you wonderful people of District One.

Sister Patricia Major, Grand Examiner and a friend of many years, a special "Thanks" for being a delightful and thoughtful traveling companion and a most efficient Grand Examiner.

To the District Secretary, Sister Opal Lee Kelly, a big "Thank You" for all your many acts of kindness and good coffee.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Richard T. Porter, you have been a delight to know. We appreciate all your fine qualities and the many courtesies you extended along the way. Your gracious wife, Earnesteen added dignity and charm to every occasion.

These few words will in a small way express our thoughts of you fine folk:

> It is a good old World, tis a glad old World; It grows better every minute; It's a great old World, 'tis a grand old World; When folks like you are in it.

Worthy Grand Matron, thank you for the confidence and faith in giving A. C. Garrett Chapter and me this lovely appointment. I shall love and cherish the memories of this year of service with you. Your graciousness, fairness and love for people left a deep and lasting impression on my life.

> May God who walks with His people To weigh them in spirit and mind; Be careful not to loose the pattern But make many more of your kind.

#### Fraternally submitted,

VELDA ANDERSON, District Deputy Grand Matron, District One

# REPORT OF DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRON DISTRICT 2

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

Of all the arts beneath the heaven that man has found or God has given, none draws the soul so sweet away, as music is melting, mystic lay; slight emblem of the bless above, it soothes the spirit all to love.

To Sister Frances Austin, Grand Examiner of District 2, we express our appreciation to you for the hours of service you have given and thank you for all your many kindnesses while we traveled together.

Worthy Grand Matron, it is with pride and pleasure that I present the report of District 2. It has been an honor to have the opportunity f serving with these ten lovely ladies. They have been efficient, excellent, considerate cooperative, and kind. They have been a source of happiness to me and I deeply appreciate their friendship. Ten beautiful and outstanding Schools were held in District 2, each reflecting a vision captured from our Worthy Grand Matron's inspirational theme. To them goes the credit for this report and it is my delightful pleasure to present them to the membership of Texas.

- Section 1—Mrs. Florence Rife—"Music of the Heart" School held in Pampa.
- Section 2—Mrs. Naomi Knight—"Tulip Time" School held in Amarillo.
- Section 3—Mrs. Bobbie Marshal—"Melody of Spring" School held in Plainview.
- Section 4—Mrs. Helen McCullough—"Strings of Harmony" School held in Lubbock.
- Section 5—Mrs. Bessie Sauls—"The Lyre of Golden Rules" School held in Wellington.
- Section 6—Mrs. Pauline Foreman—"Stairway of the Stars" School held in Vernon.
- Section 7—Mrs. Emma Perry—"Celestial Harmony" School held in Abilene.
- Section 8—Mrs. Nell Casparis—"Voices of Spring" School held in Odessa.
- Section 9—Mrs. Christine Barnes—"The Melody of Love" School held in Monahans.
- Section 10—Mrs. Sibyl Langley—"Operation Understanding" School held in El Paso.

We regret that circumstances beyond their control prevented the attendance at this Session of Mrs. Bessie Sauls, Deputy Grand Matron, Section 5 and Mrs. Christine Barnes, Deputy Grand Matron, Section 9.

Chapters Assigned—168 Chapters Demised—1 Chapters Consolidated—1 Chapters Instituted—1 Chapters Inspected—168 Chapters Not Inspected—0 Schools Conducted—10 Schools Attended Officially—10 Schools Attended Unofficially—21 Letters Written—2,463 Miles Traveled—16,625 Expense Mileage—\$500.93 Hotels and Meals—\$34.60 Postage—\$157.80 Telegrams and Telephone—\$182.09 Other Expense—0 Total Expense for Year—\$882.89 Money Received—\$760.00 Money Refunded—\$5.22 Balance on Hand—0 Deficit—\$122.89 Worthy Grand Matron, my life has been greatly enriched and blessed this year as I traveled with you and served as your District Deputy Grand Matron in District 2. I will always thank you for this lovely appointment. Your gentle speech, kind manner and efficient leadership combined with a deep concern for the welfare of others have made a deep and lasting feeling of love for you.

Worthy Grand Patron, you have capably filled this station with high honor, dignity and kindness. Our sincere appreciation to you for your attendance in our schools, your words of encouragement and the many courtesies you have extended to us this year. It has been a pleasure to share many happy experience with you and your lovely wife Sister Ernesteene.

Sister Cladys Johnson, our District 2 Secretary, I say thank you for all your cooperation. You were a delightful traveling companion and I am proud of the friendship we have formed.

To the membership of District 2 we are most grateful for all your cooperation and for every loving deed and act of kindness you extended to our Gracious Worthy Grand Matron. We thank you for the many honorary membership certificates presented to us and trust that we shall always prove worthy of this treasured honor.

Fraternally submitted,

BEULAH SPEER District Deputy Grand Matron District 2

### DISTRICT 3

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members,

Sisters and Brothers:

Oh, that I had the voice to sing, for within my heart there is a song—a melody of love for this has been a year of joy and happiness.

Worthy Grand Matron, you gave to all the priceless gift of a heart filled with music. My own heart is full of gratitude to you for the privilege of serving as your District Deputy Grand Matron and for ten wonderful Deputies as co-workers whose devotion to their duty and love for our Order will make music for you and for me as long as time immemorial.

I proudly present these Deputies.

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Mrs. Lillian Anderson	Section	1
Mrs. Linda Goodlett	Section	2
Mrs. Vivian Burdick	Section	3
Mrs. Nell Rose Mohon	Section	4
Mrs. Jimmie Nelson	Section	5
Mrs. Helen Gibbs	Section	6
Mrs. Vera Turner	Section	7
Mrs. Lucile Dunaway	Section	8
Mrs. Doris Miller	Section	ğ
Mrs. Marjorie Bowling		
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The following report was made by these dedicated Deputies.

Chapters Assigned 131	Chapters not Inspected
Chapters Demised or Consolidated 1	Schools Conducted 10
Chapters Instituted 1	Schools attended Officially 23
Chapters Inspected131	Letters written

Miles traveled	Other expense
Expense—mileage\$258.38	Total Expense for Year 629.62
Hotels and Meals 51.62	Money Received 760.00
Postage	Money Refunded 130.38
Telegrams & Telephone 133.36	Balance on hand\$ 0

Our Heavenly Father, the great giver of all good and perfect gift, saw in His wisdom, to take into His Heavenly Fold Mrs. Jimmie Nelson, Deputy Grand Matron of Section 5. We, the remaining Deputies offer our thanks to Him for sparing her life until she had completed her greatest desire—that of serving you and the Order she loved so much in a beautiful and perfect school.

Worthy Grand Patron, knowing your many activities in the Masonic Order as well as your dedicated service to Eastern Star, made me very humble and appreciative of the sacrifices and time involved for you to attend eight of the ten schools in District 3. The occasions when you and your beautiful wife, Earnesteen, Traveled that extra mile, so to speak, has endeared you to our membership and been an inspiration to us all. My sincere thanks to you and Earnesteen.

Sister Doris Easterling, Grand Examiner of District 3, what a joy to have you in my home and to travel with you this year. Your perfect rendition of the Secret Work at each school always set the tone and made the rest of the day one of beautiful harmony.

Sister Flora Hearrell, our District 3 Secretary, thank you for performing your secretarial duties so well and for the many extra courtesies so willingly done. You were a delightful traveling companion.

Sister Rebecca Miles, our beloved Grand Secretary, thank you for the thousand and one answers, the assistance and your presence in two of our schools. Your wit and charm will always be remembered and appreciated.

To the wonderful membership of District 3, who opened your heart to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and the Deputies, our sincere appreciation for the Honorary membeship, your loyal Co-operation and many courtesies. May God bless you as you continue your dedicated work of our Order.

Worthy Grand Matron I shall always be grateful to you for the privileges that were mine in service this year. Words are inadequate to express my appreciation but—

"Must we try to explain the song that lingers? Or the thrill that leaps to the tips of our fingers When our hand is clasped in the hand of a friend And life is changed from that hour to its end?

For me it is enough to say That something beautiful passed my way."

Fraternally submitted,

MAUDE ARNOLD, District Deputy Grand Matron, District Three.

### DISTRICT FOUR REPORT

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

It is my pleasure to bring the report of the home District of our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally Matranga. However, I wish first to express my love and appreciation to the ten lovely and efficient Deputy Grand Matrons selected by our Worthy Grand Matron to serve with me this year.

May I present them to you now.

Section	1-Mrs. Carmen John	son, whose	"Harp of	Wisdom" was
	held in Lufkin on	February 2	26th, with	273 present.

Section	2-Mrs.	Evon	Tomlin,	whose	"Little	Dutch	School"	was
	held	in Ne	derland o	on Febru	uary 28t	h, with	477 pre	esent.

- Section 3—Mrs. Pat Sims, whose "Melodies of Spring" School was held in Crockett on April 23rd, with 195 present.
- Section 4—Mrs. Lula Jane Walls, whose, "The Spring Fantasy" School was held in Channelview on April 11th, with 403 present.
- Section 5—Mrs. Ileene Adams, whose "Showers of Knowledge" School was held in Houston on April 18th, with 959 present.
- Section 6—Mrs. Loretta Moore, whose "In The Circle of Your Day" School was held in Cameron on April 9th, with 162 present.
- Section 7—Mrs. Jewell Lenz, whose "Lone Star State" School was held in Hempstead on April 21st, with 214 present.
- Section 8—Mrs. Pearline Novosad, whose "Symphony of Spring" School was held in Smithville on April 15th, with 136 present.

Section 9—Mrs. Nellie Arnold, whose "The Voice of Spring" School was held in Edna on April 14th, with 228 present.

Section 10—Mrs. Rosalie Miller, whose, "Heart of The Sea" School was held in Galveston on April 25th, with 377 present.

Total attendance in Schools: 3,424

The following is a summary of our year's work:

Chapters Assigned	EXPENSES
Chapters Demised 0	Traveling\$336.93
Chapters Constituted 3	Hotels & Meals 46,29
Chapters Instituted 1	Postage
Chapters Inspected	Telephone & Telegraph 120.37
Schools Conducted 10	Other Expense
Schools attended Officially	<u></u>
Schools Attended Unofficially 46	Total Expense\$677.05
Letters Written	Money Received 760,00
Miles Travelled 13,458	Money Refunded 82.95
· · ·	Balance on hand\$0

Worthy Grand Matron, these wonderful Deputies join me in expressing sincere gratitude for the very nice appointments given us, and for the wonderful opportunity of service. We sincerely appreciate the co-operation and generous hospitality of the membership, and are deeply grateful for the honorary memberships which we received. We are proud that you saw fit to place our names on your honorary rolls, and through the years shall cherish the extension of this courtesy.

To our Grand Examiner, Sister Alma Miller, I cannot express in words how much fun it was travelling with you throughout District Four. You were always smiling and ready to help in any way possible. For your many kind words and deeds, I shall always be grateful.

To Hazel McGhee, our District Four Secretary, it was such a joy to serve with you, and we wish to express our appreciation for your assistance.

Worthy Grand Patron, how nice it was to have you at four of our ten schools. Your presence, and that of your lovely wife, Earnesteen, was always a delight, and a source of inspiration to me. Your devotion to our Order, high ideals, and consideration for others have endeared you to all members.

I want to thank you for the privilege of serving, in the absence of those officers, in the following stations:

- Associate Grand Conductress during the constituting of Archives Chapter No. 1095.
- Grand Conductress during the constituting of New Caney Chapter No. 1093.
- Grand Conductress during the constituting of Jacques DeMolay Chapter No. 1094.

Associate Grand Conductress during the instituting of Burke Chapter U. D.

Worthy Grand Matron, thank you from the bottom of my heart for the many wonderful moments we have shared and for the privileges of serving in this particular capacity this year. I am aware of the great honor you bestowed on me and Ransford Chapter No. 135. Your sweet, kind, friendly attitude, and great desire to be of service in our order, has endeared you to the entire membership. Thank you, my dear, sweet, friend for your faith and trust in me, and most of all for your friendship.

Fraternally submitted,

IRENE SCARBOROUGH District Deputy Grand Matron District Four

# DISTRICT No. V

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests,

#### Sisters and Brothers:

It is with pleasure that I present seven of the ten lovely Deputy Grand Matrons from District Five:

Jetta Havlik, Section 1, whose Scintillating Harmony School was held in San Angelo on December 6;

Martha Howard, Section 4, the School of Music and Harmony was held in Del Rio, December 11;

# Anna Winn, Section 5, the first School of this Eastern Star year, the Rhapsody of Love School held in Jourdanton on November 18;

Wilmina Perry, Section 6, the School of The Harvest Moon held in Austin, November 29;

Joann Drescher, Section 7 which is my home section and where the last School of District 5 was held on December 13;

Dorothy White, Section 8, the Harps of Wisdom School on November 19;

Joy Cox, Section 10, The Notes of Love School held in Harlingen on November 22.

I am sorry that Rose Hughes, Section 2, whose School, Our Faith In Love and Action was held on December 10 in Sonora; Modene Bruns, whose Circle of Love School in Junction was held November 25, and Esther Fowler, Section 9, where Aransas Pass was the site of the Reflections of Life School on December 7, are not able to be with us today.

It was also my privilege to attend the Installation Ceremony of the Grand Lodge of Texas with the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

Worthy Grand Matron, the Deputies of District Five join me in saying thanks to you and the Worthy Grand Patron for having been given this wonderful privilege of working with the members of our Order in the past year. Our lives have become richer because of the honor you have bestowed upon us. You have certainly shown us the necessity of courage, compassion, and humility. Through your leadership, we will go forward and surely feel the results of your wonderful understanding of your fellowman.

My special thanks to those who traveled with us, the Grand Examiner of District Five, Sister Rennie Often and the District Five Secretary, Sister Isabelle Sellers. Because of the efforts of the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, the Grand Examiner and the lovely Deputies the following report is submitted for District Five:

Chapters Assigned
Chapters Demised or
Consolidated 2
Chapters Instituted 0
Chapters Inspected
Chapters not Inspected 0
Schools Conducted 10
Schools Attended Officially 20
Schools Attended Unofficially 34
Letters Written
Miles Traveled15,221

#### EXPENSES

Mileage Exp.	\$456.63
Hotels & Meals	45.16
Postage	83.95
Telegrams & Telephone	
Other Expense	
Total for year	789.20
Money Received	
Deficit	\$ 29.20

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and our Grand Esther, Sister Earnesteen for allowing us to be a part of this wonderful Eastern Star year.

Fraternally submitted,

BEBE HILLMER District Deputy Grand Matron District Five

The District Deputy Grand Matrons at the conclusion of their reports moved their adoption. They were adopted.

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# APPLE FOR THE TEACHER

After the conclusion of the Reports the District Deputy Grand Matrons, the Deputy Grand Matrons, Grand Examiners and Secretaries were presented by the Grand Marshal in the formation of an Apple. The District Deputies and Grand Examiners and Secretaries wore green capes and formed a small and a large leaf. The Deputies wore red capes and they formed the Apple. The Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were led to the base of the Apple. The Worthy Grand Matron was presented a basket which the Deputies filled with Apples, the Worthy Grand Patron got the worms.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Grand Examiners.

# REPORT OF BOARD OF GRAND EXAMINERS

Worthy Grand Matron, it is my pleasure to present the members of the Board of Grand Examiners:

Mrs. Pat Major	District 1
Mrs. Frances Austin	District 2
Mrs. Doris Easterling	District 3
Mrs. Rennie Ofton	District 5
and I am	
Alma Miller	District 4

# REPORT OF GRAND EXAMINERS

### 1969-1970

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

We, the members of the Board of Grand Examiners, wish to submit the following report:

	Schools Held	1		ertificates Issued		Total
			., A	В		
District 1	10		1,458	144		1,602
District 2	10	-	1,150	290		' 1,440
District 3	10		1,121	101		1,222
District 4	10		1,874	300	,	2,174
District 5	10		1,331	66		1,397
Total			6,934	901		7,835

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, the members of the Board of Grand Examiners wish to express sincere appreciation for your interest, your encouragement, and every act of kindness shown us in our work. Our love and best wishes go with you always.

Fraternally submitted,

ALMA MILLER, Chairman PAT MAJOR FRANCES AUSTIN DORIS EASTERLING RENNIE OFTON

# GRAND EXAMINERS DISTRICT 1

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members,

Sisters and Brothers:

It is a signal honor for the Grand Examiner-at-Large to be from District I. I proudly present Sister Kathy Johnston.

I wish to submit the following report of the schools held in District No. 1:

Schools Held	Certificate Issued		Total
7.0	-A-	-B-	7.000
10	1,458	144	1,602

To our District Deputy Grand, Sister Velda Anderson and our District One Secretary, Sister Opal Lee Kelly, I say "thank you" for your many kind words and for your friendship. My thanks to both of you dear people for the sweet associations we have shared.

To the ten wonderful Deputy Grand Matrons, I shall always be loving you. I do appreciate your co-operation and love shown me all through the year.

Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Richard T. Porter, it has been a pleasure to share many happy experiences with you and your beautiful wife, Earnesteen, Grand Esther. I value the friendship of each of you highly.

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally Matranga, you have filled a very important place in my life this year. Your words of encouragement, your patience and deep understanding have been greatly appreciated. God has richly blessed me with your friendship. Thank you for everything.

Memory is that precious gift whereby we weave together the yesterdays of life, I recall the inspiration that was given to me by all individual members of District 1. Those who co-operated willingly by doing all they possibly could in the examining room. If we are faithful in the important small things, the big things will then fall into their proper pattern.

Time can be used more than once, particularly in memory. I discovered new lovely facets in people whom I have already known and admired. I especially appreciate the value of your worth as Eastern Stars. The small contacts of many of you have turned into riches in my life. So many, many of you have passed some of your riches of love, understanding and devotion on to me. You have been kind in so many ways. To all of you my grateful thanks.

Fraternally submitted,

PAT MAJOR Grand Examiner, District 1 Grand Chapter of Texas, O. E. S.

# GRAND EXAMINER-DISTRICT TWO

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and

Members of the Grand Chapter of Texas:

To the membership of this Grand Jurisdiction, May I express to you my sincere thanks for the privilege of serving Grand Chapter in this capacity. Attending the ten schools of District Two has given me the opportunity to know and to fully appreciate the fine spirit of cooperation reflected in this report. 1,150 "A" and 290 "B" Certificates were issued, making a total of 1,440 Certificates.

I wish to express my love and appreciation to our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally Matranga, our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Richard T. Porter, the District Deputy Grand Matron, Sister Beulah Speer, the District Secretary, Sister Gladys Johnson, and to the ten Deputy Grand Matrons, for each courtesy and gesture of friendship.

May the memory of this Grand Chapter Session linger in our hearts as a reminder of fraternal love, good fellowship, and pleasant associations.

### Fraternally submitted,

FRANCES AUSTIN Grand Examiner, District Two

# Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

### REPORT OF GRAND EXAMINER—DISTRICT THREE

#### 1969-1970

Music delights the heart and lifts us toward God. The membership of District Three created beautiful *Harmony* as they worked together in our Schools, obtaining 1,121 "A" Certificates and 101 "B" Certificates issued this year.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, District Deputy Grand Matron, each of the ten Deputy Grand Matrons and the District Secretary for each courtesy extended to me. To the membership of my District, may I say a special "Thank You" for another wonderful year shared with you.

May the *Melody* of this year linger long in each of our hearts.

Fraternally submitted.

DORIS EASTERLING Grand Examiner District Three

# REPORT OF GRAND EXAMINER-DISTRICT 4

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sally, Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Dick:

Your beautiful theme for the year, Music of the Heart, encouraged me to re-dedicate my work to the Purposes and Landmarks of our Order. You kept all the strings in tune by your humility and compassionate concern for others, truly an inspiration to all. Your fun way and depth of understanding brought joy and encouragement to every meeting.

A sincere Thank You to my lovely District Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. Irene Scarborough, and ten wonderful Deputy Grand Matrons and a capable Secretary, for your thoughtfulness and kindness to me in so many, many ways. Your spirit of co-operation will always live in my heart. To the membership of this Grand Chapter I offer my sincere gratitude for the honor of serving you in this capacity.

# Fraternally,

# ALMA MILLER

# GRAND EXAMINER—DISTRICT FIVE

# Thank You, Sister Alma.

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

It has been a wonderful experience serving as Grand Examiner of District Five. I deeply appreciate this honor which was bestowed upon me.

This gracious Worthy Grand Matron and fine Worthy Grand Patron endeared themselves to the membership of our District by their outstanding performance; However, no one could have held them in higher esteem than I. They are great.

Worthy, Grand Matron, your understanding words of encouragement and kindness were appreciated more than you can ever know.

I extend to Sister Doris Easterling, Grand Examiner of District Three, my sincere thanks for filling in for me November 25, at the School in Junction. On that day, I was blessed by the birth of a precious grandson and did not get to attend the School.

To the membership of District Five, I cannot find adequate words to express my appreciation to you for your kindnesses and courtesies. You 'assisted me in so many ways as I traveled through the District.

And certainly, to our District Deputy Grand Matron, Sister Bebe Hillmer, and our District Secretary, Sister Isabelle Sellers, special friends for many years, and to each lovely Deputy, I express my deepest gratitude for your love. You helped make each school and event of this past year very special.

With a heart full of gratitude, Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and Members of District Five, I thank you. I have many new and wonderful pages in my book of happiness.

### Fraternally submitted,

### RENNIE OFTON Grand Examiner, District Five

### The Grand Examiners Reports were adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: While the Labyrinth Committee is setting up the labyrinth, we will ask the Grand Choir to sing for us.

# GRAND CHOIR

The Grand Choir sang, "It Is No Secret What God Can Do."

#### GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM LABOR TO REST

The Bible was closed, and at 12:10 P. M., Grand Chapter was called from Labor to Rest until 2:00 P. M.

# Wednesday Afternoon—September 30, 1970 2:00 P. M.

Preceding the Wednesday afternoon session, organ melodies were by Mrs. Mertis Stone, Grand Organist.

# BUTTONS AND BOWS

The first item on the Wednesday afternoon program was the Buttons and Bows presentation and drill by the Time and Talent Committee and the Pink Ladies. The ladies made the pink bow and the pink ties the button. At the concluding portion of the drill the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron were escorted into the formation.

# ENTRANCE OF GRAND OFFICERS

The Grand Officers entered in regular formation, and the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the East, and the Grand Officers assumed their stations.

# GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM REST TO LABOR

Grand Chapter was proved, the Bible opened, and Grand Chapter was Called from Rest to Labor at 2:40 P. M.

### ADOPTION OF REPORTS OF DISTRICT DEPUTIES, DEPUTIES AND GRAND EXAMINERS

MRS. REBECCA MILES: Worthy Grand Matron, this morning we adopted the Reports of the District Deputies, Deputies and Grand Examiners while the Bible was closed. In order to make it legal, I move that we ratify the action taken this morning.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It has been moved and seconded that the Reports of the District Deputies, Deputies and Grand Examiners be adopted. Is there any discussion?

The reports were adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Jurisprudence Committee.

### SALE OF LAND FOR ROAD

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sisters and Brothers:

I have a very important thing to bring before this Grand Chapter that does not concern the Jurisprudence Committee, but concerns me as attorney for the Board of Grand Trustees.

We have a law which provides that no sale of the Home property can be made without the approval of Grand Chapter. The City of Arlington is in the process of building a road at the back of the Home property and has required ten feet of the property off of our lot there and ten feet will come off the opposite side, in order that they may widen the street that is there now to make a road out of it. There have been some offers and counter-offers, and they have stated that the pavement for that highway or road will amount to about \$8,400.00, I believe it is.

Also, they are willing to buy the property there at the Home, and they have made a tentative offer of 52 cents to \$1.00. And it looks to me like there is going to have to be something worked out with the City of Arlington with regard to this ten foot strip across our property.

Now our property runs east and west, and is somewhere between 300 and 500 feet wide running down to the highway that goes in front of the property.

As you know, the City or any political subdivision of the State of Texas has the right to condemn property and take it for road purposes.

I move that this Grand Chapter approve the sale of the property to the City of Arlington, and that the terms and conditions of that sale be worked out with the Board of Grand Trustees. I know of no other Board that could work it out but them.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, it has been moved and seconded that the sale of this property in the City of Arlington be worked out by the Board of Grand Trustees. Is there any discussion?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, here is what I want to say about this property. I have discussed it to some extent, very briefly, with Brother Chauncey Penix. He is the attorney in connection with this matter, and as an attorney I think he is one of the best, and I am sure he will not advise the Board of Grand Trustees to do anything against our interest.

But when we go to dealing with property and go to dealing with dollars and cents, I think it is very important that we have this matter thoroughly worked out.

Now ordinarily there is a difference, of course, as you know, between the sale of property and granting an easement on property. Now if you grant an easement, and I have done this in the past individually, you can have a provision that if the property ceases to be used as a street or road, it reverts back to the owner. On the other hand, if you have a straight-out sale, it can be conveyed to somebody else. And I understand there are certain interests in the City of Arlington that would like very much to have this property, and from my standpoint I do not think that we should authorize the Board of Grand Trustees to do anything more than to try to work out an arrangement to execute an easement across this property. It seems to me that is the best thing to do.

If Brother Chauncey means by sale conveying it outright and losing title to it forever, then I would be opposed to it. But if he will, as our lawyer, tell us now just what the instrument will convey, then I think we can more intelligently determine whether to authorize the Board of Grand Trustees or anyone else to execute an instrument affecting this property. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Do we have any further discussion?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: I understand from Sister Rebecca Miles that the instrument has an easement clause in it.

I am going to make a substitute motion, and move that we authorize the Board of Grand Trustees, under the advice of our attorney, Mr. Chauncey Penix, to enter into negotiations and to culminate the execution of an instrument which will be an easement, and not a deed. I make that as a motion. WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We have a motion and second on the floor.

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, my amendment is to authorize the Board of Grand Trustees, with the advice of our attorney, Mr. Chauncey Penix, to enter into negotiations and culminate, if possible, the execution of an easement across this property, and not a deed.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: You have heard the motion. Is there discussion?

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Sisters and Brothers, this has been discussed considerably with the Board of Grand Trustees and some of the Grand Officers. If this is handled as the good Judge says, no doubt it will be best for the 'paving. At any rate, the paving assessment will be approximately equal to the value placed upon that land. Therefore, it has been suggested that the Board of Grand Trustees be allowed to negotiate with the City of Arlington. And they are going to get the street, whether you vote for it or not. They will take it by right of a Texas Statute.

I suggest that the good Judge's Amendment be defeated, and that Brother Chauncey Penix's motion be adopted, and let this matter be handled by the Board of Grand Trustees. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Are you ready for the vote?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Sisters and Brothers, you are voting on the Amendment I have offered. I have had a good deal of experience with the socalled condemnation proceedings, and I never in my experience have seen anybody lose anything if they didn't sell it. (Applause.) So I say keep your property, and then we can negotiate later if we have any trouble with the City. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Are you ready for the vote?

It appears to be defeated.

Now we will vote on the motion as originally stated.

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: This is the original motion: That this Grand Chapter authorize the sale of a strip of land off of the north part of the Home property to the City of Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas, on the consideration and terms to be agreed upon by the Board of Grand Trustees.

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, I have conferred briefly with Brother Chauncey, and I feel certain that he is going to try to negotiate for an easement, so I feel that you are in safe hands so far as Brother Chauncey is concerned. (Applause.) I feel certain Brother Chauncey will negotiate the best possible deal on this strip of land.

In connection with the motion, the Resolution by the Board of Grand Trustees was filed.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: This is the Resolution. We are voting on the original motion.

### RESOLUTION

We, the undersigned members of the Board of Grand Trustees of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, do hereby submit the following resolution to the Grand Chapter for their action:

RESOLVED that this Grand Chapter authorize sale of a strip of land off of the north part of the Home property to the City of Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas, upon the consideration and terms to be agreed upon by the Board of Grand Trustees.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ANNETTE PIERCE, Chairman-MR. T. R. BRAMLETT, Vice-Chairman MR. PERRY SMITHWICK, Secretary MR. STEVE BAKER, Member MRS. LILLIE MAY HURST, Member

### WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Motion carried.

We will now have the Report of the Founders Day Committee:

### REPORT OF FOUNDERS DAY COMMITTEE FOUNDER'S DAY REPORT

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brothers:

Long ago there was a man well versed in Masonic Lore, who had a vision, He had long entertained a hope that the women of a Mason's family might be brought in closer touch with the great brotherhood. From the Scriptures he selected five heroines who were to become our five rays of the Star. The Bible text furnished appropriate lectures, and his poetic imagination the emblems and the ritualistic work which followed.

In the year of 1850 was laid the cornerstone of the foundation of that superstructure now known throughout the world as the Order of the Eastern Star.

In later years Rob Morris said: "My heart swells with gratitude to God, who guided my hand to prepare a work, of all the works of my life, the most successful."

I know that he would be most pleased if he could know of the work of this committee, which is founded in his honor and which commemorates his birthday on a special day in August each year. This committee functions each year because of our love for, and interest in, the Order of the Eastern Star, whose principles represent the highest ideals of Christian living. Thus, we are prompted to perform all our duties with Love, Loyalty and with Music in our Hearts. These are necessary strings in the Harp of Happiness.

Worthy Grand Matron, it takes co-operation, willingness and unselfishness, to carry on and be successful. That is what you gave me in the 96 members you placed on this committee. No one was half so welcome as the Postman as he brought letters from all over the State of Texas with a check in each one, many of which were a direct result of a committee member's work. There were 333 participating Chapters this year and each one was 100%.

Would the members of the Founder's Day Committee please stand. To the members of this committee I would like to say: It is in loving—not in being loved—the heart is blest and yours was a very special "Happiness" quest. In my heart I know that your hearts have been truly blessed. Deep is my appreciation and sincere my thanks to each and everyone of you. (You may be seated).

We may not have made a beautiful symphony this year for all the world to hear. We have played our Harps of Happiness in the part of our Eastern Star Home that is necessary for the comfort and well being of our ladies who reside there-back in the regions not often seen by visitors. Happiness can start in the kitchen and that is where our Section of the Orchestra played.

The year started with a meeting with the Board of Directors of Grand Chapter Benevolences. It was decided that our efforts would be centered on the renovation of the kitchen. Our hearts are grateful to the members of the Board for their gracious co-operation in our projects. With the approval of the Benevolent Board, and after many discussions with Mrs. Hilda Sones and Mrs. Edythe Dixon, we began a program of buying new equipment, repairing the old, and a general refurbishing of our kitchen as the money became available. This committee has made every effort to keep expenses to a minimum and to obtain as much for your dollar as possible by careful examination of bids as to quality of material and workmanship.

Sisters and Brothers, as you will see, this committee's work has consisted of many endeavors. No single item may stand out as a shining star but the overall results, we feel, will.

A general accounting of funds is as follows:

### INCOME

Received from 333 Chapters and Donations Variety Show	\$ 6,543.87 1.207.00
Founder's Day Silver Tea	484.71
Total	\$ 8,235.58

#### EXPENSE

In Collecting Funds:

Correspondence & Receipting Chapters: Postage\$36.00 Printing\$16.43		•
Variety Show:	-	
Dallas Memorial Auditorium (Rent)       \$250.00         Dallas Memorial Auditorium       40.00         (Piano)       40.00         Dallas Stage Empl. Union No. 127       102.07         Bennetts—Programs & Tickets       165.60         Newspaper Ads       2.10	) 7 ) 3	
\$559.8	5	
Founder's Day Tea:		
Aderholt's Flowers	5 L	
Total Expense		714.59
Total Expense	. ф 	114,09
Net Income	. \$	7,520.99

# Disbursement of Funds:

Coole's Hotel Supply 1—Hobart Dishwasher\$ 1—Hatco Booster Water Heater 1—5' Double Sink with 3' Drain Board	1,608.00 385.00 264.75
1—Universal Hot Serving Cart with Trays Fashion Draperies Inc.	904.30
New Drapes for 18 Rooms in Hospital Sears Roebuck Company	943.50
2—31 cu. ft. Upright Deep Freezers 2—Kitchen Curtains	$798.00 \\ 34.59$
Pete Jones Furniture Company China Cabinet for Dining Room North Fort Worth Tin Company	300.00
1-Stainless Steel Serving or Dish Cart	249.00
Hightower Electric Company 8—8' Flourescent Light Fixtures	93.00
L. R. Bradley Paint Contractor Cleaning and sealing. Two Coats Commercial Enamel	624.00
North Fort Worth Tin Company Rebuilding of stainless steel drainboard and tray work areas for dishwasher Herman Golitz Plumbing Company	298.5 <b>0</b>
Plumbing of dishwasher and sinks. Installation of grease traps and misc. plumbing remodeling Hightower Electric Company	429.20
Installation of lighting, dishwasher, and water heater with new circuits to all units. Cicuits for freezers and food warmers	413.20
Total Disbursements To September 30, 1970\$	7,345.04
Incomplete Projects Now In Process With Estimated Costs: New Vegetable Dishes	149.43

### Total Disbursements & Expense To Be Incurred

In Completion of Work .....\$ 7,494.47

On August 7, the 1970 Variety Show, which is fast becoming a tradition, was presented at the Memorial Auditorium in Dallas with members and visitors in Good Attendance. Sisters Rose Cunningham and Blanche Wilson, Co-Chairman of the Founder's Day Committee, again proved themselves as producers and directors. Our appreciation also goes to Brother Dick Fisher who was Master of Ceremonies. His talent is great and we are fortunate to have him in our area.

On August 8, a Founder's Day Silver Tea in commemoration of the birthday of our Founder, Rob Morris, was held in the dining room of the Home. This also gave the visitors the opportunity to view the improvement in the kitchen and to enjoy a delightful time of fellowship. The Worthy Grand Matron and other Grand Officers made a receiving line into the dining room which had been beautifully decorated. Sister Viola Edwards served as the Chairman of this Silver Tea, and I shall be forever grateful to her, and to the rest of the Committee for this beautiful afternoon.

I wish to express appreciation to my husband, Bill Chancellor, without whose help we could not have secured the materials at a discount, managed to get someone to do the work with less expense, and still get a dollar's worth for every dollar spent. He spent his vacation this year working on the Founder's Day Committee projects so that we could have most of the improvements made by Founder's Day at the Home, so I'd like to say: Thank you, Bill.

Our special thanks go to a Star whose responsibility and dedication to the Home is often overlooked, Mrs. Hilda Sones, our dietitian. With the addition of a new hot server and additional trays for the old one, she has started a program of serving that will aid in keeping the food hot. She is a very dedicated person and we are indeed fortunate to have her in our Home.

To the Benevolent Board and to Mrs. Edythe Dixon, our Home Superintendent, our most sincere gratitude and appreciation.

I would be remiss if I did not express my appreciation to the Grand Secretary, Sister Rebecca Miles, for her help. She is always able to find the time in her busy day for counsel, and I do appreciate everything, Sister Rebecca.

Worthy Grand Matron, on behalf of the Founder's Day Committee for 1969-1970, we wish to thank you for the privilege of having a part this year. This year will stand out in my life, personally, not for any personal accomplishment, but for my opportunity to be of service. It has been a wonderful experience and I shall certainly have a better understanding of the complex operation of our Home.

"It was a Master Mason who lived by the Square,

Who laid the foundation of a Star in the East so fair, To him we are ever gratefull He is worthy of our thought We should be ever mindful of the *Happiness* he brought

#### Respectfully submitted,

LOYCE CHANCELLOR Chairman, Founder's Day Committee ... ROSE CUNNINGHAM Co-Chairman BLANCHE WILSON Co-Chairman

MRS. LOYCE CHANCELLOR: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have another Report from the Jurisprudence Committee.

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, this is Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 7. It has to do with Resolution No. 1.

### JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 7

We, your Jurisprudence Committee, have carefully examined RESOLU-TION NO. I, of the Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, and find same in legal and proper form to submit to the Grand Chapter for their action, which Proposed Amendment reads as follows:

# **RESOLUTION No. 1**

We, the undersigned members of Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, do hereby submit the following resolution to be considered and acted upon at the Annual Session of Grand Chapter to be held on September, 1970.

That part of Article IX, Section 1, Committees, which provides, "The Grand Chapter shall by law, provide for the appointment of such committees as it may deem for the best interest of Grand Chapter including the following:

- (1) Fraternal Correspondent
- (2) Credentials
- (3) By-Laws
- (4) Chapters Under Dispensation
- (5) Jurisprudence
- (6) Grievance and Appeals
- (7) Transportation and Mileage
- (8) Education Fund
- (9) Purposes and Policies
- (10) Registration
- (11) Welfare
- (12) Choir Director
- (13) International Temple Committee
- (14) Executive Committee for Grand Chapter Session
- (15) Committee on Grand Chapter Arrangements

(The balance of the Section shall read as stated in the Constitution.)

That the following be added to said Article and Section, as follows:

- (12) ESTARL COMMITTEE
- (13) ENDOWMENT FUND COMMITTEE
- (14) Choir Director
- (15) International Temple Committee
- (16) Executive Committee for Grand Chapter Session
- (17) Committee on Grand Chapter Arrangements

(The above Committees, ESTARL and ENDOWMENT FUND, are added the other Committees as already part of the Constitution and renumbered.)

Respectfully submitted,

LEE ADKISSON CHAUNCEY E. PENIX MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH ED. L. SHARPE

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: Worthy Grand Matron, I move that this report be submitted to this Grand Chapter for action.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: May we have a vote by our Chapter Representatives.

We will vote on this Report No. 7, Resolution No. 1.

PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

# Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 7 was adopted.

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: Worthy Grand Matron, this is Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 8, Resolution No. 3.

# JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 8

We, your Jurisprudence Committee, have carefully examined RESOLU-TION NO. 3 of the Proposed Amendments to the Code of Laws, of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, and find same in legal and proper form to submit to the Grand Chapter for their consideration and action, which Proposed Amendment reads as follows:

### **RESOLUTION No. 3**

We, the undersigned members of Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, do hereby submit the following resolution to be considered and acted upon at the Annual Session of Grand Chapter to be held in September, 1970.

That the following Article be added to the Code of Laws for the Grand Chapter, as follows:

# ENDOWMENT FUND COMMITTEE

Article 162 H, Chapter 13—The Endowment Fund Committee shall consist of six members, to be appointed annually by the Worthy Grand Matron, one from each of the five districts, and one as General Chairman.

Respectfully submitted,

LEE ADKISSON CHAUNCEY E, PENIX MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH ED. L. SHARPE

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, Sisters and Brothers: If you will notice, the Jurisprudence Committee's Report is that it be presented to Grand Chapter for vote on it. In other words, it does not approve or disapprove. I want to tell you what I think what we are doing.

I voted for the Establishment of these two committees, the ESTARL Committee and the Endowment Fund Committee. Now I think we are going at it backwards. I think you should realize that this does not necessarily mean that we are going to settle what we are trying to do. We are going to have another one that is coming up, and I want you to be very careful. I am not saying that you will not be, but what I am trying to say is to help Grand Chapter in solving the problems that are coming up here.

There is another motion that is going to be offered, and creating an. Endowment Fund Committee at this time, it may or may not have very much to do after we get through this afternoon, depending on how you vote.

MR. HERBERT ARNOLD: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, I am Herbert L. Arnold. As you know, I was Chairman this year of the Home Endowment Committee. We have worked hard this year and accomplished much on the Home Endowment. I am not going to bring to you all the merits of this Home Endowment Program this year, but I would like to present to you this Resolution, an amended resolution to Resolution No. 3. I am offering this amendment to the resolution:

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

#### AMENDMENT

We, the undersigned members of Grand Chapter, offer the following Amendment to Resolution No. 3 of those printed in the 45-day Bulletin as follows:

That as part of the permanent duties of the Endowment Fund Committee that said Committee shall promote and sponsor the voluntary contributions from the membership of the Endowment Fund including Annuities, Insurance, Wills, Gifts, Stocks and Bonds.

# Respectfully submitted,

# MARVIN B. SIMPSON, JR. GERALD C. ALLEN MILDRED GARLETZ

Sisters and Brothers, I am including anything that I, as an individual, or a Chapter wants to contribute to the Home Endowment Fund to insure the protection of our ladies in the operation of the Home.

I say that each of us has a right to give to this fund any amount that we wish to give, through an insurance policy, through a trust, bonds, stocks, or anything of value to increase the Home Endowment Fund to where we will have an income long after you and I have passed on, and it can be said that we contributed to insure the perpetual care of the little ladies in the Home. Thank you. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Sisters and Brothers, we have an amendment to Resolution No. 3, which reads as follows:

### AMENDMENT

We, the undersigned members of Grand Chapter, offer the following Amendment to Resolution No. 3 of those printed in the 45-day Bulletin as follows:

That as part of the permanent duties of the Endowment Fund Committee that said Committee shall promote and sponsor the voluntary contributions from the membership of the Endowment Fund including Annuities, Insurance, Wills, Gifts, Stocks and Bonds.

Respectfully submitted,

#### MARVIN B. SIMPSON, JR. GERALD C. ALLEN MILDRED GARLITZ

Do we have a second?

We have a second by Donald Matranga. Is there discussion?

I recognize Judge Smith.

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Sisters and Brothers, I am very appreciative of the fact that Brother Arnold has offered before you the real question to be decided by this Grand Chapter.

Now in order that we may have no parliamentary snarl in this matter, the motion has been made and seconded and, as I understand it, under the rules the proponents of that resolution have the right to open and close, and those who are not for it will speak in between. So I think in fairness it would be

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right for the ones that are proposing it to state fully what they are proposing to do before I—and I will say right now, I am opposing it—before I am required to speak. I think everybody here ought to know exactly the pros and cons of this thing.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Do we have someone who wishes to speak in favor of the amendment who would like to be recognized? I recognize Brother High.

MR. WELDON HIGH: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

One portion of this proposal on endowment insurance originated with me. I stand also as the initial perpetrator of the original letter almost a year ago.

I had previously discussed this idea, this proposal, with the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron in San Antonio. She asked that I give her a letter stating my proposal.

After the football game was over, Thanksgiving Day, I proceeded to write the letter. From that point I heard nothing until some time in April when a meeting was held. My proposal originated in looking down the future trail of those lovely ladies at our Eastern Star Home, the ones so dear to us, and that we love with all our hearts, and have within our hearts a desire to see that their wants are fulfilled.

Now I have been told by many people, none of whom I will speak of by name, that I have personal gain from this; that I did this to gain a grand appointment. I did this from my heart, and only after much prayer. I am speaking of the annuity and insurance provision.

We have members who could write a check for the entire cost of the operation of our Home. I feel that there among us many who would want to provide for the operation of the Home in the future through annuities or other insurance provisions. And would like to be a part of the support of our Eastern Star Home.

Now I have no personal gain in this. I have written five of these endowment policies, two of them for my own family. If we are not going to do something and build a fund that will adequately support the future of our Home, then I don't understand what our Fraternal Organization is about.

We have many little ladies in our Home today, and more who should be there, but we can't support them.

Please give this a second thought. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: I would like to ask those who wish to speak for or against the question to limit their discussions to three minutes, please.

Does anyone else want to be recognized to speak in favor of this?

I recognize Brother Herbert Arnold.

MR. HERBERT ARNOLD: Sisters and Brothers, may I tell you that within the two and a half months after the annuity program was put into affect and the brochure mailed out, \$111,000.00 in annuities have already been written. Eighty-nine per cent of these are in the Fort Worth area. Thirty-five per cent of those participating are dues-paying members. The Endowment Fund can reach those members who pay dues but who do not attend Chapter if we are only allowed to do it. They will gladly do it. They want to do something for the Home. It is the Home Endowment that will insure the perpetual care of the ladies in the Home. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Would anyone else like to be recognized?

I recognized Mrs. Katherine Poulis.

MRS. KATHERINE POULIS: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

Much of what has been said has been impressive, but the end does not: always justify the means.

I want to speak about the insurance program, but first I want to make my position perfectly clear.

I have always been grateful to the membership of Grand Chapter for electing me to office and I want to assure this membership that the day I feeL that I am not speaking for them, then I shall feel that my service to Grand. Chapter is at an end. I wish to assure every member here that I regard lifetoo short to deal in personality clashes with my friends and that there is no personal animosity in my feelings in this matter, but I am opposed to this program because of some very strong principles which I feel are involved here.

I could have remained silent about this and not taken a stand, and perhaps would have more to gain personally if I did not get involved in this, but I do not regard the issues here today as a popularity contest. I sincerely hope everyone else feels the same way.

If members of our Order want to give to an Endowment Fund or any other Fund, this is their business. Some people give gifts to various institutions, universities, churches, or hospitals, setting up Trust Funds, Foundations, or by simply providing for them in their wills, or making them beneficiaries of an insurance program. Let those who can do this, do it, if they so desire. But Eastern Star and Masonry have by tradition remained free of entanglement with any commercial ventures.

So first of all, I am opposed in principle to the way this has been handled. I feel that the membership has the right to vote on whether or not they are going to commit our Order to endorse this insurance company and sponsor its program.

I do not feel that any person has this right more than any group of persons have the right to commit this Grand Chapter without this Grand Chapter having an opportunity to carefully study and evaluate the issues and voting on them.

When we set up a Purposes and Policy Committee twelve years ago, it was for this very purpose, and it was made clear that this committee would study long range plans for our Grand Chapter and bring their recommendations to Grand Chapter for consideration.

All of our Boards, Committees, Grand Officers and Officers of Grand Chapter are carefully limited by our Constitution and Laws and can merely make recommendations to the membership at this Grand Chapter for those decisions by vote.

Insurance companies are in business to make money for insurance companies. I believe in insurance. But I don't believe in this Grand Chapter of Texas going into the insurance business. That is what we are doing when we give an unqualified endorsement to any one insurance company and send out their policies from the Grand Secretary's office.

I believe it is wrong to put undue pressure on groups of captive audiences to listen to an insurance company representative who may or may not be a member of the Order. I don't believe we ought to be this closely associated with any one insurance company, where we line up prospects for them in meetings and try to sell their policies for them. When we do this we are assuming a lot of responsibility for the company and the actions of their personnel, and we are giving them an unqualified endorsement and putting their foot in the door of every Eastern Star and Masonic Home in Texas.

Do we really need to do this? I think not. Do you think it is right to supply an insurance company with rosters of our membership? I think not. But this is being done.

We can urge our membership to give voluntarily, but let's not get hooked up with any one insurance program to where we will ultimately start thinking of it as the Eastern Star Insurance Company. (Applause.)

All insurance companies have competitive programs. I dare say some might have much better programs to offer than the one that pays only three and a half per cent.

Sisters and Brothers, I think it most unbecoming for Grand Chapter to be involved in any insurance company's business. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: I recognize Judge Clyde Smith.

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I want to make it very clear in the very beginning, as I have always tried to do, that in discussing this matter no personalities are involved. I am not here trying to destroy anybody's reputation or injure their feelings. But I join Sister Katherine Poulis in opposing this proposed amendment, for this reason: You have a right as an individual to make contracts and agreements with any insurance company that you wish. You have a right as an individual to do what you please so far as it is within the law. But I do not believe that this Grand Chapter should enter into the insurance business and try to dictate to the members of this Grand Chapter and to the members of the Order of the Eastern Star how they should provide for the Endowment Fund. (Applause.)

I am not opposed to the Endowment Fund. I believe in the Endowment Fund, and we have helped to maintain it. And I certainly believe that if we as individuals will work and do what we can, and put our minds and our hearts to it, we could raise at least \$50,000.00 a year for the next ten years to go into the Endowment Fund, and we would not be paying a penny for premiums to an insurance company. (Applause.)

We have had a free and thorough discussion of this matter. I have kept an open mind on this question until we got to this Grand Chapter. I have concluded that this is not the business of Grand Chapter.

Suppose you take out an annuity policy and pay the premiums on it for a certain length of time and you decide you don't want to have it any more. Of course that endowment fund will not be helped. The only people that would be helped would be the insurance agent and the insurance company. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Anyone else wish to be recognized to spean in opposition?

I recognize Mr. Frank Phillips.

MR. FRANK PHILLIPS: This is too important for a three minutes talk.

Sisters and Brothers, I usually don't talk about my time limit. To understand my position, I must tell you I own, and it is all paid for, 2,000 shares of stock in one of the biggest insurance companies in the United States. When I first heard of this I said, I will sell insurance to every member of the Grand Chapter of Texas, and I will do a good job. But I don't sell insurance. And then I thought, Frank Phillips, you can't do a thing like that. Do you want insurance ads pinned up in our Eastern Star and Masonic Halls of Texas. Sisters and Brothers, I won't do it.

I think I know a little something about the insurance business. I ought to. My money is in it. Their job is to sell insurance. I am not selling insurance. The main thing in insurance business is to get the agent out there and get the prospect. That is his job.

I don't think the Grand Chapter of Texas wants to go into the insurance business.

I thank you. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Anyone else?

MR. HERBERT ARNOLD: Sisters and Brothers, as you know, I am young, so to speak, in this Grand Chapter. I am just following three wonderful speakers. But I do have to stand up for my convictions, for what I think is right and for what is good for our Order.

I do know the merits of this program if it is carried out.

It was only a short time ago that Sister Katherine Poulis appealed to this Grand Chapter for an increase in our per capita tax. I know what it costs to operate the Home. I know what it costs to operate Grand Chapter. There should be a plan, as big as we are, where we would have plenty of money accruing from a fund to properly care for our ladies.

No one insurance company has the exclusive right to write these policies. Any insurance company in the State of Texas, any agent, has the right to write a policy and deliver it to Sister Rebecca Miles.

The important thing is to provide for the operation of the Home and to insure the continued care of the ladies in it. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Anyone else?

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I think it is a sound proposition. We are not sponsoring any one insurance company. Any insurance company that wants to may write these policies. I took out one of the first policies, and I think it is a good thing.

This program has increased our Endowment Fund \$110,000.00 in two and a half months time. It has taken us 40 years to raise \$600,00.00

My policy will be paid out in ten years. The Eastern Star will get the entire amount of the policy. If I should die in less than that time, they will

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get \$10,000.00. If I keep the policy five years, then they will get every bit of the money I have put into it.

Thank you. (Applause.)

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Patron, I am rising on a point of parliamentary procedure. We agreed that the proponents should open and close. You are supposed to have one speaker to close. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Do you wish to call for the question, or do you wish to hear other Sisters and Brothers?

I recognize Brother Donald Matranga.

MR. DONALD MATRANGA: Thank you, sir.

I have been associated with several other Fraternal Organizations. I operate a small business, and my method of operating my business may not be the same as operating the Eastern Star Home where they get a per capita 'tax from the members of each of the Chapters. The per capita tax had to be increased to take care of the operation of the Home.

I think this insurance program is a good thing. The publicity and the brochure cost us nothing. The only reason for this method of annuities is to enable us to increase the Endowment Fund. It gives you an opportunity to support it, and I believe it. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Sisters and Brothers, the Worthy Grand Matron has asked to be heard.

The Worthy Grand Matron spoke in favor of the Amendment.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Sisters and Brothers, are you ready for the question?

The question is on the amendment to Resolution No. 3, which reads:

"That as part of the permanent duties of the Endowment Fund Committee that said Committee shall promote and sponsor the voluntary contributions from the members of the Endowment Fund, including annuities, insurance, wills, gifts, stocks and bonds." That is what you are voting on today.

First, I would like to ask that all of the Chapter representatives please stand.

The question was taken and the proposed Amendment was rejected.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Now the question is on the adoption of Jurisprudence Report No. 8, Resolution No. 3.

Would you like for me to read it again?

"The Endowment Fund Committee shall consist of six members, to be appointed annually by the Worthy Grand Matron, one from each of the five Districts, and one as General Chairman."

Is there any further discussion?

MR. DAVE REANEY: Worthy Grand Patron, since we have defeated the Amendment to this, I question what the duties of the Endowment Fund Committee might be. What will their duties be? (Applause.)

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Sisters and Brothers, you have defeated the proposed Amendment to the Resolution. Personally, I am not opposed to having an Endowment Fund Committee, because that Committee will know now that it cannot function in the respect that you sell insurance. But I do think that it would be a very fine thing to have an Endowment Fund Com-mittee to devise plans and means of increasing the Endowment Fund. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Are you ready for the question?

Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 8 was adopted.

### **RECOGNITION OF FIFTY-YEAR MEMBERS**

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, at this time I would like to recognize our Fifty-Year Members. Will they come forward, please.

The following Fifty-Year Members who were present were escorted to the East and were greeted with prolonged applause:

Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, Waco Chapter No. 7 Mrs. Bertha Hamlink, Ransford Chapter No. 135

Mrs. Mary Pope, Hondo Chapter No. 404 Mrs. Georgiana Mason, Andral Vann Chapter No. 741

Mrs. Della Bradley, Wrightsboro Chapter No. 778

Mrs. Portia Patterson, Norma D. Allen Chapter No. 1050

Mrs. Christine Adamson, Adobe Walls No. 1059

(Applause.)

As a tribute to the Fifty-Year Members, Mr. Richard L. Fisher sang, "We'll Be Loving You Always.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Let us give these lovely fifty year members a big hand. (Applause.)

Sisters and Brothers, we have two other Reports. We will now have the Report of the Bulletin Committee.

### REPORT OF BULLETIN COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brothers: It is with a happy heart that I bring to you the report of the Bulletin Committee, and I proudly present to you the members of this Committee.

Mrs. Cleora Hampton Mrs. Juanita Hershey Mrs. Verbie Potts Mrs. Elpha Worthy Mrs. Sue Ainsworth Mrs. Winona Rubesch

We express our deep appreciation for the privilege of serving you, Worthy Grand Matron, our Worthy Grand Patron, and our Grand Chapter, in this capacity this year. It has truly been a labor of love.

Our Committee received much pleasure and personal satisfaction as we attended Schools of Instructions, and visiting and having fellowship with our Sisters and Brothers, in their Chapters, encouraging them to subscribe to our Bulletin. Through these subscriptions we give our loyal support to this great PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

news media of our Grand Chapter. We would like to submit the following report:

124 New one (1) year subscriptions
158 New two (2) year subscriptions
42 Renewal one (1) year subscriptions
75 Renewal two (2) year subscriptions

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron:

Your smiles are warm with a friendly glow, Your cheery ways make you both special to know; You are thoughtful in all you say and do; May the joy you bring to others, return threefold to you.

Fraternally submitted

EVELYN MIELSCH, Chairman CLEORA HAMPTON JUANITA HERSHEY VERBIE POTTS ELPHA WORTHY SUE AINSWORTH WINONA RUBESCH

MRS. EVELYN MIELSCH: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Committee, Chapters Under Dispensation.

Mrs. Frankie Jenness.

# REPORT OF CHAPTERS UNDER DISPENSATION COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Grand Officers, my Sisters and Brothers:

. The Committee on Chapters Under Dispensation makes the following report:

We have thoroughly examined the minutes and records of Burke Chapter, U.D., Sam P. Cochran Chapter, U.D., Wallace Hughston Chapter, U.D., Hurst Chapter, U.D., and Seabrook Chapter, U.D. and find them in satis-factory condition. After examinating these records and having personal interviews with the Officers of each Chapter we submit the following recommendations:

- 1. That Burke Chapter, U. D., Sam P. Cochran Chapter, U. D. and Seabrook Chapter, U. D. be granted Charters at this, "The Harp of Happiness" Grand Chapter Session.
- 2. The Laws of Grand Chapter require a Chapter to be instituted not less than six months before granting a Charter. As Wallace Hughston Chapter, U. D., and Hurst Chapter, U. D. have not been instituted this required length of time they request, and we recommend, they be allowed to continue under dispensation.

Worthy Grand Matron, we, your Committee, wish to express our appreciation for the privilege of serving you and Grand Chapter on this assignment.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANKIE JENNESS, Chairman BUNA VEACH, Member

MRS. FRANKIE JENNESS: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I recognize the Chairman of the Time and Talent Committee.

### REPORT OF TIME AND TALENT COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Grand Officers, Distinguished Members,

My Sisters and Brothers:

Don't you think the "Button and Bows" Drill performed by our Pink Ladies and Pink Ties was a very beautiful one? We are grateful for the cooperation and the thoughtfulness put into the preparation of this Drill by Sister Billie Rogers, Grand Marshal. Thank you Sister Billie. It has been a pleasure to work with you.

Worthy Grand Matron, all of the Time and Talent Committee Members join me in expressing our love and appreciation for you and we are all very grateful for the opportunity of serving you and the Grand Chapter during the year 1969-1970.

The Committee Members have been most co-operative and have worked very hard, making many, many visits to other Chapters, giving talks and instructions to those who wished to have them, and writing letters of information to Chapters within their Sections. Hundreds of contacts have been made. These Members are the very best ever, and they have been faithful to their tasks. Thank you for appointing such a wonderful group to work with during 1969-1970.

I have thoroughly enjoyed working with and being associated with our Co-Chairman, Mrs. Nadine Rucker, of South Hills Chapter No. 835, in Fort Worth. She has been loyal and devoted to the work and to the ladies in the Eastern Star Home. All the ladies love her. We just couldn't have made it without her.

We were saddened during the year by the passing of two very devoted and beloved Members of the Time and Talent Committee; Mrs. Marie Harrington, wife of our Past Grand Patron, Mr. Herschel Harrington, and Mrs. Lillie Shyrock. We mourn their passing and extend to the families of these deceased members our deepest sympathy in their loss.

During the year, 1969-1970, Time and Talent has purchased Christmas decorations, medical supplies, kitchen supplies, beauty shop supplies, had six hair dryers in the Pink Lady Beauty Shop repaired, painted all the lawn furniture, had the piano in the Hospital sunroom tuned, purchased colored rock for the Floral Star in front of the Home, purchased a cold water drinking fountain, carpeted the wide double stairway and landings at the East end of the Home, built a complete restroom in the basement of the Home, including everything from a pump placed under the concrete floor, building a room  $5 \times 6$  feet in size, all copper piping and electric wiring necessary to furnishing and installation of the fixtures; purchased a Fordan Electric Drill to be used by the Podiatrist in treating the feet of the ladies, including 8 or 10 hospital patients who are unable to go to a Doctor; purchased a walkin cold storage food locker room for the kitchen; contributed \$500.00 to the Worthy Matron's Special Project for the Home, and purchased \$1,200.00 worth of drapes for the windows in the remodeled west wing of the Home.

We began a knitting class in which about 15 ladies are taking lessons each Thursday.

Time and Talent Committee Members, Pink Ladies and Pink Ties had a Christmas Party, a Valentine Party, watermelon party, salad suppers and covered dish suppers at the Home. At two of these occasions we had as guests a number of the members of the Masonic Home, and we were delighted to have them.

The subordinate Chapters have been wonderful with giving Birthday Parties, Bingo parties, musical programs, religious programs, and other types of entertainment. More than 2,725 units of jams, jellies and preserves have been donated. Jars and cans of fruits and vegetables by the hundreds, and box after box of all kinds of linens, medical supplies, toilet articles, wearing apparel such as gowns, lap robes, lingerie, hose, dresses, shoes, etc. have been given to the Home. We are so very grateful and thankful for all this wonderful help.

When we realized we would have a short Grand Chapter year, we did not let this discourage us, but rather let it serve as an incentive to work harder. A total of 7,356 members have sent in dues, with numerous donations, making our total in excess of \$7,600.00. These funds, with the exception of a small amount for postage, printing, and supplies, are used entirely for the benefit of the Sisters in the Home. We have worked closely with the Grand Chapter Board of Benevolences, and only purchased and provided those things suggested and approved by the Board, the Worthy Grand Matron, and by the officials of the Home.

This year 343 Chapters from over the State participated, 101 Chapters participated this year which did not last year. 64 Chapters which participated last year did not do so this year, leaving a net gain of 37 Chapters participating this year.

The membership has increased from 513 members in 1960 to 7,356 members in 1969-1970, over a period of eleven years. There was an increase of 582 members this year. Let us, at this time, urge every Chapter and every Member to continue to take part in this most rewarding benevolent work during the coming year.

On Saturday after Grand Chapter last year, I made my first visit to the Home as Chairman of Time and Talent Committee. The ladies presented me with dues from 79 of their number who became Pink Ladies. This certainly gave us a thrill. They have turned in a good many hours of love service, as they believe in helping each other in time of need.

Jacques DeMolay No. 1094, one of the newest Chapters in the State was 100% with 55 members. Park Place Chapter No. 731, Houston, was the Chapter with the largest number of members—242. Loyal Chapter No. 648, Dallas, was next with 142 members. A great many of the Chapters, too numerous to name, had memberships of from 50 to 100, or more. The participating Chapters have turned in hundreds of thousands of service hours.

District 3, Section 1, Fort Worth, had only two Chapters which did not participate; District 4, Section 5, Houston, had only three Chapters which did not, and District 1, Section 4, Dallas, had five Chapters which did not take part in the Time and Talent program.

We wish to again acknowledge the wonderful co-operation and work of all the Committee Members, the Chairmen of the Chapters from over the State, and to express our love and appreciation to the Superintendent of the Home, Mrs. Edythe Dixon, and to each member of her outstanding staff. They all have been so very kind and have shown their interest in everything we have tried to do, and have assisted us in every way possible. It has been a real joy to be closely associated with the Sisters in the Home, and we want them to know we love each one of them. We do wish every member of the Order of the Eastern Star could have the opportunity to visit the Home and to see how very happy the Sisters living there are in this comfortable and beautiful place.

May we again express our appreciation for this opportunity of serving in this wonderful cause, and especially for the privilege of serving under such a kind and understanding Worthy Grand Matron. Our sincere thanks to you, Sister Sally, and to all the wonderful Time and Talent Committee Members, and to all Chapter Chairmen, and to all members who have helped to make this a most enjoyable year of service.

With Fraternal Love,

NORA PINYAN, Chairman NADINE RUCKER, Co-Chairman Time and Talent Committee, 1969-1970 Grand Chapter of Texas, O. E. S.

MRS. NORA PINYAN: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the report.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, don't you think that is a wonderful report? (Applause.)

The report was adopted.

The Bible was closed, and at 5:10 P. M., Grand Chapter was Called from Labor to Rest until 8:00 P. M.

The Benediction was in song by the Grand Choir.

# Wednesday Evening—September 30, 1970 8:00 P. M.

The Wednesday Evening Session was Called to Order by Mrs. Mildred Garlitz, Past Matron, and Mr. Herbert Arnold, Past Grand Patron.

Preceding the Call to Order Organ Melodies were by Mrs. Louise Jackson.

# CALL TO ORDER

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Grand Marshal, you will invite the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and other Grand Officers to enter the Grand Chapter Room.

# ENTRANCE OF GRAND OFFICERS

The Grand Officers and their Personal Pages entered the Grand Chapter Room, repeated their Precious Rose Drill, and were then seated on opposite sides of the Labyrinth in front of the East.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: We will now have a drill by the Masonic Education Committee, Assistant Grand Sentinels and Worthy Patrons.

# MEN OF THE HOUR DRILL

The Masonic Education Committee, Assistant Grand Sentinels and Worthy Patrons entered and executed a precision drill concluding with the formation of the Square and Compasses. The spot light followed the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron as they were conducted around the room. The Grand Organist played "Onward Christian Soldiers." Mr. Richard L. Fisher sang.

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: There are so many Christian Soldiers in this one group. Let us show how much we appreciate them. (Prolonged applause.)

Brother Herbert Arnold, I know you would like to say a word.

MR. HERBERT ARNOLD: Thank you, Past Grand Matron.

Sisters and Brothers, this is a great privilege for me to be able to share the East with Sister Mildred Garlitz. This beautiful, lovely lady has guided our footsteps in their pathway of our Eastern Star life. It has been an inspiration to know her. Her late husband was one of my dearest and closest friends of my entire life. Both of them gave me convictions that I shall carry with me the rest of my life.

Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, thank you for the courtesies and privileges you have extended to me this week. You have extended many of them to me.

Thank you very much. (Applause.)

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Thank you so much, Worthy Grand Matron, for asking me to Call this Session to Order.

I now hand you your gavel to preside.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you very much, Sister Mildred.

I want to thank you, Brother Herbert Arnold, for assisting in this opening.

At this time, we will enjoy the Report of the Grand Historians, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, Chairman, Mrs. Loyce Davis and Mrs. Ruby Fautheree,

# REPORT OF GRAND HISTORIANS

For the report of the Grand Historians a map of Texas was displayed in front of the East with a star emblazoned in the center. Ribbons were extending from various parts of the map representing the different committees of Grand Chapter. Mrs. Loyce Davis and Mrs. Ruby Fartheree, as Mrs. Elizabeth Williams read the report, presented ribbons to members representing the various committees and they made a semi-circle in form of the map.

# HISTORIANS REPORT

The history of Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star is a most interesting record of the memberships activities, activities which have steadily moved forward encompassing greater benevolent accomplishments.

Since the first call of ten Texas Chapters to the first Grand Chapter in 1884, the number of Texas Chapters have grown to a near one thousand in number.

These Chapters have flourished under the able leadership of its well chosen Grand Officers.

The year 1969-70 was a year dedicated to Love with our benevolent purposes centered upon the Home Endowment, International Temple, and ESTARL projects making up our Welfare Program.

In the January, 1970, Bulletin, the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron reminded us of the beautiful gift of God, with our receiving a bright and shining New Year. A new year when all' doubts and blunders of the past are laid aside.

The tenure of office of Sister Sally and Brother Dick, not only brought high promises and dreams for a new year before us; but their term of office closed a decade of service of which this membership can be justly proud; and brought us to the threshold of a new decade which is challenging us to "Let our light so shine that all may see our good works and glorify the one who's Star in the East we follow."

The prayer mentioned in the Worthy Grand Matron's, New Year Greeting should be adopted by us all to guide our actions in all undertaking. "My Lord, I am ready on the threshold of the new decade to go forth armed with Thy power, seeking adventure on the high road, to right wrong, to overcome evil, to suffer wounds and endure pain if need be, but in all things to serve Thee bravely, faithfully, joyfully—that at the end of a day's labor, kneeling for Thy blessings, Thou mayst find no blot on our shields."

The activities of this great body are carried on by a number of boards and committees, some are elected and some are appointed. The Board of Grand Trustees is made up of one elected member from each District. These elected members manage and control all the financial affairs of Grand Chapter.

Another elected board is the Grand Chapter Board of Benevolences. This group manages the O. E. S. Home and administers the Benevolent fund as well as all other benevolent undertakings not assigned to some other specific committee. This group of dedicated people oversee the upkeep, support and maintance of the Home.

The Board of Grand Examiners carries on a significant work. Each District's member attends all the Eastern Star schools in their District. The District member conducts and supervises the examinations and makes a written report to every Chapter participating in the school. This Board keeps the Associate Grand Matron informed as to the names and addresses of all who successfully complete their examination.

The District Deputy and Deputy Grand Matrons are selected by the Worthy Grand Matron to represent her in many activities during the year. They make a complete report once a month to the Worthy Grand Matron, as well as keep an accurate record of all activities during their District schools and Official Visits. Upon the completion of their schools this concise record is forwarded to the Associate Grand Matron. The Jurisprudence Committee keeps the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron informed of all unfinished business. This committee distributes the Grand Chapter work load to the proper committees and assist the Worthy Grand Matron in decisions of all questions on Constitutional law and usage.

A job many times that is a Thankless job is that of the committee on Grievances and Appeals, as they must consider all matters of controversy. This committee considers testimony both oral and written. Certainly this committee performs a job of love, Love for the Order and consideration for all.

The task of the Welfare Committee is a tremendous job as they supervise and maintain the Worthy Grand Matrons benevolent projects approved for the year. This year their accomplishments have reached more than \$104,394.00 all total, plus \$1,500 of stock given by a member.

The By-Laws Committee has a most significant job as they review all By-Laws and amendments to By-Laws approved by the Worthy Grand Matron during the year; or submitted for consideration. This committee reports their findings at the Grand Chapter Session.

Another labor of love is carried on by the Educational Fund Committee. They receive all voluntary contributions from either individuals or from Eastern Star Chapters and deposit them with the Grand Secretary. They receive and process applications for loans. They accept securities or real estate left to the educational fund. This fund benefits children and orphans of Eastern Star members in good standing. The total accomplishments for this year's committee work is approximately \$650.40.

The sole purpose of the International Temple Committee is to promote interest in the famed International Temple. This temple is a monument of the highest ideals and purposes of our Order, handed down to us by our Founder, Rob Morris. It is a shrine for all Eastern Star members of which we may be justly proud.

The forerunners and ambassadors of Grand Chapter is the Executive Committee. This group supervises all Grand Chapter entertainment, as well as making all arrangements with the host city and local Chamber of Commerce. The task of this committee is of such magnitude that most of us can 'not comprehend the time and effort necessary for such a successful event as this Grand Chapter Session.

The Arrangements Committee functions with the Executive Committee like hand and glove. The Arrangements Committee puts into action all plans made by the Executive committee. They prepare the decorations in keeping with the Worthy Grand Matron's plans and theme of the year.

"Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership" is the meaning for the word ESTARL. This committee receives all monies earmarked for this purpose and considers and processes applications of students in religious fields of study. The success of this committee this year amounted to approximately \$14,000.00.

The Masonic Education Committee is made up of a very minute portion of the stalwart Masons that back up this great assembly. The purpose of this committee is to promote a better understanding of Masonry and it's teachings. These men have brought their informative messages to Eastern Star Chapters throughout our State. It has been truly a work of *Love* which carried out the Worthy Grand Matron's theme of the year.

Fraternal Visitation Committee has the responsibility of stimulating interest in Chapters and assisting in Chapter growth. This committee's action is contagious as they stimulate interest in their individual Chapter and then band together to visit other Chapters. The end result is a greater interest in Grand Chapter.

We know there are many, many happy experiences that should be recorded, and we know many are recorded in the hearts of our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, such as the surprise Valentine Party February the 8th, at the O.E. S. Home and the Christmas Party at the Home when the Worthy Grand Matron played her march "Heart of Love" for the Little Ladies.

Tonight we have tried to show how our Eastern Star stands out in the State of Texas and to bring to you a small portion of the activities that bring out our reflections. The fact that our Star extends over the boundaries of Texas is not an accident on this committee's part, but it reflects to us the activities of Grand Chapter Representatives that carry out light to other Grand Jurisdictions.

My Sisters and Brothers this is a very small portion of the many, many workings of Grand Chapter; one function is of no more importance than the other; one without the other is of no value. But time is of the essence and we hope we have in our small attempt shown you how we reflect as a Benevolent organization in the State of Texas.

And now we present the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, and the Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Richard Porter, the leaders of responsibility in carrying out the functions of this Great Grand Chapter.

Grand Historians, 1969-1970

ELIZABETH WILLIAMS LOYCE DAVIS RUBY FAUTHEREE

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Sister Elizabeth Williams, Mrs. Loyce Davis and Mrs. Ruby Fautheree.

We will now have the Report of the Welfare Committee, Mrs. Nell Clonts, Chairman.

# REPORT OF WELFARE COMMITTEE

The Welfare Committee presented an outstanding Report. As the report was read by the Chairman the District Members the 100 per cent Chapter Representatives were presented in the form of a Heart on the Grand Chapter floor, the winners of the Special Home Endowment Awards forming an arrow across the Heart, and members of the Home Endowment Committee forming a straight line across the base of the heart. While the formation was on the Grand Chapter floor the Chairman of the Home Endowment Committee gave his report, and the Worthy Grand Matron presented certificates to the Special Award Winners.

WELFARE REPORT . . . "A LOVE SONG—BECAUSE IT IS" Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, My Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

How pleased and delighted I am to present the Report of the Welfare Committee for the year 1969-1970.

Worthy Grand Matron, I would first like to take this opportunity to express to you my sincere appreciation for allowing me the honor of serving as Chairman of this most important committee. It has been a rewarding experience, and indeed was a labor of love.

I am also grateful for the five wonderful District Committee Members you selected to work with me. They have worked diligently and loyally in their respective Districts, and I shall always value their friendship. These members will now recognize the 100% Chapters in each of their respective Districts.

(As each District Committee member was introduced, they called out the names of the 100 per cent Chapters in their District. The Chapter Representatives marched in forming a heart. The winners of the special awards marched in immediately after the heart was formed, and formed a dart across the heart. The members of the Home Endowment Fund Committee then marched in and made a straight line across the base of the heart.)

The 100% Chapters will be indicated on the table of donations prepared by the Grand Secretary.

The Welfare Program this year has been a 'Team Effort. It took the combined efforts of the Welfare Committee, the Home Endowment Fund Committee, the ESTARL Committee, V. A. V. S. Committee and the *Members* of the Subordinate Chapters of the Grand Chapter of Texas. We have had a record year, one in which we are proud, yet humble, to have had a small part.

We have called this report "A Love Song—Because It Is." A Love Song begins in the heart. When we see through the eyes of our heart, the Love Song becomes a reality.

Certainly our beautiful O. E. S. Home in Arlington is a symbol of our heart, and of our love for one another. We have good reason to point to our Home with pride, and with love, for it is the one symbol to those not members of our Order, that we can stand and acknowledge publically, that yes, this too, we stand for.

Our Worthy Grand Matron's Welfare Program for the year reflects her love of God, and those who would carry His Word. Her love of country, and those who served, and are serving our country. Her love of our order, and of our beautiful O. E. S. Home in Arlington.

The total amount given to the Welfare Program, is evidence of your loving compassion for our aged and indigent members, for their needs now, as well as loving concern for the future care of our beautiful Home.

It gives me great pleasure to present Mr. Dick Fisher, who will be accompanied by Mrs. Rose Cunningham. They will present a tribute to you in song.

Song-"Love Is A Many Splendored Thing."

# SOLO

Mr. Dick Fisher, accompanied by Mrs. Rose Cunningham, sang "Love Is A Many Splendored Thing."

Yes—Love Is A Many Splendored Thing, and in singing your Love Song this year, you have contributed:

\$29,336.44 O. E. S. Home
 \$62,603.43 Home Endowment Fund
 \$11,438.13 ESTARL
 \$1,016.00 Miscellaneous
 V. A. V. S. Hours

planning into action.

This makes a total of cash contributions of \$104,394.00, plus \$1,500.00 of stock given by Dorothy Morton—District One.

Yes—we may give without loving—but we cannot love without giving.

Someone said: A Good Idea Without Leadership Is Just A Good Idea. Through our experiences, we have all come to know that before anything is accomplished, there must be planning, followed by action. No matter how true our sights are, or how accurate our aim, if we never pull the trigger, nothing happens. We can talk about Home Endowment all we want to, but if we never do anything to bring it about, we will not have it. This year, our leaders have given more than Lip Service to this all important phase. Our Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, and the Chairman of our Home Endowment Fund Committee are all eligible for the highest of the Special Awards on individual cash contributions to this fund. They put their

The dart in our heart formation are the winners of the Special Awards in the various categories of our Home Endowment Fund Program. In the West will be found the members of the Home Endowment Fund Committee, who represent the base of our heart.

It is indeed a pleasure for me, at this time, to present Brother Herbert L. Arnold, Past Grand Patron, and Chairman of the Home Endowment Fund Committee, who will give his report, and call out the names of the Special Awards winners, as our Worthy Grand Matron presents them with their awards.

#### HOME ENDOWMENT FUND REPORT

#### Thank you, Sister Nell Clonts.

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

With the help of five dedicated Co-Chairmen and other committee members on the Home Endowment Fund, I have seen a dream come true. May I present the Co-Chairman, and express to them my deep appreciation for their efforts this year. Sister Wanda Gilmore, District I, Sister Joyce Roberts, District II, Brother Jack Roebuck, District III, Brother Charles Klein, District IV, and Brother Paul Ofton, District V.

The love of the membership for our Home and for the lovely ladies living there has been expressed beautifully by unselfish contributions of so many this year until "Our Cup Runneth Over."

At the time of Grand Chapter the Home Endowment Fund had a cash sum of \$62,603.43. This amount has been given freely by individuals and Chapters who participated in the two plans presented by our Worthy Grand Matron.

The Golden Deed, Bronze and Red Award of Electa accounts for \$28,791.09 of our total.

Next the Annuity plan was another vehicle whereby each and every member could participate in small amounts over a period of years. We were not able to activate this annuity plan before June 15th of this year. Since that date \$111,000.00 in annuities has been delivered to Sister Rebecca Miles, the Grand Secretary. Eighty seven (87%) percent of the amount was raised by only two experienced men in the Fort Worth area. It is interesting to note 35% of this 87% came from Eastern Star members who were not active in their Chapters. Only by this plan, they were reached and able to express their love for the Order and for the Home.

The heart of our membership poured out their love before so is there any wonder, Worthy Grand Matron, that I feel so honored to have served you and our beloved Order on this Home Endowment Committee. Everyone that knows me, know how I cherish the Home and the many sweethearts living there.

Now there is one more happy privilege and honor that is mine-the presentation of those who so generously and lovingly contributed to the Awards. Who did their 'givin' while they are livin' and they know where its goin'.

Those receiving the Golden Deeds Award:

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Arnold Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chandler Mr. and Mrs. Donald Matranga Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Porter Mr. and Mrs. Besst Boone Mrs. Ruth Jones Mrs. Dorothy Morton Mrs. Bernice House

Mrs. Esther Davis Ransford Chapter O. E. S. No. 135 Radiant Chapter O. E. S. No. 636 Independence Chapter O. E. S. No. 1044 Andral Vann Chapter O. E. S. No. 741 Bluebell Chapter O. E. S. No. 856

The Bornze Award:

Mrs. Ada V. Dugger Mrs. Esther Davis Houston Heights No. 258 Crockett Chapter O. E. S. No. 509 Pasadena Chapter O. E. S No. 711 Vashti Chapter O. E. S. No. 32 Templar Chapter O. E. S. No. 374 Irving Chapter O. E. S. No. 777 San Antonio Chapter O.E.S. No. 3 Austin Chapter O. E. S. No. 304 Rothwell Chapter O. E. S. No. 669 Park Place Chapter O. E. S. No. 731 Dal-Cliff Chapter O. E. S. No. 574

Loyal Chapter O. E. S. No. 648 Oso Chapter O. E. S. No. 868 Adah Chapter O. E. S. No. 49 Prospect Hill Chapter O. E. S. No. 817 Andral Vann Chapter O.E.S. No. 741 Channelview Chapter O. E. S. No. 954 Past Matron and Past Patron Assn. of Dallas Willis Chapter O. E. S. No. 1017

The Bed Award of Electa

Mrs. Eleanor Petri Constance Ellison Paul Ofton Richard T. Porter ' Mrs. Nell Clonts Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Finger Dora Haltom Lula L. Clark

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Mrs. Ida Doris Appel Mrs. Nancy Johnson Mrs. Kittie S. Crawford Mr. and Mrs. Charles Klein Past Matron and Past Patron Assn. of Houston Sally's Friends, District 4,

Section 7

Sally Matranga by Sally's Pals Mrs. Lela F. Lewis Mrs. Lillian Alphin Past Matrons and Past Patrons, District I, Section 10 Captain and Mrs. Thomas Dickson Henry K. Knolle

Respectfully submitted:

HERBERT L. ARNOLD, Chairman WANDA GILMORE JOYCE ROBERTS JACK ROEBUCK PAUL OFTON

Thank you, Herbert. I cannot close this report without thanking Sister Rebecca Miles, our Grand Secretary, for her advice, understanding and patience, with my many, many questions.

Thank you, Brother Dick, and Sister Rose, for your beautiful tribute in song, and to our Grand Marshal, Sister Billy Rogers, for her untiring assistance in our drill.

Last—but by no means least—Thanks To You—The Members of the Subordinate Chapters of Texas—who made this Welfare Report possible.

Yes, we called it a Love Song . . . "A Love Song-Because It Is."

Respectfully submitted, -

Welfare Committee, 1969-1970 NELL CLONTS, Chairman PATRICIA SCHEPPS, District One ELOIS REESE, District Two HULENE WOMACK, District Three MARY KATHRYN PRATHER, District Four MARY ELIZABETH PLAINOS, District Five

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Nell Clonts, that was an outstanding report. (Applause.)

# RECOGNITION OF COURTESY CAR DRIVERS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, I want to mention to you at this time this wonderful group of fellows who are driving your courtesy cars for your convenience.

I would like to present them.

First, I would like to say I am deeply grateful for this opportunity, and to express my appreciation to these people who have dedicated their cars, their time, money, gasoline and oil. To all of you we express our hearty thanks.

Would you join with me in showing our appreciation for their work. (Applause.)

Sisters and Brothers, we are about to present our Memorial Program, The Wings of the Morning.

Sister Grand Conductress, you will open the Bible.

# BIBLE OPENED

The Bible was opened by the Grand Conductress.

# MEMORIAL SERVICE

# "THE WINGS OF THE MORNING"

"If I take the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; even there shall thy hand lead me, and thy right hand shall hold me." Ps. 139

The Prelude was by the Grand Organist.

The Grand Conductress, Associate Grand Conductress and Grand Chaplain draped the Altar.

# PRAYER

GRAND CHAPLAIN: Holy and merciful God, Thou are the fount of all love and solace, at whose feet the broken-hearted cast themselves, we come to Thee tonight in great humility to thank Thee for the lives of our Sisters and Brothers who once walked with us and now dwell with Thee. We know that they were Thy great gift to us and we weep with happiness that they have taken the wings of the morning and have left all pain and suffering behind them. But, oh merciful Lord, we are weak and lonely and we weep many tears of loss. Comfort us, Lord, and teach us that this parting is only temporary, for we will walk sometime with them in that Garden of Joy. Give us the strength to walk with happiness, facing each new dawn with exhultation and resting each night in Thy care. Help us to appreciate the many gifts of Thy bounty and to know that each day is given by Thee with grace and love. Hold the hands of those who stumble because of their faith is weak. Light the fires of love among us so that we may be worthy of these loved ones we have given up. Teach us to walk justly, with mercy and humility. Walk with us in the year to come and lift all hearts bowed down in grief. And, at last, Father, if it be Thy will, take us, too, in Thy everlasting arms, for we have loved and served Thee. All of which we ask in Thy name's sake. Amen.

Sanctus ...... Grand Choir

# DEDICATION

MRS. MARY ELLA SCHOVERLING: Sisters and Brothers, our Memorial Service is lovingly dedicated to the memory of our beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Belle P. Tomlinson; our beloved Past Grand Patron, Brother William G. Vollus, whose love and dedication to the high and noble principles of our Order bought a rich harvest to our Grand Chapter and to those dear Sisters and Brothers who now dwell in the shadows of the Most High.

They toiled in the Lord's vineyards and carried the cross in many places, they loved with us, loved and were loved and now have taken on the Wings of the Morning and dwell in the House of the Lord.

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

# THE WINGS OF THE MORNING

# Grand Chaplain

Somewhere, sometime, each of us here tonight has said farewell to a loved one. As John Donne wrote long ago, "each man's death diminishes me, for I am part of the whole." Everyone's sorrow is mine and yours. Everyone's loss is mine and your. But, let us not call the giving up of these friends as a loss, for that which is loved is never lost. They were loaned to us as gifts of God, and as such they have been called home. We are told again and again in the Scriptures that death is only a separation for a time and that there is no place where the spirit of God does not watch over the soul. Today, with all our advances in science, with our travels to the moon, we must still admit that there is a power which holds the universe together. Who else but the spirit of God could command the seasons, bring forth the young on the earth and direct all creatures on earth in their comings and goings? Who else could direct or fathom the flight of the bird? Who charted the course of the eagle or told the hummingbird that it was spring. To the early Hebrews of long ago as well as to us today, the bird on the wing is a sure and certain sign that there is a supreme being. What greater way to visualize the soul than as a great white bird flying through the limitless blue?

Early morning in Gallilee was and is awe-inspiring. It is a time of coolness, of early morning mists, of fragrant orders, and, above all else, the rising of the great water birds from their night perches. To the ancients, the rising of these birds was a symbol of the mysterious power of Jehovah. Who else guided these creatures? Who told them where the water holes were and who led them safely at night back to their lairs? The birds became, therefore, the epitome of God's promise—that the soul could take wing, too, and rise above the pains of the flesh. Time and again we read in the Old Testaments of "escaping the snares of the fowler" and of the power of the "eagle in his lair."

Jesus, when He began His ministry, frequently spoke of the birds of the air and the rise of the soul toward God. He often spoke, also, of the beauties of eternal day and the peace that will follow the storms of life. And so—the coming of each new day becomes a miracle in itself. The soft mists of morning, the reddening sky, and the rise of the wind—

"O, Lord, in the morning shall thou hear my voice. In the morning will I order my prayer unto thee, and will keep watch." Ps. 5:3

Death is not a cruel thing, but only an awakening into God's morning. It is the leaving of all the pains and troubles of the darkness for the brilliant new day of eternal life. Remember, each morning that we awaken to life is no different from the day we awaken in God's garden. There the sun shines and the little mists of morning swirl about and the wings of the soul rustle through the air.

"If I take the wings of the morning and dwell in the innermost parts of the sea, even there shall thy hand lead me, and thy right hand shall hold me. If I say, surely the darkness shall overwhelm me, and the light about me shall be night, even the darkness hideth not from thee, but the night shineth as the day; the darkness and the light are both alike to thee. Ps. 139

So, let us remember that the death of the body is of no moment, for love is deathless. As long as one is loved, he shall never die. God has promised that "He will swallow up death in victory, and the Lord, God, will wipe away tears from all faces." Each morning let us be grateful for the gift of life and the gift of the lives of those we have loved.

"Cause me to hear thy lovingkindness in the morning; for in thee do I trust. Cause me to know the way wherein I should walk; for I lift my soul unto thee. Teach me to do thy will; for thou art my God." Ps. 143

To those of you who grieve for the going of a loved one or the loss of a beloved friend, the prayers of all of us walk with you and we lift our faces to God in your behalf. And to all of you, I leave with you one of the greatest testimonials of personal faith ever written from the Fourth Psalm. Read it and repeat it. God hold you under his wings.

"In peace will I lay me down and sleep, for thou, O Lord, alone maketh me dwell in safety."

#### SONG

Holy, Holy, Holy was sung by the Grand Choir, joined by the Assembly.

## REPORT OF GRAND CHAPLAIN

MRS. BARBARA HARRISON: The year that is closing has been one of great fulfillment for your Grand Chaplain. I am most grateful to the Worthy Grand Matron and the Worthy Grand Patron for giving me this opportunity to share the fruits of the spirit with you, my Sisters and Brothers. It has been an humbling experience for I have felt most inadequate in the face of your need. I have spent many hours in prayer that I might serve you better, and I hope that in some way I may have reached your heart. God has been yery close to me this year, and without His guiding hand, I might have faltered many times.

I have written cards to other Grand Jurisdictions who have been grieved by the loss of their leaders. Nearer to home, I have written many letters to you when I knew of your troubles. I have tried to visit when I could in the hospitals and have attended many funerals.

I acted in my capacity as Grand Chaplain at the Constituting of three Chapters, New Caney, Jacques de Molay, and Archives, and the instituting of Burke Chapter. Whenever requested by the Worthy Grand Patron, I have performed whatever duties were required of me. I have, as you know, written the Chaplain's Corner this year, and I pray that it was some help to you in your daily life.

Our Grand Jurisdiction was saddened this year by the loss of 2,025 members and one Past Grand Matron and one Past Grand Patron. These we gave back to God, thankful for the time they spent with us. Some of these were serving your Grand Chapter and we shall miss them.

To Sister Rebecca Miles, I am most grateful for the gracious way she had our Chaplain's Corner presented and for the help which she has given me on every occasion.

To those of you who have had a part in my work this year, God Bless you.

To my Sisters and Brothers, my prayer for you is that of the 92nd Psalm:

"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto Thy name, O Most High: to show forth Thy loving kindness in the morning, and Thy faithfulness every night."

## TRIBUTE TO GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER MEMBERS

# MRS. MILDRED HANEY HARRIS, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron:

On the Wings of a beautiful New Year's day morning Brother Donald Stewart entered a broader and more glorious life for his soul was greeting the Master whom he had worshipped and worked for many years.

> The sun has set on a busy life. The morning came with no more strife. By the hand of God he will be crowned. Peace he gave and peace he found.

Brother Stewart was born in Victoria, Prince Edward Island. He moved to Sydney and New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, where he was an influential person in the business world before moving with his wife, Jean, to New Brunswick in 1924.

Brother Stewart was a faithful member of the Trinity United Church and was an Elder in the Church serving on numerous boards and committees.

He was very active in the Masonic Fraternity in both the Grand Lodge and his local Lodge.

His memberhip in the Order of the Eastern Star was in Friendship Chapter No. 6 where he served as Worthy Patron.

He was the first Worthy Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of New Brunswick. He served as Most Worthy Grand Patron in 1946-1947-1948. He was a great leader in Fraternal affairs and left an enviable record in the General Grand Chapter.

Brother Stewart was beloved by all who knew him, he was gentle and kind and always had a smile to greet his friends. His keen interest in our Order and its welfare was always welcome. His wise counsel and gracious words of encouragement lifted many loads from the shoulders of those who were carrying them. His loving kindness and helpfulness endeared him to all who knew him. He scattered seeds of kindness and thoughtfulness and gave service and love to all he met in his journey of life. He shall be greatly missed.

Brother Stewart was very interested in the Chapel which the members of the Order of the Eastern Star have placed in the International Peace Garden and was giving a pipe organ in the memory of his beloved wife, Sister Jean, Past Grand Matron of New Brunswick. Now that Brother Donald has left us it will be dedicated to both Sister Jean and Brother R. Donald Stewart. He was the first chairman of the Peace Garden Chapel Fund and was very proud to know that the Chapel is a reality.

Brother Stewart will long be remembered for his dignity, his courteousness and his friendliness. "To live in the hearts of your friends is not to die."

> "A Prince has fallen in the fight, A valorious champion of the truth and right, Determined, honest, level headed, just, Who broke no promise nor betrayed a trust. His gentle face with courtly kindness beamed By friends beloved, by every one esteemed."

The General Grand Chapter has lost Committee members:

Mr. Hamil N. Swift, Past Grand Patron, North Carolina. A member of the Jurisprudence Committee of General Grand Chapter, was called to his Heavenly Home on Christmas Eve, December 24th, 1969. Mrs. Pauline K. Dillon, Past Grand Matron of Georgia and a member of the Distribution Committee of the General Grand Chapter, has been called Home by her Master.

> "There is no death! The stars go down To rise upon some fairer shore, And bright in Heaven's jewelled crown They shine forever more. And ever near us, though unseen, The dear immortal spirits tread, For all the boundless Universe Is life—there are no dead."

# TRIBUTE TO GRAND OFFICERS OF OTHER JURISDICTIONS

MRS. KATHERINE POULIS, Past Grand Matron: Lest we forget the far-reaching breadth and scope of our international Order, let us now pay a loving tribute to those of other Grand Jurisdictions who have passed on to their reward after years of fraternal service.

These members have lived their lives within the guidelines and principles of our Order and therefore deserve our attention and esteem.

Today, we as individuals derive our comfort and yes, even our security as a nation of individuals, from those who share the same devotion to the high principles to which our Order subscribes. These are our allies who have fallen and we must cherish the memory of those whose influence for good has been of benefit to us all.

May their lives serve by example to us and to others so that the same standards of truth, honor and justice will continue to be served.

Our common security depends upon people throughout the world who pledge their allegiance to these same high principles of morality be they Christian or of some other religious faith. Let us learn to honor and respect good and true work wherever we find it—even among the unenlightened people of the world.

May God bless and reward those who have lived their lives within the framework of the teachings of our Order and may we enlist hosts of other builders who will be governed by the Golden Rule, "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them, for this is the law and the prophets."

Perhaps then, one day, we will all achieve a degree of perfection and compassion in our lives which will result ultimately in harmony and peace in our Father's World.

#### TRIBUTE TO MEMBERS OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS IN TEXAS

MRS. MILDRED SHARPE, Past Grand Matron: "Death is swallowed up in Victory." "Thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord, Jesus Christ." (I Cor. 15:54, 57)

We pay loving tribute to the 2,025 Sisters and Brothers of the subordinate Chapters of this Grand Jurisdiction, who, during the year, as swiftly as the wings of morning, crossed to the reward of Blessed Life Eternal.

Among these are several who began the year in service to the Worthy Grand Matron and to our Grand Chapter in various capacities of service: Mrs. Jimmie Nelson, D.G.M., Dist. 3, Sec. 5 Mrs. Pauline Riley, Arrangements Committee Mrs. Marie Harrington, Time and Talent Committee Mrs. Lillie Shryrock, Time and Talent Committee Mrs. Juanita McKelvey, Fraternal Visitation Committee Mr. C. D. Osborn, Masonic Education Committee Mr. Leslie Long, Masonic Education Committee Mrs. Patsy Screws, Grand Repersentative Mrs. Myrtle Rogers, Grand Representative

As the eagle watches over its young in the most careful manner, flying under them when it leads them from the nest, lest they should fall upon the rocks and be destroyed, so is the assurance given us, through the scriptures, that He watches over His children, protecting and caring for them as the wings of the eagle.

Long ago it was spoken "Verily I say unto you, inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto me." The pages of the Book of Memory are filled with entries of the good deeds of these whose memory we honor. Yes, these who knelt with us at our sacred Altar and assumed, with us, our Obligation, left behind the record of their acts of kindness, of love, of dedication, to live on in the hearts of their friends.

To the Chapters who knew and loved them most, we acknowledge the void their going leaves; to their families we extend our hand of understanding sympathy; and in our Grand Chapter we offer our thanks to God for the influence of their lives.

"Hast thou not known? Hast thou not heard? That the everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary? There is no searching of His understanding. He giveth power to the faint, and to them that have no might, He increaseth strength. Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fall. But they that wait upon the Lord, shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings as eagles, they shall run and no be weary, and they shall walk, and not faint." (Isaiah 40:28-31)

## TRIBUTE TO MRS. BELLE TOMLINSON, PAST GRAND MATRON

MRS. LALLAH MAE VOLLUS, Past Grand Matron: Tennyson penned the command: "Rise, Happy Mornl Rise, Holy Mornl" As though these words had been spoken, the eyes of a New Day did open its lids and in the fading light of the morning star, a beloved Sister walked into the Garden of Paradise on July 18, 1970. We are confident that our Sister, Belle P. Tomlinson, in the Garden of Paradise as in the Garden of Life,

> Walks with her Master and talks with Him And hears Him call her His own; And the joys they share as they tarry there Only the released have known.

Few have given unto them so many mornings of life as did Belle Tomlinson. She knew the days of years.

Few achieve such ritualistic perfection in the Order and are more knowledgable of its laws as was Belle Tomlinson.

. Few have the opportunity of demonstrating such devotion and loyalty to their home Chapter as did Belle Tomlinson to Wallis Chapter No. 27 of which she became a charter member in 1909. She held her membership in this Chapter and served enumerable times as its Worthy Matron holding the "little band" together until failing health enforced her move to Rosenberg. At the demise of Wallis Chapter, she affiliated with Rosenberg Chapter No. 429 and to them remained loyal unto death.

Few have their faith in the "Eternal Morning of Life" tested as many times as did Mrs. Tomlinson. Demonstrating her faith in the words of the Master, "He that liveth and believeth in Me shall never die," she bore courageously and bravely the loss of her beautiful daughter who served as her Grand Adah; her devoted husband, Mr. Will; and her beloved sister, Josie. At the age of 15, she united with the Christian Church and for over 75 years remained a devout member of that Faith. Undergirded by its teachings, she surmounted every obstacle of life and was given the strength to bear patiently, many years of failing health.

To but one person could be given the honor, the privilege of serving her Grand Chapter as Worthy Grand Matron during its Golden Jubilee Year. This joy was known unto Belle Tominlinson. In the Proceedings of that year, the Grand Secretary wrote:

"Most Worthy Grand Matrons are fortunate to have one outstanding event during their year of service, but Sister Tomlinson has the satisfaction of counting three important occurrances during her administration. First, is the fact of having served as Hostess to the Twentieth Triennial Assembly of General Grand Chapter; Second, the completion of the two new wings of the O. E. S. Home at a cost of \$85,000; and last the pleasure of presiding over the 50th, or Golden Jubilee Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas in Fort Worth. where the Grand Chapter was born."

The final months of her life were spent with her niece in Seguin, Texas. Her "Going Home" was peaceful and in comforting services of scriptual simplicity and impressively rendered grave side services by Rosenberg Chapter, she was laid to rest on July 19, 1970. At these services, the Grand Chapter was represented by Mrs. Viva Huffman, Mrs. Mary Ella Schoverling, and Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus, Past Grand Matrons, and Mr. Herschal Harrington, Past Grand Patron.

Fittingly, our tribute to this fine lady—this devoted Star, might well be closed with the words from the theme of the Memorial Service of Her year:

Can't you hear those Bells a'ringing, Can't you hear the Angels a'singing Glory Hallelujah! Praise His Name.

# TRIBUTE TO WILLIAM G. VOLLUS -

MR. HAL BURNETT: William G. Vollus, who began his pilgrimage in this life in 1893 and passed from his earthly home on the twenty-third day of September of this year, was a Past Grand Patron of this Grand Chapter. He served in 1930 and 1931 with Mrs. Bessie Garth as the Worthy Grand Matron.

To his lovely wife, Sister Lallah Mae, and to his loved ones, we commend you to our Heavenly Father, who alone can give you that peace and consolation which the world can neither give nor take away.

Whatever I may say in this tribute to Brother Bill will be entirely inadequate, because he was truly a great man. He served Masonry, and he served Masonry well. He was a member of Gray Lodge No. 329, and on the twentieth day of May this year he received a Fifty-Year Service Award for having served fifty years as a Master Mason. He served in that Lodge as

Master, he served as District Deputy Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas. He served as Potentate of his Shrine. He was a member of the Commandery and a member of Scottish Rite.

Brother Vollus served for years, many, many years, in the Crippled Children's Hospital here in Houston for the Shrine. No man ever reached any higher than when he reached down to help a crippled child.

Brother Vollus we find did many things that the world will never know about to help someone else.

<sup>.</sup> Brother Vollus lived his Masonry. He lived an unselfish life, and in his departure from this world he leaves behind in the hearts of all love for him because he gave freely of himself. He gave freely of his talents that God had given him.

And tonight as we pay tribute to Brother Vollus, I truly believe that his belief and his desire is expressed in the following poem:

"Sunset and evening star, And one clear call for me! And may there be no moaning at the bar, When I put out to sea.

"But such a tide as moving seems asleep, Too full for sound and foam, When that which drew from out the boundless deep Turns again home.

"Twilight and evening bell, And after that the dark! And may there be no sadness or farewell, When I embark.

"For tho' from out of bourne of time and place The flood may bear me far, I hope to see my Pilot face to face When I have crost the bar."

Thank you.

## POEM

## GRAND CHAPLAIN:

"Do not stand at my grave and weep . . . I am not there. I do not sleep. I am a thousand winds that blow, I am the diamond glints on snow, I am the sunlight on ripened grain, I am the gentle autumn rain. When you awake in the morning's hush I am the swift upflinging rush Of quiet birds in circling flight. I am the soft star-shine at night. Do not stand at my grave and cry . . . I am not there. I did not die."

# Author Unknown

As the song "Some Bright Morning" was sung by the Grand Choir the Grand Chaplain and the Grand Marshal walked to the Altar, where the Grand Chaplain lighted a large candle and the Grand Marshal placed green palms on the Altar.

# BENEDICTION

GRAND CHAPLAIN: "Ye shall have a song, as in the night when a holy solemnity is kept; and the gladness of heart, as when one goeth with a pipe to come into the mountain of the Lord, to the Mighty one of Israel." Isa. 30:29.

"For thou shalt forget thy misery; thou shalt remember it as water that are passed away, and thy life shall be clearer than the noonday; though there be darkness, it shall be as the morning. And thou shalt be secure, because there is hope; yea, thou shalt search about thee and shall take thy rest in safety." Job 11:16-18.

"God keep you and make his face to shine upon you."

The Grand Chaplain read poem she had written in memory of her husband:

# THE WINGS OF THE MORNING

Today, you spread your wings And rose Above the mists of morning— Silently, Swiftly, Into the rising sun.

Gentle spirit— Child of God— Go with my heart's love—

Beyond the hills, Beyond the lake, Into the far horizon—

While I stand Earthbound, Bereft, Yet full of joy That you have taken The wings of the morning And dwell In the haven of your Lord!

#### Barbara Harrison

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Grand Conductress, you will close the Bible.

# BIBLE CLOSED

The Bible was closed by the Grand Conductress.

#### GRAND CHOIR

The Grand Choir sang, "God Be With You 'Til We Meet Again."

The Wednesday night session was closed.

# Thursday Morning—September 30, 1970 9:00 A. M.

Preceding the Call to Order, Organ Melodies were by Mrs. Mertis Stone, Grand Organist.

#### ENTRANCE OF GRAND OFFICERS

The Grand Officers entered in regular formation, the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron were escorted to the East, and the Grand Officers assumed their stations.

#### GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM REST TO LABOR

Grand Chapter was proved, the Bible was opened, and Grand Chapter was called from Labor to Rest at  $9{:}30$  A. M.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Our Invocation will be given in song by the Grand Choir.

The Invocation was given in song by the Grand Choir.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, our Devotional this morning will be given by our Grand Chaplain, Sister Barbara Harrison.

## DEVOTIONAL

MRS. BARBARA HARRISON, Grand Chaplain: Good morning, Sisters and Brothers, how wonderful to be alivel To know that we are among friends! To know that we have a whole day as a free gift from God to do all the wonderful things that we didn't do yesterday.

> "Yesterday is gone— A dream spent Tomorrow we cannot Or the veil rent— But today— The great gift of God!"

I shall read you this morning one of the great Psalms of joy. One that never fails to thrill me and start my day off with the Grace of God. This is the Eighth Psalm:

O Lord, our Lord, How excellent is Thy name in all the earth! Who hast set Thy glory above the heavens . . . When I consider Thy heavens, the work of Thy fingers, The moon and the stars, which thou hast ordained; What is man, that Thou art mindful of him? And the son of man, that Thou visitest him? For Thou hast made him A little lower than the angels, And hast crowned him with glory and honour. Thou madest him to have dominion Over the works of Thy hands; Thou hast put all things under his feet: All sheep and oxen, Yea, and the beasts of the field; The fowl of the air, and the fish of the sea, And whatsoever passeth through the paths of the seas. O Lord, our Lord, How excellent is Thy name in all the earth! Sisters and Brothers, God has given us this day to prove how excellent is his name. Surely, we can use one day to advantagel We are not promised tomorrow, but oh, how freely we are given today. To awaken each morning is to be born again, to fall asleep at night is to die to the day. In between waking and sleeping are the golden hours of the day. What we cannot do for a lifetime, we do for a daytime. "Anyone," wrote Robert Louis Stevenson, "can live sweetly, patiently, lovingly, purely till the sun goes down." Anyone can hold his temper for a day and guard the words he speaks. Anyone can carry his burden heroically for one day. Anyone can strive to be happy for a day and to spread happiness around. Anyone can radiate love for a day. Anyone can rise above fear for a day and meet each situation with courage. Anyone can be kind and thoughtful and considerate for a day. Anyone can endeavor to learn something new each day and mark some growth. When we fail and fall short, let us forgive ourselves and consider the words of Emerson: "Finish every day and be done with it. Tomorrow is a new day; you will begin it well and serenly and with too high a spirit to be cumbered by your old nonsense." Live a day at a time and remember that tomorrow is another day—another today!

"Dear Father, take this day's life into Thine own keeping. Control all our thoughts and feelings. Direct all our energies. Instruct our minds. Sustain our wills. Take our hands and make them skillful to serve Thee. Take our feet and make them swift to do Thy bidding. Take our eyes and keep them fixed upon Thine everlasting beauty. Take our mouths and make them eloquent in testimony to Thy love. Make this day a day of obedience, a day of spiritual joy and peace. Make this day's work a little part of the work of the Kingdom of our Lord Christ in whose name these our prayers are said. Amen."

> "This is the day which the Lord hath made— Rejoice and be glad in it."

## INTRODUCTIONS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, do we have ditinguished guests here this morning who have not been introduced?

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present our distinguished guests at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, it is my honor to present Mrs. Marjorie Wofford, Mrs. Lalla Mae Vollus and Mrs. Riva Burnett, Past Grand Matrons, and Mr. Earl Manning and Mr. Paul C. Stoneman, Past Grand Patrons, of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We are so glad you could come and be with us. Thank you for coming.

The Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons who were presented at the Altar were escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Do we have further introductions?

Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present our Distinguished Guests at the Altar.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, it is my honor to present Mrs. Kitty D. Wall, Grand Representative of South Carolina in Texas, and Mrs. Cathy Athey, Grand Representative of Minnesota in Texas.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you. We hope you will enjoy your stay with us.

The Grand Representatives who were presented at the Altar were escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Credentials Committee, Mr. C. A. Holmes, Chairman.

# FINAL REPORT OF CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

# Worthy Grand Matron:

We, the members of your Credentials Committee, wish to thank you for the privilege of serving you in this capacity. We have enjoyed very much being of service to you and value very highly the trust you placed in us. We trust that you and the delegates of this Grand Chapter feel that we have given our best efforts—and, certainly, we have enjoyed the work required of this Committee and are thankful for the privileges of having had the opportunity of meeting so many fine members of, the Order. To the Registration Committee, the Mileage and Transportation Committee, we express our sincere thanks for their wonderful cooperation and assistance. May I present the members of the Credentials Committee:

> Mrs. MayDelle Grubbs Mrs. Lola Wallace Mr. Larry A. Wheeler Mr. Walter Callaway

I should like to personally thank each members of the Committee for the very fine cooperation, teamwork, and efficient manner in which they have gone about their work, without which we could not have accomplished these results.

To the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, it is with a great deal of pleasure that we, the Credentials Committee, present the following final report:

Total Chapters Represented	648
Total number of voting delegates	3,825
Total number of single vote ballots issued	3,328
Total number of two-vote ballots issued	420
Total number of three-vote ballots issued	104
Total number of eligible votes	4,480

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. "BILL" HOLMES, Chairman MRS. MAYDELL GRUBBS MRS. LOLA WALLACE LARRY A. WHEELER WALTER CALLAWAY

MR. C. A. HOLMES: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We are about ready to begin our election of officers, and I ask that only voting delegates remain on the main floor.

#### ELECTION JUDGE

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I appoint Mr. Chancey Penix as Election Judge.

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# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

## TABLE CHAIRMEN

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: For the table on the south side, I appoint Mr. Hal Burnett and Judge Marvin Simpson as Chairmen.

For the table on the north side, I appoint Mr. Ed. Sharpe and Mr. Gerald Allen as Chairmen.

# ADDING MACHINES

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: For the adding machines, I appoint

Dorothy Vernon

Mary Brown

# BLACKBOARDS

#### WORTHY GRAND MATRON: For the blackboards, I appoint

J. C. Gilmore Leslie Burnett Dub Robinson Jack Smith

#### TELLERS

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: As I call the names of the tellers, you will please take your places at the tables.

#### TABLE No. 1

#### NORTH

## Name—Chapter

MayDelle Grubbs, Dal Cliff No. 574 Dorothy Hargraves, Garden Oaks No. 987 Frankie Jenness, Garden Oaks No. 987 Bernice Trulan, West University No. 933 Augusta L. Bratton, West University No. 933 Joyce Roberts, Harmony No. 244 Jane Mueller, Ransford No. 135 Estha Davis, Kerrville No. 24 Sadie Sickel, Star No. 782 Alma Carter, Plano No. 703 Catherine Cowgill, Park Place No. 731 Joyce Fields, Denver City No. 863 Cleo D. Anderson, A. C. Garrett No. 774 Letha Crow, Fidelity No. 383 Foy Attaway, Flora No. 794 Guinn Etta O'Bannon, Huntsville No. 240 Jackie Wilder, Ricardson No. 921 Wayne M. Gadder, Fruitdale No. 1055 David H. Pigg, Mesquite No. 887 Lena Maye Cook, Spring Branch No. 984 Dolly Higgins, Edwin J. Kiest No. 959 A. L. Caspanis, Odessa No. 447 Earl Manning, Temple No. 153 Billy G. Bible, Canyon City No. 105 H. L. Arnold, Richland Hills No. 1040 Oliver B. Chamberlain, San Antonio No. 3 Earl Long, Mt. Houston No. 1034 Katherine Poulis, Army No. 664 Weldon High, Adah No. 49 E. K. Patrick, Irving No. 777 Lillian Gee, Jacksonville No. 377 Frat E. Davis, Sulphur Springs No. 718 Doris Maddox, Bryan No. 222 Juanita Copeland, Jas. L. Burgess No. 983 Ola Alexander, Huntsville No. 240 Ruth Kennedy, Grapeland No. 120 Christine Ghalson, Atlanta No. 151 Gladys Johnson, Odessa No. 447 Bertha Weir, Waco No. 7 Jack T. Pollock, Aurora No. 799

#### TABLE No. 2

#### SOUTH

#### Name—Chapter

Blanche Wilson, Oak Cliff No. 303 Beulah Speer, Abernathy No. 877 Bebe Hillmer, So. San Antonio No. 691 Edna Goettee, Bethlehem No. 728 Rosalie Miller, Alvin No. 15 Joan Lee Ray, Floresville No. 271 Nella Frost, New Boston No. 700 Irene Scarborough, Ransford No. 135 Cyntha May Watts, Lufkin No. 382 Dorothy Bernhard, Ransford No. 135 John W. Turner, Kilgore No. 630 Maude Arnold, Richland Hills No. 1040 Velda Anderson, A. C. Garrett No. 774 Marie Harcum, Mt. Auburn No. 755 Phylis Joan Meyer, Houston Heights No. 258 Dorothy M. Fore, North Side No. 651 Leah Little, Garden Oaks No. 987 Lahoma Oliver, Radiant No. 636 Henrietta Riggs, Seagraves No. 829 David A. Rife, Top O' Texas No. 1064 Dottie Griffith, Willis No. 1017 Ileene Adams, Woodland No. 696 Ruth Jones, Richland Hills No. 1040 Noami R. Cook, Rothwell No. 669 Sybil V. Davis, Loyal No. 648 Helen Clark, Harlandale No. 750 Jewel Leatherwood, Crosbyton No. 891 M. C. Holman, Boerne No. 200 Bernice Heitman, Sunshine No. 399 Joe Houston, Arlington No. 249 Ella Mae Adcock, Lamesa No. 303 Vernon Hancock, Bonita No. 184 Dean Hildebrand, Commerce No. 208 Marie Veach, Bethany No. 912 Sam W. Jennings, Lometa No. 871 Marjorie Johnson, Templar No. 374 Pauleen Oldham, Lubbock No. 76 Helen McCullough, Lubbock No. 76 Marie Lord, Lewisville No. 935 Edna Earl Duke, Wisteria No. 823

#### INSTRUCTIONS

MR. CHAUNCEY PENIX: Sisters and Brothers, let me give these instructions.

Nominations will be made from the floor. I would like to ask that you make use of the microphones that are working.

In making nominations, only the name of the candidate and the name and the location of the Chapter to which the candidate belongs, and the office to which nominated, shall be given.

I am going to ask that when nominations are made and when results are announced, there be no applause. Let's not hurt anybody's feelings here today.

The Pages will take up the ballots and take them to one table, and then to the other table. No. 1 Table is on the north side and No. 2 Table on the south.

Let everybody cooperate. I want to get it through by noon. (Applause.)

Are there any questions?

Thank you.

You will vote by numbers. Please do not mark your ballot until you have been given the number by the presiding officers.

#### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The following Grand Officers were elected:

Mrs. Frances Key Herrin, Austin, Worthy Grand Matron Mr. Victor Jones, Amarillo, Worthy Grand Patron

Mrs. Aliene Houston, Arlington, Associate Grand Matron

Mr. Harold C. Todd, San Antonio, Associate Grand Patron Mrs. Rebecca Miles, Grand Secretary

Mrs. Jettie Hinton, Grand Treasurer Mrs. Katherine Harbour, Shamrock, Grand Conductress Mrs. Thelma Joyce Alsup, Houston, Associate Grand Conductress Board of Grand Trustees, District 4, Mr. James Starnes Benevolent Board, District 3, Mrs. Tommie Roach

Grand Examiners: Mrs. Kathy Johnson, District 1; Mrs. Frances Austin, District 2; Mrs. Doris Easterling, District 3; Mrs. Alma Miller, District 4; Mrs. Rennie Ofton, District 5, and Mrs. Mary Crow, Grand Examiner at Large.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the adoption of the Welfare Report. I recognize Mrs. Nell Clonts, Chairman.

#### ADOPTION OF WELFARE REPORT

MRS. NELL CLONTS: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Welfare Report as submitted Wednesday evening.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I recognize Mrs. Elizabeth Williams for the adoption of the Grand Historian's Report.

# ADOPTION OF REPORT OF GRAND HISTORIANS

MRS. ELIZABETH WILLIAMS: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Report of the Grand Historians as given last evening.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Library Research Committee.

# REPORT OF LIBRARY RESEARCH COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of Eastern Star:

It is a pleasure to bring to you the report of the Research Library Committee, and I proudly present to you the members of this Committee:

Mrs. Martha Harris, District 1; Mrs. Carolyn Paul, Mrs. Mildred Gierhart; Mrs. Hinda Jane Nabors, Mrs. Della Shipp, District 2; Mrs. Countess Star, District 3; Mrs. Alice Burkhart, Mrs. Jane Mueller, District 4; Mrs. Estha H. Davis, and Mrs. Leona Reeve, District 5.

Worthy Grand Matron, we would like to express to you our appreciation for the privilege of serving you and the Grand Chapter of Texas in this particular place this year. This is only the third year for a Research Library Committee, and we feel we are still in a pioneering era in quest of historical items for our historical Library at the Home.

It is certainly becoming increasingly more difficult to persuade the membership to part with their historical items of our Eastern Star World. It is our understanding that many Chapters have now started their own Historical Library and are displaying their keepsakes in the halls where they meet for all their members to enjoy now and in the year to come.

Again, this year, as in the past two years, the membership is most desirous of a definite place and glass showcases be secured for the display of the articles that have been collected the past three years. We do feel this committee will really receive many valuable articles when this has been accomplished.

Throughout the State we are still receiving word that many gifts will be given to this historical display if the donors can be assured they will be kept in a safe place and displayed for all to enjoy. It takes time, money, and a lot of good planning to set up a place to display such valuable articles, and we hope the coming year will afford such a plan that all items can be displayed and at the same time be safely guarded for posterity. We offer whatever assistance we may be able to give to promote and execute such a plan.

We have searched far and wide throughout the State for the things of interest that should be in such a Historical Library, but this year our list is surely one of quality and not quantity. A complete list of the gifts is attached to this report and will be printed in the Proceedings.

One particular thing of interest to us and we hope to each of you, is the promise of a Past Grand Matron's jewel, and the promise of a badge of one of the elective officers—to be given to our Library, when they are through with them. Perhaps there will be many other such valuable gifts as these just as soon as an appropriate place to show them is secured. One Past Grand Matron, in the sunset years of life, is donating all her keepsakes she has collected over a period of many years to this Library. 1

We would like to express our appreciation to all those members who so generously and unselfishly have either loaned or donated items for this Library to us, and we thank you sincerely for trusting us with your keepsakes of yesteryear.

I would like to express to you, Worthy Grand Matron, my personal and sincere thanks for the privilege of this service to you this year, and also to thank you for the ten wonderful ladies you appointed to this Committee. We have enjoyed serving you together. It has been a year of real interest and enjoyment as we went about gathering together those articles of interest particularly to those of us who love antiques.

To the members of this Committee, I express my personal thanks to you for whatever efforts you have put forth and whatever service you have rendered in this capacity, but most of all the fellowship and friendship we have enjoyed together.

To the new committee, we offer whatever assistance we may be able to give or to do, and wish for you a most happy year of service. Be assured our assistance is yours for the asking. Good luck, and Happy Hunting!

Again, our thanks to you Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Garnd Patron for this opportunity of service to you and to the Grand Chapter of Texas, and more especially to you for including us in your Grand Family.

Respectfully submitted,

NAOMI C. HOPKINS, Chairman
Library Research Committee
MRS. MARTHA E. HARRIS, District 1
MRS. CAROLYN PAUL, District 2
MRS. DELLA SHIPP, District 2
MRS. MILDRED GIERHART, District 2
MRS. HINDA JANE NABORS, District 2
MRS. CONTESS STARR, District 3
MRS. ALICE BURKHART, District 4
MRS. JANE MUELLER, District 4
MRS. LEONA REEVE, District 5
MRS. ESTHA H. DAVIS, District 5

## GIFTS RECEIVED BY THE RESEARCH LIBRARY COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1969-1970

# District 1:

- 1. The first crown and scepter used by Oak Cliff Chapter No. 303-59 years old. Donated.
- 2. Five-Figurines—The Heronies of our Star complete with emblems, also with this, a wooden platform in the shape of our Star. These were a gift to Past Grand Matron, Mildred Garlitz, when she was Worthy Grand Matron, from Sister Sudie Carter of Evant Chapter. Donated.

## District 2:

 Deputy Book used during the year of Mrs. Riva Burnett, and Mr. W. F. Easterling, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron in 1932-1933. Loaned for display at this session only. District 3:

- 1. Ritual dated 1871. Being called Manual of the Order of the Eastern Star containing symbols, scriptural illustrations, lectures, etc., arranged by Robert Macoy. Donated by Mrs. Contess Starr, Tarrant Chapter No. 8, Fort Worth, Texas.
- 2. Notice of election to receive the degrees by Lone Star Chapter No. 356 to Mrs. Ruth Anna Wagner, dated September 19, 1924. Donated.
- 3. Ritual dated March, 1918, donated by Vena Hereford Parker, member of Tarrant Chapter No. 8, Fort Worth, Texas.

District 5:

- 1. Ritual-dated September, 1901-Mrs. Estha H. Davis-donated.
- 2. Ritual-dated February, 1906-Kerrville Chapter No. 24-donated.
- 3. All the Eastern Star keepsakes such as magazines, year books, and many other items collected through the years—to be donated by Mrs. Norton B. Wellborn, Past Grand Matron.

MRS. NAOMI HOPKINS: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Grand Examiner-At-Large.

# REPORT OF GRAND EXAMINER-AT-LARGE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Officers, Sisters and Brothers:

To have served as the Grand Examiner-at-Large has been a rewarding and happy experience for me. Through this office I have gained many new friends and for this I am deeply grateful.

To you, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, a special thanks for your kindness, your friendship and your gracious understanding. You have been the epitome of perfection and harmony.

To my co-workers, the Grand Examiners of the five districts, my grateful love for your assistance during the year and during this Grand Chapter session. The assistance of these five lovely ladies and the other members of this Order who so graciously gave of their time in the examining room enables me to submit the following report:

# District No. I

"A" Certificates "B" Certificates	2 
Total	
District No. II	
"A" Certificates "B" Certificates	
Total	4

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District 1	No. III	
"A" "B"	Certificates	3 0
	Total	3
District 1	No. IV	
"A" "B"	Certificates Certificates	$\frac{8}{4}$
	Total	2
District I	No. V	
"A" "B"	Certificates Certificates	$\frac{4}{1}$
Tota	- Total al Certificates granted at Grand Chapter—19702	527

Respectfully submitted,

KATHY JOHNSTON Grand Examiner-at-Large

MRS. KATHY JOHNSTON: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Report.

The Report was adopted.

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WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have another Report from the Board of Grand Trustees.

# FINAL REPORT OF BOARD OF GRAND TRUSTEES

# REPORT No. 5

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

In this final report to you, I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the privilege of serving as Grand Trustees these five years. I deem it an honor and want you to know that I appreciate the confidence and trust that you have placed in me in allowing me to serve Grand Chapter in this manner. This has been a most rewarding experience and I feel that my Eastern Star life has been deeply enriched.

To Mrs. Sally Matranga, Worthy Grand Matron, and to Mr. Richard T. Porter, Worthy Grand Patron, may I express to you my appreciation for your understanding and cooperation in all of the problems confronting this Board.

To our beloved Grand Secretary, my own Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Rebecca L. Miles, my sincere appreciation for your wise council, your untiring efforts in working with this Board. We have found it necessary many times to call on you from your vast storehouse of knowledge and I am grateful to you for your willingness. I shall miss my visits with you early on Saturday mornings when the Board will be meeting.

To our Grand Treasurer, Sister Jettie Hinton, my delightful traveling partner, my dearest thanks to you for your splendid help and cooperation in problems that came before us. To Mrs. Edyth Dixon, Superintendent of the Home, my gracious hostess and lovely friend, my thanks to you for making my stay in Arlington so pleasant and delightful. I truly learned to know more about the workings of the Home and came to feel that it is far beyond that which the average member realizes.

To Mr. Paul Huffhines, Chairman, and the members of the Board of Grand Chapter Benevolences I am grateful for the fine spirit of cooperation and understanding that has existed between these two boards and assure you that it has been most pleasant working with you in our responsibilities.

To my associates on the Board, may I express to you my pleasure in having served with you. Particularly our Secretary, Mr. Perry Smithwick, you have relieved us of much of the details of our work by your efficient manner and ability in handling reports and workings of the Board. Thank you Perry, may God give you a speedy and complete recovery.

To Sister Lillie May Hurst, we have missed you at this Grand Chapter session and we hope that your loved one continues to improve and that you will soon be enabled to join the Board again.

To Chuck and Steve, thank you for sharing the load with me at this last Board meeting at Grand Chapter. You both have under girded me with your strength and willingness as we have followed through with the duties of this Board.

I shall continue to have a deep and abiding interest in the accomplishments of this Board particularly as the work of refurbishing the West Wing and the Chapel of the Home is completed. May God richly bless you as you give of yourselves in this service.

Sincerely and respectfully submitted.

MRS. ANNETTE PIERCE Retiring Chairman

MRS. ANNETTE PIERCE: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Final Report of the Board of Grand Trustees.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Transportation and Mileage Committee.

# REPORT OF TRANSPORTATION AND MILEAGE COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

The privilege of serving as Chairman of the Transportation and Mileage Committee has been sincerely appreciated and greatly enjoyed.

Worthy Grand Matron, I am grateful to you for your selection of four dedicated members to serve with me. Their splendid cooperation and sunshine dispositions certainly made my task an easier one. It is with pleasure that I present them to this Grand Assemblage:

> Mrs. Marjorie Johnson—District 1 Mr. Joe Powell—District 2 Mr. Wayne Jones—District 3 Mrs. Maurine Jackson—District 5

Since it is necessary for the Tarnsportation and Mileage Committee to work hand in hand with the Registration and Credentials Committees, I want to express my gratitude to Brother T. V. Montgomery and Brother C. A. (Bill) Holmes and their Committees for the fine spirit of cooperation and the pleasant association we enjoyed with them.

The total mileage expense of this Grand Chapter Session, which is subject to audit, is \$11,904.86.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. MARIE RABBY, Chairman MRS. MARJORIE JOHNSON MR. JOSEPH POWELL MR. WAYNE JONES MRS. MAURINE JACKSON

# GRAND CHAPTER MILEAGE EXPENSE

Currend Charactery Offician	\$ 204.08
Grand Chapter Officers	φ <u>μυτι</u> υυ
Past Grand Matrons	363.12
Past Grand Matrons Past Grand Patrons	219.78
Board of Grand Trustees	41.58
Board of Grand Chapter Benevolences	41.00
board of Grand Chapter benevolences	71.46
Board of Grand Examiners	95.28
District Deputy Grand Matrons and Deputies	726.54
Jurisprudence Committee	9.60
Grievance and Appeals Committee	28.80
Registration Committee	69.42
Credentials Committee	72.90
Transportation and Mileage Committee	67.14
Transportation and trineage Committee	
Welfare Committee	88.86
Fraternal Correspondent	14.40
Purposes and Policies Committee	11.64
By-Laws Committee	- 44.52
Grand Choir Director	21.00
Educational Fund Committee	12.00
Chapters U. D.	43.50
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Superintendent of O. E. S. Home	10.00
, Grand Secretary Assistants	45.36
Grand Secretary Bookkeeper	32.10
Delegates	9,606.12
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\$11,904.86

MRS. MARIE RABBY: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will next have the Report of the Registration Committee.

# REPORT OF REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

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

On behalf of the Registration Committee, let me say, Worthy Grand Matron, that we feel highly complimented that you selected us to perform

the duty of registering the attendance at the 88th Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, O. E. S.

We have worked long and hard in our endeavor to perform this duty to your satisfaction and that of Grand Chapter.

I would be very inconsiderate if I failed to give credit to those who so willingly assisted the Registration Committee, and the Chairmen of the Credentials and Transportation and Mileage Committees for their splendid cooperation.

A more congenial and harder working committee was never assembled than this one consisting of:

Mrs. Jan Shaw of District No. 1, who was unable to be with us because of illness Mrs. Kathy Foreman of District No. 2 Mrs. Edith Webb of District No. 3

Mr. Alton Fischer of District No. 5

We wish to submit the following report:

Number of Delegates pre-registered	3,267	
Number of Delegates registered since Saturday, September 26th		3.966
Number of members registered		896
Distinguished Guests and Visitors from other Jurisdic- tions, representing 21 Grand Chapters		58
TOTAL REGISTRATIONS		4,920

Fratemally submitted,

T. V. MONTGOMERY, Chairman EDITH WEBB KATHY FOREMAN ALTON FISCHER

MR. T. V. MONTGOMERY: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Educational Fund Committee.

## REPORT OF EDUCATION FUND COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

Worthy Grand Matron, it has been a distinct honor and certainly a pleasure to serve as Chairman of the Educational Fund Committee for the year 1969-1970. It is my privilege to present my co-workers, Mrs. Edna Lawty of San Antonio and Mrs. Edna Goettee of Houston. No one could ask for two finer people to serve on this committee.

I wish to submit the following report.

No loans were made this year and only one indirect inquiry was made.

Loan Principal Payment Interest Balance George W. Goff, 4907 Winfree St., Houston, Texas 77021 ......\$1,000.00 \$30.00 \$1,000.00 PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

Keitha Ann Gray, 310 Sunset St., Marshall, Texas 75670	675.00	\$347.65	\$20.25	347.60
T. O. Keepers, III, 208 11th Ave., Texas City, Texas, Balance on Ioan Nov., 1969	300.00	225.00		75.00
Contributions:				
Bethlehem Chapter No. 728 Navasota Chapter No. 309 Bethany Chapter No. 912				15.00
Interest on loans Payment on loans				\$ 27.50 50.25 572.65
Total cash received		•	<i>.</i>	\$650.40

To the Grand Secretary, Mrs. Rebecca Miles, we wish to express our appreciation for her assistance.

The Committee wishes to suggest that more publicity be given to this phase of our work and that a notice be placed in the Official Bulletin at least four times during the year, so that the members are made aware of its aims.

. Sister Sally, thank you again for the signal honor of including me inyour Grand family.

## MRS. EILEEN MOTT, Chairman

MRS. EILEEN MOTT: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: How about another number from our Grand Choir?

## GRAND CHOIR

The Grand Choir sang, "God Bless America."

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the V.A.V.S. Committee.

# REPORT OF V.A.V.S. COMMITTEE

# "HARPS ON A WILLOW TREE"

Report of Veterans Administration Voluntary Service, Marjorie Baker, General Chairman:

- 1. Flag presentation by: Grand Marshal Grand Choir—Star Spangled Banner
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag Led by: Richard Porter Worthy Grand Patron
- 3. Report and Awards

#### 4. "America's Creed" By: Martha Eitzen Council Representative Veterans Administration Hospital Houston, Texas

THE AMERICAN'S CREED-By: Wm. Tyler Page

Accepted by the House of Representatives, on behalf of the American

People April 3, 1918

I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign Nation of many sovereign states; a perfect Union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American Patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies.

- 5. Gettysburg Address by: John Shearer Back-ground Music—America the Beautiful—Grand Organist,
- "Lighting of Torch" Statue of Liberty—Lionel and Owen Sutton Representative and Deputy Representative Dallas Veterans Hospital, Dallas, Texas

7. Prayer for Peace

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, Distinguished Visitors, My Sisters and Brothers:

First of all my grateful and sincere thanks to Worthy Grand Matron and Patron for their compassionate understanding of so great a need.

My thanks to the wonderful, dedicated people who have given so much of their time, love and efforts in continuing this very rewarding work. The patients and V. A. Hospital staffs will be eternally grateful.

The V.A.V.S. (Veterans Administration Voluntary Service) is a planned program of volunteer assistance to patients who are under the medical care and treatment of the Veterans Administration. Volunteers serve the patient during both his period of actual hospitalization and during any necessary continuity of care period in the community.

Some volunteers become a part of the V.A.V.S. program through one of the member organizations of the hospital's V.A.V.S. Advisory Committee; other volunteers come in directly by contacting the Director, Voluntary Service, on the staff at each individual VA Hospital.

When I pioneered this work 3 years ago in Grand Chapter it has continued to grow and expand in a slow, firm, and positive way.

The O. E. S. emblem is proudly worn by volunteers in all 9 hospitals in Texas.

We have shown the communities that our organization stands for something worth-while.

We must learn compassion—If we are to survive in a hostile world we must learn to shape our lives and our organizations; we must let our lives be interrupted by compassionate caring for others. Personal involvment not just by mouth but by action—we must have God like motivation—Compas-sion—that attitude that lineup radical caring for persons.

The complete manual drawn up by myself, is contained in the report, along with Flag Talk.

1.	Letters written	500
2.	Miles traveled	7,000
З.	Number Chapters visited	100
4.	Schools Attended	6
	In charge of welfare program at our school.	
5.	Manuals for Committee written by myself	
6.	Fraternal visits of Worthy Grand Matron and Patron	4
7.	Total Number of hours	1,600
8.	Total Number of hours for State	4,086
9.	Total Programs given in State	66

Today we have 27 million veterans. These veterans together with their immediate families—all potential beneficiaries in one way or another— account for a total of 94 million people or 49 per cent of the population of the United States.

There are 3 million soldiers in the Armed Forces today. Every year 500,000 are discharged, unhappily 300,000 veterans die. These providing an increase of 200,000 veterans a year.

By striving to promote patriotism and compelling need for awareness of a war I think we have accomplished in this work a great stride forward.

The Statue of Liberty has stood at the entrance to New York Harbor for 84 years with her right arm raised toward heaven and saying to the world: "Give me your tired, your poor, your huddled masses yearning to breathe free. The wretched refuse from your teeming shore. Send these, the homeless, tempest tossed to me, I lift my lamp beside the golden door!" That's what lights the path to liberty-America.

How can we not sing the Lord's song in a foreign land?

How can we not sing what God has done for us? How can we keep quiet, when we see what He can do for the world?

Getting involved is not just a "social GOSSIP." It is a spiritual necessity!

By the rivers of Babylon we sat down and wept when we remembered Zion.

There on the willow trees we hung up our harps, for these those who carried us off demmanded music and song. And our captors called on us to be merry! "Sing us one of the songs of Zion."

How could we sing the Lord's song in a foreign land? . . . O Babylon, Babylon the destroyer, happy the man we repays you for all that you did to us!

Happy is he who shall seize your children and dash them against the rock.

MRS. MARGIE BAKER: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Mrs. Margie Baker, for a job well done.

# PRESENTATION OF MRS. MARTHA MARIE WHITFIELD

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Conductress and Grand Conductress, you will present Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield.

GRAND CONDUCTRESS: Worthy Grand Matron, it is my honor to present Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield, Supreme Service and Supreme Inspector in Texas, International Order of Rainbow for Girls.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort our Distinguished Guest to the East.

Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield was escorted to the East, introduced, and given a most hearty welcome.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I recognize Sister Barbara Harrison for the adoption of the Report of the Grand Chaplain.

# ADOPTION OF REPORT OF GRAND CHAPLAIN

MRS. BARBARA HARRISON: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the acceptance of the Grand Chaplain's Report as presented last evening.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you, Barbara.

The Report was adopted.

#### REPORT OF POET LAUREATE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished East, Visitors and Members:

The activities of a poet can hardly be called duties; a more accurate description would be pleasure.

This year it has been my pleasure to have a poem in most issues of the Bulletin and to have written several poems and programs for special occasions.

It has been my special privilege to have a guest and to read for a number of Chapters. Through this lovely appointment I have come to know, appreciate and love many, many people whom I probably would not have had an opportunity to meet otherwise.

I love all of you, individually and collectively. You have been more than gracious to me. This has been an experience in the true meaning of love for me, for I have never been alone in the things I tried to do. Your love and support surrounded me so closely that it was almost tangible.

I hope that I have represented you in a manner that was pleasing to you and I sincerely ask no greater blessing than that your love continue with me always, in all that I do. My thanks to all of you.

In closing my report, may I pause a moment to remember one who made all of this possible as I pay

#### A Tribute to Rob Morris

I thought about a friend today,

A man I never met.

- I know our time and place in life

Were far apart, and yet— He dreamed a dream that changed my life,

Gave meaning to each day.

His plan was meant to bring me joy, And friends along my way.

He gave his service unto man, His praises unto God;

A sweeter, purer way than this No man has ever trod.

We build him no stone edifice, Our thanks is richer far,

A living, growing mounment-

Beloved Eastern Star.

# JOHN ELLEN McLAURIN Poet Laureate

# REPORT OF THE SECRETARIAL COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Officers, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

In behalf of all members of the Secretarial Committee, may I express our appreciation in being a part of your Grand Family. This has been a working committee, filled with many delightful memories. Our assignment was to help with your heavy load of correspondence, and we sincerely hope we have fulfilled our duties to your satisfaction and approval. It was a work of love and happiness. You have been and always will be a real inspiration to all of us.

It is a pleasure for me to introduce those who served on the Secretarial Committee for 1969-1970:

Mrs. Opal Lee Kelly—District 1 Mrs. Cladys Johnson—District 2 Mrs. Flora B. Hearrell—District 3 Mrs. Hazel B. McGhee—District 4 Mrs. Isabelle Seller—District 5

Again, we thank you for the opportunity of helping you, to make your work lighter, and to serve the Grand Chapter of Texas.

Respectfully submitted,

# MRS. HAZEL B. McGHEE, Chairman

MRS. HAZEL McGHEE: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you each of you for a job well done.

We will now have a report from the Jurisprudence Committee.

# REPORT OF JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

## REPORT No. 5

We, your Jurisprudence Committee, have carefully examined Resolution No. 2, of the Proposed Amendments to the Code of Laws, of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, and find same in legal and proper form to submit to the Grand Chapter for their consideration and action, which Proposed Amen reads as follows:

#### **RESOLUTION No. 2**

We the undersigned members of Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, do hereby submit the following resolution to be considered and acted upon at the Annual Session of Grand Chapter to be held in September, 1970.

That the following Articles be added to the Code of Laws for the Grand Chapter, as follows:

#### ESTARL COMMITTEE

Article 162 G., Chapter 10, page 105—The ESTARL Committee shall be composed of five members, one from each of the Five Districts. The incoming committee to be appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron-elect.

That that part of Article 178, Chapter 13, page 112, which now reads: provided that this Grand Chapter shall cooperate with the General Grand Chapter ESTARL (Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership) program by including ESTARL as one of its welfare projects every year with a special committee appointed for its promotion.

be amended to read:

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provided that this Grand Chapter shall cooperate with the General Grand Chapter ESTARL (Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership) program by including ESTARL as one of its welfare projects every year, with a committee as herein provided. That scholarships be limited to ten each year, and first consideration given to Masons and Eastern Stars members, their sons, daughters, wives of Masons, Husbands of Eastern Stars, the grandsons and granddaughters of Masons and Eastern Stars.

Respectfully submitted,

LEE ADKISSON CHAUNCEY E. PENIX MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH ED. L. SHARPE

# CODE OF LAWS

# **RESOLUTION No. 2—ESTARL COMMITTEE**

Article 162 G, Chapter 10, page 105—The ESTARL COMMITTEE shall be composed of five members, one from each of the five districts. The incoming committee to be appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron-elect.

That part of Article 178, Chapter, 13, page 112, which now reads: (see Jurisprudence report No. 5) be amended to read:

provided that this Grand Chapter shall cooperate with the General Grand Chapter ESTARL (Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership) program by including ESTARL as one of its welfare projects every year, with a committee as herein provided. That first consideration be given to Masons and Eastern Star Members, their sons, daughters, wives of Masons, husbands of Eastern Stars, the grandsons and granddaughters of Masons and Eastern Stars.

MRS. MARGARET WARREN: Worthy Grand Matron, I move that this Resolution be presented to this Grand Chapter for its action.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, you have heard the motion. What is your desire?

The motion carried.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Jurisprudence Committee Report No. 5 is now before you for consideration. Is there discussion?

MRS. MARGARET WARREN: I do not like the phrase that scholarships shall be limited to ten each year. You heard your welfare Committee Report. You have given generously to the maintenance of our Home and to our Endowment Fund. You have given generously to our ESTARL Program. I would like to move to amend this resolution to read thus:

Provided that this Grand Chapter shall cooperate with the General Grand Chapter ESTARL (Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership) Program by including ESTARL as one of its welfare projects every year with a committee as herein provided. That first consideration be given Masons and Eastern Star members, their sons, daughters, wives of Masons, husbands of Eastern Stars, the grandsons and granddaughters of Masons and Eastern Stars.

This deletes the phrase to limit the number to ten.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Do we have a second?

The motion has been seconded. Is there any discussion?

I recognize Brother Clyde Smith.

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Patron, I think we shorten this whole matter. I move as a substitute for the motion that has just been presented that we not adopt the resolution which was originally presented.

That would leave us just exactly where we are.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Do I understand you made a motion that we do not pass any of it?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: I recommend it be defeated.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Do we have any further discussion?

We have an Amendment to Resolution No. 2. The question is on the adoption of the Amendment to the proposal. Are you ready for the question?

The Amendment was defeated.

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: You have defeated the Amendment.

We will now take up the matter of Resolution No. 2 which is before this Grand Chapter for action. I will read it again to you.

Sisters and Brothers, this is the proposition before you. Is there any discussion?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Sisters and Brothers, this Resolution is the thing I want to defeat. We voted on the proposed Amendment. If you defeat this Resolution you still have the same ESTARL Committee. I recommend that it be defeated. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Any further discussion?

The question is on the adoption of the Resolution.

The Resolution was defeated.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will have another Report from the Jurisprudence Committee.

#### JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT No. 6

We your Jurisprudence Committee, have carefully examined Resolution No. 6 of the Proposed Amendments to the Code of Laws, of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eatsern Star, and find same in legal and proper form to submit to the Grand Chapter for their consideration and action, which Proposed Amendment reads as follows:

# **RESOLUTION No. 6**

#### BE IT RESOLVED, That:

Article 70, page 65, which now reads:

The Grand Secretary shall receive as full compensation for her services, Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$450.00) per month. be amended to read:

Article 70, SALARY. The Grand Secretary shall receive as full compensation for her services, Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars per month.

Article 77, page 67, Salary:

The Grand Treasurer shall receive as full compensation for her services Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) per year.

be amended to read:

Article 7, Salary. The Grand Treasurer shall receive as full compensation for her services, Thirty-nine Hundred (\$3900.00) Dollars per year.

Respectfully submitted:

LEE ADKINSON CHAUNCEY E. PENIX MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH ED. L. SHARPE

MRS. OLIVIA SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the report.

The Report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Purposes and Policy Committee.

#### REPORT OF PURPOSES AND POLICY COMMITTEE

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

During the year the Purposes and Policy Committee had two meetings to consider the policies presented to it. Those which they deemed worthy were presented to Grand Chapter for consideration.

The Committee approved unanimously the Welfare Program for the year 1970-1971 as proposed by the Associate Grand Matron, Mrs. Frances Key Herrin. (Signed by the entire Committee.)

Fraternally submitted,

SALLY MATRANGA RICHARD T. PORTER FRANCES K. HERRIN J. VICTOR JONES REBECCA L. MILES JETTIE HINTON THELMA MCREYNOLDS ALIENE HOUSTON KATHERINE HARBOUR PAUL HUFFHINE ANNETTE PIERCE LOUISE W. ARMSTRONG PRESTON MILLER MOLLY GOODPASTURE MILDRED GARLITZ

MRS. MILDRED GARLITZ: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will next have the Report of the Music Committee.

#### REPORT OF THE MUSIC COMMITTEE

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

The Music Committee would like to express appreciation to the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for the opportunity of service to to Grand Chapter. The year's work has been a challenge which was accepted with love in our hearts. We are deeply grateful to the membership of Texas for the cooperation and assistance in the sale of the "Heart of Love" March. It has been an honor and privilege to work with the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and other Grand Officers and the Committee is grateful for your friendship and cooperation.

The entire Music Committee would extend to our Grand Organist, Sister Mertis Stone, our gratitude for giving to Grand Chapter the lovely "Heart of Love" March. The beauty of this music has made our work easy. Thank you, Sister Mertis, for this lovely march.

Due to illness, several of the members of the Committee are unable to be in attendance at this Session. The Chairman would like to present those who are present and who have so ably assisted in the work this year. They are: Sisters Doris Maddox, Anne Bradley, and Eva Stafford. We are indeed sorry that the other members are not with us today and they are: Sisters Edna Blair, Eileen Carson, and Lola Mae Stephens.

The Music Committee reports the sale of 1,452 copies of the "Heart of Love" March, and 48 copies of other marches or a total of 1,500 copies of music.

Again, we express our friendship and appreciation for sharing this year with you, Worthy Grand Matron, and Worthy Grand Patron and our wish for you is that the future may hold only the best of everything.

#### Fraternally submitted,

# THE MUSIC COMMITTEE CLOE THOMAS Chairman

MRS. CLOE THOMAS: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

# APPRECIATION OF GRAND ORGANIST

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I want to express our appreciation to Sister Mertis Stone, our Grand Organist, for writing such a beautiful march, and I hope you have enjoyed it as much this year as I have.

I believe I will ask Sister Mertis to play it for us at this time. (Applause.)

We will now have the report of the Resolutions Committee.

#### REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matrange Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Richard T. Porter Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

I would like to present the other members of this committee, Mrs. Carrie Lou Davis and Mrs. Dorothy Littlepage. It has been a pleasure working with these fine women. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for this privilege.

To the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Richard T. Porter, all other Grand Officers and membes of the 88th Annual Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

We, your Resolutions Committee, wish to submit the following report:

WHEREAS, "The Harp of Happiness" Session has convened in Houston, Texas,

WHEREAS, we fully recognize the planning and co-operation that has gone into its completion. The programs have been efficiently carried out and we appreciate all the courtesies extended to us.

To our Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Richard T. Porter, and his lovely wife, Ernesteen—we are so thankful you came our way. The success of this past year has, in a large measure, been due to your loyalty and interest in our Order. Your friendliness and thoughtfulness have won you many admirers over the state.

To the Past Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, Texas loves to have you with us in our sessions, as you bring us glamour and beauty along with your vast knowledge of the Order.

To all other Distinguished Guests, we say our special thanks to you for being with us, and especially, Texas' own General Grand Officers. Thank you for your continued interest. To our own Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons, it is wonderful to have so many of you with us. Your presence and help is always appreciated.

We help the youth of today by supporting ESTARL. Mrs. Lena Maye Cook and her committee planned a wonderful Sunday morning program for us. We enjoyed hearing her son, Mr. Clyde T. Cook, Minister of Youth, First Presbyterian Church in Houston, and Rev. Gaylord H. Dodgen, a nephew of our Worthy Grand Matron.

To the Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Barbara Harrison, your Chaplain's Corner in the Bulletin has been a source of inspiration to all the members. Your many years of unselfish devotion to our Order encourages us to rededicated ourselves to the high moral purposes of our Order. Your beautiful Memorial awakened in us again the consciousness of death as a continuation of life. You have added much spiritually to this "Happiness Session."

To the Grand Marshal, Mrs. Billie Rogers, we were impressed with the many intricate drills that were executed in this session. We realize that this takes months of preparation and planning to the smallest detail. Your friendly, vivid personality has made the meetings more perfect—how gracefully you flow across the floor while directing others.

To the Grand Organist, Mrs. Mertis Stone, we thank you for giving us the happiness of your music. With your special talent you have added splendor to these sessions.

To the Executive Committee, Mr. Paul Harris and Mr. Jack Smith, and the Arrangements Committee, Mr. David Bratton, a very warm and appreciative thanks for a job well done.

To the Grand Warder, Mrs. Agnes Brown, who has been most diligent in her duty. Your Assistant Warders and Sentinels have made it possible for the business of this session to run smoothly.

To our Grand Conductress, Mrs. Aliene Houston, her warm welcome and charming smile are a joy to behold. Her attendance on the Altar is of pure beauty.

To all the Grand Officers of this Grand Chapter, your work has been performed beautifully. A special thanks to your personal pages for assisting.

This Grand Chapter extends its best wishes to our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Sally Matranga, who has endeared herself to so many of our members over the state. We thank you for the splendid work you have done and for your high purposes for our beloved Order. We are grateful for the opportunity of serving with such a fine person.

To the incoming Grand Officers, we offer congratulations and the best wishes for the ensuing year.

To every member who had a part in making this 88th Session "Harp of Happiness" a success, we thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. HILDA MONROE, Chairman MRS. CARRIE LOU DAVIS MRS. DOROTHY LITTLEPAGE

MRS. HILDA MONROE: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I recognize Mrs. Mattie Mitchell for the Report of the Telegram Committee.

#### REPORT OF TELEGRAM COMMITTEE

MRS. MATTIE MITCHELL: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members: Your Committee on Telegrams submit the following report:

Telegrams have been sent to six Past Grand Matrons and to ten Past Grand Patrons.

Thank you for this opportunity for service.

MATTIE MITCHELL BIRDIE JANE EASTERLING HALLIE ANGLIN

Message to Worthy Grand Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons:

Grand Chapter misses you. Best wishes always.

Sent to:

Mrs. Norton B. Wellborn Mrs. Marjery Wofford Mrs. Robbie Dyer Mrs. Hattie Dowell Gilbert Mrs. Cheba Dewees Mrs. Flora Besst Boone John Temple Rice L. E. Tennison James L. Lee Dr. T. G. Rogers Judge Dean Gauldin Earl G. Manning Dr. Russell Holt E. F. Van Plumlee E. B. Gauntt Dr. H. C. Sloop

MRS. MATTIE MITCHELL: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the Report of the Telegram Committee.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I recognize Mr. Paul Harriss, Chairman of the Executive Committee.

# REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of the Grand Chapter of Texas, other Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

It is with a great deal of pride and a happy privilege that I present to your our Executive Committee: Jack O. Smith, Co-Chairman; Mrs. Edna Mae Hillin, Secretary; Donald J. Matranga, Treasurer; Mrs. Bernice Heitman, Housing Chairman; Mrs. Bernice Trulan, Social Chairman; Mrs. Katherine Cowgill, Publicity Chairman, and Mrs. Helen Ray, Decorations Chairman.

I would like to express my personal appreciation to these fine people and dedicated workers who have done a good job and given of their time and talents so generously and unselfishly in the preparation for this Grand Chapter Session. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for giving me the finest Executive Committee I have ever known in Grand Chapter.

My Sisters and Brothers, at this time I would like to present a preliminary report of the Executive Committee of Grand Chapter for 1970.

# PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

#### **RECEIPTS:**

Appropriation from Grand Chapter	\$12,500.00
Donations for parking of courtesy	cars 12.00

# DISBURSEMENTS:

There are a number of outstanding bills that could not be included at this time but will be submitted in time for the Audit Committee to complete its work prior to the publication of the proceedings of this Grand Chapter. A complete and detailed report will be verified and submitted to the Board of Grand Trustees.

Worthy Grand Matron, it certainly has been a genuine pleasure and a real joy to serve as Chairman of your Executive Committee for many reasons but especially because of your sincere friendship and your fullest cooperation have made my tasks more joy than heartaches. I have tried to perform these duties and carry out these responsibilities as I believe that you would have done, had you been doing them yourself. It was one of my goals to accomplish all of this with the least amount of worry or concern by you; and at the same time, to bring it to a fruition which would bring happiness to you and to our fine Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Richard T. Porter, for whom I have the highest respect and esteem as a leader and a business man. It is an honor to have worked with two of the finest this Grand Chapter has ever had. This entire Committee appreciates both of you.

These days have brought closer ties of friendship, understanding and love among the member of this Committee. I am very happy to report to all that peace and harmony has prevailed throughout this year. We have enjoyed working together.

The happy memory that I shall take from this Grand Chapter will be the great treasure of the love I have for my co-workers, as well as each member of this magnificent Arrangements Committee. I an very appreciative of the cooperation of the Chairman of the Arrangements Committee. They all have worked together with peace and harmony to get the job done. It has been work, but we have had a good time.

It is my sincere wish, Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, that you will be pleased with our efforts and that each member and visitor of this Grand Chapter Session will likewise be pleased with the arrangements.

Again, my sincere thanks for your friendship, Worthy Grand Matron, throughout this year and may the future be extended only to increase our friendship.

# W. PAUL HARRISS

Chairman, Exceutive Committee 1970

# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Worthy Grand Matron, I would like to say a few words with regard to the expense and operation of a Grand Chapter Session, and especially this one. I would like for the delegates to know about the expenditures necessary to put on a Grand Chapter Session. I am not talking about luncheons, banquets and social parties because these are self-supporting. I am talking about rental of an auditorium, organ, piano, insurance, building a stage, decorations, union wages, technical services such as audio, spot lights, etc.

I am aware that some of this information is published in the annual Proceedings but many of us do not take the time to study these facts and

figures even when we get a copy of the Proceedings, although they are available to every one. However, I address my remarks to every member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Texas.

Some of our delegates are not aware of the increased costs, year to year, of the operations of these annual meetings. We have had the same amount of money alloted for fifteen years. It is time we increased that allotment!

I invite each of you to get a copy of the Proceedings of this 1970 Session, when they come out, and read the financial report of this Executive Committee.

Due to the increased costs I strongly urge this Grand Chapter to increase the allotment from \$12,500.00 to \$15,000.00 for the necessary expenses of these annual meetings, and to increase the allotment for installation of the new Grand Chapter Officers from \$750 to \$900.00.

I know that the Proceedings for the last fifteen years show amounts being 'refunded to Grand Chapter out of the present allotment. While these amounts were actually refunded to Grand Chapter, the Proceedings have not reflected the donations and contributions made by subordinate Chapters, individuals and groups in the form of cash money to meet the necessary expenses in excess of the allotment.

Although our Constitution clearly states that ads and contributions shall not be solicited, it is impossible to put on a Grand Chapter Session for \$12,500 without such solicitation and contributions. Some times an influental person can secure an auditorium wit a reduced rate, or get the loan of a piano or organ, or make other arrangements that will reduce the cash outlay. All of these are accomplished through solicitations and contributions, which are in violation of the wording of our Constitution. Nevertheless, it does point up the need for an additional allotment or, in the altarnative, a change in the wording of the Constitution.

Let me give you a few examples of expenditures we have faced this year. Four years ago when Grand Chapter met in Houston we rented a six foot grand piano for \$75 including insurance; this year the same size piano cost \$95 plus \$25 insurance, or a total increase of \$45.00. Four years ago we rented the same organ, Hammond Model C-3, for \$265 including insurance. This year we had to pay \$350 plus \$50 insurance, or an increase of \$135 in just four years. Four years ago we rented chartered buses for \$21 each for the first three hours. Today those same buses are chartered for \$40 each for the first three hours. Four years ago you paid 25c to ride the bus but this year the fare must be 50c per ride.

In addition to these rented items, let me invite your attention to the labor union wages and regulations. Four years ago we could work rather loosely with the technical unions but in recent months there have been changes and certain restrictions and regulations are more tightly administered. We must pay those additional wage increases and do without the "free" services we have had heretofore.

There are many more items that I could call your attention to but they would be just like the ones already mentioned. I can assure you that four years from now, if the rate of increase continues as it has for the past four years, it may cost even more than \$15,000 to stage Grand Chapter in Houston.

Again, I strongly urge this Grand Chapter to increase the present allotment by \$2,500.00. I am not here to make a resolution or a motion, but I do hereby call on the LEADERS of this Grand Chapter to take this recommendation most seriously. The Leaders should take the initiative in this entire matter to the conclusion that such allotments be increased to \$15,000 for staging Grand Chapter Session and to \$900,00 for the installation of new Grand Chapter Officers, with the continued understanding, of course, that any excess would be refunded to the General Fund of Grand Chapter.

. W. PAUL HARRISS, Chairman, Executive Committee 1970

# FINAL REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Receipts: Grand Chapter Allotment	
Total Receipts	\$ 15,143.12
Disbursements:	
Rental Coliseum & Jones Hall\$ 2,142.00 Coliseum: Stage, Backdrops, Curtains	
& Decorations	
Badges 522.27	
Souvenir Bags 310.43	
Equipment: Desks, Tables, Chairs, etc	
ESTARL Church Services	
First Aid—Supplies 11.45	
General Banquet	
Grand Marshal—Supplies 40.73	
Grand Warder & Grand Sentinel—Handbooks 224.91	
Grand Floor Officers' Banquet 200.00	
Housing Committee—Printing, Postage, etc 120.69	
Insurance Liability & Property 137.00	
Labyrinth, Equipment & Decorations 279.53	
Piano and Organ	
Paraphernalia—Supplies	
Publicity Committee	
Signs Committee—Supplies 22.84	
Telephones 9.75	
Reception (General Grand Officers)	
Stage Hands Union 2,708.40	
Social Chairman—Printing, Postage, etc	
Regitration Committee (P. O. Box rental) 10.67	•
Transportation (Chartered Buses, etc.) 1,206.34	
Van Services 25.00	
Parking Courtesy Cars 120.00	
Executive & Arrangements Committees (Printing, Postage, Stationery, Supplies, etc.) 209.08	
Postage, Returning Records to Office at Arlington 12.41	
Total Disbursements	\$ 14,114.12
NET BALANCE	\$ 1,029.00

Worthy Grand Matron, I would like to express my most sincere appreciation to you and to the Worthy Grand Patron for the opportunity of working with both of you this year as Chairman of the Executive Committee. It has been a rewarding experience. I believed I would enjoy it, but it has been

even a greater pleasure than I had expected because you gave me these wonderful individuals to work with. I refer to all the members of the Executive and Arrangements Committees.

They have been faithful in their duties and I could not have asked for more than this. They have been unselfish with their time and their talents. I can, with pride, point to each committee member and say words of commendation and praise.

I would like to compliment each member of the Executive Committee for the splended job she or he has done. Also the Chairman, Co-ordinators and all sub-committees of the Arrangements Committee have been wonderful. I am proud of these fine people. Bro. David J. Bratton has been a magnificent Chairman of the Arrangements Committee. I could not have had a more understanding and cooperative person to work with than Bro. Bratton.

A special thanks goes to the Scottish Rite Bodies of Houston for permitting us to use their Temple as headquarters for our committee meetings. They provided work space, storage and even refreshments. We thank them for their generosity.

The excllent management of the chartered buses has permitted the payment of all obligations in excess of the allotment provided. The tight fisted control our good Treasurer has kept over the check book has materially benefited Grand Chapter. We have forwarded to the Grand Secretary a check for \$1,029.00 as net profit from the earnings of the buses after payment of all expenses.

Finally, I want to say to you, Sister Sally, that it has been a great inspiration to do this job for such a lovely and understanding lady. On behalf of all of us I say, Thank you and Bro. Richard Porter, our splendid Worthy Grand Patron, for the outstanding leadership you both have given our Grand Chapter this year. May God continue to bless you with His richest blessings is my abiding prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

W. PAUL HARRISS, Chairman Executive Committee 1970

MR. PAUL HARRISS: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of the report.

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters and Brothers, I would like to express my appreciation to the Executive and Arrangements Committees for all the work they have done for this Grand Chapter. Would you join with me in expressing our appreciation to them. (Prolonged applause.)

Brother Paul, may I thank you for the wonderful job you have done. We appreciate it very much. Thank you for your friendship through the years.

Brother Paul, will you introduce your committee.

MR. PAUL HARRISS: I am pleased to present Mr. Jack O. Smith, Mrs. Edna Mae Hillin, Mrs. Bernice Heitman, Mrs. Bernice Trulan, Mrs. Katherine Cowgill, Mrs. Helen Ray and Mr. Donald Matranga. (Applause.)

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: May we have another Report from the Jurisprudence Committee?

# FINAL REPORT OF JURISDICTION COMMITTEE

We, the members of your Jurisprudence Committee, would like to express our appreciation and thanks to our Worthy Grand Matron and the members of the Order of the Eastern Star, for the privilege of serving you and for the cooperation received from you.

We have a number of Laws set out in our Code of Laws, which are not observed or obeyed, and therefore same should be repealed or obeyed. Our Laws are the basis of our conduct and behavior toward each other, and toward the Order of which we are members. Our disrespect for our Laws, Rules and Regulations, will lead to protests and disorder.

Thanking all of you,

Respectfully submitted,

LEE ADKISSON ED. L. SHARPE MARGARET WARREN OLIVIA A. SMITH CHAUNCEY E. PENIX

MRS. MARGARET WARREN: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: It has been moved and seconded that the report be adopted. Is there discussion?

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Sisters and Brothers, you have heard this report.

Our Laws are the basis of our conduct toward each other and toward the Order of which we are members. Our disrespect for our Laws, Rules and Regulations leads to protests and disorder.

Now this final report of the Jurisprudence Committee has been presented for consideration. I do not think there is any question but what we do have violations of our Laws. I want you to first vote on the adoption of this report, and then I want to present a motion immediately following.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: You have heard the motion that we adopt the report. It has been seconded. Is there any discussion?

The report was adopted.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: I recognize Judge Clyde Smith.

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

There is only one particular law that I am going to refer to in this motion. Here is my motion, and it is in writing.

I move that the Grand Chapter of Texas instruct the incoming Jurisprudence Committee to give careful study to and bring to the next Grand Chapter proposed revision of Chapter 2, Article III, Page 53, of the Code of Laws, pertaining to electioneering. (Applause.)

I am not going to speak of it. It certainly won't hurt anything to give it careful study during the year.

I want to say this, that there has been considerable improvement during this Grand Chapter over the last Grand Chapter. (Applause.) I recommend that you vote for the adoption of this motion.

Motion carried.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Invitation Committee.

# REPORT OF INVITATION COMMITTEE

JUDGE CLYDE SMITH: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

I have been requested by the Worthy Grand Matron-elect, who, as you know, is a citizen of Austin, to act as Chairman and to extend to you, the Grand Chapter of Texas, a cordial invitation to have your next Grand Chapter Session in the capital city of Austin, Texas. (Applause.)

I have seen that city grow from a town of less than 50,000 to a city of more than 250,000. It has a wonderful people, hospitable people, and we have contacted various organiations, the hotels, the motels, and the Chamber of Commerce officials. And I have a letter here from the Mayor of Austin, expressing to the members of the Order of the Eastern Star a warm and cordial invitation to hold their next Grand Chapter Session in Austin.

I therefore move that this Grand Chapter vote to go to Austin next year. And I want to give you the date, so we won't have to have any meeting subsequently about our date. The dates for the Grand Chapter Session are October 18 through October 21, 1971.

I move the adoption of this report as the acceptance of the invitation to go to Austin.

Motion carried.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: We will now have the Report of the Arrangements Committee, Mr. David Bratton, Chairman.

#### REPORT OF ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, Distinguished Guests, my Sisters and Brothers:

Your Arrangements Committee is pleased to have been able to serve you. We hope you have found these services adequate in every way. As you know, many of our committee functions were accomplished during the past several months, while we were looking forward to your coming. Since your arrival in Houston, we have enjoyed visiting and working with you. Certainly, you have been most kind and understanding, and we especially appreciate your cooperation.

I hope you have been able to meet each of the 110 members of this committee, because we have been circulating among you for that very purpose. Possibly, however, our four coordinators may have been in the closest contact with you during the session. Please let me present them formally:

Brother Carl Denson, Co-Chairman Brother Aubrey Poole, Co-Chairman Brother Jack Smith, Coordinator in addition to his other duties as Co-Chairman of the Executive Committee. Brother Grover Mathews, Technical Coordinator. These dedicated Masons are all prominent business and professional men who have each worked with a group of our sub-committees during the past several months to help each member of the Arrangements Committee to understand his/her duties and to enjoy better the committee activities. The rest of us are indebted to them for the time and guidance they have given to us.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the members of the Executive Committee who actually accomplish a large part of the preparation for this 88th, The Harp of Happiness, Session. We especially thank the Executive Chairman, Brother W. Paul Harriss, for his knowledgeable supervision and his understanding of each of our financial needs.

Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for allowing us to enjoy being a part of your Grand Family.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID J. BRATTON, Chairman Arrangements Committee

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MR. DAVID BRATTON: Worthy Grand Matron, I move the adoption of this report.

The report was adopted.

# APPOINTMENT OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will present Mrs. Helen Ray, Mrs. Grace Chambers, Mrs. Margery Baker and Mrs. Ruth Conring at the Altar.

The above named were given appointments as Grand Representatives. Mrs. Helen Ray, Grand Representative New York to Texas; Mrs. Margery Baker, New Hampshire to Texas; Mrs. Ruth Conring, Iowa in Texas, and Mrs. Grace Chambers, Arizona in Texas.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sisters Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress, you will escort these members to the East.

The newly appointed Grand Representatives who were present were escorted to the East, introduced, and given Grand Honors.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Sister Grand Secretary, do you know of any further business to come before this Grand Chapter at this time?

GRAND SECRETARY: Worthy Grand Matron, there is none within my knowledge.

WORTHY CRAND MATRON: Sister Grand Warder, you will inform the Grand Sentinel that we are about to call this Grand Chapter from labor to rest and direct him to permit no interruption while we are thus engaged.

# BENEDICTION

The benediction was by the Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Richard T. Porter.

# GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM LABOR TO REST

The Bible was closed and at 2:15 P. M. October 1, 1970, Mrs. Sally Matranga and Mr. Richard T. Porter completed their active leadership of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Brother Porter had been a tower of strength during his tem of service. Sister Sally was still wearing her winsome smile and conducting herself in the same charming manner that had endeared her to the Eastern Star membership through the years.

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

# Installation of Grand Officers

For the Installation of Grand Officers the appearance of the Colesium had changed to that of a formal garden. The platform appeared as a walled terrace with grill gates in the background upon which were superimposed golden keys. Chrysanthemum trees stood at each side of the platform and on each side of the line officer stations. Arrangements of purple violets were on the pedestals of the starpoint stations and predominated in the decorations throughout the Grand Chapter Room.

The Altar was covered with white satin drapes, bordered with gold, and with a wide sash running from front to back over the top and emblazoned with a golden key, the emblem of the year. A golden key was on one corner of the Altar.

The kneeling bench and the Bible were those of Capitol Chapter No. 803, the home Chapter of the Worthy Grand Matron-elect.

The square and compasses used for the installation were those of Amarillo Chapter No. 787, the home Chapter of the Worthy Grand Patronelect.

Preceding the Call to Order, the assembly was delighted with an organ prelude by Mrs. Mabel Guinn.

At 7:00 P. M., Mrs. Loyce Loper, Assisting Grand Marshal, escorted the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron to the East.

# CALL TO ORDER

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers, Visitors and Friends:

It is a privilege, along with my Worthy Grand Patron, to call to Order this Thursday Evening Session of the Harp of Happiness Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas, and to extend to you a very hearty welcome to the Eigtyninth Installation of Grand Officers.

Sister Marshal, you will conduct Mrs. Eunice Connell, escorted by Mr. Chauncey Penix, to the East.

#### MASTER OF CEREMONIES

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

It is a delightful pleasure to welcome you to this Key of Life Installation of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

Our music this evening has been so lovely. God surely must have made musicians to keep alive the traditions of the pure, the holy, and the beautiful. Sister Mabel Guinn, I offer this as a tribute to you. We thank you, by our applause, for your beautiful musical gems in the opening moments of this last session of the Harp of Happiness Session. (Applause.)

With unrelenting crescendo, the symphony of a life replete with melodic progression hastens to its finale. And a friendship that is ours to share, with its largos and allegros, moves everlastingly onward in sweet memories.

. Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron, as the last notes of your harp strings vibrate in memory, may we pay tribute to you, to whom

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tribute is due; express appreciation to you for a year of service to our beloved Order; and wish you God's richest blessings, and welcome you into the fellowship of the Past Grands whose symphonies have played a great part in perpetuating the work of the Order of the Eastern Star in Texas.

The most treasured gift that comes to us through years of service in our great Order is that of friends. What a pleasure it is for me to have as my escort this evening my tried and true friend, my Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Chauncey E. Penix, who joins me in this tribute to you both.

# PROCESSIONAL OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: We are honored tonight by the presence of many distinguished guests. Their presence adds charm and dignity to any occasion and gives assurance of their love, admiration and support of our Worthy Grand Matron-elect and Worthy Grand Patron-elect.

Sister Grand Marshal, you will present our Past Most Worthy Grand Matron and other General Grand Chapter Officers, and Brother Hal Burnett, and the Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons of Texas.

Sisters and Brothers:

Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Her escort, Judge Marvin B. Simpson, Jr., member of the Jurisprudence Committee, General Grand Chapter.

Mrs. Katherine M. Poulis, Chairman, Public Relations Committee of the General Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Her escort, Mr. Byron Poulis.

Mr. Hal Burnett, Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M. His escort, Mrs. Thelma McReynolds, Past Grand Matron.

Sister Grand Marshal, you will escort Texas' own Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand Patrons to their reserved seats in the East:

Missing from this group is a very special friend of the Worthy Grand Matron-elect, Mrs. Hattie Lucille Dowell Gilbert, who is ill.

Sister Grand Marshal, you will present the Distinguished Guests who are to have a part in the Installation Program.

Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus, Past Grand Matron Escort, Mr. Earl Manning, Past Grand Patron

Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield, Supreme Service and Supreme Inspector in Texas, International Order of Rainbow for Girls Escort, Mr. Victor Whitfield

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Mr. Donald Matranga Mrs. Earnesteen Porter Mr. T. R. Bramlett, Chairman, Board of Grand Trustees Escort, Mrs. Bobbie Chamberlain

Mrs. Edna Earl Duke, Past Grand Matron Escort, Mr. Glen Haddocks

Mrs. Robbie Yates, Past Grand Matron ... Escort, Mr. Floy Yates

Mrs. Cynthia May Watts, Past Grand Matron Escort, Judge Clyde E. Smith

Mrs. Mabel Harle, Past Grand Matron Escort, Mr. Wylie Harle

Mr. Gerald Allen, Past Grand Patron Escort, Mrs. Ione Allen

Mrs. Riva C. Burnett, Past Grand Matron Escort, Mr. Allen Watts

Mrs. Robbie Ruth Serpico, daughter of Worthy Grand Matron-elect Escort, Mrs. Rachel Burnett

The years are the Keys that unlock doors to opportunities. There lies before us a new year. And we are going forth to possess it. Who can tell what awaits us, what new experiences, what changes, what new needs shall arise? Here is the gracious pledge of our Heavenly Father: "The Lord thy God careth for it. His eyes are always upon it to the end of the year." (Deut. 11-11-12)

Let us greet this new year with friendly warmth, with eager hearts; make the best use of its days and weeks, clothe it in achievement. Let nature and Divine power breathe its goodness wherever it may reach. Let it give expression to our true feelings, Humility, our Faith in and Kindness toward our fellowmen.

Let us build into it a period of happiness, of vision, of contentment, of good cheer, a year of everlasting hope. Renew our loyalty, our confidence. Let the friendly welcome of the latchstring trace its joyous way through every day of time.

Let us build through it for the future, for happy is he who at the end of the year has something beautiful to remember from his yesterdays and something good to hope for from his tomorrow.

"As we have therefor opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith." (Galatians 6-10)

#### PRESENTATION OF GRAND OFFICERS

The Grand Officers to be installed were presented as they entered from opposite wings of the platform and were spotlighted as they were escorted to their seats on the Grand Chapter Floor. They wore green chiffon formals and carried gold bags.

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL, presiding:

Grand Sentinel, Mr. Thurman H. Perry, Escort, Mrs. Wilmina Perry. Grand Warder, Mrs. Evelyn Conger, Escort, Mr. Tom P. Chapman.

Grand Electa, Mrs. Flora McNeill, Escort, Mr. Malcolm J. McNeil.

Grand Martha, Mrs. Martha Johnston, Escort, Mr. Tom Kinard.

Grand Esther, Mrs. Jocie Jones, Escort, Mr. David Jones.

Grand Ruth, Mrs. Jackie Huffhines, Escort, Mr. Charles C. Harpool.

Grand Adah, Mrs. Minnie Lee Spencer, Escort, Mr. C. D. Spencer.

Grand Organist, Mrs. Rose Cunningham, Escort, Mr. Richard L. Fisher.

Grand Marshal, Mrs. Jimmie Lee Huey, Escort, Mr. Carl Marshall.

Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Myrtle Lee Treadwell, Escort, Dr. W. C. Treadwell.

Associate Grand Conductress, Mrs. Thelma Joyce Alsup, Escort, Mr. Philip L. Johnson.

Grand Conductress, Mrs. Katherine Harbour, Escort, Mr. David Moody.

Grand Treasurer, Mrs. Jettie Hinton, Escort, Mr. R. A. Jones.

Grand Secretary, Mrs. Rebecca Miles, Escort, Mr. Joe Alexander.

Associate Grand Patron, Mr. Harold C. Todd, Escort, Mrs. Cleta Todd.

Associate Grand Matron, Mrs. Aliene Houston, Escort, Mr. Joe Houston.

Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. J. Victor Jones, Escort, Mrs. Frances Walker.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Frances Key Herrin, Escort, Mr. Frederick Y. Herrin.

#### PRESENTATION OF BIBLE

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: The tree of Fraternalism roots in the Bible. In that soil alone does it flourish. Should we try to plant it elsewhere it would wither and die. The Bible is ageless. For every pressing need of the human heart there is an answer in this great Book.

The Holy Bible will be presented by Mrs. Ira S. Martin, mother of our Worthy Grand Matron-elect and a member of Capitol Chapter No. 803. Mrs. Martin's escort will be Mr. Frank R. Serpico, son-in-law of the Worthy Grand Matron-elect.

# PRESENTATION OF SQUARE AND COMPASSES

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Very dear to the heart of our Worthy Grand Matron-elect are her grandchildren. The Square and Compasses will be presented by Mr. Frank Serpico, II, her grandson. Miss Frances Regina Serpico, her granddaughter, will be his escort.

#### OPENING THE BIBLE

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Sister Grand Conductress, you will open the Bible.

The Bible was opened by the Grand Conductress.

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Prayer is the Key that opens Heaven's door and we know that faith deepens and grows as we engage in prayer and meditation. Mrs. Lallah Mae Vollus, Past Grand Matron, will give our Invocation.

#### INVOCATION

MRS. LALLAH MAE VOLLUS, Past Grand Matron: Father, Love and Prayer is the DOOR unto Thy presence and Faith the KEY that unlocks it. With loving adoration of Thee and faith in Thy promise to sustain us, we come in prayer to Thee in these moments of STILLNESS.

Life, Oh God, is fluid and flowing. Thou doest not permit us to hold a single moment. Thus in the orderly and steady passing of moments, Thou had claimed the hours of the SYMPHONY OF HAPPINESS. We thank Thee for the pleasantness, the beauty and achievements of this symphony. Its melody shall linger in our hearts.

As in life, we look to the East for the beauty and freshness of a new morn, thus we look to new leaders who shall pick up the chores and responsibilities of leadership and move into tomorrow. Give to Mrs. Frances Herrin and Mr. Victor Jones HOPE for challenge for where there is no hope, we perish. Give to them PEACE for that is the fulfillment of the Law. Give to them Thy WISDOM and diminsions of understanding that their acts may reflect honor and glory unto Thy Holy name. And finally, give to them strength in the knowledge that this great membership is united in its efforts to reflect the light of Thy Love in a world darkened by Hate.

Unite us all in a rededication to labor for a clearer vision of our ideals and principles and for the courage to stand up and be counted in efforts to preserve our nation that has guaranteed our privilege of assembly. These are precious privileges, Father, that have a price.

May our leaders never fail to acknowledge this fact and may they strengthen the Grand Chapter of Texas in its efforts to preserve them.

Finally, may each heart assembled know that it is only through Thee that we can ever hope to drink from the springs of fulfillment and achievement.

Standing in peaceful silence, on the threshold of the new, may we hear resounded:

' "I am the Way—the Truth—and the Light."

Amen

#### PRESENTATION OF INSTALLING GRAND OFFICERS

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: It is with genuine pleasure that I present Sister Katherine Poulis, beloved Past Grand Matron of Texas and Chairman of the Public Relations Committee of the General Grand Chapter, who will preside over the ceremony of Installation.

MRS. KATHERINE POULIS: Thank you, Sister Connell.

Distinguished East, Other Grand Officers, Sisters, Brother and Friends of the Order of the Eastern Star:

Sister Connell and I have shared many wonderful Eastern Star experiences together and have been privileged to share in many mutual friends. As a matter of fact, we have shared rich experiences with the one whom you are about to install to the highest office of our Grand Chapter, Together we have watched Sister Frances Herrin since she first became a member of the Order these fifteen years or more. We used to comment on the expression on Sister Frances' face which reflected every thought and emotion for all to see. When she listened to something, her eyes sparkled, and her love for the Order was very evident even then.

When I was Associate Grand Matron I wrote to her offering her a Grand Appointment. She wrote me an eloquent letter of appreciation, saying she wished she could accept, but would not be able to because she had just met Frederick and they planned to be married and go to Europe on a honeymoon. She said how happy she was, and how very special Frederick was. And I was delighted for them both.

I answered her letter very promptly, which in itself is very remarkable for me, and assured her, and told her I was sure there would be many other interesting opportunities for her to serve Grand Chapter, and that I surely hoped she would, because I admired her very much and that she would be capable to serve in any office Grand Chapter had to offer.

Frances tells me she still has that letter, which is probably the closest I will ever get to being prophetic.

I still have strong ties of affection with Sister Eunice and our Worthy Grand Matron-elect and those whom I invite to assist as Installing Grand Officers in the Installation Ceremony. I would like to name them at this time and express their appreciation, as well as my own, for the privilege of participating in this Installation Ceremony:

Installing Grand Marshal, Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard, Past Grand Matron. Installing Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Thelma McReynolds, Past Grand Matron. Installing Grand Organist, Mr. Vernon Callaway, Worthy Patron, Capitol Chapter No. 803.

Mrs. Mattie Mitchell, Past Grand Matron, Grand Secretary Pro-tem.

#### INSTALLATION CEREMONY

In a most impressive ritualistic ceremony the Grand Officers were installed.

Following the Installation of the Worthy Grand Matron, and while she stood at the Altar, Mr. Richard L. Fisher sang, "I Walk With God."

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Thank you, Sister Katherine, for a beautiful ceremony. It is always a distinct honor and privilege to work with you. I consider it one of life's extras to call you friend.

Sister Grand Conductress, you will close the Bible.

#### BIBLE CLOSED

The Bible was closed and the Installation Program continued.

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

# RAINBOW PRESENTATION

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: It has been said that civiliation travels upon the feet of children. Realizing our obligation to the younger generation, Reverend W. Mark Sexon gave to the girlhood of the world the Order of the Rainbow for Girls. Within his divinely guided heart he realized that he who works with wood and stone must see his work perish, but he who helps to mold the mind works for eternity.

I present Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield, Supreme Service and Supreme Inspector in Texas, International Order of Rainbow for Girls.

Mrs. Martha Marie Whitfield presented the Rainbow Girls in a formation and drill. As the concluding feature, the Worthy Grand Matron was escorted to the Altar and Miss Jacqueline Carswell, Grand Worthy Advisor, Grand Assembly of Texas, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, presented her a small white Bible.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: My little girls, tonight you are very dear to my heart. I know now how other Grand Matrons have felt when they stood at the Altar and were presented with this beauitful white Bible with the emblem of the rainbow. You are precious girls. You are our tomorrow. As we look at you, it is with great pride and affection.

Thank you so much for coming and for this presentation.

Thank you, Mrs. Whitfield. I want to express my appreciation to you for being here and for having your girls take a part in this Installation. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: The Grand Chapter of Texas provides beautifully designed jewels to be worn by the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron during their term of office. Traditionally they are passed from those who have completed their year of service to those who have just received the new title.

I present Mrs. Sally Matranga, Junior Past Grand Matron, and Brother Richard T. Porter, Junior Past Grand Patron, who will make the presentations to our Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron.

#### PRESENTATION OF WORTHY GRAND MATRON'S JEWEL

MRS. SALLY MATRANGA, Junior Past Grand Matron: Sister Frances Key Herrin, to me this jewel represents a badge of honor, of truth, understanding and above all else, humility in service to this great membership of Texas. Those who have gone before have passed down to us a great heritage.

It will be my constant prayer that our Heavenly Father will grant you courage, good health and peace of mind for the road ahead and that your journey will be a most rewarding one, in service to your Sisters and Brothers.

May God go with you and only happiness lie ahead.

#### ACCEPTANCE OF WORTHY GRAND MATRON'S JEWEL

MRS. FRANCES HERRIN: Past Grand Matron, Sister Sally, thank you for pinning this Jewel over my heart. I listened carefully to your words of admonition. I will try to wear this jewel with honor and with dignity and to render to this Grand Jurisdiction those attributes of service.

I accept this jewel with humility, and certainly with concern and kindness for all. (Applause.)

#### PRESENTATION OF WORTHY GRAND PATRON'S JEWEL

MR. RICHARD T. PORTER: Brother Victor Jones, Worthy Grand Patron, just one year ago I received this jewel, and I think I made the remark that Brother Sanders had such a grin on his face I figured that if he passed away at that time it would take 300 men four days to get the grin off his face. (Applause.)

I will say if you look closely, you will recognize a grin.

You know, Sisters and Brothers, I have heard the expression all my life, keeping up with the Jonses. Something tells me this year it is going to be a little bit harder.

Brother Jones, I would like to pin this jewel upon you, and extend to you my heartiest congratulations, and I trust that you will wear it with real patience. You not only represent this Order of the Eastern Star, but you are the representative of the 240,000 Masons in Texas.

Our best wishes to you and hearty congratulations.

Thank you. (Appaluse.)

# ACCEPTANCE OF WORTHY GRAND PATRON'S JEWEL

MR. J. VICTOR JONES: Thank you, Junior Past Grand Patron, Brother Richard Porter, who has served this Grand Chapter so admirably well. Just as I received this Jewel untarnished from my predecessor, I pledge to this Grand Chapter to pass it to my successor.

Thank you. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: At this time we will have some very special presentations by Mr. T. R. Bramlett and Mr. Steve Baker, members of the Board of Grand Trustees.

# PRESENTATION OF GAVEL

MR. T. R. BRAMLETT: Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Frances, I have a gavel that I made especially for you. The wood in this gavel is from one of the sill logs of a log cabin of Mrs. Lucinda Conner who, with her family, was one of the first settlers in our part of Dallas County, in 1854.

I though in making this gavel it would be nice to put some of your Eastern Star history on it. On the grip portion of the handle are silver rings or grooves which represent each year you have been in the Eastern Star. There is another series of rings above that which represent your appointments you have held in Grand Chapter, and also the four rings that represent the elective offices you have held in Grand Chapter, Associate Grand Conductress, Grand Conductress, Associate Grand Matron and Grand Matron. Then on each end of the gavel itself are four rings which represent the four years that you have spend in your subordinate Chapter.

Then on the silver band you will find inscribed: Frances K. Herrin, Worthy Grand Matron; Victor Jones, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, 1970-71."

Sister Frances, I also have a poem here that was composed by Sister Alexander, Past Matron of Dallas Chapter No. 1 in 1954. It gives the history of the tree from which this gavel was made, the history of the cabin and many gavels I have made from it. I am most happy to present it to you. (Applause.) WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Thank you very much, Brother Chuck Bramlett, for this gavel. It is really beautiful. I appreciate your thoughtfulness. I know it took many hours of patient work, which I appreciate very much, but most of all, I appreciate the thought of a gavel. (Applause.)

# PRESENTATION OF KEYS TO AUTOMOBILE

MR. STEVE BAKER: Worthy Grand Matron, as a member of the Board of Grand trustees, it is my privilege to present to you the keys to your new automobile and this letter which authorizes you to drive it in visiting other Grand Jurisdictions.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Mr. Steve Baker, thank you very much for your kindness, for the letter and for these keys to the new car. I shall drive it very carefully, and I hope to return it in good condition.

#### Thank you again. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: For the presentation of the Past Grand Matron's Jewel, I present Mr. Donald Matranga.

# PRESENTATION OF PAST GRAND MATRON'S JEWEL

#### MR. DONALD MATRANGA: Sally, how do you feel, kid?

Last season at a banquet when Sally was acknowledging the presence of the Past Grand Matrons in a long line I heard her say: "Move over. The tail needs room." (Applause.)

Sally, shall I say this is your authority to get on that tail end of the line. (Applause.)

MRS. SALLY MATRANGA: Thank you, my new found friend, my lonesome husband. (Applause.)

I take this jewel, and I will wear it with honor and with pride, for to me it represents a gift from the membership of Texas. I hope that in some small way this year's service has contributed to the welfare and prosperity of the Grand Chapter of Texas. And to you I pledge my sincerest efforts to uphold the principles and teachings of the landmarks of our Order.

### Thank you. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Mrs. Earnesteen Porter will present the Past Grand Patron's Jewel.

#### PRESENTATION OF PAST PATRON'S JEWEL

MRS. EARNESTEEN PORTER: Richard, to night brings to a close your year of service as Worthy Grand Patron. It began as a year filled with wonderful fellowship from which you have obtained lovely memories. Abraham Lincoln once said, "I like to see a man who is proud of the place where he lives." Your friends and your members are proud of your service to this Grand Chapter. It is with special pride that I present to you this jewel. (Applause.)

# ACCEPTANCE OF PAST GRAND PATRON'S JEWEL

### MR. RICHARD T. PORTER: Thank you, Earnesteen.

My dear Sisters and Brothers, I accept this jewel which I will proudly wear in memory of a year's service which culminated with the Heart of Happiness Session. I thank you for this wonderful opportunity for service and for this badge of remembrance. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: To read the dedication of this, the Key of Life Installation, I present our Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Frances Key Herrin.

### DEDICATION OF INSTALLATION

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: At this time I would like to dedicate this Installation to the most important people in our lives.

Because of the patience, understanding and devotion shown through the years, it is with grateful appreciation and deepest love that I dedicate this Installation to my children . . .

# ROBBIE ROUTH AND FRANK RICHARD SERPICO

my grandchildren FRANK RICHARD SERPICO, II FRANCES REGINA SERPICO MICHAEL FREDERICK SERPICO

and

To those who also serve . . . in so many capacities . . .

my mother MRS. IRA S. MARTIN Capitol Chapter No, 803

my husband MR. FREDERICK YARBROUGH HERRIN Past Patron, Capitol Chapter No. 803

my uncle

MR. ROBERT ELTON KEY Tahoka Lodge No. 1041, A. F. & A. M. Tahoka, Texas

(Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Browning said, "Unlock my heart with a sonnet-key." It is with personal pleasure that I present Sister Edna Earl Duke, Past Grand Matron, who will dedicate the poem written by Robbie Ruth Serpico, daughter of the Worthy Grand Matron.

#### DEDICATION OF POEM

MRS. EDNA EARL DUKE: In our Order, we often refer to the "Tie That Binds," but surely there is no tie more binding than the family tie. In that category, we admire the father who is interested in, closely attached to, and lovingly understands his son. But, transcending even that wonderful affiliation, is the beautiful relationship of a mother and daughter who love each other with a deep devotion based on mutual respect, admiration, and tender compassion.

This is the type of "tie that binds" in the relationship between our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Frances Key Herrin, and her lovely talented daughter, Mrs. Robbie Routh Serpico, who has written a very meaningful, deeply moving poem, entitled "Faith."

It is now my cherished privilege as a friend with a similar motherdaughter bond of devotion to read this inspirational poem which the daughter, Robbie Routh Serpico, has dedicated as a part of the theme of her Mother's year as the Worthy Grand Matron.

Robbie Routh, will you please stand as I read your poem to your Mother and the members of the Grand Chapter of Texas?

#### FAITH

When I was a small child of five, Spring was the time to tramp the woods, sweet and wild. God sent the showers to water the seed, And children's small feet were eager with speed To look behind each tree and bush, In search of the Violet's first, sweet blush.

The child of five has grown to reach this place, And often ignored the Violet in the world's swift pace. But sometimes, when all is quiet and still Comes the memory of Violets growing on a hill.

I see the Violet's head bowed at our Saviour's feet, As He gave it His blessing, pure and sweet. So, let us ask His blessing with low-bowed head, That by His hand our lives may be led.

And, in our hearts let His memory keep, So that life's sweet harvest we may reap. For no matter what happens in this world of fear, We can have FAITH that Christ, like the Violet, will reappear.

> Mrs. Robbie Routh Seprico Daughter of Mrs. Frances Key Herrin Worthy Grand Matron

(Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Mr. Richard L. Fisher, accompanied by Mrs. Rose Cunningham, will now sing for us.

#### SOLO

Mr. Richard L. Fisher sang, "Walk With Faith in Your Heart."

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Mr. Fisher and Mrs. Cunningham, by our applause I am sure you know how much we appreciate your beautiful talents.

Just as the fingers on the Keys make music, so the self-same sounds on my spirit make music too. Mrs. Robbie Yates, Past Grand Matron, and a close personal friend, will dedicate the March. This March was written by the Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. J. Victor Jones.

#### DEDICATION OF KEYS NOTES MARCH

MRS. ROBBIE YATES: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Officers, Distinguished Members and Guests, Sisters, Brothers, and Friends: i.

Tonight has come a signal honor which affords me much pleasure, that of dedicating the Music for the Year. Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron for this privilege.

Through music, spirits immortal speak the message that make the world laugh and weep, wonder and worship. When God would give the most glorious prelude to the birth of Jesus, Angels sang together on the plains of Bethlehem. Even before life commenced upon this earth, music was here—in the winds, and the pounding waves. Music is in the hearts of all men and on the tongue of all peoples of all lands. Music is an inspiration, the one art which is understood by rich and poor alike.

Our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother J. Victor Jones, has written the "Keynotes March" which is dedicated to Sister Frances Key Herrin, Worthy Grand Matron. The Keynotes are "Faith," "Kindness" and "Humility."

"Faith"—There is within the heart of every man a voice which lifts his eyes unto the stars, a knowledge of strength and wisdom beyond his own herein lies faith.

"Kindness"—One of the little arts of life—Never too busy to be kind and to be a little kinder than is necessary—this then added to love make the giving of strength and comfort to our fellowman.

"Humility"—To do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with Thy God. There is a humility that looks up and the humility that bows down. When a man looks up to God, he also bows down and becomes a servant. Yet humility is not humiliation. Humility—to walk humbly, softly, with thy fellowman.

When analyzed, these words have a wealth of meaning and convey, in a large part, the underlying teachings of our Order.

I find these words paramount in the life of our lovely Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Frances Key Herrin. Her life is a beautiful kind of harmony made up of these "Keynotes."

As this "Keynotes March" rings out tonight may each step that she makes during this coming year be ever in time and in tune with her music and may each note be clear and sweet to her ear.

Thank you.

The Key Notes March was played by Mrs. Rose Cunningham, Grand Organist.

# THE KEY TO OUR HEARTS MARCH

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: The "Key to Our Hearts March," written by Mrs. Katie Wells, Grand Choir Director, will be sung by Mr. Richard Fisher. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Rose Cunningham, Grand Organist.

The rendition was heartily applauded by the assembly.

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: One who is held in the highest esteem by Eastern Stars throughout the world will now bring the Worthy Grand Matron's Dedication of the Year and Presentation of Theme.

# DEDICATION OF THE YEAR AND PRESENTATION OF THEME

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Our Worthy Grand Matron has asked that Mr. Dick Fisher sing the "Impossible Dream" at this time.

#### SOLO

In splendid voice, Mr. Richard L. Fisher, accompanied by Mrs. Rose Cunningham, Grand Organist, sang, "Impossible Dream." The rendition was heartily applauded.

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: A very charming lady, one who knows the Master and who speaks with eloquence from the heart, is another Past Grand Matron and precious friend, Mrs. Cynthia May Watts, who will preside for the dedication of the Worthy Grand Matron's banner.

#### DEDICATION OF WORTHY GRAND MATRON'S BANNER

MRS. CYNTHIA MAY WATTS: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Guests, Sisters and Brothers:

This is a night of beauty for a beautiful lady, Mrs. Frances Key Herrin, the new Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

It is also a night of enchantment! Eastern Stars from the North, the South, the East and the West have gathered here to witness this fraternal spectacular. The panorama of magnificence and splendor makes this a night to behold and to remember.

Tonight, we stand in the shadow of four illustrious flags, flags that are so dear to our hearts. They hold high positions of honor in our Order, our meetings, in our lives, and each day add a new dimension to our way of living. In reverence, in honor and in praise, we pledge anew our dedication and allegiance to the ideals, principles and standards that have made them great.

Now it is a special delight to have the opportunity of dedicating a new flag, one of significance and importance. Is represents the highest office in the Grand Chapter of Texas, with qualities of culture and dignity. It is the royal banner of the Worthy Grand Matron. This flag is to be placed in a position of honor in our meetings, and when it is present you will know the Worthy Grand Matron is in attendance.

When the beautiful banner of the Worthy Grand Matron is unfurled, you will see a fraternal imprint on every fold, a glittering array of colors: Blue, yellow, white, green and red, with reflections of fidelity, constancy, loyalty, faith and love, the emblem of a five-pointed Star, encircled by a pentagon, and attached thereto two sparkling gavels. This particular flag will be recognized as an emblem of peace and goodwill, honoring an Ambassador of truth and love, a devoted fraternal friend and great christian leader.

Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Farnces Herrin, it is a golden moment for me to be the one to dedicate this flag of beauty and present it to you. Each time you look upon this glittering piece of fabric, symbolic of the teachings of our Order, I trust you be reminded that the Eastern Stars of Texas are thinking of you with interest and affection, and wishing for you continued success, good health and supreme joy.

A New Year is before you in all of its freshness, happiness and appreciation. As you begin this Grand Journey, over beautiful Texas, with your own special flag of honor, may the words of God so eloquently given to a great leader of old, also be your commandment:

He said: This book of the law shall not depart out of your mouth but you shall meditate therein day and night, that you may observe to do accord-

ing to all that is written there; for then you shall make your way prosperous and then you shall have good success.

Have not I commanded you: Be strong and of good courage; be not afraid, neither be dismayed; for the Lord is your God is with you wherever you go. God bless you, my dear. (Joshua 1:8-9)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: A beautiful lady, a wonderful friend and Past Grand Matron, Sister Mabel Harle, will present the Colors and Flower.

# PRESENTATION OF COLORS AND FLOWER

MRS. MABEL HARLE: The Colors for the year are green, white, with a touch of gold.

The Flower, the humble Violet.

Almost everyone will agree that nearly all people appreciate color, though perhaps in a general way. They realize that color helps to beautify the world. Some people, however, look upon color as one of the greatest joys of life. The color of the woods, the flowers, the sunrise, and the sunset are sources of the very deepest emotion. The colors of the artist, the wordpictures of the poets, and no doubt the seven strings of the lute of Apollo makes one realize the beauty of the colors.

Tonight I would briefly bring to your attention the colors chosen by our Worthy Grand Matron for her year of service.

Faith rules a land forever green, for green is the color of plant life, the color of spring and all that is fresh and young and joyous.

When I look out upon God's world, and see his color scheme This thought then rises in my mind: His wisdom is supreme. For seeing all the shades of green, of grass and bush and tree We see the perfect background for all the rest That here and there are seen. Supposing you and I were called to decorate the sphere, Could we select a color scheme to last year after year, Yet always be a new delight to young and old alike. udying colors we find that white is the sum of the seven co

In studying colors we find that white is the sum of the seven colors of the rainbow. White symbolizes not so much unity as it does purity, innocence and the great joy of man who has fought the good fight and attained spiritual life.

In revelations Christ rides on the white horse, and in the same book there is a curious statement . . . "To him that overcometh will I give the white stone" . . . there is a similar idea among the Egyptians for they honor the white hair. The Archangle Gabriel is usually pictured with his emblem, the white lily. The poet sees modesty and justice in white robes, the church is known as a virgin in white, Buddha is said to have been borne to earth on a white elephant and the Druids of Wales wore white robes. Thus we think of white as the color of chastity, with the ability to radiate purity and joy.

Cold is one of the most interesting colors, being the color of the sun ... and like red it is considered a masculine color. Gold stones are said to bring happiness to their owners, for gold is said to be the color of unity ... unity of affection, unity with the spiritual powers and unity with the son of righteousness. The Mexicans give the word "kan" to the word gold, gold is the royal color of China and gold is the marriage color of India. It might be

noted in Calderon's picture of Ruth and Naomi that Ruth, who wished ever to be with Naomi, wears a yellow robe.

Thus the color gold means all that is pure, all that has been refined and hence glory and wisdom. The halo of the Saints and of God is often made of gold leaf. Similarly the gates and doors of Heaven are nearly always represented as being of gold. Gold to the ancients was the greatest of all colors and had the most exalted meaning.

Though our Worthy Grand Matron has chosen the Green, the color of faith and the gift of knowledge and memory . . .the white which denotes chastity, with the ability to radiate purity and joy, with a touch of gold the color which means unity and purity.

With these colors she has placed the humble violet. There is something about a bed of violets blooming in a quiet place that speaks of goodness and purpose of God. Their beauty and fragrance makes them attractive not only to the bees . . . but they speak eloquently to men. Therefore, consider the humble violet besides the fences of life, how they grow. If we, unmindful of their beauty, cast them aside or plow them under, there comes a sense of emptiness where once they bloomed. "God borders the fences with violets!" Don't forget to put the finishing touches on your own work. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Brother Gerald Allen, a Past Grand Patron. a man of honor and high regard, will present "Keys to a Better World." the Welfare Program.

# PRESENTATION OF WELFARE PROGRAM

MR. GERALD ALLEN: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Distinguished Members, Sisters and Brother: Every day in some way we are offered avenues of service and opportunity. No greater opportunity could come to us than that of caring for those who have reached the riches of the autumn days of life.

The very heart of our Order is the "HOME" of these beloved ladies! The "HOME" should be first in the heart of each of us! The increase in residents, the operation and in every day living, makes it imperative the conscientiously render aid to those who need us NOW! By maintaing the "HOME" in good repair we can assure comfort and a feeling of well being to those who lovingly tell you and me, "This is MY 'HOME'!" I therefore name the "HOME" as our first concern in this year of service!

The Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership was adopted by General Grand Chapter. We, too, consider this a most worthy avenue of opportunity. Our world of today is sorely in need of those young people who have dedicated their lives to Christian Service. Through our contributions we are able to assure the proper training of our deserving youth.

The Home Endowment Fund affords the privilege and joy of going beyond the goals set by each of us. By continued service we can assure the future well being of the Ladies in our "HOME." All contributions over and above your first gift of love to the "HOME" will guarantee the happiness of those who look to us for the normal comforts and pleasures they so rich deserve.

Let each of us exemplify FAITH in today and tomorrow, KINDNESS toward our Sisters in the "HOME" and HUMILITY to God and man through our donations and contributions to

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#### HOME ENDOWMENT FUND

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: At this time we recognize one of our beloved Past Grand Patrons and most distinguished Masons.

# Brother Hal:

We are chartered for the same destination, Though sailing over different seas, But the Pilot above is the same God of Love That guides both Fraternities.

Sisters and Brothers, Brother Hal Burnett, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M.

# ADDRESS BY THE MOST WORSHIPFUL HAL BURNETT

MR. HAL BURNETT: Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, General Grand Chapter Officers, my Sisters and Brothers:

I bring you Greetings from the Grand Lodge of Texas, some quarter of a million Masons, and pledge to you my wholehearted support in your activities in our Masonic Fraternity.

Sister Frances, may you be the key that will unlock the archives of our heritage of our many Worthy Grand Matrons who have given us a beautiful program through these years. May you be the key to the heart of each member of the Order of the Eastern Star. May you be the key to the heart of each Master Mason in Texas, each DeMolay, and each Rainbow. Yes, may you be the key to your dream, to your imagination, to your good health, as our worthy Grand Matron of the greatest Jurisdiction in the Masonic Fraternity.

What a privilege it is to be with you this evening. Sometimes I wonder if what I say really counts, because we all seem to say about the same thing. We all seem to grieve about the same way. We have for our destiny about the same way.

And as we come to the close of this beautiful Session of the Grand Chapter, I am reminded of the colored lady who was talking about her Grand Chapter. She said: "I am tired and worn out. I have been attending Grand Chapter Convention for about four days now, and I am worn out. I just want to go to my parlor and sit down and rock and rest."

About the time she began to rock and rest, a colored man knocked on the door, and she said: "What do you want?"

He said: "I just brought you a bushel of peaches. I though you might like to have some peaches."

She said: "Set them there on the porch. They will keep. I am tired and worn out. I have been attending Grand Chapter, and I just want to sit and rest."

About that time another one came along, and he said: "I have just brought you a bushel of potatoes."

She said: "Set them at the door. I am tired and worn out. I just want to rock and rest. I have been attending Grand Chapter."

In a moment a nice, young, dressed-up colored man knocked at the door, and she said: "What do you want?"

And he said: "I just came by to bring you some love."

And she said: "You bring that in. It sure is perishable." (Applause.)

My friends, what are we really doing? Are we growing tired of doing the work which God would have us do here on earth? Are we getting to the point where we would like to coast a while? Are we getting to the point where we would like to sit down and rock and let the world go by? Is that our love, or is our love the true love of Masonry, the true love that God gave each individual to live a life for Him who died for us, was resurrected, and ascended into Heaven, our Blessed Lord and Saviour, who came to live and die for Christians, remembering that in Him who made His glorious ascention into Heaven we have a sure and steadfast mediator, for He has promised that in My Father's House are many mansions; that I go to prepare a place for you, and that where I am, there you may be also.

We have the privilege through our symbolic Masonry, through the symbolism of our Fraternity, we have the privilege to teach our Fraternity and work in an organization dedicated to the betterment of mankind.

Another thing about this great program and the fine lady that has been installed, along with Brother Victor Jones and the other Grand Officers, is that we can see already, that she intends to bring to Masonry in this great state enthusiam. Not to sit and rock, but a dedication and enthusiam that will bring love that is not perishable.

She told me that she was planning on having one Grand Committee that would be charged with the Restoration of Membership in our great Fraternity. And, Sister Frances, as you talk to these committees in the Order of the Eastern Star, I urge you also to say something to the Master Masons who have fallen by the wayside.

Oh, what a tragedy it is to be a member of this great Fraternity and then become discouraged or uninterested and drop out.

So let's bring back to those Sisters and Brothers of ours, to all of our Fraternity, the assurance that love is not perishable, that love for which God gave us a life to live.

My friends, it is a wonderful privilege in Texas to serve as Grand Officers and be among the people who call themselves Masons. May God in His infinite love reach down and lead each of you into that beautiful life of love that is not perishable.

Thank you very much. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Worthy Grand Matron, within each person, hidden well, lives undiscovered treasure. Until we seek and find it, we can never know its measure. It is all locked up within each heart so tightly none can see, and there it will remain until we find the KEY.

Many years ago I found that Key that fit the lock of your personality door. There I found hidden talents and treasures that you had long held in store. Through the years you have shared these talents with your beloved Sisters and Brothers.

Tonight it gives me a great thrill to be the first to present you to this Great Body of Stars and friends as the Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star. ŧ

# Sisters and Brothers and Friends, Mrs Frances Herrin. (Applause.)

#### ADDRESS OF WORTHY GRAND MATRON

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Worthy Grand Patron, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris, General Grand Chapter Officers, The Most Worshipful Mr. Hal Burnett, Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M., Distinguished East, Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

To our Installing Grand Officers, thank you for the beautiful ceremony we have just witnessed! Each of you mean a great deal to me and I am deeply grateful to you for this evening that will always remain one of my happiest memories!

To each of these special ones who have been on our program, thank you for the beautiful presentations and deications.

To my friend, Dick Fisher, thank you for sharing your wonderful talent with each of us. I shall always be grateful for the friendship of two fine people, Loa and Dick Fisher! Rose Cunningham!

Mrs. Whitfield, thank you for arranging the Drill and the presentation of the Holy Bible by our Rainbow Girls. We are all appreciative of the fine work you are doing with our youth of today. Please express my thanks to Mrs. Lela Jones and Miss Jacqueline Carswell, Grand Worthy Advisor, for the time and assistance.

Each of us enjoyed the fine message brought by the most distinguished Mason in Texas. My special thanks to a very good friend, Brother Hal Burnett, and to his partner, Sister Rachel Burnett, for being with us on this occasion.

The Holy Bible on our Altar this evening is the one I looked upon when I assumed my obligation as an Eastern Star. The beautiful white cover was made by my Worthy Matron, Sister Margery Callaway. The Bible Marker vas made by Lucy Belle Rogers, Angleton. The Square and Compasses used this evening belong to Amarillo Chapter, the Chapter of our Worthy Grand Patron.

The kneeling bench and pillow are used in our Chapter every meeting night. I felt that I needed and wanted this part of home!

I am deeply grateful to my Chapter for allowing me the privilege of having these precious memories.

To Sister Lucy Belle Rogers, thank you for the beautiful and meaningful Bible Marker. It will be a constant reminder of a dear friend who had a wonderful part on a very special occasion.

We have come to the end of a decade. The decade of the sixties. Undreamed of changes were made in those years—some for the good of all fellowmen, some we would prefer not to face, but which face us daily.

We are beginning a new era . . . a new decade of the seventies. Many opportunity will be ours . . . ours to grasp firmly and confidently. As Dr. Rob Morris sat and meditated during his sojourn in the Holy Land, many of his thoughts must have been concern for the female members of his family . . . and for his friends. He had a dream and consequently, a goal. You, my Sisters and Brothers, are the beneficiaries of that dream and the fulfillment of that goal. Our beautiful Order is a living monument to that great Mason. Each year we pay tribute to Dr. Morris. Sometimes I think this is like going to our church only twice a year . . . at Christmas and again on Easter Sunday. The other months of the year, Dr. Morris is there . . . but we do not seem to find it necessary to remind ourselves of his dream . . . and his principles.

Very often I am reminded of a Mason's compassion for the dependent of another Mason. It is with a deep and humble heart that I pay honor and tribute to all Master Masons . . . everywhere!

The Order of the Eastern Star is no part of that great Masonic Fraternity. But, we, the members, are associated by close family relationships. From the very beginning, the Masonic Fraternity has felt a great interest and responsibility in civic affairs. The most active members of our Order naturally become the most conscientious servants of their fellowmen. Such is our faith. We find in this Order, characteristics which are consistent with the best interests of the public welfare. Love of freedom, high personal integrity and a deep appreciation of the spiritual fellowships in life . . . an abiding faith in God and His leadership, are fundamental.

A considerable part of governmental functions in our country has been exercised by spontaneous and voluntary associations locally and regionally. Churches, the Chambers of Commence, the Parent-Teachers Association, the Masonic Orders and the Order of the Eastern Star, may not be conscious that they discharge quasi-governmental functions . . . nor is the individual member aware of the fact that he takes part in spontaneous community government. Yet these associations, unique to the United States, do govern. We, as Eastern Stars, do set community standards, discharge community functions, mold public opinion, and force or prevent community action. This is preservation of the ideal of freedom for all classes and this makes for the common good of all.

Too much emphasis cannot be placed upon the integrity of the individual man or woman. Philosophers and psychologists tell us that we grow to be like those we love. This being true, then those who love us will grow to be like us! Youth is quick to discern the real spirit and integrity of the adult!

In our Order we believe that a woman or man who enters into our fraternal family receives teachings giving him an example of truth and purpose in living . . and direct his ways into the ways of integrity and purpose. The directions of a man's life is shaped by the spiritual idealim which leads him. Thus we believe in the spiritual fellowship which we enjoy.

It has become the usual thing to say that these are serious and difficult days. By reading the newspapers, listening to radio and television . . . we know the times are perilous. But, we have faith in the destiny of the human racel We have faith in the country that is ours and in her leaders. We have faith in the membership of this great Order. Let us have faith in our future!

The greatest gift that life can bestow is the opportunity of service! So it is with a grateful and humble heart that I begin this year of challenge and dedication. My heart is filled with an everlasting faith and sincere trust in God. It will be my prayer that I will truly "Walk With God," and with His guidance fulfill the responsibilities that will be mine.

The theme for the year has been beautifully given to you by Texas's most distinguished member, our Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris. I pledge to you my sincere purpose of fulfilling this Theme . . . this goal that I have set for myself. For I believe . . .

That where there is FAITH, there is love and goodwill,

Where there is KINDNESS, there are good deeds and devotion to principles,

# Where there is HUMILITY, there is understanding, tolerance and mercy toward all men!

Worthy Grand Patron, again I express to you my deepest gratitude and appreciation for accepting to serve Texas . . . and with me . . . as the Worthy Grand Patron! You have been a loyal friend and one to whom I have turned many times . . . for advice and counsel. Your willingness to assist in any capacity at any time, is the essence of your character. The membership of Texas was wise in electing you to serve in this capacity. To you, the members of the Grand Chapter of Texas, I say a very sincere "thank you" for this fine gentleman!

The Jones family is dear to Frederick and me . . . and to my immediate family. Jocie and David have been so much a part of our family life that there is a tie much stronger than "fratemalism." My two older grandchildren think David is really quite special. This is very much true of my little granddaughter, Frances! Jocie, David, Victor, Frederick and I have shared many experiences . . . both happy and sad . . . . we have laughed together and we have wept together! Thank you, Jocie, for being our Grand Esther. A more beautiful one could not be found.

At this time I would like to present my family to you! Most of you know my husband, Frederick! He will be the one I will miss the most in the months to come. Without his encouragement, love, devotion and yes, dedication, it would not be possible for me to serve in this place! To this wonderful man, this fine Mason and my beloved husband, I express my deep love and appreciation.

Many of you know my mother, Mrs. Ira S. Martin. Mother truly has an understand heart! For several months we have not been together as much as we have wanted to be nor as often as in the past. She has expressed only concern for my welfare and well being. I am so blessed that she is with me tonight . . . and I think that mother's heart is beating with pride and love!

You met my children earlier. Due to the little one, the two older ones who must be in school tomorrow, it was necessary that they leave early. Robbie Routh is my only chick and child. She has always been the pride and joy of my life. She gave me a fine son, and in turn three wonderful and beautiful grandchildren! I am, unashamed, a silly old grandmommie!

I have other reliatives here this evening . . . aunts and counsins! I would like them to stand at this time so that we may see them. The evening would not have been complete without each of you! Thank you for coming. I regret very much that my uncle, Mr. Robert Elton Key, of Lubbock, could not be with us due to his health.

Grand Marshal, you will escort my Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron to the East.

The Grand Marshal escorted the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron of Capitol Chapter to the East.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: At this time will the members of my Chapter, Capitol No. 803, in Austin, please rise.

This is my fraternal family and no one could be more proud than I that so many are here this evening and I am grateful for the presence of each of you. (Applause.) Sisters and Brothers, it is with much pride that I introduce to you

# Mrs. Margery Callaway, Worthy Matron Mr. Vernon Callaway, Worthy Patron, of Capitol Chapter No. 803.

While they are standing here, will the membership of my Section please rise . . . District 5 Section 6? They may be a bit scattered over this Coliseum, but I want you to see them and I want to express my love to each one for everything they have done in anticipation of this evening . . . in the labor they have performed, both physical and love!

Thank you!!! (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Worthy Grand Patron, as you assume the duties of this high office, you will find friends who will walk besides you, for we hold you in high esteem.

Sisters and Brothers, our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Victor Jones.

# ADDRESS OF WORTHY GRAND PATRON

WORTHY GRAND PATRON: Worthy Grand Matron (and it is with great pride that I so address you); Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mildred Haney Harris; Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Sisters, Brothers and friends of the Order of the Eastern Star:

This Order was founded for protective, as well as benevolent purposes. If it is to survive in the advancing, super-scientific age of the coming century, there must be a revival of the spirit of protection and benevolence envisioned by our Founder, Dr. Rob Morris. In his day, there was more of a justification for protective, pseudo-communal societies than we find ourselves living in today. Physically, there would be little need for organizing indiviuals against the perils of deprivation, or the threat of bodily harm in the year 1970. Economically, we are superior to our 19th Century counterparts.

Spiritually, we are digressing to the Middle Ages. All the wealth of the Universe will not compensate for loss of principle; neither will advanced technology ever calm the ache of a disquited soul.

It is in this spiritual realm that the Order of the Eastern Star must revert to lead protection and benevolence to its members and adherents. Instead of protecting from bodily harm, we must protect each other from despair, from heartache, from loneliness, and—as often happens—from rebuff! It is easy to give alms of beneficence, but this does not make us charitable if we are guilty of withholding alms of kindness, understanding, encouragement, or friendship that does not have selfish attachments of greed.

Our obligation is beautiful in its promise of harmony, loving kindness and affection, one for the other. Unfortunately, an obligation is no stronger than the character of the person assuming it. For this reason, let me suggest that in selecting prospective members, we look less for the scarlet thread of past sins (which our Saviour may have forgiven) and look more for flaws of self-interest in the make-up of the individual's character.

It is refreshing, in this hurried, hectic way of life, to pause and be at quiet peace within the meeting rooms of our Chapters. In an age dedicated to flurry and tumult, we have, more than ever, the need for the ancient usage of ritual, and the beauty and pageantry which goes with Eastern Star!

Over the years I have received much inspiration from the words of a dissertation which has hung on the wall of Old Saint Paul's Church in Balti-

more since 1699. Perhaps you are familiar with it. If so, please bear with me as I share it with some who maybe do not have it. It is as appropriate today as when it was written some 270 years ago. I believe it to be pertinent to the members of our great Masonic family:

"Go placidly amid the noise and haste and remember what peace there may be in silence. As far as possible, without surrender, be on good terms with all persons. Speak your truth quietly and clearly; and listen to others, even the dull and ignorant; they too have their story.

"Avoid loud and aggressive persons, they are vexations to the spirit. If you compare yourself with others, you may become vain and bitter; for always there will be greater and lesser persons than yourself. Enjoy your achievements as well as your plans.

"Keep interested in your own career, however humble; it is a real possession in the changing fortuntes of time. Exercise caution in your business affairs; for the world is full of trickery. But let this not blind you to what virtue there is; many persons strive for high ideals; and everywhere life is full of heroism.

"Be your self. Especially, do not feign affection. Neither be cynical about love; for in the face of all aridity and disenchantment it is perennial as the grass.

"Take kindly the counsel of the years, gracefully surrendering the things of youth. Nurture strength of spirit to shield you in sudden misfortunte. But do not distress yourself with imaginings. Many fears are born of fatigue and loneliness. Beyond a wholesome discipline, be gentle with yourself.

"With all its sham, drudgery and broken dreams, it is still a beauful world. Be careful. Strive to be happy."

The author is unknown.

Worthy Grand Matron, it is my distinct privilege to be selected to serve as your Worthy Grand Patron. You and Frederick are among the dearest friends Jocie, David and I have. We have shared mutual joy—and we have shared mutual heartache. Over the years you have both shown in so many ways that you reciprocate the love and the high esteem with which we hold you. Thank you for asking me to serve with you. I pledge to you my every assistance as you begin the task of directing the affairs of Grand Chapter. I would like to thank the members of this Grand Chapter for affording me the honor of walking by the side of my friend, Frances Key Herrin. I would like to further assure the membership that with Frances as the Worthy Grand Matron, the affairs of Grand Chapter are in good hands.

This date of October 1st holds great significance for me. And I am happy to have this Installation Date of October 1st as another link joining the Jonses to the Herrins.

It was on October 1st that my Mother was born.

It was on October 1st that I became associated with my company.

It was on October 1st that I was privileged to Initiate my brother and his wife into the Order in Big Spring Chapter.

Last, but certainly not least, the most important date of my life. It was on October 1st, 22 years ago tonight, that the Grand Esther became my wife. I would like at this time to present my family to you. I thank God regularly that He saw fit to bless me with these two precious lives:

My wife, Jocie, without whom life would lose its meaning.

My son, David, who is all a proud father could have hope for in a son.

David cut his teeth on an Eastern Star Ritual. We took him to Chapter until he started pushing chairs around and playing "Eastern Star." In his 14 years he has taken every step his mother and I have taken in our journey to this place of service tonight. Son, if you will bear with us just a few more months, then your activities and your pursuits will come first!

While my genetic family is small, there is another group represented here tonight whom I consider "family." The members of my Chapter. Throughout all the usual joys and disasters of life, they have been standing by—to offer congratulations when warranted—to offer condolences and understanding when the occasions arose. So many messages of good wishes have been received from those whom distance prevented being present tonight. I am so grateful to the ones who were able to be with me and lend encouragement as I assume this place of service to the Order.

Grand Marshal, will you please escort my Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron to the East?

As they are being escorted, will the members of Amarillo Chapter No. 787 please stand so the Grand Chapter can see you?

Sisters and Brothers, it is with great pride that I introduce to you:

Mrs. Kathryn Winburn, Worthy Matron and Mr. Farrell O. Randle, Worthy Patron

of Amarillo Chapter No. 787, Order of the Eastern Star.

Thank you very much. (Applause.)

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: Thank you, Worthy Grand Matron, for the privilege of serving as Master of Ceremonies in this beautiful Installation.

Worthy Grand Matron, this is the moment to which you have looked forward I am sure when you name those who will assist you in the work of our beloved Order for the coming year.

## INTRODUCTION OF BOARDS, OFFICERS OF GRAND CHAPTER, GRAND REPRESENTATIVES AND COMMITTEES

The Worthy Grand Matron presented the Boards, Officers of Grand Chapter, Grand Representatives, and Committees in the formation of a Key, the emblem for the year. The Worthy Matrons and Worthy Patrons of Texas encircled the formation. The Worthy Matrons and Grand Representatives wore white formals. All other participants wore formals of various shades of green, with shoes to match. Dick Fisher sang "The Key."

MRS. EUNICE CONNELL: To close this Ceremony of Installation and to ask guidance in the year ahead, I invite our beloved Past Grand Matron, Sister Riva Burnett to pronounce the Benediction.

#### BENEDICTION .

MRS. RIVA BURNETT, Past Grand Matron: Our Father, which art in heaven, Thou who art the Supreme Being in which we have all professed our belief, at the close of this Installation Ceremony, we pause in Thy presence

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to see the sunset of another year of service and look to the East for the sunrise of a new administration. We pray that Thou will guide our new leaders, and may they each serve to make us all become better men and women. Give us courage to carry on in these troubled times, ever looking to the Star of the East to light our pathways.

Go with us as we turn our faces homeward, for happiness is going home, and when our earthly tasks are finished, may we find happiness in that eternal home Thou has prepared for us.

The Lord Bless thee and keep thee; the Lord make His face to shineupon thee and be gracious unto thee; the Lord lift up His countenance upon thee and give thee peace. Amen.

The Installation Program was concluded at 12:00 midnight.

#### GRAND CHAPTER CALLED FROM REST TO LABOR

Grand Chapter was proved, the Bible was opened, and Grand Chapter was called from Rest to Labor at 12:20 A. M., Friday, October 2, 1970.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Grand Secretary, do we have any other business to come before this Grand Chapter?

GRAND SECRETARY: Worthy Grand Matron, there is none within my knowledge.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON: Grand Marshal, you will retire the flag.

The United States flag was retired by the Grand Marshal.

The closing ode and evening prayer were sung by the Grand Choir and the assembly.

#### GRAND CHAPTER CLOSED

At 12:30 A. M., Friday, October 2, 1970, the Eighty-eighth Session of the Grand Chapter of Texas was closed in ritualistic form.

The Eighty-ninth Grand Chapter Session will be held in Austin October 18-21, 1971.

Frances Key Olerrin

Worthy Grand Matron

Worthy Grand Patron



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# APPENDIX



In Loving Memory of Those Who Have Been Called Home from

# The Subordinate Chapters of Our Sister Grand Inrisdictions 1969-1970

## AUTUMN ONLY

As the glory of the autumn, with the ripening of the leaves, Marks the ending of the harvest, and the binding of the sheaves; So there seemed a fitting beauty in the glory of the day. That marked the peaceful ending of the life that's passed away. And the waning of the season, with its fruits all bravely won, Blended with the finished life as though the two were one.

# In Loving Memory

MRS. BELLE P. TOMLINSON

WORTHY GRAND MATRON, 1931-1932

DIED JULY 18, 1970

She answers not who late has dwelt with us, Who climbed with us along life's rugged steep; The sunlight falls upon the low green mound, God whispered to her and she fell asleep.

# In Loving Memory

MR. WILLIAM G. VOLLUS

WORTHY GRAND PATRON, 1930-1931

DIED SEPTEMBER 23, 1970

The covers of Life's Book are closed for the one we loved so well,

But kindly tales of years well spent are what the pages tell. Each Chapter in it leaves a thought as lovely as can be For us to keep within our hearts enshrined in memory.

# Dedicated to the Memory

of the

TWO THOUSAND AND FIFTEEN MEMBERS of the SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS OF TEXAS WHO ENTERED THEIR ETERNAL HOME DURING THE YEAR

"As, one by one, the autumn leaves fade in the forest deep, So, one by one, to each of you must come the touch of sleep, As, one by one, the roses burst into the morning light So, one by one, your souls shall wake again beyond the night."

# PROPOSED BUDGET 1970-1971

Mileage	•
Grand Matron's Expense Fund	2,800.00
Grand Patron's Expense Fund	1,800.00
Associate Grand Matron's Expense Fund	800.00
Associate Grand Matron's Books and Supplies	400.00
Associate Grand Patron's Expense Fund	150.00
Grand Conductress Expense Fund	100.00
Associate Grand Conductress Expense Fund	100.00
Grand Secretary's Office Expense Fund	4,000.00
Office Building Maintenance	1,500.00
Fidelity Bond (Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer)	150.00
Social Security and Unemployment	1,200.00
Roster and Proceedings	15,000,00
Annual Printing	15,000.00
Office Help (Grand Secretary)	16,900.00
Grand Matron's Automobile Expense	1,500.00
Grand Matron's Automobile	2,345.00
District Deputies and Deputies Expense	3,800.00
Grand Examiners Expense	600.00
Fraternal Correspondent	25.00
International Temple Committee	25.00
By-Laws Committee	75.00
Welfare Committee	300.00
Transportation and Mileage Committee	10.00
Credentials Committee	10.00
Registration Committee	20.00
Grand Chapter Memorials-Flowers	100.00
Grand Chaplains Memorial	100.00
Editing Proceedings	40.00
Worthy Grand Matron's Jewel	500.00
Worthy Grand Patron's Jewel	300,00
Delegates' Expense to G. G. C. (6)	2,000.00
Installation Expenses	750.00
Entertainment—Visiting Grand Officers	750.00
Grand Secretary's Salary	6,000.00
Grand Treasurer's Salary	3,900.00
Grand Treasurer's Expense Fund	220,00
Grand Chapter Session	12,500.00
Board of Grand Trustees	1,400.00
Audit	3,500.00
ESTARL Committee	100.00
Grand Matron's Secretarial Expense	500.00
Grand Historians Expense	50.00
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Total	17,329.00
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# BOARD OF GRAND CHAPTER BENEVOLENCES, O.E.S. PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1970-1971

## HOME FUND

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			Increase or
	1969-1970	1970-1971	(Decrease)
Home Salaries	\$ 51,100.00	\$ 55,600.00	\$ 4,500.00
Hospital Salaries	41,100.00	45,600.00	4,500.00
Payroll Taxes	4,850.00	5,227.00	· 377.00
Groceries	40,100.00	42,600.00	2,500.00
Utilities	. 17,750.00	20,100.00	2,350.00
Telephone	- 900.00	900.00	_0_
Cars, Tractors, Mowers	- 1,150.00	1,150.00	0
Laundry and Cleaning	_ 6,000.00	4,000.00	(2,000.00)
Doctors	. 4,000.00	5,000.00	1,000.00
Drugs and Hospital Supplies	. 8,000.00	9,000.00	1,000.00
Office Supplies and Postage		600.00	(150.00)
Yard Maintenance	. 3,000.00	3,000.00	—0—
Maintenance and Supplies	2,200.00	2,500.00	300.00
Pest Control	_ 600.00	600.00	-0
Miscellaneous	500.00	500.00	-0
	\$182,000.00	\$196,377.00	\$ 14,677.00

## BOARD FUNDS

Business Manager's Salary	_\$ 4,800.00	-0	(4,800.00)
Superintendent's Salary		5,400.00	150.00
Registered Nurse's Salary		5,304.00	54.00
Dietitian Salary		4,872.00	72.00
Maintenance Engineer Service _		6,000.00	0
Painting	_ 10,000.00	5,000.00	(5,000.00)
Home Repairs and Replacement.	_ 2,000.00	3,500.00	1,500.00
Hospital Repairs and Repl't	_ 1,500.00	2,000.00	500.00
Hospital Emergencies	4,000.00	4,000.00	-0-
Insurance		5,700.00	900.00
Funeral Expenses	3,000.00	3,000.00	_0_
New Equipment	_ 1,000.00	2,000.00	1,000.00
Board of Directors-Travel	2,000.00	2,000.00	_0_
Board of Directors-Supplies		500.00	-0-
Christmas Fund		500.00	-0-
	\$ 55,400.00	\$ 49,776.00	(\$ 5,624.00)
TOTAL	_\$237,400.00	\$246,153.00	-0
BENEVOLENT AID	35,000.00	35,000.00	0
GRAND TOTAL	\$272,400.00	\$281,153.00	0

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## **REPORT OF DISTINGUISHED GUEST COMMITTEE**

	Receipts	Disburs ments	·
Advance from Grand Chapter	\$750.00		\$750.00
Grand Officers Banquet		\$194.12	
Complimentary Hotel Rooms: Hal Burnett, Most Worshipful Grand Master			
Marvin Simpson, General Grand Chapter Officer			
Katherine Poulis, General Grand Chapter Officer			
Chapter Officer			
Grand Chapter Officer		261.47	
6 tickets to General Grand Officer Banquet for General Grand Officers @ \$6.85 each		34,25	
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5 tickets to General Banquet @ \$6.75 each		13.50	
14 tickets for Visiting Grand Representatives @ \$3.75 each		52.50	
7 tickets for Visitors to Past Grand Luncheon @ \$5.00 each 1 ticket for Katherine Poulis to		35.00	
Associate Grand Matrons Breakfast Flowers for Worthy Grand Matron and		3.50	
Past Most Worthy Grand Matron Refund to Grand Chapter	`	44.31 111.35	\$0

## BANK RECONCILLIATION

Check Number Payee and Source of Income	Receipts	Disburs ments	
Received from Grand Chapter 1. Dorothy Bernhard, Ch. General Grand	\$750,00		\$750.00
Officers Banquet	••	\$200.00	
Banquet (Tickets)		41.10	
Banquet (Tickets)	••	35.00	
4. Rice Hotel 5. Rice Hotel	••	$\begin{array}{c} 31.14\\ 30.88 \end{array}$	
6. Rice Hotel	••	19.70	

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7.	Mildred Lowe, Ch. Grand Representatives Breakfast (Tickets)		52.50	
8.	Katherine Cowgill, Ch. General Banquet (Tickets)		33.75	
9.	Margaret Landrum, Ch. Asso. Grand Matron		00110	
10	Breakfast (Tickets) Rice Hotel		$3.50 \\ 179.75$	
	Mildred Upchurch		44.31	
	Refund from Banquet Chairman on tickets	27.10		
	Refund from Advance for General Grand Officers Banquet	5.88		
12.	Refund to Grand Chapter	0.00	111.35	\$0

Note: After closing out Distinguished Guests Committee books on November 1, 1970, a check in the sum of \$79.92, dated 11/9/70 was received from Dorothy Bernhard, Chairman of General Grand Banquet, as an additional refund from the \$200.00 advancement made to her on 9/22/70. This check in the sum of \$79.92 is payable to the Grand Chapter of Texas O. E. S.—therefore cannot be included in the above accounting but only reported. Approved 11-1-70.

#### CARL T. JAMESON Auditing Committee

## REPORT OF GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER BANQUET COMMITTEE

Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron, Sisters and Brothers:

As Chairman of the Committee on Entertainment at General Grand Chapter, held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in October of 1970, I wish to submit the following report.

Upon being appointed Chairman and after conferring with The Worthy Grand Matron and our Associate Grand Matron, it was decided that the entertainment for General Grand Chapter would be a "Brunch."

The Social Chairman for General Grand Chapter was contacted and we were assigned the beautiful Imperial Ball Room at the Pfister Hotel and Tower.

In Texas our pink roses and violets were in full bloom, so, the theme of "Autumn Splendor" was chosen and these colors, pink and purple, were used. Garlands of frosted fruits in pastel colors, intermirgled with pink roses and violets and miniature lights were draped on the head table which was covered with a pink satin cloth. Frosted pink rose and violet trees were used for the decorations on the head table and were given to the honorees as a memento of the occasion. Each lady had a beautiful pink rose and violet corsage, the gentlemen's boutonnieres were made of miniature fruits. Pink cloths were used on all other tables. The center piece for each table was a cluster of violets.

I wish to especially thank Brother Robert Wood for the beautiful program covers which he designed and had printed for us, at no cost to Grand Chapter. Also, Brother Richard Fisher and Sister Sally Matranga for a beautiful program in song and music.

The Past Grand Matrons and Patrons in attendance, our Associate Grand Conductress, and all Texas members graciously assisted in the early morning hours of preparation, hostess duties and participation on the program.

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Our special honoree, Sister Mildred Haney Harris, was hospitalized in Dallas and could not attend. Sister Marie Harcum made a Tape Recording of the entire program for her.

No one person could ever accomplish so great an undertaking. To each one of you for your assistance, my sincere appreciation and love:

It was our sincere wish that this entertainment reflect credit upon our beloved Grand Chapter and make happy Texas own distinguished members. If this has been accomplished, then our labor of love has been well rewarded.

# FINANCIAL REPORT OF "TEXAS AUTUMN SPLENDOR" BRUNCH MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

#### October 19, 1970

#### CASH RECEIVED:

Appropriation from Grand Chapter\$1,000.00 Ticket Sales	
Total Cash Receipts	\$1,592.60
EXPENSES;	
Table decorations, Favors, Corsages, Boutonnieres, etc. made up in San Antonio and Fresh Flower Corsages in Milwaukee254.58Gifts—Honorees and Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron230.00Pfister Hotel469.20Program50.00Invitations, Postage, Place Cards, 	
Total Expenses	1,087.57
Refund on Tickets (cancelled before deadline)	\$ 505.03 34.50
	\$ 470.53

### Check for \$470.53 is attached.

Total Expense	\$1,087.57
Ticket Refund	34.50
Returned to Grand Chapter	470.53
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#### \$1,592.60

Fraternally submitted,

EUNICE CONNELL Chairman PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

#### **CERTIFICATES GRANTED FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971** BY GRAND EXAMINER-AT-LARGE

DISTRICT No. 1 DISTRICT No. 3 Galveston No. 716 DISTRICT No. 5 Border No. 211 \_\_\_A\_\_\_ Desdemona No. 512 Leakey No. 18 Montgomery, -A------A--------A-----Mrs. Frances Merritt, Mrs. Svbil Sparks, Mrs. Cora Taylor, Mrs. La Verna Newton No. 224 Whitesboro No. 708 Hadassah No. 188 Mathis No. 874 ---A----- A --Alford, Shoemaker, Mrs. Estelle —A— -A-Mrs. Agnes Lucille . Benningfield, Eanes, Mrs. Charlotte Parsons, Mrs. Betty -B-Mrs. Ann K. Shoemaker, Mr. A. T. Wisteria No. 823 Sabinal No. 407 ----A----DISTRICT No. 2 Hamilton, Mrs. Mary DISTRICT No. 4 Memphis No. 351 Soyars, Mrs. Bernice E. Galena Park No. 884 Angleton No. 54 -A-Sarah No. 353 —B— Pryor, Mrs. Dorothéa -A-Applekamp, Mrs. Betty Jo Flahrity, Mrs. Sara E. Paducah No. 506 \_ A \_ Scruggs, Mrs. Nadine Bolin, Mrs. Ladine Bellaire No. 1021 Graves, Mrs. Rav Wiley Goose Creek No. 798 Weslaco No. 772 Queen Esther No. 833 ----B---------A----Fincher, Mrs. Doris Fincher, Mr. Ross - A \_\_\_\_ Alexander, Mrs. Bessie C. Owen, Mrs. Gertrude Demas, Mrs. Vera Clute City No. 1011 Houston Heights No. 258 Christoval No. 761 Toyah No. 579 ---A----B-----B--A----Gilbert, Mrs. Chris Porter, Mrs. Vivian Mullan, Miss Harvey M. Hale, Mrs. Ida

#### CERTIFICATES GRANTED FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971-District No. 1

A. C. Garrett No. 774

\_A\_ Anderson, Mr. Cleo D. Anderson, Mrs. Velda

Anderson, Mrs. Velda Dare, Mrs. Inez Davidson, Mrs. Frances B. Ford, Mrs. Lorraine Ford, Mrs. Louraine Ford, Mrs. Eulita Hauerwas, Mrs. Olevia Harris, Mrs. Fulita Hauerwas, Mrs. Olevia Harris, Mrs. Pauline Pool, Mrs. Mary G. Remley, Mrs. Anne Remley, Mrs. Leonard J. Smart, Mrs. Ida Lee Smith, Mr. Herschel D. Youngblood, Mrs. Willie M. Mrs. Willie M. Verinder, Mrs. Olive Woodruff, Mrs. Rita

#### Alto No. 496

-A----Chapman, Mrs. Fannie Mae Chapman, Mr. Jimmie Dean, Mrs. Stella Ramey, Mrs. Nellie V.

-A-Eason, Mr. Alvis Eason, Mrs. Zula Bell Goodwin, Mrs. Nellie Proctor, Miss Etta

#### Areme No. 736

Alvord No. 946

—A.-Anderson, Mrs. Glennie Anderson, Mr. R. W. Barrier, Miss Ercell Barrier, Mrs. Imogene Barrier, Mrs. Imogene Jolly, Mrs. Louise Kindred, Mr. A. L. Lackey, Mr. Bert Landrum, Mrs. Magaret Lapin, Mrs. Hazel Lay, Mrs. Ruth Potter, Mrs. Faye Turner, Mrs. Oleta Vanderbie, Mrs. Buelah Vanderslice, Mrs. Buelah Waenscott, Mrs. Ruby

-R-Mason, Mrs. Sybil

Arp No. 844

-A-Herron, Mrs. Lois Jones, Mrs. Viola Yancy, Mr. Lum

Ashland No. 961

-A-Boyd, Mrs. Emma Boyd, Mrs. Blanch Buie, Mrs. Blanch Buie, Mrs. Myrtle Buie, Mr. Sid T. Charleville. Mrs. Katherine Lester, Mrs. Mabel O. Pilcher, Mrs. Ila Mae Pugh, Mrs. Leona Ragon, Mrs. Nella

Athens No. 177

Alexander, Mr. Joe Arnold, Mrs. Ann Buell, Mrs. Irene Reaves, Mrs. Gwendolyn Trammell, Mrs. Annette

Atlanta No. 151

A Clayton, Mrs. Helen Barr, Mrs. Ludie Merle Gholson. Mrs. Christine Tims, Mr. C. A.

Warren, Mrs. Lucille Washington, Mrs. Pat West, Mrs. Letha

Johnson, Mrs. Frances Watson, Mrs. Gladys West, Mrs. Edna

#### Aurora No. 799

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-B-

Cooper, Mrs. Addie Haynes, Mrs. Cecile Nesbitt, Mrs. Jean Rather, Mrs. Dillie Scott, Mrs. Mae Simmons, Mrs. Ray T. Starke, Mr. Mills Starke, Mrs. Ruth Terry, Mrs. Sara A. Terry, Mr. William P.

Cooper, Mr. Billy Murray

Avinger No. 478 --A---

Early, Mrs. Rose Nell

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#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 1-Continued

-B-McGarety, Mrs. Nan

## Bardwell No. 560

--A---Bozek, Mrs. Katherine Lewis, Mrs. Faye

Belle Moon No. 90

-A---Atnip, Mrs. Lillie B. Austin, Mrs. Leota Austin, Mr. C. F. Binford, Mrs. Mary Binford, Mr. Tom Bosley, Mrs. Grace Brill, Mrs. Mitzi Conne. Mrs. Lucida Capps, Mrs. Lucile Fears, Mrs. Delania Levell, Mrs. Alpha L Marshall, Mr. L. J., Jr. Marshall, Mrs. Ruby Martin, Mrs. Evie Stevens, Mrs. Frances

---B--Devall, Mrs. Clara

Beckville No. 273

--A--Barber, Miss Carrie Bennett, Mr. Albert Dennett, Mr. Albert Flanagan, Mrs. Eloise Ludlow, Mrs. Adalee Ross, Mrs. Mildred Waldrop, Mr. Francis C.

Big Sandy No. 865

\_A-Davis, Mrs. Lois McFatridge. McFatridge, Mrs. Lavada Pierce, Mrs. Elizabeth Shelton, Mrs. Gertrude Warrick, Mrs. Evelyn Willis, Mr. Dale Willis, Mrs. Dorotha

#### Bluebonnet No. 717

-A--A-Bonilla, Mrs. Oralia Finney, Mrs. Alice Finney, Mrs. Loraine Finney, Mr. Virgil Grantham, Miss Eula Hardy, Mrs. Sara Hill, Mrs. Manie Hudel, Mrs. Marcella Lobason Mrs. Varra Hudel, Mrs. Marcella Johnson, Mrs. Verna Johnson, Mr. Dallas H. Kelly, Mrs. Gean Kuykendall, Mr. Charles J. Kuykendall, 'Mrs. Margaret Lagow, Mrs. Lucille Lagow, Mrs. Lucille Mathers. Mrs. Grace Helen Plumlee, Mrs. Hazel Renfrow, Mrs. Lillian

Settle, Mrs. Margaret Story, Mrs. Hattie Story, Mr. Jim P. Tucker, Mrs. Lannie Williams, Mrs. Cleana Williams, Mr. O. P.

Bogata No. 1084

-A-Couch, Mrs. Anita Gaddis, Mrs. Clara Gill, Mrs. Lena Kinsey, Mrs. Yancy Mankins, Mrs. Maurine Morgan, Mrs. Dorothy

Bonham No. 852

-----A---Boyd, Mrs. Christine Cox, Mrs. Sudie V. Cummings, Mrs. Lesta Glenn, Mrs. Amy Glenn, Mr. Guy Goode, Mrs. Hope May, Mrs. Gladys Smith, Mrs. Joycy L. Todd, Mrs. Lucille

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Shepherd, Mrs. Alice

Border No. 211

-A---

Adcock, Mrs. Jo L. Conner, Mrs. L. Annie Conner, Mr. Lodrick Green, Mrs. Jimmie L. Green, Mrs. Jimmie L. Huggins. Mrs. Lessie Miller, Mrs. Madge Potter, Mrs. Carrier Purcell, Mrs. Evelyn Purcell, Mrs. Luther F. Simmons, Mrs. Ann Simmons, Mr. Orval Ware, Mrs. Laura J.

-B-Kelley, Mrs. Josephine Riley, Mrs. Jessie M.

Bowie No. 16

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Beverly, Mrs. Grace Fuller, Mrs. Helen Johnson, Mrs. Helen Johnson, Mrs. Milbrey Moyar, Miss Nancy Pollard, Mr. J. Aston Pollard, Mrs. Lucille Seeds, Mrs. Lorine Shelton, Mrs. Essie

Wood, Mrs. Attonette

Boyd No. 897

--A--Norton, Mrs. Elois Wilkerson, Mr. Alex Bridgeport No. 846 Baldrich, Mrs. Lizzie Mae Bell, Mrs. Sue Boase, Mrs. Exia Rogers, Mrs. Mary Δ\_ Wilkerson, Mrs. Ella May Wilkerson, Mr. R. Leon Wilkinson, Mrs. Joy M.

Brownsboro No. 902

--A----Carter, Mrs. Grace

Bullard No. 972

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Braly, Mrs. Ottie B. Dowdy, Mrs. Alice

Caddo Mills No. 82

-A-Bentley, Mr. Buel Bentley, Mrs. Marie Boyce, Mrs. Mary L. Cook, Mrs. Elsie Henderson, Mrs. Eunice

Bentley, Miss Ozell

Camellia No. 994

-A--A.-Cook, Mrs. Lillie Harton, Mrs. Billie Holcomb, Mr. D. M. Holcomb, Mrs. Cardie Johnston, Mr. C. C. Johnston, Mrs. Mozelle Kulak, Mrs. Frieda Jittleiton Mrs. Allene Littleton, Mrs. Fileda Littleton, Mrs. Allene Reeves, Miss Nola L. Steele, Mrs. Princess Windle, Mrs. Sue Youngblood, Mrs. Allie

----B----Beebe, Mrs. Edith McCollum, Mrs. Wade Sirman, Mrs. Caudie Yielding, Mrs. Ima

Canton No. 667

—A—-Ogletree, Mrs. Leta Shaw, Mrs. Jessie Lea Ward, Mrs. Mildred

-B-Groves, Mrs. Lottie

Carpenters No. 183

-A----

Anderson. Mrs. Ouida Blakey, Mrs. Kay Denton, Mrs. Bernita Kirby, Mrs. Florence

Logston, Mrs. Clara Parker, Mr. A. L. Parker, Mrs. Elfrieda L. Savage, Mrs. Hettie Lee Self, Mrs. Grace Self, Mr. Otto Seif, Mr. Otto Shipp, Mrs. Pauline Squibb, Mrs. Doris Stole, Mrs. Clara Mae Sullivan, Mrs. Amy Taylor, Mrs. Faira Turner, Mr. Jack Turner, Mrs. Mearl Weinwircht Wainwright, Mrs. Virginia

Burnett, Mrs. Jo Ann Kirby, Mrs. Irene O. White, Mr. B. T. White, Mrs. Virginia Williams, Mrs. Betty

Carthage No. 747

-A-Bowen, Mrs. Milton McDaniel, Mrs. Pauline Turner, Mrs. Christine Wooten, Mrs. Olivia Wooten, Mr. Sam

Celina No. 857

-----A-----Bilderback, Mrs. Ola Brewer, Mrs. Ann Dennis, Mrs. Opal Haun, Mrs. Faye

Chico No. 433

-A-Brower, Mr. W. H. Epperson, Mr. Jim B. Epperson, Mrs. Viola Holt, Mrs. Sara Huffman, Mrs. Sally Largent, Mrs. Ruth Ward, Mrs. Lou Belle

#### Clarksville No. 662

A Collins, Mrs. Margaret Eisher, Mrs. Lillian M. Hack, Miss Barbara Hack, Mrs. Omie Murray, Mrs. Ruth Shults, Mrs. Mayme Tomlinson, Mrs. Georgia

Collins, Mr. Ernest S. Collins, Miss Ruth Elise

Cockrell Hill No. 971

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Blue, Mrs. Bernidine Kirby, Mr. L. D. Kirby, Mrs. Tot Lee, Mrs. Audra Merritt, Mrs. Barbara

#### PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 1-Continued

Moore, Mrs. Mary B. Patterson, Mr. Hugh N. Patterson, Mrs. Maxine Stafford, Mrs. Eva Weldon, Mrs. Bertha

#### Collinsville No. 674

\_\_A\_\_\_ Anderson, Mrs. Parilee Bowling, Mrs. Zada Bowling, Mrs. Zada Casteel, Mrs. Clemmie Reed, Mrs. Carrel Young, Mrs. Estelle

#### Commerce No. 208

-A-Dyer, Mrs. Aline England, Mrs. Billie Hilderbrand, Mrs. Dean O'Neal, Mrs. Alice O'Neal, Mr. Benton O'Neal, Mr. Hal O'Neal, Mrs. Naomi

#### Cooper No. 885

-A-Davis, Mrs. Velma Oyler, Mrs. Maude Toon, Mrs. Bernice Wallace, Mrs. Robbie Waters, Mrs. Zettie

### Corsicana No. 118

<u>A</u>— Allen, Mr. Charles H. Anlerson, Mrs. Leana Anderson, Mr. Leana Anderson, Mr. Murl D. Buck, Mrs. Marguerite Carroll, Mr. Granille H. Cavender, Miss Anna Belle Cook, Mrs. Mary Danoho, Mrs. Gladys Dunagan, Mr. Olis A. Eidson, Mrs. Pauline W. Fogg -A-Fogg. Fogg, Mrs. Louise Howell Foster, Mrs. Lida Hoffman, Mrs. Opal Hughes, Mrs. Elsie Merrell, Mrs. Frank A. Merrell, Mrs. Hazel Myers, Mrs. Darlene Patterson, Mrs. Frama Lee Mrs. Emma Lee

Thompson, Mrs. Reta

## Cumby No. 1043

\_B-Roundtree, Mrs. Oretha

#### Daingerfield No. 906

Chism, Mr. T. D. Cole, Mrs. Juanita Martin, Mrs. Inez Pierce, Mrs. Johnnie Lee Bates

#### Dal-Cliff No. 574

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Baker, Mrs. Frances Baker, Mr. G. M. Barnett, Mrs. Pauline Barneit, Mrs. Pauline Berryman, Mrs. Mamie Christian, Mrs. Mamie Christian, Mrs. Frances Cobb, Mrs. Elizabeth Crady, Mrs. Vera Danks, Mrs. Ethel Dickey, Mrs. Lois Draeger, Mr. Arthur Greer, Mr. Annette C. Greer, Mr. Pommer Grubbs Mrs. May Delle Grubbs, Mrs. May Delle

Grubbs, Mrs. May Delle Grubbs, Mr. W. E. (Jack) Lindsey, Mrs. Mary C. Livingston, Mrs. Essie Loader, Mrs. Martha Maynard, Mrs. Evelyne McGuire, Mrs. Clara McGuire, Mrs. Clara McGuire, Mrs. Eleanor Nelson, Mrs. Emogene Newman, Mrs. Avareine Phillips, Mrs. Helen Sharpe, Mr. Ed L. Sharpe, Mrs. Mildred Schepps, Mrs. Patricia Thurmond, Mrs. Ruby Thurmond, Mrs. Ruby Welsel, Mrs. Edith E. Whitley, Mrs. Eva Wiedder, Mrs. Kathryne

#### Dallas No. 1

-A-

-A--Alexander, Mrs. Flo Beene, Miss Elizabeth Collins, Mrs. Argeline Fair, Mrs. Alice Fair, Mrs. Narie Pimyan, Mrs. Nora Reaney, Mrs. Nora Reaney, Mrs. Lotta Mae Royster, Mrs. Lotta Mae Royster, Mrs. Lotta Mae Royster, Mrs. Dell Simpson, Mrs. Eleanor Smith, Mr. Charles Smith, Mr. Charles Smith, Mr. Patricia B. White, Mr. Robert

#### Dawson No. 1046

-----A- Decatur No. 543

-A-Buterfield, Mrs. Nell Carson, Mr. Charles Carson, Mrs. Moleana Clifton, Mrs. Bernice Cole, Mrs. Joy Fullingin, Mrs. Hortense Greer, Mrs. Mabel Goodger, Mrs. Novia Long, Mrs. Elizabeth Robertson, Mrs. Mae Woodall, Mrs. Marie

DeKalb No. 894

#### -A-

Pope, Mrs. Elsie Pope, Mr. J. W. Potts. Mrs. Bobbie Vanderburg, Mrs. Mamie

## -B Cordell, Mrs. Bonnie Vanderburg, Mr. L. T.

#### Delta No. 824

-A--A-Becker, Mrs. Audie Mae Becker, Mrs. Orene Becker, Mrs. Sue M. Cundiff, Mrs. Tillie Haley, Mrs. Janice Moore, Mrs. Frances Morgan, Mrs. Ina Widener, Mrs. Sarah

#### Denton No. 259

-A-Abbott, Mrs. Helen Branch, Mrs. Evelyn Branch, Mr. Malcalm Buffington, Mrs. Jackie Grelle, Mrs. Alama Greile, Mrs. Alama Hodges, Mr. Fred J. Hodges, Mrs. Ruth Howard, Mrs. Gladys B. Lindley, Mr. H. M. Pewitt, Mrs. Ruth Starr, Mrs. Elsie Wilson, Mrs. Helen Wood, Mrs. Eupha Woods, Mrs. Mabel

## -B

Vaugh, Mrs. Virginia Williams, Mrs. Louise Wood, Mrs. George A.

Deport No. 1045

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Grogan, Mrs. Vera King, Mrs. Jimmie Lee, Mrs. Edna Stevens, Mrs. Laura Williamson, Mrs. Gertrude

#### -B

Carpenter, Mrs. Betty

DeSoto No. 1089

-A-McKee, Mr. O. B. Robinson, Mrs. Lillian Stevenson, Mrs. Joyce Tidwell, Mrs. Mayola

# -B Jones, Mrs. Opal Willingham, Mrs. Sue Wilk, Mrs. Billie Withrow, Mrs. Faye

Douglasville No. 493

------A:----Swint, Mrs. Lucile Swint, Mrs. Viola

## Duncanville No. 1014

A Bolt, Mrs. Dortha Curry, Mrs. Karmen Dillard, Mr. Frank Finch, Mr. B. K. Lee, Mrs. Dorothy L. Lee, Mr. Harrell

-B-Stewart, Mrs. Neoma

East Dallas No. 715

# -A-Bethel, Mrs. Leelia Carpenter, Mrs. Rose Lea Fuller, Mrs. Evelyn Helton. Mrs. Evelyn Helton. Mrs. Mattie Metcalf, Mrs. James R. McFall, Mrs. Oral Pickett, Mrs. Gladys Seton, Mrs. Rowena Thomas, Mrs. Juanita Turner, Mrs. Vallie

Truly, Mrs. Melba J.

Ector No. 895

## -A Porter, Mrs. Bonnie L. Price, Mrs. Flora Smith, Mrs. Pauline

Edgewood No. 904

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Humphries, Mrs. Dovie Pruitt, Mrs. Edna Simmons, Mrs. Karl A.

#### Edwin J. Kiest No. 959

Anderson, Mr. Alvin J. Anderson, Mrs. Ramona Baker, Miss Gloria Baker, Mrs. Lois Blaylock, Mrs. Roberta DeBoer, Mrs. Lenora F. DeFonds, Mrs. Ethel

#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 1-Continued

Drewry, Mrs. Ruby Mae Watson, Mrs. Elizabeth Drewry, Mrs. W. A. Fields, Mrs. Hettie L. Fields, Mr. Ray Finster, Mrs. Cressie Finster, Mr. Warren G. Herrington, Mrs. Pansy Higgins, Mrs. Pansy Higgins, Mrs. Jolly Huffhines, Mrs. Jackie Palmer, Mrs. Ruth Self, Mr. Cecil E. Self, Mrs. Earlene Stewart, Mrs. Marjarie

Electa No. 872

-A-Cash, Mrs. Ruby Cobb, Mrs. Mary Franklin, Mrs. Charlotte Hampton, Mrs. Cleora Hill, Mrs. Helen

-B Short, Mrs. Dana

Eustace No. 1062

-A-Anthoney, Mrs. Gladys Ballard, Mrs. Balfa Guthrie, Mrs. Estelle Jones, Mrs. Dessie Marable, Mrs. Ann Williams, Mrs. Nancy

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Byers, Mrs. Shirley

Fairfield No. 331

-A-

Awalt, Mrs. Nora Baker, Mrs. Ida Bonner, Mrs. Angie Fairchild, Mrs. Waunita Nelson, Mrs. Estella Woods, Mrs. Gladys

Farmers Branch No. 687

-A---Allen, Mr. Drennon Johnston, Mr. J. E. Johnston, Mrs. Kathy Johnston, Mrs. Katny Nicholson, Mrs. Billie Nicholson, Mr. L. A. Poarch, Mrs. Robin Ray, Mrs. Tressie Shaw, Mr. Harry Shaw, Mr. Harry Shaw, Mrs. Jan Smith, Mrs. June

-B-

Allen, Mrs. Betty King, Mrs. Loretta

Farmersville No. 940 -A----

Parsons, Mrs. Fannie M. —B-Pressley, Mrs. Alsa Dum Taylor. Mrs. Jaunita Field Tedford, Mrs. Sandra May.

Hartsell, Miss Eva Lou Ferris No. 508 -A----Brown, Mrs. Asia Fidelity No. 383 Collins, Mr. Millford E. Crow, Mr. Clarence Crow, Mrs. Letha Cunningham, Mrs. Rose Dew, Mrs. Lena Giddens, Mrs. Myrtle Haney, Mrs. Velma Hardman, Mrs. Bobbie M. Leverett, Mrs. Frances Phillips, Mrs. Anna Lee Prater, Mrs. Betty Smith, Mr. Bernie G. Smith, Mrs. Willie Ardel Wylie, Mr. Jack E. Wylie, Mrs. Tommie

Flora No. 974

-A-Guinn, Mrs, Lenora Hammer, Mrs. Ila Hammer, Mr. W. E. Hardin, Mrs. Vra Kendall, Mrs. Kate Stewart, Mrs. Ruth Truly, Mrs. Maxine Whitfield, Mrs. Martha M Mrs. Martha M. Whitfield, Mr. Victor C. Worden, Mrs. Nelle

Forney No. 557

-A-Grogan, Mrs. Annette Grogan, Mr. George Darr, Mrs. Jean McCain, Mrs. Helen Perkins, Mrs. Eloise

Frisco No. 93

-A-Dunfield, Mrs. Ann Morgan, Mrs. Naomi Province, Mrs. Marvolyn

Dunfield, Mr. Bob Fielden, Mrs. Sue Mayfield, Mrs. Gerry

Thompson, Mrs. Reba Smith, Mrs. Ruth

Fruitdale No. 1055

-A-Gaddis, Mrs. Bertha Gaddis, Mrs. Wayne Hight, Mrs. Gussie L. Holden, Mrs. Ethel Holden, Mr. J. D. Hoyt, Mrs. Bernice

Garland No. 156

-A-Baggett, Miss Ruth Baldwin, Mrs. Allene Dalton, Mrs. Athrell Dalton, Mr. W. R. Daiton, Mr. W. R. Farndale, Mr. Jim Haynes, Mrs. Lola Jirak, Mrs. Doris Jirak, Mr. G. J. Mixon, Mr. J. J. Moretary and Market Ma Montgomery, Mrs. Georgia Montgomery,

Mr. Harvey H. Nance, Mr. William R. Taylor, Mrs. Margaret Weltzin, Mrs. Edith

Beal, Mrs. Jean Greenway, Mrs. Betty Lanham, Mrs. Charlotte L Partain, Mrs. Lavada Richardson, Mrs. Mary A.

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Gate City No. 77

Aday, Mrs. Edwina Campbell, Mrs. Dot Clapp, Mrs. Willena Clark, Mrs. Della Cummings, Mrs. Fay Erickson, Mrs. Marie Chimmings, Miss. Fay Erickson, Mrs. Marie Fuller, Mrs. Mildred Grossman, Mrs. Faye Guynes, Mr. William K. Henderson, Mrs. Willia Jackson, Mrs. Willia Overbeck, Mrs. Gladys Park, Mrs. Nora Riffell, Mrs. Lorine B. Ross, Mr. H. C. Ross, Mrs. Maude Scalf, Mrs. Hazel Tracy, Mrs. Gladys Williams, Mrs. Janet Williams, Mr. Ralph A. Yandell, Mrs. Ethel

-B-Carroll, Mrs. Lela Redwine, Mrs. Geraldine Redwine, Mr. Valton Williams, Mrs. Frances

#### Gilmer No. 355

-A-Fannin, Mrs. Tandie Glendenning, Mrs. Jessie Glendenning, Mr. J. R. Lake, Mrs. Mate Loyd, Mrs. Mattie McDowell, Mrs. Ruby Monk, Mrs. Anne Stewart, Mrs. Mary E. Stewart, Mr. T. O. Stropp, Mrs. Mattie Whatley, Mrs. Sabra

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-B-Pitman, Mrs. Ilda Wilson, Mrs. Connie

Gladewater No. 831

.A. Blalock, Mr. Connie Blalock, Mrs. Lonnie Blissett, Mrs. Olivia Blissett, Mr. Roland Brown, Mr. O. B. Cox, Mr. Ernest Cox, Mrs. Juel B. Erwin Mrs. Ola Mag Erwin, Mrs. Ola Mae Krumm, Mr. H. H. Krumm, Mrs. Mildred Meadows, Mrs. Willa M. Payne, Mrs. Elizabeth Tarpley, Mrs. Thelma Young, Mrs. Myrle

-B-Brown, Mrs. Lillian

Grand Prairie No. 219

-A-Adair, Mrs. June Carter, Mrs. Thelma Karkosky, Mr. Doyle LaRoche, Mr. Elmer E. Mauldin, Mrs. Ernestine Morris, Mrs. Alta Perrine. Mrs. May Poff. Mr. Florsia Poff, Mrs. Flossie Rezroat. Mrs. Ora Lee Stringfellow, Mrs. Dee Terry, Mrs. Eva

## -B-

Burton, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Mrs. Angela

Grand Saline No. 290

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Hankins, Mrs. Ethel Monkress,

Mrs. Johnnie V. Rucker, Mrs. Mahdeem Williams, Mrs. Beulah Williams, Mr. Homer

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## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 1-Continued

Greenville No. 189

-A-Clarke, Mr. Stanley T. Huffaker, Mrs. Viola Johnston, Mrs. Oleta Lassiter, Mr. Harold Lassiter, Mrs. Zelda R. Lewis, Mrs. Carolyn Lunsford, Mrs. Leona Moseley, Mrs. Eunice Murphy, Mrs. Lela Saunders, Mrs. Flora Saunders, Mr. James F.

Greenwood No. 1060

-A-Bradshaw, Mrs. Sophia M. Lynch, Mrs. Georgia Parrish, Mrs. Hassie Walling, Mrs. Dorothy H.

Hallsville No. 995

-A-Evans, Mrs. Velma Gaddis, Mrs. Alma Greer, Mrs. Barbara Ready, Mrs. Violet Tucker, Mrs. Billie Young, Mrs. Carrie

Hawkins No. 908

-- A ---Beavers, Mrs. Cuba Brown, Mrs. Edna Hughes, Mrs. Gertrude McElroy, Mrs. Doris McElroy, Mr. Tillman Miller, Mrs. Ova Osburn, Mr. C. D. Osburn, Mrs. Elizabeth Ponder, Mrs. Edythe Ponder, Mr. Ernest Russell, Mrs. Dorothy Russell, Mr. Victor Wilson, Mrs. Louise

Henderson No. 597

٠<u>A</u> Allen, Mrs. Carol Allen, Mrs. Carol Brister, Mrs. Opal Clark, Mrs. Edna H. Costlow, Mrs. Mable Dearing, Mrs. Jamie Deason, Mrs. Lela B. Kyger, Mrs. Lucretia Leath, Mr. Leon Leath, Mrs. Mary

Highland Park No. 1029

.А. Clark, Mrs. Faye E. Harding, Mr. L. D. Johnson, Mrs. Dena M. McDonald, Mrs. Theta Niemoryk, Mr. A. R. Niemoryk, Mrs. Nina M. Powell, Mrs. Irene

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Quintal, Mrs. Ruby Reed, Mrs. Donna L. Scott, Mr. T. J. Smith, Mr. C. Russell Smith, Mrs. Martha Taylor, Mr. J. Howard Taylor, Mrs. Juanita

Hillcrest No. 1000

-A Buck, Mrs. Violet Campbell, Mrs. Hazel L. Cook, Mrs. Sara E. Cutshall, Mr. Lewis A. Cutshall, Mrs. Mary Goodman, Mrs. Kathleen V. Harrison, Mrs. Florence Humphrey, Mrs. Lydia P. Schwettmann, Mr. Herbert H. Schwettmann, Mrs. Mary A. Tucker, Mrs. Marie

Honey Groove No. 901

-A--Coston, Mrs. Dell Henry, Mrs. Gladys Houston, Mrs. Mamie White, Mrs. Pearl

-B-Burroughs, Mrs. Roberta Italy No. 1067 Houston, Mr. J. W.

Hooks No. 1031

-A-Alexander, Mrs. Lois Brock, Mrs. Marijohn Cox, Mrs. Claudia Duren, Mrs. Jackie Sue Guthrie, Mrs. Barbara Keith, Mrs. Pauline Earnest, Lorrell L. Noble, Mrs. Jewell Sanders, Mrs. Mildred F.

Kelley, Mrs. Billie Ziegler, Mrs. Lela Hughes Springs No. 349

-A-Currey, Mrs. Lucile May, Mrs. Leona Rosson, Mrs. Thelma Terry, Mrs. Peggy

-B Higgins, Mrs. Gertrude Wisener, Mrs. Jeanette

Irving No. 777

-A--Allen, Mrs. Kitty Attaway, Mrs. Marian Beard, Mrs. Frances

Burnette, Mrs. Mary Ann Callaway, Mrs. Martha Carlton, Mr. David A. Carlton, Mrs. Kay Combs, Mr. Cecil Combs, Mrs. Jasmine Crow, Mrs. Mary Crow, Mrs. Walter H. Cunningham, Mrs. Sara Crow, Mrs. Walter H. Cunningham, Mrs. Sarah Dixon, Mrs. Libby Guy, Mrs. Thelma Hoipkemeier, Mrs. Jewel Holland, Mrs. Earleen Ingram, Mrs. Madge Morton, Mrs. Dorothy Patrick, Mrs. Laverne Powell, Mrs. May Randolph, Mrs. Rene Thornhull, Thornhill, Mrs. Janice M. Sanderson, Mrs. Betty M. Short, Mrs. Kathryn Young, Mrs. Julia Vandergriff, Mrs. Leta Waidelich, Mrs. Jean  $-\mathbf{R}$ Attaway, Mr. B. D. Byrd, Mrs. Virginia Everett, Mrs. Caroline Jones, Mrs. Genevieve Stevens, Mrs. Nan -A-

Kelly, Mrs. Vestal

Jacksonville No. 377

-A-Ault, Mrs. Alice Avent, Mrs. Maggie Chambers, Mrs. Vera : Chesnut, Mrs. Dizzie Coats, Mrs. Jessie Lee Croslin, Mrs. Pauline Gee, Mr. Grady Gee, Mrs. Lillian Ceirgre Mrs. Eleia Griggs, Mrs. Elsie Henderson, Mrs. Dorothy Mrs. Dorothy Rainey, Mr. Alvin W. Shoemaker, Mrs. Malone Smith, Mrs. Chris Thornton, Mrs. Oleta Vercher, Mrs. Evelyn Vercher, Mr. L. P.

James Ladd Burgess No. 983

A Alley, Mrs. Jean Alley, Mrs. Dale Bailey, Mrs. Dale Brinkley. Mrs. Irene Bryant, Mrs. Lena Mae Copeland, Mrs. Juanita Ferguson, Mrs. Billie Ferguson, Mr. Lucky U. Gilmore, Mr. J. C. Gilmore, Mrs. Wanda King, Mrs. Maudine McKenzie, Mrs. Alma Peacock, Mrs. Ethel Prather, Mrs. Johnnie Faye Schiller, Mrs. Ruth Vaughan, Mrs. Grace Wheatly, Mrs. Helen Williams, Mrs. Juanice Williams, Mr. Lewis Yost, Mrs. Rhunell

Benefield, Mrs. Thelma Freeman, Mrs. Leanora Lefevers, Mrs. Doris Lester, Mr. George Lester, Mrs. Mary K. Reeves, Mrs. Bernie Thomas, Mrs. Verna Lee

John L. DeGrazier No 881

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-A--Ash, Mr. Gordon Ash, Mrs. Helen Barlow, Mrs. Zethra Clark, Mrs. Jeanelle Crump, Mrs. Jack Crump, Mrs. Betty Jane Flood, Mrs. Emma Hunt, Miss Ethel A. McCornick, Mr. C. R. McCornick, Mrs. Inez Patterson, Mrs. Jo Puskarich, Mrs. Sue Schepf, Mrs. Almarie White, Mrs. Marie

\_B-Lanier, Mrs. Leola H.

Vera E. Kaufman No. 866

--A----Magures, Mrs. Nadine Smith, Mrs. Lourae

Kemp No. 685

--A-Wood, Mrs. Faustine

Kilgore No. 630

-A —A.— Alford, Mrs. Leona Brock, Mrs. Melba Flickinger, Mr. E. W. Flickinger, Mrs. Maire Greer, Mr. James K. Greer, Mrs. James K. Holbert, Mrs. Alma Holman, Mrs. Elva Kimball, Mrs. Barbara Kimball. Kimball, Mr. L. D. (Larry) Northcutt, Mrs. Rachel Turner, Mrs. John W. Turner, Mrs. Norene Turner, Mrs. Virginia

#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 1-Continued

Simon, Mrs. Billie Stevens, Mrs. Hazel Wertz, Mrs. Evelyn

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Brawner, Mr. Dewey Spain, Mrs. Oliva

Lancaster No. 943

Atkinson, Mrs. Pauline Chambers, Mrs. Nettie B. Jean, Mrs. Maxine Philbrick, Mrs. Lellie Mae Williams, Mrs. Georgia K.

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Owens, Mrs. Betty Kirksey, Mrs. Doris

Laneville No. 944

--A---Duke, Mr. Dewitt Pepper, Mrs. Maud Whitley, Mrs. Edna

Leonard No. 1091

Hiatt, Mrs. Dorothy Hymer, Mrs. Doroday Evans, Mrs. Betty Evans, Mrs. Winnie Jenkins, Mrs. Ruby L.

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Rath, Mrs. Estalee

Lewisville No. 935

Edmonds, Mr. Otis Edmonds, Mrs. Ruth Greer, Mrs. Vera Love, Mrs. Latie Lord, Mrs. Marie Lord, Mr. Morris Morris, Mrs. Betty Talkington, Mrs. Myra Treece, Mrs. Lillian Wright, Mrs. Bernice Zuspan, Mrs. Martha

Lindale No. 864

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Boyd, Mrs. Lula Boyd, Mrs. Lula Coulter, Mrs. Louise Cowart, Mrs. Marjorie Hart, Mrs. Virgie Hitt, Mrs. Bette Hitt, Mrs. Glenda Hitt, Mrs. Joe Eddie Matthews, Mrs. Melba Prater Mrs. Mary E. Prater, Mrs. Mary E. Rogers, Mrs. Wessie Whisenhunt, Mrs. Hannie

Linden No. 576 -A--A-Barber, Mrs. Eva Bridges, Mrs. Inez Driskell, Mrs. Johnie Humphrey, Mrs. Lerlene Mills, Mrs. Geraldine Penny, Mrs. Belle Robinson, Mrs. Opal Womack, Mrs. Odelia Byron, Mrs. Gladys Penney, Mr. John Lone Oak No. 853 Hambrick, Mrs. Helen Hambrick, Mrs. Lottie Lon Star No. 1083 Steely, Mrs. Lola Vaughn, Mrs. Opal \_\_\_A\_\_\_ Longview No. 610 \_\_\_\_A`\_\_\_\_ Dickerson, Mr. H. H. Dickerson, Mrs. Josephine Horne, Mrs. Mozelle Luther, Mrs. Carol R. McHaney, Mrs. Evelyn Monroe, Mrs. Allie Ray, Mrs. Estelle Ratley, Mrs. Ruby Townsend, Mrs. Grace Walters, Miss Suzanne A. Warner, Mrs. Beulah Cunningham, Mrs. Ulin

Love Field No. 875

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Duval, Mrs. Vera Farine, Mrs. Edna Fletcher, Mrs. Edna Flunk, Mrs. Mary Lou Gray, Mrs. Sylvia Hays, Mrs. Betty L. Pedersen, Mr. Arthur L. Pedersen, Mrs. Myrtle Reese, Mrs. Orilla Reess, Mrs. Loryne Simpking, Mrs. Claudia Whitaker, Whitaker, Mrs. Margaret D. Woods, Mrs. Iola N. Woods, Mr. F. W. Works, Mrs. Grace Works, Mr. James R. \_B-

Hays, Mr. Joe C., Jr. Shinn, Mrs. Theresa

Loyal No. 648 Alexander, Mr. J. A. Carroll, Mrs. Lotus Cox, Mrs. Mildred Harrison, Mrs. Dorothy Price, Mrs. Cecilia Stanfield, Mrs. Florence Whatley, Mr. G. L. Cox, Mrs. Mildred Deese, Mrs. Ruby Dyer, Mrs. Velma Gary, Mr. A. M. (Gus) Gary, Mrs. Mary Glasscock, Mrs. Dorothy Kirk, Mrs. Myrtice McNatt, Mrs. Katherine Platchen, Mrs. Katherine Platt, Mrs. Patricia Shenard, Mrs. Bebye Shepard, Mrs. Rebye Solfen, Mr. Robert L., Jr. Solfin, Mrs. Willie Mao Mr. Robert L., Jr. Solfin, Mrs. Willie Mae Smith, Mrs. Claudia Mae —B— Price, Mrs. Mabel Lucinda Conner No. 1006 Southerlan, Mrs. Mass Catherine Dickerson, Mrs. Virginia Henderson, Mr. Paul Jacks, Mr. D. A. Lowe, Mrs. Johnnie Mae McDonald, Mrs. Crace Power, Mrs. Ruby Smith, Mrs. Darlene Webb. Miss Diane

Ballweg, Mrs. Lillian Ballweg, Mr. Martin Bramlett, Mrs. Helen Bramlett, Mr. T. R. (Chuck) Mr. 1. h. (Chuck) Cartwright, Mrs. Wanda Jo Cartwright, Mr. W. R. Coates, Mrs. Elva Mae Coates, Mr. Kenneth D. David Daniel, Mrs. Johnnie Ruth Harmon, Mrs. Lucile Oakley Henderson, Mrs. Cleo Limoges, Mrs. Mary Jo Luce, Mrs. Floy McDonald, Mrs. Jewell McLonaid, MMRS. Jewell Scott, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, Mr. Harold L. Smith, Mrs. Ruby Smith, Mrs. Velma Lee Smith, Mr. Willie E. Spencer, Mrs. Sadie Thomas Mrs. Moraia Thomas, Mrs. Nannie Waldrop, Mrs. Jean Wall, Mrs. Ola Williams. Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, Mr. Riley C. -B

Mannering, Mrs. Lochie Whatley, Mrs. Betty

Mabank No. 821

-A-

Guinn, Mrs. Floy Jo Hyde, Mrs. Dorthy Pollock, Mrs. Grace Stegall, Mrs. Marselle Stegall, Mr. Spencer

-A---Blankenship, Mrs. Opal Brown, Miss Catherine

Malakoff No. 1012

Whatley, Mrs. Marguerite

Marshall No. 356

Anderson, Mrs. Minnie Barnett, Mrs. Cosette Burks, Mrs. Thelma

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Webb, Miss Diane Wells, Mrs. Ella

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Barton, Mrs. Gladys Brown, Mrs. Minnie Moore, Mr. Jack A.

#### Maud No. 879

-A-Alexander, Mrs. Peggy Alexander, Mr. Thurman J. Mr. Internet Culpepper, Mrs. Shirley B. Harper, Mrs. Gladys Hodgson, Mrs. Frances \_B.

Hodges, Culpper, Mr. Doyle Rumbo, Mrs. Pauline

McKinney No. 518

-A-

Addington, Mrs. Brenda Bailey, Mrs. Ollyne Bailey, Mrs. Ollyne Benningfield, Mrs. Virginia Bond, Mrs. Fern Branch, Mrs. Billie Burns, Mrs. Martha C. Cantrell, Mrs. Betty Cantrell, Mrs. Sue Childress, Miss Rebecca Herndon, Mrs. Ada Lewis, Mrs. Jewell Moore, Mrs. Willena Skidmore, Mr. Ed Skidmore, Mr. Ed Skidmore, Mrs. Marie Talkington, Mrs. Alice Tidwell, Mrs. Geneva

-B Jones, Mrs. Maud

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#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 1-Continued

Mesquite No. 887

Allen, Mrs. Irene Busby, Mrs. Frances Jones, Mrs. Barbara Jones, Mr. Harold Pigg, Mr. David Pigg, Mrs. Loreta Rook, Mrs. Marjorie Stone, Mrs. Peggy Tally, Mrs. Helen A. -8

Burns, Mrs. Altice

Midlothian No.2 34

-A-Browning, Mrs. Jessie Browning, Mr. Robert Davis, Mrs. Dovie Parker, Mrs. Virginia Turner, Mrs. Myrtle Williams, Mrs. Lou Willie -B-

Watkins, Mrs. Grace

Mike H. Thomas No. 951

- \_-A\_ Cheek, Mrs. Virginia Holland, Mrs. Jackie Ripley, Mrs. Gladys Turner, Mrs. Nadine Turner, Mr. Stanton
- -B Brown, Mrs. Virginia Duren, Miss Mary

Mineola No. 454

\_A\_ Chappell, Mrs. Elva Jones, Mr. Claude Jones, Mrs. Minnie Kopecky, Mrs. Mildred Pierce, Mrs. Tennie Shoemaker, Mrs. Delores

Simmons, Mrs. Inez Simmons, Mr. J. H.

Blackburn, Mrs. Valarie Logan, Mrs. Ruth

#### Montalba No. 924

----A----Beck, Mrs. Rachel Vannoy, Mrs. Lula Vannoy, Mr. Ton

#### Mount Auburn No. 755

-A-

Cannady, Mrs. Octa May Chandler, Mrs. Frances Casteel, Mrs. Robbie

Gray, Mr. Thomas Jerry New Boston No. 700 Harcurn, Mrs. Marie Lee, Mr. Robert E. Meador, Mrs. Rubye Patton, Mrs. Kate Reynolds, Mrs. Marye Wokaty, Mr. T. W. Wokaty, Mrs. Virginia Watl, Mrs. Virginia -B Gray, Mrs. Patricia Lee, Mrs. Dell Marie Stafford, Mrs. Charlene

Mount Pleasant No. 305

Austin, Mrs. Mattie Austin, Mr. Sam Boeker, Mr. Albert Lee Boeker, Mrs. Anita H. Burnett, Mrs. Jean Hensley, Mrs. Eva Mae Johnson, Mrs. Exa Surovik, Mr. John H. Surovik, Mrs. Milady

Mount Sylvan No. 595

-A-Ammons, Mrs. Bonnie C. Beaird, Mrs. Mary Buchanan, Mrs. Narnie Dowell, Mrs. Faye Gary, Mrs. Mary Hobbs, Mrs. Lora

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Stone, Mrs. Sarah

Mount Vernon No. 956

----A---Morris, Mr. Lisbon L. Morris, Mrs. Hazel Williamson, Mrs. Thelma

#### Naples No. 907

---A----

Hampton, Mrs. Alicia Leeves, Mrs. Ruby

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Barnes, Mrs. Hazel

#### Nash No. 320

Kirby, Mr. Elizabeth Kirby, Mr. Herbert Kirby, Mr. Jerry N. Kirby, Mrs. Joycie Kirby, Mrs. Suazzanne

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Herrington, Miss Alleen King, Mr. Clyde

-A-Barfield, Mrs. Marie Birdwell, Mrs. Daphne Boswell, Mr. James Boswell, Mrs. Ruby Burden, Mrs. Helen Clark, Mr. Conley E. Clark, Mrs. Nobie Evenemen Mrs. Lessie F. Freeman, Mrs. Jessie F. Frost, Mrs. Nella Skalberg, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Ruby

#### Nocona No. 62

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Butler, Mr. Dan C. Butler, Mrs. Rama Hankins, Mrs. Hazel Patterson, Mrs. Mae Patterson, Miss Peggy Patterson, Mr. Roy C. Shelton, Mrs. Connie Womble, Mrs. Emily

#### Oak Cliff No. 303

-A-Alexander, Mrs. Mary Caskey, Mrs. Ann Lee Caskey, Mr. Orvil M. Derrick, Mrs. Eunice Elmore, Mrs. Mattie Mae Harris, Mrs. Martha Hopkins, Mrs. Naomi Lomas, Mrs. Goldie S. Melton, Mrs. Shirley Joyce Naeter, Mrs. Edith Plunk, Mrs. Lavelle Mrs. Gloria Principe, Mrs. Gloria Richardson, Mrs. Louise Rollinson. Mrs. Mary Lou Schaedel, Mrs. Alice E. Shipman, Mrs. Gessie Wilson, Mrs. Blanche E. Omaha No. 997

---A----Carpenter, Mrs. Frances

-B Wilkinson, Mrs. Allie Lee

Ore City No. 1033 -A-

Hawthorne, Mrs. Alberta Hawthorne, Mr. Johnny Henderson, Mrs. Mary Pillion, Mrs. Totsie Rogers, Mrs. Sybil Whitt, Mr. James Whitt, Mrs. Jeppie

#### Overton No. 830

-A Banks, Mrs. LaVerne Burks, Mrs. Jessie Mae

Cowsar, Mrs. Marei Cowsar, Mr. O. E. Fordham, Mrs. Doris Hart, Mrs. Delores Haskins, Mr. Raymond Haskins, Mr. Raymond La Grone, Mrs. Ennie Major, Mrs. Pat Reynolds, Mrs. Dona Reynolds, Mr. Roger W. Shepherd, Mrs. Mary Skeen, Mrs. Bernice Ward, Mrs. Molly

Palestine No. 395

\_A\_ -A--Armsrong, Mrs. Ruby Dean, Mrs. Belle Eades, Mrs. Lillie Frayer, Mr. J. D. Holloway, Mr. Dale Holloway, Mrs. Dila Kelly, Mr. Virgil Kilpatrick, Mrs. John Kilpatrick, Mrs. Marie Lassiter Mrs. Hazel Kilpatrick, Mrs. Mar Lassiter, Mrs. Hazel Miller, Mrs. Mildred Marie Montgomery, Mrs. Evelyn

#### Paris No. 5

-A-Bolin, Mrs. Lois Burch, Mrs. Lovenia Franklin, Mrs. Geneva Kiker, Mr. Smith Mason, Mrs. Ruth Meadlin, Mr. Leonard Meaturn, Mrs. Leonart Rea, Mrs. Pauline Smart, Mrs. Mary Stalls, Mrs. Dixie Stephens, Mrs. Pearl Stillman, Mrs. Mabel Wanyer, Mrs. Orado Wenyer, Mrs. Crace Weaver, Mrs. Grace Williams, Mrs. Hecti: -B

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Killebrew, Mrs. Vivian Patterson, Mrs. Mabel

#### Pilot Point No. 1025

Amos, Mrs. Minnie Eddleman, Mrs. Norene Jean, Mrs. Myrtle Marshall, Mrs. Lola Shearer, Mrs. Elizabeth Shelton, Mrs. Carolyn

Pine Hill No. 675

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Compton, Mrs. Nellie Giles, Mrs. Helen Orr, Mrs. Dorothy Orr, Mr. Merwyn Ross, Mrs. Marie Ross, Mrs. Mary

-Br Giles, Mr. L. T.

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#### Pine Tree No. 1090

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-A-Baxley, Mr. John A. Baxley, Mrs. Violet Coffey, Mrs. Billie Earnhardt, Mrs. Patsy Few, Mrs. Agnes Fry, Mrs. Virgie Grammer, Mrs. Margie Grammer, Mrs. Margie Gunn, Mrs. Delores Hart, Mrs. Certie Hood, Mrs. Monteen Hood, Mr. Woodrow McKinney, Mrs. Grace Orms, Mrs. Janet Roberts, Mr. J. E. Roberts, Miss Linda Junell Roberts, Mrs. Margart Thomas, Mrs. Mary

Pittsburg No. 381

-A-Amis, Mrs. Maude Beckham, Mr. James L. Davis, Mrs. Florence Fuller, Mrs. Eva Hoffman, Mrs. Mary S. Reynolds, Mrs. Eunice Rudolph, Mrs. Oma

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Tucker, Mrs. Burta

Plano No. 703

------A----Carpenter, Mr. Don S. Carter, Mrs. Alma Davis, Mrs. Betty Lou Davis, Mrs. Berty Lou Durham, Mrs. Linda Gray, Mrs. Rowena Herrin, Mrs. Mattie Hugghins, Mrs. Hazel Hugghins, Mr. James T. Johnson, Mrs. Dora Junker, Mrs. Louise McElyea, Mrs. Sue Byan Mrs. Eloise Ryan, Mrs. Eloise Stoneman, Mr. Paul Stoneman, Mrs. Ruth

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Morgan, Mrs. Willie K.

Quitman No. 695

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Brown, Mrs. Sarah F. Delk, Mrs. Eather Glueck, Mr. A. A. Glueck, Mrs. Lois Ingram, Mrs. Catherine Ingram, Ingram, Mr. James David Shields, Mrs. Ozie Shields, Mrs. W. R. Sullivan, Mr. Herschal Todd, Mrs. Elsie Walterhouse, Mrs. Iaguita Mrs. Jaquita

Reeves, Mrs. Geraldine R. A. Terrell No. 194 A---Adams, Mrs. Lula Armstrong, Mrs. Linda Knipp, Mr. Guy Miller, Mrs. Virginia Banks, Mrs. Ethelene Richardson No. 921 -A--Allison, Mr. Don Allison, Mrs. Dorothea Fikes, Mrs. Mary V. Fikes, Robert L. Hyde, Mrs. Margaret Iles, Mrs. Jessie Jackson, Mrs. Mary Nichols, Mrs. Georgia Putnam, Mrs. Dorothy Sutton, Mr. Owena Wilder, Mr. Cecil F. Wilder, Mrs. Jackie -A--- A Richland No. 392 -A-Smelly, Mr. David J. Smelly, Mrs. Ollie Marie Livingston, Lena Ruth -A-Rockwall No. 858 ---- A-----Chapman, Mrs. Bessie Darr, Miss Ovie Klutts, Mr. J. R. McKee, Mrs. Doris Peoples, Mrs. Janice -B----B-Klutts, Mrs. Vera -<u>A</u>-Bose Garden No. 975 -A--Anderson, Mrs. Virginia Bostick, Mr. C. L. Bostick, Mr. C. L. Bostick, Mr. C. L. Bostick, Mr. C. L. Bostick, Mr. E. O. Cates, Mrs. Mildred Couch, Mrs. Dorothy Evans, Mrs. Elaine Evans, Mrs. Elaine Evans, Mrs. Elaine Evans, Mrs. Elaine Hinyard, Mr. Paul B. Hinyard, Mr. S. Ruby Jones, Mrs. Connie Lawhorn, Mrs. Lvda McChristy, Mrs. Bessie Newman, Mrs. Ruby Pitts, Mrs. Ana Lena --A----

Pitts, Mrs. Ana Lena Pitts, Miss Flora Ann

Pope, Mrs. Ina Ross, Mrs. Pauline R. Smith, Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Mr. J. Edwin Thompson, Mrs. Esther ——B—— Pitts, Mr. J. Harmon Todd, Mrs. Odessa Royse City No. 642 ----A----A-Baley, Mrs. Shirley Parks, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, Mrs. Anniece Rov Stanley No. 1086 --A---Boyd, Mrs. Ida Mae Dingenthal, Mrs. Ella Johnson, Mr. D. Murl Johnson, Mrs. Lucille Lawson, Mrs. Cladys A. Magruder, Mr. John B. Noyes, Mrs. Judith A. Penny, Mrs. Judith A. Penny, Mrs. Opal Prior, Mrs. Lucille Story Mrs. Anna Belle Story, Mrs. Anna Belle Story, Mr. M. E. Syjonky, Mrs. Rose Rusk No. 79

Favaron, Mrs. Ada B. Johnston, Mrs. Augie L. Moses, Mrs. Audrey Ross, Mrs. Margaret Sanders, Mrs. Varine Scoggins, Mrs. Joyce Sherman, Mrs. Nina D.

Gunter, Mrs. Jewel

Saint Jo. No. 17

Hammer, Mrs. Willie Miller, Mrs. Connie Miller, Mrs. Connie Miller, Mrs. Metta Roach, Miss Edna Shields, Mrs. Frankye Tucker, Mrs. Ruby

Sam P. Cochran U. D.

Blackwood, Mrs. Myrtle Evans, Mr. Chester Evans, Mrs. Cleo Grantham, Mrs. Verda James, Mr. John E. MacFarland,

MacFarland, Stone, Mrs. Clara Mr. Hamilton MacFarland, Mrs. Nelda Sulphur Springs No. 718 Smith, Mrs. Winona

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Cotten, Mrs. Betty Jo James, Mrs. Lynn

Sanger No. 1027

-A-Berry, Mrs. Hallie DeBorde, Mrs. Wanda Garrett, Mrs. Billie Higgs, Mr. Huston Higgs, Mrs. Jane Richardson, Mrs. Edith

#### Seagoville No. 697

Easterling, Mrs. Barbara Ganey, Mrs. Mary Welch, Mrs. Reba Welch, Mrs. Orris F.

\_B\_\_\_ Sewell, Mrs. Elsie

Southern Star No. 707

-A--A.-Bandy, Mrs. Lois Cox, Mrs. Albert C. Cox, Mrs. Jean Hudson, Mrs. Gail Hudson, Mr. John Kelly, Mrs. Opal Lee Kelly, Mr. James J. Moore, Mrs. Edith West, Mrs. Virginia

#### Spanish Fort No. 284

Brandon, Mrs. Lee Garpenter, Mrs. Lee Gist, Mrs. Osa McClennen, Mrs. Roxy McClennen, Mr. Carrol Nicholson, Mr. B. F. Wade, Mrs. Mary E. Roxye

Starlight No. 1016

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Bostick, Mrs. Evie (W. E., Sr.) Brisco, Mrs. Billie Chappell, Mrs. Mary Chappell, Mrs. Mary Dickerson, Mrs. Sue Hall, Mrs. Martha Hall, Mr. Wayne Huffman, Mrs. Lois Kendall, Mrs. Cathern Kendall, Mr. Marvin McCranie, Mrs. Virginia Mobbs, Mr. L. T. Reed, Mrs. Willie C. Richardson. Richardson. Mrs. Katje Lee Rutherford, Mrs. Juanita Skinner, Mr. B. T. Skinner, Mrs. Gladys Stone, Mrs. Clara

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Davis, Mrs. Frances Davis, Mr. Frat E. Foster, Mrs. Ina Lee

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Garrison, Mrs. Lizzie Lou Lancaster, Mrs. Lois Lancaster, Mr. Robt. Lee, Mrs. Aline Quary, Mrs. Merle Walters, Mrs. Margaret Weaver, Mrs. Vernon

\_R\_ Gossett, Mrs. Jo McKeever, Mrs. Janette

#### Talco No. 846

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Cunningham, Mrs. Audrey Sloan, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Ivy Taylor, Mrs. Lola

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Cogburn, Mrs. Ruby

Templar No. 374

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Chambers, Mrs. Odessa Coursey, Mr. Robert T.

Coursey, Mrs. Sarah Valkus Frazier, Miss Alice D. Horton, Mrs. Mary Jacobs, Mrs. Virginia L. Johnson, Mrs. Lucile M. Johnson, Mrs. Marjorie Jones, Mrs. Opal Lofton, Mrs. Mabel Maness, Mrs. Ruby Massey, Mrs. Beulah Moore, Mrs. Mary Morgan, Mrs. Kathleen

Mrs. Kathleen McConathy, Mrs. Ann Racey, Mrs. Marjorie Reynolds, Mrs. Marguerite Rufsvold, Mrs. Maude Stevens, Mrs. Mary Stevens, Mr. W. D. Strickland, Mrs. Joyce Summer, Mrs. Claire Tines, Mrs. Velma Young, Mrs. Pauline Veach. Mrs. Buna

# Tennessee Coloney No. 102

-A-Ashton, Mrs. Ola Asnron, Mrs. Ola Calcote, Mrs. Edith D. Carroll, Mr. Charles Carroll, Mrs. Louise Chandler, Mrs. Helen Chandler, Mr. W. M. Ewers, Mrs. Juanita Ewers, Mr. Lawrence McCallister, Mrs. Irene McCallister, Mr. Lee McKinney, Mrs. Neta R. Maximley, Mrs. Robbie Pagitt, Mrs. Bobbie Pagitt, Mr. H. C. Tucker, Mrs. Pearl Ward, Mrs. Annie Lou Woolverton, Mrs. Betty

-B Hardin, Mrs. Lillian Owen, Mr. Hoy Massey, Mrs. Cladys Massey, Mr. Edd Mrs. Lillian

Troup No. 421

-A--

Ashcraft, Mrs. Rena Coats, Mrs. Sarah E. Fitch, Mr. L. C. McClung, Mrs. Eula McClung, Mr. L. H.

#### Tyler No. 112

-A---Barron, Mr. Clinton F. Barron, Mr. Clinton F. Bradshaw, Mrs. Georgia Bowers, Mrs. Frances Bowers, Mr. Verner Clark, Mrs. Bess C. Curtis, Mrs. Mildred Dunwoody, Mrs. Ola Ellis, Mrs. Linda A. Felty, Mrs. Norma J. Helton Mrs. Sue Helton, Mrs. Sue Hunter, Mrs. Audie Jones, Mrs. Grace Kee, Mrs. Frances 

 Kee, Mrs. Frances
 Rudd, Mrs. Helen

 Potter, Mrs. Eleanor
 Waxahachie No. 599

 Smith, Mrs. Luzeile
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 Smith, Mrs. Lucille
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 Tippitt, Mrs. Lola Mae
 Black, Miss Flora Je

 Worster, Mrs. Marminie
 Clark, Mrs. Myrtle

—B—

Bradshaw, Miss Deborah Carter, Miss Judy Ann Ellis, Mr. Elmer Gene

#### Vickerv No. 1039

Ard, Mrs. Lela Boyd, Mr. Charles D. Boyd, Mrs. Dorothy M. Grouch, Mrs. Blanche Crouch, Mrs. Blanche Farrar, Mrs. Miss Rebecca A. Hutchison, Mrs. Bernice Hutchison, Mrs. Bernice Townsend, Townsend, Hutchison, Mrs. Bernice Brookshear, Mrs. Jewell Robinson, Mr. James L. Scott, Mrs. Janice

Townsend, Mrs. Margaret E. Wright, Mrs. Dora Vienna Buckner No. 888 -A-

-A--Bone, Mrs. Marchetta Cash, Mrs. Thelma Chapman, Mrs. Millie Ewing, Mr. Walter Fling, Mrs. Nancy Jones, Mrs. Patricia Lillard, Mrs. Florence Pembetron, Mrs. Jewel Pemberton, Mr. Jewel Pemberton, Mr. Weldon Rives, Mrs. Nancy Shaw, Mrs. Nancy Smith, Mr. Matt Stephens, Mrs. Sue \_B\_\_\_

Bone, Mr. Elvis O.

Village No. 1030

----A----Craig, Mrs. Jean Craig, Mr. Floyd Dickerson, Mr. John McCoy, Mrs. Marie B.

#### Waskom No. 812

-A-Bagley, Mrs. Maude Campbell, Mrs. Daisy Collins, Mrs. Opal Davis, Mrs. Vashti Friend, Mrs. Johnnie Pedro, Mrs. Frances Rudd, Mrs. Helen

Adams, Mrs. Emma Black, Miss Flora Jean Black, Miss Karen Gail Clark, Mrs. Myrtle McWhorter, Mrs. Cora Yarbrough, Mrs. Uneeda

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Adams, Mr. W. E. Buchanan, Mrs. Sadie

## Whitesboro No. 708

Whitewright No. 939

Alexander, Mrs. Laura J. Alexander, Mr. M. F. Geer, Mrs. Amy Jo Robinson, Mrs. Georgia

-B-

Williams, Mrs. Mildred

Wills Point No. 366

-A Cartwright, Mrs. Violet Chandler, Mrs. Alma

#### Winnie No. 160

-A--Bennett, Mrs. Louise Dodd, Mrs. Margaret Hare, Mrs. Grace Hawkins, Mrs. Louise Jones, Mrs. Rebecca Jones, Mrs. Lillian Pool, Mrs. Elois Bichardson, Mr. A. C. Richardson, Mr. A. C. Schoeps, Miss Susie Whitacre, Mrs. Lola

Winnsboro No. 967

-----A--Beasley, Mrs. Hallye Faulk, Mrs. Beulah Mae Folmar, Mrs. Rachel Graves, Mrs. Lorene Junior, Mrs. Donna Lockey, Mr. N. H. Southerland, Mrs. Mae Williamson, Mrs. Ota Wilson, Mrs. Hazel

Wortham No. 966

-A-Bounds, Mrs. Wretha Denson, Mrs. Faye Elliott, Mrs. Odell Gorman, Mrs. Dawn McCommon, Mrs. Hallie Reese, Mrs. Wilma Weaver, Mrs. Jewell Wilson, Mrs. Vada

Bays, Mrs. Katie Bounds, Mr. Charles

Wylie No. 977

## -A-

-R.

Eubanks, Mrs. Willie Mae Nelson, Mrs. Opal Simmons, Mrs. Faye Stewart, Mrs. Helen

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#### CERTIFICATES GRANTED FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971-District No. 2

#### Abernathy No. 877

-A-

-B Barnett, Mrs. Vivian Cunningham, Mrs. Patsy McKenzie, Mrs. Lucille

#### Abilene No. 30

-A-

Ballew, Mrs. Mary Bever, Mr. Thomas W. Bever, Mrs. Wilma Bush, Mr. Oliver A. Bush, Mrs. Virginia M. Calcote, Mrs. Ruth Calcote, Mrs. Kuth Claxton, Mrs. Nola Claxton, Mr. Odis A. Clayton, Mr. Dora Lee Clayton, Mr. Yates Edmonds, Mrs. Mae Galentine, Mrs. Alma Galentine, Mr. Dean Gatlin Mrs. Ita Gatlin, Mrs. Ita Hendricks, Mr. Wade Jeter, Mrs. Lela Jeter, Mrs. Lela Lennard, Mrs. Allie Mae Massey, Mrs. Gladys Parker, Mrs. Dorothy Parker, Mr. James Posey, Mr. Forrest Posey, Mrs. Lula Mae Bogers Mrs. Outa Posey, Mrs. Lula Ma Rogers, Mrs. Ollie Snell, Mr. Clarence Snell, Mrs. Evelyn Willia, Mrs. Annie Jewell

Woolsey, Mrs. Gladys

 $\mathbf{p}_{-}$ Hayden, Mrs. Chrisine Hendricks, Mrs. Clarice Shedd, Mrs. Angela

Adobe Walls No. 1059

—A—

Buckley, Mrs. Bernice Dillard, Mrs. Viola Hendren, Mrs. Frances Laughlin, Mrs. Rubye Rawlings, Mrs. Joy Rawlings, Mr. Marshall Weddington, Mrs. Athene

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Brownlee, Mrs. June Folev, Mrs. Mildred Stephens, Mrs. Nina

A. E. Shirley No. 986

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Carver Mrs. Faye Carver, Mr. J. T.

Cawthron, Mrs. Darline Chitwood, Mr. Earl R. Chitwood, Mrs. Nettie Blumenstock, Mrs. Hazel Cleere, Mrs. Lorene Conn, Mrs. Dorotha Lovelace, Mrs. Edith Matthews, Mrs. Eliza R. Kimber, Mr. Harold W. Speer, Mrs. Beulah Chemer, Mrs. Mary Lym Kimber, Mrs. Mary Lym Mrs. Frances Latham, Mrs. Frances Lowe, Mr. J. B. Lowe, Mr. J. B. Lowe, Mrs. Lois Miller, Mrs. Guila Modrall, Mrs. Dorothy Moore, Mrs. Lucile Parish, Mrs. Dorothy Parish, Mr. Wayne Sadler, Mrs. Katherine Smith, Mr. Wayne Thompson, Mr. John A. Thompson, Mrs. Ruth A. Walker, Miss Angie N. Walker, Miss Angie N. Wooten, Mrs. Ioma

> .R Bosley, Mrs. Peggy Jo Burgess, Mr. Jesse B. Miller, Mr. Ralph

Alpine No. 132

-----A----Burnett, Mr. Hal Burnett, Mrs. Rachel McElroy, Mrs. Nellie Mae Wyatt, Mrs. Frances

-B-

Cowell, Mrs. Louise Schonberg, Mrs. Edith Virdell, Mrs. Ola Mae

Amarillo No. 787

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Beall, Mrs. Dot Bruce, Mr. Ira S. Bruce, Mrs. Lois Cage, Mrs. Edwina Dunn, Mrs. Clifford Elliott, Mrs. Annis Jones, Mrs. Jocie E. Jones, Mr. Victor Jones, Mr. Victor Lawrence, Mrs, Willie Mae Nichols, Mrs. Louise Norman, Mrs. Bessie Randle, Mr. Farrell Ross, Mrs. Betsy B. Snodgrass, Mrs. Wretha Walker, Mr. A. W. Walker, Mr. A. W. Walker, Mr. Athryn Winburn, Mrs. Kathryn inburn, Miss Kathy

Andrews No. 849

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-A-Crawford, Mrs. Ola Faye Eggleston, Mrs. Cleo Harrell, Mrs. Ethel Harrell, Mr. John Hesson, Mrs. Mae Jefferson, Mrs. Wilma

Lybrand, Mr. Lowell R. Hancock, Lybrand, Mrs. Pauline Philips, Mrs. Almeta

Anson No. 867

—.A.—. Baxter, Mrs. Faye Bingham, Mrs. Katie Cross, Mrs. Faye Dougherty, Miss Ima B. Hammack, Mrs. Frances Harms, Mrs. Ann Holloway Holloway, Mrs. Essie Pearl

Mrs. Essie Pearl Jenkins, Mrs. Traleta Kirby, Miss Stella Kirby, Mr. W. L. Morris, Mrs. Alene Parrack, Mrs. Eula Parsons Mrs. Virginia White, Mr. Carroll White, Mrs. Dorothy

-B-Hunter, Mrs. Essie Wheeler, Mrs. Ellen Williams, Mrs. Otha

Anton No. 936

----A-----Zant, Mrs. Lottie

Archer No. 917

-A-Ikard, Mrs. Meda Killian, Mrs. Martha

Big Spring No. 67

--A---Allen, Mrs. Bonnie Baker, Mrs. Marjorie Baker, Mrs. Marjorie Baker, Mrs. Marjorie Baker, Mrs. Barbara Daily, Mrs. Barbara Daily, Mrs. Doris McCarley, Mrs. Algur McCarley, Mrs. Algus Peters, Mrs. Lois Ryan, Mrs. Zane

Bluegrove No. 978

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Lumpkin, Mrs. Willie

Bonita No. 184

------A------Bebout, Mrs. Lynette Biggers, Mrs. Cressie Biggers, Mr. L. O. Brawley, Mrs. Stadie Mae Brune, Mr. William Errington, Mrs. Marjorie

Hancock, Mr. Vernon Hinchey, Mrs. Jo E. Hughes, Mrs. Betty Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Pearl Ratjen, Mrs. Lena Vogel, Mrs. Bertha Wallis, Mrs. Jeanne Wallis, Mr. Wayne

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Kaker, Mrs. Kathery. Bennett, Mrs. Zetta Hinchey, Mr. Lynn

Borger No. 811

--A----Airington, Mrs. Charleen Airington, Mr. O. O. Alexander, Mrs. Carolinę Boyd, Mrs. Velma Burke, Mrs. Dorothy Faylor, Mrs. Mary Margaret Fowler, Mrs. Lillian Harris, Mrs. Clara Harris, Mr. Foster Jackson, Mrs. Ada Mathews, Mrs. Betty Jean Sewell, Mrs. Viva Stevens, Mrs. Maudie Stewart, Mrs. Frances

\_\_\_\_B\_\_\_ Boyd, Mr. B. D.

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Brownfield No. 785

Arnold, Mrs. Ruby Lee Blankenship, Mrs. Edna Brown, Mrs. Lura Buchanan, Mrs. Grace Ellis, Mrs. Lera Goodpasture, Mrs. Molly Nelson, Mrs. Melvina

----B--Hill, Mrs. Lucille Nelson, Mr. John W. Rosson, Mrs. Margaret Treadaway, Mrs. Doris

Burkburnett No. 655

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Anderson, Mrs. Gladys Anderson, Mr. Ray W. Clements, Mrs. Evie Jones, Mrs. Jessie D. Morine, Mrs. Pauline Smith, Mrs. Bertie Vaughn, Mrs. Virginia

\_B-Bass, Mrs. Faye Bookbinder, Mrs. Opal Goossens, Mr. Irvin L. 1

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#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 2-Continued

#### Byers No. 130

-A-Muse, Mrs. Wanda Rush, Mrs. Vashti

#### Canadian No. 227

-A-Folley, Mrs. Nettie Stephens, Mr. Durward J. W.

-B-Slaten, Mrs. Winnie D. Slaten, Mr. W. F.

Canvon City No. 105

-A-Bible, Mrs. Beulah Bible, Mr. Billy G. Campfield, Mrs. Ethel Campfield, Mr. H. E. Clark, Mrs. Santa Lou Dowlen, Mrs. Cortez Parsons, Mr. E. J. Parsons, Mrs. Osce Patterson, Miss Lou Ella Perkins, Mrs. Alma Spencer, Mr. J. W. Walters, Mrs. Rae M. -B

Bewley, Mr. Jesse W. Wright, Mrs. Anna

Channing No. 1078

-----A----Bryant, Mrs. Agnes Garrett, Mrs. Evalyn Green, Mrs. Pauleen Ledbetter, Mrs. Alleen Rattan, Mrs. Shirley Rattan, Mr. Garland Waldrip, Mrs. Frances

-B-Harris, Mrs. Elizabeth Weod, Mrs. Margaret

#### Childress No. 101

Baker, Mrs. Mondeleen Dodge, Mrs. Kay Dudley, Mrs. Esteele Harman, Mrs. Bennie Kinney, Mrs. Corene Knight, Mr. Harper Knight, Mrs. Juanita Leonard, Mr. Bill Martindale, Mrs. Irby Painter. Painter, Mrs. Marv Ellen Rule, Mrs. Evie Shirley, Mrs. Louise

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Leonard, Mrs. Marcia Richardson, Mrs. Mary Shelton, Mrs. Wilma

\_A-McCann, Mrs. Opal Miles, Mrs. Eula E, Nicholson, Mrs. Geneva Poynor, Mrs. Emalea Poynor, Mr. Willie D. Ramsay, Mrs. Geraldine Ruckman, Mrs. Dell Stokes, Mrs. Shirley Wilson, Mrs. Faye

Clara Mills No. 1032

#### Clarendon No. 6

A. Bairfield, Mr. Charles E. Bairfield, Mrs. Thelma Henson, Mrs. Frankie Hudson, Mrs. Vena Kennedy, Mrs. Anne Kennedy, Mr. Van

#### Claude No. 104

.A. Ballard, Mrs. Edith Davis, Mrs. Lucille Johnson, Mrs. Allie Mae Wilson, Mrs. Ruth A. -B-Cobb, Mrs. Jimmye Jo Wooley, Mrs. Maeallena

#### Coahoma No. 499

-A---Grant, Mr. David E. Grant Grant, Mrs. Norma Phillips, Mrs. Addie Tanner, Mrs. Edna Tanner, Mr. H. H. Turner, Mrs. Bertie Westmoreland, Mrs. Eula Bess

--B---Grant, Mrs. Janice

#### Colorado No. 58

-A-—A— Elliott, Mrs. Elizabeth Elliott, Mr. Lewis Hamrick, Mrs. Maggie Hardegree, Mrs. Ethel Jeffries, Mrs. Eleanor Oyler, Mrs. Margaret C. Porter, Mrs. Lena

-B Hamrick, Mrs. Rosia Lemons, Mrs. Jeanette

Cora Posey No. 1072

--<u>A</u>----Allison, Mrs. Lee Bush, Mr. Eldon Bush, Mrs. Marie Crossland, Mrs. Faye

Day, Mrs. Joyce Denson, Mr. M. R. Dominy, Mr. James F. Dominy, Mrs. Louise Fuller, Mrs. Gertrude S. Greenhaw, Mrs. Doris Harris, Mrs. W. L. Hill, Miss Ruth Howington, Mrs. Willie Laura Mrs. Wilhe Laura Logsdon, Mr. Charles W. Musick, Mr. D. C. Musick, Mrs. Brama Perry, Mrs. Emma Redies, Mrs. Frances Turner, Miss Mary Edna Watson Mr. A. A Watson, Mr. A. A. Watson, Mrs. Inez 
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 rrost, Mrs. Carol

 Breeding, Mrs. Vi Doris
 Phillips, Mrs. Betty

 Crossland, Mr. Raymond
 Phillips, Mrs. Zoa Faye

 Dan, Mrs. Clara
 Phillips, Mrs. Zoa Faye

 Denson, Mrs. Lelia
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 Lee, Mrs. Ora H.
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 Madison, Mrs. Bess
 Barker, Mrs. June

 Waite, Mrs. Dolly
 Foreman.

#### Crane No. 816

-A---A--Boyd, Mrs. Linda Jo Campbell, Mr. B. M. Campbell, Mrs. Roin Evians, Mrs. Billie Field, Mrs. Helen Miller, Mrs. Ottney Mills, Mrs. Hubert Mills, Mrs. Pearl Deceur Mrs Bernice Corinne Mills, Mrs. Fearl Passur, Mrs. Bernice Passur, Mr. Charles Spence, Mrs. Clara Spence, Mr. C. R. Wiley, Mrs. Faye Wilson, Mrs. Lela

Crosbyton No. 891

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Berry, Mrs. Margaret Ann Jones, Mrs. Vera Leatherwood, Mrs. Jewel McElroy, Mrs. Jewel Richardson, Mrs. Dama Smith, Mrs. Hallie B. Thornhill, Mrs. Rosa

Crowell No. 916

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Barker, Mrs. Roberta Carroll, Mrs. Bernice Carroll, Mrs. Marietta Estes, Mrs. Lottie Gentry, Mrs. Lottle Gentry, Mrs. Maggie Kenner, Mrs. Lizzie Moore, Mrs. Veral Moore, Mr. W. R. Thomas, Mrs. Vera

Pittillo, Mrs. Alyene

Dalhart No. 1051

-B

-A: Barker, Miss Juanita Byrd, Mrs. Blanche Byrd, Mr. E. F. Farrow, Mrs. Mary Gaddy, Mrs. Pauline Gracey, Mrs. Alma Gracey, Mr. Frank L. Harshbarger, Mrs. Edna

--B--Cross, Mrs. Velma Frost, Mrs. Carol

Foreman, Mrs. Kathleen Kasparian, Mr. Deron Kasparian, Mrs. Lowayne

-B-Franklin, Mrs. Dollie Franklin, Mr. Irvin E. Perry, Mrs. Lola Mae

Denver City No. 863

Fields, Mrs. Joyce Groom, Mrs. Helen Holland, Mrs. Esther Underhill Mrs. Genevieve

-B-Earls, Mrs. Erma Fleming, Mrs. Betty Orr, Mrs. Marty

Dimmitt No. 819

-A----Brown, Mr. Ira E. Maples, Mrs. Zonell Wilson, Mr. Raymond E.

-R Dannevick, Mrs. Martha

Dodson No. 814.

Birchfield, Mr. Tom Lowrie, Mrs. Erma Lee

Dumas No. 653

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Bussell, Mrs. Lou Vera Feltz, Mrs. Josie

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Kempson, Mrs. Ruth Knight, Mrs. Naomi Lewis, Mrs. Clive McDaniel, Mrs. Billie Rhoads, Mrs. Elizabeth Scott, Mrs. Allene Simmons, Mrs. Gertrude Stell, Mrs. Wanda Tullis, Mrs. Ruby

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Stauber, Mrs. Pearlie Mae

#### Earth No. 870

-A-Craft, Mrs. Jean Simmons, Mrs. Madell

R. Bock, Mrs. Fern

Electra No. 539

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Alexander, Mrs. Lois H. Cole, Mrs. Thula Davis, Mrs. Berha S.

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McKnight, Mrs. Bobbie

#### El Paso No. 4

Clayton, Mrs. Elza Clayton, Mr. John H. Dingwall, Mrs. Mabel H. Horton, Mr. John C. Horton, Mrs. Mary E. Horton, Mrs. Mary E. Hurt, Mrs. Nancy Langley, Mrs. Sibyl Langley, Mr. W. B. McKinney, Mrs. Alma Mearns, Mrs. Maizie Mearns, Mr. W. Crawford Miller, Mr. Emerson E. Miller, Mr. Emerson E. Powers, Mrs. Frances Richards, Mrs. Nina Richards, Mr. William J. Rhodes, Mrs. Bessie W. Rhodes, Mr. Ernest W. Roark, Mrs. Lillie Mae Schermerhorn, Mrs. Sally Wendt, Mrs. Ruth

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Johnson, Mrs. Rosalee Pierce, Mrs. Viola H. Stone, Mrs. Norma

#### Fabens No. 764

-A-Bills, Mrs. Elsie J. Crider, Mrs. Lucille Miller, Mrs. Gene Moore, Mr. Leo W. Moore, Mrs. Ruby Sanders, Mrs. Mildred

-A----Blassingame, Mrs. Jessie Chafin, Mrs. Amelia Chafin, Mrs. Earl O. Crawford, Mrs. Lucille Ellis, Mr. Ralph L. Magdanz, Mrs. Althea Miks Mrs. Mollie Phillips, Mrs. Virginia Sells, Mrs. Dorothy

---B-Ellis, Mrs. Billye Frances

Faith No. 713

Floydada No. 31

-A-Berry, Mrs. Velma Hines, Mrs. Elsie Hines, Mr. H. H. Huckabay, Mrs. Doris McNeill, Mrs. Flora Russell, Mrs. Roberta —B—

Reeves, Mrs. Jewell

#### Floyd Easterling No. 1074

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Beard, Mr. Horace L. Beard, Mrs. Laura L. Boles, Mrs. Joyce Burnett, Mrs. Riva Eaves, Mrs. Nina Eaves, Mrs. R. C. Hisaw, Mrs. Patty Holden, Mrs. Grace Martin, Mr. Fred C. Martin, Mrs. Tiny Pauline Mrs. Tiny Pauline McLaurin, Mrs. John Ellen Morris, Mr. Ezra C. Morris, Mrs. Ruby L. Ragsdale, Mrs. Beryl M. Starr, Mrs. Floy Starr, Mr. Notchey O. Windsor, Mrs. Estelle Harris, Mrs. Dorothy -B

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Becker, Mrs. Rosa Deeds, Mrs. June Fleming, Mrs. Ruth Herber, Mrs. Martha

Bourguin, Mrs. Sue Buckner, Mrs. La Veta Robertson, Mrs. Doris

·A-Adams, Mrs. Vera Cooke, Mrs. Ethel Sheppard, Mrs. Ruby Threadgill, Mrs. Marguerite E.

Fort Hancock No. 992

-B-Irby, Mrs. Arlien

Fort Stockton No. 230

Armistead, Mrs. Georgiann Faulkenberry, Mrs. Jean Fuelt, Mrs. Jennie Mr. Thomas R Hinson, Mrs. Mattie E. Jackson, Mr. A. D. Jackson, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, Mrs. Mary Lou Lennington, Mrs. Ellen Reed, Mrs. Odessa Reed, Mr. Richard M.

#### Freedom No. 898

-A-Bartlett, Mrs. Mattie Bell Bartlett, Mr. Troy P. Bevel, Mrs. Nell Goodpasture, Mrs. Glenn Kleinschmidt, Mrs. Shirley Mrs. Florian A. Mrs. Florian A. McClatchy, Mr. Earl E. McClatchy, Mrs. Ruth Stoneham, Mrs. Jo W. Webster, Mr. Don Webster, Mrs Sue

#### Friendship No. 1008

-A-Alcorn, Mrs. Blan Dahl, Mrs. Dovie Groves, Mrs. Alma Mrs. Blanche Kraemer, Mrs. Willadene Lawless, Mrs. Flo --B--Archer, Mrs. Doris Pollard, Mrs. Martha J. Slack, Mrs. Erma Gean Rogers, Mr. Henry Rogers, Mrs. Lois Ryan, Mrs. Grace Costes Mrs. Mary Matthews, Mrs. Ethel Money, Mrs. Dorothy Rogers, Mr. Henry, Jr. Scates, Mrs. Mary Sligar, Mrs. Cassie Sligar, Mr. Ira L. Wade, Mrs. Elvina White, Mrs. Elvina Zant, Mr. Joe C. Zant, Mrs. Virginia

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#### Friona No. 990

-A----Armstrong, Mrs. Barbara Boatman, Mrs. Bessie Brock, Mrs. Lorena McLellan, Mrs. Lillian Russell, Mr. Charles Russell, Mrs. Martha

-B Bainum, Mrs. Tina Hinton, Mrs. Karolyn Kay

Garden City No. 143

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Goldsmith No. 854

-A-Leftwich, Mrs. Lorene McBride, Mrs. Eddie McBride, Mr. E. E.

-B-Hatfield, Mrs. Lucil Hobbs, Mrs. Joyce Hobbs, Mr. Leonard Vaden, Mrs. Jessie Mrs. Lucille

#### Grandfalls No. 744

-- A --Eudaley, Miss Eleanor B. McNome, Mrs. George\_Ann Phillips, Mrs. Leola Phillps, Mr. V. C. Wilcox, Mr. L. E.

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Eudaly, Mrs. Mildred

#### Gruver No. 973

Nobles, Mr. Bobby L. Nobles, Mrs. Ozzelee

Hamlin No. 460

--A----Gibson, Mrs. Lillie

Herbst, Mrs. Alma

## Happy No. 562

Boyd, Mrs. Acie Dell Butler, Mrs. Willie Haley, Mrs. Gladys Henry, Mrs. Mary Neal Miller, Mrs. Catherine -A: Jones, Mrs. Betty S. Henry, Mrs. Mar Jowers, Mrs. Nell Miller, Mrs. Catl Tucker, Mrs. Connie M. Sims, Mrs. Ruth

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#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 2-Continued

Taylor, Mrs. Nora Wesley, Mrs. Pauline

—B-Dowd, Mrs. Evelyn Mann, Mrs. Ruth Shipman, Mrs. Evelyn

#### Harmony No. 244

-A----Conroy, Mr. Leslie J. Feeney, Mrs. Mazie Holmes, Mrs. Pauline Mayo, Mrs. Ruth Roberts, Mrs. Joyce Shadle, Mrs. Naomi C. Shadle, Mrs. Naomi Thornhill, Mrs. Bess Wedge, Mrs. Ida

-B Boutwell, Mrs. Marjorie Imperial No. 882 Hall, Miss Emma Flory, Mr. Arthur Flory, Mrs. Frances Murray, Mrs. Margaret Singleton, Mrs. Katherine Turner, Mrs. Annie M.

Haskell No. 892

Mullins, Mrs. Reatha

Hereford No. 312

\_A\_\_\_ Baker, Mrs. Kathleen Brown, Mrs. Clora Clark, Mrs. Charlotte Culpepper, Mrs. Nell Darden, Mrs. Dottie Hersbey, Mrs. Luanita Jarden, Mrs. Dothe Hershey, Mrs. Juanita Hromas, Mrs. Belle Hromas, Mrs. Belle Hutson, Mrs. Beatrice Noland, Mrs. Beatrice Noland, Mrs. Dorothy Roberson, Mr. Bernard Roberson, Mrs. Opal Roberson, Mrs. Tiny Lee

-B-Roberson, Mr. Deward B.

## Higgins No. 300

-A-Slavin, Mrs. Marilee Sullivan, Mrs. Ida E.

Holliday No. 851

-A Curlee, Mrs. Inez Henke, Mrs. Maxine King, Mrs. Agnes King, Mrs. Virginia

Hylton No. 494

--A---Bennett, Mrs. Clara

—B— Jones, Mrs. Minnie Kinard, Mrs. Lorene Moore, Mrs. Christene Rogers, Mrs. Juanita

#### Idalou No. 890

—A—-Atwood, Mr. Horace Atwood, Mrs. Lola Hendrick, Mrs. Nelle Sherrod, Mrs. Ruth

\_R Collins, Mrs. Lottie Haralson, Mrs. Imogene Summerlin, Mrs. Gatha Washington, Mrs. Mary Ann

-A-Ellis, Mrs. Lois Wood, Miss Nannette Wood, Mrs. Oleta

-B Hershberger, Mrs. Anna Oxford, Mrs. Sarah Yell Lamesa No. 363 Peabody, Mrs. Josie

Iowa Park No. 42

--A-Latimer, Mrs. Janis Whitaker, Mrs. Carolyn White, Mrs. Mary

-B---Gauntt, Mrs. Emma Traylor, Mr. Elmo Traylor, Mrs. Mildred

Iraan No. 832

-A----Montgomery, Mrs. Edith Rhinehart, Mrs. Mamie Whitefield, Mrs. Bessie -B

Schneider, Mrs. Thelma Feits, Mrs. Connie Sullivan, Mrs. Vivian J. A. Kemp No. 970 McDaniel, Mrs. Lautence, Mrs.

J. A. Kemp No. 970

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Fry, Mrs. Ella Mae

-B-Clark, Mrs. Hazel Conant, Mrs. Margaret Davidson, Mrs. Margaret Davidson, Mrs. Opal Neason, Mrs. Ann O'Dell, Mrs. Billie Olehy, Mr. Frank Orr, Mr. William P.

Jeff Davis No. 336 -A-Carlton, Mrs. Reba

-B-Giles, Mrs. Carol Jose, Miss Jane

Kermit No. 845

-A---Bryan, Mrs. Mildred Crofford, Mrs. Edna Earl Dorsey, Mrs. Jo Halifax, Mrs. Ava Mills, Mrs. Christine Odoms, Mrs. Murlin Porter, Mrs. Maryola Robertson, Mrs. Xenia Wright, Mrs. Eudora

Knox City No. 119

-A----McGee, Mr. J. C. McGee, Mrs. Lena

-A-Shafer, Mrs. Winnie Faye Shipp, Mrs. Della Truitt, Mr. Eugene Truitt, Mrs. Nina

Laura B. Hart No. 1019

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Mitchell, Mrs. LaVera Ann Mitchell, Mr. Richard E. Steen, Mrs. Anna Steen, Mr. Marvin Wright, Mrs. Marzee .R Boland, Mrs. Lida Jarrett, Mr. H. F. Jarrett, Mrs. Violet

MacConnell, Mrs. Kathryn

#### Lawn No. 964

A \_\_\_\_ Hudson, Mrs. Minta

-B-Raper, Mrs. Ruth Satterwhite, Mrs. Jackie Smith, Mrs. Madaline

#### Lemond No. 38

—A— —A.— Damron, Mrs. Ruth Fisher, Mrs. Josephine Jefferies, Mrs. Venie Marshall, Mrs. Bobbie McBeih, Mrs. Bertha Richardson, Mrs. Sileta Stubblefield, Josh Mrs. Elizabeth

-B--B-- Douglas, Mrs. Dorothy Etheridge, Mrs. Weeta Wash, Mrs. Fama Ivey, Mrs. Aubrey C. Wright, Mr. Dayton W. Lewis, Mrs. Artie

Levelland No. 797

-A-Dobkins, Mr. P. H. Dobkins, Mrs. Virgie O. Glass, Mrs. Dorothy Green, Mrs. Mattie Harrell, Miss Virginia Hughes, Mrs. Cynthia Ann Mrs. Cynthia A Hurd, Mrs. Joyce Marcom, Mrs. Mary Jane Reese, Mrs. Elois Starr, Mrs. Janice

Moore, Mrs. Eula Reynolds, Mrs. Dixie

Littlefield No. 742

—A-— Branham, Mr. Finis Branham, Mrs. Joyce Phillips, Mrs. Norma Spencer, Mr. Lloyd

Spencer, Mrs. Maxine

Lockney No. 437

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--A---Carter, Mrs. Ella May Foster, Mrs. Birds Foster, Mr. Joe Parrish, Mrs. Martha Quebe, Mrs. Anna Dell -B

Huffman, Mrs. Helen Myers, Mrs. Olive

#### Lubbock No. 76

A----Adkisson, Mrs. Lee Barnard, Mrs. Lillian Basinger, Mrs. Mildred Cocanougher, Mrs. Billie

#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 2-Continued \_'B-

Cox, Mrs. Adelia Duncan, Mrs. Florence Dunn, Mrs. Ruth Ellioti, Mrs. Amy Emerson, Mrs. Alma Emerson, Mr. E. D. Everett, Mrs. Betty Farrington, Mrs. Toye Frentress, Mrs. Kathryn Haney, Mrs. Addie Ruth Harrison, Mr. Harold A. Holmes, Mr. C. A. Holmes, Mrs. Fae Hunt, Mrs. Artie Lowe, Mrs. Lavenia Marbut, Mrs. Elizabeth McCullough, Mrs. Helen Elliott, Mrs. Amy McCullough, Mr. Vernon

Mr. vernon McKinzie, Mrs. Flora Monk, Mrs. Judith Monk, Mr. Tommy B. Murphy, Mr. F. M. Nabors, Mrs. Hinda Jane Oldhom Mrs. Polly Oldham, Mrs. Polly Pace, Mrs. Bennie Spikes, Mrs. Nina Jo Walker, Mrs. Rowena Winder, Miss Sylvia June Womack, Mrs. Mildred -B Buck, Mrs. Nora Harrison, Mrs. Maude

McKenzie, Mrs. Sohnia

Cain, Mrs. Juancy Clayton, Mr. Fred M. Coffman, Mrs. Lois McMillan, Mrs. Audrey Phillips, Mrs. Winifred Shaffer, Mrs. Mildred Simmons, Mrs. Bessie Marie

\_B\_ Coffman, Mr. J. A. Horne, Mrs. Colleen Martin, Mrs. Magna

Marfa No. 344

-A. Hord, Mrs. Lenora Morris, Mrs. Floy

-B-Dod, Mrs. Mary

McLean No. 239

-A-Goodman, Mrs. Laura Johnston, Mrs. Maggie Rodgers, Mr. Frank E. Rodgers, Mrs. Johnie Stubbs, Mrs. Fidelle

Memphis No. 351

-- A -Russell, Mr. Barney

Merkel No. 212 \_\_\_A\_\_ Butler, Mrs. Belvie Butler, Mr. D. R. Seago, Mrs. Mae

-R Doan, Mrs. Mary Sue Knight, Mrs. Aileen Mashburn, Mr. Roy Parham, Mr. A. B. Parham, Mrs. Louise

#### Miami No. 98

-A-Dodson, Mrs. Florence Duniven, Mrs. Lillie Hardin, Mrs. Alice Hodges, Mrs. Cartie Lee Hodges, Mrs. Clyde McCuistion, Mrs. Alpha Moore, Mrs. Oletta O'Loughlin, Mrs. Inez Scott, Mrs. Catherine Shearer, Mrs. John Turner, Mrs. Ann Williamson, Mrs. Bonnie Dodson, Mrs. Florence Williamson, Mrs. Bonnie .\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

-R-O'Loughlin, Mr. Miles W. Williamson, Mr. J. C.

Mamie D. Crane No. 1018 Midland No. 253

-A-Arnold, Mrs. Anna H. Branson, Mrs. Ouida Crum, Mrs. Margaret B. Denny, Mrs. Elaine Floyd, Mrs. Katie B Ingham, Mrs. Elsie D. Kornegay, Mrs. Sarah Medley, Mrs. Eleanor Medley, Mr. George Mikeworth, Mikeworth, Mrs. Ruth Wanelle Pope, Mrs. Ophie Watts, Mr. Allen J. Watts, Mrs. Artamyse Carpenter, Mrs. Lottie Mobeetie No. 554

-A----Patterson, Mrs. Gazelle

#### Monahans No. 561

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Clements, Mrs. Georgia Cope, Mrs. Jennie Mae Enoch, Mrs. Elsie Dee Howard, Mrs. Ella Rae Johnson, Mrs. Gladys

O'Brien, O'Brien, Mrs. Mary Vergie Oliver, Mrs. Francis Porter, Mr. Clifford B. Porter, Mrs. Pauline Wright, Mrs. Rena

Bentley, Mrs. Opal Kinsey, Mrs. Bessie Nanson, Mrs. Mary Parker, Mrs. Elizabeth Price, Mrs. Elizabeth

Morton No. 841

Rowland, Mrs. Hettie Toombs, Mr. H. C. Toombs, Mrs. Marie

#### Muleshoe No. 972

-A-Bullock, Mrs. Sidney Dell Bullock, Mr. Wyle M. Bullock Farley, Mrs. Mary Farley, Mrs. Mary Hinkson, Mrs. Lavonne Jones, Mrs. Clara Lou Layne, Mrs. Viola Lust, Mrs. Barbara Lust, Mr. Glenn Nowell, Mr. Elbert Nowell, Mrs. Hazel

Clay, Mrs. Vera Treider, Mrs. Charleta

Norman Read No. 1010

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Bobbitt, Mr. Alton Bobbitt, Mrs. Johnnie Bell Davis, Mrs. Carrie Lou Javas, Mrs. Carrie Lou Webb, Mrs. Ada Johnson, Mrs. Betty L. Pittman, Mrs. Ouida Powell, Mrs. Dottie Russell, Mrs. Amie Sauze, Mrs. Noodie Mae McGee, Mr. J. G. Thurman, Mrs. Élizabeth Weaver, Mrs. Lillie Mae Weaver, Mr. J. R. York, Mrs. Louise

Ocotillo No. 837

-A-Douglas, Mrs. Frances Draper, Mrs. Lillie Hampton, Mrs. Ethel Hubbert, Mrs. Pauline Kcepler, Mrs. Dorris La Londe, Mrs. Elouise Norris, Mr. John C, Perry, Mr. Delbert P. Perry, Mrs. Edna Pierce, Mrs. Imogene

Pierce, Mrs. Imogene Sammons, Mrs. Ozella Smith, Mrs. Edna Spencer, Mrs. Marguerite Spencer, Mr. Robert E. Stutman, Mrs. Mary Frances

Thrasher, Mrs. Daphne Trusty, Mrs. Abby Lou --- B--

Gurney, Mrs. Ann H. May, Mrs. Bobbie Thompson, Mrs. Hadie White, Mrs. Herta Williams. Mrs. Katherine

Odessa No. 447

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Arledge, Mrs. Mildred Austin, Mrs. Harriet Campbell, Mrs. Harriet Casparis, Mr. A. L. Casparis, Mr. A. L. Casparis, Mrs. Nell Foster, Mrs. Lois Franklin, Mrs. Addie Guthrie, Mrs. Ida Hendrick Mrs. Elizabeth Hubbard, Mrs. Evelyn Hubbard, Mrs. Evelyn King, Mrs. Mabel Leonard, Mrs. Verna Morgan, Mrs. Funice Reedy, Mrs. Frances M. Salmon, Mrs. Jettie Salmon, Mrs. Jimmie Schueider, Mr. Gene Schneider, Mr. Gene Schneider, Mrs. Mable Sears, Mr. Louis H.

#### O'Donnell No. 725

---A----Webb, Mrs. Killie Webb, Mrs. Ada Webb, Mrs. Emma Jean Webb, Mr. Jack

Olton No. 847

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Campbell, Mrs. Colleen Cooner, Mrs. Naomi Cox, Mrs. Bessie Mae Cure, Mrs. Sue Cure, Mrs. Winona LaDuke, Mrs. Mildred Sanders, Mrs. Carol

-B Bostick, Mrs. Betty Franks, Mrs. Ruth

Paducah No. 506

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Biddy, Mrs. Ruth Boren, Mrs. Mozelle Coleman, Mrs. Ruth Kidwell, Mr. Glenn Kidwell, Mrs. Naomi Richards, Mrs. Ruth Thomas, Mrs. Jessie

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Pampa No. 65

-A.-Andis, Mrs. Maude Ayers, Mrs. Ruth Bohlander, Mrs. Marie Byars, Mr. Elmer Byars, Mrs. Loleat Cobb, Mrs. Viola Cornelius, Mrs. Laura Belle Cross, Mrs. Karen Hahn, Mr. John G. Harper, Mrs. Barbara Hestand, Mr. Rue S. Holding, Mrs. Georgia Jarrard, Mr. Herman Jones, Mrs. Rachel Kratzer, Mrs. Mary Kratzer, Mrs. Bilee Lavamore, Mrs. Bilee Lewis, Mrs. Elizabeth Mastin, Mrs. Elizabeth Mastin, Mrs. Elizabeth Mastin, Mrs. Isabe McNaughton, Mrs. Lorena Parker, Mrs. Mildred Smith, Mrs. Mildred Smith, Mrs. Viola Pierce, Mrs. Mildred Smith, Mrs. Vardeman Tomlin, Mrs. Reva Whitten, Mrs. Lillian

---B---Gooch, Mr. Lloyd W. Gooch, Mrs. Marion Hughes, Mr. W. W. Vincent, Mrs. Katie

Pecos No. 81

-A--Bullock, Mrs. Nina Mae Hayton, Mr. C. J. Hayton, Mrs. Estelle King, Mrs. Ruby Pointer, Mrs. Ona Smith, Mr. Hollis S. Walker, Miss Winifred Winterrowd, Mrs. Earnestine

—<u>B</u>— Sheridan, Mrs. June

Perryton No. 161

<u>A</u> Kindy, Mrs. June Kindy, Mr. W. O. Nowlin, Mrs. Thelma Price, Mrs. Katie

-B----Bowen, Mrs. Mabel Halpain, Mrs. Loretta Rial, Mrs. Lucille

Petersburg No. 1001

——A—— Featherston, Mrs. Ruby Hegi, Mr. John J. Hegi, Mrs. Mary Lucy Holt, Mrs. Elizabeth King, Mrs. Ora Sims, Mrs. Janje

---B---King, Mr. Ottis Robertson, Mr. J. B. Robertson, Mrs. Ruby Smith, Mrs. June

Petrolia No. 84

—A— King, Mrs. Elsie Plains No. 862

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Jones, Mrs. Sue

Morchouse, Mrs. Ottie

Plainview No. 37

-A---Austin, Mrs. Frances Cobb, Mrs. Frances Dodson, Mrs. Alico Dodson, Mr. Walter S. MacBachern, Mr. Eldon Newton, Mrs. Caucille Rhoderick, Mrs. Locretha Sears, Mrs. Fannie Lou Seipp, Mrs. Wilma Shea, Mrs. Gay Teague, Mrs. Sally Tilson, Mr. H. A.

Williams, Mrs. Vernia Mae

Burrows, Mrs. Jewell C. Mitchell, Mrs. Ruth Reaves, Mrs. Beulah Smith, Mrs. Orpah

#### Pleiades No. 620

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-A--Ackerman, Mrs. Jessie Faye Carre, Mr. Robert L. Eason, Mrs. Nina Fisher, Mr. A. H. Fisher, Mrs. Esther Fitch, Mrs. Mildred Fitch, Mrs. Mildred Fitch, Mrs. Ball Gary, Mrs. Edna Gary, Mrs. Edith Hooten, Mrs. Cladys Hood, Mrs. Lois Hooten, Mr. Clyde Lafferty, Mrs. Helen Mindeann, Mr. Phillip Morehead, Mrs. Lau W. Paul, Mrs. Carolyn Thaxton, Mrs. Clarobyn Thaxton, Mrs. Clarobyn Thaxton, Mrs. Mae O. ---B---

Ashmore, Mrs. Beatrice Carre, Mrs. Margaret Cook, Mrs. Ann Cook, Mr. Jack Farah, Mrs. Hana Taylor, Mr. Glenn D. Taylor, Mrs. Jeanette Sandberg, Mrs. Wilma K. Whatley, Mr. Charles O. Wilson, Mrs. Alexa Wilson, Mr. W. W.

#### Post No. 206

---A---Kennedy, Mrs. Maggie Stone, Mrs. Eula Tanner, Mr. Julius E. Tanner, Mrs. Minnie Lee ---B----

Halford, Mrs. Carolyn Kennedy, Mr. Jack

#### Quanah No. 47

--A--Archer, Mrs. Ruby Crockett, Mr. J. W. Day, Mrs. Mary Drake, Mrs. Mayme Edmonson, Miss Loretta Howard, Mrs. Lorene Lacy, Mrs. Alice Ross, Mrs. Lula Mae Wey, Miss Mary Agnes

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Daulton, Mrs. Velma Kate Wey, Miss Helen Wey, Miss Jeanette

Queen Esther No. 833

-A--Blank, Mrs. Paricia Cockerell, Mrs. Ann Crowder, Mrs. Sara Crum, Mrs. Edith Diffie Mrs. Edith Moore, Mrs. Edith Moore, Mrs. Della Mae Moore Moore, Mr. Della Mae Moore Moore, Mr. Della Mae Moore Moore, Mr. J. L. Murphy, Mrs. Faye Murphy, Mrs. Rayth Parkins, Dr. Ralph Perkins, Mrs. Mattie Perkins, Mrs. Mattie Perkins, Mrs. Mattie Petkins, Mrs. Mary Jane Smith, Mr. Donald Thompson, Mrs. Mary Esther Wicker, Mrs. Patsy

#### Cunningham, Mrs. Edith Freeman, Mrs. Bertie

Graham, Mrs. Ruby Marshall, Mrs. Ruby

Quitaque No. 878

---A---Gragson, Mrs. Cora Harmon, Mrs. Lolla Belle Rogers, Mrs. Thetis Sauls, Mrs. Bessie

---B---Rogers, Mr. John Tyler, Mrs. Delene

Ralls No. 169

Adams, Mrs. Oleta Campbell, Mrs. Mildred. Davis, Mrs. Josephine Mayes, Mrs. Wynon Stephens, Mrs. Lenore Wells, Mrs. Margie

Cornwell, Mrs. Fay Moses, Mrs. Alliene Terry, Mrs. Naomi

River Oaks No. 1013

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Barnes, Mrs. Mary Etta Blackburn, Mrs. Billie Jane Connally, Mrs. Hattie Marie German, Mrs. Mamyedell Goostree, Mrs. Billie Jo Grigsby, Mrs. Beatrice King, Mrs. Opal Massey, Mrs. Ethel Pratt, Mrs. Ethel Robinson, Mrs. Eddie Mae Robinson, Mrs. Eddie Mae Townsend, Mr. F. B. Turner, Mrs. Ellen H.

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Eisenhower, Mr. M. E. Smith, Mr. I. G.

#### Rob Morris No. 759

—A—

Fager, Mrs. Ethel Knox, Mr. Roy Knox, Mrs. Vera McCamant, Mrs. Dorothea Thompson, Mrs. Corrie

#### Ropesville No. 880

----A----Rucker, Mrs. Helen

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Rose Croix No. 701

-A-Grant, Mrs. Bertha Hardin, Mr. Charles N. Hardin, Mr. Charles N. Hardin, Mrs. Merle Haynes, Mrs. Vesta Neill, Miss Lovey Yarbrough, Mrs. Lunette Youngjohn, Mrs. Mary Zollars, Mrs. Nellie B.

#### -B----

Hinshaw, Mrs. Philora

#### Rotan No. 52

-A---Allen, Mrs. Bertha Allen, Mr. R. O. Key, Mrs. Mattie Malouf, Mrs. Jewel S. Morgan, Mrs. Jonnie Phariss, Mrs. Mae Shipp, Mrs. Bessie M.

#### Rule No. 989

-A--Martin, Mrs. Lucille White, Mrs. June

#### Seagraves No. 829

-A--

-B-

Henderson, Mrs. Bessie Jackson, Mrs. Bessie Jones, Mrs. Mettie Ann Nichols, Mrs. Myrtle Riggs, Mrs. Henrietta

Cox, Mrs. Bettie Nichols, Mr. Loyd

#### Seminole No. 855

Ball, Mrs. Oretta Ball, MRS. Orettal Bruce, Mrs. Evelyn Bruce, Mr. Louis Floyd, Mrs. Lois Henry, Mrs. Lillie

-B-

Brasher, Mrs. Bertha Carroll, Mrs. Vera Stanley, Mrs. Rose

#### Seymour No. 488

#### -A---

McGuire, Mrs. Thelma Musgrove, Mrs. Nola Powers, Mrs. Ama Willbanks, Mrs. Zodelle Wright, Mrs. Osado

#### Shamrock No. 384

Close, Mrs. June Gierhart, Mrs. Mildred Hanner, Mrs. Grace Harbour, Mrs. Katherine Williams, Mrs. Jo Anne

-B Beaty, Mrs. Opal Burrell, Mrs. Hallie

Sierra Blanca No. 154

-A---Massey, Mrs. Dorothy

-B Newman, Mrs. Nelda Russell, Mrs. Betty Jean

## Silverton No. 900

.A Bellinger, Mrs. Lula Crass, Mrs. Frances Crass, Mrs. Frances Hester, Mrs. Ruby Hill, Mrs. Weta Lindsey, Mrs. Glen Lindsey, Mrs. LaVerne Moreland, Mrs. Margie Moreland, Mr. M. G. Sarchet, Mrs. Mary Ann Solf, Mrc. Carolyn Satonet, Mis. Mary Angel, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Lola Mae Stinnett 347 Stephens, Mrs. Merlene

Skellytown No. 1066

-A--

Lilley, Mrs. Pauline

Slaton No. 585

<u>م</u> . Landmon, Mrs. Pearl Lankford, Mrs. Judy Smith, Mrs. Willie Mae

Bailey, Mr. Dock J.

## Snyder No. 450

\_A\_ Andress, Mrs. Clemey Andress, Mr. M. L. Arnold, Mrs. Laura De Loach, Mrs. Bessie

Spearman No. 721

-A-Blodgett, Mrs. Deta Brown, Mrs. Wanda Hendricks, Mrs. Nina Lackey, Mrs. Joyce Russell, Mrs. Sandy Taylor, Mrs. Hazel

\_R. Scott, Mr. Preston Scott. Mrs. Thelma Wood, Mrs. Carolyn

#### Spur No. 164

-A-Witt, Mrs. Eddythe Stamford No. 269

-A-—A— Cliett, Mrs. Alton Cliett, Mrs. Orie Lee Cox, Mr. Herman Hughes, Mrs. Cleo Johnson, Mrs. Luella Roberts, Mrs. Jarry Viers, Mrs. Martha Cox, Mrs. Virgie Mae

Heflin, Mrs. Lilla Hunt, Mrs. Pauline Smith, Mrs. Ludine

Stanton No. 409

Hamm, Mrs. Hazel Hightower, Mrs. Leona Hightower, Mrs. Leona Petree, Mr. M. A. Rasure, Mrs. Exa Standefer, Mr. Edgae Wilkes, Mrs. Daisy Lea -B-

Angel, Mrs. Obera

٦A Drake, Mrs. Ethel E. Lewis, Mrs. Peggy L. O'Bryant, Mrs. Ahelma Riemer, Mrs. Beatrice Vanhuss, Mrs. Margaret Worsham, Mrs. Geneva C.

R. Knight, Mrs. Pearl

Stratford No. 960

- A. Kennedy, Mrs. Clara McAdams, Mrs. Lillie McAdams Miss Rebecca R. McAdams, Mr. Victor J. McDaniel, Mrs. Marylou Phillips, Mrs. Lucille Smith, Mrs. Jane Sweeney, Mrs. Mabel Woolsey, Mrs. Wanda Yates, Mr. Floy Yates, Mrs. Robbie

#### Sundown No. 926

-A-Hodnett, Mrs. Marie Latch, Mrs. Cressie Latch, Mr. Paul

#### Sunray No. 869

--A-Beadle, Mrs. Ila Dell Benton, Mrs. Inogene J. Casey, Mrs. Ruth Benton, Mrs. John H. Coombes, Mrs. Lav Chambless, Mrs. Betty Goodnight, Mrs. Mrs Golightly, Mrs. Glennetta Gordy, Mrs. Aileen

Gore, Mrs. Nina Green, Mrs. Claudean Humphreys, Mr. E. T. Humphreys, Mrs. Zealon McIntire, Mrs. Imogene

\_B\_\_ McLarty, Mrs. Jewel

Sweetwater No. 352

-A---A--Cohlmia, Mrs. Louise Fuqua, Mrs. Clara Fuqua, Dr. R. O. Nayfa, Mrs. Ruby Nales, Mrs. Joyce Smith, Mrs. Amelia Weems, Mrs. Helen

-B Nayfa, Mr. Eddie

Tahoka No. 743

-A Dudgeon, Mrs. Jewel R. Dudgeon, Mr. Rush Park, Mrs. Pat

Tascosa No. 1052

-A-Abernathy, Mrs. Elsie Andis, Mrs. Mabyn Blanchard, Mrs. Eullalah Jones, Mrs. Mabel Jones, Mr. Thomas D. Martin, Mr. Albert Lee Martin, Mrs. Eurma Meckley, Mrs. Ruby Lee Moore, Mrs. Vera Raney, Mrs. Ruth Wilshire, Mrs. Allie Mae

Griggs, Mrs. Douglas

Texline No. 640

-A----Davis, Mrs. Lucille

Thunderbird No. 1087

-A-Brandes,

Mrs. Anna Grace Gish, Mrs. Jeanne Launspach, Mrs. Mary L. May, Mrs. Juanita Morris, Mrs. Mary Helen Morris, Mr. W. A.

\_R Bond, Mrs. Martha Keith, Mrs. Sandra Reichelt, Mrs. Hazel

#### Top O' Texas No. 1064

-A-Casey, Mrs. Ruth Coombes, Mrs. LaVerne Goodnight, Mrs. Marie

#### PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

#### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 2-Continued

McKnight, Mrs. Mary Reading, Mrs. Ina Rife, Mr. David Rife, Mrs. Florence Willis, Mrs. Leona Wilson, Mrs. Mary

\_\_\_\_B\_\_\_\_ Dusain, Mrs. Lelah

#### Truth No. 941

-A-

Burress, Mrs. Lillie Cahill, Mrs. Elsie Cahill, Mr. Ralph R. Carson, Mrs. Eileen Sims, Mrs. Elva Trout, Mr. Chauncey M. Trout, Mrs. Vera Williams, Mrs. Theo

----B----

Wollard, Mrs. Zona

#### Tulia No. 33

Armstrong, Mrs. Chuba Autong, Mrs. Luella Crawford, Mrs. Luella Hodges, Mrs. Nadine Mills, Mrs. Ruby Jo Batian Mrs. Tottio Ratjen, Mrs. Jettie Jo White, Mrs. Bessie

Acker, Mrs. Dorrene DuBois, Mrs. Hazel

Turkey No. 569

------A-----Adamson, Mr. John Adamson, Mrs. Mayme Gregory, Mrs. Nell Smith, Mrs. Pauline

Smith, Mr. Guy

Tuscola No. 793

---A----Goode, Mrs. Margaret

University No. 1082

-A-Burleson, Mrs. Gayle Byrd Mrs. Ruth Green, Mrs. Mamie Porter, Mr. Jimmy

Porter, Mrs. Karen Taylor, Mrs. Mary E.

-B-

Alexander, Miss Rose Banning, Mrs. Jean Corum, Mr. Ellis Corum, Mrs. Willie Mae Currey, Mrs. Maude Fulford, Mrs. Linda Kay Hill, Mrs. Marguerite Robnett, Mrs. Judy

Van Horn No. 514

-----A----Durham, Mrs. Lula Ezell, Mrs. Cora Nell McLure, Mrs. Dessie

Vega No. 528

-A----Anderson, Mrs. Ethel Kinsey, Mrs. Ella Lee Robinson, Mrs. Jewelle

#### Vernon No. 424

-A-Burk, Mr. J. O. Burk, Mrs. Roberta Chilton, Mrs. Linda Chilton, Mrs. Mable Clement, Mrs. Betty Coffee, Mrs. Velva Daniel, Mrs. Johnnie Eggleston, Mrs. Madelyn Fitzsimmons, Mrs. Pauline Foreman, Mrs. Pauline Hackler, Mrs. Vera Lantz, Mrs. Virgie Lantz, Mrs. Virgie Laseter, Mrs. Myrtle Magee, Mrs. Mamie McBride, Mrs. Ruth McBride, Mr. T. L. Moore, Mrs. Eva Nolen, Mrs. Lorena Taylor, Mrs. Floy

—B-Crisp, Mrs. Doris Odom, Mr. E. H. Odom, Mrs. Ruth Ross, Mrs. Mary

Wellington No. 238

-A-Ball, Mrs. Ruby Coffee, Miss Maudie Davis, Mrs. Dorothy Holcomb, Mrs. Jennie Jones, Mrs. Mary Land, Mrs. Nell Myers, Mrs. Nora Parker Savage, Mrs. Deloyce Starr, Mrs. Era White, Mrs. Mary Sue

-B-Clark, Mrs. Annie Land, Mr. Rosco Somerville, Mrs. Mayme

#### Wheeler No. 942

-A-Crowder, Mrs. Etta Porter, Mrs. Mildred

Stevens, Mrs. Willie Mae Walker, Mr. Frank Walker, Mrs. Inis Walser, Mrs. Lucille

~B Dyer, Mrs. Sue M. Farmer, Mrs. Berta

White Deer No. 802

—A—

Burba, Mr. J. L. Burba, Mrs. Lydia Darnell, Mrs. Lula Meaker, Mrs. Velma

#### Wichita Falls No. 237

--A---Adair, Mrs. Hazel Barker, Mrs. Karen Bean, Mrs. Sammie Bradford, Mrs. Laura Bradford, Mr. Weekley Humphries, Mr. George R. Humphries, Mrs. Mary Jeskey, Mrs. Kathryn L. Lee, Mrs. Alice Lee, Mrs. Alice Lee, Mrs. Bobbie Potter, Mrs. Lucy Powell, Mrs. Ella M. Sipe, Mrs. Folly Smith, Mrs. Hermilla Turner, Mrs. Christine Humphries,

#### -B-

Byrd, Mrs. Elizabeth Bvrd, Mr. Nathan ––B–– Fairbanks, Mrs. Akiko Banks. Mrs. Ethel Fairbanks, Mr. Wesley C. Ray, Mrs. Alma Holley, Mrs. Sandy Wilson, Mr. James

Wink No. 937

—A-Ammons, Mrs. Aline Gills, Mr. L. V. Gills, Mrs. Velma Newton, Mrs. Dora B. Newton, Mr. J. M.

-B-Pierce, Mrs. Athenia Slaughter, Mrs. Barbara Wilson, Mrs. Jeanette

Woodhine No. 788

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Ault, Mr. Lloyd L. Bennett, Mrs. Ina Cherry, Mrs. Katherine Chowning, Mrs. Mickey Grant, Mrs. Ethel Grubb, Mrs. Lula Hall, Mrs. Lucille Hall, Dr. Hugh Harbey, Mrs. Ora Jetton, Mrs. Margaret Pierce, Mrs. Louise Sowell, Mrs. Rebecca Stolberg, Mrs. Elvira Ward, Mrs. Patty White, Mrs. Mary K. Wood, Mr. Harley W. Wood, Mrs. Helen C.

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Carpenter, Mrs. Geraldine Hicks, Mr. Willard E. Houston, Mrs. Clara E. Jetton, Mrs. Charlotte A. Jetton, Mr. E. Vern Reynolds, Mrs. Drusilla Stone, Mrs. Faye

Ysleta No. 991

Courtney, Mr. Harold Courtney, Mrs. Lucille Hooper, Mrs. Ruth Johnson, Mrs. Betty McNeil, Mrs. Pauline Porter, Mrs. Lilian Turner, Mrs. Helen Turner, Mrs. Reber Wilson, Mrs. May E.

#### CERTIFICATES GRANTED FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971-District No. 3

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT DISTRICT No. 3

Albany No. 733

-A--Howard, Mrs. Agnes Lee

Azle No. 899 ----A---

Kennedy, Mrs. Kay Mosley, Mrs. Betty

Desdemona No. 512

-A— Sparks, Mrs. Cora

Eastland No. 280

\_A\_ Earley, Mrs. Nelle

Eliasville No. 698

-A-Guinn, Mrs. Iris W.

Fort Worth No. 681

-A-Tarter, Mrs. Mildred

Grapevine No. 326 -B-Barham, Mrs. Margaret

Hadassah No. 188

-A-Eanes, Mrs. Charlotte

Parsons, Mrs. Betty

Haltom City No. 982

-A---Thomas, Mrs. Ida K.

-B—-Bolden, Mrs. Ruth

North Fort Worth No 684

-A-Smithwick, Mr. Perry Polytechnic No. 420

Corley, Mrs. Lillie Corley, Mr. Richard

Rio Vista No. 343

A-Roach, Mrs. Mae Bell

Rosebud No. 694

Turner, Mr. F. B. Turner, Mrs. Mabel

Tarrant No. 8 -- A --Bounds, Mrs. Cleatrice Taylor No. 578 -A----Worley, Mrs. Regina Wedgwood No. 756 Johnston, Mrs. Stella Albany No. 733 -A--Roberts, Mrs. Allee Roberts, Mr. George Alvarado No. 656 —A— Parnell, Mrs. Frances Senter, Mrs. Jessie Senter, Mr. Tom S. Arlington No. 249 -A-Arnold, Mrs. Esther Brogdon, Mrs. Zora Eller, Mr. Charles Eller, Mrs. Dixie Eller, Mrs. Dixie Houston, Mrs. Aliene Houston, Mr. Joe J. Lawson, Mrs. Mary Lou Lowry, Mr. Jack Lowry, Miss Rose Ann Martindale, Mrs. Shirley Quade, Mrs. Frances Rascoe, Mrs. Leona Rosebrook, Miss Marjorie Shaeffer, Mrs. Gloria Taylor, Mrs. Jo Ella Wallace, Mrs. Ann Wallace, Mrs. Ann Ward, Mrs. James D. Ward, Mrs. Joan -B Thomas, Mrs. Jolene Arlington Heights No. 702 -A---Anderson, Mrs. Lillian Autrey, Mrs. Jean Bostick, Mr. Carl D. Bostick, Mrs. Estelle Cammel, Mrs. Loretta Cammel, Mrs. Loretta Carbitt, Mrs. Martha Couch, Mrs. Hazel Curlee, Mr. D. H. Curlee, Mr. D. H. Curlee, Mrs. Helen Greenwood, Mr. Clayton Greenwood, Mr. Margie Holderby, -A-

Holderby, Mrs. Mebolene Jones, Mr. Carliss D.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth

Tones.

Lowery, Mrs. Electa Magnusson, Mrs. Helen Magnusson, Mr. Oliver
 Magnusson, Miss Sandra McDaniel, Mrs. Edna L, McMullen, Mrs. Rachel MoWillen

McMullen, Mrs. Rachel McWilliams, Mrs. Norfleet Mink, Mrs. Eunice Scanlan, Mrs. Ruby Sine, Mrs. Mary E. Wallace, Mrs. Lola White, Mrs. Margaret Womack, Mrs. Mulene Womack. Mr. William R. Wright, Mrs. Winnie P.

-B--Suddeth, Mrs. Marelene

Azle No. 899

Adams, Mr. Fred Adams, Mrs. Mona Bales, Mrs. Nina Clepper, Mrs. Anna Mae Jordan, Mrs. Laura Jane King, Mr. John Lee King, Mrs. Ruby Lane, Mrs. Gearldine Linehan, Mrs. Loveta Gale Martin, Mr. E. E. Nation, Mrs. Melbagene Pennington, Mrs. Flora Pool, Mrs. Margaret Pugh, Mrs. Billie Rankin, Mrs. Muriel Shelton, Mrs. Mary Helen Smith, Mrs. Nora A. -B-Martin, Mrs. Eula Phillips, Mrs. Alma Reynolds, Mrs. Cathleen Bangs No. 467

Hash, Mr. H. H. Hash, Mrs. Ruby Lane, Mrs. Exa Segrest, Mrs. Louise

Bellmead No. 980

---A--Bowden, Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. Beulah Brown, Mr. E. R. Linam, Mrs. Denny Sue Matthys, Mrs. Alvaretta Matthys, Mr. Martin Penney, Mrs. Bettv L. Richardson, Mrs. Zelta

—A—-Adkisson, Mrs. Mary Greathouse. Mrs. Zora Lee

Belton No. 589

Bertram No. 48

-A-Crouch, Mr. Amos Crouch, Mrs. Dossie Insall, Mrs. Mildred Mabe, Mrs. Blanche White, Mr. Edward White, Mrs. Vesta

-B-Allen, Mrs. Alice

Blanket No. 918

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Damron, Mrs. Evangeline Day, Mrs. Irene Eoff, Mrs. Blanche Richmond, Mrs. Lillie

Blum No. 931

-A-Reid, Mrs. Bessie Taylor, Mrs. Mary Thomas, Mr. Sam Thomas, Mrs. Thelma

Riley, Mrs. Elizabeth

Breckenridge No. 659

-A--Barben, Mrs. Eula M.

Brock No. 274

-A-Carroll, Mrs. Bernice Dunn, Mrs. Ruby

Brownwood No. 116

- A ---

Avinger, Mrs. Edna Barker, Mrs. Vera Barnett, Mrs. Gertrude Bonsor, Mrs. Ozelle Dickinson, Mrs. Ethel Fuller, Mrs. Mae Gill, Mrs. Louise Harper, Mrs. Anna Harper, Mrs. Anna Huntington, Mr. J. B. Kelly, Mrs. Lurah B. Lamkin, Mrs. Evelyn Lamkin, Mr. W. Lee Massey, Mrs. Audree McCoy, Mrs. Audree McCoy, Mrs. Audree McCoy, Mrs. Elizabeth Savage, Mrs. Lil-Elma Smith, Mrs. Carmoleta Willbelm Mr. A. C. Willhelm, Mr. A. C. Willhelm, Mrs. Blanche Winters, Mrs. Grace

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Huntington, Mrs. Estelle

Bryson No. 1022

-A---Ainsworth. Mrs. Margaret

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## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 3-Continued

Mitchell, Mrs. Billie Starnes, Mrs. Leona

Burleson No. 431

-A-Luper, Mrs. Jane Hampton, Mrs. Margaret Ucckert, Miss Sandra

#### Burnett No. 425

--A---Berry, Mrs. Eunice Dodson, Mrs. Maudena Dodson, Mr. W. H. Field, Mrs. LaVerne Field, Mr. Mark Gibbs, Mrs. Helen Jenkins, Mrs. Jewel Johnson Jenkins, Mis. Jewel Johnson, — — — Mrs. Willis Faye — — — Kelley, Mr. Dick (C. E.) Bennett, Mrs. Alta L. Lacy, Mrs. Stella Byrd, Mrs. Blanche Lewis, Mr. Virgil Coffey, Mrs. Dixie Nance, Mrs. Floreine Centennial No. 842 Rose, Mrs. Virgil Smith, Mrs. Audrey Ward, Mrs. Eunice Ward, Mr. J. C.

-R Jordan, Mr. Oscar D. Kelley, Mrs. Ruth Lewis, Mrs. Avis Shelburn, Mrs. Judy Shelburn, Mrs. Mattie

#### Callahan No. 242

-- A --

Hord, Mr. Clifton L. Hord, Mrs. Henry Etta LaMothe, Mrs. Alma McWhorter, Mrs. Oma Lou McWhorter, Mr. W. O. Sandlin, Miss Vella Taylor, Mrs. LeVone

#### Carlton No. 949

-A----Cozby, Mrs. Polly Cozby, Mr. Wayne Walton, Mrs. Zula

#### Castleberry No. 1028

-A-Bloomfield, Mrs. Marguerite Bowne, Mr. A. S. Bowne, Mrs. Mamie Camp, Mrs. Noma Deck, Mr. Francis C, Jr. Deck, Mrs. Thelam Jones, Mrs. Theda Jones, Mrs. Theda Jones, Mrs. Theda Jones, Mrs. Wars Rionaris, Mrs. Bettv L. Partain, Mrs. Wilma Peterson, Mrs. Wista Pribble, Mr. C. L. Pribble, Mrs. Margaret Bloomfield,

Roberts, Mrs. Gladys Shahan, Mrs. Virginia Sivley, Mrs. Alma M. Sivley, Mr. Leo C. Stokes, Mrs. Blanche Ueckert, Mrs. LaFerne H.

Waggoner, Mrs. Ethel Waggoner, Mr. J. E. Webb, Mrs. Lillie

-B-Perry, Mrs. Jane Shahan, Mr. E. J. Teague, Mrs. Jane

## Cross Plains No. 455

----A-----A.--Baker, Mrs. Alpha Bullard, Mrs. Bea Bullard, Dr. Ray E. Cowart, Mr. E. L. Fetzer, Mrs. May Garrett, Mrs. May Garrett, Mrs. May Pearce, Mrs. Eda Ross, Mrs. Orpha Welch, Mrs. Olhie Mae Wiley, Mrs. Rubv Zacharias, Mrs. Doris

#### Cisco No. 461

-----A--

Housh, Mrs. Nellie Isenhower, Mr. John D. Isenhower, Mrs. Roberta Martin, Mr. Jimmie, Jr. Martin, Mrs. Nancy Parmer, Mrs. Sarah Ann

#### Clyde No. 308

Brown, Mrs. Nancy Easterling, Mrs. Doris Easterling, J. B., Jr. Harris, Mrs. Lorene Henry, Mrs. Mattie Kitchens, Mrs. Luella Rogers, Mrs. Jo Juan

#### Coleman No. 360

-A-Grant, Mrs. Jo Griffin, Mrs. Frankie Laird, Mrs. Lillie Moore, Mrs. Verda Polley, Mrs. Pauline Polley, Mr. W. W. Slate, Mr. Horace C. Thompson. Mrs. Era Tucker, Mrs. Marylou -B--

Manning, Mrs. Jewell Slate, Mrs. Dora Slate, Mrs. Thelma Williams, Mrs. Ann Williams, Mr. D. H.

#### Comanche No. 310

-A------A---Bonser, Mrs. Mary Ida Bradshaw, Mrs. Berniece Carthen, Mrs. May Belle Carthen, Mr. O. B. Daniel, Mrs. Ruby Eaton, Mrs. Carrie Hunter, Mrs. Joy Page, Mrs. Ruth Roberson, Mrs. Venita Sartor, Mrs. Ella Steed, Mrs. Ruby Willingham, Mrs. Alma

Copperas Cove No. 1070

-A-Gent, Mr. Darrell Gent, Mrs. Fannie Hancock, Mrs. Mary E. King, Mrs. Ruth M. Lester, Mrs. Anna Mae Kelly, Mrs. Ann Parnell, Mr. W. L.

Parnell, Mrs. Etta Mae Taylor, Mrs. Frances

Covington No. 1007 - A -McKown, Mr. W. J.

#### Crescent No. 820

Adams, Mrs. Leatha Andrews, Mrs. Leona Burnett, Mrs. Lois Demalade, Mr. Fred G. Dingmore, Mrs. Laura Dingmore, Mrs. Laura Dodd, Mrs. Mary Helen Fairchild, Mr. Max D. Fairchild, Mrs. Wanda Fentress, Mrs. Bruce Fentress, Mrs. Sharon Finch, Mr. F. E.

Finch, Mr. F. E. Foreman, Mrs. Thelma R, Gilmore, Mrs. Ruby Harcrow, Mrs. Ruby Harcrow, Mrs. Loree Huffhines, Mrs. Lorea Huffhines, Mrs. Lorea Huffhines, Mrs. Clara McColure, Mrs. Wima McCollum Mr. E. L. Mason, Mrs. Mary Meine, Mrs. Myra Stockton, Mrs. Sue Tedmon, Mr. Clark C.

Adams, Miss Wanda Finch, Mrs. Mildred

De Leon No. 693

--A----Barnes, Mrs. Dorothy Barnes, Mrs. Elsie Barnes, Mrs. Lola Blitch, Mrs. Bertha Burleson, Mrs. Roselle Dendy, Mrs. Vera Duncan, Mrs. Yearl Irvin, Mrs. Pearl Irvin, Mr. W. J. Mohon, Mrs. Nell Rose Perry, Mrs. Gladys

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Dowell, Mrs. Gussie Evans, Mrs. Phynis Maughan, Mrs. Marie

Desdemona No. 512

-A-Grisham, Mrs. Gene Ragland, Mrs. Gussie Wade, Mrs. Oleta

Dublin No. 910

---A----Burdette, Mrs. Jo Cooper, Mrs. Betty Cooper, Mrs. Betty Durham, Mrs. Bessie Dansby, Mrs. Joan Nelson, Mrs. Arra Lee Nelson, Mr. Charles W. Perry, Mr. Coy Perry, Mrs. Louise Ross, Mrs. Juanita Thiebaud, Mrs. Ava Weight Mrs. Marr Wright, Mrs. Mary

#### Eastland No. 280

-A-Boles, Mrs. Pebble Edwards, Mrs. Mary A. Hardeman, Marcenan, Mrs. Prudie H. Jordan, Mrs. Ima Lverla. Mrs. Betty June May, Mrs. Susie Zuspann, Mrs. Eloise

E. C. Cannon No. 825

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Boyd, Mr. J. L. Carmichael, Mrs. Beatrice Crist, Mr. Martin Crist, Mrs. Rosa Belle Davis, Mrs. Helen Morgan, Mrs. Susie B. Pearce, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Bernice

Eliasville No. 698 ---<u>A</u>----

Allen, Mrs. Lula Mae Price, Mrs. Hester Walter, Mrs. Betty L.

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#### Evant No. 962

-A-Inabnet, Mrs. Betsy Pruden, Mrs. Jean Wilson, Mrs. Acenith Wilson, Mr. O. Z.

Youngblood, Mrs. Leona

#### Everman No. 624

-A-

Maguire, Mrs. Bessie Maguire, Mr. J. C. Thompson, Mrs. Dortha Thompson, Mr. Shirley Ward, Mrs. May Young, Mrs. Vernona

#### Florence No. 440

-A-Atkinson, Mrs. Rosa Caskey, Mrs. Evelyn E.

#### Fort Worth No. 681

-A----Alexander, Mrs. Isabelle Baze, Mrs. Sybil Buffington, Mr. James Buffington, Mr. Marvin Cherry, Mrs. Neva Mae French, Mrs. Palace E. Grienty, Mrs. Palace E. Gardner, Mrs. Natace E. Gardner, Mrs. Marie Hale, Mrs. Beatrice Kalil, Mrs. Gladys Lambert, Mrs. Eula Lindblom, Mrs. Zuma Lowrey, Mrs. Violet Lowrey, Mrs. Violet Lowrey, Mrs. Volet Lowrey, Mr. Clarence Parkey, Mr. Clarence Parkey, Mr. Sach Penix, Mrs. Pauline Roebuck, Mr. Jack Roebuck, Mr. Jack Roebuck, Mrs. Louise Sanders, Mrs. Maurine Stanley, Mrs. Lilliam Stewart, Mrs. Ruth Alice Stice, Mrs. Eyelyn B. Stewart, Mrs. Ruley B. Stice, Mrs. Evelyn B. Whitworth, Mrs. Irma Whitworth, Mr. W. R.

#### -B-

Richeson. Mrs. Lillie Mae Richeson, Miss Nancy

#### Gatesville No. 1005

—A— Hitt, Mrs. Iola Painter, Mrs. Eloise Pancake, Mrs. Elizabeth Powell, Msr. Ethel Stovall, Mrs. Grace Waddill, Mrs. Iessie Wright, Mrs. Neta Wymer, Mrs. Callie Stovall, Mr. Alvis

-B Shoemake, Mrs. Norine

Glen Rose No. 171

-A: Click, Mrs. Jewell Click, Mrs. Jewell Flanary, Mrs. Billie Gossett, Mrs. Cumy Pugh, Mrs. Morene R diff, Mrs. Ethel Trimble, Mrs. Patsy Woodruff, Mrs. Aline

#### Godley No. 922

-A-

-A--Poland, Mrs. Lucy

Goldthwaite No. 909

Eims, Mrs. Bertie Tubbs, Mrs. Aidele Tubbs, Mr. Walter Welch, Mrs. Lillian

Gordon No. 788

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Phillips, Mrs. Myra I. -B Finch, Mrs. Nettie Mae 🦿 Graford No. 905 -A-

Ranft, Mrs. Kathryn Vanlandingham, Mrs. Mary

#### Graham No. 668

-A. Cook, Mrs. Morean Hannah, Mrs. Marie Herndon, Mrs. Betty Herndon, Mrs. Betty Mills, Mrs. Grace Patrick, Mrs. Mildred Penix, Mr. Chauncey E. Ramsey, Mrs. Jeneva Reedy, Mrs. Dorothy Roach, Mrs. Tommie Rogers, Mrs. Earline

Granbury No. 530

-A-Bridges Millie Burks, Mrs. Madeline Cherry, Mrs. Estelle Curl, Mrs. Elva Fidler, Mrs. Cacy Geaslin, Mrs. Sibyl Goodlett, Mrs. Sibyl Goodlett, Mrs. Linda Morris, Mrs. Beulah Pinckard, Mrs. Ann Pinckard, Mr. Charlie Sue, Mr. Boyd White, Mrs. Margaret

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Brooks, Mr. Floyce Miles, Mrs. Floy

Grandview No. 828

--A----Skinner, Mrs. Ben S. Skinner, Mrs. Margery Spradlin, Mrs. Mary Belle Tackett, Mrs. Irene

Grapevine No. 326

-<u>A</u>-Harris, Mr. Henry Hutchison, Mrs. Dorothy Pierce, Mrs. Cleta Praslicka, Mrs. Margie Spencer, Mrs. Minnie Lee Thornton, Mrs. Hael West, Mrs. Ruby

Hadassah No. 188

-A---Buchanan, Mrs. Tommye Lea Caswell, Mrs. Edith McAferty, Mrs. Thelma Woodfin, Mrs. Kathleen

-B-Cocke, Mrs. Elizabeth

Haltom City No. 982

-A-Carter, Mrs. Dorothy Fuchshuber, Mrs. Lorene Jones, Mrs. Pearl Krupey, Mrs. Ruth Maserang, Mrs. Lydia Middlebrook, Mrs. Nita Miller, Mrs. Vondale Morris, Mrs. Nettie L. Renegar, Mrs. Hettie Renegar, Mrs. Hattie Renegar, Mr. Paul N. Rodgers, Mrs. Ruth B. Starr, Mrs. Lena F. Stephens, Mrs. Dollie Stephens, Mr. Monroe Wells, Mrs. Louise

#### Hamilton No. 215

A-Boler, Mr. J. B. Boler, Mrs. Ruby E. Dunlop, Mrs. Ruth Dunn, Mrs. Clara Hughes, Mrs. Ruth O. Jones, Mrs. Nina Short, Mrs. Mary

#### Handley No. 617

—A— Casey, Mrs. Cheryl Davis, Mrs. Shirlev Foster, Mr. Aton W, Grimes, Mr. A. T., Jr. Grimes, Mrs. Margaret Gwin, Mrs. Ruth Ann Mathews, Mrs. Eileen Mathews, Mr. Kileen Mathews, Mr. Milton H. Gosdin, Mrs. Nov^ McAuley, Mrs. Bobby F. Phillips, Mrs. Brenda

McAuley, Miss Donna D. Miller, Mrs. Ethel Nichols, Mrs. Susie Pike, Mrs. Mary Rodgers, Mrs. Janie Walker, Mr. Garland Walker, Mrs. Virginia Ward, Mrs. Loraine Wellington, Mrs. Mary R.

Hico No. 419

-- A -Bullard, Mrs. Pauline Chaney, Mrs. Clara Griffitts, Mrs. Lucille Jackson, Mrs. Berniece Jackson, Mrs. Berniec Pesch, Mrs. Ona Randals, Mrs. Lorene

Neel, Mrs. Carrie Mae Ross, Mrs. Shirley

#### Hillsboro No. 769

Bowling, Mrs. Marjorie Caudle, Mrs. L. C. Crocker, Mrs. Johnie Hubbard, Mrs. Vera Meredith,

Mrs. Mary Ellen Montgomery, Mrs. Hazel Montgomery, Mr. Jerry Phillips, Mrs. Lois Walker, Mrs. Mary Zube, Mrs. Lula

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Meredith, Mrs. Helen

Hurst No. 1061

----A----Adams, Mrs. Evelyn Francis, Mrs. Janice Keller, Mr. Gene A. Keller, Mrs. Helen Kleinworth, Mrs. Naomi Luster, Mrs. Mary Helen McDaniel, Mrs. Rosalie Thornton, Mrs. Nancy Wright, Mrs. Nellie

#### Indian Creek No. 255

---A---Cox, Mr. B. C. Denman, Mrs. Oma Edington, Mrs. Eule'ia Edington, Mrs. Eule'ia Grady, Miss Maggie May Hearn, Mrs. Tulia Locks, Mrs. Ellie H. Posey, Mrs. Vela Smith, Mrs. Neav Tallant, Mrs. Bess Utzman, Mrs. Pauline

#### Iredell No. 850

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#### Itasca No. 70

-A-Gilmore, Mrs. Hattie Langford, Mr. Elmer Langford, Mrs. Mary Mills, Mrs. Virginia Powell, Mrs. Eura

Jacksboro No. 390

\_A----Marley, Mrs. Hazel Spearman, Mr. D. B.

Spearman, Mrs. Elizabeth

Joshua No. 131

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Donelson, Mrs. Nora Hendrix, Mrs. Blanche Morgan, Mrs. Lucille

Keystone No. 9

-A---Benjamin, Mrs. Annie Mae Bickel, Mr. F. A. Dewees, Mrs. Cheba Harwell, Miss Lela M. Lee, Mrs. Clara McCleskey, Mrs. Artie McElroy, Mrs. Getha Sanders, Mrs. Carol Smith, Mr. Homer Smith, Mrs. Marie Stovall, Mrs. Claris Teague, Mrs. Effie Watson, Mrs. Fanjane Benjamin,

#### Killeen No. 490

-A— Adamson, Mrs. Millie Blair, Mrs. Dixie Blair, Mrs, Dixie Bonner, Mrs, Patricia Brown, Mrs. Rosealia Brown, Mr. Wallace R. Carson, Mr. Wallace R. Carson, Mr. Gordon Carson, Mrs. Vera Ruth Copley, Mrs. Carrie Crabill, Mr. Loren L. Crabill, Mrs. Norma Claegroyr, Mrs. Jourell Glasgow, Mrs. Jewell Hallaway, Mrs. Ramza Rose Harris, Mrs. Madeline Harris, Mrs. Materine Hoover, Mrs. Lena Jones, Mr. J. J., Jr. Jones, Mrs. Ophelia Mejerle, Mrs. Luella Parker, Mrs. Anna Jean Wells, Mrs. Estelle

Lampsas No. 295

-A-Alexander, Mrs. Essie V. Brooks, Mrs. LaVada Canady, Mrs. Lugeni Cofer, Mrs. Alice Lugenia Finney, Mrs. Susie Griffin, Mrs. Laverne

Moore, Mrs. Annie Pratt, Mrs. Mary Williamson, Mrs. Billie

Hanna, Mrs. Stella

#### Lipan No. 127

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-A-Baldree, Mrs. Pernie Baldree, Mrs. Wyona Beasley, Mrs. Willie McAdams, Mrs. Irene Williams, Mrs. Buena

-B---Compton, Mrs. Josie Self, Mrs. Kate

## Liberty Hill No. 893

-A---Foust, Mrs. Lois Richardson, Mrs. Fay Warren, Mrs. Jo

#### Llano No. 216

-A--A-Blissitte, Mrs. Dorothy Buttery, Mrs. Pearl Davis, Mrs. Irene Douglass, Mrs. Floyd McGinley, Mrs. Imogene Miller, Mrs. Carmen Miller, Mr. W. R. Ross, Mrs. Wilda Sbires Mrs. Beulah Shires, Mrs. Beulah

#### Lometa No. 871

--A-Davis, Mrs. Viola Gaines, Mrs. Wilma Jennings, Mrs. Iva Jennings, Mrs. Iva Jennings, Mr. Sam Mayben, Mrs. Crace Mayben, Mrs. Donah Basmussen Mrs. Char Rasmussen, Mrs. Gladys Rasmussen, Mrs. Louise Wright, Mrs. Jessie

-B Brazil, Mr. Lee Burnes, Mrs. Callie

Lott No. 594

--A--Fincher, Mrs. Kate Shelton, Mrs. Claudie Zimmerman, Mrs. Anita

#### Loving No. 985

—A— Davis, Mrs. Irene Harmon, Mr. C. F. Harmon, Mrs. Ollie Loftin, Mrs. Ora McDaniel, Mrs. Lucille McGee, Mrs. Oleta

Mansfield No. 876 -A

Fountain, Mrs. Norma Himes, Mrs. Gwen

Marble Falls No. 435

-A--Ashby, Mrs. Margaret Atwood, Mrs. Rennie Black, Mr. Durwood Black, Mrs. Ruby Lee Cuvelier, Mrs. Jenry Franklin, Mr. C. M. Franklin, Mrs. Ione Hays, Mrs. Edyth Malone Mrs. Buby Malone, Mrs. Ruby Marrs, Mrs. Susie Michel, Mrs. Bess Phillips, Mrs. Nelle Williams, Mrs. Bertha Wingo, Mr. Claude Wingo, Mrs. Tennie B.

Williams, Mr. Chester

#### Mart No. 109

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Daniel, Mrs. Alda Folley, Mrs. Karon M. Folley, Mr. Roy R. Henry, Mr. Dave Henry, Mrs. Mattie Belle Noland, Mrs. Irene Di Lucif D'Anne Richardson, Mrs. D'Anne Smith, Mrs. Opal Watson, Mrs. Greta

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Watson, Mrs. Murray, Jr.

Meridian No. 398

--A----Davis, Mrs. Lorean

Mertens No. 604

-A-Ferguson, Mrs. Carrie

-B-Perry, Mrs. Ola Mae

Mexia No. 57

-A----Baker, Mrs. Bearice Johnston, Mrs. Vera Lee Layne, Mrs. Marie Miller, Mrs. Oma Turner, Mrs. Ella Zumwalt, Mrs. Ruby

McGregor No. 427

# -\_\_A\_\_ Caldwell, Mrs. Doris Jackson, Mrs. Loveda Poucher Mrs. Ruth Stovall, Mrs. Johnnie Williams, Mrs. Suzanne

-B Dutton, Mrs. Allie Mae ١

McLennan No. 639

-A-Asacraft, Mrs. Alvesta Bostick, Mrs. Roxie Bruner, Mrs. Violet Burton, Mrs. Jennie Burton, Mr. Richard Burton, Mr. Richard Davidson, Mrs. Nelle Dillon, Mrs. Pearl Goebel, Mrs. Amy Goebel, Mr. Lud T. Hanson, Mrs. Wrena L. Ingram, Mrs. Opal Mayhugh, Mrs. Doris Mayhugh, Mr. E. L. Moran, Mrs. Sarah R. Moran, Mrs. Sarah Morgan, Mrs. Sarah R. Mosshart, Mrs. Elna Powers, Mrs. Florine Raines, Mrs. Marie Teer, Mr. Clifford T.

Collier, Mrs. Elizabeth Darwin, Mrs. Flora Shidaker, Mrs. Helen

Millsap No. 1042

-A-Ashley, Mrs. Maxine Clary, Mrs. Chlodell Guess, Mrs. Helen Guess, Mr. Millardf E. Loan, Mr. Jesse Loan, Mrs. Virginia

-B-Coalson, Mrs. Hazel

Moran No. 591

-A-Burton, Mrs. Erma Huskey. Mrs. Elma May Terry, Mrs. Etta

-B-Cannon, Mrs. Rheba

North Fort Worth No. 684

-A-Barnes, Mrs. Mazell Barnes, Mr. Roland Barnes, Mr. Roland Bickham, Mrs. Frances Bunker, Mrs. Claudine Clounch, Mrs. Joyce Cox, Mr. Glenn Curtis, Mrs. Joan Dunn, Mrs. Mary Alice Garlitz, Mrs. Joan Dunn, Mrs. Mary Alice Garlitz, Mrs. Happy Gillispie, Mr. J. D. Hammack, Mr. Bert Hammack, Mrs. Elise Hill, Mrs. Nadine Hill. Mrs. Nadine Hoffman, Mrs. Marjorie Jones, Mrs. Margaret

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Jones, Mr. Wayne P. Kimsey, Mrs. Johnnie Minor, Mrs. Carolyn Mitchell, Mrs. Alice Peters, Mrs. Rubye Prince, Mrs. Wilna Shelton, Mr. Cecil T. Shelton, Mrs. Margie Smorton, MIS. Margie Smithwick, Mrs. Helen VanSickle, Mrs. Nella Webb, Mrs. Edith Wilson, 'Mrs. Alice Louise

#### Olney No. 321

----- A ---Burdick, Mrs. Vivian Butts, Mrs. Faye Butts, Mr. Glenn Cooke, Mrs. Jimmie Richerson, Mrs. Jeton Richerson, Mr. Jim Tanner, Mrs. Zula Wainscott, Mrs. Christine

Whitsitt, Mrs. Mildred

#### Polytechnic No. 420

—A— Baughman, Mrs. Dortha Baughman, Mr. John R. Bradford, Miss Margaret Crouch, Mrs. Vivian Gist, Mrs. Frankie Leach, Mrs. Virginia McNae, Mr. D. B. McRae, Mr. D. B. Meissner, Mrs. Martha Nelson, Mrs. Murphy Bobinson -A-Robinson. Miss Clara Faye

Robinson, Mr. Clyde Skillern, Mrs. Savelle Wellman, Miss Barbara Wellman, Mrs. Hazel Wellman, Mr. Leon White, Mrs. Ludie Williams, Miss Hortense

Childress, Mrs. Leona Thornton, Mr. Eugene

#### Prudence No. 159

-A---Baker, Mrs. Bessie B. Brooks, Mrs. Bonnie Daniels, Mrs. Grace Barooks, Mrs. Bosmie Daniels, Mrs. Grace Fitts, Mrs. Grace Fitts, Mrs. Grace Guilliams, Mrs. Dainty Guilliams, Mrs. Edna Holland, Mr. Ed H. Holland, Mrs. Haz McAdams, Mr. Joe Murry, Mrs. Gladys Guilliams, Mrs. Edna Holland, Mrs. Mary Hockadams, Mr. Joe Murry, Mrs. Gladys Murry, Mrs. Gladys Sage State State Magnetic State Magnetic State Model Mrs. Gladys Murry, Mrs. Gladys Murry, Mrs. Gladys Sage State Magnetic State Magnet State Magnet S

Ranger No. 275

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Lummus, Mrs, Auda Regina No. 283

-A-Allen, Mrs. Ruth Clary, Mrs. Bessie Darden, Mrs. Joyce Maxine Draper, Mrs. Mary Allen Fenn, Mrs. Doris Hulme, Mrs. Fay Rachuig, Mrs. Joyce Remington, Mrs. Belle Sechrist, Mrs. Lucille Smith, Mrs. Juanita Standefer, Mrs. Carrie Standefer, Mr. Jim Turner, Mrs. Vera Zander, Mrs. Mabel

-B-Gambrell, Mrs. Johnnie Hudson, Mrs. Lila Mitchell, Mrs. Charline Sides, Mrs. Lillian

## Richland Hills No.1040

-A---Arnold, Mr. Herbert L. Arnold, Mrs. Maude Burnes, Mrs. Maxine Chick, Mrs. Alice Chick, Mrs. Dawn Chick, Mr. T. J. Farris, Mr. A. M. Griffith, Mr. Claud Griffith, Mrs. Una Hipp, Mrs. Mary Hodge, Mrs. Christine Jones, Mrs. Bobbie Kee, Mr. Earl Kirby, Mrs. Vallie Linn Otwell, Mrs. Josie Simpson, Mr. Marvin, Ju -A-Simpson, Mrs. Josie Simpson, Mr. Marvin, Jr. Stone, Mr. K. H. Stone, Mrs. Violet Sturgeon, Mrs. Betty Wheeler, Mrs. Pat

-B Kee, Mrs. Jeanette

#### Ridglea No. 999

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Reeves, Mr. Walton H. Roberts, Mrs. Walton H. Roberts, Mrs. Klizabeth Rost, Mrs. Vera Shackelford, Mr. Dale W. Shackelford, Mrs. Joy Sublett, Mrs. Nancy

Bell, Mrs. Paula Dee Brooks, Mr. Cecil B. Brooks, Mrs. Cynthia Clary, Mrs. Margaret R. Ewen, Mrs. Bernice Smith, Mrs. Sharalyn L. Smith, Mrs. Wanell

#### Rio Vista No. 343

-A-Chambers, Mrs. Alice Clifton, Mrs. Minnie Cooper, Mrs. Adella M. McLean, Mrs. Jo Nickell, Mrs. Mavis Wilbanks, Mrs. Kathryn

Campbell, Mrs. Rosa

#### **Rising Star No. 277**

-A-Carleton, Mrs. Celestine Carleton, Mr. Wilson Jarrett, Mrs. Lila Jones, Mrs. Opice B. Jones, Mrs. Opal Dale Maynard, Mr. Floy J. Maynard, Mrs. Letha C. Morrison, Mrs. Grace Price, Mr. Fred Price, Mrs. Lulu Stock, Mrs. Winnie Lee Wright, Mrs. Bess L. -A

-B-Bucy, Mrs. Carrie

#### Riverside No. 834

Baker, Mrs. Sallie Jo Ball, Mrs. Sadie Bradly, Mr. M. D. Cole, Mrs. Vivian Ellison, Mrs. Ophelia Franklin, Mrs. Hilda Gallop, Mrs. Jeannie Hanvey, Mrs. Alva Harris, Mrs. Rosa Mae Jamison, Mrs. Mildred Lawson, Mrs. Clara Bess Lilly, Mrs. Bertha McMahon, Mrs. Abbie Jo McNaughton, Mrs. Lillian Mrs. Lillian Painter, Mrs. Opal Parish, Mrs. Floy Rippy, Mrs. Sadve Robinson, Mrs. Alice Smith, Mr. Noel A. Stith, Mrs. Lucille Vaughan Mr. J. B., Jr. Wilson, Mr. Harlen

Wilson, Mrs. Lydia Nell Woodson, Mr. James L.

-B-Chambliss, Mr. Tom Chambliss, Mrs. Thylis Passmore, Mrs. Meda Beth

Rosebud No. 694

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Parks, Mrs. Mattie Reaves, Mrs. Icey Ann Robertson, Mrs. Ella

B Dorner, Mrs. Myrtle

#### Round Rock No. 316

Early, Mrs. Geneva Kayanaugh, Mrs. Birdie Martin, Mrs. Echo Robertson, Mrs. Anna Robertson, Mrs. Iva Lee Warren, Mrs. Lillian

Ruth No. 20

-A-Blackburn, Mrs. Betty Bowen, Mr. H. W. Carmichael, Mrs. Maxine Fowler, Mrs. Roberta Horton, Mrs. Billie Horton, Mr. J. T. Horton, Mrs. LaJean Sonntag, Mrs. Audrey Williams, Mrs. Mary

San Saba No. 191

-A-Colwell, Mrs. Fannie B. Holland, Mrs. Bertha Johnson, Mrs. Elouise Schneider, Mrs. Vada Lussier, Mrs. Hortense

-B--Boynton, Mr. Sam G. Robinson, Mrs. Virginia

Santa Anna No. 247

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Bass, Mrs. Rose Bostick, Mrs. Willie Jean Grantham, Mrs. Blanche Grannam, Mrs. Blanche Henderson, Mrs. Edna Henderson, Mrs. Zuda Herndon, Mrs. Lillian Newman, Mrs. Verna Lee West, Mrs. Viona

Santo No. 270

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Sparks, Mrs. Delana

-B-Rucker, Mrs. Josie

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#### Sipe Springs No. 416

-A.

Anderson, Mrs. Winnie Collins, Mrs. Madalin Johnston, Mrs. Vina Mae Lewis, Mrs. Edith

#### South Hills No. 835

-A-Blaine, Mrs. Ruth Brown, Mr. Jan N. Burbank, Mrs. Frances Canon, Mrs. Irma Edwards, Mrs. Viola Garretson, Mrs. Bettie Goolsby, Mrs. Lucille Hearrell, Mrs. Claribel Lewis, Mrs. Ruth S. Poer, Mrs. Billie Porter, Mrs. Billie Porter, Mrs. Billie Porter, Mrs. Billie Randall, Mrs. Opal W. Rucker, Mrs. Nadine Sanderford, Mrs. Helen Tally, Mrs. Ellna Faye Blaine, Mrs. Ruth

#### Southside No. 673

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Barclay, Mrs. Irene Barnes, Mrs. Mildred Chancellor, Mrs. Loyce Cluck, Mrs. Janice Dillard, Mrs. Winnie Harrison, Mrs. Bettye Harrison, Mr. Charles Hogue, Mrs. Charlotte Hogue, Mr. Thomas Kimpon, Mrs. Julia Sink, Mrs. Judy Sink, Mrs. Judy Teague, Mrs. Pauline True, Mrs. Winifred W. Walsh, Miss Barbara M. Walsh, Mr. Blount E. A. Walsh, Mrs. Helen Wilson, Mrs. Zena Young, Mrs. Allene

\_R Kittoe Mrs. Mary L. Maughan, Mrs. Louise

Springtown No. 801

Hillin, Mrs. Laverne Hillin, Mr. W. C. Stewart, Mrs. Fay Stewart, Mr. W. E. Thomson, Mr. John H. Thomson, Mrs. Virginia

Star Mountain No. 966

<u>\_Δ</u>. Boykin, Mrs. Huldah Clary, Mrs. Choella Garrett, Mr. Randolph Hawkins, Mrs. Helen Sheldon, Mrs. Eulabel Young, Mrs. Arva Young, Mr. E. C. Stephenville No. 801

-A Anglin, Mrs. Gracie Anglin, Mr. Curtis Bone, Mrs. Ruth Cole, Mrs. Florence Dixon, Mrs. Juanita Lata, Mrs. Clara Latta, Mr. Melvin Moore, Mrs. Gladys Overman, Mrs. Gladys Overman, Mrs. Melba Parham, Mrs. Jessie Parham, Mr. Oscar Rhea, Mrs. Gladys Underwood, Mrs. Leta

Strawn No. 361

-B Rushing, Mrs. Selma Stringer, Mrs. Bernita

#### Tarran No. 8

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Beamesdufer, Beamesdufer, Mrs. Bhonda Boone, Mrs. Fran Boone, Mr. Sam G. Bratcher, Miss Bobbye Bratcher, Miss Bobbye Bratcher, Miss Lynn H. Fisher, Mrs. Mary Grace Garrett, Mrs. Midled Greer, Mrs. Midled Lockan Mrs. Dava Greer, Mrs. Middred Jackson Mrs. Dona Kirbie, Mrs. Phillis G. Lewark, Mrs. Mary Loya, Mr. James Parker, Mr. Stanton C. Parker, Mrs. Vena H. Perry, Mrs. Evalene Portlock, Mrs. Hazel Reynolds, Mrs. Suzanne Sanders, Mrs. Nell Starr, Mrs. Countess Walls, Mr. Bobbie Walls, Mr. Bobbie Walls, Mr. Dean White, Mr. A. M. White, Mrs. Mary S. Wilson, Mrs. Myrtle Wilson, Mrs. Mary D. Wright, Mrs. Maude Zelman, Mrs. Lola H. .R.

Perry, Mr. B. R.

#### Taylor No. 578

-A-Alexander. Mrs. Roma Barber, Mrs. Thelma Baker, Mrs. Rosalie Bartz, Mrs. Fannie Mae Crawford, Mrs. Kittie Hale, Mrs. Delores

#### Temple No. 153

\_\_\_A\_\_\_ Alexander, Mrs. Dorothy Anderson, Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Mrs. Stella Lee Bachus, Mrs. Mattie

Bell, Mrs. Ava Lee Boully, Mrs. Eva Boyd, Mrs. Wilma Chasteen, Mr. Frank Chasteen, Mrs. LaVerne Copeland, Mrs. Ruth Huff, Mrs. Mary Janeway, Mrs. Cuba Manning, Mrs. Katherine McAlezander. McAlexander, Mrs. Ruby Dee Mosshart, Mr. Lee Mosshart, Mrs. Lucile Puett, Mrs. Martha J. Puett, Mr. W. A. Redwine, Mrs. Lois Venable, Mr. Marvin Lieske, Mr. Albert

-B-Simpson, Mrs. Mildred Williams, Mrs. Etta

Throckmorton No. 500

-A--A.-Atkinson, Mrs. Belle Estridge, Mr. C. B. Estridge, Mrs. Eunice Harrington, Mrs. Vivian Jones, Mrs. Odessa Kirkland, Mrs. Ola Sanders, Mrs. Frances Sanders, Mr. F. R.

#### Troy No. 72

-A-Moore, Mrs. Lucille Thaxton, Mrs. Ariel

-B-Henry, Mrs. Carol

Valley Mills No. 97

-A--Ekrut, Mrs. M. E. Filler, Mrs. Violet Gilbreath, Mrs. Hazel Olson, Mrs. Lucille -B-

#### Seawright, Mrs. Eula

Vashti No. 32

--<u>A</u>---Boyd, Mrs. Eva Burchard, Mrs. Mattie Burton, Mrs. Margaret Cagle, Mrs. Sue Curtis, Mrs. Clara Curbs, Mrs. Clara Dunaway, Mrs. Lucile Dusek, Mr. Ed Fisk, Mrs. Lucile T. Hall Mrs. Leta M. Hawkins, Mrs. Eska M. Hines, Mrs. Ruby P. Kennedy, Mrs. Natalie Kornegay. Mrs. Geoffret Kornegay, Mrs. Geoffrey Longmire, Mrs. Ruth Martin, Mrs. Oma Moore, Mrs. Nell Stokes, Mrs. Anne

Swan, Mrs. Bertha Williams, Mrs. Mildred

-B-Brookes, Mrs. Pearl Dillard, Mrs. Ellen Hamrick, Mrs. Lena Mae Poteet, Miss Eunice

Venus No. 922

-A-Campbell, Mr. H. E. Campbell, Mrs. Virginia Simmons, Mrs. Mildred

#### Waco No. 7

Collins, Mrs. Ploma Deacon, Miss Ruth Fortune, Mrs. Lucille Hoyle, Mrs. Laura Lee Hutchinson, Mrs. Ruth Jaynes, Mr. Thomas B. Kaiser, Mrs. Evelyn Kron, Mrs. Alma Magee, Mrs. Edna Martin, Mrs. Hallie McGinty, Mrs. Harle McKinney, Mrs. Lillian Miller, Mrs. Doris S. Nobles, Mrs. Mildred Pluenneke, Mrs. Florrie Strange, Mrs. Florence

Strathdee, Mrs. Fannie Lee Taylor, Mrs. Barbara Weir, Mrs. Bertha

Wilson, Mrs. Gladys

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Walnut Springs No. 401

-A-Corley, Mr. Arthur Corley, Mrs. Armur Corley, Mrs. Lois Edge, Mrs. Agnes Lilly, Mrs. Blanche Rundell, Mrs. Leone Russell, Mrs. Hattie

-B---Heartsill, Mrs. Eva

Walter Baldwin No. 929

-A-Conner, Mrs. Thelma Eidson, Mrs. Hazel Gant, Mrs. Alma Hutchison, Mrs. Maurine Loving, Mr. O. R. Loving, Mrs. Ruby Mosby, Mrs. Mary Nell Shaw, Mrs. Mable Lucille Whatley, Mrs. Juanita

Weatherford No. 21

A Barbee, Mrs. Viola Cuthbertson, Mrs. Martha

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Cuthbertson, Mr. M. S. Hall, Mrs. Lois Long, Mrs. Ruth Prichard, Mrs. Madalene Robinson, Mrs. Christine Scott, Mrs. Mary Stroub, Mrs. Myrrle Vincent, Mrs. Bernadine Vincent, Mr. Gus

#### -R Berkley, Mrs. Susie

#### Wedgwood No. 756

Bowling, Mrs. Lou Brown, Mrs. Elizabeth Bunten, Mrs. Elizab Bunten, Mrs. Myrna Cox, Mrs. Janella Efird, Mrs. Doris Efird, Mr. John A. Geron, Mrs. Audrey Geron, Mr. Floyd Golden, Mrs. Blondell Justice, Mrs. Marie Justice, Mr. Marvin

Aldine No. 1088

Bradford, Mrs. Jean. Bradford, Mrs. R. E. Brittain, Mrs. Nell Cain, Mrs. Nell

Harris, Mrs. Guindola Harris, Mrs. Juanita Howard, Mrs. La Tae

Howard, Mrs. La Tae Love, Mrs. Ann Love, Mrs. Mildred Love, Mr. R. W. Love, Mr. Robert O. Marriott, Mrs. Elaine McDonald, Mrs. Marilyn McNew, Mrs. Betty McNew, Mrs. Betty Meece, Mrs. Laura Patterson, Mrs. Norma

Patterson, Mrs. Norma Pilkenton, Mrs. Kay Pilkenton, Mr. Leo S.

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Koontz, Mrs. Sarah Jane Johnson, Mrs. Alta Lewis, Mrs. Mildred Thompson, Mr. Roy O. McReynolds, Mr. Harris Thompson, Mrs. Zelma McReynolds. Mrs. Luln Nell Oliver, Mrs. Louise Parish, Miss Elizabeth Plumlee, Mrs. Mildred Shaver, Mrs. Thenia Sturdivant, Mr. Donald Sturdivant, Mrs. Inez Sullivan, Mrs. Geraldine Tingle, Mrs. Fritz Warden, Mrs. Jimmie Lee Waters, Mrs. Gladys Webb, Mr. H. Hynds Webb, Mrs. Gertrude -B-Lindsey, Mr. J. D. Sullivan, Mr. Edgar

## West No. 203

—A— Grudziecki, Mrs. Betty

Ansel, Mrs. Laura F.

Bahler, Mrs. Irene Bahler, Mr. R. F. Benford, Mrs. Joan Cobb, Mrs. Betty

Coleman, Mrs. Betty Coleman, Mr. Howard Coleman, Mrs. Myrtle Garden, Miss Marge Gove, Mrs. Charlotte

Hoffman, Mrs. Margaret Hunt, Mrs. Myrtle R. Hunt, Mr. R. E.

Mrs. Katharine

Miller, Mr. Berry Miller, Mrs. Rosalie

Reuwer. Mrs. Uva Rezek, Ellølouise

Anahuac No. 649 --A----

Springer, Mrs. Dorothy Summers, Mrs. Bernice

Gibson, Mrs. Annie L. Goodsell, Mrs. Mary Sandlin, Mrs. Elles

Alvin No. 15 --A----

McKitham

Myers, Mrs. Gladys Reich, Mrs. Margaret

#### White Settlement No. 1055

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CERTIFICATES GRANTED FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971-District No. 4

Dodgen, Mr. Howard W. Sandlin, Mr. James Millsap, Mrs. Martha Panack, Mrs. Opal Riley, Mr. John C. Riley, Mrs. Pauline Scott, Mrs. Velma

Barnes, Mr. George B. Barnes, Mrs. Neta B. Bunnell, Mrs. Frances Chambers, Mrs. Ella Flowers, Mr. Don Flowers, Mrs. Maxine Goggans, Mrs. Dorothy Greene, Mrs. Bobbie J. Greene, Mr. Robert E. Lyles, Mrs. Lillie Murray, Mr. Lee Richardson, Mrs. Belle Swaim, Mrs. Rose Winn, Mrs. Nancy

Griggs, Mrs. Vera

Sandlin, Mrs. Evelyn

Andral Vann No. 741

Becker, Miss Alvina Cook, Mrs. Ora Cox, Mrs. Janie

Denson, Mr. Carl T., Jr. Horne, Mrs. Pauline

Jackson, Mrs. Faulthe Jackson, Mrs. Evadean Lemke, Mrs. Cathinne Mason, Mr. B. M. Mason, Mrs. Georgiana McLool, Mrs. Evelyn McNeill, Mrs. Cuba Mae Schoenner, Mrs. Lunz

Schoepper, Mrs. Laura Scrivner, Mrs. Fay

Mrs. Florence Tuffly, Mrs. Lillian Willburn, Mrs. Lucille

Mrs. Irene M.

Angleton No. 54

Springborn,

Woodrome,

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Archives No. 1095

Barker, Mrs. Georgia Bell, Mrs. Euna

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Billeaud, Mrs. Allene Eska, Mrs. Hazel F. Hodson, Mrs. Jean Musgrave, Mrs. Jean Musgrave, Mrs. Vada Patterson, Mrs. Dorothy Spears, Mrs. Jewell Wallin, Mrs. Frances Wood, Mrs. Lillie

Minler, Mrs. Velma

-R Day, Mr. M. E., Jr. Farmer, Mrs. Ealey

#### Bastrop No. 64

-A-Breedin, Mrs. Clara Gray. Mrs. Natha Pfieffer, Mrs. Margaret Ragan, Mrs. Clarice Schuyler. Mrs. Thelma Lee

Counts, Mr. V. E. Easterling, Mr. A. R. Easterling, Mr. A. R. Easterling, Mrs. Pauline Fox. Miss Nell Harris, Mrs. Imogene Rogers, Mr. F. L. Rogers, Mrs. Lucy B. Sheffield, Mrs. Carla D. Sherman, Mrs. Faye Snow, Mrs. Ada C. Taylor, Mrs. Ella Mae

Brown, Mrs. Leona Davis, Mrs. Jessie Graham, Mrs. Zula Mae Guye, Mrs. Willie Mae Johnson, Mrs. Carol Johnson, Mr. F. G. Johnson, Mrs. Sevola Sanford, Mrs. Betty Woodall, Mrs. Erlene

Augusta No. 317

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Mrs. Willie Mae Smith, Mrs. Loucille Stich, Mrs. Lelia Stiles, Mrs. Annette Wells, Mrs. Betty B.

Schumack

## Tabor, Mrs. Annie

Almeda No. 1081

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Dodgen, Mrs. Indabell Gibson, Mrs. Twila Gradick, Mrs. Alma Hahn, Mrs. Geraldine Harris, Mrs. Lois Hill, Mrs. Charline

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Whitney No. 930

Ballew, Mrs. Mary Alla

Campbell, Mrs. Louise Campbell, Mr. Odus

Crider, Mrs. Frances Hill, Mrs. Bertie Mallory, Mrs. Eva Tidwell, Mrs. Ona Mae

Woodson No. 679

Zephyr No. 932

Horry, Mrs. Modena Shanks, Mrs. Hattie

Nelson, Mrs. Jimmie Nelson, Mrs. Jimmie Sikes, Mrs. Irene Triplitt, Mrs. Allie Triplitt, Mrs. Bonnie

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-A-Belvin, Mrs. Janie

-B Gist, Mrs. Jewel

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Darden, Mrs. May Hipp, Mrs. Jewel Norment, Mrs. Bess Norment, Miss Sue Owens, Mr. Doyle C. Owens, Mrs. Rachel L. Swilley, Mrs. Mabel

### Bay City No. 380

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Alexander, Mrs. Pearl Alexander, Mrs. Fearl Burchfield, Mrs. Nannie Belle Coyle, Mrs. Margaret Davis, Mr. E. C. Davis, Mrs. Carrie Glover, Mrs. Carrie Glover, Mr. J. C. Glover, Mrs. Maxine Inoram Mrs. Keve Ingram, Mrs. Maxine Ingram, Mrs. Keye Mielsch, Mrs. Evelyn Mielsch, Mr. John Paul Morehead, Mrs. Ida Morgan, Mrs. Mary Anne Newman, Mrs. Rose Nervman, Mrs. Kose Norris, Mrs. Johnna Oates, Mr. Carl Oates, Mrs. Opal Powell, Mrs. Ola Mule Quinn, Mrs. Fern Reynal, Mrs. Billie Jean Ruth, Mrs. Frankie Sutton, Mrs. Thelma Taylor, Mrs. Korah Belle Wekefield, Mrs. Alma Wakefield, Mr. Paul Watkins, Mrs. Shirley

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Conroy, Mrs. Mattie Cook, Mrs. Annette Powell, Mr. Ben F. Sirmar, Mrs. Marguerite

Beaumont No. 71

٠A Fielder. Mrs. Tommie R. Fones, Mrs. Selma Goode, Mrs. Mabel Johnson, Mrs. Rachel Lambright, Mrs. Hazel Loper, Mr. Herbert C. Loper, Mrs. Loyce Loter, Mrs. Loyce Intenhacker, Mrs. Thelma Seller, Mr. Lester A. Sellers, Mrs. Violet Virgilio, Mr. Ben, Jr. Virgilio, Mrs. Catherine -B-Cherry, Mrs. Joann

### Bellaire No. 1021

-A-Barker, Mrs. Velia Del Conington, Mrs. Vena Der Hardaway, Mrs. Nancy Hardaway, Mrs. Ruth Hicks. Mrs. Carolee Jackson, Mrs. Lois

Jacobs, Mrs. Lucille Jacobs, Mr. Manuel Jeffries, Mrs. Lorena Knoll, Mrs. Ellen Knoll, Mrs. Ellean Ping, Mrs. Hellen Ray, Mrs. Hellen Roberts, Mrs. Billie Sheets, Mrs. Leah Siems, Mrs. Audramaua Siems, Mr. Douglas W. Slaughter, Mrs. Alethia Upchurch, Mr, J. D. Upchurch, Mrs. Mildred Widerstrom, Mrs. Ruth

-B Byrd, Mrs. Juanita Sizemore, Mrs. Alma Woodard, Mrs. Joy L.

### Bellville No. 611

\_A--Balke, Mrs. Celesta Campbell, Mrs. Mary L. Current, Mr. John L. Eckleberg, Mrs. Sadie Jennings, Mr. Fleck Jennings, Mrs. Leona Kigsenwetter, Mrs. Zoe Ann Mittanck, Mrs. Gussie Roos, Mrs. Olivia Wade, Mrs. Myrttle

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Chatfield, Mrs. Bess Mittanck, Mr. Leon R. Stephens, Mrs. Verda

Bethlehem No. 728

Banth, Mrs. Bernadine Belk, Mrs. Frances Belk, Mr. Gene Cleveland, Mrs. Dorothy Cleveland, Mr. Jack Cordell, Mrs. Clara Darby, Mrs. Doris Eitzen, Mrs. Martha Coattie Mrs. Fdra Eitzen, Mrs. Martha Goettie, Mrs. Edna Goettie, Dr. James H. Harris, Mrs. Laura Hanks, Mrs. Melba Jene Huddleston, Mrs. Hazel King, Mrs. Mary Jane Mattocks, Mrs. Lucille Neely, Mrs. Geraldine Poole, Mrs. Audra Prell, Mrs. Leola Ricks, Mr. Dervey H. Ricks, Mrs. Viola Stevens, Mrs. Mary Stevens, Mrs. Viola Thomas, Mrs. Marv Thomas, Mrs. Beth Uzzle Mrs. Olive Walker, Mrs. Lola F. Wells, Mrs. Katie -R

Cook, Mr. A. M. Cook, Mrs. Velma

Bluebell No. 856

\_A\_\_ -A.-Anderson, Mrs. Betty Arnold, Mrs. Edna Avalos, Mrs. Ola Mae Bailey, Mrs. Edna Bringhurst, Miss Nanoy Carbaugh, Mr. Lyle Dripprea, Mrs. Elsie Elliott, Mrs. Gretchen Elliott, Mrs. Gretchen Elliott, Mr. John Frazier, Mrs. Hal C. Frazier Mrs. Ophelia Frazier, Mrs. Ophelia Hill, Mrs. Leahbelle Logue, Miss Eugenia J. Mantranga, Mrs. Sally Monroe, Mrs. Hilda Rogers, Mrs. Billie Smith, Mr. Jack O. Talley, Mrs. Ann West, Mrs. Freda

Brazoria No. 74

-A-Andrews, Mrs. Barbara Andrews, Mr. J. F. Basc, Mrs. Bessie Beaird, Mrs. Marie Chambers, Mrs. Vera Eason, Mrs. Anna Liles, Mrs. Ruby Palmer, Mrs. Ruby Jackson, Mrs. Hazel Riggs, Mrs. Dorothy

### Brenham No. 144

Becker, Mrs. Leona W. Dillon Mrs. Phoebe Ham, Mrs. Charlene Hannath, Mrs. Charlene Hannath, Mrs. Dorothy Hunt, Mrs. Ethel Meyer, Mrs. Harriet Tracy, Mrs. Carol Whitmarsh, Mrs. Marilyn

Dorbritz, Mrs. Horteuse Sommer, Mrs. Josephine

Bridge City No. 1038

--A-----A---Brown, Mrs. Alta Brown, Mr. Purdy Helton, Mrs. Lillian Martin, Mr. Eugene C. Martin, Mrs. Louise Peveto, Mrs. Clara Peveto, Mrs. Mary Plunk, Mrs. Wirginia Reed, Mrs. Minnie Traham, Mrs. Tuzie -B

Kiihnl, Mrs. Ruth

### Broaddus No. 889

-A-Haneey, Mrs. Ida Harieiy, Mrs. Tommie Lacey, Mrs. Hazel Mott, Mrs. Hazel Powell, Mrs. Sallie Sims, Mrs. Hazel Wells, Mrs. Orena Woode Mrs. Maria Woods, Mrs. Maxie

-B Askew, Mrs. Carole Gariman, Mrs. Ruth Holloway, Mrs. Fay Wells, Mrs. Allie

Buna No. 968

-A-Davis, Mrs. Vera Goode, Mrs. Nancy Plake, Mrs. Cora Strickland, Mrs. Mary White, Mrs. Catherine

-B Wright, Mrs. Ruth

Brookshire No. 652

-A-Carroll, Mrs. Betty Halbison, Mrs. Durelle Koen, Mrs. Jeanette Pattison, Mrs. Hazel S Robichaux, Mrs. Mabel Wieting, Mrs. Lenora

--B-Dodson, Mrs. Ozie

Bronson No. 337

-A--Clark, Mrs. Pauline Marshburn, Mrs. Auretle Nelson, Mrs. Dura Russell, Mrs. Lois Sharkie, Mrs. Morris Wood, Mrs. Ethyl

Buffalo No. 157

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Dunn, Mrs. Thelma Jones, Mrs. Irene Jones, Mrs. Maudie Jones, Mr. Norman Moore, Mrs. Lois Morgan, Mrs. Dean Moore, Mr. A. M.

Bryan No. 222

Abel, Mrs. Jennie Buchanan, Mrs. Frances Buchanan, Mrs. Frances Buchanan, Mrs. Ila Mae Carter, Mrs. Betty Farmer, Mrs. Winnie C. Goss, Mrs. Lula Mae Gray, Mrs. Martha Huebner, Mrs. Effie Jones, Walter Carl Lovell, Mrs. Alene

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Lovell, Mrs. Ernest Murray, Mrs. Bernadean Powers, Mrs. Norine Wilderson, Mrs. Maudell Wilson, Mrs. Patsy Wortham, Mrs. Irene Yeager, Mrs. Johanna K.

-B-Buchanan, Mrs. Henry Griffin, Mrs. Lillie Mae

## Caldwell No. 976

-<u>A</u>----Barker, Mrs. Doris Duewall, Mrs. Sharon Schiller, Mrs. Frances

### Calvert No. 563

-A-Terry, Mrs. Belle Wiese, Mrs. Dottie Wyser, Mrs. Lucille

R. Wyser, Mrs. Lucille

## Cameron No. 553

-A-Allen, Mrs. Bessie Allen, Mrs. Winifred Bowling, Mrs. Roberta Dodson, Mrs. Roberta Harsha, Mrs. Gertrude Kuehl, Mrs. Carrie D. Lee, Johnnie R. Lester, Mrs. Lillian White, Mrs. Eva White, Mrs. Dan

\_B-Barr, Carol S. Brock, Mrs. Stella

### Cedar Bayou No. 11

-A Ahlf, Mrs. Wilma Anderson, Mrs. Barbara Anderson, Mrs. Barbara Burns, Mrs. Helen DeBruhl, Mrs. Annie Doskocil, Mrs. Thelma Ferguson, Mrs. Loriene Fowler, Mrs. Rose Krolczyk, Mrs. Mary Parker, Mrs. Frances Pfistner Mrs. Rescia Pfistner, Mrs. Bessie Prigmore, Mrs. Jean Prigmore Thomas L. Prigmore Thomas L. Shults, Mrs. Jeanette Sturrock, Mrs. Ersula Pittman, Mrs. Joice Fae

### -R-Bodine, Mrs. Mary

### Center No. 348

-A-Davis, Mrs. LaMerle McSwain, Mrs. Evie Lee Watkins, Mrs. Norrid Watson, Mrs. Elizabeth Winningham, Mrs. Edith Paladino, John P. B B Mrs. Katy Schell, Mrs. Mary

Wiggins, Mrs. Fleta Centerville No. 1002

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Ellis, Mrs. Neta June Hill, Mrs. Oneta

### Channelview No. 594

-A---Balentine, Marie Balentine, Hurshell Boyer, Mrs. Marion Borns, Mrs. Isabelle Cowart, Mrs. Marie Cowart, Mrs. Mane DeWeese, Mrs. Trudie Edwards, Velma Elmore, Mrse. Dee Gray, Mrs. Ernestine Hill, Mrs. Pat Hill, Richard Hopkins, Mrs. Adelle Kizer, Mrs. Elsie Knox, Mrs. Deone Pilling, Mrs. Elinnor Riley, Mrs. Hazel Rodgers, Mrs. Fauline Salver, Mrs. Fauline Seward, Mrs. Mable Smith, Mrs. Catherine Smith, Lindy L, Smith, Mrs. Nell Tidwell, Mrs. Rose Wagstaff, Mrs. Ray Wagstaff, John H. Walker, Patsy Walls, Mrs. Lula Jane Whitmore, Mrs. Nellie Knox, Mrs. Deone Whitmore, Mrs. Nellie

-B--Dunaway, Mrs. Myrtie Matzke, Mrs. Sandra Reynolds, Mrs. Dorothy Sepulvada, Mrs. Charlotte Welsh, Henry T. Whitman, Mrs. Mary

## Cleveland No. 465

-A Dove, Mrs. Lillian Lewis, Mrs. Odessa Spence, Mrs. Hattie -B-Allen, Mrs. Janice Hicks, Mrs. Amy McGill, Mrs. Florence

### Clute No. 1011

-A---Canady, Mrs. Billie Godfrey, Mrs. Armetta Green, Mrs. Jeanne Karr, Mrs. Irene Lunsford, Mrs. Bobbie Swanner, Mrs. Ollie Mae Tanner, Mrs. Maxine

## Colmesneil No. 1068

-A---Almond, Mrs. Dorothy Almond, James N. Boyett, Mrs. Ella Griffith, Mrs. Estella Ogden, Mrs. Bernice Ogden, Mrs. Odna Owing, Mrs. Kathleen Stephen, Mrs. Lucile

-B Christy, Mrs. Gladys Christy, Rex

College Station No. 1026

-A-Boyett, Mrs. Mary Cloud, R. C. Crow, Mrs. Weltha Hanson, Mrs. Virginia Huey, Mrs. Jimmie Lee Johnson, Mrs. Lynn Lloyd, Mrs. Ellen Lioya, IMTS. Eilen Shanks, Mrs. Bessie Shanks, W. B. Shanks, W. B. Smyth, Mrs. Lillian Trossen, Mrs. Mary

### Columbus No. 324

-A----A--Beken, Mrs. Karen Dunn, Mrs. Willyne Klein, Charles Klein, Mrs. Clara Langston, J. H. Spindler, Leo W. Wilburn, Mrs. Corinne Wilburn, G. P. -R-

# Langston, Mrs. Frieda LeBleu, Mrs. Annie

## Conroe No. 710

-A-Boles, Mrs. Clara Buckalew, Mrs. Dorothy Byrd, Mrs. Lucile Dockery, Mrs. Pinkie Lou Main, Mrs. Ruth Metcalf, Mrs. Naomi Mizell, Mrs. Ethel Plumlee, Mrs. Virginia Price, Mrs. Maggie Mae Richards, Mrs. Opal Showers, Mrs. Lucille Thornton, Mrs. Velma Wilkerson, Mrs. Marietta \_B\_

## Chandler, Mrs. Ruth

Crockett No. 509 Α. Allen, Mrs. Mary Clonts, Mrs. Nell Hunter, Mrs. Mary Jenkins, Mrs. Gertrude

Cassell, Mrs. Dorothy Still, Tom

Jenkins, Mrs. Gertrude Muckleroy, Mrs. Norvelle Smith, Mrs. Johnnie B. Sutton, Lewis L. Swindell, Mrs. Betty Warren, Mrs. Fannie Widel, Mrs. Ruby Winston, Mrs. Viola

Robinson, Mrs. Eva Smith, Mrs. Hazel

### Corrigan No. 631

- A Earley, Mrs. Mae Kerr Earley, David A. Lewis, Marie Marsolis, Mrs. Ola Ray, Mrs. Gwen Sirman, Mrs. Roberta

R. Bryant, Mrs. Nancy Sheddan, Mrs. Lois

### Cushing No. 368

-A-Dawson, Mrs. Jessie Edmons, Mrs. Mabel

### Crosby No. 261

—A—-Carver, Mrs. Irma Carver, Mrs. Inna Dunaway, Mrs. Alma Gentry, Mrs. Inez Gentry, L. C. Lovett, Mrs. Gracie Martin, Mrs. Jean Rushing, Mrs. Emma Starnes, Mrs. Ernestine Starnes, James B.

Boyd, Mrs. Ernestine Crawford, Geraldine Owens, Mrs. Owens Rushing, M. E.

### Dayton No. 233

-B--

-A----Carney, Mrs. Hazle Case, Mrs. Pauline Derrlington, Mrs. Golda Derrington, Oscar Ford, Mrs. Mozelle J. Hollingshead, Mrs. Barsa Jackson, Mrs. Cleo Martin, Mrs. Clara Norcross, Mrs. Dovie Nottingham, Miss Elsie Parker, Mrs. Lillian

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## PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

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Peters, Mrs. Mattie Remsinger, Mrs. Katherine Rodden, Mrs. Celia Simmons, Mrs. Bertha Simmons, T. B. Stayton, Mrs. Dorothy Ann -B

Bagley, Mrs. Lottie Jolly, Mrs. Jessie Kennedy, Mrs. Nelyn

### Deer Park No. 1063

-A---A.--Butler, Mrs. Dorothy Crawford, Mrs. Ruth Hill, A. A. Jack, Mrs. Maxine Johnson, Mrs. Grace Lucas, Mrs. Lorene Sivley, Mrs. Eunice Skeen, Mrs. Alvena Skeen, Mrs. Alvena Skeen, Mrs. Lela M. Skeen, Mrs. Lela M. Tackitt, Mrs. Onita Tackitt, W. A. Vaughn, Mrs. Ollie

-B

Magee, Mrs. Norma Jean Willey, Mrs. Charlene

### Dickinson No. 1024

-A----Cherry, Mrs. Ima Brady, Mrs. Sarah Edge, Mrs. Martha Feagin, Mrs. June Frederickson, Mrs. Dorothy Frederickson, J. L. Jennes, Mrs. Clarine Lantrys, Mrs. Lola Meyer, Mrs. Virginia Watson, Mrs. Hollis Watson, John

Edna No. 692

-A-Arnold, Mrs. Nellie Arnold, J. H. Brainholz, Mrs. Freda Brigham, Mrs. Billie Branham, Mrs. Mabel Burditt, Allon L. Burditt, Mrs. Jackie L. Drake, Mrs. Bessie Graham. Mrs. Gertrude Hawks, Mrs. Ada Hawks, Frank M. Hill, Mrs. Mary D Kring, Mrs. Stonelle Moore, Mrs. Stonelle Moore, Mrs. Mae Rowell, Mrs. Rita Sappington, Mrs. Betty Schuchardt, Mrs. Faye Schuchardt, Iames Schoolfield, Mrs. Ann Simons, Mrs. Kate

Vann, Mrs. Catherine Walker, A. D. Walker, Mrs. Nannie Watson, Mrs. Addie Mae Wells, Mrs. Aline

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Cherry, Mrs. Rachel Gillespie, Mrs. Myrtle Raines, Mrs. Sally Vance, Mrs. Marian

### Eagle Lake No. 483

-----A----

Duty, Mrs. Eunice German, Mrs. Selma Lange, Mrs. Rose Spalinger, Mrs. Louise

## East Houston No. 955 -A-

Arnold, Mrs. Lillian Arnold, James E. Bailey, Mrs. Ethel Bryan, D. E. Bryan, Mrs. Jimmie Hill, Mrs. Julia Holt, Mrs. Lila Irwin, Mrs. Harel Irwin, Mrs. Hazel Kennedy, Mrs. Darlene Minatrea, Mrs. Emma Mitchell, Marie Modisette, Marvin B. Modisette, Mrs. Valerie Nichols, Mrs. Joyce Pearle, Mrs. Allie Lee Tracy, Retha Mae Teel, Mrs. Dorothy

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Gallemore, Mrs. Joyce Roe, Mrs. Doris

East Wood No. 1077

-A--Archer, Mrs. Minnie Berry, O. M. Berry, Mrs. Wilma Collins, Mrs. Betty Fautherce, Mrs. Ruby Fredericks, Mrs. Ozella Kendrick, Mrs. Ozella Kendrick, Mrs. Ozella Kendrick, Mrs. Ozella Kendrick, Mrs. Ruby Mitchell, Mrs. Marie Morris, Mrs. Christine Rotter, Mrs. Ruth -A-Weaver, Mrs. Ruth

-B Busing, Mrs. Sallv Robertson, Mrs. Maria

## El Campo No. 535

-A-Aber, Mrs. Shirley Dittert, Mrs. Thelma

Dittert, Andrew Hardin, Mrs. Carolyn Isaacson, Mrs. Agnes McGaugh, Mrs. Frances Praytor, Mrs. Hazel Rhoades, Mrs. Wilma

-B-DeFriend, Mrs. Charlotte Hill, Mrs. Mary Lou Rhoades, O. E.

### Elgin No. 241

-A--Abel, Paul L. Danneberry, Ida N. King, Mrs. Lena Miller, Mrs. Mildred Owen, Lynn . Huff, Mrs. Dorothy

### Fairbanks No. 1041

\_A---Harbeson, Mrs. Maudine Holbrook, Mrs. Lillie Holmes, Mrs. Helen M. Holmes, Mrs. Helen M. King, Mrs, Doris Rose Lenn, M. W. Manes, Thomas A. Mose, Mrs. Allie Tom Pool, Mrs. Myrtle Quinn, Mrs. Edith O. -B-

Lawler, Mrs. Penny

### Flatonia No. 813

-A-Carr, Brantley E. Cherry, Mrs. Elizabeth Collier, Mrs. Sue Kelly, Mrs. Pearl

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Carr, Mrs. Eula Collier, Mrs. Dagma Johnson, Erna

### Franklin No. 311

----A----Nickelson, Rebecca Schultz, Mrs. Mattie Scott, Mrs. Fannie Scott, Leonard

Frank W. Lynn No. 1015

-A-Angus, Lois Burch, Mrs. Mary Ellen Burch, Bryant A. Burch, Bryant A. Cox, Mrs. Hulda DeVine, Mrs. Myra Honea, Mrs. Clara Honea, R. B. Lewis, Mrs. Verlon Long Angie Lewis, Clyde Mrs. Moracs Mrs. Buth Maness, Mrs. Ruth

McGaughey, Mrs. Lucille Perdue, Mrs. Marie Rawlins, Mary Smith, Mrs. Maurine Walton, Mrs. Bonnie B. Wiggins, Mrs. Bertha

Galena Park No. 884 ·A-

Brashear, Herman T. Carrell, D. R. Carrell, Mrs. Robbie Carrell, Mrs. Robbie Faulkner, Mrs. Sadye Fargason, Mrs. Esther R. Fraser, Mrs. Belva B. Gilchrest, Mrs. Cleo Greer, Mrs. Loraine Jones, Mrs. Mae Longuet, Mrs. Jimmie

Gilchrest, C. W. Rowland, Mrs. Frances B. Warren, Mrs. Gladys Canady, Mrs. Clara Isleib, Mrs. Ruby Lee Parcherg Mrs. Loreng Brashear, Mrs. Lorene

Galveston No. 716

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Anderson, Mrs. Jean Cochrane, Mrs. Kate Cureion, Mrs. Thelma Dethioff, Mrs. Sadie Erwin, Mrs. Mattie Hopkins, C. M. Hughes, Mrs. Cecilea Lee, Mrs. Pearl B. Lee, James L. Lind, Mrs. Olga L. Purset Mrs. Anne Lind, Mrs. Olga L. Purset, Mrs. Anne Saenz, Mary M. Sanders, J. T. Sanders, Mrs. Martha Tippen, Mrs. Opal Tippen, William I. Vickery, Vicki Wolber Walker, Mrs. Ethel (Tiny) Walker, S. B. (Johnnie) Watson. Mrs. Mary Willis, Mrs. Nonie Willis, Reuel A.

---B--Cleator, Mrs. Kathleen Crawford, Mrs. Josie Gorman, Mrs. Phoebe H. Inabret, Miss Linda F.

West, Mrs. Hazel

Ganado No. 957

Crowell, Mrs. Jessie Freeman, Mrs. Jessie Freeman, Mrs. Allene McColloch, Miss Louise Pagel, Mrs. Louise Stanford, Mrs. Edna Stewart, Mrs. Margie Williams, Mrs. Clara

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## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 4-Continued

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Foleman, Mrs. Barbara Giles, Mrs. Ada Thompson, Mrs. Jeanette Walzel, Mrs. Anne

### Garden Oaks No. 987

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Belunek, Mrs. Gladys Crawford, Sam J. Crawford, Mrs. Mary Louise Ellis, Mrs. Florine Ellis, Virgil L. Jenness, Mrs. Frankie Landfear, Mrs. Virginia H. Little, Mrs. Leah McCurdy, Mrs. Fayma Lou Palmer, Mrs. Lela Phillips, Mrs. Ira Sojourner, Mrs. Willie M. Williams, Mrs. Johnnie

-B-

Brearley, Mrs. Gladys Williams, Mrs. Elizabeth

### Giddings No. 350

----A-

Norville Mrs. Jessiebelle York, Mrs. Miriam

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Seale, Mrs. Ruby Rhemann, Eugene E.

### Goose Creek No. 798

Bray, Mrs. Laura Chamblee, Mrs. Helen Curtin, Mrs. Iris Curtis, George W. Curtis, Mrs. Pauline Gerbes, Mrs. Clara Grant, Wm. L. Grigg, Mrs. Lovena Grigg, Mrs. Lovena Hinton, Mrs. Jettie Ingram, Mrs. Lorena Kilough, Mrs. Evie Lemon, Mrs. Arthur Mae Miller, Mrs. Alma Miller, Preston Miller, Mrs. Sally Margue Mrs. Vierinia Moreno, Mrs. Virginia Nunn, Mrs. Opal Rose, Mrs. Crystal

Carter, Mrs. Virginia Galing, Mrs. Eva Reed, Mrs. Delphine Swor, Mrs. Edith Warner, Mrs. Dorothy

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Grapeland No. 120

-A-Brown, Mrs. Juanita Vicki Jones, Mrs. Mollie Keen, Mrs. Carty Kennedy, Miss Ruth Pennington Mrs. Eleanor Pennington, Milo Starr, Mrs. Kathleen Keen, A. D. (Dick)

### Groves No. 953

Anderson, Mrs. Jean Rmett, Robert F. Beaty, Mrs. Loyce Beaty, Narlin B. Crenshaw, Hascal F. Coleman, Mina Ann Dud Crenshaw, Mrs. Ruth Hanusch, G. A. Hanusch, Mrs. Berniece Hanusch, Mrs. Berniece Lucy, Hugh Lucy, Mrs. Rosalie Mueller, Ernst McCollum, Mrs. Rachel McColtheon, I. M. Price, Mrs. Louise Scott, Mrs. Indiana Scott, Robert C.

-B-Hohmann, Mrs. Dorothy J. Hohmann, Judith Fennell, Mrs. Ivah Fennell, J. C. McCutcheon, Mrs. Effie

Groveton No. 1035

-A— Baker, Mrs. Olga Davis, Mrs. Juanita Hathorn, Mrs. Marjorie Tullos, Mrs. Mary

Hearne No. 722

-A-Bowling, Mrs. Sarah T. Ditto, Mrs. Mamye Moore, Mrs. Jewell Ditto, W. L. Moore, Mrs. Loretta Mounce, Mrs. Barbara Rowan, Mrs. Marian Tippit, Floyd

-B-

Trice, Mrs. Bobbie

## Hemphill No. 375

Halbert, Mrs. Geneirene Mason, Mrs. Doris Melton, Mrs. Alice Nethery. Mrs. Artrelle Wilson, Mrs. Orie

Hempstead No. 510

---A---Broom, Mrs. Eulalah Calhoun, Mrs. Lois Foster, M. D. Foster, Mrs. Lenola Frederick, Mrs. Irene Gratehouse, Mrs. Louise Lenz, Mrs. Jewell Losack, Mrs. Earl Paschall, Mrs. Addie Williamson, Mrs. Ruby -A-

-R-Allen, G. C. Allen, G. C. Blasingame, Mrs. Una Foster, Mrs. Shirley Hicks, Mrs. Nancy Wier, Mrs. Marie

## Hitchcock No. 1085

\_A\_\_\_ Dickson, Mrs. Dorothy Dickson, Thomas Gresham, Miss Frances Warren, Mrs. Nellie Miller, Mrs. Viola

-B-Moore, Mrs. Willie Houston No. 385 Houston No. 385 Alexander, Mrs. Frances Burleson, Dillard Burleson, Mrs. Ruby M. Conring, Mrs. Ruby M. Conring, Mrs. Ruby M. Chenault, W. Blewett Chenault, W. Stewett Chenault, Mrs. Frances Ellison, Mrs. Constance Harrington, Herschel F. Harvey, Mrs. Pauline Harvey, Frank Herring, Mrs. Martha Hooks, Mrs. Maudie Hutchison Mrs. Joan Jeffriez Mrs. Eleanor Hutchison Mrs. Joan Jeffries, Mrs. Eleanor Lesesne, Mrs. Edith C. McGhee, James J. McGhee, Mrs. Hazel Pickett, Mrs. Frances Pickett, O. I. Pinette, Mrs. Gladys Pinette, Buck Purgh Mrs. Doris Pugh, Mrs. Doris Pugh, P. R. Schoverling, schovering, Mrs. Mary Ella Thomas, Dick Thomas, Mrs. Chloe Trimble, Mrs. Ella Varney, Mrs. Ooal Walker, Mrs. Virginia \_R\_

## St. John, Mrs. Virginia

Houston Heights No. 258

-A-Beck, Mrs. Pauline Chander, J. W. Colburn, Mrs. Doris Crabb, Mrs. Ethlyn

Foreman, Ray R. Foreman, Mrs. Tommie Franklin, Mrs. Lucile Grubbs, C. W. Jenkins, Mrs. Helen Jenkins, John R. Kanomen, Mrs. Ethel Jenkins, John R. Koneman, Mrs. Ethel Langston, Mrs. Mary L. Leigh, Mrs. Margaret Langston, Hubert I. Leigh, Wever, P. Lyons, Mrs. Roas Lyons, William C. MacKenzie, Jr. Martindale, Mrs. Hazel Mever. Mrs. Phyllis Martindale, Mrs. Hazel Meyer, Mrs. Phyllis Montgomery, Mrs. Jewell Montgomery, T. V. Myers, Mrs. Yandell Pennington, Mrs. Thelma Perry, Mrs. Elgène Perry, Nukes Rittenhouse, Mrs. Edna Rittenhouse, Louis W. Rosseau, Mrs. Olivia Sandlin, Mrs. Etta Rae Smith, Mrs. Regina Snyder, Mrs. Edith Snyder, Mrs. Regina Stroud, Mrs. Edith Stroud, Mrs. Mildred Stroud, Mrs. Minifed Weeden, Mrs. Beatrice Wheeler, Mrs. Christine Whitaker, Mrs. Gaye Whisenhunt, Walter H. Williams, Mrs. Rosebud

## -B-

Otto, Mrs. Myrtle Schilhab, Mrs. Hildegarde Stroud, William T. Twyman, James Yarbrough, Mrs. Mary

Hull No. 737

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Barrett, Mrs. Alma Lay, Mrs. Hallie B. Fedigo, Mrs. Mary S. Riley, Mrs. Johnnie M. Stansbury, George Stansbury, Mrs. Dorothy

### -B-

Farquhar. Mrs. Mabel Fielder, Gue E. Lay, James Waters, C. M. Waters, Hazel

### Humble No. 415

-A----Aleander, Mrxs. Neva Balke, Mrs. Zora Campbell, Velma Campbell, Velma Dugan, Mrs. Mary L. Shearer, Mrs. Temme V. Taylor, Mrs. Eveline Taylor, Raymond Vick, Mrs. Katie F. Wunsche, Mrs. Mary E.

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Wiederhold, Mrs. Betty L. Schultz, Mrs. Sarah

### Huntington No. 938

--A--Berry, Harold E. Brashear, Mrs. Missie Bryan, Mrs. Ernestine Gibson, Mrs. Frances Johnson, Mrs. Carmen Mott, Mrs. Pauline Nerren, Mrs. Evonne Renfro, Mrs. Joyce Ann

—<u>B</u>— Thomas, Mrs. Elizabeth A.

### Huntsville No. 240

-----A;----

Alexander, Mrs. Ola Guinn, Mrs. Etta O'Banion McDonald, Mrs. Murdelle McGaughey, Mrs. Ona Newman, Mrs. Audrey Reed, Miss Stasia Ross, Mrs. Maudie Shearer, Mrs. Helen Thomas, Mrs. Lilymay Thomas, Frank Turner, Mrs. Inez

-B----Baker, Mrs. Lovie Mrs. Louise Scott

## Iola No. 458

—A— Verda Labyer

### Jacques DeMolay No. 1094

-A.-Brown, Mrs. Eva Childers, Mrs. Barbara Cummings, John W. Foley, Mrs. Evelyn Greene, Mrs. Mary Harrison, Mrs. Barbara Lee, Mrs. Jimmie McCee, Mrs. Zora Phillips, Mrs. Mary Twyman, Mrs. Iva Brown, A. Warren Webb, Mrs. Rene

### Jasper No. 291

-A.--Childers, Mrs. Lola Jones, W. B. Jones, Mrs. Helen Lewin, Mrs. Othello Milner, Mrs. M. Milner, J. W. Williams, Mrs. Janette Wilson, Carl Wilson, Mrs. Lalla B.

----B--

Daniels, Mrs. Dale Gutz, Mrs. Esma Scott, Mrs. Minnie Wever, Linda Jean Whittehead, Mrs. Ann Whitten, Mrs. Lorene Yeates, Mrs. Lou

## Joaquin No. 903

--A--Bilderback, Mrs. Fay Daw, Mrs. Una Gray, J. A. Grayson, Mrs. Daisy Grayson, Mrs. Daisy Grayson, Dock H. Pridgen, Mrs. Frances Sirman, Mrs. Frances Wood, Mrs. Bessie

—-B----

Blevins, Mrs. Ollie

John Gillespie No. 257

Butter, Mrs. Eunice Fitzgerald, Mrs. Ruby Ramsey, Mrs. Opal Skelton, Mrs. Bobby Smith, Mrs. Phyllis Wise, Mrs. Agnes Raye Woods, Dorothy

Kirbyville No. 263

-A-Causey, Mrs. Grace Causey, Leon E. Fairchild, Mrs. Erla Fairchild, L. W. Faucher, Mrs. Lois Holmes, H. D. Holmes, Mrs. Rhoda Lynch, Earl P. Rice, Mrs. Helen Swarts, Mrs. Ruth Wiley, Mrs. Doris Nell

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Lynch, Mrs. Irene

## Kountze No. 724

—A—

DeLoach, Mrs. Mary Herrington, Mrs. Lora Loftin, Mrs. Phylis Myers, Mrs. Justine Overstreet, Mrs. Lou Simpson Mrs. Rosa Lee Knight, Mrs. Ione

### La Grange No. 484

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Couch, Gladys, Mrs. Flournoy, Mrs. Gladys

# Lake Jackson No. 1009

Crawford, Mrs. Ruby Jeffcoat, Mrs. Darlene Jeffcoat, V. C. Van Landingham, Mrs. Norma Van Landingham, William Lewis, Roderick A. Morrison, Mrs. House Newton, Mrs. Hester S. Phillippi, Mrs. Mildred Slater, Mrs. Billy Slater, H. K. Wood, Morris C. Wright, Marion

### La Marque No. 979

--A.--Anthony, Mrs. Emma Bradford, O. W. Crosby, John B., Sr. Heape, Mrs. Vivian Heins, Mrs. Joan Hicks, A. J. (Fuzzy) Nelson, Mrs. Beth Nelson, Mrs. Beth Smith, Katherine Stevens, Mrs. Sylvia Rae --B---Bradford, Mrs. Louise Florence, Pearl Hicks, Grover Johnson, Mrs. Gerlie Moen, Lucille Passford, Beatrice

## Rose, Eva Mae Stevens, L. J. La Porte No. 683

-A,--Arthur, Jeannette Baker, Eva Mae Cade, Mrs. Martha Campbell, Mrs. Gladys Cardwell, Mrs. Gladys Cardwell, Mrs. Jazel Carlisle, Mrs. Juba Davis, Erma Dial, Berta Mae Dunlap, Mrs. Donna Grabbe, Mrs. Carol Hayes, Mrs. Eva Kennedy, Mrs. Gladys, M. Moody, Mrs. Gladys, M. Moody, Mrs. Gladys, M. Moore, Mrs. Elizabeth Nitsch, Mrs. Frances Owens, Juanita Sharp, Mrs. Hazel Sharp, O. B. Tucker, Mabell (Mrs.) Warner, Mrs. Hazel

Wyatt. H. S. Cole, Bernard R. Lake Side No. 1054

-A.-Brown, Ralph A. Beshara, John Brauninger, W. E. Broussard, Mrs. Asvalla Castille, Patt T. Claunch, Mrs. Daisy Granie, Mrs. Christine Holtzclaw, V. Leon Johnson, Eva G. Lewis, Mrs. Lila S. Manning, Earl Scott, Mrs. Betty R.

—B— Castille, Mrs. Opal

### League City No. 624

-A--Behrends, Mrs. Maude Bishop, Mr. L. Burmaster, Mrs. Grace Gammon, Mrs. Jewell Garsen, Mrs. Ida May Hodgkinson, Mrs. Shirley Klingenberg, Mrs. Evalean Matthews, Bert Vernon, Mrs. Barbara Warstler, Charline (Mrs.) Woodard, Mrs. Marie Zimmerman, Mrs. Mary --B--

Ferrell, Mrs. Bertha Gentry, Mrs. Mary Kenner, Mrs. M. Katherine Morgan, Mrs. Dolla J. Preston, Mrs. Dorothy Vernon, Charles A. Vernon, Wanda

### Lexington No. 996

-A--Brown, Mrs. Mary M. Kroemcke, Mrs. Edna Pebbles, Mrs. Nellie Rhodes, Mrs. Mae Simmons, Mrs. Marguerite Watson, Mrs. Thelma Bailey, Mrs. Cora

Liberty No. 634

-A-

Biggs, Mrs. Carolyn Bridges, Mrs. Eddie Fuller, Mrs. Doretha Jackson, Mrs. Eunice Leake, Mattie D. Odum, Mrs. Leona Partain, Mrs. Lana Purswell, Mrs. Addie McGuire, Mrs. Grace

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### Livingston No. 723

- A. Bond, Mrs. Dora Carrell, Mrs. Letha Cook, Mrs. Loree Davia, Mrs. Tavia McCardell, Mrs. Ethel Phillips, Mrs. Martha Lou Smith, Mrs. James W. Stevens, Mrs. Lorene

### -B

Bush, Mrs. Effie Lang, Mrs. Olga C.

### Lufkin No. 382

-A--A.-Alison, Mrs. Linnie Amett, Mrs. Velam Beddingfield, Mrs. Peggy Brookshire, Alford M. Brookshire, Mrs. Del Carrier, William F. Durham, Mrs. Ruth Evans, Mrs. Eunice Evans, Ernest DeWitt Gibson. Mrs. Violet Gibson, Mrs. Violet Hicks, Mrs. Bernice Hicks, C. Elward Hopson, Mrs. Oneta Holder, Mrs. Beatrice Holder, Mrs. Beatrice Holliday, Mrs. Beaulah Jackson, Mrs. Betty Jackson, Robert W. Jumper, Mrs. Dorothy Kilpatrick, Mrs. Carrie Lolvd, Mrs. Dollie McCarty, Lee R. Rowin, Mrs. Veta M. Sewell, Mrs. Nellie Starrett, Mrs. Cassie Weeks, Mrs. Almeda West, Mrs. Ruby Windham, Mrs. Maurine

\_R Jumper Mrs. Willie Bell Jones, Mrs. Jevry Foster, Mrs. Essie Cummings, Mrs. Lois A. Mary Martha No. 981 Carrier, Mrs. Judy Ann Treadway, Mrs. Rosemary Weeks, Jay

Madisonville No. 193

- A Gibbs, Mrs. Carlie Mason, Mrs. Julia Roberson, Mrs. Juna Roberson, Mrs. Velma Stuckey, Mrs. Hazel Ward, Rav Woodfin, Mrs. Ethel

### \_R\_ Ward, Mrs. Lois

Magnolia No. 706

Agee, Mrs. Maxine Bean, Mrs. Edith

Brown, Mrs. Virgie Crumley, Mrs. Clara Daniel, Mrs. Raye Denton, Victor H. Draper, Mrs. Ora Lee Draper, Glendon T. Denton, Frances A. Dodson, Mrs. Edna Goff, Mrs. Allie Gyger, Mrs. Charlotte Gyger, Mrs. Charlotte Harris, Mrs. Mary Louise Harris, Paul W. Herron, Mrs. Myrtis Herron, Shelby Hewitt, Mrs. Nelda Hewitt, Mrs. Nelda Huffman, Mrs. Ruth James, Mrs. Berniece James, A. Ross Johnston, Mrs. Besta Jones, Mrs. Auneth Jones, Lucille Keys, Mary Ellen Kuhlmann Mre Erner Kuhlmann, Mrs. Emma Matson, Mrs. Charldean McDonald, Mrs. Villa Moore, Mrs. Thelma Mostert, Mrs. Emelie Nelson, Jo Nettles, Minnie Potts, Mrs. Essie Rabby, Mrs. Marie Perry, Mrs. Anna Mae Reid, Warren Ross, Mrs. Nita Ross, Mrs. Nita Sawyer, Mrs. Lola Smith, John L. Smith, Mrs. LaVerne Sojourner, Mrs. Nan Speck, Mrs. Myrtle Stovall, Mrs. Pauline Stovall, C. L. Thompson, Mrs. Ina Wampas, Mrs. Jennie Wheeler, Lawrence A.

-B-Green, Mrs. Anna Mae Hendricks, Mrs. Pearl Reid, Mrs. Betty Sonner, Mrs. Frances

-A-Bontotte, Mrs. Fae Bontotte, Jack H. Johnson, Leo D. Johnson Naomi Jones, Joyce Jones, Leo T. Mathews, Mrs. Juanita Meredith, Mrs. Ruth M. Turner, Mrs. Josephine McCarty, Mrs. Ellen

Melrose No. 920

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Alldredge, Mrs. Mary F. Anderson, Mrs. Barbara Ashley, Mrs. Evalena Bruce, Pauline

Bruner, Mrs. Sara Butchee, Mrs. Hazel Clark, Dorothy Clark, W. D. Crozier, Mrs. Betty Farschman, Mrs. Ruth J. Gibbons, Mrs. Naomi Gooch, Mrs. Nina Marie Henry, Mrs. Ethel Lovorn Mrs. Lydia Henry, Mrs. Ernei Lovorn, Mrs. Lydia Mann, Mrs. Alberta Mills, Mrs. Peggy Mitchell, Mrs. Flora Ann Palmer, Mrs. Pat Price, Mrs. Mavis Rogers, Mrs. Pat Turner, Mrs. Eva C. Rogers, Mrs. Pearl R. Wigand, Mrs. Eva Williams, Mrs. Lois Wilson, Mrs. Ruby Rae Wittge, Mrs. Ena

Ganze, Mrs. Jessie Holman Mrs. Shirley A. Jones, Mrs. Laverne

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Memorial Park No. 958

-A-Aalund, Mrs. Helen Aatkinson, Mrs. Frances Atkinson, J. W. Benson, Mrs. Anna M. Brown, Mrs. Agnes Brown, Davis Buckley, Mrs. Margie Howard, Mrs. Otha Isaacson, Mrs. Catherine Jisaacson, Mrs. Helen M. -Petty, Mrs. Mildred Pittman, Mrs. Lillian Swenson. Miss H. Maurene Soulnier, Mrs. June Wooley, James E.

### Mizpah No. 2

Δ\_ Camp, Mrs. Hazel Campbell, Steele H. Franklin, Mrs. Finis Greenville, Mrs. Finas Greenville, Mrs. Virginia Lvnn, Mrs. Betty McMillian, E. McMillian Randow, Mrs. Addie

R-Peters. Mrs. Høzel Trichell, Mrs. Theresa

### Montgomery No. 228

-A-Cartwright, Mrs. Jasper

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- Furlow, Mrs. Roberta Jackson. Mrs. Mildred Steger, Mrs. Mallie V.
  - Everts, Mrs. Arline Rabon, Mrs. Mary Sue

Smallwood, Mrs. Ethel Sneed, Mrs. Mattie Weisinger, Mrs. Nellie

## Mt. Houston No. 1034 Δ\_

Ashworth, Mrs. Sadie Bundick, Mrs. Frances. Dishman, Mrs. Joan Garrett, A. P. Garton, Mrs. Christino Haake, Mrs. Margaret Lehman, Mrs. Theresa Long, Mrs. Charlene Mills, Mrs. Arlie Patton, Mrs. Louise Patton, M. F. Fatton, M. F. Schultea, Mrs. Norma Stracener, Mrs. Wynema. Sutton, Mrs. Billie Taylor, Mrs. Janice West, Mrs. Jacueline

Nacogdoches No. 428

A. Champion, Mrs. Zula I. Davis, Mrs. Julia Maye Davis, Mrs. Julia Mayy Hampton, Mrs. Ethel Hampton, Thomas Hurst, Mrs. Rena Jared, Mrs. Anna Lea, Mrs. Lea Meadow, Fearl Meadow, Forrest McGee, Mrs. Stella Murray, Mrs. Inez Murray, Mrs. Inez Roberts, Mrs. Verlene Shipley, Mrs. Earlene Shipley, Mrs. Earlene Smith, Myrtle Smith, R. D. Lee, Mrs. Willie Mae

-B Doiron, Mrs. Lillian Haney, Mrs. Mary Louise

Navasota No. 309

۰A. Addicks, Mrs. Henrietta Allen, Mrs. Alta Hodge, Mrs. Avalena Lake, Mrs. Estelle Legg, Mrs. Lucille Loftin, Mrs. Dorothy Phillips, Mrs. Marietta Poole, Mrs. Julia Smith, Mrs. Gertrude Voelter, Mrs. Marie

-B-Scherbel, T. J. Webber, Mrs. Zona T.

### Nederland No. 1079

-A---A--Billingslev, Mrs. Molly Buhler, Mrs. Roberta Castille. Wynell Casto, Mrs. Rubv Chapman, Mrs. Murrell Chapman, Mrs. Anna Y.

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Davis, Mrs. Alice Dennis, Mrs. Mary Dennis, Norman H. Hicks, Mrs. Billie Jansen, A. J. Kemp, Mrs. Jo Ann McGlaun, Mrs. Doris McGlaun, R. Nichols, Mrs. Madeliene Simmons, Mrs. Lou Anne Tomlin, Evon Tomlin, L. O. Walker, Laverne Welch, Mrs. Odessa Whelphly, Mrs. Doris Fazened, Mrs. Olivia

\_R. Beck, Mrs. Ruth Castelle, Donald McKinley, Mrs. Julia Nobles, Judy Willey, Mrs. Katie

New Caney No. 1093

-A-Bartlett, Walter Bartlett, Mrs. Eula Keepers, Mrs. Ruby Miller, Mrs. Wynema Miller, Mrs. Wynema Modisette, Mrs. Lynda R. North Side No. 651 Pitts, Mrs. Veardell Rains, Mrs. Muzett Scott, Mrs. Mearl Talley, Mrs. Frances L. Terrel, Mrs. Erbin Mae Terrel, R. L. Wilson Mrs Bhodo Wilson, Mrs. Rhoda Weisinger, Mrs. Dell

Kay, Mrs. Joyce

Normangee No. 87

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Wolfington, Mrs. Alice

Norma D. Allen No. 1050

Cunningham, Mrs. Lillian Cunningham, J. R. Freeman, Mrs. Vera Freeman, Mrs. Vera Gibson, Mrs. Johnnie Mae Goff, Mrs. Mildred Goff, George W. Hebert, Mrs. Virginia Hebert, August Hendnicks, Mrs. Victoree Monterer Montgomery, Mrs. Dorothy S. Noel. Beatrice Pattison, Miss Portia Plowman, Mrs. Florris Plowman, Robert T. Wheeler, Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Rosalyn Wilson, J. R.

Alexander, Mrs. Mildred Bacon, Frances Brown, George J. Chaoman, Darlett Cottrell, Mrs. Betty Crow, Mrs. Mary Alice Darland, Mrs. Betty Ellison, Gloria Essl, Douglas Essi, Douglas Flowers, Mrs. Dagma Forbus, Mrs. Barbara Forbus, Mrs. Winona Forbus, Lanie Furlong, Mrs. Teresa Greer, Mrs. Betty Griffin, Mrs. Melba Isaac, Larry Leverett, C. M. Isaac, Larry Leverett, C. M. Stone, Mrs. Velma Strunk, Matilda M. Thomas, Mrs. Vivian Thomas, M. R.

North Shore No. 1058

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R. Brown, Mrs. Marie Essl, Mrs. Daphne Hill, Mrs. Marvelle Leverett, Mrs. Elva

Alsup, Thelma Joyce Brown, Maydell Carberry, Mrs. Roberta E. Cody, Roger C. Duren, Mrs. Gwen Duren, Frank L. Evans, Mrs. Evelyn Fore, Mrs. Dorothy Fuller, Mrs. Fuller Gamble, Mrs. Ruth Helmke, E. W. Hooks, Mrs. Aline Kelly, Mrs. Marion Kelly, Mrs. Morion Oliver, Mrs. Cladys Oliver, Reuben Poarch. Mrs. Natalie Poarch. R. L. Reed, Mrs. Eula Rubesch, Mrs. Winona Sullivan, Mrs. Flo Webster, Mrs. Essie Webster, Robert W. Yienost, Mrs. Muriel Weatherly, Mrs. Lyda

North Zulch No. 531

\_Á Andrews, Mrs. Marie Crocker, Mrs. Odell Hibbetts. Mrs. Effie Hicks, Mrs. Lois

### Oak Forest No. 1080

-A-Alexander, Mrs. Hallie Bishop, Mrs. Margie Faye Giles, Mrs. Grace

Bishop, James J. Brown, Mrs. Ouida Brown, Charles H. Clifton, Mrs. Maudine Cox, Mrs. Frankye Gooch, Mrs. Maxine H. Gooden, Wilbur C. Ham, Ford E. Ham, Mrs. Mildred Lake, Mrs. Eleanor Lake, Mrs. Eleanor Lewis, Mrs. Gladys M. Love, Mrs. Ann Love, Albert D. O'Connor, Mrs. Erna Warner, Mrs. Clemmic

Orange No. 214

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Brown, Mrs. Mae James, Mrs. Ruth Ann Kittrell, Mrs. Jimmie Kittrell, Carl Landry, Mrs. Kassie Mäller, Mrs. Georgia Nell Morgan Mrs. Mildred Muldoon, Mrs. Mable Ogden, Mrs. Ann Ogden, A. L. Robinson, Mrs. Ella Robinson, W. V. -B

Barrow, Mrs. Lena B. Hall, Mrs. Gerth a

Palacios No. 125

Adams, Mrs. Vassa Lee Cook. Mrs. Emily Lothridge. Mrs. Johnnie Mae Morton, Mrs. Joyce Richardson, Mrs. Lena -B-Rickaway, Mrs. Anita Trammell, Mrs. Lena Mae White Mrs. Pauline Park Place No. 731 -A-Bishop, Mrs. Nelle Disnop, Mrs. Neile Boehm, Mrs. Ruth Boehm, Eston L. Briggs, Leland R. Briggs, Leland R. Briggs, Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. Grace Carroll A. P. Cowgill Mrs. Katheri Cowgill, Mrs. Katherine DuPriest, Mrs. Judy DuPriest, Phillip Evans, Mrs. Vera Evens, C. N. Faulk, Mrs. Charlene Fletcher, Mrs. Hellen

Giles, James L. Glenn, Mrs. Della Mae Glenn, D. E. Guynn, Mrs. Ruby Hicks, Mrs. Helen Hicks, W. R. Hunt, Mrs. Shirley Johnson, Mrs. Ida Mae Johnson, O. C. Lambeth, Mrs. Ann McNeely, Mrs. Ruth Post, Mrs. Neva Porche, Mrs. Georgia J. Reed, Mrs. Peggy Reine, Mrs. Anne Reine, A. O. Scheidemantel, Dorris Scheidemantel, Dorris Spriggs, Mrs. Alice Walters, Mrs. Addie Mae Zilliox, Marion E.

-B Carroll, Mrs. Lillie Gates, Mrs. Ruth Harding, Mrs. Helen Roberts, Mrs. Tennie Smartt, Mrs. John Faye Smartt, N. D.

Pasadena No. 711

----A----Baker, Mrs. Coy Baygent, Mrs. Coy Baygent, Mrs. Billie Baygent, Q. P. Cook, Mrs. Earline Cook, Mrs. Sam T. Connell, Mrs. Lavata Connell, Alvin Crawford, Mrs. Dovie Davenport, Mrs. Paula Freshour, Mrs. Ruth Funderburk, Mrs. Lillian Gregory, Mrs. Jane Gregory, Morris Hamelton, J. W. Helms, Mrs. Louise Heams, Mrs. Louise Hudgins, Mrs. Barbara Hudgins, Howard Lane, Mrs. Fern Luzader, Mrs. Lanore Luvader, Dale T. Martin, Mrs. Katherine McLord Mrs. Movine McLeod. Mrs. Maxine Miller, Cecil Miller, Irma Milton, Baker F. Peterson, Berdeen Simpson, Mrs. Muriel Trost, Naomi Ruth Trost, Warren Waldrop. Mrs. Verlene Wright, Mrs. Nellie

Bruton, Mrs. Utilla Cherry, Mrs. Tommie Clark, Mrs. Betty Jean Hanna. Mrs. Hazel Jones, Mrs. Vida Mae Kizziah, Mrs. Beatrice Madden, Mrs. Genelle Peterson, Karl

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## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 4-Continued

### Pearland No. 1065

-A---Bosley, Mrs. Myrtle Bosley, A. M. Bunch, Mrs. Jewell Callahan, Mrs. Ruth Casey, Mrs. Vera Chapman, Mrs. Josephine Cudd, Mrs. Kathleen Heimm, Mrs. Viola Kielers, Virginia Nolen, Mrs. Alma Spencer, C. F. Stone, Mrs. Gladys F. Warner, Mrs. Betty Warner, Harold O.

### —B—

Thornton, Mrs. Nell

### Port Acres No. 1073

-A--Bagwell, Mrs. Eura Lee Davis, Mrs. Mildred England, Anna Bell Jackson, Ruth Jordan, Martha Landry, Ray J. Landry, Mrs. Dolla M. Musick, Mrs. Dolla M. Musick, Mrs. Billie Smith, Miss Billie Jeanne

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Smith, Mrs. Lola

Port Arthur No. 262

Benton, Mrs. Nell Bland, Mrs. Mary L. Bowers, Mrs. Leone Davidson, Mrs. Cynthia Davidson, Calvin B. Draker, Mrs. Jeen Drake, Maxwell D. Evans, Robert L. Green, Coyte L. Harle, Mrs. Mabel Haves, Mrs. Mattie Lafitte, C. G. May, Mrs. Hazel Mav, Rov W. Miller, Mrs. Mary Moore, Eunice Olsey, Mrs. Shirley Seward, Mrs. Mary T. Ritchie, Thomas A. Trosclair, Rose Tulley, Mrs. Marjorie Wall, Lillie P.

---B---Blackman, Homer Seward, Woodrow -A-Bingaman, Mrs. Ina Mae Boyd, Mrs. Erma Douglas, Mrs. Margaret Douglas, Fred E. Huval, Mrs. Elsie Huval, Bruno Lambert, Mrs. Peggy Lambert, Sidney E. Shannon, Mrs. Fern Smart, Mrs. Lelia Weaver, Mrs. Gladys

Port Neches No. 677

--B---Fletcher, Mrs. Betty

## Ransford No. 135

-A-Adams, Mrs, Annie May Adam, Earl Barnhill, Mrs. Ora Mae Bernhard, Mrs. Dorothy Cornell, Mrs. Nina Belle Cornell, George W. Grawford, Mrs. Velma Edgar, Mrs. Lorene Etter, Mrs. Roberta Etter, Hall Glover, Mrs. Grace Hamlink, Mrs. Bertha Johnson, Mrs. Pearl Ruth Keller, Mrs. Nettie Knolle, Henry K. Magruder, Robert B. Morris Houston Mueller, Jane Murphy, Mrs. Doris Doney Pemberton, Miss Ada Pendarvis, Mrs. Margorie Pierce, Mrs. Loraire Scarborough, Mrs. Irene Swanner, Mrs. Martha Wilcox, Mrs. Kathryn Wright, Mrs. Bess Wyatt, Mrs. Mary Ruth

#### ---B---Bonner. Mrs. Mary Cone, Claude S. Hudson, Mrs. Marian Kincaid. Berwie Margruder Ruth E. Wisnoski, Mrs. Minnie

Rockdale No. 23

--A--Biehl, Mrs. Billie Brannam, Mrs. Mary Drummond, Mrs. Juanita Harris, Mrs. Ida Love, L. E. Sonntag, Mrs. Ann Wallace, Ruth Weise, Mrs. Mildred

-B---Drummond, Dan C.

### Rosenberg No. 429

-A--Cardwell, Mrs. Magdalen Carter, Pearl Carter, C. R. Goff, Mrs. Ina Mae Grimes, Mrs. Beatrice Holton, Vernon W. Milam, Mrs. Edwina Kelm, Bertha Nell Turk, Mrs. Octa Turk, Stringfellow Whitcomb, Mrs. Marsaline

### Rosewyn No. 927

-A-Allwright, Mrs. Mildred Bell, Mrs. Bernice Bell, Mrs. Bernice Bulsh, Mrs. Margaret Davis, Mrs. Capal Grubbs, Mrs. Lillian Helms, Mrs. Peggy Helms, Johnie E. Hines, W. B. Jones, Lela Landrum, Mrs. Hazel Lee, Eloise Lemley, Mrs. Loneta Lemley, Mrs. Loneta Lemley, Mrs. Kathezine Matox, Dorris May, Mrs. Neoma Moore, Mrs. Kathezine Phillips, Mrs. Bestiv Pullian, Mrs. Geta Stoever, Mrs. Faye Woodson, Mrs. Margaret -B-

Landrum, J. T.

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### Rothwell No. 669

Barr, Mrs. Mildred Barr, Miss Bettv Blake Gwendolyn Clay, Kate Cook, Naomi R. Dean, J. T. DeWeese, Alma Donohoe, Mrs. Ruth Donohoe, Mrs. Ruth Donohoe, T. M. Douthey, Carl Dryden, Mrs. Oliene Hall, Mrs. Leora Harrison, Mrs. Georgia Hattz, Mrs. Pearl Jenkins, Mrs. Lovce M. Ienkins, Claude B. Leonard, Mrs. Lillie D. Leonard, Bill Lynch, Pansie McWhorter, Linda E., Mosenart, Mrs. Lillie Sue Parten, Mrs. Dorthia Platter, Mrs. Myrtle Spencer, Mrs. E. Ann. Thompson, Edna

Campbell, Mrs. Georgianne Cherry, Mary Jean

Schulenburg No. 647

—A— Bohlmann, Leona

### Seabrook U. D.

--A--Coward, Mrs. Margaret Crawford, Tom Fitch, Mrs. Mary Lou Fitch, Howard M. Goodwin, Mrs. Pat Goodwin, David W. Muzzato, Elizabeth Wheeler, Mrs. Amy

—B— Bell, Wanda Bell, David

Sealy No. 285

-A---Balke, Louis A. Campbell, Mrs. F. Loucille Glasscock, Mrs. Verna Koym, Mrs. Lucille Pendley, dMs. Jessie Turner, Mrs. Agnes

<u>—B</u> Amthor, Mrs. Ulna Balke, Mrs. Lasetta Lummus, Mrs. Myrtle Phillips, Mrs. Ellen Richmond, Thelma

### Shepherd No. 1003

-A.-Clark, Mary Cronin, Mrs. Annie Eidson, Ollie M. Farrell, Mrs. Irene Finger, Mrs. Sarah Finger, Bernice Hightower, Mrs. Nellie Johnson, Mrs. Mildred Locklin, Amnie Maye Locklin, George H. Riffe, Albert W. Rhodes, Jewel Sanborn, Maxine Stanfield, Fay Stephens, Edna

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DeWeese, Mrs. Winnie

## PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 4-Continued

Shiner No. 272

Garbade, Mrs. Katy Steiner, Mrs. Melba \_R\_\_\_ Kempe, Mrs. Gladys Silsbee No. 298 -A-Brim, Mrs. Willie Mae

Choate, Eloise Choate, F. L. Durdin, Katherine Ernst, Mrs. Mae Pearl Ernst, R. H. Prather, Mrs. M. Kathryn Texworth, Mrs. Ressie

\_B-Harrison, Mrs. Gladys

Smithville No. 39

Battle, Mrs. Trellis sattle, Mrs. Ireins Freeman, Mrs. Ethel Ingram, Mrs. Mary Lasater, Clyde A. Milchulka, Mrs. Florence Naumann, Mrs. Iva Novosad, Pearline Ozmun, Mrs. Dora Lee Simonsyn Jacob Simonson, Jacob

-B-Lasater, Mrs. Ann Michulka, R. L. Miller, Mrs. Caroline Miller, James C. Rapp, Mrs. Erpil

Somerville No. 245

-A-Junek, Dallia Mae Sebesta, Mrs. Dolores Wellborn, Mrs. Norton B.

### Sour Lake No. 75

-A---Allen, Mrs. Ann Allen, Y. D. Davis, Bertha E. Dorman, Mrs. Ruby Fontenott. Mrs. Linda Jones, Lillian Murphy, Mrs. Nadine B. Nixon, Mrs. Idella Theriot, Hayden Tucker, Mrs. Edna Mae Warren, Mrs. Frances

-B-Mauboules, Mrs. Juanita

### South Houston No. 915

-A--Bailey, Mrs. Mary Clendening, Mrs. Lola Feagin, Mrs. Mwrie Goodwin, Mrs. Pat Goodwin, W. R. Hart, Stella Hensley, Mrs. Helen Johnson, Mrs. Mary L. Johnson, Ned Johnson, Mrs. Velma King, Maxine Langer, Mrs. Maxine Le Flore, Forbis Le Flore, Mrs. Patricia McKinney, Mrs. Ruth Mincey, Mrs. Ruth Mott, Mrs. Eileen Norman, Mrs. Eulaha Palmer, Mrs. Elizabeth Pyle, Mrs. Lou Ridge, Mrs. Imogene Ridge, S. T. (Lee) Stephenson, Mrs. Wanda Tipton, Elizabeth van Natter, Helen Ruth White, Joe (Bob) M. White, Helen L.

Pollard, Mrs. Marjorie

South Park No. 1056

-A---Burnett, Leslie G. Burnett, Mrs. Dottha Hair, Mrs. Willye Harmon, Mrs. Mary K. Harwon, O. R. Hay, Mrs. Ethel Hay, J. F. (1im) Houghton, Peuline Evans, Mrs. Vietta Jones, Mrs. Hester Norris, Mattie Puckett, Mrs. Irene Robinson, Mrs. Blanche Robinson, W. R. Townsend, Lates F. Young, Mrs. Metle -A-Young, Mrs. Merle

Spring Branch No. 984

---A----

Allen, Mrs. Elizabeth Allen, Mrs. Elizabeth Boone, Mrs. Ada Brown, Cora Bruce, Mrs. Mae Cook, Lena Mae Cook, James E. Crosslin, Anna Liese Durham, Mrs. Lela Durham, Morris Ferguson, Thomas N. Harborth, Mrs. Colleen Pate T. L. narborth, Mrs. Colleen Pate, T. L. Smith, Mrs. Geneva A. Smith, George H. Stafford, Mrs. Katherine Virgadamo, Paul Wood, Marjorie

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Carkeet, Anna Mae Ferguson, Mrs. Leona

Kerchenwitz. Mary Olivia Neely, Mrs. Mabel Sanders, Mrs. Catherine Welcherk, Josephine

## Spurger No. 316

-A-Sheffield, Mrs. Hazel Sheffield, Mrs. Lela

-B Lowery, Mrs. Jewel Sheffield, J. C.

## Sunshine No. 399

-A-Burson, Mrs. Evelyn Campbell, Mrs. Hattie Lee Collins, Josie Dittbrenner, Edna Dittbrenner, Carl Hazel, Mrs. Doris Heitman, Mrs. Bernice Huffman, Mrs. Viva Kennedy, Mrs. Mabel M. Knapp, Mrs. Sue Mathews, Pauleen Mandola, Mrs. Hazel Meier, Mrs. Velma S. Menelaides, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. Jerry Parson, Ruth rarson, Ruth Plagens, Mrs. Ella Potts, Mrs. Sue Rod, Davis Shaffer, Freddie R. Stone, Mertis Tietz, Mrs. Mae lilton, Julia Wauson Horace C. Pickell, Mrs. Lillie B.

Sweeny No. 873

-A Bledsoe, Mrs. Mildred

Eledsoe, Mrs. Mildred Bir dice, Dan Biledsoe, Mrs. Norma Biedsoe, Claude Dodson, Mrs. Allie Mae Dodson, Shannon Huff, Mrs. Ivory Lumnuts, Mrs. Thaxter Lumnis, Lester H. Martin, Mrs. Elizabeth Martin, Paul Parr. Mrs. Clara Mae Parr, Mrs. Clara Mae Rutledge, Mrs. Vera Summers, Ella

### Tenaha No. 185

Alford, Mrs. Bernice Pitts Mrs. Verna Smith, Mrs. Myrtis Wiggins, Mrs. Nora

Texas City No. 626

-A

Clark, Mrs. Annette Dowdy, Mrs. Jean Fillman, Mrs. Mary Fillman, Mrs. Mary Gwaltney, Mrs. Louise Keahey, Mrs. Kay B. McCamey, Mrs. Polly Michalke, Erwin J. White, Mrs. Joyce Winnette, Mrs. Mary Ruth

Timpson No. 396

—A—

Brown, Mrs. Lillian Brown, S. W. Crump, Mrs. Lucille Frederick, Mrs. Verna Milford, Mrs. Ruby Sapp, Mrs. LaNera Webb, Mrs. Sallie

Tomball No. 838

----A----Aragon, Mrs. Janice Baker, Mrs. Ellen Bock, Mrs. Olaudia Burkhardt, Mrs. Lynn Massey, Irene Massey, Calvin L. Mahaffey, Mrs. Lanelle McLaughlin,

McLaughlin, Mrs. Kathleen Owens, Mrs. Ceira Peden, Mrs. Bengie Rodgers, Mrs. Stella Smith, Mrs. Alice Yelverton, Mrs. Marie Zachary, Mrs. Lou

Coe, Mrs. Katie Moore, Mrs. Marjorie Rains, Mrs. Edwina

### Trinity No. 186

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----A----Carpenter, Mrs. Sweet Lillie Gray, Mrs. Alma Parker, Mrs. Mary Parr, Mrs. Oleta Sheridan, Mrs. Mary Skipper, Mrs. Myrtle Tulles, Mrs. Ruth L.

Beall, Miss Alma McPkail, Mrs. Lillie B.

Velasco No. 220

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Bailey, Mrs. Beatrice Dannhaus, Mrs. Lena King, Mrs. Vivian Moore, Mrs. Ruth Penny, Mrs. Joy S.

### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 4-Continued

Polk, Mrs. Ouida Polk, Keith B. Thomas, Mrs. Laura Ward, Mrs. Avis White, Mrs. Henrietta White, B. Rex

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Corbitt, Mrs. Polly Le Boeuf, Mrs. Midge

## Vidor No. 914

-----A-----Bailey, Mrs. Mittie Bailey, H. J. Brown, Mrs. Lois Clark, Frank L. Cunningham, Mrs. Maurine Cunningham, Calvin P. Johnson, Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, L. E. Sarver, Mrs. Cleo Sarver, J. D. Stanton, Kaye Stanton, Mrs. Mamie Stringer, Mrs. Annie Mae -B-

## Clark, Mrs. Vallie

## Waller No. 1047

----A----Cater, Mrs. Aroma Garrett, Mrs. Gertie Glasco, Mrs. Gertie Jones, Mrs. Effie Jones, Thomas L. Lloyd, Mrs. Alta Lloyd, M. F. Miller, Mrs. Peggy Peterson, Mrs. Louise Rohrer, Mrs. Pearl Seymour, Mrs. Helen

### Warren No. 368

----A----Evans, Mrs. Viola

-B⊦ Bass, Mrs. Katie Swearengen, Mrs. Inez

Weldon No. 969

#### \_A.\_

Mealer, Mrs. Clara S. Poe, F. H. Poe, Mrs. Vera

-B Crawson, Mrs. Sulie Hambrick, J. Woody

Chestnut, Mrs. Virginia Clayton, Mrs. Corine James M. Clayton Crouch, Mrs. Ruth Fitzgerald, Mrs. Charlene Frazier, Mrs. Mabel Powers, Mrs. Louise Watts, Mrs. Tommie Westbrook, Mrs. Betty

West Columbia No. 705

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## West University 933

---A---Allen, Mrs. Margie Austin, Mrs. Ruth Bratton, David Bratton, Mrs. Augusta Davis, A. J. Davis, Loyce (Mrs.) Willetta, J. Foster Knight, Mrs. Pearl A. Loughmiller, Mrs. Pat Loughmiller, Max E. Scott, William A. Shaver, Mrs. Doris Terry, Clifford C. Terry, Mrs. June Trulam, Mrs. Bernice Viereck, E. A. Viereck, Mrs. Irene Wiebusch, Mrs. Wanda

Wharton No. 389 -A--Barker, Mrs. Ellie parker, Mrs. Ellie Hamilton, Mrs. Vivian Holcomb, Mrs. Marian Porter, Wr. A. Raney, Mrs. Nell Treat, Mrs. Wilma Whiddon, Mrs. Dorothy Whiddon, Henry J.

--B--

Bumpas, Mrs. Lillie Cunningham, Mrs. Myrtke Harrison, Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson, Mrs. Grace Stansberry, Clarence

### Wiegate No. 749

-A---Clart, Clenda Hines, Earl S. Hines, Mrs. Pauline Gasway, Mrs. Thelma Willis No. 1017 ----A----

Elder, Mrs. Grace Griffith, Mrs. Dottie Hayes, Mrs. Helen

## Winnie-Stowell No. 1076 <u>A</u>

-A Bice, Mrs. Maggie Lee Bower, Mrs. Burnyce Cravey, Mrs. Annie Dell Gau, Mrs. Addie Mae Hulme, Mrs. Ila Lindsey, Mrs. Alline Mathias, Mrs. Elva Matinias, Mrs. E.Iva Emenhiser, Mrs. Lillian Moseley, Miss Sue Nell Potter, Victor, Jr. Smith, Mrs. Thelma Smith, Robert

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Durr, Mrs. Juanita Shove, Mrs. Alta

#### Wisteria No. 823

-----A----Calame, Mrs. Dickie Chionsini, Mrs. Alta Duke, Mrs. Edna Earl Fox, Mrs. Fannie Mae Hattox, Mrs. Dolores Hurd, Mrs. Louise Fox, Mrs. Mary Sue Tevis, Mrs. Ona Mason, Mrs. Lena McGowan Morton, Mrs. Ellen Parker, Mrs. Eleanor Pollock, Mrs. Gladys Powell, Mrs. Ruth Walker, Mrs. Inez Senters, Clyde C. Snowden, Mrs. Madie Tinlin, Mrs. Martha White, Mrs. Thula

—B— Jackson, Mrs. Iva Jane Woodland No. 696

----A----Austin, Don Bailey, Mrs. Marcelle Burkhart, Mrs. Alice Callahan, Mrs. Elsie Dalton, Mrs. Florence Dalton, Mrs. Janice Datidon, Mrs. Janice Davidson, Mrs. Loraine Dreyer, Mrs. Elda G. Duer, Mrs. Viola S. Easley, Mrs. Mamie E. Edwards, Mrs. Lottie Franklin, Mrs. Helen

### Zavalla No. 952

Nerren, Mrs. Addie Lee

-B Wade, Mrs. Evie Poulan, Mrs. Birdie W. Cooper, Mrs. Grenetta J. Cooper, Mrs. Ida

### SUPPLEMENTAL. REPORT **DISTRICT** No. 4

Angleton No. 54

-----A-----Scruggs, Mrs. Nadine

Bellaire No. 1021

Fincher, Mrs. Doris Fincher, Mr. Ross

Clute City No. 1011

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Porter, Mrs. Vivian

Galveston No. 716

-A----Montgomery, Mrs. Frances Newton No. 224 Alford, Mrs. Agnes Lucille Wisteria No. 823 Hamilton, Mrs. Mary

Galena Park No. 884

----B----Applekamp, Mrs. Betty Jo Flahrity, Mrs. Sara E.

Goose Creek No. 798

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Alexander, Mrs. Bessie C.

Houston Heights No. 258

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## PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF FASTERN STAR

## CERTIFICATES GRANTED FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971-District No. 5

### Adah No. 49

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—A— Bryan, Mr. John C., Jr. Bryan, Mrs. Norma Bryant, Mr. Charles K. Bryant, Mr. Charles K. Bryant, Mrs. Bether Davis, Mrs. Effie Mae Doherty, Mrs. Bethy Inez Gamble, Mrs. Violet Guyot, Mrs. Juliette High, Mrs. Colleen High, Mrs. Catherine Williams, Mrs. Thelma Williams, Mr. Wendell

–B Davis, Mr. James H. Fischer, Mrs. Adele Richmond, Mrs. Koreski

## Alamo No. 665

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--A--Cannon, Mrs. Estelle Cannon, Mr. Merritt Denecamp, Mrs. Nathalia Harrell, Mrs. Annie Leila Holloway, Mrs. Lillian Kount, Mrs. Katherine Rutledge, Mrs. Alva Smith, Mrs. Druzilla Stallings, Mr. C. P., Jr. Stallings, Mrs. Essie Thompson, Mrs. Corinne

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Lowe, Mrs. Jo Ann

## Alamo Heights No. 734

Armstrong, Mrs. Gracie M. Mrs. Gracie M. Armstrong, Mr. Richard Burton, Mrs. Helen Busch, Mrs. Madeline Conant, Mrs. Eatline Davis, Mrs. Janice Dominguez, Mrs. Lena M. Emerich, Mrs. Ruth Green, Miss Ruth Montezann, Mrs. Ruby Norman, Mrs. Bonnie Patterson. Norman, Mrs. Bonnie Patterson, Mrs. Iris Peggy Parrish, Mrs. Marguerite Pinson, Mrs. Catherine Pinson, Mrs. Leonard Powell, Mrs. Luca Mae Stovall, Mrs. Luca Mae Swanson, Mrs. Julie Worthy, Mr. Claude Worthy, Mrs. Elpha

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Bybee, Mrs. Elizabeth

Alice No. 61

A. Beaman, Mrs. Bertha Biggs, Mrs. Elna Johnston, Mrs. Sybil Mapes, Mrs. Lillian Melter, Mrs. Margaret Wulff, Mrs. Margaret

-B-Harris, Mrs. Pamela

Aransas Pass No. 162

Alloway, Mrs. Janette Borup, Mrs. Carrie Cowart, Mrs. Louise borlop, Mrs. Louise Duty, Mrs. Louise Duty, Mrs. Emilie Fowler, Mrs. Esther Herndon, Mrs. Jackie Johnson, Mrs. Jackie Johnson, Mrs. Nackie Johnson, Mr. W. M. Jones, Mrs. Marilyn Kolb, Mrs. Novie Manning, Mrs. Florence Manning, Mrs. Florence Manning, Mrs. Florence Manning, Mrs. Florence Manning, Mrs. Julia Perkins, Mrs. Julia Perkins, Mrs. Julia Perkins, Mrs. Joanette Reid, Mrs. Clara Smith, Mrs. Jody Tuesdale, Mr. Ross E.

Hale, Mrs. Lucia

### Army No. 664

<u>-A</u>. Brotze, Mrs. Valeska Cupit, Mrs. Emma Geno, Mrs. Betty Geno, Mr. George W. Lindsey, Mrs. Vinnie McClellan, Mrs. Eala Mobley, Mrs. Nishyl Morrow, Mrs. Nettie Ownby, Mrs. Regna Lynm Poulis, Mrs. Katherine Robinson, Mrs. Ruth Watkins, Mrs. Juanita Williams, Mrs. Juanita

### Austin No. 304

Bengston, Mr. Arnold Bengston, Mrs. Emogene Bradfield, Mrs. May Carl, Mr. Edward M., Jr.

Garl, Mr. Edward M., Jr. Gilbert, Mrs. Hattie Dowell Gillon, Mrs. Margaret Hoefling, Mrs. Lorene Howard, Mrs. Mary Kallgren, Mrs. Nana King, Mrs. Audie Meier, Miss Alice Perry, Mrs. Virginia Lon Smith, Mrs. Olivia A. Thompson, Mrs. Hazel Treadwell, Mr. Wilbur C. Tyler, Mrs. Enlia B. Weaver, Mrs. Athene Weaver, Mr. Milo W.

Austwell No. 686 ٠A-

Hartman, Mrs. Theo

## Ballinger No. 266

A. Byers, Mrs. Verna Forester, Mrs. Daisy V. Hubbard, Mrs. Ettie Marie Largent, Mrs. O'Dean Largent, Mr. H. P. Ledford, Mrs. Beatrice

### Bandera No. 643

-<u>A</u>-Ahr, Mrs. Helen Beach, Mrs. Doris Habenicht, Mrs. Evelyn

Beeville No. 422

-A----A---Athey, Mrs. Catherine Bonifay, Mr. Donald A. Bonifey, Mrs. Lee Gossett, Mrs. Faye Hicks, Mrs. Bay Hicks, Mr. Ray Kurtz, Mrs. Cubie Malone, Mrs. Mildred Schimping Schimming, Schimming, Mr. Ernest W. Schimming, Mrs. Mildred Spurlock, Mrs. Gladys Stephenson, Mrs. Alma Stuart, Mrs. Inez White, Mr. Carl White, Mrs. Dorothy Spurlock, Mr. Murrel

Bexar No. 616

-A--Bailey, Mrs. Nancy Briggs, Mr. John C. Briggs, Mrs. Lucille Burnett, Mrs. Alice Burnett, Mrs. Cray Burt, Mrs. Margaret Calloway, Mrs. Irene Connally, Mrs. Geneva Drescher, Mrs. Joann Keyes, Mr. Rahph A. May, Mrs. Mildred Mitchell, Mrs. Mattie Roberts, Mrs. Noma Lee Strain, Mrs. Catherine Weeks, Mrs. Louella A

### Bethany No. 912

-A.-Bryant, Mrs. Ruth M. Chisum, Mrs. Joyce Joseph, Mrs. Juanita Long, Mrs. Juanita Long, Mrs. Alyne Ott, Mrs. Amanda Rose, Mrs. Dorothy Rose, Mr. Harry D. Simons, Mrs. Hazel -A

Tolbert, Mrs. Evelyn St. Claire, Mrs. Marion J. Veach, Mrs. Marie White, Mrs. Lewis B. White, Mrs. Roberta

Mueller, Mrs. Martha Smith, Mrs. Anita

Big Lake No. 752

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Adams, Mrs. Ada Barbee, Mrs. Lorene Ellison, Mrs. Billie Gaston, Mrs. Doris Howard, Mrs. Dorothy Pettit, Mr. Japson Poehler, Mr. Jradice Stout, Mrs. Pauline

Bishop No. 452

-A—

Clemmons, Mrs. Bertie Deviney, Mrs. Edna Myers. Mrs. Barbara Nichols, Mrs. Nellie

Blanco No. 934

----A-----Bowers, Mrs. Billie Bowers, Mr. G. Royce Byars, Miss Pearl Jackson, Mrs. LaVerne Murrah, Mrs. Gloria Ormsby, Mr. Cecil Poenisch, Mrs. Ruby

Boerne No. 200

-A-Aue, Mr. Rudolph Dungey, Mrs. Dorothy Holman, Mrs. Lucille Holman, Mr. M. C. Merchant, Mrs. Helen Merchant, Mrs. Vera Merchant, Mr. William Miller, Mrs. Estelle Billing, Mrs. Hervietto Rilling, Mrs. Henrietta Schnelle, Mrs. Ethel Schnelle, Mr. Kermit

Brady No. 167

-A-

Bryson, Mrs. Clova Deats, Mrs. Mabel Kittle, Mrs. Marie McAnnally, Mrs. Annie Sneas, Mrs. Estelle Williams, Mrs. Ruby

-B----Spears, Mr. H. E.

Bronte No. 1048

-----A----Kenney, Mrs. Olive

## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 5-Continued

### Buda No. 453

—A— Caffall, Mrs. Lucille Caffall, Mr. Oscar Ferguson, Mrs. Marjorie Griffin, Mrs. Mabel Turner, Mrs. Margaret

### Capitol No. 803

Arnold, Mrs. Alma Blankenship, Mrs. Mattie Brooks, Mrs. Prudence Callaway, Mrs. Margery Callaway, Mr. Vernon Fischer, Mr. A. H. Fischer, Mrs. Ruth Gattis, Mrs. Bess Hachenberg, Mrs. Wanda Harbison, Mr. Winfred Harbison, Mr. Winfred Harbison, Mr. Winfred Herrin, Mr. Fracherick Y. Hyltin, Miss Mabel Miller, Mr. Juanita Orr, Mrs. Edith Parker, Mrs. Delores Payne, Mrs. Betty Perry, Mr. Thurman H. Perry, Mrs. Wilmina Steadman, Mr. John O. Steiner, Mrs. Margree Trondwall -A-Steiner, Mrs. Margree Treadwell, Mrs. Myrtle Lee Wilkerson, Mrs. Elizabeth Wood, Mrs. Euelda

## Carlsbad No. 1092

- A \_ Adamek, Mrs. Levi Henson, Mrs. Beula Markham, Mrs. Myra Miller, Mrs. Elnora Sharp, Mrs. Hazel B. Thompson, Mrs. Edna K.

### Center Point No. 463

-A-Adams, Mrs. Juanita Buckner, Mrs. Era Turner, Mrs. Effie L. York, Mrs. Naomi

Buckner, Mr. Curtis C.

### Concho No. 826

-A--Akin, Mrs. Jeanie Lou Baker, Mrs. Louise Burrus, Mr. Ross Downs, Mrs. Mary Herring, Mrs. Annie Lee Hudgens, Mrs. Annie Lee Hudgens, Mrs. Lorene Reed, Mrs. Thelma Ripple, Mrs. Elizabeth Ripple, Mrs. Elizabeth Ripple, Mrs. Harriett Shaw, Miss Maud Smith, Mrs. Eudene Stephens, Mrs. Thelma

Williams, Mr. Jesse Williams, Mrs. Ola Badders, Mrs. Marie

Corpus Christi No. 354 -A--

-A--Dayton, Mrs. Nihla J. Hunt, Mrs. Ola Jones, Mrs. Gatewood Jones, Mrs. Ruth King, Mrs. Blanche Martin, Mrs. Beulah Martin, Mr. Freeman O'Malley, Mrs. Lorena O'Malley, Mrs. John O'Neal, Mrs. John O'Neal, Mrs. John O'Neal, Mrs. Opal Ponder, Mrs. Johnnie Rawlings, Mrs. Annie Ray Robinson, Mr. G. L. Yetter, Mrs. Wave Tetter, Mrs. Wave Tetter, Mrs. Burnadine Vinzetta, Mrs. Laura -'R-

Barnard, Mrs. Lillian

### Cotulla No. 1004

\_A\_ Crawford, Mr. F. L. Crawford, Mrs. Mildred Dorough, Mrs. Ceorgia Graham, Mrs. Grace Hearn, Mrs. Addie N. Kerr, Miss Willie May Streuter, Mrs. Ruby Stricker, Mrs. Hazel Tittle, Mrs. Annie J.

## Creedmoor No. 607

—A— Boyd, Mrs. Lorraine Bruce, Miss Eudora Coffer, Mrs. Eloise Creel, Mrs. Margaret Dearing, Mrs. Nova Lee Ehrlich, Mrs. Ethel Fields, Mrs. Annie M. Green, Mrs. Myrtle Johnston, Mrs. Martha Kelly, Mrs. Dora Kinard, Mrs. Thomas, Jr. Lehmann. Mrs. Mildred McRae, Mrs. Sadie Marie Pankhurst, Mrs. Ioleet Trammel, Mrs. Kay Wood, Mr. James B. Boyd, Mrs. Lorraine Wood, Mr. James B.

<u>\_\_\_\_\_</u>B\_ Hamilton, Mrs. Lilian Hamilton, Miss Ruby Hoeke, Mrs. Alma C. Holder, Miss Era Madison, Mrs. Virginia Schroeder, Mrs. Evelyn E. Smith, Mrs. Patricia Wood, Mrs. Julia

## Crystal City No. 928

-A-Clark, Mr. Dennis E. Clark, Mrs. Vera Landrum, Mrs. Annie Lee

Cuero No. 618

-A-Atzenhoffer, Mrs. Estelle Barden, Miss Lucy Christian, Mrs. Ruby Fanett, Mrs. Mary Morgan, Miss Mary Morgan, Miss Ann M. Schott, Miss Cecelia Weatherly, Mr. Homer E. Weatherly, Mrs. Ouida

### Del Rio No. 204

<u>A</u>— Bagwell, Mrs. Althea Deaton, Mrs. Ruby L. Easterling, Mrs. Birdie J. Finney, Mrs. Lucille Folliard, Miss Mildred Haga, Mrs. Dorothy Hansen, Mrs. June C. Howard, Mrs. Martha W. McFarland, Mrs. Martha W. McFarland, Mrs. Martha W. McFarland, Mrs. Martha Sims, Mr. Otis Sims, Mrs. Pauline Taylor, Mrs. Alma -A-

Schoepfer, Mrs. Zelma

### Devine No. 43

-A--A-Davidson, Mrs. Dovie B. Davidson, Mr. Ernest Hanson, Mrs. Willie Mae Jopling, Mr. Burl C. Jopling, Mrs. Lou Willie Redus, Mrs. Kay Rotramel, Mrs. Lula May Stewart, Mrs. Trecia Tutschke. Mrs. Angie Young, Mrs. Dorothy Young, Mr. Thomas L.

### Donna No. 644

-A-Anderson, Mrs. Marian Anderson, Mr. Orville Garrett, Mrs. Racine Guinn, Mrs. Irene Guinn, Mr. Rex Leadbetter, Mrs. Rita H. Leopard. Mrs. Julia Peters, Mrs. Pauline Starlin, Mrs. Mildred

## \_P Stainke, Mrs. Calla Todd, Mrs. Beulah

Dripping Surings No. 860

Cruze, Mrs. Edna Dobie, Mr. Joe K. Dykes, Mrs. Rossie B. Jernigan, Mrs. Frances Kemp, Mr. Willie Watson, Mrs. Mae

Eagle Pass No. 250

Harwer, Mrs. Edna Fisher, Mrs. Elsie Lowe, Mr. Fannin Lowe, Mrs. Margurite Nelson, Mrs. Naomi Plumb, Mrs. Ella Mae Smith, Mrs. Gladys Taylor, Mrs. Betty Warren, Mrs. Phyllis -A

### Edcouch No. 859

-A-—A— Cooper, Mrs. Pearl Cotton, Mrs. Daisy Klopek, Mrs. Christine Levings, Mrs. Betty Levings, Mr. Robert E. Pipkin, Mrs. Anita

Eden No. 387

-B--Lockett, Mrs. Julia

Edinburg No. 473

-A--Base, Mr. Irvin Base, Mrs. Josephine Blaine, Mrs. Vonciile Cray, Mr. Richard Dodson, Mrs. Lou Ann Dodson, Mr. Robert F. Freasier, Mr. L. L. Freasier, Mr. J. L. Freasier, Mr. S. Vida Goldsberry, Mr. William Harper, Mr. A. L. Harver, Mrs. Sarah Puckett, Mrs. Mary S. Wells, Mrs. Elizabeth -A-

### Eldorado No. 140

--A--DeLong, Mrs. Velma Edmiston, Mrs. Charlene Godwin, Mrs. Martha Hodges, Mrs. Jewel McGinnes, Mrs. Mary McGinnes, Mrs. Mary McGinnes, Mrs. Cathy Sauer, Mrs. Cathy Sauer, Mrs. Jessie Lee Wade, Mrs. Geneva Waet, Mrs. Blanche West, Mr. Palmer -A-

Bridgeman, Mrs. Bonnie Speck, Mrs. Annie L.

### Falfurrias No. 146

Moore, Mrs. Susan Vada Warlick, Mrs. Olive Wilkinson, Mrs. Ruby

### Fidelis No. 963

Dodd, Mrs. Clara Jones, Mrs. Kathryn

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### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 5-Continued

McCoy, Mrs. Aliene McCoy, Mr. Willie Richards, Mrs. Lillie Mae Rosenauer, Mrs. Baraba Speakes, Mr. S. R. Speakes, Mrs. Willotta Terrell, Mrs. Fay Walker, Mr. Eldridge Wallace, Mrs. Lillian N. Wells, Mrs. Sallie C. Young, Mrs. Elizabeth

 Speakes, Mrs. Willotta
 -A

 Yealkes, Mrs. Kuillotta
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 Walker, Mr. Eldridge
 Adams, Mrs. Francine

 Walker, Mr. Eldridge
 Boyd, Mrs. Ruth

 Walker, Mrs. Lillian N.
 Boyd, Mrs. Ruth

 Young, Mrs. Sallie C.
 Busch, Mrs. Margaret

 Childs, Mrs. Selizabeth
 Childs, Mrs. Margaret

 -B Clark, Mrs. Helen

 Skrabanek, Mrs. Lillien
 Duke, Mrs. Margaret

 Floresville No. 271
 Duke, Mrs. Nan

 Fuller, Mrs. Jean
 Filzwaters, Mrs. Thelma

 Gustof, Mrs. Garnerbel
 Kauffman, Mrs. Mary

 Starnes, Mrs. Ruth
 Fickett, Mrs. Rennie J.

 Fort McKavett No. 783
 Fickett, Mrs. Ruhy

 -A Schweers, Mrs. Lydia

 Starnes, Mrs. Jean
 Schweers, Mrs. Ruhy

 Fickett, Mrs. Billie
 Schweers, Mrs. Ruhy

 -A Schweers, Mrs. Rubie M.

 Edmiston, Mrs. Barn
 Schweers, Mrs. Rubie M.

 -B Lehne, Mrs. Jean

 Lehne, Mrs. Jean
 Stout, Mrs. Bubie M.

 -B Wolfinbarger, Mrs. Frames

 Lehne, Mrs. Jean
 Stout, Mrs. Bubie M.

 Fredericksberg No. 113
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Downey, Mrs. Beatrice

Harlingen No. 641

Leonard, Mrs. Ray Sommer Letzerich, Mrs. Alma May, Mrs. Beatrice Meyer, Mrs. Myra Stephenson, Mrs. Boar Loo

Mrs. Rosa Lee Strutz, Mrs. Theresa Tucker, Mrs. Alice

Bouldin, Mr. B. L. Rabel, Mrs. Ada B.

-B

Hamilton, Mrs. Kathleen McOuaid, Mrs. Betty J.

Mathisen, Mrs. Leola Reuwer, Mrs. Merle

## Freer No. 848

-A---A--Boone, Mrs. Genevieve Boone, Mr. J. O. Hamner, Mr. Jack Mullins, Mrs. Marie Swink, Mr. John Reagan Swink, Mrs. Winnie Weathersby, Mrs. Pauline

George West 658

—<u>A</u> Cox, Mrs. Della Hailey, Mrs. Emma Lyne, Mrs. Elsie Ramsey. Mrs. Wilma Stuart, Mrs. Edna

Goliad No. 583

-A-Thigpen, Mrs. Allene

**Gonzales No.403** 

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Buckner, Mr. A. T. Dreyer, Mrs. Clare Gould, Mrs. Anita Iley, Mrs. Orline

Morrison, Miss Rose Mary Hebbronville No. 808 Thompson, Mrs. Mabel Wade, Mrs. Edith -A-

Harlandale No. 750

Douglas, Mrs. Bernice Moore, Mrs. Lorene Moore, Mr. W. E. . . 1

### Helena No. 289

-A: Haertner, Mr. G. F. Haertner, Mrs. Wilma Kellner, Mrs. Etta Lee Mixon, Mrs. Luvella Spangler, Mrs. Velma

### Highland Hills No. 1075

-A.-Crawford, Mrs. La Rue Floyd, Mr. Carl Floyd, Mrs. Evelyn Garrahan, Mrs. Vivian Hester, Mrs. Maxine Lee, Mrs. Alice F. Pierdolla, Mrs. Viola Wilbanks, Mrs. Sara Wilbidord, Mrs. Anna M. Williford, Mrs. N. L.

Wagoner, Mrs. Dorothy

### Hondo No. 404

-A-

Delony, Mrs. Elva E. Pfeil, Mrs. Frances Pope, Mrs. Mary G. Richter, Mrs. Alleen

### Hope No. 124

-A-Burlingame. Mrs. Marion T. Derby, Mr. Kenyon Eyre, Mr. Charles H. Eyre, Mrs. Dora Lee 

-A-Alphin, Mrs. Lillian Anthony, Mr. Donald F. Anthony, Mrs. Nelda Barker, Mrs. Ketolia Buckner, Mrs. Lydia Causey, Mrs. Irene Causey, Mrs. Irene Causey, Mrs. Merle Cox, Mrs. Merle Cox, Mrs. Merle Cox, Mr. Palmer M., Jr. Ewing, Mrs. Amell Gerbig, Mrs. Mabel James, Mrs. Vivian Johnson, Mrs. Nancy Kelley, Mrs. Leona Kridler, Mrs. Laura

Kridler, Mr. Roy O. Leonard, Mrs. Kay Main, Mrs. Zelda Marcom, Mrs. Betty McCraw, Mrs. Gelene McCraw, Mr. W. A. McGahey, Mrs. Frances Silvers, Mr. Lowell Silvers, Mrs. Ruby

\_R Brunsen, Mrs. June Johnson, Mrs. Helen

Ingleside No. 1037

-A--Dubose, Mr. D. H. Dubose, Mrs. Emma Edwards, Mrs. Jewel Edwards, Mrs. Mary Fender, Mrs. Midred Lee, Mr. Charles Ray Lee, Mrs. Janice Moody, Mrs. Marjorie Moody, Mrs. Marjorie Moody, Mrs. Marjorie Moody, Mrs. Maris McFatridge, Mrs. Lillie Mae McWilliams, Mrs. Iris H. Odom, Mrs. Racquel Russell, Mrs. Marie Sallis, Mrs. Nelta Rhea Shinn, Mrs. Nildred Slayton, Mrs. Reizabeth Stillwell, Mrs. Theima Williams, Mr. Sam T. Whitsett, Mrs. Mary ·A-

Loving, Mrs. E. Joyce

Johnson City No. 376

Adams, Mrs. Hazel Matus, Mrs. Ola Mayfield, Mrs. Addie Mayfield, Mrs. Helen Mayfield, Mr. T. W. Winters, Mrs. Jamye

**Tourdanton No. 581** 

-A--Burkholder, Mrs. Viola Dehart, Mrs. Callie Mae Downey, Mrs. Cleo Favor, Mrs. Ara E. Finch, Mr. Clyde Hays, Mrs. Vera Ormand, Mrs. Louise Palmer, Mrs. Fay Palmer, Mrs. Lela Potts, Mr. Murray Potts, Mrs. Viola Rugh, Mrs. Dorothy Seiffert; Mrs. Bettie Winn, Mrs. Anna Winn, Mr. O. K.

#### -B Finch, Mrs. Margaret

Junction No. 497

Bruns, Mrs. Modene Furr, Mrs. Georgia

## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 5-Continued

House, Mrs. Margaret Mirkpatrick, Mrs. Patricia Riley, Mrs. Minnie Schmidt, Mrs. Corinthia

### Kenedy No. 36

-À-Chace, Mrs. Jessie Henry, Mrs. Marguerite Hill, Mrs. Estelle McAlister, Mrs. Linda J. Shelton, Mr. Edgar Shelton, Mrs. Rosa Warmer Mrs. Ian Warner, Mrs. Jan

### Kerrville No. 24

-A-Anglin, Mrs. Hallie Armstrong, Mrs. Doris Blair, Mrs. Edna Blair, Mr. James W. Caudle, Mr. L. T. Davis, Mrs. Estha Forman, Mrs. Attie L. Morgan, Mrs. Leona Stevens, Mrs. Marguerite

### Kingsville No. 325

-A— Allison, Mrs. Ophelia Allison, Mrs. Ophelia Davidson, Mrs. Mae Evelyn Fritch, Mr. Lloyd H. Fritch, Mrs. Sopha Howell, Mrs. Lucille Marshall, Mr. John Marshall, Mrs. Ruth Miller, Mrs. Maurine Neher, Mrs. Pat Winzer, Mrs. Velma Wood, Mrs. Mabel S.

### La Feria No. 732

----A----Hicks, Mr. Burnett W. Hicks, Mrs. Winnie Marshall, Mrs. Hazel Paulson, Mrs. Lillian M.

La Pryor No. 925 -----A-----

McClure, Mrs. Bertha P.

Laredo No. 86

----A--Barr, Mrs. Hazel Fullerton, Mrs. Fearl B. Hodgdon, Mrs. Joan B. Knutson, Mrs. Louise Moss, Mrs. Anna Park, Mrs. Joyce Perkins, Mrs. Joyce Perkins, Mrs. Pauline Shelby, Mrs. Iva Spence, Mrs. Gretchen

La Verna No. 436

McKean, Mrs. Enid H.

-A-Baugh, Mrs. Elizabeth Dowdy, Mrs. Myrtle Godbold, Mrs. Sallye Miles, Mr. Charles A. Miles. Mrs. Frances Louise Peters, Mrs. Reine

Mrs. Easter Mae

Leander No. 73

Leakey No. 18

Allen, Mr. Wilbur Allen, Mr. Winnie Barnes, Mrs. Alma Dixon, Mrs. Margaret Dixon, Mr. W. N. Shelton, Mr. Katherine Shelton, Mr. Roy Simmons, Mrs. Lois

Lockhart No. 210

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Arnold, Mr. Alton Arnold, Mrs. Mildred Bunyard, Dr. (Mrs.) Evelyn Dannelly, Mrs. Eunice Dannelly, Mr. Fletcher Duke, Mrs. Artelia Efird, Mrs. Jean E. Gandy, Mrs. Gladys Gerdes, Mrs. Alice Miles, Mr. Kermit L.

Miles, Mrs. Lavada \_B. Lewis, Mrs. Frances

### Logos No. 998

Coben, Mr. Julius Eck, Mrs. Anna English, Mr. Claude English, Mrs. Dorothy English, Mrs. Dorothy Hopkins, Mr. Cecil W. Hopkins, Mrs. Emma Laurent, Mrs. Ollie Mae Mayne, Mrs. Mabel Moody, Mrs. Irene Yontz, Mrs. Virginia Yontz, Mr. Weldon J.

<u>—</u>В-Butler, Mrs. Velma Mayne, Mr. Harry Tasto, Mrs. Idella

London No. 449

-A----

Cooper, Mrs. Minta Dayton, Mrs. Eunice Martin, Mrs. Mary Pearl, Mrs. Marvin Walker, Mrs. Minnie Loyalty No. 1036

—A— Adams, Mrs. Carolyn R. Adams, Mr. Herbert Carlton, Mrs. Reece Hausmann, Miss Peggy Hays, Miss Katherine Hull, Mrs. Dorothy Logsdon, Mrs. Dorothy Logsdon, Mrs. Virginia Nelson, Mrs. Dorothy Nelson, Mr. W. Kenneth Phillips, Mrs. Pauline Phillips, Mr. Walter M.

### Luling No. 155

Bell, Mrs. Lois Bell, Mr. Wilson G. Biggs, Mrs. Delores Biggs, Mr. Willie J. Hairston, Mrs. Flora Halford, Mrs. Mabel Harman, Mr. E. D. Harman, Mrs. Jimmie Harman, Mrs. Jinnie King, Mrs. Minnie McCollum, Mrs. Gwendolyn Miller, Mrs. Margaret Muenster, Mrs. Hazel Northcutt, Mrs. Mabel

Lytle No. 335

\_A-Booher, Mrs. Alma Mae Forbes, Mrs. Julia McDonald. Miss Martha W. Richardson, Mr. J. P. Smith, Mrs. Maxine Tate, Mrs. Aileen

-B Lehmberg, Mrs. Merle

### Martha No. 883

-A-Boone, Mirs. Velma Cade, Mrs. Rosa Kelly, Mrs. Maymie Ruth Matlock, Mrs. Linda McKinney, Mrs. Rebecca McMurtice, Mrs. Estelle McMurtice, Mrs. Estelle Mueller, Mr. David E., Jr. Mueller, Mrs. Marie Mueller, Mrs. Sondra Robbins, Mrs. Ruth Ross, Mrs. Atlice Ross, Mr. Eddie Tisdale, Mrs. Marie C. Warren, Mrs. Mathilde Warren, Mr. Randolph Wathen, Mr. James C. Wathen, Mrs. Nita K.

### Mathis No. 874

## -A-Berry, Mrs. Margaret Crumley, Mr. A. R. Crumley, Mrs. Ruby

Happner, Mrs. Margorie Miller, Mrs. Doris Rogers, Mrs. Izora Rogers, Mrs. Milton E. Sharpe, Mrs. Edna Earl

### McAllen No. 14

- A. Hodges, Mrs. Sandy Mabry, Mrs. Ruth McMullen, Mrs. Grayce McMullen, Mr. Robert G. Mead, Mrs. Joy Mead, Mr. Lloyd Moore, Mrs. Florida Rinn, Mrs. Norma Steele, Mrs. Sylvia Struby, Mrs. Edna

Medina No. 988

-A----Adams, Mrs. Neely Flowers, Mr. A. J. Flowers, Mrs. Anna Keese, Mrs. Kathryn Mayfield, Mrs. Mildred Whitehead, Mrs. Lillian

Mercedes No. 629

----A----Barnes, Mr. Leslie Irvin, Mrs. Clara Jones, Mrs. Ethel R.

Mertzon No. 251

Benton, Mrs. Mamie Lee Grice, Mrs. Frances Hoggett, Mrs. Marie Lindley, Mrs. Billie Roark, Mrs. Carrie Belle Scott, Mrs. Agnes

Miles No. 672

-A. Redman, Mrs. LaVerne

Mission No. 527

-A Daniels, Miss Muriel Dusek, Mrs. Delia Goble, Mr. A. L. Goble, Mrs. Faye M. Hodgin, Mrs. Mary Glenn Longwell, Mr. L. R. Longwell, Mrs. Pauline Proffer, Mrs. Tommye Skinner, Mrs. Eunice

New Braunfels No. 771

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Ledbetter, Mrs. Loraine McCartney, Mr. Hans A. McCartny, Mrs. Kathleen

Neal, Mrs. Lillian Parsons, Mrs. Erna Parsons, Mr. Gaston

Shackelford.

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## PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

### Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 5-Continued

Smith, Mrs. Opal Smith, Mr. William G. Stahl, Mr. Jake Stahl, Mrs. Margaret Stewart, Mrs. Elsie

### Nixon No. 339

—A. Ezell, Mrs. Jailey D. Matlock, Mrs. Helen Pattillo, Mrs. Lois Talley, Mrs. Maude

—-B—-

Williams, Mrs. Ann

### Norton No. 28

Carter, Mrs. Altha Curric, Mrs. W. Bee Daniel, Mrs. Inez Hambright, Mrs. Myrtle Lewis, Mrs. Zada Patton, Mrs. Clara Roper, Mrs. Corrine Stubblefield, Mrs. Bennie

Oakville No. 521

—A— Dugger, Mrs. Ada V. Gray, Mrs. Pauline Neal, Mrs. Gladys Odom, Mrs. Bessie

### Oso No. 868

Appel, Mrs. Ida Doris Appel, Mr. Myron H. Balitz, Mrs. Sally Chandler, Mrs. Elinor Cornell, Mrs. Frankie Clements, Mrs. Bennice Harvey, Mrs. Beatrice Harvey, Mrs. Bernice Harvey, Mrs. Bernice Harvey, Mr. L. E. Inglefield, Mrs. Gladys Inglefield, Mrs. Gladys Inglefield, Mr. R. H. Mode, Mr. George P. Mode, Mr. Ceorge P. Mode, Mrs. Caldys Paul, Mrs. Paulne Pharis, Mrs. Paulne Pharis, Mrs. Leah Tindall, Mrs. Leah Tindall, Mrs. Leah Tindall, Mr. Hattley Willis, Mr. Floyd Willis, Mrs. Frances

—B— Smith, Mrs. Libby

Ozona No. 287

Shepperson, Mrs. Kaleta

Paint Rock No. 391

Crunk, Mrs. Alene

Hadley, Mr. Dick V. Hadley, Mrs. Pauline Hurt, Mrs. Flo A. Mosteller, Mrs. Mary Pope, Mrs. Ann E.

## Pearsall No. 278

-A.-Arnold, Mrs. Maurine Essary, Mr. William H. Hardcastle, Mr. Amos Carl Hardcastle, Mrs. Tommie Meek, Mrs. Janice Lee Smith, Mrs. Adelheid G. Smith, Mrs. Quida Wallis, Mrs. Irene

—B— Wallis, Mr. John L.

### Pharr No. 800

----A----

Cartwright, Mrs. Alice Cartwright, Mr. R. M. Crosby, Mrs. Ruth Crosby, Mr. S. T. McKinzey, Mrs. Connie Riley, Mrs. Frances

Pleasanton No. 133

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Burton, Mrs. Millie Callaway, Mrs. Lillie Mae DeSpain, Mrs. Kitiy M. Eckert, Mrs. Vida Frasier, Mrs. Faith Fraisier, Mrs. Yo. O. Hayees, Mrs. Cynthia Holder, Mrs. Agnes Ormand. Mrs. Myrtle Rogers, Mrs. Carolyn Whitworth, Mrs. Elsie

——B—— Favor, Mrs. Katherine Lawhon, Mrs. LaQuita

Port Lavaca No. 373

-A---Arnold, Mrs. Rena Carr, Mrs. Joyce Jackson, Mrs. Maurine Jacobs, Mrs. Joanna Moose, Mrs. Myrtle Nicholson, Mrs. Merelyn Spiller, Mrs. Marie

<u>B---</u> Jackson, Mrs. Shirley Poteet No. 913

—A— Hayes, Mrs. Elizabeth Koemel, Mrs. Freda Koemel, Mr. Julius Prospect Hill No. 817

Chariton, Mr. Donald Chariton, Mrs. Helen Dikes, Mrs. Nora Hoffman, Mrs. Dorothy Hudson, Mrs. Modgie Hudson, Mr. W. C. Owen, Mrs. Stella Riesenecker, Mrs. Sophie Roberts, Mrs. Marion Schneider, Mrs. Ennna Twedt, Mrs. Lillian Unice, Mrs. Thelma Whittington, Miss Bea

## Radiant No. 636

Bell, Mrs. Lillian
Brownfield,
Mrs. Margaret
Caldwell,
Mrs. Celie Belle
Filippone,
Mr. Charles J.
Filippone, Mrs. Hattie
Gulick, Mrs. Sarah
Mahan, Mr. John L.
Mahan, Mrs. Shirley
Mallas, Mrs. Blanche
Morgan, Mrs. Joan E.
Morgan, Mrs. Joan E.
Morgan, Mr. Lelen
Neal, Mr. Vester
Oliver, Mrs. Helen
Neal, Mr. Seter
Oliver, Mrs. Islahoma
Page, Mrs. Florence
Person, Mr. Alfred
Person Mrs. Beatrice
Pope, Mr. Wilbur A.
Reeve. Mrs. Leona
Wilhelm, Mr. George

Rankin No. 176

## Raymondville No. 748

---A---` Bailey, Mrs. Irene Dodd, Mrs. Frances Hale, Mrs. Belle Knox, Mrs. Ann Nyquist, Mrs. Nell Spilman, Mrs. Dorothy Wright, Mrs. Dona

—B— Macmanus, Mrs. Jane

## Rio Grande City No. 843

—A— Conger, Mrs. Evelyn Guffey, Mrs. Winifred Gutierrez, Mrs. Adela Turner, Mr. Joe B. Turner, Mrs. Ruby

—B— Kight, Mrs. Opal

### Rio Hondo No. 815

-A-Huie, Mrs. Trudie W. Jones, Mrs. Mabel Stewart, Mrs. L. C. Tiemann, Mr. Julius Tiemann, Mrs. Peggy Tilley, Mrs. Ruby Unland, Mrs. Dean Waddell, Mrs. Pearl

Robert Lee No. 187

—<u>A</u> Powell, Mrs. Naomi Lee Roberts, Mrs. Jeffie Runnion, Mrs. Aminda

Robstown No. 540

-A--Crain, Mrs. Katie Mae Haskett, Mrs. Laura Jackson, Mrs. Beatrice Kidwell, Mrs. Florence Napier, Mrs. Fern Rauch, Mr. Louis

Rockport No. 479

Allemang, Mrs. Gertrude Bachman, Mrs. Kathleen Beetley, Mrs. Sally Ciymore, Mrs. Lula Cooke, Mrs. Mary Davis, Mrs. Clara Donaldson, Mrs. Yma Hill, Mrs. Mary McLester, Mrs. Katherine Ratliff, Mrs. Alma Scott, Mrs. Nancy Wofford, Mrs. Frances

Haynes, Mrs. Zella

Rockspring No. 51

—A— Shanklin, Mrs. Lillie

Sabinal No. 407

--A--Adams, Mrs. Irene Adams, Mr. J. W. Nuckles, Mrs. Cecil Richar, Mrs. Marilyn Stephens, Mrs. Peg Story, Mrs. Doris Ware, Mrs. LaVerne

San Angelo No. 10

—A— Burk, Mr. H. N. Burk, Mrs. Mildred

## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 5-Continued

Chancellor, Mrs. Esther Dorsey, Mrs. Cora Lee Fairbanks, Mrs. Eva Lena

Flannagan, Mrs. Ruthie Flannagan, Mr. Thomas W. Mr. Thomas W. Freeman, Mrs. Sarah Guess, Mrs. Belle Havlik, Mrs. Jetta Locklin, Mrs. Maxine Merrell, Mrs. Caroline Merrell, Mr. Milton McCain, Mrs. Mamie McClure Mrs. Flois McClure, Mrs. Flois McClure, Mrs. Flois Milner, Mrs. Katherine Rees, Mrs. Marguerette Rees, Mr. W. H., Sr. Saunders, Mrs. Joyce Simpson, Mrs. Margaret Smith, Mr. Charles Smith, Mr. Grace Williams, Mrs. Nina Woody, Mrs. Reta Mae

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- Ashby, Mrs. Maude I. Van Zandt, Mrs. Gertrude

San Antonio No. 3

-A-Black, Mrs. Laviece Chamberlin, Mrs. Bobbe Coffee, Mrs. Bessie Connell, Mrs. Eunice Connell, Mrs. Eunice Cummins, Mrs. Wilma Dube, Mrs. Joe Estelle Dube, Mrs. Joe Estelle Dube, Mrs. Dorothy Gembler, Mrs. Manada Jones, Mrs. Bonna McBride, Mrs. Genilla McBride, Mrs. Gheart E. McKay, Mrs. Edna M. Moody, Mrs. Grace Newcomb, Mrs. Eleanor Newcomb, Mrs. Eleanor Newcomb, Mr. George Porter, Mrs. Ann Porter, Mrs. Ann Raborn, Mrs. Gladys Schiller, Mrs. Dorothy Shepherd, Mrs. Dorothy Shepherd, Mrs. Dorothy Todd, Mrs. Cleta Todd, Mr. Harold C. Todd, Mr. Ora E., Jr.

San Benito No. 565

-A-Deen, Mrs. Emogene Deen, Mrs. Mattie Mae Deen, Mr. W. W. Dillard, Mrs. Eva Dillard, Mrs. Kathryn Malone, Mrs. Mamie Malone, Mr. Otis Manning, Mrs. Florrie Mosnadan McSpadden. Mrs. Claudia Robertson, Mrs. Elsie Smith, Mrs. Dorris

Vondera, Mrs. Catherine Yarrow, Mrs. Lea

Sanderson No. 136 -A-Grisby, Mrs. Elsie

San Juan No. 726

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Clark, Mrs. Gladys DeMange, Mrs. Margaret Grasso, Miss Louise Grasso, Mrs. Marilee Newcombe, Mrs. Louise Newcombe, Mrs. Louise Newcombe, Mrs. Martha Roe, Mrs. Effie Trammell, Mrs. Della Trammell, Mrs. Ilse

San Marcos No. 276 A.—

Chapman, Mrs. Bettie Daughtry, Mrs. Len Dean, Mrs. Violet Dobie, Mrs. Annie Johnson, Mrs. Jean K. Scott, Mr. Malcolm Scott, Mrs. Mildred Thomas, Miss Florence Thomas, Miss Ruth

Sarah No. 353

-A-Kimble Mrs. Jewell King, Mrs. N. C. McClendon, Mrs. Lula B. Ramsey, Mrs. Grace Ramsey, Mr. Melvin Tribble, Mrs. May -B-

King, Mr. Chester

Schertz No. 911

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Beck, Mrs. Margaret Besecker, Mrs. Geraldine Biser, Mrs. Jenny Biser, Mrs. Jeany Church, Mrs. Jean Durden, Mrs. Helen Gurley, Mrs. Ann L. Lewis, Mrs. Laura Lucas, Mrs. Jerre Moss, Mrs. Florence McCorkill, Mrs. Helen Pickrell, Mr. Jack Spears, Mr. Joe Valentine, Mirs. Sally Cartwright. Cartwright. Mrs. Francine

-B----Moss, Mr. Thomas

Seadrift No. 602

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Danner, Mrs. Tominee

Seguin No. 55

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Ballard, Mrs. Olivia Ballard, Mrs. Olivia Brite, Mrs. Emma Buck, Mrs. J. Eleonore Dammann, Mrs. Ethel Johnston, Mrs. Elsie Massey, Mrs. Gladys McGee, Mrs. Ruth McGee, Mrs. Ruth Mulcahy, Mrs. Edna Mae Smith, Mrs. Nell T. Steger, Mr. Martin L. Steger, Mrs. Mildred Tyler, Mrs. Jane Vaughn, Mrs. Gladys Walker, Mrs. Doris

## Sinton No. 515

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Alexander, Mrs. Fern Alexander, Mr. Marshall D. Brittain, Mrs. Eleanor Brittain, Mr. W. Burl Cohea, Mrs. Orace Crabb, Mrs. Grace Crabb, Mrs. Elsie Johnson Mrs. Decision Alexander, Johnson, Mrs. Desiree Weir, Mr. Frank Weir, Mrs. Lorene

### Somerset No. 730

\_\_\_\_A\_\_ Davis, Mr. Jeff Sellers, Mrs. Isabelle Wentworth, Mrs. Myrtle

Sonora No. 575

—A— Awalt, Mrs. Mamie French, Mrs. Jeanne Hull, Mrs. Mary Lee Loeffler, Mrs. Esther Loeffler, Mr. S. M.

South San Antonio No. 691

·A-Adams, Mrs. Adele Barnes, Mrs. Grace Boley, Mrs. Imogene Crain, Mr. Frank Crain, Mrs. Mozelle Duve, Mrs. Alice Duve, Mr. Ernest H. Frazier Mrs. Anno M Duve, Mr. Ernest H. Frazier, Mrs. Anna Mae Hatfield, Mrs. Dorotha Hillmer, Mrs. Bebe Hillmer, Mrs. Bebe Hillmer, Mrs. Ruth Iredale, Mrs. Ruth McDonald, Mr. A. L. McDonald, Mrs. Jimmie Miller, Mrs. Mabel Raby, Mrs. Gertrude Rosell, Mrs. Mary Rubv, Mrs. Carrie Smallwood, Mrs. Nelle Smallwood, Mr. Vernon Tamsett, Mrs. Dorothy Whitson, Mrs. Louise Williams, Mrs. Ruth \_R\_

Gibson, Mrs. Clarissa

Star No. 782

-A-Davis, Mrs. Mona Henderson, Mrs. Ivanel Jeffers, Mrs. Joan Jones, Mrs. Esther Jones, Mr. John Paul Littlepage, Mrs. Dorothy Mrs. Dorothy Morris, Mr. D. A., Jr. Morris, Mrs. Mary Ella Outlaw, Mrs. Thelma Poole, Mr. Robert G. Poole, Mrs. Ruth L. Schell, Mrs. Mollie Sickel, Mrs. Sadie Tyson, Mr. Jesse Voorhies Mrs. Lemma Voorhies, Mrs. Lemma Voorhies, Mr. Silas

JR. Tyson, Mrs. Louise

Sterling No. 29

Mrs. Florice Matthews

Stockdale No. 69

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--A.--Bosanko, Mrs. JoAnn Cotter, Mrs. Myrtie Lorenze, Mrs. Vivian Smith, Mrs. Allyne Spear, Mrs. Maggie Lou Sutton, Mrs. Marie Sutton, Mr. Wm. F. Wellman, Mrs. Marjorie

Summerland No. 322

-A-Bishop, Mr. Jim Bishop, Mrs. Retta Bownan, Mrs. Tommie Conner, Mrs. Lois Fischer, Mrs. Modell Huss, Mrs. Bernadine Kidd, Mr. Francis Kidd, Mrs. Georgia Menzies, Mrs. Marguerite Mrs. Marguerite Roberts, Mrs. Edith Rude, Mr. Clifford Rude, Mrs. Cladys Sheffield, Mrs. Winnie Taylor, Mrs. Geraldine Whitley, Mr. Malcolm

### Taft No. 218

-A-Beasley, Mrs. Gussie Beasley, Mr. W. E. Herron, Mrs. Clara Bell Herron, Mr. W. L. Hill, Mrs. Helen

## Certificates Granted for the Year 1970-1971-District No. 5-Continued

Ivey, Mrs. Jewel Mackland, Mrs. Edith Moody, Mrs. Naomi Merts, Mrs. Sophia Mills, Mrs. Gladys Rayburn, Mrs. Elizabeth

Rayburn, Mr. Otte Rippstein, Mrs. Della Tidwell, Mrs. Clara Jo Tidwell, Mr. Marvin

### Texas No. 35

--A---Allen, Mrs. Bertha Boyer, Mr. A. Kent Coons, Mr. M. L., Jr. Coons, Mrs. Ruby Mae Denman, Mrs. Charlotte Dwight, Mrs. Thelma Handerson, Mrs. Nelda Henderson, Mrs. Mildred Kunz, Mr. Norman Kunz, Mrs. Ruth Lawtv. Mrs. Edna Allen, Mrs. Bertha Kunz, Mrs. Kuth Lawty, Mrs. Edna Marks, Mrs. Myra H. Petri, Mrs. Eleanor Sabin, Mrs. Jessie Maye Underwood, Mrs. Alberta

### Tilden No. 919

-A-Wheeler, Mr. Clifton Wheeler, Mrs. Margueritte

Wheeler, Mrs. Nora \_B\_

Crain, Mrs. Annie B.

## Travis No. 472

-A-

Adams, Miss Olivia T. Armstrong,

Armstrong, Mrs. Louise W. Ashmore, Mr. Frank H. Ashmore, Mr. Strank H. Bailey, Mrs. Lorraine Bailey, Mrs. Joanita Bailey, Mrs. Joanita Burch, Mrs. Clelia Collins, Mrs. H. E. Collins, Mrs. Jora J. Crain, Mrs. Lora J. Crain, Mrs. Roma Duncan, Mrs. Lura Goodwin, Mr. E. J.

Goodwin, Mrs. Verda Lee Hagood, Mrs. Estelle Hagood, Mrs. Estelle Hand, Mrs. Elizabeth Herridge, Mrs. Helen Howard, Mrs. Georgiana W. Hubert, Mr. P. J. Keaton, Mrs. Norma Ludwig, Mrs. Myrl Peoples, Peoples, Mrs. Ruby Catheryn Wilkerson, Mrs. Mary -B-McVea, Mrs. Maude

Utopia No. 468

-A-----Fisher, Mr. Henry Fisher, Mrs. June

### Uvalde No. 297

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Anderson, Mrs. Opal Bradley, Mrs. Beatrice Duncan, Mrs. Pearl Fulmer, Mrs. Doris Gulley, Mrs. Minnie Hall, Mrs. Marcene Miller, Mrs. Ollie Musgrave, Mrs. Belle Prentiss, Mrs. Effie Sadler, Mrs. Marie Woolf, Mrs. Jerry

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### Nance, Mrs. Maxine

Violet No. 158

--A---Baughman, Mrs. Dorothy Baughman, Mrs. Doroth Bragg, Mrs. Betty Lee Burgess, Mrs. Jenny Cole, Mrs. Doma S. Davidson, Mrs. Inez Davidson, Mrs. Inez Davidson, Mrs. Reocie Green, Mrs. Frances Hammonds, Mrs. Hazel Lamey Mrs. Helen H Lamey, Mrs. Helen H. Moses, Mrs. Cheryle Post, Mrs. Josephine Skeete, Mrs. Aurra Dee Wilson, Mr. Jack L.

-B----Bernard, Mrs. Maude

Waelder No. 1023

-A-Griffin, Mrs. Ruby Hull, Mrs. Vivian Pantermuehl, Mrs. Dorothy

### Weslaco No.772

—A— Bell, Mrs. Alpha Bell, Mrs. Alpha Burkett, Mrs. Evelyn Clawson, Miss Inez Eubank, Mrs. Vera French, Mrs. Audrey C. Holland, Mrs. Frankie Wright, Mrs. Ali Fae Wright, Mr. M. W.

### Wimodausis No. 141

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Ackermann, Ackermann, Mrs. Nora M. Calk, Mrs. Janie B. Calk, Mr. Preston Cannady, Mr. Charlie Cooper, Mrs. Hear Disbro, Mrs. Phyllis Edgar, Mrs. Ella F. Edgar, Mr. Herbert Epperson, Mrs. Iona Forss, Mrs. Louise Forss, Mrs. Louise Forss, Mr. Melvin Graham, Mrs. Amy Graham, Mrs. Am Mrs. Melladine Jordahl, Mrs. Ann Legg, Mrs. Mabel Lundschen, Mrs. Dorothy Merrill, Mrs. Mathilda Morgenstern Mrs. Jene McKenna, Mrs. Dean Ramel, Mrs. Gladys Roberts, Mrs. Gladys Roberts, Mrs. Mary West, Mrs. Cleo J. Williamson, Mrs. Nellie Yarbrough, Mrs. Lear ----B----

Perkins, Mrs. Estella

Winters No. 80

-A-Clark, Mrs. Ethel Mae Cook, Mrs. Geneva Crawford, Mr. Roy L. Gardner, Mrs. Ruby Lehman Hale, Mrs. Nina Irvin, Mrs. Ozell Jobe, Mrs. Ruth Meyer, Mrs. Ellen Sims, Mrs. Darlene

Woodsboro No. 678

--A---Alexander, Alexander, Mrs. Marjorie Euton, Mrs. Francis Euton, Mr. Kenneth Findley, Mrs. Etta Lee Findley, Mr. R. J. Heath, Mrs. Ora Lee Sportsman, Mrs. June Thorman, Mrs. Vida

Quinn, Mrs. Allie

Wrightsboro No. 778

-A-Bradley, Mrs. Della Kifer, Mrs. Rozella

Yoakum No. 282

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Brenek, Mrs. Pearl Hollub, Mrs. Gladys House, Mrs. Berenice Jaeger, Mrs. Eula Mae Reger, Mrs. Lula Mac Kelley, Mrs. Agnes R. Mayrant, Mrs. Ruby Steubing, Mrs. Faye Taylor, Mr. James B. Taylor, Mrs. Mary W. Whitley, Mrs. Dulcie

### Yorktown No. 945

Geffert, Mrs. Dorothy Geffert, Mr. L. D. Holway, Mrs. Victoria Patillo, Mrs. Oleta Walters, Mrs. Bernice Warwas, Mrs. Bernice

## CERTIFICATES GRANTED FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971

DISTRICT No. 1     Jameson, Mrs. Winnifred     Gilbert, Mrs. Chris     Porter, Mr. Max L.       Alamo Heights No. 734     DISTRICT No. 3     DISTRICT No. 3       —A—     SUPPLEMENTAL Mrs. Dorothy Satterwhite     Ballinger No. 266     Beeville No. 422	CERTIFICATES RECEIVED IN OTHER DISTRICTS	CEIVED IN	Toyah No. 579 —_A	San Antonio No. 3 ——A——
-A SUPPLEMENTAL Ballinger No. 266 Beeville No. 422 Mrs. Dorothy Satterwhite REPORT -A		T	Gilbert, Mrs. Chris	Porter, Mr. Max L.
Alice No. 61     District No. 2     Foy, Mrs. Luna Mae     Denwood, Mrs. Marga       -A     Memphis No. 351     Brady No. 167     Corpus Christi No. 35       Madiant No. 636     -A     -A     McLemore, Mrs. Bertha       -A     Pryor, Mrs. Dorothea     McLemore, Mrs. Bertha     -A       Plainos,     Paducah No. 506     -A     Graves, Mrs. Ray Wiley       DISTRICT No. 2     Graves, Mrs. Ray Wiley     Luther, Mr. James     -A	Alamo Heights No. 734 —A— Mrs. Dorothy Satterwhite Alice No. 61 —A— Mrs. Gladys Pendleton Radiant No. 636 —A— Plainos, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth	Alcor No. 1 sights No. 734 SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT 61 District No. 2 Memphis No. 351 -A	DISTRICT No. 3 Ballinger No. 266 A Foy, Mrs. Luna Mae Brady No. 167 A McLemore, Mrs. Bertha Center Point No. 463 A Luther, Mr. James	<u>A</u> Denwood, Mrs. Margaret Corpus Christi No. 354 <u>A</u> Watson, Mrs. Lucy Gonzales No. 403
Harlandale No. 750     Queen Esther No. 833     San Angelo No. 10      B    A     Barefoot, Mrs. Bonnie    A       Mrs. Mattie Johnson     Demas, Mrs. Vera     Behringer, Mrs. Gwen     Brieger, Mr. A. C.	Harlandale No. 750 —B—	le No. 750 Queen Esther No. 833 —A	A Barefoot, Mrs. Bonnie	A

## LIST OF VOUCHERS-1969-70

Vou	cher	,
No.	Payee Explanation	Amount
139	Masonic Print Shop-Credentials, Directories, Recpt	\$ 735.80
140	Jettie Hinton-Mileage Appr. 1969	16,000.00
141	Sally Matranga-Installation 1969	750.00
142	Maude Holland-September salary less tax	258.22
143	Zora Brogdon-September salary less tax	249.52
144	Jettie Hinton-September salary less tax	219.20
145	Eva Terry-September salary less tax	
146	Rebecca L. Miles-September salary less tax	338.40
147	First National, Fort Worth-September tax	359.78
148	Katherine Harbour-Postage Appr	_ 25.00
149	Lorene Edgar-Appr. Temple Committee	25.00
150	Robbie Yates-Secretary Appr. W.G.M.	500.00
151	Vivian King-Historian Appr. 68-69 General Grand Chapter-Secret Work and Charters	50.00
152	General Grand Chapter-Secret Work and Charters	- 11.94
153	Jettie Hinton-Cover late mileage check	- 18.00
159	Masonic Print Shop-Grand Secretary envelopes	22.78
157	Masonic Print Shop—Printing Lois Bell—Board meeting and telephone bill	_ 456.32
158	Lois Bell-Board meeting and telephone bill	_ 63.92
159	Perry Smithwick-Board meeting and telephone	
160	T. R. Bramlett-Board meeting	7.50
161	Steve Baker—Board meeting Annette Pierce—Board meeting Chauncey Penix—Legal work 68-69	_ 54.83
162	Annette Pierce-Board meeting	25.00
163	Chauncey Penix-Legal work 68-69	_ 496.82
164	Maude Holland-October salary less tax	_ 258.22
165	Zora Brogdon-October salary less tax	_ 249.52
166	Jettie Hinton-October salary less tax	219.20
167	Éva Terry-October salary less tax	_ 230.72
168	Rebecca L. Miles-October salary less tax	338.40
169	First National, Fort Worth–October tax	- 359.78
171	Clayton Tire Co.—Tires for W.G.M. car 69-70	285.36
69	Sam White Oldsmobile-Car for W.G.M. 69-70	1,673.60
172	Jenson & Parks-Grand Treasurer Bond 69-70	38.00
1	Sally Matranga-W.G.M. Appr. 69-70	2,800.00
2	Richard T. Porter-W.G.P. Appr. 69-70	. 1,800.00
3 4	Frances K. Herren-A.G.M. Appr. 69-70	
4	Victor Jones-A.G.P. Appr. 69-70	-100.00 -100.00
5 6	Aliene Houston-Grand Cond. Appr. 69-70 Katherine Harbour-Assoc. Grand Cond. Appr. 69-70	
7	Velda Anderson-D.D.G.M. Appr. No. 1	_ 700.00
8	Beulah Speer-D.D.G.M. Appr. No. 2	700.00
9	Maude Arnold–D.D.G.M. Appr. No. 3	700.00
10	Irene Scarborough–D.D.G.M. Appr. No. 4	
10	Roha Hillman DDCM Appr. No. 5	- 700.00
12	Bebe Hillmer-D.D.G.M. Appr. No. 5 Patricia Major-Grand Exam. Appr. No. 1	120.00
13	Frances Austin_Crand Exam. Appr. No. 2	120.00
14	Frances Austin-Grand Exam. Appr. No. 2 Doris Easterling-Grand Exam. Appr. No. 3	_ 120.00
15	Alma Miller-Grand Exam. Appr. No. 4	120.00
16	Rennie Ofton-Grand Exam Appr. No. 5	120.00
17	Rennie Ofton-Grand Exam Appr. No. 5 Nell Clonts-Chm. Welfare Appr Jettie Hinton-Exp. 1969-70	_ 300.00
18	Tettie Hinton-Exp. 1969-70	220.00
19	O.E.S. Car Account-Car expense G.M. car 69-70	
20	Mrs. Miles-Office expense 69-70	
21	Zora Brogdon-November salary less tax	249.52
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No.	Payee Explanation	Amount
22	Jettie Hinton-November salary less tax	219.20
23	Éva Terry—November salary less tax Margaret Whitaker—November salary less tax	241.90
24	Margaret Whitaker-November salary less tax	203.40
25	Rebecca L. Miles-November salary less tax	338.40
26 27	First Nation, Fort Worth–November tax Maude Holland–Bonus	356.26 100.00
28	Masonic Print Shop-G. C. Programs and advance re	eports
20 29	Masonic Print Shop-Stationery, supplies, etc. 69-70	1,648.39
30	Masonic Print Shop—Deputy Books	316.82
31	Masonic Print Shop-Deputy Books Masonic Print Shop-Printing 69-70	1,460.55
32	O.E.S. Office BldgMaintenance 69-70	
33	Board Grand Trustees-Appr. 69-70	
34	Bell CoGrand Secretary's Bond	94.00
35	Hillary Cooper-By-laws Com. expense	75.00
36	Loraine Porter-Temple Com. expense	25.00
37	Zora Brogdon-December salary less tax	249.52 219.20
38	Jettie Hinton-December salary less tax	219.20
39 40	Eva terry-December salary less tax	203.40
41	Eva Terry-December salary less tax Margaret Whitaker-December salary less tax Rebecca L. Miles-December salary less tax First National, Fort Worth-December tax	338.40
42	First National Fort Worth-December tax	356.26
43	Masonic Print Shop-Printing 69-70	325.71
44	Masonic Print Shop—Printing 69-70 Zora Brogdon—January salary less tax	249.52
45	Jettie Hinton-January salary less tax Eva Terry-January salary less tax	219.20
46	Eva Terry–January salary less tax	241.90
47	Margaret Whitaker-January salary less tax	203.40
48	Rebecca L. Miles-January salary less tax	338.40
49	First National, Fort Worth-January tax	356.26
50	Sproles, Woodard, Ray and Lavely-Auditors	4,000.00 249.20
51 <sup>.</sup> 52	Zora Brogdon—February salary less tax Jettie Hinton—February salary less tax	219.20
53	Fya Terry Eebruary salary less tax	219.20
54	Eva Terry—February salary less tax Margaret Whitaker—February salary less tax	203.40
55	Rebecca L. Miles-February salary less tax.	338.40
56	Rebecca L. Miles-February salary less tax First National, Fort Worth-February salary less tax	356.26
57	Sally Matranga-W.G.M. Secretary Appr. 69-70 Masonic Print Shop-Treasurer and Temple stationer	
58	Masonic Print Shop-Treasurer and Temple stationer	ry 32.36
59	Zora Brogdon-March salary less tax	249.52
60	Jettie Hinton-March salary less tax	219.20
61	Eva Terry-March salary less tax	· 241.90
62 63	Margaret Whitaker-March salary less tax Rebecca L. Miles-March salary less tax	203.40 338.40
64	First National, Fort Worth-March tax	356.26
65	Barbara Harrison-Grand Chaplain Appr	100.00
66	Paul Harris-Part Appr. G.C. 1970	500.00
67	Zora Brogdon–April salary less tax	249.52
68	Jettie Hinton-April salary less tax	219.20
69	Eva Terry-April salary less tax	241.90
70	Margaret Whitaker-April salary less tax	203.40
71	Rebecca L. Miles-April salary less tax	338,40
72	First National, Fort Worth-April tax	356.26
73 74	Masonic Print Shop-Rosters 69-70	6,302.57
74 75	Masonic Print Shop—Printing Zora Brogdon—May salary less tax	475.23 249.52
76	Jettie Hinton-May salary less tax	249.52
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No.	Payee Explanation	Amount
77	Eva Terry-May salary less tax	241.90
78	Margaret Whitaker-May salary less tax	203.40
79	Rebecca L. Miles—May salary less tax	338.40
80	First National, Fort Worth-May tax. Velda Anderson-Bal. Deputy Appr. No. 1	356.26
81	Velda Anderson-Bal. Deputy Appr. No. 1	60.00
82	Beulah Speer-Bal, Deputy Appr. No. 2	60.00
83	Maude Arnold—Bal. Deputy Appr. No. 3 Irene Scarborough—Bal. Deputy Appr. No. 4 Bebe Hilmer—Bal. Deputy Appr. No. 5	60.00
84	Irene Scarborough-Bal. Deputy Appr. No. 4	_ 60.00
85	Bebe Hilmer-Bal. Deputy Appr. No. 5	. 60.00
86	Masonic Print Shop—April Bulletin	. 936,46
87	Robbie Yates-Edit Proceedings	. 32.06
88	Masonic Print Shop-Envelopes for A.G.M. Mrs. Herrin	24.18
89 90	Mathemes-Adding machine for Grand Treasurer	157.42
90 91	Mildred Garlitz-Gen. Grand Chap. Souvenirs	
91	Zora Brogdon–June salary less tax Jettie Hinton–June salary less tax	219.20
93	Fine Terry June colory less tax	241.90
93 94	Eva Terry—June salary less tax	203.40
95	Rebecca L. Miles—June salary less tax	338.40
96	First National, Fort Worth–June tax	356.26
97	Masonic Print Shop-Printing	305.00
70	Masonic Print Shop-Printing Paul Harris-Remainder Appr. G.C. 1970	12,000.00
$\dot{71}$	Eunice Connell-G.G. Chap. Luncheon	1,000.00
72	Zora Brogdon—July salary less tax	, 251.92
73	Jettie Hinton-July salary less tax	. 225.30
74	Eva Terry-July salary less tax	247.30
75	Eva Terry-July salary less tax Margaret Whitaker-July salary less tax	. 206.70
76	Forrest M. Smith-July salary less tax	. 353.00
77	First National, Fort Worth July tax	403.80
78	Rebecca L. Miles-July salary less tax	. 338.40
79	C. A. Holmes-Exp. Credentials Committee	. 10.00
80	T. V. Montgomery–Exp. Registration Committee Marie Rabby–Exp. Trans. and Mileage Committee	. 10.00
81	Marie Rabby-Exp. Trans. and Mileage Committee	10.00
82	Sally Matranga-Appr. W.G.M. Jewel	. 500.00
83 84	Richard Porter-Appr. W.G.P. Jewel Frances Herrin-Appr. Installation 1970	. 300.00 . 750.00
85	Marie Harcum–Appr. Fraternal Correspondent.	25.00
86	Lena Mae Cook–Appr. ESTARL Committee	100.00
87	Lallah Mae Vollus-Tomlinson funeral	22.85
88	Masonic Home Press-July Bulletin	906.16
89	Masonic Home Press-Registration material	193.16
90	Zora Brogdon-August salary less tax	251.92
91	Jettie Hinton—August salary less tax Eva Terry—August salary less tax	225.30
92	Eva Terry-August salary less tax	247.30
93,	Margaret Whitaker—August salary less tax	206.70
94	Forrest M. Smith–August salary less tax Rebecca L. Miles–August salary less tax	353.00
95	Rebecca L. Miles-August salary less tax	338.40
96	First National Bank, Fort Worth-Taxes for August	403.80
97	Jettie Hinton Treas.—Appr. 1970 Mileage	16,000.00
98 00	Sally Matranga–Appr. entertain visitisg Grands Annette Pierce–Trustee expenses	750.00
99 100	Zora Brogdon-September salary less tax	500.00 251.92
101	Jettie Hinton-September salary less tax	225.30
102	Eva Terry-September salary less tax	247.30
103	Margaret Whitaker-September salary less tax	206.70
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No.	Payee Explanation	Amount
104	Forrest M. Smith-September salary less tax	353.00
105	Rebecca L. Miles-September salary less tax	338.40
106	First National Bank, Fort Worth-September taxes	403.80
107	Katherine Poulis-G.C. Gift G.G.C. Appointment	35.00
108	Judge Marvin Simpson-G.C. Gift G.G.C. Appointment	35.00
109	Masonic Print Shop-Proceedings and other printing	8,372.95
110	Chauncy E. Penix-Legal retainer expense	555.80
111	Masonic Print Shop-Deputy Books	229.35
112	Charles Maund Olds-W.G.M. car 70-71	2,345.00
70	Jungle Flower Shop—Vollus funeral	20.00
71	Jenson & Parks InsGrand Treasurers Bond	38.00
72	Masonic Print Shop–Printing Frances Key Herrin–W.G.M. Appr. 70-71	4,259.74
73	Frances Key Herrin-W.G.M. Appr. 70-71	2,800.00
74	Victor Jones–W.G.P. Appr. 70-71	1,800.00
75	Ailene Houston-A.G.M. Appr. 70-71	800.00
76	Harold Todd-A.G.P. Appr. 70-71	100.00
77	Katherine Harbour-Gr. Cond. Appr. 70-71	100.00
78	Thelma Joyce Alsup-Assoc. Gr. Cond. Appr. 70-71	100.00
79	Jettie Hinton-Gr. Treas. expense 70-71	220.00
80	Office Arlington_Office expense 70-71	3,500.00
81	Car Account-Expense for W.G.M. car 70-71 Margaret Landrum-Deputies exp. No. 1 70-71 Ann Dell Quebe-Deputies exp. No. 2 70-71	1,500.00
82	Margaret Landrum-Deputies exp. No. 1 70-71	700.00
83	Ann Dell Quebe-Deputies exp. No. 2 70-71	700.00
84	Muldred Karnes Deputies even No 3 /D-/L	700.00
85	Patsy Wilson–Deputies exp. No. 4 70-71 Louese Armstrong–Deputies exp. No. 5 70-71 Kathy Johnston–Grand Examiner No. 1 70-71	700.00
86	Louese Armstrong-Deputies exp. No. 5 70-71	700.00
87	Kathy Johnston-Grand Examiner No. 1 70-71	120.00
88	Frances Austin–Grand Examiner No. 2 70-71	120.00
89	Doris Easterling-Grand Examiner No. 3 70-71	120.00
90	Alma Miller-Grand Examiner No. 4 70-71	120.00
91	Rennie Ofton-Grand Examiner No. 5 70-71	120.00
92	Jeanne Graham-Welfare Appr. 70-71	300.00
93	Zora Brogdon-October salary less tax	251.92
94	Jettie Hinton-October salary less tax	225.30
95	Éva Terry-October salary less tax	247.30
96	Margaret Whitaker-October salary less tax	206.70
97	Rebecca L. Miles-October salary less tax	338.40
98	Forrest M. Smith-October salary less tax	353.00
99	First National Bank, Fort Worth-October taxes	
100	Special Funds AcctOffice error corrected Auditor	1,229.73
101	Board Grand Trustees-Annual Appr. for 70-71 exp.	1,400.00

JETTIE HINTON, Grand Treasurer

## PROCEEDINGS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

## MILEAGE PAID AT GRAND CHAPTER-1969

FORT WORTH, TEXAS

No.         Payee         Amount         No.         Payee         Amount           1         Patricia Smith         \$1.80         59         Annette Pierce         15.60           2         Betty Lym         18.90         60         Lois Bell         13.80           3         Dorochy Schiller         16.20         61         Elna Biggs         17.70           4         Sally Ochermerhorn         35.70         62         Mellie Weaver         2.70           7         Kate Hawkins         5.10         64         T. L. Schuyler         12.94           9         J. T. Sanders         18.90         68         Virginia Phillips         6.90           10         Midred Burk         13.20         69         Mane Sutton         16.50           11         Mary Lou Krolczyke         17.40         74         Barbara Andrews         18.30           12         Jettie Hinton         17.40         75         Ann Allen         18.30           13         Sally Matranga         15.60         75         Anna Allen         18.30           13         James Botton         7.70         Maude Ross         6.30           14         Eora Struby         17.40	Check No.		Amount	Check No.		A
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162	Mrs. A. M. Johnson	24.00	226	Lillie Mae Hurst	23.10
163	Hazel Gilbreath	5.10	227	Winnie Slaten	19.50
165	Tucile Mosshart	7.20	229	Ann McConathy	1.80
166	Evelyn Kaiser Norine Harkrider	5.10	230	Frances Ball	22.50
167	Norine Harkrider	9.90	231	Mattie Lou Graves	
168	Billie Horton	2.10	232	Thurman H. Perry	11.40
169	Ann Kinney	16.50	233	Jessie Jolly	16.20
170	Lois Robinson		234	Virginia Parker	1.50
$171 \\ 172$	Jewel Click	2.70	235	Thelma Joyce Alsup	15.60
172 174	Frankie Jenness Dorothy Jumper	12 20	236 237	Martha Johnston	11.40
175	Jimmie Kittrell	19.80	237	Sammie Bean	
177	Mrs. Ralph Reaves	6.75	239	Ruby Ball Mrs. Keith Goodman _	10.20
178	Annie May Locklin		240	Helen V. Shearer	
179	Betty Weiderhold		241	Mildred Miller	11.40
180	Katherine Cowgill	15.60	242	Lon Tunnell	8.10
181	Patsy Wilson	10.50	243	Daist James	10.20
182	Alta Allen	12.00	244	Mazie Feeney John J. Chambers	35.70
183	Grace Self	5.40	245	John J. Chambers	11.40
184	Arrell Maddox	20.40	246	Hilga Hester	7.20
187	Bobbie Roberts	13.80	247	Willie Jean Bostic	8.70

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249	Mary Lou Lawson	1.20	314	Crawford Mearns	35.70
250	Gladys Smith	24.60	316	Echo Martin	_ 10.80
251	Mary Ellen Hughes	15.00	318	Nellie Warren	18.00
253	Anna H. Arnold	17.70	319	Georgia Davidson	
254	Ruby Cash	1.80	320	Elizabeth King Jimmie Coolee	1.68
255	Vela Posey Ruth Dunn Opal Ramsey	5.70	321	Jimmie Coolee	6.00
256	Ruth Dunn	17.40	322	Mary Lou Whitley	_ 13.50
257	Opal Ramsey	14.40	323	Edna Goettee	
258	Mrs. F. B. Snyder	15.60	324	Willyne Dunn	_ 16.80
259	Norma Whiddon	2.10	325	Maurine Miller	24.00
260	Barto McGill Gracie Lovett	15.60	327	Edna Lawty	16.20
261 262	Neva Lafitee	17.10	328	Grace Bosley Lorene Edgar Eva Terry Waunita Fairchild	15 60
263	Doris Nell Wiley	18.00	329 330	Lorene Edgar	1 20
265	Paul D. Ofton	16.00	331	Waynite Fairchild	6.96
266	Dairy Foractor	1110	332	Maude Holland	1 20
267	Katherine Harbour	16.80	333	Zora Brogdon	.90
268	Floy L. Yates	25.32	335	Zora Brogdon Martha McDonald	17.70
270	Marie Dendy	3.00	336	Wanda Adams	28.80
271	Marie Dendy Grace Gustof	18.00	338	Margery Wofford	19.80
272	Kata (Jarboda	15.60	339	Toiley Ezelle	15.00
273	Gladys Barron	11.70	340	Birdie I. Easterling	. 21.60
274	Ruby Dunn	1.80	342	Riva C. Burnett Adella Cooper	19.20
276	Len Doughtry	13.20	343	Adella Cooper	2.70
277	Raby Garboac         Gladys Barron         Ruby Dunn         Len Doughtry         Letha Maynard         Irene Wallis	7.20	345	Mattie Mitchell	16.20
278	Irene Wallis	19.20	346	Sue Bell	2.70
279	Tommie Roach Susie May	5.52	347	Margaret Van Huss Elizabeth Watson	21.00
280	Susie May	5.40	348	Elizabeth Watson	12.60
282	Pearl Brenek	16.20	349	Peggy Terry	12.30
283	Joyce Rachuig Verna Glasscock	5.40	351	Dorothea Clements	11.70
285	Verna Glasscock	14.10	352	Clara Fuqua	
286	Mary Burke	10.90	353	Jewell Kimble	- 25.80
287	Koleta Shepperson Sarah Kornegay	17 70	354	Beulah Martin	45.10
288 289	Wilma Haertmer	17.70	355 356	Mary Stewart Ruby Power	1140
209	Ethel Hankins	6.00	357 357	Ruby Fower	675
291	Helen Jones	15.90	359	Rebecca L Miles Florence Read	14 70
292	Alta Simmons		360	Marylon Tucker	8 70
294	Ruth Sims		362	Marylou Tucker Mildred Harris	5.10
295	Loverne Griffin	9.60	363	Nina Truitt	17.25
296	Flo Sullivan	15.60	365	Viva S. Huffman	15.60
297	Jerry Woolf Kathrine Durdin	22.80	366	Violet Cartwright	. 4.80
298	Kathrine Durdin	16.80	369	Cynthia May Watts	12.30
299	Joy Cox Louese Armstrong	30.60	370	Lillian Barnard	17.40
301	Louese Armstrong	11.40	371	Lallah Mae Vollus	. 15.60
302	Preston Miller	17.40	373	Mrs. L. M. Spiller	
\$ 303	Mary Alexander	1.80	374	LaRue Mitchell	. 1.80
304	Margaret Gilliam Maidelle Fitzgerald	11.40	375	Genevieve Halbert	_ 15.30
305	Maidelle Fitzgerald	8.10	376	T. W. Mayfield Lillian Gee	_ 14.70
306	Odis A. Claxton	9.30	377	Lillian Gee	
307	Edna Phillips Lorene Harris	1.80	378 380	Mabel Stark Harle	18.30
308 309	Willie Stolz	0.40	381	Hazel Townsend	20.40
310	Carrie Eaton	5.70	382	Maude Amis Eunice Evans	12:20
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386	Mary Ella Schoverling _	. 15.60	465	Hattie Spence	14.70
388	Eunice Connell	16.20	466	H. F. Harrington	15.60
389	Viola Porter	18.60	467	Clara Mae Moore	7.50
390	Mrs. D. B. Spearman	3.60	468	Clara Mae Moore Henry Fisher	20.40
391	Flo Hurt	12.00	469	Chauncey E. Penix	5.28
392	Ollie Murie Smelley	6.30	470	Rue Heston	21.30
393	Ollie Marie Smelley Ruby Enloe Katherine Poulis	10.50	471	Frances Davis	6.60
393 394	Katherine Poulic	16.20	472	Juanita Bailey	11.40
395	Mildred Miller	2 10.20 8 40	473	Isla Goldsberry	28.80
	Man K Smith	- 0.40		Mrs. C. M. Bryant	20.00
397	Mary K. Smith	- 5./5	474	WITS. C. WI. Dryame	15 40
399	Pauleen Mathews	12.00	475	Helen Aalund	1,00
400	Willie B. Lott	- 13.32	479	Mrs. A. L. Bachman	
401	Lois Corley	- 4.20	483	Gardener Seaholm	
402	Agnes Lee Howard	- 7.80 ·	488	Zodell Willbanks	
403	Orline Iley Erlene Baker	. 15.75	· 490	Rosalie Brown	
404	Erlene Baker	2 18.60	496	Stella Dean	9.60
405	Thelma McRevnolds	. 1.80	497	Mrs. B. To Fields	14.70
406	Molly Goodpasture	- 18.00	498	Fav E. Stewart	1.62
407	Mrs. F. H. Stephens	_ 19.80	499	Mrs. A. K. Turner	14.70
409	Exa Rasure	_ 16.80	500	Bell Atkinson	7.80
410	Amy Goebel	5.10	502	Elsie Adams	12.06
411	Edna Earl Duke	18.00	506	Ruth Richards	7.50
412	Mildred Sharpe	1.80	508	Sammie Lee Wichffe	
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415	Nancy Bailey Sarah Schultz	15.00	510		
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418	Wm. G. Vollus	14 70	512	Gene Crisham	5.10
420	Clyde Smith Rena Ashcroft	. 14.70	514	Lula Durham	
421	Rena Ashcroft	- 0.00	515	Mrs. Thorean Johnson	_ 22.80
422	Dorothy Hicks	_ 20,40	518	Virginia Benningfield . Fay M. Goble	3.60
424	Madelyn Eggleston	_ 9.90	527	Fay M. Goble	29.70
425	Eunice Ward	_ 12.30	528	Jewell Robinson	
427	Suzanne Williams		530	Beulah Lee Morris	1.68
428	Rena Hurst	_ 12.30	535	Wilma Roades	18.90
429	Pearle Carter	_ 10.80	539	Lois Alexander	8.52
430	Frank Phillips	_ 21.30	543	Novia Coodger	2.28
431	Burleson Representative.	90	553	Virginia Sanders	8.22
432	Dr. T. G. Rogers		554	Gazelle Patterson	18.30
433	Sara Holt	2.88	555	Gladys Vaughn	
435	Ruby Lee Black	13.20	557	Annettee Grogran	
437	Olive Myers	19.20	560	Katherine Bozek	3 90
438	Dr. H. C. Sloop	15.60	561	Jennie May Cope	21 12
439	Earl Manning	7 20	562	Gladys Haley	22 50
442	Charles Bairfield	16.80	565	Mattie Mae Deen	20.20
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	Ed. L. Sharpe	. 1.00		Frances Baker	1710
446	Dr. R. O. Fuqua	_ 11./0	575	Mary Lee Hull	1/.10
447	Frances Reedy	. 19.20	576	Odelia Womack	
450	Bess De Loach		578	Fannie Mae Bartz	
451	Gerald C. Allen	13.80	579	Mrs. Chris Gilbert	24.90
454	Delores Shoemaker	- 6.00	581	Viola Burkhalder	18.48
456	Paul_Stoneman	2.70	585	Juanita Bailey	16.32
457	Hal Burnett		591	Gertrude Iones	7.50
<b>4</b> 60	Alma Herbst	_ 11.10	595	Bennie Ammons	7.32
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610 Clara Moore 10.20 716 Ann Puriet	1.80
611 Olivia Roos 14.40 717 Alice Finney	
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618 Estelle Otzenhoffer 15.72 721 Thelma Scott 2	23.10
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621 Ida Mae Gorson 17.10 723 Nell Smith	13.80
626         Kay Keahey         18.18         724         Rosa Lee Simpson         1           627         Verna Lee Thomas         12.00         725         Jackie Beckham         2	6.44
627 Verna Lee Thomas 12.00 725 Jackie Beckham 2	20.10
629 Cathleen Day 30.60 728 Frances Belk	15.60
630 Leona Alford 9.00 730 Mrs. Ivan Wentworth 1	
634 Mattie Dora Leake 16.44 731 Bessie Brown	15.60
636 Florence Page 16.20 732 Alberta Wiley	30.00
639 Helen Shidaker 5.10 733 Allee Roberts	6.96
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644 Reta Ledbetter 30.00 737 Mabel Farquhar	16.50
646 Mrs. R. L. Terrel 15.00 738 Margaret Jetton	55./0
648 Katherine Patchen 1.80 741 Lucille Wilburn	15.60
649 Evelyn Sandlin 18.90 742 Norma Phillips	19.56
650 Carol Johnson 16.20 743 Helen Ellis	16.44
651 Aline Hooks 15.60 747 Christine Turner	11.16
653 Mrs. Clive Lewis 23.10 748 Nell Nyquist 2	28.20
654 Eva Brown 15.60 750 Thelma Fitzwater	
655 Bertie Smith 7.68 752 Billie Ellison 1	17.40
658 Wilma Ramsey 21.30 755 Robbie Casteel	1.80
659 Alla Lawrence 5.52 759 Ethel Fager	55./0
624       May B. Ward       .15       760       Johnnie Farrell         662       Mayme Shults       7.26       769       Lois Phillips         664       Ruth Robinson       16.20       771       Kathleen McCartney	19.80
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665 Estelle Cannon 16.20 772 Evelyn Burkett	20.20
667 Leta Ogletree 5.40 774 Elinta Harris	1 00
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678 June Sportsman 20.70 785 Ruby Lee Arnold	18 12
683 Juanita Owens 17.10 787 Bess Rogers 2	20.40
685 Faustine Wood 4.02 792 Barbara Lust	21 18
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691 Adele Adams 16.20 794 Betty Ann Davis	1.80
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693 Rozelle Burleson 5.70 798 Evie Kilough	17.10
695 Juanita Walterhouse 7.44 799 Sara Terry	
696 Sarah Jane Salisbury 15.60 800 Connie McKenzie 2	
697 Barbara Easterling 2.52 801 Juanita Dixon	3.60
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700 Mrs. James Wilson 11.52 803 Prudence Brooks	11.40
701 Mary Youngjohn 35.70 806 Mayfair Graves 7	20.40
703 Hazel Hugghins 2.70 808 Bernice Douglas	25.50
705 Charlene Fitzerald 19.20 811 Charleen Airingtos 3	21.30
706 Myrtis Herron 15.60 812 Maude Bagley	11.70
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710 Velma 'Thornton 13.20 816 Corinne Campbell 1	21.00
711 Irma Miller 16.20 817 Marion Roberts	16.20

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824	Sara Widener Margaret Pearce	. 1.80	908	Elizabeth Osburn	
825	Margaret Pearce	. 5.10	909	Lillian Welch	_ 9.00 ₄ 20
826	Harriet Ripple Margaret Mahler	13.20	910	Joan Dansby Laura I.ewis	- 4.54
829 830	Intergaret Manier	0.00	911 912	Evelyn Tolbert	16.20
831	Jessie Mae Burks Ola Mae Erwin		912 914	Ann Bailleane	18.60
832	Thelma Schneider	20 70	914 915	Helen Hensley	15.00
833	Pat Wicker	930	916	Roberta Barker	11.70
837	Lillie Draper Peggie Pupler	35.70	920	Alberta Mann	15.60
841	Peggie Dupler	20.82	921	Margaret Hyde	2.82
842	Buby Wiley	5 10	923	Virginia Campbell	1.80
843	Winnifred Guffey	. 31.20	926	Audra Shave Katherine Noe	19.50
845	Christine Mills	21.90	927	Katherine Noe	15.60
846	Audrey Cunningham	8.70	928	Annie Lee Landrum	24.00
847	Audrey Cunningham Carol Sanders	21.30	929	Bertha Mae Turner	
848	Genevieve Boone	. 22.92	930	Rose Bowler	3.66
849	Pauline Lybrand	. 19.20	931	Thelma Thomas	3.30
851	Dixie Haithcock	. 7.50	933	Wanda Wiebusch	- 15.60
852	Lesta Cummings Eddie MicBride	. 5.40	934	Billie Bowers	14.10
854	Eddie McBride	20.40	935	Beverely Rowell	. 2.16
855	Cleo Patton	. 21.30	937	Mrs. L. V. Gills Carmen Johnson	22.50
856	Betty Anderson	. 15.60	938	Carmen Johnson	13.20
861	Betty Anderson Darlene Jones Sue Jones	. 18.30	939	Laura Jo Alexander	
862	Sue Jones	20.40	940	Leah Elliott	- 4.38
864	Virgie Hart	. 7.20	941	Mrs. Thes Williams	
867	Alene Morris Gladys Inglefield	22.10	942	Lucille Walser	- 1/./6
868 869	Batty Chambles	24.00	943	Jessie Honeycutt	
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8 <sup>-1</sup>	Lucille Brown	1.80	946 950	Mrs. Lee Peacock	
873	Lucille Brown Ivory Huff Myrtle Pedersen	20.40	951	Phyllis Phillips	
875	Myrtle Pedersen	1.80	953	Margot Mueller	
876	Norma Fountain	1.62	954	Elinor Pilling	16.50
877	Eliza Mathews	18.66	955	Jimmie Bryan	15.60
878	Eliza Mathews Bessie Sauls	15.90	958	Henry M. Sevensos	15.60
879	Shirley Culpepper	. 11.70	959	Ethel DeFonds	1.80
880	Betty Flowers Nannette Wood	18.00	960	Clara Kennedy	_ 25.32
882	Nannette Wood	22.50	961	Myrtle Buie	10.08
883	Alice Ross	11.40	962	Leona Youngblood	- 7.20
884	Robbie Carrell		963	Lillie Mae Richards	. 11.40
885	Bernice Toon		967	Donna Junior	
887	Harold Roy Jones	2.40	968	Mary Strickland	18.30
888	Nancy Fling	1.80	969	Sullie Crowson	. 10.80
890	Juanita Barnett	. 18.00	970	Ann Neason	
891	Dana Richardson		971	Maxine Patterson	
892	Christine Spenny	11.10	973	Ozzelee Nobles	- 23.52
894 895	Bobbie Potts		974 975	Patsy Ann James	- 12.90
897	Elois Norton		975 976	Ernest Evans Flora Addison	1050
898	Nell Bevel	17 40	978	Fave Simmons	
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987	Gladys Belunek	_ 15.60	1051	Mary Farrow Eullalah Blanchard	26.40
988	Kathryn Keese	. 18.90	1052	Eullalah Blanchard	20.40
989	Lucile Martin		1054	Eva Johnson	18.30
990	Barbara Armstrong	. 23.40	1055	Gussie Lee Hight _	1.80
991	Lilian L. Porter	. 35.70	1056	Mattie Norris	18.00
992	Vera Adams	. 32.70	1057	Alice Sisco Vivian Thomas	32.82
993	J. R. Hill	. 9.60	1058	Vivian Thomas	15.60
994	Cordia Holcomb		1059	Bernice Buckley	21.30
996	Thelma Watson		1060	Dorothy Watling _	3.00
998	Ollie Mae Laurent		1061	Evelvn Adams	.60
1000	Mary Schwettmann	1.80	1063	Alvena Skeen	16.20
1001	Janie Sims		1064	Aileen Gordy	21.30
1002	Frances Winn		1065	Viola Heim	16.20
1003	Fay Stanfield	13.80	1067	Oneta Green	3.30
1005	Grace Stovall	- 7.50	1068	Bernice Ogden	15.00
1006	Lucile Oakley	1.80	1070	Fannie Gent	9.30
1007	Mrs. Joe Marbut	2.76	1072	Doris Greenhow	9.30
1008	Alma Groves	_ 19.20	1073	Anna Bell England	18.30
1009	Margaret Lewis	19.20	1074	Nina Eaves	19.2 <b>0</b>
1010	Betty Johnson	18.00	1075	Evelyn Floyd	16.20
1011	Betty Mellette	_ 19.50	1076	Thelma Smith	19.20
1012	Marguerite Whatley	. 6.30	1077	Jessie Rather	
1013	Billie Jo Goostree Karmen Curry	- 9.30	1078	Shirley Rattan	
1014	Karmen Curry	1.80	1079	Ann Chapman	
1015	Maurine Smith	. 15.60	1080	Margie Bishop	
1016	Lois Huffman		1081	Lois Harris	
1017	Helen Hayes		1082	Doris Cross	17.40
1018	Mrs. Paul Cain	_ 11.70	1083	Opal Vaughn Winnifred Briggs Rose Sypanskey	12.00
1019	Marzee Wright		1085	Winnifred Briggs _	
1020	Fannie Adamson	- 5.58	1086	Rose Synanskey	1.80
1021	Lois Jackson	_ 15.60	1087	Mary Helen Morris	<b></b> 35.70
1023	Ruby Griffin	12.60	1088	Jean Bradford	
1024	June Feagin		1089	Faye Withrow	2.25
1025	Elizabeth Shearer	. 3.00	1091	Dorothy Hiatt	
1026	Jimmie Lee Huey	. 11.10	1092	Elnora Miller	13.80
1029	Nina Niemoryh		1090	Agnes Pew	10.20
1030	Jeanne Pleasant		Mileag	ge Appr	\$16,000.00
1031	Barbara Guthrie		Paid to	o Delegates	9,908.76
1032	Geraldine Ramsey	_ 22.20	Refun	d Grand Secy	6,000.0 <b>0</b>
1033	Jeffie Whitt		Bal. fo	or late checks	- 91.24
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# GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR-1970-1973

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# Auditor's Report of All O.E.S. Funds

SPROLES, WOODARD, LAVERTY & RAY Certified Public Accountants Fort Worth National Bank Building Fort Worth, Texas 76102

Board of Grand Trustees Grand Chapter of Texas Order of Eastern Star Arlington, Texas

We have examined the accompanying financial statements of the Grand Chapter of Texas. Order of Eastern Star, for the year ended October 31, 1970. 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 financial statements present fairly the recorded cash receipts and disbursemests and the remaining balances of cash and securities of the Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of Eastern Star for the year ended October 31, 1970.

#### SPROLES, WOODARD, LAVERTY & RAY

Fort Worth, Texas December 28, 1970

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR Assets and Fund Equity October 31, 1970

ASSETS

Cash on deposit:

	All Funds	General Fund	Home Fund	Benev- olent Fund	Endow- ment Fund	Total	OTHEF Educa- tional	FUNDS F. V. Ward	Special
Checking accounts\$ Savings accounts	371,621 539,902	\$145,781 155,730	\$ 99,494 268,784	\$ 35,677 48,904	\$ 43,555 24,504	\$ 47,114 41,980	\$ 13,333	\$ 8,272	\$ 47,114 20,375
·	911,523	301,511	368,278	84,581	68,059	89,094	13,333	8 272	67,489
Investments: Corporate stocks Government bonds	14,331 831,000	,	23 123,000	13,000	14,308 656,000	39,000	12,000	27,000	
-	845,331		123,023	13,000	670,308	39,000	12,000	27,000	
Other: Advanced appropriations Dues receivable Due from (to) other funds Due to Home members	11,720 186 (24,663)	11,720 186 (39,818)	16,360	40,515	8,006	(25,063) (24,663)	213		(25,276) (24,663)
	(12,757)	(27,912)	16,360	40,515	8,006	(49,726)	213		(49,939)
Total Assets	1,744,097	273,599	507,661	138,096	746,373	78,368	25,546	35,272	17,550
FUND EQUITY Balance — October 31, 1969 Net increase (Exhibit B) —	1,568,193	212,968	496,110	131,210	644,936	82,969	23,892	34,063	25,014
Year ended October 31, 1970	175,904	60,631	11,551	6,886	101,437	(4,601)	1,654	1,209	(7,464)
Balance — October 31, 1970	31,744,097	\$273,599	\$507,661	\$138,096	\$746,373	\$ 78,368 	\$25,546	\$35,272	\$ 17,550
The accompanying notes to financial statements are	on intornal	nont of this	atabamant						

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EXHIBIT A

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

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EXHIBIT B

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Statement of Receipts and Expenditures

Year Ended October 31, 1970

···· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ll Funds	General Fund	Home Fund	Benev- olent Fund	. Endow- ment Fund	Total	OTHER I Educa- tional	FUNDS F. V. Ward	Special
ECEIPTS									
Dues\$	331,819	\$127,622	\$178,672	\$25,525	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Interest:									
Savings accounts	29,644	7,963	15,221	2,385	1,418	2,657	547	741	1,369
Municipal bonds	450				450				
Government bonds	38,819		409	2,021	34,857	1,532	575	957	
Dividends	591		23		568				
Oil sales	5,299		5,299						•
Rents	341		341						
Supply sales	24,936	24,936							
Bulletin	9,886	9,886							
Dispensation, demits, etc.	244	244							
Roster and proceedings	641	641							
Registration fees (current year)	9,728	9,728							
Registration fees (prior year)	9,512	9,512							
Gifts and donations:									
Welfare committee	93,767		31,346		62,421				
Home members	17,738		17,738						
Other	38,771				1,600	37,171	10		37,161
Estates and trusts	16,357		16,357						
Property sales	5,597		5,597						
Pensions - Home members	95,897		95,897						
Refunds and other	1,572	82	9	825	123	533	522	11	
Total Receipts	731,609	190,614	366,909	30,756	101,437	41,893	1,654	1,709	38,530

EXPENDITURES

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Grand Chapter 1:	29,983	129,983							
Home:									•
Board of Directors	29,971		29,971						
Superintendent 2	11,014		211,014						
Expansion 10	00,245		93,775			6,470			38,530
Allowances Home members	19,030		19,030						
Other	1,568		1,568						
Chapter benevolences	23,870			23,870					
Special and other	40,024					40,024		500	39,524
Total Expenditures	55,705	129,983	355,358	23,870		46,494		500	45,994
NET INCREASE 1	75,904	60,631	11,551	6,886	101,437	(4,601)	1,654	1,209	(7,464)

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The accompanying notes to financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

# Comparative Statement of Assets and Fund Equity

# Year Ended October 31, 1970 and 1969

A33215	All 1 1970	Funds 1969	General 1970	Fund 1969	Home 1970	Fund 1969	Benevole 1970	nt Fund 1969	Endowma 1970	mt Fund 1969	Other 1970	Funds 1969
Cash on deposit	845,331	674,231			123,023	\$484,110 8,023	13,000	\$ 78,210 53,000	\$ 68,059 670,308	579,208	\$89,094 39,000	34 <b>,0</b> 00
Other	(12,757)	(25,577)	(27,912)	(1,258)	16,360	3,977	40,515		8,006	(82)	(49,726)	(28,214)
	1,744,097	1,568,193	273,599	212,968	507,661	496,110	138,096	131,210	746,373	644,936	78,368	82,969
FUND EQUITY												
Balance — beginning	1,568,193	1,382,783	212,968	166,511	496,110	411,141	131,210	126,935	644,936	612,871	82,969	65,325
Receipts:									5+			
Dues	331,819	336,673	127,622	129,497	178,672	181,272	25,525	25,904				
Interest		51,635	7,963	5,311	15,630	12,668	4,406	3,341	36,725	29,191	4,189	1,124
Supply sales		28,389	24,936	28,389	•	•						
Bulletin	9,886	7,572	9,886	7,572			•					
Registration fees	19,240		19,240									
Estates and trusts	16,357	5,547	•		16,357	5,547						
Gifts and donations	150,276	117,879			49,084	66,139			64,021		37,171	51,740
Oil sales	5,299	4,406			5,299	4,406			,		•	
Dividends and rents .	932	771			364	297			568	474		
Lease bonus		2,400								2,400		
Pensions	95,897	82,277			95,897	82,277				-		
Property sales		2,662			5,597	2,662						
Other		2,143	967	1,106	9	788	825		123		533	249
	731,609	642,354	190,614	171,875	366 909	356,056	30,756	29,245	101,437	32,065	41,893	53,113
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ASSETS

SCHEDULE 1

#### EXPENDITURES:

Grand Chapter	129,983	125,418	129,983	125,418								
Home:												
Board of Directors	29,971	32,345			29,971	32,345						
Superintendent	211,014	187,340			211,014	187,340						
Expansion	100,245	37,508			93,775	37,508					6,470	
Allowances — Home												
members	19,030	11,940			19,030	11,940						
Other	1,568	1,954			1,568	1,954	j !! ·		,			
Chapter benevolences	23,870	24,970					23,870	24,970				
Special and other	40,024	35,469									40,024	35,469
_	555,705	456,944	129,983	125,418	355,358	271,087	23,870	24,970			46,494	35,469
Net increase	175,904	185,410	60,631	46,457	11,551	84,969	6,886	4,275	101,437	32,065	(4,601)	17,644
Balanco — ending\$	1,744,097	1,568,193	\$273,599	\$212,968	\$507,661	\$496,110	\$138,096 =======	\$131,210	\$746,373	\$644,936	\$78,368 \$ 	82,969

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#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### OCTOBER 31, 1970

Note 1: The attached financial statements are prepared on the "cash basis" of accounting and reflect only receipts actually collected and disbursements made. Expenditures for buildings, equipment, etc. are expensed as paid and therefore no value is assigned to such assets. The Grand Chapter in addition to its property, buildings, etc. located in Arlington, Texas does own additional real estate received by gift or donation to which no value is assigned.

Note 2: Investments in corporate stocks are not permitted under the Constitution and Laws of the Grand Chapter. All such investments were acquired by gift and valued at estimated market value on date of receipt.

- Note 3: Investments in government bonds, etc. are shown at par value. Any premium, discount or expense is adjusted through interest income on date of purchase.
- Note 4: Advanced appropriations represent funds advanced in October, 1970, under budget provisions for the year beginning November 1, 1970, as follows:

Grand Officers\$	6,520
District Deputies	
Board of Grand Trustees	
Welfare Committee	300
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\$1	11,720

- Note 5 The liability due Home members of \$24,663 represents funds deposited by individual members of the Home subject to their withdrawal and use.
- Note 6: Dues to the Grand Chapter are based on individual Chapter membership and activities for the year ending on May 31 each year. Dues for the current year were \$2.60. Membership and dues data are summarized as follows:

			Funds	
No.	\$2.60 Total	\$1.00 General	\$1.40 Home	\$.20 Benevolent
Mempership 5/31/70124,007 Initiations 3,134 Reinstated 415 Demised	\$322,418.20 8,148.40 1,079.00	\$	\$	\$
(Paid) 185 Home members (130)	481.00 (338.00)			
Total 127,611	\$331,788.60	\$127,611.00	\$168,655.40	\$25,522.20
Prior years	30.20	11.00	16.60	2.60
	\$331,818.80	\$127,622.00	\$178,672.00	\$25,524.80

Note 7: All funds, excluding the General Fund, are restricted as to use under the Constitution and Laws of the Grand Chapter or by limitation of donors.

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS 453

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR ANALYSIS OF CHECKING ACCOUNTS

	Balance Transactions 10-31-69 Increases Decreases					Balance 10-31-70		
GENERAL FUND								
First Natl. Bank—Fort Worth, Grand Chapter\$ Citizens Natl. Bank & Trust—	85.59	\$	870,081.51	\$	840,392.73	Ş	29,774.37	
Baytown, General Fund First Natl. Bank—Fort Worth,	22,571.83		196,439.39		129 <b>,0</b> 39.19		89,972.03	
Office Expense Fund	139.65		7,220.99		3,735.49		3,625.15	
Arlington State Bank— Office Building	467.36		1,500.00		1,326.22		641,14	
First Natl. Bank—Fort Worth, Supplies Fund First Natl. Bank—Arlington,	2,219.83		24,936.48		25,304.64		1,851.67	
Bulletin Fund First Natl. Bank—Fort Worth,	1,114.07		9,902.38		9,370.72		1,645.73	
Imprest Cash Fund Arlington State Bank—	404.07		14.80				418.87	
Car Account Citizens Natl. BankBaytown,	56.80		4,827.35		3,123.08		1,761.07	
Mileage Account	16,000.00		16,000.00		15,908.76	_	16,091.24	
Total—General Fund\$	43,059.20	\$]	1,130,922.90	\$1	1,028,200.83	\$	145,781.27	
HOME FUND								
National Bank of Commerce—Dallas\$ Fort Worth Natl. Bank Arlington Bank & Trust Peoples State Bank—Baytown First Natl, Bank—Dallas Arlington Natl. Bank	25,784.87 51,048.28 22,039.45 4,376.06 1,456.40 1,272.76	\$	422,904.67 262,201.14 206,956.69 300.00 1,000.00	\$	422,763.05 248;719.53 226,796.56 1,567.67	\$	25,926.49 64,529.89 2,199.58 4,376.40 1,756.40 705.09	
Total—Home Fund\$1	105,977.82	\$	893,362.50	\$	899,846.81	\$	99,493.51	
BENEVOLENT FUND		-						
First Natl. Bank—Fort Worth\$ Peoples State Bank—Baytown	16,030.00 15,660.82	\$	13,520.00 27,855.82	Ş	24,170.00 13,220.00	\$	5,380.00 30,296.64	
Total—Benevolent Fund\$	31,690.82	\$	41,375.82	\$	37,390.00	\$	35,676.64	
ENDOWMENT FUND								
Texas Bank & Trust— Sweetwater\$ First Natl. Bank—Houston	26,715.71 2,700.09	\$	40,139.60	\$	26,000.00	\$	40,855.31 2,700.09	
Total—Home Endowment Fund\$	29,415.80	\$	40,139.60	\$	26,000.00	\$	43,555.40	

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR ANALYSIS OF CHECKING ACCOUNTS

	Balance			actions	Balance		
	10-31-69		Increases	Decreases		10-31-70	
SPECIAL FUNDS			•				
First Natl. Bank—Arlington, C. R. Nichols\$ Grand Prairie State Bank—	9,929.46	\$	300.00	\$ 6,470.00	\$	<b>3,</b> 759.46	
Arthritis and Rheumatism			369.00			369.00	
First Natl. Bank—Big Springs, K. T. Eye Foundation Citizens Natl. Bank—			1,241.50			1,241.50	
Waco, Estarl			13,861.89	12,020.03		1,841.86	
Arlington Bank & Trust- Home Members	6,925.93		22,260.49	24,727.06		4,459.36	
Arlington Bank & Trust— Special Home Funds First Natl, Bank—Fort Worth,	3,672.89		5,852.87	5,446.28		4,079.48	
Special Funds	14,699.87		187,190.37	171,847. <b>0</b> 1		30,043.23	
Arlington Bank & Trust— Furniture		-	1,320.44	·		1,320.44	
Total Special Funds\$	35,228.15	\$	232,396.56	\$ 220,510.38	\$	47,114.33	
\$2	245,371.79	\$2	,338,197.38	\$2,211,948.02	\$	371,621.15	

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

# ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

# ANALYSIS OF GRAND CHAPTER EXPENDITURES

	Year Ended	October 31
-	1970	1969
Grand Secretary's Office:		
Grand Secretary's salary	<ul> <li>5,400.00</li> <li>11,720.00</li> <li>1,045.83</li> <li>969.06</li> <li>1,503.06</li> <li>540.00</li> <li>372.51</li> <li>819.22</li> <li>94.00</li> <li>417.00</li> <li>141.64</li> </ul>	$\begin{array}{c ccccc} \$ & 5,400.00 \\ 10,275.00 \\ 959.88 \\ 986.84 \\ 655.48 \\ 540.00 \\ 366.88 \\ 492.64 \\ 159.84 \\ 94.00 \\ 116.65 \end{array}$
	\$ 23,022.32	\$ 20,047.21

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

Grand Treasurer's Office:				
Grand Treasurers salary' Office expense fund		3,000.00 220.00	\$	3,000.00 220,00
Purchase adding machine		157.42		
Bond		38.00		76.00
	\$	3,415.42	\$	3,296.00
Supply Fund:				
Printing and supplies	\$	15,497.76	\$	17,481.89
Postage and express		1,241.17	-	1,222.11
Sales taxes		1,064.23		839.59
	\$	17,803.16	\$	19,543.59
Bulletin Fund:				
Printing	\$	8,812.81	\$	10,362.80
Postage and express		414.22	φ	356.28
Sales taxes		127.22		122.49
	\$	9,354.25	\$	10,841.57
Printing:				
Roster and proceedings	\$	18 565.60	\$	19,099.15
Annual printing		11,839.07	,	6,381.01
	\$	30,404.67	\$	25,480.16
Mileage	.\$	9,908.76	\$	12,164.60
Legal and Professional:				
Audit	\$	4,000.00	\$	2,500.00
Legal	•	555.80	•	496.82
Property records				300.00
	\$	4,555.80	\$	3,296.82
Memorials	.\$	42.85	\$	63.80
	\$	129,982.88	\$	125,418.33
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# ANALYSIS OF HOME FUND EXPENDITURES

、 、 、	Year Ended October 31,		
-	1970	1969	
Allowances to Home Members	\$ 19,030.00	\$ 11,940.00	
Board of Directors' Expenditures:			
Printing	$\begin{array}{c} 1,189.09\\ 6,221.77\\ 2,632.88\\ 47.63\\ 1,906.63\\ 361.84\\ 500.00\\ 3,610.52\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \$ & 2,860.00 \\ 13,834.47 \\ 360.60 \\ 9,186.55 \\ 1,105.13 \\ 220.00 \\ 2,231.46 \\ 254.42 \\ 500.00 \\ 1,792.50 \end{array}$	
	\$ 29,971.36	\$ 32,345.13	
Superintendent's Expenditures for Daily			
Operation of Home:       Employee Group Insurance Program       S         Employee Group Insurance Program       S       S         Superintendent's salary       Administrator's salary       S         Administrator's salary       Ministrator's salary       S         Registered nurse—salary       S       S         Dietician       Salaries—Home       S         Salaries—Home       Salaries—clerical       S         Salaries—clerical       Salaries—foogital       S         Legal and accounting       Food       S         Utilities       Telephone—Home       Telephone—Home         Telephone—Home       Telephone—Hospital       Cars, tractors and mowers         Laundry and cleaning       Doctors       D         Drugs and supplies—hospital       Office supplies and postage       Maintenance supplies         Salaries—maintenance       Salaries—maintenance       S	5,250.00 4,842.00 43,749.15 4,160.00 40,653.90 2,133.00 40,290.77 19,849.50 984.12 356.10 582.80 3,260.82 3,247.50 10,756.84 672.20 4,224.26 2,600.00	$\begin{array}{c} \$ & 1,161.26 \\ 5,250.00 \\ 5,000.00 \\ 5,250.00 \\ 3,631.50 \\ 525.00 \\ 41,432.22 \\ 1,409.00 \\ 33,489.42 \\ 2,000.00 \\ 35,297.54 \\ 17,781.17 \\ 722.95 \\ 333.44 \\ 556.22 \\ 5,841.81 \\ 2,702.95 \\ 8,831.67 \\ 430.48 \\ 4,240.16 \\ \end{array}$	
Salaries—yard New equipment Pest control Maintenance of grounds Payroll taxes Miscellaneous Newspapers, magazines, etc. Cold drinks—Home Repairs and replacements Administrator's expense allowance	7,964.02 480.00 6,304.50 142.35 267.28 1,327.85 550.00	3,021.74 573.50 938.37 5,121.59 263.92 148.35 266.04 719.95 400.00	
¥ 	211,013.98	\$187,340.25	

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS

Home Expansion Expenditures:

Contractor's fees Architect fees	.\$	92,835.20 7,409.60	\$	35,379.00 2,129.24
	<b>\$</b> 1	00,244.80	\$	37,508.24
O. E. S. Expenditures:				
Insurance and ad valorem taxes	\$	1.567.67	\$	1.953.91
	\$3	61,827.81	\$2	71,087.53

# ANALYSIS OF SPECIAL FUNDS

SCHEDULE 9

# GRAND CHAPTER OF TEXAS ORDER OF EASTERN STAR YEAR ENDED OCTOBER 31, 1970

	Balance	Trans	actions	Balance
-	10-31-69	Increases	Decreases	10-31-70°
HOME				
Therapy Fund	5 791.02	\$ 1,313.73	\$ 1,376.82	\$ 727.93
Hospital Fund	348.35	381.00	576,48	152.87
Interest-furniture, etc		1,491.88		1,491.88
Isom Bus Fund	179.25		39.76	139.49
Entertainment	398.50	200.00	391.26	207.24
Museum	80.00			80.00
C. R. Nichols Memorial Fund	9,929.46	300.00	6,470.00	3,759.46
Christmas Fund	140.50			140.50
Furniture		184.86		184.86
Table Cloth Fund	134.00		37.68	96.32
Linen Fund	126.50		115.95	10.55
Hair Set Fund	44.00	100.00	144.00	
Undesignated	1,430.77	3,673.28	2,764.33	2,339.72
	\$13,602.35	\$ 7,644.75	\$11,916.28	\$ 9,330.82
GRAND CHAPTER				
Time and talent	\$ 785.06	\$ 7,670.15	\$ 5,461.13	\$ 2,994.08
Founders Day	8,134.24	7,580.82	14,317.41	1,397.65
Temple		319.00	, 319.00	-
K. T. Eye Foundation	388.00	853.50		1,241.50
Heart Fund	201.94	26.00	227.94	
Cancer Fund	103.00	396.50	499.50	
Flood Relief	101.00			101.00
Home furnishings	300.00		300.00	
Arthritis	344.00	25.00		369.00
Estarl	1,061.00	12,800.89	12,020.03	1,841.86
Christmas	575.88	630.82	932,58	274.12
Other	(582.00)	582.36		.365
-	\$11,412.12	\$30,885.04	\$34,077.59	\$ 8,219.57
:	\$25,014.47	\$38,529.79	\$45,993.87	\$17,550.39

# Report

# of

# The Fraternal Correspondent Marie Harcum

# To

# The Grand Chapter of Texas Order of The Eastern Star 1969-1970

Love, Goodwill, and Understanding Hearts exist everywhere as our Sisters and Brothers beautifully decorate Grand Chapter Meeting Rooms to carry out each individual theme for the year, as described below. Wouldn't it be wonderful if these great attributes could be bound together around our World? Today, if we would only resolve to *"Let There Be Peace On Earth* And Let It Begin With Me" we would become an Instrument of God's Peace. Peace does not rest in the Charters and Covenants alone. It lies in the Hearts and Minds of each person, May we look forward with Bright Hopes to Lasting Peace on Earth by it starting with each of us.

# ALABAMA

# 69th "FRATERNAL UNITY" Session

Montgomery, Alabama

October 19-22, 1969

Mrs. Hazel Wilson, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Winston Blow, Worthy Grand Patron

Informal Opening is held on Monday night. Formal Opening on Tuesday Morning. All Subordinate Secretaries and Treasurers are presented in the Opening Session.

AIM: To have a closer tie with the Masonic Order and the Fraternal Orders of Masonry.

SPECIAL PROJECT: Order of Rainbow for Girls and DeMolay Boys. Grand Chapter Projects: Wm, H. Whare Educational Loan Fund Masonic

Home; O. . S. Relief; General Fund and ESTARL,

302 Chapters

#### 31,786 Members

Gain 118

#### Presiding Officers for 1969-1970

Mrs. Leona Foutch, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Ray Rutledge, Worthy Grand Patron

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#### ALBERTA

## 58th "PRAYING HANDS" Annual Session

## Miss Mary Quinn, Worthy Grand Matron

#### Mr. Everett Cameron, Worthy Grand Patron

Calgary, Alberta

June 3, 4 and 5th, 1969

March 27, 28, 29, 1969

Gain of 83 members

There were three Chapters surrendered their charters for lack of membership.

111 Chapters Membership—9,618 Loss of 336 Members

PROJECTS: Cancer Fund and Home Fund.

Setting: In the East a Garden setting—Backdrop was a large mural depicting Jesus at Prayer in a garden and on either side of this were arranged large palm trees. The words—"Praying Hands Session" in silver lettering on a mauve background, appeared above the mural.

#### ARIZONA

#### 69th "OPEN DOOR" Session

## Mrs. Betty Wall, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Fred Baird, Worthy Grand Patron

Ramada Inn

Tucson, Arizona

56 Chapters

Membership 12,027

THEME: "The Open Door-An Opportunity for Service"

MOTTO: "Incline Thine Ear Unto Wisdom, and Apply Thy Heart Unto Understanding."---Prov. 2:2.

In keeping with "The Open Door" the East was decorated with two large columns and an Open Golden Door, with back ground of Blue sky. To one side our emblem. On the other side of the Open Door was the letters of the Session hung in blue and yellow surrounded by a chain of Daisies.

PROJECT: Eastern Star Home—ESTARL—Dorothy Forbes Oxygen Foundation. ESTARL contributions totaled \$2,057.30 and the Dorothy Forbes Oxygen Foundation \$6,717.11.

1969-1970 Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron

Mrs. Doris Ray

ris Ray Mr. George Rogers

#### ARKANSAS

# 94th Annual "UNITY AND PEACE" Session

#### Little Rock, Arkansas

December 3-5, 1969.

Mrs. Florence Leath, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Jeff Lacefield, Worthy Grand Patron

Setting: In center of the back drop large letters, in silver, spelled out "Unity and Peace" Session. On the right a large Dove carrying a small pink Heart and on the left a large Bell symbolizing the three emblems chosen for the year. The Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Edward V. Long, honored this Session with his presence.

AIM: To live our Obligation and thus be worthy of our Creator's Trust.

PROJECTS: All sponsored funds of Arkansas Grand Chapter; General Grand Chapter projects, approved by Arkansas Grand Chapter; Special emphasis on ESTARL.

This Jurisdiction had Exchange Friendship Visits with Louisiana and Tennessee.

220 Chapters

24,571 Members

Net Loss 68

Mrs. Meta Wallace, Worthy Grand Matron,

Dr. Nathan Rook, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Little Rock on December 2, 1970.

#### BRITISH COLUMBIA

Victoria, British Columbia

June 2, 3, 4, 1969

58th "FRIENDSHIP'S GARDEN" Annual Session

Mrs. Gladys Irving, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Wesley Kennedy, Worthy Grand Patron

Setting: As a backdrop to the Grand East was a white screen with the emblem—the outstretched hand in the circle of friendship—in red. On either side of this were typical Victoria light-standards with the hanging baskets of flowers.

90 Chapters

#### 11,612 Members

Net Loss—28

Mrs. Katherine Irwin, Past Grand Matron-Charter member of Grand Chapter was presented. Grand Chapter organized in 1912.

During year \$29,511.19 was contributed to Cancer Fund. 5 Scholarships , awarded to ESTARL applicants.

In addition to ESTARL they have "Elizabeth Bentley O. E. S. Scholarship Fund"—25 applicants were awarded a total of \$3,000.00.

1969-1970-Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron

Mrs. Violet R. Merrick Mr. Robert Cheale

#### CALIFORNIA

#### 96th Annual "GARDEN OF FAITH" Session

Sacramento, California

October 20-24, 1969

Mrs. Florence Dunn, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Richard T. Brassell, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron

Informal Opening on Monday night. Formal Opening on Tuesday Morning. This Jurisdiction has three Fraternal Correspondents appointed by the Worthy Grand Matron. Their Finance Committee appointed for one to five years term of office. The following Committees serve from one to three years: Consolidation; Scholarship: Cancer; Benevolent Fund; Endowment Fund.

The Marshal is appointed by the incoming Worthy Grand Matron and automatically advances to Associate Grand Conductress.

Money for O.E.S. Home raised through Annual Fiesta. This year net was \$8,718.36.

543 Chapters

148,000 Members

1.558 Loss

Mrs. Bessie Robinson, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Henry E. Woods, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in San Diego on October 5-9, 1970.

## COLORADO

77th Annual "TEMPLE OF TIME" Session

Mrs. Thelma D. Kovacs, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. George R. Poland, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: Renew your heart with love each day.

PROJECTS: Robert E. Russell, Eastern Star Home Endowment Fund; International Peace Garden; ESTARL; Cancer Sewing; International Temple. Setting Pink for dawn of a new day, with gold for the Golden Chain of Fraternal Love, were used in decorating the "Temple of Time."

This Jurisdiction does not have Informal Opening.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen, made a very inspiring address.

Fraternal Correspondent one of six standing Committees.

Special Project Endowment Fund for Home.

137 Chapters

#### 34,415 Members

462 loss

Mrs. Maxine Horton, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Walter G. Cammack, Worthy Grand Patron

78th Session in Colorado Springs September 16, 1970.

#### CONNECTICUT

#### 95th Annual "GOLDEN RULE" Session

Hartford, Connecticut

April 24-26, 1969

Mrs. Jane B. D. Sadler, Worthy Grand Matron Mr. Chandler D. Moulton, Worthy Grand Patron

101 Chapters

22,626 Members

Loss of 491

1 Chapter with over 700 members; 1 Chapter with over 500 members

PROJECTS: O. E. S. Endowment Fund and ESTARL; ESTARL \$6,400.00; Endowment Fund \$19,268.04.

Past Matrons and Past Patrons of Subordinate Chapters called Permanent Members.

PRESIDING OFFICERS FOR 1969-1970

Mrs. Ida M. Ross, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Ralph W. Davidson, Worthy Grand Patron

DELAWARE

#### 48th Annual "THE BLUEBIRD OF HAPPINESS" Session

#### MAY 12-13, 1969

#### Mrs. Edith Galloway, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Ralph E. Nichols, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: Service to Others.

20 Chapters

#### Approx. 3,600 Members

PROJECTS: Handicapped and Retarded Children \$7,700.00; Cancer Research \$728.48; Veterans Hospital Hobby Fund; ESTARL—8 Awards \$3,314.43; International Temple Fund—100%.

Delaware was honored by the presence of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen.

Presideng Officers for 1969-1970

Mrs. Sylvia M. Know, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Harvey J. Bunting, Worthy Grand Patron

#### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

#### CITY OF WASHINGTON

#### "THE TRIANGLE SESSION"

#### Miss Virginia Kemp, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Robert E. DeMoreland, Worthy Grand Patron

The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen honored this Session by her presence.

Special Projects: Endowment Fund of Masonic and O.E.S. Home-Gift of \$5,726.40.

ESTARL and Cancer Research also Projects for year.

This Grand Jurisdiction approved the organization of Past Appointed Grand Officers' Association.

40 Chapters

9,308 Members

Loss of 312

1969-1970

Mrs. Annie C. Hiltner, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Louis R. Hildebrand, Worthy Grand Patron

#### FLORIDA

"SANDS OF TIME" Session

64th Annual

April, 1969

St. Petersburg, Florida

Mrs. Lois Kent, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Ralph S. Algee, Worthy Grand Patron

The Setting was a "Night scene of the Holy City."

The highlight of the Session was the presence of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen.

This is the Home Grand Chapter of Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mamie Lander, who is Right Worthy Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter.

Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Florence Plummer was also in attendance at this Session.

EMBLEM: The Open Holy Bible

ACCENT: The Maintenance of our Guests in the Masonic Home.

249 Chapters 44,392 Members

Per Capita Tax not paid on 926 Emeritus Members and 262-50 Yr. Members.

Leaders of 1969-1970

Mrs. Jessie Mae Hicks, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Walter A. Thompson, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron

## GEORGIA

# 68th Annual "ARMOUR OF LIGHT" Session

Macon, Georgia

June 9-11, 1969

Mrs. Helen D. Roquemore, Worthy Grand Matron

# Mr. William V. Speer, Worthy Grand Patron

Scripture: The night is far spent. The day is at hand. Let us therefore cast off the works of darkness and let us put on the "ARMOUR OF LIGHT." Romans 13:12.

**PROJECTS:** All approved Grand Chapter Projects.

464

Gain of 434

Texas own Past Grand Matron, Sister Thelma McReynolds, responded to the Welcome for Distinguished Guests.

Youth Program given special emphasis.

31,364 Members

Loss of 1,539

(Included in the 31,364 members are 4,039 Emeritus members and 12 members in mental institutions.)

11 ESTARL Awards given

Mrs. Dorothy E. Mathews, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. James NeSmith, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session, Macon, Georgia, June 8-10, 1970.

## IDAHO

67th Annual "HEART OF FRIENDSHIP" Session

Moscow, Idaho

June, 1969

Mrs. Erna S. McFarland, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Robert A. Gregory, Worthy Grand Patron

PROJECT: ESTARL: Interest Benevolent Fund; Home Fund; International Peace Garden' "Star Boosters"; Youth and "Friendship Trail."

77 active Chapters—70 became inactive

12,271 members Net Loss 115

Total of 17 Dual Members.

ESTARL AWARDS: \$4,800.00

In opening Grand Worthy Advisor of Rainbow, Grand Council of Idaho Job Daughters and Grand Guardian, DeMolays, presented baskets of flowers.

Hearts-rosebuds and Blue Birds were docorations.

This Grand Jurisdiction has a "Willing Hands" Committee to promote interest and find ways to prevent loss of membership in Subordinate Chapters.

Mrs. Eula T. Chilcoot, Worthy Grand Matron-1969-1970

Mr. Gain Sanderson, Worthy Grand Patron

# ILLINOIS

Mrs. Adele M. Maynard, Worthy Grand Matron

' Mr. Arthur F. Peterson, Worthy Grand Patron

The Memorial Service is held first on the agenda of the Informal Opening. MOTTO: Always be sincere.

Maintain love as our watchword, and

Magnanimity as our constant aim.

15 Chapters consolidated4 Chapters surrendered charters683 Chapters125,434 Members3,210 LossThis Jurisdiction has 6,692—50 Year Members in which per capita tax

394 members in their Homes who also do not pay per capita tax making a total of 7,086 non paying members.

Their Endowment fund totals \$3,014,370.57.

32 ESTARL Scholarships were awarded.

Mrs. Ruth Neilsen, Worthy Grand Matron

Rolland F. Tipsford, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session, Chicago, Illinois on October 6-7, 1970.

## IOWA

92nd Annual "TIME OF YOUR LIFE" Session

Des Moines, Iowa

Mrs. Ruth Carlson, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Robert Kitchell, Worthy Grand Patron

This is the Home of Past Most Worthy Grand Patron-Brother Tamisea.

The large golden letters on the "Book of Time" changed each day—1st-"TIME FOR LOVE"—2nd—"TIME FOR TRUTH"—3rd—"TIME FOR HARMONY."

4 Subordinate Chapters surrendered charters.

4 Subordinate Chapters consolidated.

550 Chapters

#### 71,021 Members

550 loss

250 of these by surrender of charter.

ESTARL Awards—24 of \$500.00 each—one special of \$250.00 for a young lady completing her last semester.

This Grand Jurisdiction voted to recognize Dual Membership.

Mrs. Eileen Minnich, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Leo Maurer, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Des Moines, October 27, 28, 29, 1970.

466

is not paid.

# KENTUCKY

#### 69th "NOW IS THE HOUR" Session

Louisville, Kentucky

October 26-29, 1969

Mrs. Fanola W. DeSpain, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Harry Felty, Worthy Grand Patron

SPECIAL OBJECTIVES: ESTARL; Rob Morris Home Fund; at La Grange, Kentucky.

Other Projects: Cancer Research; Peace Garden.

Special Tributes made to Order of Rainbow for Girls and DeMolay Boys.303 Chapters43,810 MembersLoss 108

Welfare Committee reports 7,679 Hours of Service given to others.

Mrs. Jane E. McCluskey, Worthy Grand Matron.

Mr. Lloyd H. Brandt, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session, Louisville, Kentucky, October 25-29, 1970.

#### LOUISIANA

70th Annual "THE REFLECTION OF LOVE" Session

Shreveport, Louisiana

March 24-26, 1969

Mrs. Sadie Pierson Farrar, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Harold Carlisle, Worthy Grand Patron

THEME: Shining Ideals and Reflections.

AIM: To Bring Sunshine into the Hearts of Others.

SETTING: Hall of Mirrors.

SPECIAL PROJECT: The Sunshine Fund. \$1,194.53 brought joy to 846 shut-in members.

Each member asked to donate 10 cents for Masonic Home for Children.

12 ESTARL Awards of \$250.00 each.

197 Chapters

27,662 Members

Gain 96

1,392 Registered for Session.

Mrs. Erma G. Boyd, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Everett Newman, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Monroe, Louisiana

March 23-25, 1970

## MAINE

77th Annual "WORLD HARMONY" Session Margaret W. Johnson, Worthy Grand Matron Cedric E. Russell, Worthy Grand Patron

WATCHWORDS: Moderation, Wisdom, Jurstice Through Prayer.

SCRIPTURAL GUIDE: Psalm 19, Verse 14.

The back drop depicted "World Harmony" with the Holy Bible, Sacred Book of our Faith, and a staff of music across a globe of the World.

Sister Sayda S. Pettersen, Most Worthy Grand Matron honored the Session with her presence.

This Grand Jurisdiction has Exchange Grand Family Night. That of visiting and having visits returned with the Grand Family of New Hampshire and New Brunswick.

PROJECTS: Charity and ESTARL.

"Corsage for Cancer" Fund \$1,450.00.

4 Subordinate Chapters consolidated

Loss of membership down this year however it reached the 500 mark.

182 Chapters 32,309 Members

ESTARL contribution for year \$5,088.35.

Mrs. Anne E. Stein, Worthy Grand Matron-1969-1970

Mr. Embert C. Buck, Worthy Grand Patron

## MANITOBA.

47th Annual "LIGHT OF FAITH" Session

Winnipeg, Canada

May 26-28, 1969

Mrs. Annie Mills, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Joseph Segal, Worthy Grand Patron

AIM: To Keep Our Faith and Serve with a Smile.

Formal Opening at 2:00 P.M. with Informal Opening that evening. 600 present for opening.

Roll Call of Grand Officers.

PROJECTS: Cancer Research and Manitoba Foundation Fund. Corsage money to ESTARL, \$887.00 received on project.

1 Chapter surrendered charter.

60 Chapters

5,851 Members

Loss 114

47,202 hours given to Cancer Dressing. Cancer Canteen had 2,050 hours. This Canteen serves coffee, tea, cookies and soup to patients waiting for treatment. This plus \$5,500.00 to Cancer Research.

Grand Chapter has a Drill Team.

Conduct their "Hour of Remembrance" on Tuesday Morning.

Approve Past Appointive Officers Club.

Mrs. Alice Andrews, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. John Brown, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session—Winnipeg

May 25, 1970

# MARYLAND

71st Annual "THE RAINBOW" Session

Baltimore, Maryland

April 27, thru 30, 1969

Mrs. Rosalie C. Shobe, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Howard C. Jacobs, Worthy Grand Patron

Against a Sky blue satin backdrop was a large replica of the Open Holy Bible bearing the Worthy Grand Matron's Scriptural verse—"Lo, I am with you always," and from the Bible eminated a portion of a brilliant rainbow.

34 Grand Chapter Committee Chairmen were appointed for the year.

108 Chapters

#### 25,279 Members

Loss of 51

40 Chapters show increases and nine have neither lost or gained.

This Grand Jurisdiction has a Special Committee for visiting the sick.

108 Chapters represented at the Annual Session with 1,490 being the total registration.

Sister Fran Palmer and Brother Harry E. Beck were installed as Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron for the year 1969-1970.

#### MASSACHUSETTS

93rd Annual "HERITAGE" Session-May, 1969

Mrs. Marion P. Lander, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Harry F. Clarke, Worthy Grand Patron

The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen, made her Official Visit to this Session.

This is the home of Past Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Franklin W. L. Miles.

2 consolidation of Chapters

1 Chapter surrendered charter

\$19,518.89 was contributed to the Various Projects—namely—ESTARL; Cancer Research, 'Benevolent Fund; Home Maintenance Fund; Educational Fund; General Fund; Rhoda Kaplan Educational Fund; Heart Fund. Awards are made to Chapters for the following:

To Chapter making the greatest per capita contribution to the Home Maintenance Fund.

To Chapter attaining the greatest percentage of increase in membership during the year, to be derived only from the number of newly initiated members.

To Chapter making the greatest per capita contribution to ESTARL.

To Chapter making the greatest per capita contribution to the Educational Fund.

Mrs. Dorothy E. Stackhouse, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Robert W. Hunter, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session, Springfield, Massachusetts

May 7, 8, 9, 1970

# MICHIGAN

102nd Annual "NEW CENTURY" Session

Grand Rapids, Michigan

October 8, 1968

Mrs. Blythe F. Parks, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Robert H. Reighard, Worthy Grand Patron

Fraternal Correspondent is one of six standing Committees.

Grand Ball opens the Session on Monday Evening.

Informal Opening on Tuesday 2:30 P. M. with Formal Opening Tuesday Evening.

Special recognition given to Sister Mary Kiblinger whose six daughters have served their Subordinate Chapters as Worthy Matrons.

Nearly 500 visited Hawaii as part of a Hawaiian Carnival trip.

50 Scholarships of \$100.00 each awarded.

469 Chapters	103,859 Members	Loss 1,332
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Less members exempt for Life Membership or charitable exemptions of 13,767.

The O. E. S. Villa is a home for children.

Special emphasis on Membership Committee and Youth Committee.

Mrs. Lucille Koken, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. John Scherf, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Grand Rapids, Michigan October 14-16, 1969

#### MINNESOTA

#### 91st Annual "STARS AROUND THE WORLD" Session

Duluth, Minnesota

Mrs. Dolores Matschenbacher, Worthy Grand Matron

# Mr. Chet Starrett, Worthy Grand Patron

Setting a vivid symbol of the multitude of Eastern Star Chapters that encircle the world. Against the sky blue back drop was a very large western hemispherical view of the globe, encircled by numerous stars in O. E. S. colors at lower edge was an Eastern Star.

They Have a Committee-titled-"Grand Chapter Official Artist."

Fraternal Correspondent—Grand Conductress—2 yr. term; Associate Grand Matron, 1 yr. term; Associate Grand Conductress, 3 yr. term.

#### 263 Chapters 48,696 Members Loss 1,171

ESTARL Awards \$13,200.00 interesting to note that four who received awards are studying in Theological Colleges in Texas.

Mrs. Janet Crego, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. John Brand, Worthy Grand Patron

1969 Session in Minneapolis May 1970.

#### MISSISSIPPI

63rd Annual "THE STAR AND ROSE" Session

Jackson, Mississippi

April 21-23, 1969

Mrs. Coben Yelverton Smith, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Eugene Judson Hedgepeth, Worthy Grand Patron

EMBLEM: The Cross.

MOTTO: Believe in that to which belong, then beautify that belief.

PROJECTS: ESTARL; Masonic Home Fund—International Temple Fund; Peace Garden and Youth Organizations.

ESTARL \$14,747.10 Masonic Home \$2,415.10

International Temple \$876.05 Peace Garden \$720.35

Acquired legal ownership of 3.6 acres of land on which the Rob Morris Little Red School House is located.

5 Chapters surrendered charters.

229 Chapters 23,332 Members Net Loss 320 728 members reinstated during year.

Mrs. Mary Guyer, Worthy Grand Matron 1969-1970

Mr. Vernon Shaw, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Jackson, Mississippi, April 21-22, 1970.

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May 7-9, 1969

#### MISSOURI

# 95th Annual "HARVEST OF OUR VALLEY" Session

Kansas City, Missouri

October 22, 1969

Mrs. Gladys Stark, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Ralph A. Williams, Worthy Grand Patron

Home Jurisdiction of our Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Edward V. Long.

2 Chapters consolidated.

SPECIAL PROJECT: Taking children of Masonic Home to Philadelphia and then on to Washington, D. C. (by plane).

524 Chapters 82,252 Members

Loss 899

42 ESTARL Awards totaling \$12,600.00.

They have a Committee to Review financial structure of Grand Chapter. They made their first report and recommendations for operation of Grand Chapter.

Board of Relief furnishes Hospital and sick room equipment to members of the Order in St. Louis and St. Louis County.

Mrs. Georgia Beason, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Jack Royce, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-St. Louis, Missouri

October 12-14, 1970

## MONTANA

80th Annual "ROCKY MOUNTAIN" Session

Great Falls, Montana

June 19-21, 1969

Mrs. Grace Hays, Worthy Grand Matron

#### Mr. LaForrest Norris, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: "Happiness in Service to others.

During the year the Hearts of Montana, jointed by the whole Fraternal World were saddened by the death of Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Anna B. Smalley. She served as Worthy Grand Matron of Montana in 1923-1924 and as Most Worthy Grand Matron of General Grand Chapter in 1937-1940.

12 ESTARL Awards given.

PROJECTS: ESTARL and Youth Programs.

122 Chapters

23,364 Members

Loss 375

Mrs. Florence Bryant, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Harry Cooley, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Bozeman, Montana

June 25-27, 1970

# NEBRASKA

Lincoln, Nebraska

May, 1969

Loss 454

Lucile Titus, Worthy Grand Matron

Lloyd Buchfinck, Worthy Grand Patron

The Most Worthy Grand Patron honored this Session with his presence.

249 Chapters

42,140 Members

ESTARL-19 Awards for 1969-1970 school year.

32 were awarded scholarships for 1968-1969.

A total of 21,539.00.

Dual membership approved in this Grand Jurisdiction.

Special emphasis on Youth Programs for Rainbow for Girls, Job Daughters and DeMolays.

Monetary gift from these three youth organiations was presented for ESTARL and the Masonic-Eastern Star Home.

1969-1970-Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron

Mrs. Gertrude Placek

Mr. Ray Ruth

# NEVADA

64th Annual "THE IMPOSSIBLE DREAM" Session

Reno, Nevada

October 2-4, 1969

Mrs. Eileen Buchanan, Worthy Grand Matron

Dr. John Homer, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: Reach for the Stars for Faith in Tomorrow makes today Beautiful.

PROJECTS: ESTARL; Home Fund; Building Fund; Peace Garden.

29 Chapters

## 5,597 Members

Gain 27

The Chaplain of each Subordinate Chapter is Chairman of ESTARL.

A resume of the year's activities of each Subordinate Chapter is printed in the Proceedings.

Mrs. Ive Flickner, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Judd Flickner, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Las Vegas

October 13, 1970

## NEW BRUNSWICK

# 39th Annual "CUP OF KINDNESS" Session

Moncton, New Brunswick

July 9-11, 1969

Mrs. Eileen D. Price, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. W. Burton Scott, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: Take Time to Be Kind.

The hearts of all members of the Order of the Eastern Star were saddened by the passing of the beloved Past Most Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Donald Stewart.

They have a Committee titled—"Every Member Project."—this is the contribution of 10 cents per month.

#### 41 Chapters

## 4,474 Members

No change

For operation of the Home they have a President, two Vice Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer, plus 14 Directors. Selected by a Nominating Committee.

Mrs. Mary J. Fanjoy, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Douglas Ball, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Saint John

July, 1970

# NEW HAMPSHIRE

79th Annual "THE OLIVE BRANCH" Session

Concord, New Hampshire

September, 1969

Mrs. Beulah Joy Snell, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Walter N. Lyman, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: For God and Country, and for the Order of the Eastern Star.

Education awards are given from the interest of Education Loan Fund—total of 6.

14 ESTARL Awards of \$100.00 each. This was special project for year.

Worthy Grand Patron approves changes in By-Laws.

66 Chapter

#### 12,670 Members

Loss 265

The Fraternal Correspondent gave her report in a poem.

441 voting members in attendance of Session.

Mns. Arleen R. Locke, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Harold P. Worthen, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Concord

September, 1970

## NEW JERSEY

# 99th Annual "THE LIGHTED LAMP" Session

Atlantic City, New Jersey

May 20-22, 1969

Mrs. Winifred Steinman, Most Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Leslie F. Budd, Most Worthy Grand Patron

New Jersey is an Independent Jurisdiction and they do now have Worthy Grand Matron or Worthy Grand Patron.

6 Chapters consolidated.

Membership 54,075 Loss of 953

SERVICE PROJECTS: State School—Lyons Hospital—Cookies for Boys in Service; Sewing for boys in Fort Dix.

Monies raised for many projects through "Charity Ball."

Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Dolores B. Mauldin

Most Worthy Grand Patron, Mr. Stacey N. Stockton

100th Annual Session-Atlantic City

May 19-21, 1970

# NEW MEXICO

67th Annual "STAR OF PEACE" Session

Albuquerque, New Mexico

October 15-18, 1969

Mrs. Dorothy Pendleton, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Carroll McCleary, Worthy Grand Patron

Session dedicated to "The Prince of Peace" Who is our Redeemer, Wonderful Commander, Lord of Lords and King of Kings.

THEME: To Peace through Consideration for Mankind.

AIM: Quest for Peace.

There are two Fraternal Correspondents in this Jurisdiction and they are included in the Standing Committees.

Have Roll Call of Grand Officers.

Money given instead of corsages for ESTARL.

60 Chapters

#### 11,452 Members

Loss of 4

13 ESTARL Awards given in amount of \$4,100.00.

Mrs. Mary Alice Sackett, Worthy Grand Matron

Dr. Wesley M. Drury, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Albuquerque

October 7-10, 1970

## NEW YORK

## 100th Annual "ANNIVERSARY" Session

New York, New York

## M. . W. . Mrs. Verna M. Clark, Grand Matron

M. W. Irving P. Scott, Grand Patron

New York is an Independent Jurisdiction not under General Grand Chapter. They are governed by the Macoy Ritual.

One of the Special Projects was their Home and Infirmary Fund-Social Service Foundation Fund-Emergency Relief and General Welfare Fund.

2 Chapters consolidated.

729 Chapters

124,176 Members

2,141 Loss

October, 1969

M. W. Virginia K. George-Grand Matron

M.'.W.'.Wallace L. Yelverton-Grand Patron

### NORTH CAROLINA

64th Annual "THE PILLARS OF FAITH" Session

Raleigh, North Carolina

June 8-11, 1969

Mrs. Frances Hennis Johnson, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Andrew Basil Miller, Worthy Grand Patron

THEME: Togetherness—Through Love and Service.

STANDARD: Scales of Justice.

Presiding Officers of Order of Rainbow for Girls and DeMolays bring greetings at Informal Opening.

SPECIAL PROJECT: Masonic and Eastern Star Home.

The Worthy Grand Patron appoints twenty-one District Deputy Grand Patrons.

279 Chapters 25,990 Members

1 Chapter surrendered charter.

Mrs. Nellie Stern was made Grand Treasurer Emeritus after thirty-six years of service with Honorarium of \$100.00 per Annum.

This Grand Jurisdiction maintains a camp for Order of Rainbow Cirls.

Six ESTARL Awards.

Mrs. Sally McDonald Swift, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Edward Dawson Phillips, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session, Raleigh

June 8-11, 1970

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# NORTH DAKOTA

# 75th Annual "DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY" Session

Minot, North Dakota

Mrs. Helen G. Burns, Worthy Grand Matron

#### Mr. Richard M. Olson, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: "Pride in Our Past . . . Faith in Our Future."

Setting—Mural depicting a North Dakota scene with its blue skies, white clouds, colorful sunset and fields of golden grain surrounding a typical farm scene including a Church.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen, was presented through an honor guard of Knight Commanders in white hats.

100 Chapters

## 9,573 Members

Loss 251

PROJECTS: ESTARL, International Peace Garden Chapel; O. E. S. Home; Educational Loan Fund; Rainbow for Girls and DeMolays for Boys.

The Star Points were each given a project to promote during the year.

Mrs. Meredith Webderg, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Jack Stewart, Worthy Grand Patron

76th Session in Fargo, North Dakota

June 10-12, 1970

NOVA SCOTIA AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

# 22nd Annual "GUIDING STAR" Session

Halifax, Nova Scotia

July, 1969

Mrs. Leah Conn, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Edward P. Brown, Worthy Grand Patron

SCRIPTURE: "Do that which is good in the sight of the Lord."

MOTTO—Take time to be Kind. It is the road to Happiness.

SPECIAL PROJECT: Heart Fund.

Loss of 65 members—even after initiating more than twice that number of new members.

65 Chapters

5,383 Members

ESTARL—19 Awards totaling \$5,250.00.

Mrs. Agnes Hallyburton, Worthy Grand Matron-1969-1970

Mr. Bert Fraser, Worthy Grand Patron

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June 11-13, 1969

#### OHIO

# 80th Annual "ROYAL JEWEL" Session

Cincinnati, Ohio

October 28, 29, 30, 1969

Mrs. Irene E. Thornburg, Worthy Grand Matron

#### Mr. Lowell E. McMeeken, Worthy Grand Patron

This is the Home Jurisdiction of Mrs. Marguerite L. Kennerdell, Right Worthy Grand Conductress, who served as Grand Secretary for Ohio from 1958 to 1969—Now Grand Secretary Emeritus.

Grand East had a 12' by 12' bright pink heart edged with silver lace surrounding a jeweled, golden crown. Emanating from the Ermine base, each of the five prongs represented one of the five points of the Star with its corresponding jewel color glittering in the light.

The Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen was presented in the Royal Jewel Session.

Ohio is 100% in International Temple Fund.

557 Chapters

177,916 Members

1,304 Loss

PROJECTS: Educational Loan Fund \$44,575.00.

ESTARL—84 awards for \$21,125.00.

Endowment Fund; O.E.S. Home Fund and Cancer Research were also projects for the year.

Mrs. Violet L. Thomas, Worthy Grand Matron

J. Lester Durst, Worthy Grand Patron

for October 27, 28, 29, 1970 Session in Cleveland, Ohio.

#### ONTARIO

54th Annual "AUTUMN SYMPHONY" Session

Toronto, Ontario

September 17-19, 1969

Mrs. Marion Kuhns, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. William Maness, Worthy Grand Patron

The large wooden relief of the Canadian Coat of Arms was the central background in the Grand East.

This is the home of the Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mildred K. Schanbacher, who served General Grand Chapter in 1931-1934 and our Right Worthy Associate Grand Conductress, Sister Mabel Mackereth, of 1967-1970.

SCRIPTURE: Ephesians 4:32: "Be ye Kind and Forgiving one to another."

Brothers are appointed as Grand Representatives in this Jurisdiction.

2 Chapters consolidated.

PROJECTS: Florence Nightingale Home; 'ESTARL' Electa's Cup for Puerto Rico International Temple; Peace Garden Chapel; Educational Loan Fund; (Electa's Cup for Puerto Rico is penny drill for one night of all Chapters in Jurisdiction—over 700.00 was given towards the building of their Temple.)

290 Chapter

## 37,988 Members

407 Loss

Mrs. Arva McKenzie, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Stuart Davison, Worthy Grand Patron

55th Session in Toronto

September 23-25, 1970

#### OREGON

#### 80th Annual "HARBOR OF FRIENDSHIP" Session

Portland, Oregon

June 23-25, 1969

Mrs. Winnfred Nelson, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Leo V. Brown, Worthy Grand Patron

AIM: A Friendship Voyage on Fraternal Seas.

MOTTO: Be not simply good, be good for something.

Formal Opening on Monday at 9:00 A. M.

Election of Officers on Monday Afternoon.

Eastern Star members join the Masonic Bodies in maintaining a Blood Bank.

The EMERA Club, composed of Past Star Points, perform deeds of kindness for guest of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home.

In one Subordinate Chapter the Mother, Father and two daughters were installed as Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, Conductress and Adah.

166 Chapter

### 34,454 Members

Loss 547

Mrs. Muriel R. Field, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Ted Roadman, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Portland

June 23-24, 1970

### PENNSYLVANIA

## 75th Annual "DIAMOND JUBILEE" Session

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

June 23-26, 1969

Mrs. Jean Camble, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. George D. W. Koenig, Worthy Grand Patron

This is the Home Jurisdiction of the Beloved Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Florence A. Plummer. Pennsylvania maintains two Eastern Star Homes. The Eastern Home has 25 guests and the Western Home has 50 guests.

\$7,472.56 was given to Veteran Hospitals for Rehabilitation.

500 Chapters 116,736 Members Loss 920

Share our Substance Committee collected and sold stamps, 1,331,820 stamps collected and \$5,334.72 realized in sale of stamps.

\$8,037.26 donated to Cancer Research.

8 ESTARL Awards of \$400.00 each were given.

23 Educational Scholarships awarded.

Miss Mary E. Chase, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Daniel F. Marsh, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Philadelphia

June, 1970

March 29-30, 1969

## PUERTO RICO

55th Annual "ENTRANCE TO HEAVEN" Session

Santurce, Puerto Rico

Mrs. Mercedes Palacin, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Romualdo A. Irizarey, Worthy Grand Patron

13 Chapters

1,069 Members

Loss 20

They are trying to build a temple and have \$5,453.77 in Fund.

Installation is always on Palm Sunday.

Fraternal Correspondent gave her report in both Spanish and English.

Every member present was given a printed copy.

They maintain a Leper Colony.

64 delegates and 9 visitors plus 33 from the U.S.A., Canada and Hawaii. Meeting is conducted in Spanish.

Mrs. Berta A. M. De Vazquez, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Herman G. Flores, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Santurce on March 21, 1970.

## QUEBEC

47th Annual "THE STAR OF HOPE" Session

Montreal, Canada

October 8-10, 1969

Mrs. Alice Rowat, Worthy Grand Matron Mr. William Lunn, Worthy Grand Patron

THEME: Star of Hope.

MOTTO: Friendship.

The Opening Night Session is called "WELCOME NIGHT."

Subordinate Chapter Secretaries and Treasurers are presented at the Informal Opening.

Informal Opening on Wednesday Evening. Formal Opening Thursday Morning.

PROJECTS: ESTARL; Cancer Cupboard; Chapel in Peace Garden and Local Charities.

468 Chapters 3,062 Members

Loss 92

\$2,630 was given to ESTARL.

Miss Amy Millington, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Kenneth Aldridge, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Montreal

October, 1970

### RHODE ISLAND

74th Annual "APPLE OF GOLD" Session

## October 8, 1969

Mrs. Gladys W. Steere, Worthy Grand Matron

#### Mr. Robert G. Harris, Worthy Grand Patron

This Jurisdiction conducts all business in one day.

MOTTO: "Teach Me To Do Thy Will."

SCRIPTURE: A Word Fitly Spoken is like Apples of Gold in pictures of Silver.

Held an Annual Charity Ball-net \$3,375.00.

EDUCATION AND ESTARL: 4-\$500.00 scholarships awarded for Ministry; two-\$200.00 for Nursing Scholarships and one-\$300.00 scholarship for nursing.

Hawaiian Carnival Trip—10 members took trip. \$200.00 was realized for Grand Chapter for work they, did in distributing literature for the Travel Agency.

Worthy Grand Patron approves changes in By-Laws.

26 Chapters

#### 7,168 Members

Loss 113

## Mrs. Dorothy Hall, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Kenneth T. MacCaskill, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session in Providence

October 4, 1970

#### SASKATCHEWAN

#### 53rd Annual "THE WESTERN FRIENDSHIP" Session

Moose Jaw, Canada

April 28-30, 1969

Mrs. Esther T. Johnson, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Frank C. McMillan, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: Let us Live our Obligation.

SCRIPTURE: "A friend loveth at all times."-Proverbs 17:17.

Informal Opening on Monday Morning.

SPECIAL PROJECT: Home Fund. Esther's Project (Welfare).

Worthy Grand Patron issues Special Dispensations.

#### 112 Chapters 9,318 Members

Contributions made to Home Fund; ESTARL; Cancer: Peace Garden; Arthritis and Rheumatism and Esther's Project.

Mrs. Alice M. Clark, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Sam Onerheim, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Saskatoon, Canada

April 27-29, 1970

Loss 75

### SUPREME GRAND CHAPTER OF SCOTLAND

The Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland holds Bi-Annual Sessions, Their membership increased 3,920 this past year, an increase of 322 over the previous year.

525 Chapters with approximately 293,000 members.

Officers serve two year terms-the terms expire altesnate years.

Mrs. Grace C. Good, Most Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Edward J. Hendry, Most Worthy Grand Patron

Mrs. Jessie B. Miller, Immediate Past Most Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Thomas G. Forbes, Immediate Past Most Worthy Grand Patron

Worthy Grand Fraternal Correspondent is an elective office and her report is not printed in the Proceedings.

During conferring of Degrees when Associate Conductress reports candidates in waiting the Treasurer retires and collects the dues.

This Supreme Grand Chapter exercises Jurisdiction over all British Territory except Canada.

### SOUTH CAROLINA,

#### 62nd Annual "REFLECTED LIGHT". Session

Columbia, South Oarolina

June 16-18, 1969

Mrs. Elizabeth O. Barnett, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Charles McKinney, Worthy Grand Patron

THEME: There are two ways of spreading light—To be the candle, or the mirror that reflects it.

AIM: To light the candle of love for all mankind and to increase the happiness of ourselves and others.

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191	Chapters	16.910 Members	Increase	- Ot	124

Donations were made in lieu of flowers at Official Visits of Worthy Grand Matron—rehults \$1,628.15.

ESTARL Awards \$2,674.86. Home Endowment Fund \$2,119.33.

For Special Project sold costume jewelry with profit of \$2,563.50.

590 voting delegates registered.

Each Session opening two Past Grand Matrons were presented at Altar for special recognition and addressed as Elect Ladies. (Different Past Grands at each Session).

107 visitors from twenty two States.

Mrs. Mae J. McLemore, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. William T. Johnson, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Columbia, South Carolina

June 16-18, 1970

#### SOUTH DAKOTA

81st	Annual "GOLDEN DOOR"	Session
Rapid City, South Dak	ota	October 7-9, 1969
Mrs. Ma	argaret Maynard, Worthy Gra	and Matron
Mr. A	Alfred Martin, Worthy Grand	d Patron
PROJECTS: ESTARL a	nd O. E. S. Home.	
46 Chapters are 100	)% in Paid Up Dues.	
Election of Officers	on morning of first full day s	Session.
9 ESTARL Awards	of \$4,500.00.	
980, including Disti	nguished guests, were in atte	endance.
139 Chapters	16,597 Members	Loss 391
Life Membership gi	iven to 50-Year Members.	
Mrs. 1	Hazel Urevig, Worthy Grand	l Matron
Mr.	Eugene Leao, Worthy Grand	l Patron
Next Session, Sioux	Falls, South Dakota	October 6-8 1970

#### UTAH

64th Annual "ANGELS AND ROSES" Session

Salt Lake City, Utah

October 8-10, 1969

Loss 67

Mrs. Maxine S. Boyd, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. C. Leander Prisk, Worthy Grand Patron

Membership 4,105

ESTARL-6 Awards of \$500.00 each.

Registration shows total of 528 in attendance of this Session.

Contributions were made to other worthy welfare projects.

Mrs. Clarissa B. Lowery, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. William Ray West, Worthy Grand Patron

#### VERMONT

97th Annual "GREEN MOUNTAIN" Session

Middleburg, Vermont

June 4-5, 1969

Mrs. Kathryn J. Heitman, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Arar W. Hicken, Worthy Grand Patron

The colors used throughout the Session were green, representing the color of the mountains, blue representing the sky, and gold representing the sunset.

In addition to the presentation of the National Flags, Christian Flag and Eastern Star Flag, the Flag of Rainbow for Girls was presented.

ESTARL Awards—12 of \$200.00 each.

This Session was honored by the presence of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen.

\$1,023.55 to Cancer Research; \$2,195.67 to ESTARL; \$5.00 to Arthritis; \$56.20 to the Peace Garden and \$17.50 to International Temple.

#### 11,145 Members

Loss 147

88 Chapters

711 were in attendance of this Grand Session

Mrs. Shirley Pemantel, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Allan B. Burnett, Worthy Grand Patron

98th Session in Brattleboro, Vermont. June 3, 1970.

#### VIRGINIA

## 65th Annual "HAPPINESS FOR OTHERS" Session

Richmond, Virginia

May 13-15, 1969

485

Mrs. Doris Hurley, Worthy Grand Matron

#### Mr. William H. Lavern, Jr., Worthy Grand Patron

This is the Home Jurisdiction of Brother Robert L. Clark, Right Worthy Associate Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter.

THEME: Happiness for Others.

AIM: To be yourself every day and radiate sunshine and happiness.

Fraternal Correspondents are the Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress.

Informal Opening at 2:00 P.M.

185 Chapters 28,984 Members

Loss of 52

11 Board of Governors direct Home activities.

Subordinate Chapter Secretaries and Treasurers are presented at formal opening.

49 guests in the Home.

Every Chapter pays \$5.25 for each and every member on the rolls, except Honorary members, guest in O. E. S. Home or permanent guests or patients in any hospital or home.

22 ESTARL Awards.

1,325 registered from 168 Chapters.

Mrs. Mabel A. Holmes, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Howard H. Newlon, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session-Richmond, Virginia 2nd Tuesday of May, 1970

WASHINGTON

81st Annual "FAITH OF OUR FOREFATHERS" Session

Spokane, Washington

June 26-28, 1969

Mrs. Louise Nickels, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Leonard L. Schultz, Worthy Grand Patron

Informal Opening on Thursday Night. Formal Opening on Friday Morning.

Election of Officers held on Friday Morning-first day of Session.

PROJECTS: Rose Fund (Scholarship Fund) Cancer; ESTARL: Peace Garden Chapel; Emma P. Chadwick Memorial Home and Youth Programs.

241 Chapters

54,131 Members

Loss 939

1,754 registered for Session.

\$1,100.00 was given to assist a Service man's family.

41 ESTARL Awards of \$250.00 to \$500.00 each.

A Past Grand Matron is the Fraternal Correspondent.

176 guests in Masonic Home. Average age 85. 44 men and 132 women. Gertrude S. Hunt, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Martine Maier, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session, Seattle

June 25-27, 1969

#### WEST VIRGINIA

66th Annual "THE LOVE" Session

Charleston, W. Virginia

October 2-4, 1969

Mrs. Betty J. Workman, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Clarence E. Wells, Worthy Grand Patron

MOTTO: "Love one another."

The Associate Grand Matron, Grand Conductress and Associate Grand Conductress perform the duties of Fraternal Correspondent.

Informal opening 1:30 P.M. and after recess have the Formal Opening at 7:30 P.M.

SPECIAL PROJECT: ESTARL, 22 awards totaling \$9,600.00. Order of Rainbow for Girls gave \$1,500.00 to this project.

OTHER WELFARE PROJECTS: V. A. V. S.; State Hospital; O. E. S. Home.

Registration fee is \$2.00.

Worthy Grand Patron issues Dispensations.

132 Chapters

32,614 Members

Gain 142

951 Registered for Session.

Mrs. Genevieve E. Bee, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Paul W. McConnell, Worthy Grand Patron

Next Session Fairmont, West Virginia

October 1-3, 1970

#### WISCONSIN

79th Annual "LIVING STAR" Session

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

September 23, 24, 25, 1969

Mrs. Jessica E. Zunke, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Eugene F. Schmutzler, Worthy Grand Patron

As the curtain opened eight foot paintings of the five heroines of our Order were seen framed in Gothic type arches. In back of the walls the Worthy Grand Matron's Theme—"CONSTANT FAITH."

This is the Grand Jurisdiction of our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Sayda S. Pettersen, who was presented through an arch of flags held by the Grand Ushers.

Each Evening Session was opened with a Tableau of a Star Point.

There were 3 consolidations of Subordinate Chapters.

ESTARL—34 Awards—\$11,850.00. 254 Chapters 49,805 Members Loss of 977

Triennial of General Grand Chapter will be held in Milwaukee in October, 1970.

Mrs. Marian J. Tolar, Worthy Grand Matron 1969-1970

Mr. Winfred Madison, Worthy Grand Patron

80th Annual Session in Madison, Wisconsin

September 29, 30-October 1, 1970

## WYOMING

72nd Annual "CHEERFUL COMPANIONSHIP" Session

Lander, Wyoming

August 2, 1969

Mrs. Monica Krueger, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Jackson R. Forbes, Worthy Grand Patron

EMBLEM: Green Candle.

PROJECT: Cancer Research.

49 Chapters

#### 10,944 Members

Loss 196

Cancer Research was main project, however they contributed to the following welfare projects—Shriners Hospitals; Heart Fund; Knight Templars Eye Foundation' ESTARL and International Temple Fund.

This is the Home State of Mrs. Mae Mickelson, Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron of General Grand Chapter, who will assume the position of Most Worthy Grand Matron in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in October, 1970.

Mrs. Elsie Henn, Worthy Grand Matron

Mr. Ron R. Johnson, Worthy Grand Patron for 1970 Session





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