

# Grand Chapter of California

Order of the Eastern Star



Fifty-seventh Annual Session  
Municipal Auditorium  
City of Oakland  
October 21 to 24, 1930



The  
Grand Chapter of California  
Order of the  
Eastern Star

welcomes you to its

Fifty - Seventh Annual Session

October 21<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>

1930

Myra Moyse

Worthy Grand Matron

Walter Madsworth Bradley

Worthy Grand Patron

Susan Mills Millars

Grand Secretary



**GRAND OFFICERS**  
of the  
**GRAND CHAPTER OF CALIFORNIA**  
Order of the Eastern Star  
for the  
Year Commencing October, 1929

Mrs. Myra Moyse - - - Worthy Grand Matron  
Mr. Walter Wadsworth Bradley - - - - -  
- - - - - Worthy Grand Patron  
Mrs. Willa Jane Hellwig - - - - -  
- - - - - Associate Grand Matron -5  
Mr. Joseph Mayo Argabrite - - - - -  
- - - - - Associate Grand Patron -11  
Miss Susan Mills Willats - - Grand Secretary  
Mrs. Mildred Cormany Blair - Grand Treasurer 1846-11  
Mrs. Elsie May McGiffin - Grand Conductress  
Mrs. Grace Richardson Butterfield - - - -  
- - - - - Associate Grand Conductress ✓  
Mrs. Georgia Orlena Bourne - Grand Chaplain  
Mrs. Jessie Galbraith Morris - Grand Marshal ✓  
Mrs. Claudice Johnston - - - Grand Organist  
Mrs. Mary Ida Van Nest - - - - Grand Adah  
Mrs. Jean Donald Weir - - - - Grand Ruth  
Mrs. Adele Stephens - - - - - Grand Esther  
Mrs. Minna Elizabeth McCallum - Grand Martha  
Mrs. Nellie Allen Henderson - - Grand Electa  
Mrs. Tillie Rose Salkey - - - Grand Warder  
Mrs. Alafaire Bergin - - - - Grand Sentinel

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**Program**  
**MONDAY, OCTOBER 20th**  
8:00 P. M.  
Special Features in Charge of Entertainment  
Committee

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21st**  
10:30 A. M.

**FORMAL OPENING**

Solo..... Kenneth R. Dick, Baritone  
Assembly called to order by Mrs. Effie Easton,  
Worthy Grand Esther  
Entrance of Past Grand Matrons and Past Grand  
Patrons of California  
Entrance of Junior Past Grand Matron, Pauline  
Ada Hause, and Junior Past Grand Patron,  
Bert Richard Holloway  
Entrance of Grand Officers  
Entrance of Deputy Grand Matrons  
Flag Escort  
Tribute to Flag.....  
.....Cora Spring Holland, Past Grand Matron

**OPENING CEREMONY**

Presentation of Distinguished Guests:  
Mrs. Effie Easton, Worthy Grand Esther, of  
the General Grand Chapter  
Past Grand Matrons  
Past Grand Patrons  
Past Grand Elective Officers  
Grand Representatives



Solo.....Kenneth R. Dick, Baritone  
Welcome to Grand Representatives.....  
.....Willa Jane Hellwig, Asso. Grand Matron  
Response.....Clara Abbott Giberson.  
Grand Representative of the Grand Chapter  
of Maryland

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21st

1:30 P. M.

Greetings by Mayor of Oakland  
Response.....Bert Richard Holloway  
Junior Past Grand Patron  
Musical Selection .....Selected  
Address of Worthy Grand Matron.....  
.....Myra Moyse  
Address of Worthy Grand Patron.....  
.....Walter Wadsworth Bradley  
Report of Grand Secretary.....Susan Mills Willats  
Report of Grand Treasurer.....  
.....Mildred Cormany Blair  
Report of Eastern Star Home Committee.....  
.....Maud Dezell Bradley

9:00 P. M.

Grand Ball.....Municipal Auditorium

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22nd

9:30 A. M.

Report of Committee on Distribution  
Report of Committee on Credentials  
Report of Committee on Warrants and Dispensa-  
tions  
Report of Committee on Benevolent Fund

10:00 A. M.

ELECTION OF GRAND OFFICERS

(Only Members of Grand Chapter will be ad-  
mitted during Election of Grand Officers)

1:30 P. M.

Election of Grand Officers (continued)  
Entertainment for Visiting Delegates provided  
by Activities Committee

8:00 P. M.

Report of Committee on Election  
Exemplification of the Work of a Subordinate  
Chapter by the Grand Officers, under Super-  
vision of Willa Jane Hellwig, Associate  
Grand Matron



## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23rd

9:30 A. M.

Report of Committee on Education  
Report of Committee on Jurisprudence  
Report of Committee on Constitution and  
By-Laws  
Report of Committee on Finance  
Presentation of Charters

2:00 P. M.

Report of Committee on Necrology  
Report of Committee on Foreign Correspondence  
Report of Committee on Returns

8:00 P. M.

Routine Business

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24th

9:30 A. M.

Report of Committee on Appeals and Grievances  
Report of Committee on Pay of Members  
Report of Committee on Printing  
Report of Committee on Grand Chapter Week  
Activities

2:00 P. M.

Unfinished Business

8:30 P. M.

Installation of Officers  
Presentation of Jewels  
Closing Ceremonies

(Flowers and Gifts for Grand Officers  
may be placed at their Stations)

## STANDING COMMITTEES

1929-1930

### CREDENTIALS

Mr. Lafe Todd	Mr. Wallace T. Rutherford
Mr. Paul Werking	Mrs. Maud F. Parks
Mrs. Melicent Lojs Cullen	Mrs. Margaret Hudson

### JURISPRUDENCE

Mr. Roy Musser	Mr. Waldo Francis Postel
Mr. Darwin Wilson Pierce	

### CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

Mrs. Effie Easton	Mr. Delos Albert Mace
Mrs. Gladys Fitch Pierce	

### WARRANTS AND DISPENSATIONS

Mr. Frank D. Walsh	Mrs. Pauline Ada Hause
Mrs. Pauline E. Freiermuth	

### FINANCE

Mrs. Cora Spring Holland	Mrs. Minnie Elliot Seymour
Mr. Guy Woodhams Brundage	

### APPEALS AND GRIEVANCES

Mrs. Zella Whitford Samson	Mr. Huron Y. Gibson
Mr. Oliver B. Cavanaugh	

### RETURNS

Mrs. Jennie B. Wilcox	Mr. William A. Spencer
Mrs. Paula Quinn	

### FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

Mrs. Elsie May McGiffin	Mrs. Marguerite McCollough
Mrs. Maude S. Stephens	

### DISTRIBUTION

Mr. Henry Frank Pernau	Mr. John Lewis McDonald
Mrs. Emma Blanchard Graves	

### PRINTING

Mr. Knowlton R. Bradley	Mrs. Ethel G. Pembroke
Mrs. Grace Diers Beckman	

### PAY OF MEMBERS

Mr. Robert G. Lauer	Mr. James E. Warren
Mr. Raymond H. Griest	

### NECROLOGY

Mrs. Florence L. Newman	Miss Beatrice Brown
Mrs. Angie M. Black	



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#### EDUCATION

Miss Stella M. Linscott      Mrs. Louise Mae Elsensohn  
Mrs. Anna M. C. Binford

#### PUBLICITY

Mrs. Kate M. Nichols

#### GRAND CHAPTER WEEK ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Mr. Frank C. Cochrane      Mr. Edward C. Counter  
Mrs. May R. Divoll

#### GRAND TRUSTEES—EASTERN STAR HOME

Mrs. Maud Dezell Bradley      Mrs. Hazael Marsh Piper  
Mrs. Effie Easton      Mr. Darwin Wilson Pierce  
Mr. Bert Richard Holloway

#### BENEVOLENT FUND COMMITTEE

1929-1930

Mrs. Helen Margia Knight, General Chairman  
DISTRICT No. 1—Mrs. Emma Riehl Leach  
DISTRICT No. 2—Mrs. Cecelia Chamberlain  
DISTRICT No. 3—Mrs. Mabel Boyd Seymour  
DISTRICT No. 4—Mrs. Maude Ethel Fluetsch  
DISTRICT No. 5—Mrs. Pauline Florence Pernau  
DISTRICT No. 6—Mrs. Emma Blanchard Graves  
DISTRICT No. 7—Miss Sue Estelle Tuck  
DISTRICT No. 8—Mrs. Betsey Adelaide Pierce  
DISTRICT No. 9—Mrs. Kate Shook

#### SPECIAL COMMITTEES

##### STUDENT LOAN

Albert C. McClosky      Stella Morgan Linscott  
Eldon Perry Mains      Willa Jane Hellwig  
Grace Cruickshank

##### PURCHASE OF MASONIC CLUB HOUSE PIANO

Bert Richard Holloway      Mattie M. Charette  
William Warke

##### GRAND MATRONS AND GRAND PATRONS JEWELS

Mabel Boyd Seymour      Maude Biglow Sibley  
Ernest W. Conant

##### HOUSING

Emma Blanchard Graves