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"LOYALTY IS REMEMBRANCE"

As our Holiday Season has come to a close and a new year is here, let us all strive to make it a good year. Our aim to make our organization stronger needs help from all and if we all work together we can do it.

My sincere thanks for all your lovely cards and notes of encouragement. It made the Holidays more pleasant. I hope that you too have had an enjoyable Holiday Season.

To the newly elected officers, I extend my congratulations and the best wishes of the National Organization.

NATIONAL AIDES 1980—1981

CALIFORNIA & PACIFIC—

COLORADO & WYOMING—Clara Savage

CONNECTICUT—Eva Lauback, Nathalie Linnell, Grayce Miller, Alice Ponticelli, Minnie Burkhardt.

ILLINOIS—

INDIANA—

IOWA—Alice Benzine, Grace Hansen, Lilla Keller, Nellie Hawley, Esther Seiberling, Sadie Bremen.

MAINE—Helen Howard, Mary Johnston, Mildred Gammon, Kathie Violette, Doris Warner, Fay Corbett, Leneda Fowler, Beverly Mills, Ethel Whiten, Helen York.

MARYLAND-DELAWARE—Agnes Davis, Virginia Johnson, Sharon Pointer, Sandra Spencer.

MASSACHUSETTS—Barbara Brown, Christine Darsch, Mildred Boucher, Marion Young, Rose Pratt, Lillian LaMarsh, Elizabeth Preston, Bertha Archer, Lillian Heuser, Mildred Ellery, Jessie Wells, A. Ruth Taylor.

MICHIGAN—Isla Dow, Ona Savage, Louise LaBanta.

MISSOURI—Dorothy Moushey, Marjorie Thompson, Tillie Ouhrabka.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—Roberta Wyman, Martha Baldwin, Connie Wheeler, Ariel Long, Annie Atkins, Irene Wentworth.

NEW JERSEY—Denise Haney, Lillian Ekstrand, Gertrude Deckenback, Mary Garraty, Rose Brandt, Louisa Daubert.

NEW YORK—

OHIO—Edna Mae Elliott, Carolyn Leonard, Irene Polito, Betty Haueter, Myrtle Soloday, Wanda Swarts, Lillian Sutton, Kitty Church.

OREGON-WASHINGTON—Rosemary Christenson.

PENNSYLVANIA—Marguerite Baldwin, Kathleen Ellis, Susan Kennerer, Mary Kurz, Clara Seitz, Joan Myles, Marion Swesher, Faye Carlisle, B. Jane Delzel, Mayme Becker, Mary Pero, Charlotte Maggu, Geneva Ray, Josephine Lewis, Pluma Werkheiser.

RHODE ISLAND—

VERMONT—Persis Smith, Gladys Bissell, Etta Giles, Muriel Emerson, Anna Parizo.

WISCONSIN—Ellinore Johnson, Louise Hernke, Raona Black, Helen Huff, Elna Kannenberg, Gladys Williams, Genevieve Swenson, Constance Nack.

ATTENTION DEPARTMENT PRESIDENTS

Will the Department Presidents who have not appointed their National Aides, please do so at once and send their names and addresses to me, so the National Chief of Staff Jennie Russell can contact them. The work of the Chief of Staff is of great importance and she must have the cooperation of the National Aides from every Department to raise the necessary funds to carry on the work of our National Organization.

MESSAGE FROM THE NATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT

It was indeed an honor and a pleasure to have been chosen as your National Vice President. My job is Membership and I would like to call upon all Department Vice Presidents to act as Chairmen of their Department and get in touch with every Auxiliary Vice President, on the importance of gaining new members.

Let me hear from those who bring in new members as there will be a Department, Auxiliary and single member gift to those who bring in the most members.

Yours in F.C. & L.

Mary Jane Simpson

National Vice President

MESSAGE FROM NATIONAL PATRIOTIC INSTRUCTOR

An important duty of this office is to solicit funds to help with our many patriotic activities, including placing wreaths at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C.; Lincoln Tomb at Springfield, Ill.; a monetary gift to The Cathedral of Pines in Rindge, N.H., on Memorial Day; a monetary gift in memory of the Grand Army of the Republic to a Veterans' Hospital in the convention city; flowers for deceased members at the Memorial Service, etc.

I would like for each sister to have a part in this work, it doesn't matter how small the contribution or how large.

Please send your contributions by check or money order made payable to M. Helen Loll, National Treasurer, but send to me so you can receive proper credit.

Yours in F.C. & L.
Marjorie Grate Smith
National Patriotic Instructor

MESSAGE FROM THE NATIONAL CHIEF OF STAFF "INVEST IN THE FUTURE"

The Auxiliary to the Sons of Union Veterans has entered its 95th year of service as an organization. As your National Chief of Staff, it is my responsibility to raise the funds to keep us in good financial standing. This I cannot do alone—so, as we "Invest in the Future," I am asking for your continued support.

I would appreciate hearing from the Departments who have not sent me the list of their National Aides, for I am anxious to send out my letter of appeal and chance books, as soon as possible.

Yours in F.C. & L.
Jennie B. Russell
National Chief of Staff

MESSAGE FROM AUXILIARY 100th ANNIVERSARY FUND COMMITTEE

Reminder to all sisters who still have raffle tickets on our Homemade Quilt. Drawing Date—July 18, 1981, at the New England Regional meeting. Tickets are still available to all who care to help in this project. Thanks!

The Committee
Minnie E. Madeiros, P.N.P.
Chairlady

ATTENTION AUXILIARY AND DEPARTMENT CHAPLAINS

Auxiliary Chaplain's Reports should be made from April 1st to March 31st each year. As soon as completed (early in April) it should be sent to the Department Chaplain, so that she can consolidate all reports for the Department Encampment.

Department Chaplains should forward their reports to the National Chaplain immediately following the close of their Department Encampments so the National Chaplain can consolidate her report prior to the National Encampment.

1981 NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT

The Pennsylvania Department is very busy planning for our National Encampment which will be held August 9 to 13, at City Line Holiday Inn, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Committee on arrangements is: Irene Murphy Stoudt, P.N.P., Chairman; Viola L. Bremme, P.N.P., Caroline E. Riddell, P.N.P., Esther Peiper, P.D.P., Dorothy Kegerise, Dept. Pres. From all indications it will be a most pleasant and enjoyable one and I hope that every sister will try to attend.

DEPARTMENT ENCAMPMENTS—1981

DEPARTMENT

CALIFORNIA & PACIFIC		
COLORADO & WYOMING	Manitou Springs	June 7-9
CONNECTICUT	East Hartford	May 2-3
ILLINOIS	Peoria	June 18
INDIANA		
IOWA	Des Moines	June 19-20
MAINE		
MARYLAND-DELAWARE	Wilmington	May 2-3
MASSACHUSETTS	Chicopee	April 24-26
MICHIGAN		
MISSOURI		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Merrimack	April 17-18
NEW JERSEY	Avon-By-The-Sea	June 4-6
NEW YORK		
OHIO	Alliance	June 26-28
OREGON-WASHINGTON		
PENNSYLVANIA	York	June 22-23
RHODE ISLAND	Warwick	April 11
VERMONT		
WISCONSIN	Milwaukee	June 13

To the Department President or Secretary where the place and time of your Encampment is missing, I would appreciate receiving this information as soon as possible, so that I can get my itinerary together. My thanks to those who have already responded.

QUARTERLY REPORTS

All quarterly reports with check for per capita tax made payable to Miss M. Helen Loll, Nat'l. Treas., should be sent to the National Secretary, Mrs. Florence M. Jansson, 700 Newark Avenue, Jersey City, New Jersey 07306, immediately after the close of each quarter. Please be prompt in submitting your reports to these National Officers.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Mrs. Lenore D. Glass, P.N.P., 1185 Pedro Street, Room 141, San Jose, California 95126.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

February 12	Birthday of Abraham Lincoln
February 22	Birthday of George Washington
April 9	Appomattox Day
April 27	Birthday of Ulysses S. Grant
May 30	Memorial Day
June 14	Flag Day

IN MEMORIAM

Sympathy of the National Organization is extended to all who have lost loved ones. May God comfort and sustain you in your sorrow.

ILLNESS

P.N.P. Jessie Wells is now home after spending eight months in the hospital. She will always remember how thoughtful you have all been to her.

National Secretary Florence M. Jansson is home from the hospital and doing very well. We hope her progress will continue. Sister Florence wishes to thank all for the many cards, messages, prayers, etc., sent to her while she was in the hospital and at home.

To all who are ill or have illness in their homes we sincerely wish all a speedy recovery.

NATIONAL PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

On October 25th, 1980 the Department of Massachusetts Sons and Auxiliary, under the capable Chairmanship of P.N.P. Minnie Madeiros, honored me with a Testimonial Dinner and Reception at the Yankee Drummer Inn in Auburn, Massachusetts. It was a wonderful time and I think enjoyed by all. It was well attended and I received many lovely gifts. My thanks to those who shared my night.

On November 15th, 1980 as your National President, I had the honor of presenting a wreath at the monument of Albert Woolson in Zieglers Grove at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. I brought the greetings from our Organization at the Remembrance Day Program in the Visitors Center Auditorium. In the evening I was a guest of the Pennsylvania Past Commanders and Past Presidents Association at their Dedication Day Banquet. My thanks to the Pennsylvania Department for all the courtesies extended to me.

No longer forward nor behind
I look in hope or fear,
But graceful, take the good I find,
The best of now and here.

Yours in Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty,

Lelia M. Turner
National President

Attest: Florence M. Jansson
National Secretary