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LOYALTY IS REMEMBRANCE

The 95th Annual Encampment, Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War will be held in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 9—13, 1981. Headquarters will be at the City Line Holiday Inn, City Avenue and Monument Road, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19131. Reservation cards are available from secretaries and should be made directly with the hotel, stating your Organization and the time of arrival and departure. A confirmation should be requested. Rates have been quoted as follows:

Single room	\$38.00
Double Room	\$38.00
3 or 4 in a Room	\$4.00 each person per night
Additional Cots	\$4.00 per night

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 1981

Morning Worship	Church of your choice
11:00 A.M. Nondenominational Worship Service	Ballroom
12:30 P.M. Registration (Credential Committee)	
1:00 P.M. Department Presidents meet with National Chaplain for rehearsal for Memorial Service	
1:30 P.M. Council Meeting	Headquarters
3:00 P.M. Joint Memorial Service	
4:00 P.M. National Officers, Past National Presidents and National Aides meet with Chief of Staff	

8:00 P.M.	Campfire, Allied Orders	Ballroom
8:30 P.M.	Sons 100th Birthday Party	Ballroom

MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 1981

7:00 A.M.	Department Presidents' Breakfast with National President	
8:00 A.M.	Registration (Credential Committee)	
9:30 A.M.	Joint Opening, Sons and Auxiliary	Regency "A"
10:30 A.M.	Business Session	
12:00 Noon	Recess	
1:30 P.M.	Business Session	
3:00 P.M.	Presentation by National Patriotic Instructor	
4:30 P.M.	Recess	
	Banquet—Past Commanders in Chief and Past National Presidents	
8:00 P.M.	Exemplification of Ritual—Pennsylvania Dept.	
9:00 P.M.	Courtesy Hour	

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 1981

8:00 A.M.	Registration (Credential Committee)	
9:00 A.M.	Business Session	
12:00 Noon	Recess	
1:30 P.M.	Business Session, Nomination of Officers	
2:30 P.M.	Greetings Received	
4:00 P.M.	Recess	
	Banquet and Reception honoring National Officers—Sons and Auxiliary	

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1981

9:00 A.M.	Business Session, Installation of Officers
1:30 P.M.	Council Meeting (Old and New)
8:00 P.M.	Entertainment and Dancing

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1981

Tour of Historic Philadelphia

PLEASE NOTE: The time and place for the various affairs, where not shown above, will be announced on Saturday evening or Sunday—August 8th or 9th.

ENCAMPMENT APPOINTMENTS

PARLIAMENTARIAN ...	Edna S. Lambert, P.N.P., New Jersey
GUIDE	Wilma Murphy, P.D.P., Mass.
ASSISTANT GUIDE	Mary Kramer, P.D.P., Penn.

COLOR GUARD #1 Esther Peiper, P.D.P., Penn.
COLOR GUARD #2 Dorothy Santos, P.D.P., Rhode Island
INSIDE GUARD
OUTSIDE GUARD Mary Lucas, Md.—Del.
MUSICIAN Emma Wheeler, P.N.P., New Hampshire
STENOGRAPHER Marguerite Bonnell, P.D.P., New Jersey
ESCORTS Dorris Schlenker, P.D.P., Md.—Del., Chairman;
Marlene Carnduff, Illinois; Catherine Stocking, P.D.P., Conn.;
Norma Garney, Mass.; Jane Graham, P.D.P., Ohio;
Freda Harrington, P.P., Mass.
PAGES Mary Willey, P.D.P., Mass.
Nancy Green, Ohio

ALL NATIONAL OFFICERS, FLOOR OFFICERS, ESCORTS
AND PAGES ARE REQUESTED TO WEAR FLOOR LENGTH
WHITE DRESSES DURING THE ENTIRE ENCAMPMENT.

ENCAMPMENT COMMITTEES

ARRANGEMENTS: Irene M. Stoudt, P.N.P., Chairlady; Viola L.
Bremme, P.N.P., Caroline E. Riddell, P.N.P., Esther Peiper,
P.D.P., Dorothy Kegerise, D.P., all of the Pennsylvania
Department.

CREDENTIALS: Florence M. Jansson, National Secretary, Chair-
lady; Dorothy L. Hilyard, P.N.P., Md.-Del., Rosella Vanac,
P.D.P., Mo., Minnie Burkhardt, P.D.P., Conn., Margaret Beilby,
P.D.P., N.Y.

ELECTION COMMITTEE: Mary H. Scofield, D.P., Conn., Chair-
lady; Margaret Underwood, P.D.P., Mich., Hilda Junge, P.D.P.,
N.J.

OFFICERS REPORTS: Flora D. Bates, P.N.P., Mass., Chairlady;
Marie Doran, P.D.P., Illinois, Hilda Junge, P.D.P., New Jersey.

RESOLUTIONS: Ursula Shepardson, P.N.P., Mass., Chairlady;
Nellie H. Hawley, P.N.P., Iowa.

PRESS: Margaret Carter, National Press Correspondent, Chairlady;
Mary Centini, P.D.P., Penn.

LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS: Ellinore K. Johnson, P.N.P., Wis.,
Chairlady; Elizabeth Mellor, P.D.P., Mass.

RESTORATION OF RANK: Eileen Coombs, P.N.P., Maine, Chair-

lady; Eva Wyman, P.D.P., New Hampshire.

GREETINGS COMMITTEES

SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR: Emma Wheeler, P.N.P., Chairlady; Eva Wyman, P.D.P., N.H.; entire New England Delegation.

RESPONSE TO SONS: Dorothy Hilyard, P.N.P., Md.-Del.

RESPONSE TO COMMANDER IN CHIEF: Beatrice Riggs, P.N.P., Cal.

LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC: Marion E. Combs, P.N.P., New Jersey, Chairlady; Claire Monahan, P.D.P., Penn.; Eileen Coombs, P.N.P., Maine.

RESPONSE TO LADIES: Minnie Madeiros, P.N.P., Mass.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS: Mary Johnston, Dept. Pres., Maine

RESPONSE TO ALL OTHER GUESTS: Florence H. Forbey, P.N.P., Illinois.

ANY SISTER UNABLE TO SERVE ON A COMMITTEE, PLEASE NOTIFY ME AT ONCE, SO REPLACEMENTS CAN BE MADE.

TO ALL NATIONAL OFFICERS

All National Officers are requested to prepare a typewritten report in duplicate, to be read at the National Encampment. If you cannot attend, please forward your report to National Secretary Florence Jansson prior to the Encampment.

Recommendations should be forwarded to the Chairman of Officers Reports, Flora D. Bates, P.N.P., 8 Brandywine Drive, Apt. C, Shrewsbury, Mass. 01545, not later than July 31, 1981.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Chairmen of Standing Committees listed in the Roster are requested to prepare a report to be read at the Encampment. If you find that you cannot attend, please send your report to Florence M. Jansson, National Secretary, 700 Newark Avenue, Apt. 607, Jersey City, N.J. 07306, no later than July 31, 1981.

ATTENTION DEPARTMENT PRESIDENTS

You will please meet with the National Chaplain Ruth Appleby on Sunday, August 9th, at 1:00 P.M., for rehearsal of the Memorial Service.

All Department Presidents are requested to prepare a brief written report to read on the activities of their Department during the past year. If you are unable to attend the National Encampment, forward your report to the National Secretary prior to July 31, 1981.

You are reminded to be sure that the reports of your Department Patriotic Instructor and Department Chaplain have been completed and forwarded to their respective National Officers, at the close of your Department Convention. This is very important so these two National Officers can complete their reports.

Please urge your Department Secretary and Treasurer to forward their June quarterly reports promptly to the National Secretary and Treasurer, so they can complete their consolidated reports for the National Encampment.

Department Presidents will please wear floor length white dresses for the Memorial Service and during business sessions of the Encampment.

MEMBERSHIP

All Auxiliary Vice Presidents are requested to forward names of new members and sisters who secured them to the National Vice President Mary Jane Simpson, 2025 Cleveland Avenue, West Lawn, Pa. 19609.

NATIONAL CHIEF OF STAFF

The National Chief of Staff needs the support of all our members. If you have not already donated to her fund, try to do so soon. She is working hard for our Organization. Make checks payable to M. Helen Loll, National Treasurer, but send to Jennie Russell, Natl. Chief of Staff, 3 Hudson Street, Malden, Mass. 02148, for proper credit.

ADDITIONAL NATIONAL AIDES FOR 1980—81

CALIFORNIA & PACIFIC: Connie Likens, Edith Cook, Edith Holt

ILLINOIS: Olive Gumbinger, Dorothy Schafer, Kathryn Van Trump, Marie Doran, Marlene Carnduff.

NEW YORK: Linda Fields, Charity Ging, Katherine Brown, Ruth Evelion, Myrtle Phillips, Dorothy Zukowski, Isabella Roberts, Elizabeth Orman, Patricia Loomis.

RHODE ISLAND: Ora Moitoso, Mae MaComber.

MESSAGE FROM NATIONAL PATRIOTIC INSTRUCTOR

Department Secretaries—if you have not been contacted due to a little problem with the mail, please rush a complete list of your Department Auxiliaries along with their Secretary's or President's name and address, to the National Patriotic Instructor, Mrs. Marjorie Grate Smith, 1295 Edgewood N.E., Warren, Ohio 44483. Chance books are available and donations of gift prizes will be appreciated.

RITUALISTIC WORK

The Department of Pennsylvania will perform the Ritualistic Work on Monday, August 10th, at 8:00 P.M. If you have candidates, please have them there. These sisters do a fine job and deserve to have you there to watch them. Please try to be there.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Be sure that you have your Membership Card properly made out and signed, ready to show for admission to the Encampment.

CREDENTIALS

Credentials must be signed by your Auxiliary President and Secretary and stamped with the Auxiliary Seal. Be sure credentials are properly filled out.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

P.N.P. Hazel L. Moushey, 659 Westchester Court, Kirkwood, Missouri 63122.

P.N.P. Flora D. Bates, 8 Brandywine Drive, Apt. C, Shrewsbury, Mass. 01545.

GET WELL MESSAGE

We have had many sisters who have been ill this past year and I pray that they are now on the road to complete recovery.

IN MEMORIAM

On behalf of our National Organization, I extend deepest sympathy to all who have lost loved ones.

NOTE OF THANKS

P.N.P. Hazel Moushey wants to thank all who sent her cards and messages of good health.

P.N.P. Jessie Wells wishes to thank all the Past National Presidents and others for their many cards and messages of encouragement while in the hospital and at home. They have been deeply appreciated.

MEMBERSHIP-AT-LARGE

In August 1978 those in attendance at the National Encampment in

Grand Rapids accepted the recommendation of then National President Marion E. Combs to institute a membership-at-large program designed to offer membership to those women who want to join our Auxiliary but who live too far from an active Auxiliary to allow them to become active in a local Auxiliary. The program got under way in the spring of 1979 and now, two years later, we have a total of twenty-six members-at-large of the National Organization. If you have any relative or friends who would like to become members-at-large, please write to P.N.P. Marion E. Combs, Coordinator of Membership-At-Large, P.O. Box 6193, Lawrenceville, N.J. 08648 and she will send information to them.

SUPPLIES

The National Treasurer is forced to increase prices on the following items because new badges came in at a higher cost, and also because of increased postage rates:

Membership badges	\$6.50
Past Auxiliary President badges	7.50
100 Membership Cards	1.50
50 Credentials	1.50

HONOR ROLL AND LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

Members are reminded of our Life Membership and Honor Roll programs which were approved at the August, 1978 Annual Encampment.

The cost for Life Membership is as follows:

Under age 60	\$150.00
Age 60—69	125.00
Age 70 and over	100.00

Dues must be paid for one year after the purchase of the Life Membership. After that period, interest at \$6.00 per year will be mailed each January to the Life Member's Auxiliary as her dues payment for that year.

The purpose of the Honor Roll is to honor persons living or deceased. Anyone who desires may contribute \$10.00 or more to the Fund in memory of a loved one or in honor of a living person. A permanent record is kept of all contributions, and an Honor Roll certificate is mailed to the donor.

Life Membership and Honor Roll fees are placed in the Permanent Fund of the National Organization.

More information on either of these programs can be obtained from the National Treasurer.

INSTALLATION REPORTS

Please forward Installation Reports immediately following installation of Department Officers to the National Secretary Florence Jansson, so the voting list can be prepared prior to National Encampment. Include a list of members entitled to vote in order to avoid errors.

ATTENTION DEPARTMENT SECRETARIES AND TREASURERS

The books of the National Secretary and Treasurer will close July 25th. Please have your June Quarterly reports in before that date. If your Department is delinquent with their June Reports and Per Capita Tax at the time of our National Encampment, your Department will not be entitled to representation at the Encampment. Department Secretaries are requested to identify the number of Associate Members included in their Department membership total.

100TH ANNIVERSARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND FUNDS

The year 1983, when our National Organization will celebrate its 100th Anniversary, is rapidly approaching. This committee was appointed to make an appeal for contributions and funds, no matter how small or large, to make it possible to mark our first century in a manner befitting our noble Heritage.

Make checks payable to M. Helen Loll, National Treasurer, but send to Minnie E. Madeiros, P.N.P., the chairlady, 307 Tarkiln Hill Road, New Bedford, Mass. 02745.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

In this, my last General Orders, I hope that I have not neglected to put in everything that should be there. I still have a ways to go before my year is over and a lot to do. I have made some visits and I thank the sisters and brothers who have made my visits so enjoyable. My thanks also for the many courtesies shown to me.

To my Commander in Chief, Richard Wyman, it has been a pleasure to serve with you this year. We will be traveling more together which will be good for both of us. Thank you for the many courtesies you have shown me.

To Eleanor Lowe, National President of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, Carolyn Rockwell, National President of the Woman's Relief Corps and Marguerite Lewis, National President of Daughters of Union Veterans, it has been a pleasure to serve with you this year, although our paths did not cross too often. To each of you I extend my best wishes for a constructive and harmonious Encamp-

ment.

To my official family, I have enjoyed serving with you this year and you have been most cooperative. To those who have represented me at functions that I could not attend and to those who might do so before my year is over, please accept my greatest thanks. I shall have some wonderful memories when my year is over.

May we plan and build for the future
Without hope of personal gain,
Bury all that is selfish within us
That our Order may achieve and attain.

Yours in Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty,

Lelia M. Turner, National President

Attest:

Florence M. Jansson
National Secretary