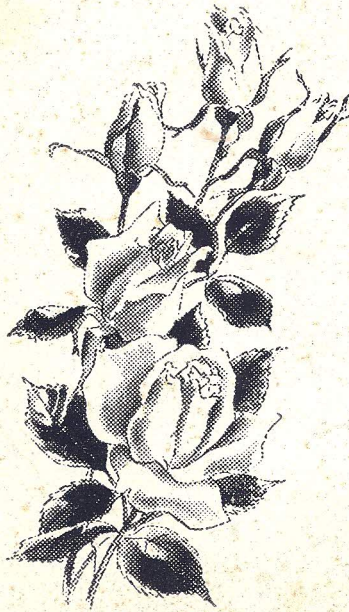


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MADISON, N. J.

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1952



GRAND EXALTED RULER HOWARD R. DAVIS

Madison Lodge is indeed fortunate in having as its honored guest Brother Howard R. Davis from Williamsport Pa., Lodge No. 173. The lodge extends to Brother Davis a sincere welcome and we trust that his stay with us will linger long in his memory.

Brother Davis began his career in Elksdom in 1910, when he was initiated in Williamsport Lodge No. 173. Nine years later he was elected Exalted Ruler. In 1922 he was appointed District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler for Pennsylvania's North Central District. In the same year he was elected to the Board of Trustees of the State Elks Association; he was elected vice president of the Association in 1928 and presided the following year.

Mr. Davis served two years on the Grand Lodge State Associations committee in 1936-38. Later he was a member of the Grand Lodge Activities Committee and in 1945 he served as chairman of the State Associations Committee.

At the 1943 convention, he was elected Grand Esteemed Leading Knight. In 1946, he was elected to fill a one year vacancy on the Board of Grand Trustees and the following year he was elected to a full, five-year term, from which post he stepped into the Grand Exalted Rulership.

TESTIMONIAL DINNER

to

Grand Exalted Ruler Howard R. Davis



PROGRAM

Assembly in Grill 6:30 P.M.

Assembly in Lodge Room 7:30 P.M.

Toastmaster Hon. Howard F. Barrett

National Anthem

Invocation Rev. James L. Fallon
(St. Vincents R.C. Church)

Welcome Joseph P. Finnegan ER

Dinner

Introduction William V. Evans PER DDGER

Address Howard R. Davis, Grand Exalted Ruler

Auld Lang Syne

Benediction Rev. William L. Nieman
(Grace Episcopal Church)

Retire to Grill

"Here stop and spend a social hour in harmless mirth and fun.
Let friendship reign; be just and kind and evil speak of none."

Eleven O'Clock Toast William J. Jernick, Grand Treasurer

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Monday, January 14, 1959

7:30 p.m.



MENU

OLIVES

CELERY

SHRIMP COCKTAIL

ROLLS

BUTTER

ROAST TURKEY

MASHED POTATOES

GREEN PEAS

AVACADO PEAR SALAD

ICE CREAM

COOKIES

COFFEE

OFFICERS OF MADISON LODGE #1465

EXALTED RULER
Joseph P. Finnegan

ESTEEMED LEADING KNIGHT
Edward W. Harris

ESTEEMED LOYAL KNIGHT
Carl Rohner

ESTEEMED LECTURING KNIGHT
Clarence Crumm

SECRETARY
Seymour S. Young

TREASURER
William B. Cavanaugh

TILER
Julius Borchert

TRUSTEES
Herbert F. West PER

Edward G. Eskesen PER
James Mulholland

Andrew F. Polite PER, PDD
James O. Hackett

CHAPLAIN
Albert Steitz

ESQUIRE
Edward G. Eskesen PER

INNER GUARD
Frank Eskesen

ORGANIST
David Edwards

PAST EXALTED RULERS

A. J. Hoffmann*	1923-1924	
Henry M. Barnard*	1924-1925	
Harry I. Hall*	1925-1926	
Harry R. Miller*	1926-1927	
Maurice B. Earley	1927-1928	
John R. Mitchell, Jr.	1928-1929	
Alfred J. Roehrs	1929-1930	
Edward H. Behre, Jr.	1930-1931	
Thomas A. Dunne	1931-1932	
H. Parks Greer*	1932-1933	1936-1937
Andrew F. Polite	1933-1934	1938-1939
S. B. Flanagan	1934-1935	
Louis S. Hinds	1935-1936	
Theodore E. Hinds	1937-1938	
George R. Vibbert	1939-1940	
Everett G. Van Arnam	1940-1941	
William S. Codd	1941-1942	
Edward G. Eskesen	1942-1943	
Patrick V. Doran	1943-1944	
Herbert F. West	1944-1945	
Theodore F. Schraft	1945-1946	
Joseph P. Finnegan	1946-1947	1951-1952
W. Alistair MacDonald	1947-1948	
William V. Evans	1948-1949	
John J. Laden	1949-1950	
Leslie B. Veader	1950-1951	

*Deceased

GRAND EXALTED RULERS TESTIMONIAL BANQUET COMMITTEES

Chairman	Norman J. Griffiths
Co-Chairman	W. Alistair MacDonald PER
Secretary	Edward G. Eskesen PER
Treasurer	William B. Cavanaugh
Banquet	Walter L. Purvis
Program	Leslie B. Veader PER
Reception	Raymond L. Patterson
Gift	Theodore F. Schraft PER
Publicity	John S. Brodhead, Jr.
Tickets	William V. Evans PER, DDGER
Decorations	Edward G. Eskesen PER
Refreshments	Vincent D. McCoy

