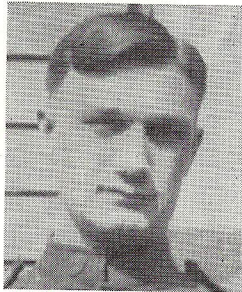
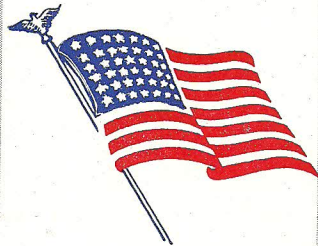


# † Our Departed Brothers †

Some were cut down in the fullness of their vigor, while others journeyed along to the mellowness of life's late-setting sun. Yet the clock of their days did stop, and across its dial motionless shadows now mark the hour of eleven.



PRIVATE CARL C. STOLLER



CAPTAIN ROBERT L. KIMMEL

Two gold stars on the service flags of our lodge indicate that Private Carl C. Stoller was killed in action in World War I, on November 3rd, 1918, and that Captain Robert L. Kimmel paid the supreme sacrifice in World War II on January 10th, 1945.

E. A. Deardorff  
F. L. Cox  
John Gerber  
C. A. Smith  
C. H. Acey  
John Reusser  
Ed. Ohliger  
F. C. Harvey  
Fred Alexander  
J. F. Kaldenbaugh  
B. C. Hendershott  
S. E. Dotts  
C. A. Ruppenthal  
D. D. Morgan  
J. C. Kelley  
Carl Stoller  
Carl V. Snyder  
J. L. Swisshelm  
Arthur Pemberton  
J. W. Scott  
H. R. Pollock  
W. E. Crites  
D. O. VanKirk  
H. A. Acey  
Fred Kuenzli  
Wm. A. Senhauser  
C. T. Stevenson  
Park M. Reiser  
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C. E. Brooks  
Ed. H. Beddows  
S. S. Urfer  
Warren C. Hitt  
Carl F. Reiser  
R. W. Pyle  
W. E. Callahan  
John F. Gerber

Emery H. Ankney  
Elmer Morgan  
Charles H. Fox  
Ed. Kaltenbaugh  
George Helmreich  
A. H. Towner  
Wm. E. Seibert  
Harry Weidericht  
Charles Kempf  
Jesse Dotts  
Sam B. Shaffer  
O. C. J. Stiffler  
Ed. F. Schoch  
Edward Schmidt  
Howard Hughes  
Charles E. Zeigler  
Roy Browning  
Ralph W. Emerson  
Wm. F. Demuth  
Wm. W. Sharp  
R. E. Feagles  
Charles W. Wolf  
Wm. R. Sharp  
John Burri  
A. E. Getz  
Charles F. Englehart  
Curtis M. Sherman  
Roy Morgan  
R. S. Barton  
John T. Diefenbacher  
Leonard L. Whyte  
Frank S. English  
George W. Getz  
Frank E. Meredith  
Thomas M. Morgan  
Charles F. Becker  
Frank B. Sharp

J. Edward Hurst  
Joseph E. Ebright  
George F. Williams  
John W. Mathias  
Arthur J. Dorsey  
George Martin  
Jesse L. Springer  
Ralph B. Peoples  
Edward A. Evans  
John M. Evans  
Michael Seibold  
David D. Thomas  
Dalzel Pedlar  
Homer G. Frew  
John B. Spiker  
S. H. Herron  
Henry N. Rainsberger  
Harry W. Schenk  
Ralph W. Walker  
Wm. L. Junkins  
R. W. Frederick  
H. A. Coleman  
William Kaley  
J. M. Smith  
Frank C. Carnahan  
Allan C. Andreas  
John LaFountain  
Ed. T. Ditto  
Russell A. Seibert  
John F. White  
Leroy Springer  
Orrin W. Jackson  
Clark Swisshelm  
O. F. H. Kaserman  
Wayne T. Host  
T. B. Stroup  
James A. Linn

Arlington Sewell  
Charles T. Sharp  
George R. Feidler  
Paul J. Alspaugh  
W. A. Stellars  
T. P. Kline  
Edward C. Patterson  
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Samuel B. Meyers  
H. C. Cappel  
Warren H. Tonkin  
Richard Kalt  
Wilfred B. Breyer  
Walter G. Nickels  
Monroe Miller  
Mario Crescio  
Walter E. Crites  
Charles T. Lintz  
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F. W. Thompson  
E. M. Blackburn  
Floyd H. Packard  
John J. Parr  
Ivan W. Stocksdales  
William Seibold  
Robert L. Kimmel  
H. E. Burnside  
John Schoch  
Harry G. Orr  
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Ray Hemmenger, Jr.  
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S. H. Green  
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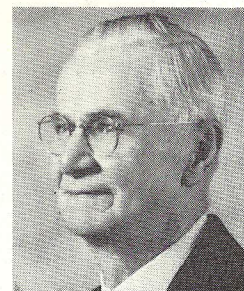
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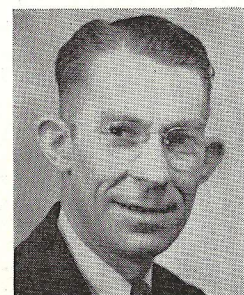
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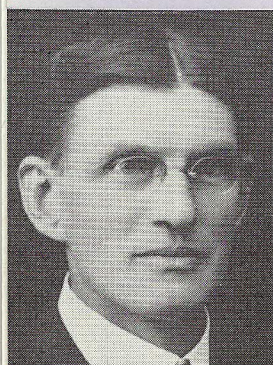
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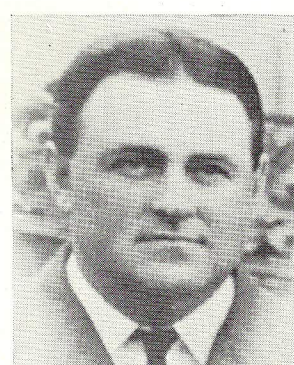
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1905-1906



**A. E. LIMBACH**  
1906-1907

# OUR LODGE HISTORY

A half-century of public service and leadership in the field of fraternalism are the achievements marking the Golden Jubilee celebration of New Philadelphia Lodge No. 510 Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, which culminates today in the dedication of a beautiful, new \$150,000 addition to its imposing home.

The progress and growth of the lodge, synonymous with the evolution of New Philadelphia from a small village to a thriving city, has elevated the organization to a place among the order's outstanding units in this section of the nation.

Like most great things, No. 510 had a humble beginning when, on June 22, 1899, the lodge was instituted with 52 leading citizens of the community as charter members. The dispensation authorizing 510 was issued by Grand Exalted Ruler Galvin.

From 1899 until the present time—with the exception of a brief interval in 1906 when demits were issued to 25 of its members to enable them to become charter members of Dover Lodge No. 975, the local lodge enjoyed a steady growth both in membership and influence in the community. Its membership rolls now contain the names of 750 men from all walks of life.

The petition for establishment of the lodge was signed by Dr. R. S. Barton of Canton Lodge No. 68; Thomas Fury and H. B. Lukens of Wheeling Lodge No. 28; C. A. Conway, A. E. Getz, J. F. Gerber, John Reusser, all of Uhrichsville Lodge No. 424; and C. H. Ackey, A. L. Wible, J. F. Kaldenbaugh and Adam Gintz. All of them are now deceased.

The first Exalted Ruler of the lodge was the late Mayor C. H. Ackey, who became the first of four men to be elected to serve two terms in the lodge's highest office. Others similarly honored were the late H. E. Palmer, City Health Commissioner Kirkwood Glauser and L. R. Click, the latter of whom is currently chairman of the building committee.



# ( O U R L O D G E *H* I S T O R Y )

Only four of the lodge's original charter members are living. They are Ed. Burri, retired tailor, and Henry H. Seibold, president of the Peoples Bank and Savings Co., both of this city; Frank LePage of Dover, a retired druggist, and Edward W. Price of Warren.

The leadership of No. 510 in Elkdom manifested itself almost with its inception. The same year the lodge was instituted, it was represented by a large and colorful delegation at the first annual convention of the Ohio State Elks' Association in Cleveland. As the "baby" lodge of the state, its delegates were dressed as infants and carried nursing bottles. They scored such a hit at the Cleveland meeting that they succeeded in having the state association hold its second annual meeting in this city the following year, thus writing one of the most brilliant pages in the history of the lodge.

The unexpected development resulted the following winter in the lodge presenting the first in a long and brilliant series of home talent minstrel shows, under the direction of Sebastian (Boss) Hare and the late E. C. Browne, to finance the coming convention.

The 1900 state convention, staged in a field south of the present Tuscora Park, featured a midway, a "German Village", and a wide assortment of shows and free entertainment. The project netted the lodge a huge profit and enabled it to acquire equipment which gained it a reputation for having the best furnished Elks lodge in Ohio the following year.

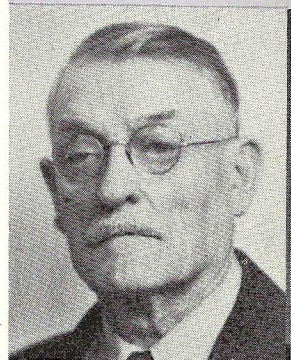
The carnival accompanying the convention was so successful that it was held over for an extra day and the Pennsylvania railroad ran excursion trains to this city from Cleveland and Marietta to accommodate the huge crowds of Elks from other parts of the state.

In the 50 years of its existence, the lodge occupied only three different quarters. Meetings were held from 1899 to 1901 in the I. O. O. F. Temple in South Broadway and from 1901 until 1929 the lodge occupied the entire third floor of the Alexander building in the Public Square. The lodge dedicated its

## PAST EXALTED RULERS



**WM. W. SHARP**  
1914-1915



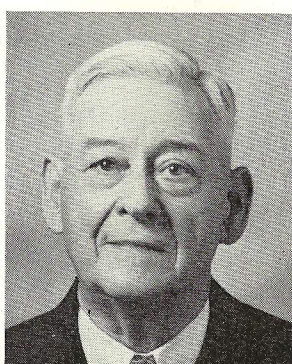
**E. R. BUTLER**  
1913-1914



**T. S. HEPHINGER**  
1911-1912



**H. E. PALMER**  
1907-8 1912-13



**WM. F. HENRY**  
1908-1909

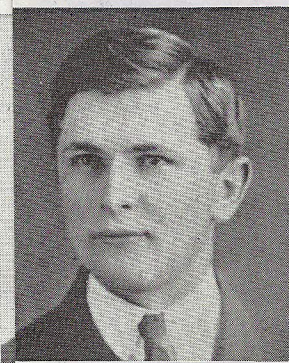


**A. C. ANDREAS**  
1909-1910



**W. I. KINSEY**  
1910-1911





WALTER W. FELLERS  
1915-1916



HARRY G. ORR  
1916-1917



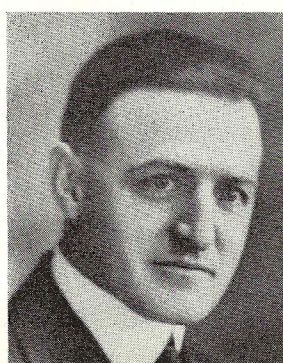
FRANK C. TAYLOR  
1917-1918



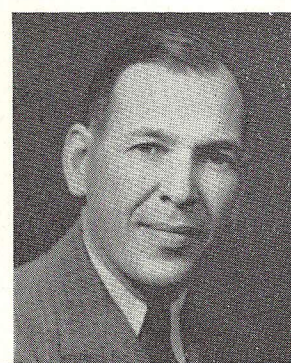
O. C. J. STIFFLER  
1918-1919



KIRKWOOD GLAUSER  
1919-20 1927-28



HOMER G. FREW  
1920-1921



N. C. PARR  
1921-1922

# (OUR LODGE HISTORY)

present home in E. High Ave, constructed at a cost of \$60,000, on June 14, 1929. Principal speaker at the dedication, and for the cornerstone laying ceremonies the preceding Sept. 30, was the Hon. John G. Price, a past grand Exalted Ruler of all Elks lodges in the United States.

The premanent home of the lodge was planned and financed by a holding company incorporated under the name of The Phidelk Co. and composed of Attorney Arthur L. Limbach, president; L. R. Click, secretary; Kirkwood Glauser; and the late Herman Kaserman, Harry Burnside and John C. Thomas.

The present Elks home, envisioned by pioneer members of the lodge as early as 1912, inspired the lodge officers to stage a street fair and homecoming celebration from Sept. 23 to 28th, 1912, for the benefit of their building fund. The event, one of the largest and most successful ever held in the city, further enhanced the history of the lodge. It not only was a financial success but it attracted many new members.

The lodge's progressive development under the direction of outstanding leaders has resulted in numerous members being honored with high offices in the order. Four of them—the late William W. Sharp, the late A. C. Andreas, Dr. V. E. Berg and Joe E. Hurst—served terms as District Deputy Grand Exalted Rulers. Norman C. Parr and Dr. Berg served as presidents of the Ohio State Elks Association.

No history of No. 510 would be complete without passing mention concerning the many civic, social and benevolent projects of the lodge. At different intervals through the years, the lodge has financed and sponsored baseball and other sports teams, a widely known lodge band, a male chorus and two celebrated vocal quartets which appeared before countless gatherings. The original quartet was composed of Al Getz, Sebastian (Boss) Hare, Ed. Schmidt and Al Kuenzli. Its successor, the 510'ers, is currently composed of Vic Marsh, George Reiser, Guy Kimmel and Joe E. Hurst.



# ( O U R L O D G E *H* I S T O R Y )

Always ready to hear and respond to the cry of affliction, the lodge has exemplified the cardinal principals of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity continuously during its existence. As early as 1907, the lodge raised a sum of money for the relief of the victims of the San Francisco earthquake and fire. In 1908 the lodge collected and sent a railroad carload of used clothing to the destitute residents of the Monogah coal mining district. Six years later, a fund was raised to pay-off a mortgage on the Christian church at Dayton, Ky.

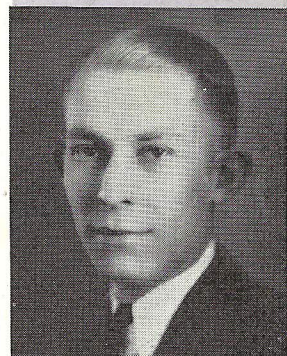
Members of No. 510 have given freely of their money and time for numerous other worthy projects, including an annual Christmas party for needy children of the city; presentation of an "iron lung" to Union hospital for use of any person in need of it; and generous contributions to the annual drives for the Red Cross, Community Chest, Cancer Society, Infantile Paralysis Foundation, and Union Hospital. A benefit minstrel was produced last year to aid the hospital building fund and in recent years the lodge has annually banqueted members of the New Philadelphia high school football team.

The lodge's record for benevolence is rivaled by its extensive patriotic activities both in peace and war eras. It holds Flag Day exercises annually and on several occasions has honored newly naturalized citizens at Americanization meetings. Its two service flags show that 44 members served in the armed forces during World War I and that 103 members were in uniform during the last great conflict. Two of its members gave up their lives on the field of battle—Carl C. Stoller in the first World War and Capt. Robert Kimmel in World War II.

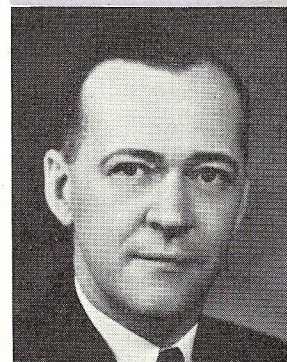
With an all-time record membership and one of the largest and most elaborate homes in the state, prospects for continued leadership of No. 510, both in the life of the community and in Elkdome in general, loom bright as the lodge enters the second 50 years of its existence.



## PAST EXALTED RULERS



**M. W. STECHOW**  
1930-1931



**L. R. CLICK**  
1928-1930



**WM. T. BEDDOWS**  
1926-1927



**V. O. MATHIAS**  
1922-1923



**GEORGE SHONK**  
1923-1924



**F. L. KIMMEL**  
1924-1925



**FRANK H. GETZ**  
1925-1926