

ANNUAL
Memorial Service

B. P. O. ELKS, No. 213

YORK, PA.



To Our Absent Brothers

*"We tread the paths their feet have worn,
We sit beneath their orchard trees,
We hear, like them, the hum of bees
And rustle of the bladed corn;
We turn the pages that they read,
Their written words we linger o'er,
But in the sun they cast no shade.
No voice is heard; no sign is made,
No step is on the conscious floor!
Yet Love will dream, and Faith will trust,
That somehow, somewhere, meet we must."*

ELKS' HOME

Sunday Evening, December Second

NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE

AT 8:30 O'CLOCK

Program

SUNDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 2, 1951

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PIANO PRELUDE—"Battle Hymn of the Republic" . . . *Wilhousky*

"ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" *Simrone*

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INTRODUCTORY EXERCISES Exalted Ruler
and Officers of York Lodge 213, B. P. O. Elks

PRAYER Chaplain—Oscar H. Altland, P. E. R.

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EXALTED RULER'S ANNOTATION Luther L. Stoppard

"THE VACANT CHAIR"—Elks Quartette *Root*

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ALTAR SERVICE Officers of York Lodge

"SANCTUS" *Schubert*

MEMORIAL ORATION Rev. Harold J. Crouse

SELECTION—"Auld Lang Syne" Audience

CLOSING Exalted Ruler and Chaplain

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*—One rap of the gavel seats the audience.

**—Two raps of the gavel calls the officers to their feet.

***—Four raps of the gavel calls the audience to their feet.

VOCAL NUMBERS BY YORK ELKS CHORUS

Ralph C. Woolley, *Director* — Patsy Burns, *Pianist*

**NAMES OF DEPARTED BROTHERS SINCE
LAST SERVICE**

	<i>Initiated</i>	<i>Died</i>
JOHN A. PFAFF	December 13, 1916	December 17, 1950
LAWRENCE E. GINGERICH	August 1, 1931	February 6, 1951
LESTER K. LOUCKS	January 26, 1927	April 1, 1951
CHARLES L. BUBB	November 24, 1920	April 12, 1951
JAMES B. DENNES	March 26, 1930	June 1, 1951
CLARENCE R. KNAUB	November 7, 1946	June 7, 1951
LOUIS J. APPELL	July 11, 1917	June 23, 1951
JAME H. RUBY	December 10, 1924	September 9, 1951
ADOLPH A. BOSSHART	November 25, 1925	November 14, 1951
O. L. GRISSINGER	May 25, 1921	November 29, 1951

OFFICERS — 1951-52

Exalted Ruler
LUTHER L. STOPPARD

Est. Leading Knight
L. A. WILLSON

Est. Loyal Knight
VERNON M. EPPLEY

Est. Lecturing Knight
WILSON L. BENTZ

Secretary
HORACE H. ZIEGLER

Treasurer
S. S. HAY

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H. O. RUBY, P. E. R. OSCAR H. ALTLAND, P. E. R.
ROBT. F. CULBERTSON, P. D. D. G. E. R.

Esquire
C. J. WORKINGER

Inner Guard
MARTIN L. GOTWALT, SR.

Chaplain
O. H. ALTLAND, P. E. R.

Tiler
EDDIE B. ALLEN

Organist
CHAS. S. SWARTZ





MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

DR. D. L. DOWNING, P. E. R.
J. ALVIN HERTZOG, P. E. R.
WILLIAM G. RINEHART, P. E. R.
GEORGE G. KELLER, P. E. R.
H. OSCAR RUBY, P. E. R.
D. PHILIP YOUNG, P. E. R.
EARL G. STRINE
HORACE H. ZIEGLER