

April 13, 1999



WELCOME to our new members..who will be taking the first and second degrees this evening. We are very happy to have you with us...and hope you will enjoy your affiliation with our good organization. Each will be introduced to you this evening.



HAVE YOU BEEN DOWNSTAIRS? ISN'T IT BEAUTIFUL? Now to keep it that way! I think we will all be on edge for fear there will be spills or whatever...but I guess we have to remember that we have to live with it...and hope for the best. It is so quiet - a fact that was really brought out Sunday at the dinner. Looks so good - will be warmer too - so let's enjoy it. Look at the kitchen also.

THANK YOU to Joanie Campi for the refreshments this evening .. Dom still has not recuperated enough to do the degree work this evening - but he will be back! Thank you, Jerry, and thanks to all for the degree work, and to Don for the tableaux.

NEXT MEETING.. April 27 - potluck supper at 6:30 and the meeting at 8:00. Be sure we know what you will be bringing for supper at the next meeting. And don't forget to bring it!



We were happy to Arlene Hurlbut back with us on Sunday, in the kitchen. She said Win was doing quite well now - he is home, as we know.

SORRY TO SAY that Sister Thelma Hurlbut is still a patient at Gaylord Memorial Rehab in Wallingford. Sure hope she is able to get home soon -



The Antique Car Club will be holding their annual meeting with dinner and a program in the hall this coming Saturday. They've been doing this for about thirty-five years.

WITH THREE WEEKS between meetings I forget what has happened... all I know is everything is BUSY! The Pomona day meeting went very well at Riverton, with a good crowd - total of seventy-seven at the meeting. We did not bring home the banner - as you can see. Ervie and Lil Goodwin made their annual trek down from Vermont for the meeting. Next Pomona meeting will be May 10 - the conferral of the 5th here in this hall.

THINK EVERYONE KNOWS that our dear Ethel Bartholomew died early in April with a memorial service held on April 10. The grange also lost Brother Lew Brundrett a Trustee of Camp Berger for many years.

REMEMBER Clean-up Day at Camp will be April 24 - and it is hoped that many will help...it takes a lot of hands! We will be serving a supper here in the hall for the workers (and anyone else) at 4:00 p.m. with a short Pink Sash meeting to follow and a quick choristers' rehearsal following the meeting. The Spring Concert will be held on May 2 at Cheshire Grange this year and this was the only way we could get the last rehearsal!

Terri will surely mention the Tour of the Mark Twain House on May 1 - this is also the 100th anniversary celebration of Cannon Grange. Don't forget about the Craft and Tag Sale on May 29..

DUES ARE COMING in very well... and I will be getting another little note out to the few who have not yet come through! Just a gentle reminder, you know!

That is just about it for to=night and I hope nothing vital has been forgotten. If so, remind me!

That's it.

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