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**THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE
42nd ANNUAL CONCLAVE OF THE
FLORIDA STATE DEMOLAY ASSOCIATION**

**in honor of
DAD JOSEPH G. ROBERTS
HELD IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA
AUGUST 17 – 21, 1975**

24 October 1975

Dear Florida DeMolay Brother:

The purpose of this 1975-76 edition of the Proceedings of the 42nd Annual Conclave of the Florida State DeMolay Association is to be a record of the business sessions of the Conclave and to be a source of reference.

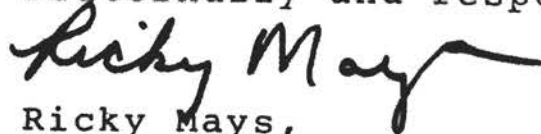
If there is one item in the entire book that I suggest that you read, it is the Revised Copy of the Florida State DeMolay Association Constitution and By-Laws.

Also of interest in this edition is the Revised State Chapter Directory and the New State Sweetheart Rules.

I sincerely hope that this edition of the Proceedings will be a valuable source of reference and interest.

Have a good year.

Fraternally and respectfully yours,



Ricky Mays,
State Scribe

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STATE OFFICERS 1974-75

STATE MASTER COUNCILOR	Rickey Ricks
DEPUTY STATE MASTER COUNCILOR	Warren Peck
STATE SENIOR COUNCILOR	Terry Moores
STATE JUNIOR COUNCILOR	Larry Gillespie
STATE SCRIBE	Joe Cravens
STATE TREASURER	Jim Rose
STATE SENIOR DEACON	Matt Matson
STATE JUNIOR DEACON	Alan Zwass
STATE SENIOR STEWARD	Jim Spellings
STATE JUNIOR STEWARD	Billy Gilly
STATE ALMONER	Scott Brann
STATE SENTINEL	Ron Patchell
STATE ORATOR	Tom Stoddard
STATE MARSHALL	Jeff Smith
STATE STANDARD BEARER	Dan Miller
STATE CHAPLAIN	Steve Baltzeger
STATE FIRST PRECEPTOR	Rusty Harmon
STATE SECOND PRECEPTOR	Ricky Mays
STATE THIRD PRECEPTOR	Ken Nisewanger
STATE FOURTH PRECEPTOR	Gary Castel
STATE FIFTH PRECEPTOR	Gordon Wardell
STATE SIXTH PRECEPTOR	Mike Bailey
STATE SEVENTH PRECEPTOR	Tom Munsell

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State Scribe	- Ricky Mays
State Treasurer	- Marcel Mazeau
State Senior Deacon	- Richard Campbell
State Junior Deacon	- Russ Martin Liachoff
State Senior Steward	- Don Maxey
State Junior Steward	- Daniel Hardy
State Orator	- Tom Stoddard
State Sentinel	- Tim Ivey
State Chaplain	- B.J. Bradley
State Marshal	- Alan Zwass
State Standard Bearer	- Don Farrow
State Almoner	- Richard Munsell
State First Preceptor	- Dean McCoy
State Second Preceptor	- Steve Gove
State Third Preceptor	- Craig Dolch
State Fourth Preceptor	- Bobby LeCroy
State Fifth Preceptor	- Gary Casteel
State Sixth Preceptor	- Greg Buckingham
State Seventh Preceptor	- Tim Taylor

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Committee-----Rick Brown

State Honors and Awards
Committee-----Joel Williams

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Province Master Councilors

Province One-----Gary Casteel

Province Two-----Doug Osteen

Province Three-----

Province Four-----Gordon Wardell

Province Five-----Scott Brann

Province Six-----

Province Seven-----Tom Munsell

Province Eight-----George Avis

Province Nine-----

Province Ten-----Scott McNutt

Sunday, August 17, 1975

Brother Walter Hobbs Ricks, State Master Councilor of the Florida State DeMolay Association opened the 42nd Annual Florida State DeMolay Association Conclave honoring Dad Joseph G. Roberts at 7:15 P.M. on the Initiatory Degree. The Florida State DeMolay Association Chapter was opened on the DeMolay at 7:25 P.M. Immediately after opening on the DeMolay Degree, Brother Ricks and Dad Hunt informally welcomed all of the DeMolays present to the Conclave and the State Chapter was put in a state of recess so that all visitors and sweethearts could enter.

At 7:45 P.M. Dad Wallace J. Moneyhun welcomed all present to the Conclave and introduced Dad Townsend, the State Chapter Dad for the 42nd Annual Conclave. Dad Moneyhun also introduced Brother Larry Gillespie, State Junior Councilor; Brother Terry Moores, State Senior Councilor; Brother Warren Peck, Deputy State Master Councilor; and Brother Walter Hobbs Ricks, State Master Councilor of the Florida State DeMolay Association. Brother Ricks welcomed everyone to the Conclave and introduced Dad G. Lawrence Hunt, Executive Officer in the Jurisdiction of Florida; Dad Joseph G. Roberts, Past Executive Officer of the Jurisdiction of Eastern Florida and an Active Member of the International Supreme Council; and Dad John L. Crofts, 1974-1975 Grand Master of the Order of DeMolay.

Brother Warren Peck gave the Benediction and spoke on the DeMolay Experience.

Brother Tom Stoddard, State Orator, from Bahia Chapter gave the Ceremony of Lights.

Brother Ricks introduced Miss Holly Giroir, State

Sweetheart; Mrs. Frances James, President of the State Mother's Club; Mrs. Carol Brann, Coordinator of Women's Activities for Florida; Miss Marilyn Horst, Grand Honored Queen of Job's Daughters; Mrs. Dee Wagner, Bethel Guardian and Mr. Al Johnson, Associate Bethel Guardian of the Grand Bethel of Job's Daughters in Florida; Miss Kim Frazier, Grand Worthy Advisor of the Grand Assembly of Florida of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

Brother Ricks introduced Past State Councilors Brother Clyde Cooper, and Dad Rusty Glendinning. Brother Ricks then introduced Past State Master Councilors Dad Moneyhun and Dad Buchanan.

Brother Ricks introduced the four Regional Coordinators and the ten Provincial Governors. Dad Moneyhun, Governor of Province Seven announced that he and his wife were expecting a child and formally turned his Provincial Governor's Jewel over to his Lt. Governor, Dad Bill Townsend.

Brother Peck, acting Marshal, introduced the State Staff, Directors and Members of the Board of Administration, and Personal Representatives of the Executive Officer. Next, Brother Peck introduced the ten Province Master Councilors. Brother Peck then introduced State Scribe, Brother Joe Cravens and State Treasurer, Brother Jim Rose.

This public meeting of the Florida State DeMolay Association was closed by Brother Ricks at 9:15 P.M.

Monday, August 18, 1975

The 42nd Annual Conclave of the Florida State DeMolay Association was formally opened at 9:07 A.M. by Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor. The Chapter was immediately put into a state of recess so that the visitors could enter.

Dad William C. Hill, Grand Master of Masons in Florida made an address to the DeMolays and Advisors present.

The meeting was concluded at 10:09 A.M.

Tuesday, August 19, 1975

The 42nd Annual Conclave of the Florida State DeMolay Association was reconvened at 9:12 A.M. by the State Master Councilor, Brother Walter Hobbs Ricks.

Dad Joseph G. Roberts was introduced at the altar and escorted to a seat in the East.

Dad Earnest P. Quarterman was presented in the East to make an announcement about the Masonic Youth Activities Program to give Lapel pins to go along with the certificates for being the Outstanding DeMolay of the Year in a particular Chapter. He said that the pins would be mailed to the DeMolays or would be given to them by the District Chairman of the Masonic Youth Activities Committee. He said that in the future that the lapel pins would be given out along with the certificates.

Several delegates arrived late and were seated in their respective places.

The Credentials Committee Chairman, Brother Moores, took a roll call of the Chapters.

Brother Ricks read parts of the Florida State DeMolay Association by-Laws which were pertinent to the number of delegate-votes from a chapter in the case that one or more delegates registered and attending conclave were absent from a session.

Credentials Committee Report

Delegates (Total) - 79
Simple Majority - 40
2/3 Majority - 53

Brother Cravens, State Scribe, moved that the proceedings of the 41st Annual Conclave of the Florida State DeMolay Association be accepted as printed and distributed. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Ricks stated that upon the approval of the State Minutes that the new State Scribe, Brother Ricky Mays would take over.

Brother Ricks introduced Dad G. Lawrence Hunt for a rap session with the delegates.

Brother Ricks announced that all those who would like to submit a resolution to the Conclave, should turn it in to Brother Rick Brown by 1:30 P.M. Tuesday.

Brother Tom Giroir, Chairman of the State Membership Committee was presented in the East in order to make the State Membership Committee Report. Proposal 1 of the Membership Committee Report was objected to. Proposal 2 of the Membership Committee Report was not objected to. Proposal 3 of the Membership Committee Report was objected to. Brother Teretka objected to Proposal 4 of the Membership Committee. Proposal 5 of the Membership Committee was not objected to. Brother Marcel Mazeau objected to Proposal 6 of the Membership Committee Report. Brother Rusty Harmon objected Proposal 7 of the Membership Committee Report. Proposal 8 of the Membership Committee Report was not objected to. Proposal 9 of the Membership Committee Report was not objected to. Brother Giroir moved that the Proposals 2,5,8, and 9 being unobjected to be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Heise made an amendment to Proposal 1 that the word Province be deleted and that the word Regional be substituted in its place. Seconded. The amendment was defeated. Proposal 1 was voted on and passed. Proposal 3 was voted on and passed after Brother Pederson withdrew his

objection. Brother Teretka, in reference to Proposal 4, asked how much the pamphlets were going to cost. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor, replied that the pamphlets would probably be printed on the Florida State DeMolay Association mimeograph machine on the Florida State DeMolay Association paper and that the amount of money necessary would be decided by the new State Councilors. Brother Teretka then withdrew his objection. Proposal 4 was voted on and passed. Brother Mazeau asked for a brief explanation of exactly what the Golden Spike Award was. Brother Mazeau then withdrew his objection and Proposal 6 was voted on and passed. Brother Harmon made an amendment to Proposal 7 that the words Florida State DeMolay Association be deleted and that the words "Four State Councilors" be added in their place. The amendment was seconded. Motion carried. An amendment was made that the number "2" in the third sentence of Proposal 7 be changed to the number "5". Seconded. Motion defeated. Proposal 7 was then voted on and passed. Brother Giroir moved that the Membership Committee Report be accepted as amended. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Donn Derry, Chairman of the State Knighthood Committee, was presented at the East for the reading of the Knighthood Committee Report. Paragraphs 1, 2, and 3 of the Knighthood Committee Report were not objected to. Brother Donn Derry, Knighthood Committee Chairman moved that the Knighthood Committee Report be accepted as read. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Mike Roberts, Chairman of the Community Action Committee was presented at the East for the reading of the Community Action Committee Report. Proposal 1 of the Community Action Committee Report was objected to by Brother Teretka. Brother Trout objected to Proposal 2 of the Community Action Report. Proposal 3 was not objected to. Brother Wardell objected to Proposal 4. Brother Roberts moved that the unobjected to portion of the Community Action Committee Report be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Teretka asked Brother Roberts if he was aware that in some parts of the State that there are ordinances against having road blocks as mentioned in Proposal 1. Brother Roberts replied that that was the reason for having more than

one suggestion. Brother Teretka then withdrew his objection. Proposal 1 was then voted on and passed. Brother Trout made an amendment to Proposal 2, that the word "parade" be changed to the word "hike". Seconded. Amendment defeated. Proposal 2 was then voted on and passed.. Brother Wardell withdrew his objection to Proposal 4. Proposal 4 was then voted on and passed. Brother Roberts moved that the Community Action Committee Report be approved as amended. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor, introduced Dad Robert Young, Central Regional Coordinator. Dad Young announced the "Masons for America Day" on Sept. 20th in Melbourne. He said that there would be a parade and that he hopes that all chapters would enter a float. Dad Young said that there will be a free fish fry after the parade. Later, there would be an Honorary Initiatory Degree which would be followed by a Legion of Honor Investiture. He said that that night there will be a dance with a live band. Dad Young said that there would be some kind of program, whereby the DeMolays could go to Disney World. He said that for the DeMolays that had to travel a long distance to get to the celebration, housing could be arranged for little or no fee.

Brother Sasser was presented at the East in order to read the State Athletics Committee Report. Brother Barker objected to Proposal 1 of the Athletics Committee Report. Brother Harmon objected to Proposal 2. Brother McNutt objected to Proposal 3. Brother Prettyman objected to Proposal 4. Brother Harmon objected to Proposal 5. Brother McNutt objected to Proposal 6-A. There was no objection to Proposal 6-B. Brother Wardell objected to Proposal 7. Proposal 8 was not objected to. Proposal 9 was not objected to. Brother Harmon objected to proposal 10. Brother Burdett objected to Proposal 11. Proposal 12 was not objected to. Brother Tucker objected to Proposal 13. Proposal 14 was not objected to. Brother Barker objected to Proposal 15. Brother Sasser moved that the unobjected to portions of the Athletics Committee Report be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. A general discussion was held on the advantages and dis-

advantages of introducing a wrestling program into the State Competition level as stated in Proposal 1.

Proposal 1 was then voted on and passed. The State Chapter was then put into a state of recess, to be reconvened at 3:30 P.M.

The State Chapter was reconvened at 3:30 P.M. by Brother Peck, Deputy State Master Councilor. A chapter roll call was made. The chapter began work on finishing up the State Athletics Committee Report. There were no objections to Proposal 2. Proposal 2 was passed. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 3 be accepted. Seconded. Brother Wardell made an amendment to Proposal 3 to delete the word "paid". Seconded. Motion carried. Proposal 3 was accepted as amended. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 4 be accepted. Seconded. Proposal 4 was voted on. Division of the house was called. A stand-up vote was taken. Results: 43 in favor, 44 against. Motion defeated. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 5 be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 6-A be accepted. Seconded. Brother Teretka asked how much extra it would cost to extend Conclave by a day. Proposal 6-A was voted on. Division of the house was called. The Motion was defeated. Brother Wardell moved that Proposal 7 be deleted. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor declared him out of order. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 7 be accepted. An amendment was made by Brother Wagner that the word "another" in Proposal 7 be changed to the word, "same". Seconded. Amendment carried. Proposal 7 was voted on. Division of the house was called. Motion defeated. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 10 be accepted. Seconded. Motion defeated. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 11 be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 13 be accepted. Seconded. Brother Burdett made an amendment to Proposal 13 that the last sentence be deleted and that the following sentence be put in its place: "The competition will be for all active DeMolays." Seconded. Amendment carried. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor stated that the program stated in Proposal 13 was not instituted to be a sports' program per se, but that it was just to be an activity for the younger guys. Motion carried. Brother Sasser moved that Proposal 15 be accepted. Seconded. Brother Barker with-

drew his objection. Motion carried. Brother Sasser moved that the State Athletics Committee Report be accepted as amended. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Zwass, the Chairman of the State Public Relations and Publications Committee, was presented at the East to read the State Public Relations and Publications Committee Report. There were no objections to Proposal 1-A of the Public Relations and Publications Committee Report. Brother Harmon objected to Proposal 1-B. Proposal 1-C was not objected to. Proposal 2 of the Public Relations and Publications Committee Report was not objected to. Proposal 3-A was not objected to. Brother Burdett objected to Proposal 3-B. There were no objections to Proposal 3-C. There were no objections to Proposal 4. There were no objections to Proposal 5. Brother Zwass moved that the unobjected to portions of the State Public Relations and Publications Committee Report, Proposals 1-A, 1-C, 2, 3-A, 3-C, 4, & 5, be approved. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Harmon made an amendment that Proposal 1-B be changed to read as follows: "We would like to make it plain that two papers be sent to the Chapter Dad and one paper be sent to the Chapter Scribe and that they be displayed for the membership to read." Seconded. Amendment carried. Brother Zwass moved that the State Public Relations and Publications Committee Report be approved as amended. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Larry Gillespie, State Junior Councilor was presented at the East to read the State Conduct Committee Report. There were no objections to any part of the State Conduct Committee Report. Brother Gillespie moved that the State Conduct Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother James Rose, State Treasurer was presented at the East for the reading of the State Financial Committee Report. Brother Trout moved that the State Financial Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Brother Mazeau stated that several of the chapters that donated to the Sheriff's Boy's Ranch were not listed as having donated. The motion to approve the report as read was carried.

Brother Peck, State Deputy Master Councilor, was presented in the East to read the State Cabinet Committee Report. There were no objections to the State Cabinet Committee Report. Brother Giroir moved that the State Cabinet Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Motion carried.

A roll call of Provincial Master Councilors was taken. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor thanked Dad Joseph G. Roberts for sitting in on the meeting. The State Chapter was placed in a state of recess at 5:25 P.M.

The State Chapter was reconvened at 8:05 P.M. by Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor. A roll call of chapters was made.

Brother John Boone was presented in the East to read the State Ritual Committee Report. There were no objections to Proposal 1-A of the State Ritual Committee Report. Brother Ettinger objected to Proposal 1-B of the report. Brother Teretka objected to Proposal 1-C. There were no objections to Proposal 2. There were no objections to Proposal 3. Brother Wardell objected to Proposal 4. Brother Teretka objected to Proposal 5. Brother Trout moved that the unobjected to Proposals of the State Ritual Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Ettinger withdrew his objection and moved that Proposal 1-B be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Teretka withdrew his objection to Proposal 1-C. Brother Burdett moved that Proposal 1-C be accepted. Motion carried. Brother Ettinger moved that Proposal 4 be accepted. Seconded. Brother Wardell asked whether, if this Proposal was accepted, would it change the S.O.P. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor, stated that this would only be a recommendation and that the Executive Officer is the only one who has the authority to change the S.O.P. Brother Wardell withdrew his objection. Proposal 4 was then voted on. Motion carried. Brother Champoux moved that Proposal 5 be accepted. Seconded. Brother Teretka said that if the ritual classes were for the purpose of teaching of the ritual and that it was to be on a Provincial level, that the Provinces should be the ones to decide whether to have

them. The Proposal was then voted on. Motion carried. Brother Stoddard moved that the State Ritual Committee Report be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Kelley, Chairman of the State Conclave Committee, was presented at the East to read the State Conclave Committee Report. Brother Teretka objected to Proposal 1 of the State Conclave Report. Brother Trapp objected to Proposal 2 of the Report. Brother Miller objected to Proposal 3. Brother Merritt objected to Proposal 4. There were no objections to Proposal 5. There were no objections to Proposal 6. Brother McNutt objected to Proposal 7. Brother Miller moved that the unobjected to Proposals of the State Conclave Committee Report be approved. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Pederson moved that Proposal 1 be accepted. Brother Teretka stated that he felt that the Conclave should not be extended one day, because it would just cost more money, and if the Conclave was planned well that all the events could be fitted in efficiently. Brother Pederson stated that Conclave should be extended one day for the purpose of sports events. Brother Wardell moved the previous question. Seconded. Motion carried. The main motion was voted on. Division of the house was called for. A standing vote was taken. 74 for, 68 against. Motion carried. Brother Trapp moved that Proposal 2 be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Kelley moved that Proposal 3 be accepted. Seconded. Division of the house was called for. A standing vote was taken. Motion carried. Brother Kelley moved that Proposal 4 be accepted. Seconded. Brother Merritt stated that with the DeMolays split up that there would be less of a chance for trouble to start, but if trouble did start that a smaller number of DeMolays would be in the area. Brother Stokes stated that it would be easier for the Conduct Committee to cover the DeMolays if they were all in the same place, but when they are spread all over the place they are harder to watch and harder to control. Brother Pederson stated that DeMolays come to Conclave for comradeship and fellowship and that if they split us up, there won't be that comradeship and fellowship. Proposal 4 was then voted on. Motion carried.

Brother McNutt moved that Proposal 7 be accepted. Seconded. Brother McNutt withdrew his objection. Brother McNutt moved that the Proposal be amended to read as follows: "7. The Committee finally proposes that a more complete and informative dress code be distributed to all attending the conclave along with the registration forms when they go out." Seconded. Amendment passed. The main motion as amended was voted on. Motion carried. Brother Kelley moved that the State Conclave Committee Report be approved as amended. Seconded. Motion carried.

A chapter roll call was taken. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor opened up the floor for questions to Brother Warren Peck and Brother Brett Dolar, candidates for the office of State Master Councilor. Brother Ricks read parts of the State By-Laws which pertained to the election of the state officers. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor, stated that the Provincial Master Councilors would be distributing the ballots. Brother John Hess, Chairman of the State Nominations Committee was presented at the East to make the State Nominations Committee Report. Brother Hunt moved that the State Nominations Committee Report be accepted as read. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Ricks, State Master Councilor then announced that the floor was open for the purpose of elections. He stated that a ballot was going to be taken for the office of State Master Councilor.

Credentials Committee Report:

Total Number of Votes	- 171
Simple Majority	- 86
2/3 Majority	- 114

Brother Warren Peck and Brother Brett Dolar were the candidates for the office of State Master Councilor. The results are as follows:

Brother Warren Peck	- 114
Brother Brett Dolar	- 52
Abstentions	- 5

Brother Peck accepted the office of State Master Councilor and was greeted accordingly.

Brother Ricks stated that the delegates would next be balloting on the office of Deputy State Master Councilor. The candidates for the office of Deputy State Master Councilor were Brother Robert Guess, Brother Tom Stoddard, and Brother Mike Roberts. Brother Brett Dolar was nominated from the floor for the office of Deputy State Master Councilor. He accepted the nomination. The results were as follows:

Brother Brett Dolar	-	79
Brother Robert Guess	-	23
Brother Tom Stoddard	-	15
Brother Mike Roberts	-	47
Abstentions	-	6

There was a run-off ballot between Brother Brett Dolar and Brother Mike Roberts. The results were as follows:

Brother Brett Dolar	-	98
Brother Mike Roberts	-	70
Abstentions	-	2

Brother Brett Dolar accepted the election to the office of Deputy State Master Councilor.

Brother Ricks announced that the candidates proposed by the State Nominations Committee for the office of State Senior Councilor were Brother Mike Gwynes, Brother Ed Norris, and Brother Jeff Smith. Brother McNutt nominated Brother Mike Roberts for the office of State Senior Councilor. Brother Wagner nominated Brother Tom Stoddard for the office of State Senior Councilor. Brother Robert Guess was nominated for the office of State Senior Councilor. Brother Mike Roberts, Brother Tom Stoddard, and Brother Robert Guess accepted the nominations for the office of State Senior Councilor. The results were as follows:

Brother Mike Roberts	-	46
Brother Jeff Smith	-	31
Brother Robert Guess	-	25
Brother Ed Norris	-	21
Brother Tom Stoddard	-	16
Brother Mike Gwynes	-	22
Abstentions	-	9

There was a run-off ballot between Brother Mike Roberts and Brother Jeff Smith. The results were as follows:

Brother Mike Roberts	-	84
Brother Jeff Smith	-	67
Abstentions	-	19

Brother Mike Roberts accepted the election to the Office of State Senior Councilor.

Brother Ricks announced that the candidates proposed by the State Nominations Committee for the office of State Junior Councilor were Brother Bill Keenan and Brother Danny Miller. Brother Joe Cravens nominated Brother Jeff Smith for the office of State Junior Councilor. Brother Cravens accepted the nomination. Brother Mazeau nominated Brother Mike Gwynes for the office of State Junior Councilor. Brother Gwynes accepted the nomination. Brother Patchell nominated Brother Ed Norris for the office of State Junior Councilor. Brother Norris accepted the nomination. Brother Zwass nominated Brother Robert Guess for the office of State Junior Councilor. Brother Guess refused the nomination. Brother Ricks closed the nominations for the office of State Junior Councilor. The results of the ballot for the office of State Junior Councilor were as follows:

Brother Bill Keenan	-	15
Brother Danny Miller	-	39
Brother Jeff Smith	-	61
Brother Mike Gwynes	-	18
Brother Ed Norris	-	20
Abstentions	-	17

There was a run-off ballot between Brother Smith and Brother Miller. The results were as follows:

Brother Jeff Smith	-	78
Brother Danny Miller	-	74
Abstentions	-	18

Brother Smith accepted the office of State Junior Councilor.

The State Chapter was put in a state of recess at 11:07 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1975

The State Chapter was called out of the state of recess at 9:35 A. M. by Brother Moores, State Senior Councilor. A chapter roll call was taken.

Brother Rick Brown, Chairman of the State Resolutions Committee was presented in the East to read the State Resolutions Committee Report. There were no objections to Proposal 1 of the State Resolutions Committee Report. There were no objections to Proposal 2 of the Report. There were no objections to Proposal 3 of the Report. Brother Brown moved that the State Resolutions Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Daniel Miller, Chairman of the State Honors and Awards Committee was presented at the East to read the State Honors and Awards Committee Report. Brother Ettinger objected to Proposal 1 of the State Honors and Awards Committee Report. Brother Fox objected to Proposal 2 of the Report. Brother Ettinger stated that he felt that it would be a bad idea to replace the bars with a pin because he personally liked to wear his bars. Brother Moores stated that in order to receive the "Most Valuable DeMolay" award that a person would have to have a certain number of

a certain type of bars. Brother Miller moved that Proposal 1 of the State Honors and Awards Committee Report be approved. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Fox stated that he felt that requiring a chapter to have an awards night would be putting an unnecessary burden on the chapter. Brother Miller moved that Proposal 2 of the State Honors and Awards Committee Report be approved. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Miller moved that the State Honors and Awards Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Moores presented the State Jurisprudence Committee Report. There were no objections to Proposal 1 of the State Jurisprudence Committee Report. There were no objections to Proposal 2 of the Report. Brother Moores moved that the State Jurisprudence Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother McNutt moved that the Legislators request that the curfew be extended to 3:00 A.M. Seconded. Motion carried.

The State Chapter was placed in a state of temporary recess by Brother Moores at 10:40 A.M.

Brother Ricks reconvened the State Chapter at 10:50 A.M.

Brother Ricks presented the State Constitutional Revisions Committee Report. Brother Williams moved that Article IIC, Section III be deleted. Seconded. Brother McNutt asked why this section should be deleted. Brother Ricks stated that it was virtually the most useless piece of legislation in the Constitution because there is no State Seal. Motion carried. Brother Nave moved that Article IVC, Section IV be accepted as amended. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Merritt moved that Article IVC, Section VI be accepted as amended. Brother McNutt asked what would happen if there was a conflict between the State Master Councilor and the State Scribe and the Master Councilor wanted to get rid of him.

Brother Ricks stated that that was the reason for including the Board of Administration in the amendment. The amendment was then voted on. Motion carried. Brother Woods moved that a new section to Article IVC, which would be Article IVC, Section VIII, be accepted. Brother Fox asked by whom would the State Treasurer be elected. Brother Ricks stated that he would be elected by the delegates. Brother Fox asked how it is presently done, and Brother Ricks stated that the State Treasurer was at present appointed by the Board of Administration. The amendment was then voted on. Motion carried. Brother Nave moved that the new section to Article IVC, which would be Article IVC, Section IX, be accepted. Seconded. It was asked what the purpose of requiring the State Treasurer to have a personal checking or savings account. Brother Ricks stated that this was to insure that he would have some degree of knowledge of book work. The amendment was then voted on. Motion carried. Brother Nave moved that a new section to Article IIIB, which would be Article IIIB, Section VIII, be accepted. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Ricks then stated that the delegates had made a momentous step in the State Association. That for years the State Treasurer would be elected. Brother Ricks stated that the other By-Law proposals were being worked out with the Board of Administration. Brother McNutt moved that a formal letter of apology be written to the hotel manager for the bad shape of the meeting room. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Ricks placed Brother Gillespie, State Junior Councilor in charge. Brother Ettinger moved that Brother McNutt write the letter of apology to the management. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Moores presented the State Credentials Committee Report. Brother Stokes moved that the State Credentials Committee Report be approved as read. Seconded. Motion carried.

Brother Ricks returned from the Board of Administration with some more amendments of the By-Laws.

Brother Ettinger moved that Article IB, Section I be accepted as amended. Seconded. There was no discussion on the motion. Motion carried. Brother Ettinger moved that Article IIB, Section II be accepted as amended. There was no discussion on the motion.

Motion carried. Brother Stokes moved that Article IIB, Section III be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother Ricks stated that this amendment would mean that in competition only the playing rules not the rules on eligibility, etc., would be used. Motion carried. Brother McNutt moved that Article IIIB, Section V be accepted as amended. Seconded. There was no discussion on the motion. Brother Garrick moved that Article VC, Section I be approved as amended. Seconded. Brother Ricks stated that this amendment would delete the Conclave Committee. Brother McNutt stated that if the State Association was taking bids and not the State Conclave Committee then the State Association was going against the Constitution. He suggested that the State Association start following the Constitution rather than change the Constitution to go along with the State Association. Brother Ricks stated that the way that the Conclave Committee planned to get the bids for the hotels for the upcoming conclave was not the way that the State Association worked and that it was not economically feasible. Motion defeated. Brother Ricks stated that he hoped that the next chairman of the Conclave Committee for the first time would do his job. Brother Woods moved that Article VC, Section I be accepted as amended. Seconded. There was no discussion. Motion carried. Brother Williams moved that Article VIC, Section I be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother Ricks stated that the change to sixty days would only pertain to the Constitution. Brother McNutt asked why they wanted to knock off the thirty days. Brother Ricks stated that was so the people who wanted to propose the changes to the Constitution would have more time to work up the changes. Motion carried. Brother Garrick moved that Article IVB, Section II be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother Ricks stated that if the last sentence of the section was deleted that the State Master Councilor would not be forced to work with the Conclave Committee Chairman. Brother McNutt stated that if the State Master Councilor did not have to work with the State Conclave Committee Chairman that the two groups would probably be fighting all the time and would not get anything done. Motion defeated. Brother Ettinger moved that Article IVB, Section be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother McNutt.

asked Brother Ricks whether he thought fifteen hundred dollars would be enough. Brother Ricks stated that it would not but that the Board of Administration would not approve anything higher. Motion carried. Brother McNutt moved that Article IVB, Section XV be accepted as amended. Seconded. There was no discussion on the motion. Motion carried. Brother Garrick moved that Article VIB, Section X be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother McNutt stated that he felt that the amendment in question was to be acted upon in the case that the Conclave committee was deleted from the list of standing committees and since the Conclave was not deleted from the list of standing committees that he felt that Article VIB, Section X should not be amended. Division of the House. Motion defeated. Brother McNutt moved that Article VIB, Section XV be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother Ricks stated that this amendment would further explain the duties of the committee chairmen. Brother Ricks stated that when the word "member" is mentioned in the Constitution and By-Laws that it meant member chapters of the Florida State DeMolay Association. Motion carried. Brother Ricks stated that the next amendment would be to add a new section to Article VIB. Brother Fox moved that Article VIB, Section XVIII be accepted. Seconded. Brother Hutchinson asked what committee the Deputy State Master Councilor was at present the chairman of. Brother Ricks stated that he was the chairman of the State Cabinet Committee. There was no further discussion. Motion carried. The State Chapter was placed in a state of recess by Brother Ricks at 12:30 to be reconvened after the installation of officers.

The State Chapter was reconvened at 2:50 pm by Brother Ricks. Dad Hunt spoke on the accusation by individuals that the Past State Officers had embezzled money from the Association.

Brother Giroir moved that Article IIB, Section IV be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother McNutt asked if he was correct in assuming that the amendment would cause the State Mother's Club would have nothing to do with the Sweetheart Competition. Brother Gillespie stated that his assumption was correct.

Brother McNutt stated that he felt that the DeMolays should make the rules for the competition. Brother Gillespie stated that Dad Hunt had already said that he was going to make the rules for next year's Conclave. Brother Teretka moved the previous question. Seconded. Motion carried. The main motion was carried. Brother McNutt moved that Article IIIB, Section II be accepted as amended. Seconded. Brother McNutt said that in other words a candidate can not even say he is going to run for office. Brother McNutt moved the previous question. Seconded. Motion carried. The main motion was carried. Brother Brown moved that Article IVB, Section XII be accepted as amended. Seconded. There was no discussion. Motion carried. Brother Champoux moved that Article VIB, Section VI be accepted as amended. Brother McNutt asked whether the amendment would mean that the Chairman of the State Conduct Committee would be appointed by the Executive Officer. Brother Gillespie stated that the amendment would include the Chairman of the State Conduct Committee in direction of conduct at state wide DeMolay activities. Motion carried. Brother Taylor moved that Article VIB, Section XI be accepted as amended. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Ricks asked for a motion that the State Constitutional Revisions Report be accepted as amended. Brother Melvin moved that the State Constitutional Revisions Report be accepted as amended. Seconded. Motion carried. Brother Ricks stated that "it is with great humility, pride, and pleasure that I now close this Forty-second Annual Conclave."

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard E. Mays Jr.

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State Scribe

STATE OF THE ORDER ADDRESS

Dad Hunt, Dad Roberts, Dad Hill, Brother State Officers, Guests, most especially my Brothers, as we approach the end of another term it comes time to reflect upon the past year and look ahead to the future of Florida DeMolay.

In order to reflect upon this term, I must first look to three of my closest friends this year, Brothers Peck, Moores and Gillespie. They have worked diligently for DeMolay and I through them in the same light is one man I wish every DeMolay could get to know. A devoted advisor who has been a true advisor and friend this year--Dad Hunt. Without these men, this year would not have been the pleasure it has been.

The top of the list in a recap for Florida DeMolay is accomplishment of the most important goal of the year. For the first time since 1968 Florida DeMolay reached 100.1% of its 1974 membership goal. I attribute this success to many things. One being the tireless efforts of Dad Cromlish and the many hours he spent on the phone in meetings with Governors and fearing a trip back to Pennsylvania. The staff urged and pushed but they did not sign any petitions--it was the Active DeMolays in the chapters who went out and told their friends about the experiences of a life time.

Since August 1, 1974 I have traveled approximately 35,000 miles including two week long trips, one through the Panhandle and another in Miami and the Keys. Brothers Peck, Moores and Gillespie have together traveled close to 50,000 miles for DeMolay.

Representing our fraternity is a primary function of the State Master Councilor and it has been my pleasure to attend Grand Chapter of the O.E.S. in Tampa, State High Twelve Convention in Largo, and the Grand York Rite Conclave in Orlando. It was a special

pleasure to speak on behalf of DeMolay at Grand Assem- of Order of Rainbow for Girls in Tampa. Last December, Job's Daughters in Florida held their first Grand Bethel and we were honored to welcome them into the Masonic Youth of Florida. The greatest highlight for the year in attending convention was to be able to address the assembled Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons in Florida. In the audience sat the life support of DeMolay--the leadership necessary for DeMolay to thrive. It was indeed an honor to be able to speak to our present advisors as well as many potential advisors. Moreover, Florida DeMolay owes a great debt to our Grand Lodge for the fantastic support shown to our fraternity. Past Grand Master George Myers did a tremendous job for the youth in each of his district meetings. He also made it known to those present at the International Supreme Council Session just where the Grand Lodge of Florida stood with DeMolay. Dad Hill, our present Grand Master has served on the advisory council of Ocala Chapter and he is continuing to do great things for DeMolay.

In February of this year, Dad Hunt, Brother Peck and I traveled to Albany, Ga. to assist in judging the tournament of Champions for Georgia. We gained many ideas in the field of ritual and even offered a few Florida suggestions to our neighbors. I was also able to travel to Yankee territory to represent Florida at the New Jersey State Conclave. All four of your State Councilors attended the closing evening of the Leadership Training Conference in St. Simons Island, Georgia. DeMolays from Florida composed two-thirds of the camp.

The traditional programs were carried out with great success this year. In addition to the \$200.00 donation to the Florida Sheriff's Boy's Ranch, we also donated \$100.00 worth of sports equipment. Thirty DeMolays toured the facilities after which a basketball game between the Ranch and DeMolay was played. DeMolay 51--Ranch 50. Several chapters once again participated in the 4th of July Rest Stop Program. Stops were set up on every major highway in Florida. Masons for America Day in Melbourne

found your State Councilor eating a lot of fish and riding in a parade.

Florida held the distinction of being the host to the Eighth International Congress and the Annual I.S.C. Session. I was proud to have been nominated to International Congress Secretary and came up five votes short. Florida was proud of Dad Crary for being elected as an Active Member to the Supreme Council.

DeMolay Week was heard through Florida on numerous Radio and TV stations in March of this year. Governor R. O'D. Askew officially designated March 16-23 as DeMolay Week in the State of Florida as did many mayors throughout Florida cities.

Province III sponsored the fourth annual S.M.C. Grand Banquet. This banquet was held in honor of all those who have worked for DeMolay during the last year. Our fraternity means a great deal to each of us and the Banquet offered a time of fellowship and togetherness for DeMolay. I sincerely trust that this banquet will be continued in the future to recognize those who have put forth the effort for DeMolay.

These accomplishments show that DeMolay can be the happening it was conceived to be by Dad Land. You and your chapter may achieve anything you desire with a little effort.

Florida DeMolay is at its apex! Going back to the old geometry classes, an apex is the point of balance at the point of a triangle or a see-saw effect. That is the point from which that see-saw will go either up or down. We are at that point today with the opening of this conclave. Applying weight to the proper side of this apex will send Florida DeMolay to great heights, assuring tremendous success--and it is up to every person in this room to apply this pressure!

In addition, our fraternity must have dedicated leadership both in the chapter and in the State Association. We in Florida have a phrase of "DeMolay for DeMolay" and for this to be a reality it takes a

desire on the part of every DeMolay, a desire to make our fraternity the even greater than it is now. You must believe in what you do and enjoy working for it. This calls for intelligent and original thinking on the part of every DeMolay. Developing new programs, coming up with new ideas and putting them into effect.

All this means one thing--enjoying the greatest years of your life by having the DeMolay Experience. Being a part of a fraternity that offers more than any other organization. My brothers, this experience is here for you. Florida has more potential than any other state and its totally up to you! Legislators--your job is cut out for you in committees and on the floor of conclave. It's up to every member to advise your legislators!

We have the world's greatest fraternity and it is up to each one of us to make it even better at this conclave.

STATE OF THE ORDER - as presented by:

Rickey Ricks
State Master Councilor
August 18, 1975

STATE CONSTITUTIONAL REVISIONS REPORT

ARTICLE IIC, Section III

Delete whole section

ARTICLE IVC, Section IV

Change to read, "The State Scribe shall be appointed by the Board of Administration from a list of nominations submitted to them by the State Master Councilor prior to the opening of State Conclave. This appointment shall be made prior to the opening of the first business session or as provided by Article IV, Section VI-B.

ARTICLE IVC, Section VI

- (a) No candidate shallin the office.
- (b) The vacancy of an appointed State Office may be declared by the State Master Councilor after an evaluation of that State Officer's performance. A vacancy will also occur in the office of State Scribe upon the recommendation of the State Master Councilor and with the approval of the Board of Administration.

ARTICLE IVC, Section VIII (New Section)

The State Treasurer shall be elected during the general business session of this Association and shall serve until his successor has been installed and an audit has been performed by an accountant who has been approved by the Executive Officer. This audit shall be completed within a week after the close of Conclave.

ARTICLE IVC, Section IX

All candidates for the office of State Treasurer shall be Past Master Councilors, shall hold the Representative DeMolay Award, and have completed the Leadership Correspondence Course. He shall also have either

a personal checking account or a personal savings account.

ARTICLE IIIB, Section X (New Section)

Any qualified brother who desires to run for the office of State Treasurer shall submit a letter of intent to the Executive Officer and the Chairman of the State Nominations Committee within 60 days prior to the opening of registration of the Annual Conclave. Only those brothers who submit a letter of intent for this office shall be eligible to run.

ARTICLE IB, Section I

Change the amount of the per capita tax to forty-five cents (\$.45).

ARTICLE IIB, Section II

Change to read, "There shall be ritual competition conducted at the State Conclave under direction of the Executive Officer's Personal Representative for the International Supreme Council Ritual and Awards, assisted by the chairman of the State Ritual Committee. This competition shall be limited to the winners of the winners of the several regions in each category. The Executive Officer's Personal Representative of International Supreme Council Ritual and Awards shall appoint no less than three (3) judges for each competition, who solely shall have the authority to determine the winner of each competition. The rules and regulations governing the Ritual competition shall be published along with the official minutes of each Annual State Conclave for the governing of competition at the next Annual State Conclave. The ritual competition shall be composed of the Initiatory Degree, the First Section of the DeMolay Degree, Opening and Closing Ceremonies (including the Nine O'clock Interpolation, Flower Talk, and Oratorical Competition.

ARTICLE IIB, Section III

Change to read, "There shall be athletic competition conducted at the State Conclave under the direction of the State Advisor of Athletics appointed by the Executive Officer assisted by the Chairman of the Athletics Committee. This competition shall be limited to the winners of the several regions in each category. The State Advisor of Athletics, appointed by the Executive Officer shall appoint for each competition qualified referees for each event who shall use the playing rules set by the Florida High School Activities Association and who solely shall have the authority to determine the winner of each competition."

ARTICLE IIIB, Section V

Change to read, "No two (2) State Councilors shall be from the same member chapter of this Association."

ARTICLE VC, Section I

Add the following to the list of standing committees:
14. Community Action

ARTICLE VIC, Section I

Change 90 days to 60 days.

ARTICLE IVB, Section IV

Change twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) to fifteen hundred dollars (1,500).

ARTICLE IVB, Section XV

Delete, "Personal Representative of Finance, appointed by the"

ARTICLE VIB, Section VIII

Change to read, "The duty of the Public Relations and Publications Committee shall be to promote the image of DeMolay through programs of public interest and to put

the name of DeMolay before the general public. It shall also be the duty of this committee to inform and assist member chapters in the Annual DeMolay Week Program. This committee shall oversee any publication of this Association and any related programs.

ARTICLE VIB, Section XV

Add the following: It shall also be the duty of each State Committee Chairman to gather suggestions and recommendations from the member chapters and combine them with his own ideas and submit them to the State Master Councilor as a tentative agenda 30 days prior to Conclave.

ARTICLE VIB, Section XVIII (New Section)

The Deputy State Master Councilor shall serve as chairman of the State Membership Committee.

ARTICLE IIB, Section IV

Change to read, "There shall be State Sweetheart Competition at State Conclave. The rules and regulations as determined by the Executive Officer shall be published in the proceedings of that year's Conclave."

ARTICLE IIIB, Section II

Leave the same as before.

ARTICLE IVB, Section XII

Add new subsection as follows: 5. One copy to each of the State Committee Chairmen.

ARTICLE VIB, Section VI

Change to read, "The duty of the Conduct Committee shall be the only State Committee to supervise the conduct of the DeMolays under the direction of the Chairman of the State Conduct Committee and the State Advisor of Conduct, appointed by the Executive Officer,

assembled at any Statewide DeMolay activity."

ARTICLE VIB, Section XI

Change to read, "The Athletics Committee shall work with the State Sports Director in acquiring qualified officials for all State Athletic Competition. They shall also review and submit any proposals to the State Master Councilor.

Respectfully submitted,

Matt Matson, Chairman

PUBLIC RELATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS
COMMITTEE REPORT

After much consideration, we of the Public Relations and Publications Committee have come to realize the following points to be of primary consideration:

1. The Florida DeMolay
2. The Florida DeMolay Radio and T.V. Jingle
3. The Bicentennial Celebration
4. Contacting the News Media
5. Miscellaneous Recommendations

1. The Florida DeMolay:

It was found that not enough articles were being written and sent to the Editor.

A. Recommendation: The recommendation of this committee to the State Master Councilor is that this committee be retained in tact because of their interest, and because of their desire to get the job done.

It was reported that the newspaper was not reaching the individual chapters.

B. We would like to make it plain that two (2) papers be sent to the Chapter Dad and one (1) paper be sent to the Chapter Scribe, and be displayed for the membership to read.

C. The subscription fee for the "Florida DeMolay" shall remain \$1.00.

2. The Florida DeMolay Radio and T.V. Jingle

We recommend extensive usage of the Florida DeMolay Jingle. We have found this to be a very valuable tool for the publicizing of your chapter events.

Copies of this tape may be purchased for a nominal fee of \$10.00.

3. The Bicentennial Celebration

Following the recommendations of the 6th, 7th, and 8th DeMolay Congress,

A. We recommend that all of our chapters participate in the American Revolution Bicentennial. License plates promoting the Bicentennial Celebration, and publicizing DeMolay, may be purchased for \$5.00.

B. This committee recommends the institution of a Bicentennial Committee, to be a branch of the Public Relations and Publications Committee.

C. We of the Publications and Public Relations Committee are in unanimous support of the availability of the publication "Dynamic Freedoms". These have been donated by the Supreme Council 33^o of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America.

4. Contacting the News Media

We recommend that every chapter have a working relationship with its' news media. (City Editors for newspapers, and news Directors for Radio and T.V.)

5. Miscellaneous Recommendations

We recommend a continued support of these existing programs:

Muscular Dystrophy Drive
Fourth of July Rest Stops
The Florida Sheriff's Boy's Ranch.

I would like to thank the members of this Committee for their complete support and their combined effort. I would also like to thank Dad Rusty Glendinning for his noble assistance.

Respectfully submitted,
A. Alan Zwass, Chairman

Approved by:
Terry M. Moores, Jurisprudence

CONCLAVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Conclave Committee believes that the conclave should be both enjoyable and informative, along with being legislative. In light of this belief, we, the members of the Conclave Committee respectfully submit the following proposals for the 42nd Annual State Conclave.

1. It is first proposed that the duration of the conclave be extended by at least one day. This would eliminate the problem of conducting two or more meetings or activities at the same time.
2. It is secondly proposed that there be at least one social activity per evening. These should include all Sweethearts, Rainbows, and Job's Daughters.
3. The conclave committee proposes that the site of the next conclave be changed, and that college campuses and facilities be considered as prospective sites.
4. The committee proposes that all DeMolays should be housed in the same area of the conclave facility. This will end all interaction with the regular hotel guests, thus making it easier to control DeMolay actions.
5. It is further proposed that registration be handled essentially the same as it was this year, with one exception. That being, that room registration begin at least one hour after the other hotel guests have checked out. This will eliminate all of the delay in being assigned a room.
6. It is further recommended that the conclave program be drawn up and distributed before registration is required to be mailed in.

7. The Committee finally proposes that a more complete and informative dress code be distributed to all attending the conclave, along with the registration forms when they are sent out.

Respectfully submitted,

Carey Kelley, Chairman

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores
Chairman, State Jurisprudence Committee

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

Membership is the life blood of DeMolay. It is therefore this Committee's intention to propose acceptable membership programs for the Florida State DeMolay Association.

THE COMMITTEE IN CAUCUS HAS PROPOSED THE FOLLOWING:

1. A Statewide, Province level Bi-Centennial Initiatory Degree class with a goal of 200 new members in honor of America's Bi-Centennial Celebration.
2. The Committee recommends a closer liason between Chapter Members and Masonic Bodies in order to reach more eligible young men.
3. The Committee recommends that the Membership Committees refrain from "rest periods", and maintain a year-round membership program.
4. The Committee recommends and supports last year's approved recommendation that Florida publish and distribute its own membership pamphlets supporting Florida DeMolay.
5. The Committee recommends that a move to inculcate an all around program of activities which will ignite and maintain the interest of all ages.
6. The Committee recommends a State-wide Membership drive, to be called "THE GOLDEN SPIKE AWARD." This award will be given for membership excellence, to be given on a percentage of membership to the number one Chapter, and to be awarded at State Conclave.
7. The Committee recommends the reinstatement of "The Order of the Silver Pin." Any person may qualify by being the first line signer of two new candidates initiated into the chapter within a specified time. Holders of the Silver Pin will receive special privileges at State Conclave. Time, date, and privileges

to be decided upon by the Four State Councilors.

8. The Committee recommends that all chapters attaining 100 per cent of their quota of the year may nominate the member of their chapter who has been the first line signer of the most petitions during the same year. The candidate will go into competition with the other candidates throughout the State or seek the person who has been the first line signer on the most petitions in the Jurisdiction of Florida, who will be sent to the State Conclave, free of charge.

Tom Giroir, Chairman

Approved by:
Terry M. Moores, Jurisprudence

State Credentials Committee Report

We, the members of the Credentials Committee of the 42nd Annual State Conclave report the following:

(1) Number of Chapters present - 60

(2) Number of Chapters absent - 28

Further, the committee wishes to re-endorse the recommendations of last year's committee, and suggests that the names of all legislators be submitted by the registration deadline.

Respectfully submitted,

Dan Taylor, Chairman

STATE RITUAL COMMITTEE REPORT

The members of the State Ritual Committee for this 42nd Annual Conclave, seeing a need for ritual improvements throughout the state, do hereby make these following resolutions:

1. Proficiency Card Program
 - A. Name be changed to Ritual Honor Card Program.
 - B. Candidates for elected State Offices be holders of a yellow ritual honor card.
 - C. That there be an Investigating Committee appointed by the State Ritual Advisor and Committee Chairman for the purpose of investigating the possibilities of an award pin or patch for holders of a gold ritual honor card.
2. That the Ceremony Of Lights be placed into all of the ritual competitions once its' publication has been made in the Monitor of Public Ceremonies.
3. That opening and closing competition be officially adopted into all stated Florida Ritual Competition.
4. That each chapter receive a copy of the judges' report in the competition of their degree team.
5. That there be provincial ritual classes held twice a year.

Respectfully submitted,

John D. Boone, Chairman

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores

Chairman, State Jurisprudence Committee

THE CONDUCT COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the State Conduct Committee are pleased with the conduct of this the 42nd Annual Florida State DeMolay Conclave.

There have been very few incidents concerning the individual chapters, with incidents stemming from a very small percentage of the membership. Damage to the hotel has been minimum.

We, the committee feel that if the advisors would set a better example, we would have fewer problems with the DeMolay members.

This year, conduct has been the best organized of any previous Conclave. All of this can be attributed to Dad Corky Wheeler and Dad Erle Bridges, who have done an outstanding job.

We, the committee, wish to thank these two men most heartily. We would also like to thank Dave Morton, who has taken care of the conduct room and set up the conduct stations for those DeMolays on this committee. We would also like to thank those individual DeMolays and Advisors who have helped with the job of conduct.

We would like to recommend that Dad Corky Wheeler be asked to chair this committee on conduct again next year, as he has done an outstanding job of keeping this conclave under control.

Respectfully submitted,

Larry R. Gillespie, Chrm.
State Junior Councilor

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores
Chairman, State Jurisprudence Committee

STATE FINANCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Balance as of August 23, 1974	1300.00
<u>Receipts</u>	
Florida Sheriff's Boy's Ranch Donations (see attached sheet)	<u>201.25</u>
Total	1501.25
<u>Disbursements</u>	
Walter Hobbs Ricks	500.25
Warren B. Peck	191.68
Terry M. Moores	256.66
Larry R. Gillespie	<u>236.66</u>
Total	1185.25
<u>Special Disbursements</u>	
Fla. Sheriff's Boy's Ranch Sports Equipment	100.00
Christmas Dinner	200.00
Donations to Grand Bethel of Florida	<u>15.00</u>
Total	315.00
Total Disbursements	<u>1500.25</u>
Balance as of August 19, 1975	<u><u>1.00</u></u>

Respectfully submitted,

James R. Rose
State Treasurer, 1974-75

Approved:
Terry M. Moores
Chairman, Jurisprudence

STATE FINANCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT
Attachment

Chapter Donations to the Florida Sheriff's Boy's
Ranch Fund:

Jacques DeMolay	\$25.00
Wesconnett	25.00
Arthur H. Carter	10.00
Bradenton Mothers' Club	10.00
Arlington	10.00
Cocoa	6.25
Ocala	5.00
Acacia	5.00
Hollywood	5.00
George Ulee Lord	5.00
Winter Park	5.00
Doric	5.00
Haven	5.00
E. A. Finn	5.00
Okaloa	5.00
Osceola	5.00
San Lucie	5.00
Sam J. Henderson	5.00
Escambia	5.00
Manatee	5.00
Clair B. Lay	5.00
Opa Locka	5.00
Canaveral	5.00
John Van Dyke	5.00
John M. Cheney	5.00
Brandon	5.00
T. N. Alexander	5.00
Royal Vista	5.00
Village	5.00
South Miami	5.00
Golden Glades	5.00
Arlington	10.00
Temple	5.00
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TOTAL	<u>\$201.25</u>

STATE CABINET COMMITTEE REPORT

The State Cabinet received no appeals or grievances during the year 1974-1975. For this reason, this committee has nothing to report for the past year. As a committee, we would like to offer the Florida State Master Councilor our thanks and gratitude for his never ceasing efforts on behalf of the Florida State DeMolay Association.

The Province Master Councilors should also receive hearty congratulations for the manner in which they performed their duties during this past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren Bartow Peck, DSMC
Chairman, State Cabinet

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores, Chairman
State Jurisprudence Committee

State Resolutions Committee Report

Whereas, the cost of attending state conclave has reached a point where it is prohibitive for many DeMolays to attend state conclave, and

Whereas, it has been reported that alternate facilities are available which could be obtained at a substantially lower price,

Be it resolved, that, We, the legislators of the 42nd Annual Conclave request that the alternate facilities be investigated and an investigation report be furnished to chapters and legislators of the 43rd Annual Conclave in 1976.

Whereas, the published schedule at State Conclave is in a constant state of revision by the State Association during Conclave, and,

Whereas, the lack of communication concerning the the last minute schedule changes has caused a great deal of confusion in the past years,

Be it resolved, that, We, the legislators of the 42nd Annual Conclave suggest that a bulletin board be furnished for the lobby on which are to be posted any schedule changes for State, Regional, and Provincial levels.

Whereas, a lack of communication has at times existed between the Florida State DeMolay Association and the chairmen of several committees, and,

Whereas, the lack of communication interferes with the operations of these committees,

Be it resolved, that, We, the legislators of the 42nd Annual Conclave propose that all committee chairmen be informed of their committee duties and all details pertaining to their committees at least thirty days prior to State Conclave.

Respectfully Submitted,
Ed Torralla, Chairman

STATE JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the State Jurisprudence Committee of the 42nd Annual State Conclave recognize the importance of all committees to the orderly functioning of The Florida State DeMolay Association, recommend the following:

1. That more typists and typewriters be provided for preparing the committee reports.
2. That all committee reports be submitted by a previously set deadline in order that the reports may be typed, run off, and distributed prior to the submission of the reports to the Legislators.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry M. Moores, Chairman
Jurisprudence Committee

It was agreed upon in our Knighthood Committee meeting that it would be favorable to have selective membership in Knighthood in the State of Florida. With the opportunity to black ball an unfavorable candidate, we feel we would be able to have the best and most smoothly run Priorities possible.

A good way to improve Knighthood in the State of Florida is by having many and varied social events. We, the Knighthood Committee feel that we should have organized activities at State Conclave every year, such as a breakfast or other activity which would designate the Sir Knights who are registered at Conclave. We feel that Masonic and DeMolay services are very important, but we need to realize that social events improve the retention rate of both the individual Chapters and Priorities.

A State wide Knighthood Conclave was proposed and accepted. At these conclaves, workshops on Ritual, Protocol, and Procedures would be the topics of greatest importance. We would also like to ask that the next Southeastern Convocation of Knighthood be in the State of Florida.

"REMEMBER COMMUNICATION IS THE KEY TO SUCCESS"

Respectfully submitted

Donn Derry, Chairman

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores, Chairman
State Jurisprudence Committee

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Nominations Committee has reviewed the qualifications of the following candidates and found them eligible to run for the appropriate State office to which they have submitted letters.

STATE MASTER COUNCILOR	- Warren Peck Brett Dolar
DEPUTY STATE MASTER COUNCILOR	- Robert Guess Tom Stoddard Mike Roberts
STATE SENIOR COUNCILOR	- Mike Gwynes Ed Norris Jeff Smith
STATE JUNIOR COUNCILOR	- Bill Keenan Danny Miller

Respectfully submitted,

John Hess, Chairman

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores
Chairman, State Jurisprudence Committee

THE HONORS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE REPORT

Honors and Awards are one of the best interest keepers of a chapter. These give the DeMolays the recognition for their work in the Order which is rightly deserved.

These are the committee's proposals which we would like to introduce to the Legislators of this 42nd Annual Conclave:

1. The committee recommends that a "Most Valuable DeMolay" pin or award be given to a DeMolay after he has fulfilled certain merit bar requirements which will be decided upon by the committee chairman and the State Officers. When these requirements are met, the pin or award will replace the bars which will no longer be worn by the member.
2. Have the State Association to require that an "Awards Night" be given at least annually so that the DeMolays will be aware of and reminded of the awards available, and their requirements and will strive to ascertain these awards by diligent work within the chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel S. Miller,
Chairman

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores, Chairman
State Jurisprudence Committee

COMMUNITY ACTION COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the Members of the Community Action Committee of the 42nd Annual Florida State DeMolay Conclave, recognize the need for community action projects within our chapters and do hereby recommend the following to the delegates of the 42nd Annual Conclave. We would like to see the Florida State DeMolay Association adopt one or more of the following community action projects for the coming year:

1. Muscular Dystrophy--Either in coin canisters, roll-a-coins, road blocks, or egg sales.
2. Bicentennial--Clean-up of public and historical sites, join with other local community bicentennial committees and projects, and a state-wide parade starting in the Keys and moving toward the center of the state and one starting in Pensacola and moving toward the center of the state, where they will join in the Orlando area.
3. Rest Stop Programs--To serve coffee and doughnuts to traveling motorists as we did the past 4th of July.
4. Florida Sheriff's Boys' Ranch--Continue to make our Annual donation.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Roberts

STATE ATHLETICS COMMITTEE REPORT

We, the members of the Athletics Committee for the 42nd Annual Florida State DeMolay Conclave, realizing the need to improve sports competition on all levels of the Jurisdiction, do hereby recommend the following to the Legislators of the 42nd Annual Conclave.

We recommend:

1. The introduction of wrestling on a Statewide competition level. Rules of the Florida High School Athletic Association will be the standard. Wrestling tournaments will be held on province and regional levels, with regional winners going on to the state tournaments. At the State Tournament there will be individual champions and a team championship.
2. The introduction of golf into state competition. There would be province tournaments with the top two scorers going on to a regional tournament. This regional tournament need not necessarily take place at regional conclave. The top two scores at the regional tournament will compete in the state tournament. There will be no team championship; competition will be only on an individual basis.
3. That regulation referees and umpires be mandatory for all championship games on a province, regional, and state level.
4. That the Billiard Congress of America rules for eight ball pool be the standard in the state for eight ball competition on all levels.
5. Due to the crowded schedule at State Conclave, we recommend the following to alleviate this problem: Move as many of the individual sports to a different day from team sports day.
6. That the 200 yard dash be reinstated as a track event on all levels.

7. The institution of the 200 yard individual medley and 500 yard free style in swimming competition.
8. That only one substitution be allowed on a four-man relay team in track and swimming competition.
9. That the rules for state competition be the standard for competition on province and regional levels.
10. That the table top competition be continued at State Conclave only. The competition will consist of the following:

CHESS
CHECKERS
MONOPOLY
PING PONG

There will be trophies (or plaques) given to the winners. The competition will be for all active members.

11. That the regional coordinators send 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners' results to the State Director. The State Director will then send a copy of the winners throughout the State to each regional coordinator prior to State Conclave.
12. That the total results from state competition be printed in the minutes of the State Conclave.

This committee would like to give a special note of thanks to Dad Fred Smith, State Sports Director, and Dad Frank Volp, State Athletic Committee Advisor for all their help and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Sasser, Chairman

Approved by:

Terry M. Moores

Chairman, State Jurisprudence Committee

Dispensation

Dispensation is hereby granted to the Chapters of the Order of DeMolay in the State of Florida, whether under permanent charter or Letters Temporary from the International Supreme Council of the Order of DeMolay, to be associated together in an organization known as the Florida State DeMolay Association for the purpose of working for the betterment and promotion of DeMolay Ideals and activities, also to promote harmony within the member chapters of the Order of DeMolay in the State of Florida.

Dispensation is further granted to the Florida State DeMolay Association to adopt such as Constitution and By-Laws governing itself and to conduct such business as are consistent with the Constitution, General Statutes, and Chapter Regulations of the International Supreme Council.

G. Lawrence Hunt

Executive Officer
Jurisdiction of Florida

Constitution

Article IC Name, Purpose, Colors

Section I

This organization shall be known as
The Florida State DeMolay Association, Order of DeMolay
(hereinafter, Association).

Section II

It shall be the purpose of this Assoc-
iation to work for the betterment and promotion of
DeMolay ideals and activities in the State of Florida,
to promote harmony within the member chapters and to
assist those chapters in bringing DeMolay to the eli-
gible youth of Florida.

Section III

The official colors of this Association
shall be the royal colors of Purple and Gold.

Article IIC Allegiance and Authority

Section I

The Association, its officers, ad-
visors and the individuals of member chapters of this
Association pledge their allegiance to the Internat-
ional Supreme Council of the Order of DeMolay, its
Grand Master, Grand Secretary, and the Executive Of-
ficer of the Order in the State of Florida.

Section II

This body is constituted with the pow-
er and authority to set forth laws and to set forth
standards of inter-chapter relations; and to levy
fees and taxes, provided that these measures are in
harmony with the International Supreme Council of the

Order of DeMolay and the dispensation under which this Association operates.

Article IIIC Membership and Representation

Section I

The members of this Association shall be the several duly constituted Chapters, and those holding Letters Temporary of the Order of DeMolay, located in the State of Florida.

Section II

The members of this Association shall meet annually for the purpose of conducting business, electing officers, holding sports and ritual competition and all other activities provided for in the By-Laws of this Association.

Section III

In order for the delegation of a member chapter to attend Conclave and register, the said delegation must be accompanied by a Certified Member of the Advisory Council or a Master Mason, approved by the Provincial Governor for each ten (10) DeMolays or fraction thereof in attendance. No chapter shall be allowed to register its delegation if said chapter has not paid, in full, all assessments due this Association.

Section IV

Each member chapter shall be entitled to be represented by three (3) delegates at the Annual Conclave/ Each delegate shall have one vote in all matters brought on the floor of the Conclave, providing he has been certified by his chapter advisor and has registered with the Credentials Committee prior to the opening of Conclave. In the event that less than three (3) delegates from a Chapter are in attendance at Conclave, any or all of the absent delegate votes may be given to a remaining delegate from that chapter. In order to accomplish this, the chapter advisor must submit written authorization to the Credentials Committee before

the opening business session of the Conclave.

Article IVC Officers

Section I

The officers of this Association shall consist of the State Master Councilor, Deputy State Master Councilor, State Senior Councilor, State Junior Councilor, State Scribe, State Treasurer, State Senior Deacon, State Junior Deacon, State Senior Steward, State Junior Steward, State Chaplain, State Marshal, State Orator, State Standard Bearer, State Parliamentarian, Seven State Preceptors, State Editor, State Committee Chairmen, and all others selected by the State Master Councilor and/ or Executive Officer of the State of Florida.

Section II

The State Master Councilor, Deputy State Master Councilor, State Senior Councilor, and the State Junior Councilor shall be elected during the general business session of the Association, in Conclave assembled each year, and these officers shall serve until their successors are installed.

Section III

All candidates for elected State Office must be Past Master Councilors, Representative DeMolays and have completed the Leadership Correspondence Course. They must also be residents of the State of Florida for at least six months prior to election.

Section IV

The State Scribe shall be appointed by the Board of Administration from a list of nominations submitted to them by the State Master Councilor prior to the opening of the first business session or as provided by Article IV, Section VI-B.

Section V

All other State Offices shall be filled by appointment by the State Master Councilor. These officers shall serve until the close of the following Conclave.

Section VI

(a) No candidate shall be elected to a State Office who would reach the age of 21 years prior to June 1st of the year following his election. No State Officer may attend an out-of-state school or reside outside of the State of Florida during his term of office. Any violation of these provisions shall automatically create a vacancy in the office.

(b) The vacancy of an appointed State Office may be declared by the State Master Councilor after an evaluation of that State Officer's performance. A vacancy will also occur in the office of State Scribe upon the recommendation of the State Master Councilor and with the approval of the Board of Administration.

Section VII

In the case of a vacancy in the elective offices, each State Councilor shall advance to the next highest office and a State Junior Councilor shall be appointed by the State Master Councilor, subject to the approval of the Executive Officer. Vacancies in all other State Offices shall be filled by the appointment of the State Master Councilor.

Section VIII

The State Treasurer shall be elected during the general business session of this Association and shall serve until his successor has been installed and an audit has been performed by an accountant who has been approved by the Executive Officer. This audit shall be completed within a week after the close of Conclave.

Section IX

All candidates for the office of State Treasurer shall be Past Master Councilors, shall hold the Representative DeMolay Award, and have completed the Leadership Correspondence Course. He shall also have either a personal checking account or a personal savings account.

Article VC

Committees

Section I

The following committees shall be considered as standing committees of this Association:

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| 1. Jurisprudence | 8. Public Relations and Publications |
| 2. Resolutions | 9. Ritual |
| 3. Nominations | 10. Conclave |
| 4. Finance | 11. Athletics |
| 5. Membership | 12. Constitutional Revisions |
| 6. Conduct | 13. State Cabinet |
| 7. Credentials | 14. Community Action |

Article VIC

Amendments

Section I

The procedure for amending this Constitution is as follows:

(a) It shall be the responsibility of any Florida DeMolay proposing an amendment to this Constitution to provide for the distribution of said proposal to the Committee on Constitutional Revisions, Committee on Jurisprudence, Elective State Officers, Executive Officer, Board of Administration and member chapters of this Association not less than 60 days prior to the opening of Conclave.

(b) The proposed amendment after approval of the Committee of Jurisprudence and the Board of Administration shall be presented for consideration on the floor of Conclave. Upon the approval by two-thirds of the delegates present and voting it shall take immediate effect.

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By-Laws

Article IB Revenue

Section I

Each member chapter shall pay as dues on or before the due date of the Annual Report the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) to the Florida State DeMolay Association, Inc. In addition, each member except those holding Letters Temporary issued since the due date of the last Annual Report shall pay forty five cents (\$.45) per capita tax for each DeMolay in good standing as shown on the most recent Annual Report to the International Supreme Council. All income received by this Association shall be deposited in the Florida State DeMolay Association Inc. Account to be distributed to the proper funds as required herein, or by other competent authority.

Section II

The revenue of this Association shall be derived from the following sources:

- (1) Dues of the Association
- (2) Per Capita tax for each active DeMolay as listed in each Member's Annual Report to the International Supreme Council
- (3) Registration fees for Annual State Conclave
- (4) Sale of items approved by the Executive Officer
- (5) Gifts and/or bequests from proper sources

Article IIB State Conclave

Section I

There shall be ritual competition; Athletic competition; State Sweetheart competition; election of State Officers and any other business for the good of the Order in this Association.

Section II

There shall be ritual competition conducted at the State Conclave under the direction of the Executive Officer's Personal Representative for the International Supreme Council Ritual and Awards, assisted by the Chairman of the State Ritual Committee. This competition shall be limited to the winners of the several regions in each category. The Executive Officer's Personal Representative of International Supreme Council Ritual and Awards shall appoint no less than three (3) judges for each competition, who solely shall have the authority to determine the winner of each competition. The rules and regulations governing the Ritual competition shall be published along with the official minutes of each Annual State Conclave for the governing of competition at the next Annual State Conclave. The ritual competition shall be composed of the Initiatory Degree, Opening and Closing Ceremonies (including the Nine O'clock Interpolation), Flower Talk, and Oratorical Competition.

Section III

There shall be athletic competition conducted at the State Conclave under the direction of the State Advisor of Athletics appointed by the Executive Officer assisted by the Chairman of the Athletics Committee. This competition shall be limited to the winners of the several regions in each category. The State Advisor of Athletics, appointed by the Executive Officer shall appoint for each competition qualified referees for each event who shall solely have the authority to determine the winner of each competition.

Section IV

There shall be State Sweetheart competition at State Conclave. The rules and regulations as determined by the Executive Officer shall be published in the proceedings of that year's Conclave.

Article IIIB Elections

Section I

Any qualified brother who desires to run for an elective office of this Association shall send a letter of intent to the Executive Officer and the Chairman of the Nominations Committee, within sixty (60) days prior to the opening of registration of the Annual Conclave.

Section II

A candidate shall not cause any distribution of materials written or oral pertaining to his candidacy before he has submitted his letter of intention to the proper persons (as stated in Article IIIB, Section I). He will be authorized to distribute calling cards only. They will be printed on one side only. This card will be no larger than the standard DeMolay dues card in overall size, and will contain no information other than name, address, titles and/or honors and the title of office being sought by the candidate. This card will be the only authorized material which may be distributed in his behalf at Conclave or at any other time.

Section III

No candidate or individual(s) representing a candidate will make public statements either verbal, written or printed at any officially designated DeMolay function or activity as to the intentions of a candidate seeking any elective office in this Association until after a date sixty (60) days prior to the opening of registration at the State Conclave and after receipt by the Executive Officer of the candidate's letter of intention.

Section IV

The election of officers of this Association shall take place at the discretion of the State Master Councilor during a regular business session at each Annual State Conclave.

Section V

No two (2) State Councilors shall be from the same member chapter of this Association.

Section VI

It being the purpose of the Order of DeMolay to develop leadership and a sense of responsibility among individual members of the Order, Officers of this Association shall not succeed themselves.

Section VII

Any violation of these regulations shall be constituted reason for disqualification by act of the Nominations Committee. Notification to the Chairman of the Nominations Committee of any violation may be made by any DeMolay or Advisor. Such notification should include specific evidence when possible.

Section VIII

The election of officers shall be in the order of rank, the highest being first, the order as provided by this Constitution, by secret ballot of those entitled to vote, as otherwise provided in the Constitution, at each Annual Conclave of this Association. A majority of the ballots cast shall be necessary for a choice to elect.

Section IX

The ballots for the election of officers shall be prepared by the State Scribe for each Annual Conclave. The ballots shall be distributed to each delegate entitled to vote, prior to the opening of elections, and the ballots shall be cast with the surname only of the candidate for the particular office. Illegibly written thereon; ballots shall be folded only once. Blank ballots, illegible ballots and otherwise deviating from the proper form provided herein shall be tabulated as abstentions

Section X

Any qualified brother who desires to run for the office of State Treasurer shall submit a letter of intent to the Executive Officer and the Chairman of the State Nominations Committee within 60 days prior to the opening of registration of the Annual Conclave. Only those brothers who submit a letter of intent for this office shall be eligible to run.

Article IVB Duties of State Officers

Section I

The State Master Councilor shall be the duly elected head of this Association, and it shall be his duty to perform all duties which naturally pertain to such an office or which may devolve upon him from time to time.

Section II

The State Master Councilor shall preside at the Annual Conclave and work in conjunction with the Board of Administration. He shall also work with the Conclave Committee in making arrangements for said Conclave.

Section III

The State Master Councilor shall appoint all committee Chairmen of this Association, and in consultation with each chairman, appoint the committee members.

Section IV

The State Master Councilor shall have an expense account with funds up to fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) which shall be used for reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of his and the other State Councilor's duties, with the State Master Councilor's approval.

Section V

The State Master Councilor shall in person, or by Special Deputy, visit each provincial chapter in this state at least once during his term

of office.

Section VI

The Deputy State Master Councilor, the State Senior Councilor, and the State Junior Councilor shall represent the State Master Councilor as his Special Deputies when so ordered.

Section VII

The State Master Councilor shall report in writing to the Association at each Annual Conclave, all of his Official Acts, whether performed in person or by Special Deputy.

Section VIII

The State Senior Councilor shall serve as Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee.

Section IX

The State Junior Councilor shall serve as Chairman of the Conduct Committee.

Section X

The Deputy State Master Councilor, the State Senior Councilor, and the State Junior Councilor shall assist the State Master Councilor in every way possible in the discharge of his duties.

Section XI

The Deputy State Master Councilor, the State Senior Councilor, and the State Junior Councilor shall report in writing to this Association at each Annual Conclave, all of their Official Acts.

Section XII

The State Scribe shall record the minutes of the Annual Conclave of this Association. He shall then within sixty (60) days have the aforesaid minutes together with the Constitution and By-Laws as of their latest revision, published together with the rules and regulations of the ritual and sweepstakes competition to be distributed as follows:

1. One copy to each member of this Association

2. Copies to the Executive Officer, one copy to each member of the Supreme Council residing in the state, and one copy to any advisor appointed by the Executive Officer in a supervisory capacity, including the Board of Administration.

3. One copy to the State Master Councilor, State Deputy Master Councilor, State Senior Councilor, State Junior Councilor, State Scribe, and State Treasurer.

4. One copy to the International Supreme Council.

Section XIII

The State Scribe shall under the direction of the State Master Councilor and/or the Association, conduct all correspondence of this Association.

Section XIV

The State Scribe shall report in writing to the Association at each Annual Conclave all of his official Acts.

Section XV

The State Treasurer shall make disbursements for this Association with the approval of the Executive Officer. The State Treasurer shall make an itemized report of all transactions in connection with this office at the Annual Conclave.

Article VB

State Cabinet

Section I

The members shall be the duly elected Provincial Master Councilors of the several Provinces. This Cabinet will function at the will of the State Master Councilor. The Deputy State Master Councilor shall serve as Chairman.

Section II

This Cabinet shall help coordinate activities, help in the unification of this State, and act in the capacity of a grievance committee if need be.

Article VIB Committees

Section I

The standing committees of this Association shall consist of those named in Article of the Constitution.

Section II

The duties of the Jurisprudence Committee shall be to determine the constitutionality of all motions, resolutions, and proposals presented by the standing committees or from the floor of the Conclave.

Section III

The duty of the Resolutions Committee shall be to bring to the delegates of the members resolutions that will benefit DeMolay in the State of Florida.

Section IV

The duty of the Nominations Committee shall be to review the qualifications of every candidate for an elective office of this State in order to determine if said candidates are constitutionally qualified to hold such offices. At the time of the elections the Nominations Committee shall present to the delegates at Conclave the list of qualified candidates seeking an elective office.

Section V

The Membership Committee shall study and promote an active program for the acquisition of eligible youth in this Jurisdiction.

Section VI

The duty of the Conduct Committee shall be the only State Committee to supervise the conduct of the DeMolays under the direction of the Chairman of the State Conduct Committee and the State Advisor of Conduct, appointed by the Executive Officer, assembled at any statewide DeMolay activity.

Section VII

The duty of the Credentials Committee shall be to validate the credentials of all delegates to Conclave in accordance with Article III, Section IV of the Constitution. This committee shall be responsible for arranging the seating of said delegates.

Section VIII

The duty of the Public Relations and Publications Committee shall be to promote the image of DeMolay through programs of public interest and to put the name of DeMolay before the general public. It shall also be the duty of this committee to inform and assist member chapters in the Annual DeMolay Week Program. This committee shall oversee any publication of this Association and any related programs.

Section IX

The Ritual Committee shall promote uniformity in the ritual of the Order of DeMolay throughout this Association, and shall recommend to the Association for approval, procedures for the performance of ritualistic matters not specifically set forth in the Ritual of Secret Work of the Order of DeMolay and methods of receiving, introducing, and accomodating those who are entitled recognition in all conclaves, meetings and public ceremonies of the Association.

Section X

The Conclave Committee shall select from those presented to it at least two (2) proposals for the time and place of Annual Conclave, and present said proposals to the Executive Officer's Personal Representative in charge of Conclave.

Section XI

The Athletics Committee shall work with the State Sports Director in acquiring qualified officials for all state athletics competition. They shall also review and submit any proposals to the State Master Councilor.

Section XII

The duty of the Constitutional Revisions Committee shall be to recommend pertinent and necessary revisions to the Constitution and By-Laws.

Section XIII

The State Master Councilor shall announce the names of the Committee Chairmen for the coming year at the close of the last business session of Conclave no later than fifteen (15) days after the close of Conclave. The names of the chairmen shall be published in the current minutes of the Association.

Section XIV

All committees shall consist of at least five (5) members appointed by the State Master Councilor, the first named members being the chairmen.

Section XV

It shall be the duty of each committee chairman to submit to the State Master Councilor a report upon request. It shall also be the duty of each State Committee Chairman to gather suggestions and recommendations from the member chapters and combine them with his own ideas and submit them to the State Master Councilor as a tentative agenda 30 days prior to Conclave.

Section XVI

The final committee reports shall be type written and submitted to the State Scribe no later than the beginning of the last business session at each Conclave.

Section XVII

The State Master Councilor shall have the power to establish additional committees as he deems necessary.

Section XVIII

The Deputy State Master Councilor shall serve as Chairman of the State Membership Committee.

Article VIIB Board of Administration

Section I

The body appointed by the Executive Officer in an advisory capacity for this Association shall be known as the Board of Administration. The Board of Administration shall be composed of Personal Representatives of the Executive Officer and other advisors as the Executive Officer may deem necessary to appoint. All legislative matters to be submitted to the Conclave are subject to review by the Board of Administration. Action of the Board on any matter may be reviewed by the Executive Officer for approval or disapproval.

Article VIIIB Amendments

Section I

These By-Laws can be amended by the same procedure as outlined in Article VIC, Section I, except a simple majority is required for passage, and amendment may be submitted at any time prior to the first business session of Conclave.

State Competition Winners - 1975-76

Ritual

Initiatory Degree	Bahia Chapter	Pro. III
DeMolay Degree	Albert J. Russel Chapter	Pro. II
Opening and Closing	Sem-I-No Chapter	Pro. VI
Flower Talk	Clifford Cooper, Fellowship Chapter	Pro. IV
Oratorical	Tom Stoddard, Bahia Chapter	Pro. III

ISC Programs

Representative DeMolay	Hollywood Chapter	Pro. IX
Sweepstakes	Bahia Chapter	Pro. III

Scrapbook Awards

Mother's Club Scrapbook	Hollywood Chapter	Pro. IX
DeMolay Scrapbook	Sem-I-No Chapter	Pro. VI

York Rite Trophies

Membership	Sem-I-No Chapter	Pro. VI
Leadership Correspondence Course	Bahia Chapter	Pro. III
Chapter of the year	George Ulee Lord Chapter	Pro. I

Swimming Competition

50 Yard Backstroke Andy Hutcheson	Cocoa Chapter
50 Yard Breaststroke Gary Lee	Cocoa Chapter
50 Yard Butterfly Bob Forgeid	Bahia Chapter
100 Yard Freestyle Bob Forgeid	Bahia Chapter
200 Yard Medley Relay	Riverside Chapter

Eight Ball Pool

Sidney Miller	Village Chapter
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Lawn Tennis

Singles Doug Dyer	John M. Cheney Chapter
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Doubles	John M. Cheney Chapter
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Bowling

Singles Robert Doke	Jaques DeMolay Chapter
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Doubles	John M. Cheney Chapter
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Rifle

Singles George Tolson	Canaveral Chapter
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Doubles	Canaveral Chapter
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Team Sports

Softball	Riverside Chapter
Basketball	Riverside Chapter
Volleyball	John M. Cheney Chapter

Track and Field

100 Yard Dash Bucky Wright	American Crusader Chapter
440 Yard Dash Tom Prettyman	Ralph Buck Chapter
880 Yard Dash R. Claus	Cocoa Chapter
880 Yard Relay	Riverside Chapter
Sprint Medley Relay	American Crusader Chapter
Running Broad Jump Doug Dyer	John M. Cheney Chapter
Standing Broad Jump Joe Williams	Albert J. Russel Chapter
Shot-Put Danny Miller	Ocala Chapter
Discus Danny Miller	Ocala Chapter
<u>Table Top Games</u>	
Chess Robert Mikes	Melbourne Chapter

State Competition Winners - 1975-76 (cont.)

Checkers

Fred Davenport

Wesconnett Chapter

Monopoly

Roger Bailey

Orange Chapter

ping Pong

Orange Chapter

RITUAL COMPETITION RULES

GENERAL:

1. Every contestant MUST have an Obligation Card and a current or Life Member card. This rule will be certified by the Chapter Advisor at the time of registration.
2. All contestants must be members of the Chapter they are representing and cannot have reached their majority.
3. Competing teams will submit the names of their members to the person in charge of the Ritual Competition. State Conclave, the Personal Representative of Awards and Ritual; Region Competition, the Regional Coordinator of the particular Region; Province Competition, the Province Governor; or in any of the above, to the person designated by the person in charge of the Ritual Competition.
4. NO RITUALS or MONITORS will be permitted in the Chapter room where the contest is held, except those in possession of the judges. All ritual work must be from memory. The use of any aid to the memory devise will DISQUALIFY the team.
5. Prompting from any source will subject the team to a 50 point penalty for each prompting. A judge will not prompt under any circumstances.
6. Spectators may be permitted if the competing Chapter has no objection but must not in any manner disturb or distract those in competition.
7. Contestants waiting on preparation for their scheduled appearance will not create a disturbance or distraction in the area outside the Chapter room.
8. Necessary properties will be furnished by a local Chapter, except robes.

9. The "Ritual of Secret Work of the Order of DeMolay" to be used by the judges will be the TWELFTH EDITION dated "1974" and the "Monitor of Public Ceremonies", FOURTH EDITION dated "1974", will be used for the Flower Talk.
10. A penalty may be invoked by the panel of judges for tardiness in appearing as scheduled after 15 minute grace period has expired.
11. Judges will rate each team according to their own impression without consulting each other except for rule 10.
12. Judges MUST NOT divulge the scoring results to any person or persons at any time. Judging score sheets will be submitted to the person in charge of the Ritual Competition, or to the person designated by him to handle the Ritual Competition; as defined in Rule 3.
13. No appeals will be accepted on Judge's scoring. Appeals will be heard only on cases involving violation of rules; substantiation to disqualify a competitor. Deadline for appeal will be 24 hours after competition.

INITIATORY DEGREE

- I. A line of 22 officers is recommended, a minimum of 18 will be required for competition.
- II. The Initiatory Degree ONLY will be exemplified. Opening and closing of Chapter will be omitted.
- III. Judging will begin with the rap of the gavel in the East.
- IV. In considering Chapter dress, the use of the type robes recommended by the Supreme Council is not mandatory, neatness and uniformity are the prime consideration.
- V. If music is used, it shall be considered in the

light of creating atmosphere. It should never interfere or detract from the Ritual.

VI. Maximum time limit - 50 minutes per team.

VII. A candidate for degrees may be initiated by a team in competition. An active member may be substituted if desired.

DEMOLAY DEGREE

I. A degree team of 15 members is recommended, a minimum of 12 will be required for competition. Non-speaking parts (such as guards) referred to but not limited by the Ritual may be used, as long as the entire cast does not exceed 20 in number.

II. Only the first section of the DeMolay Degree will be presented. Begin with the Orator's part and conclude with the Lord Constable's last line.

III. If special effects, such as robes, music, lights and make-up (as permitted by the Ritual) are used to increase the impact, they shall be considered as embellishment to presentation, not to interfere or detract from the Ritual.

IV. Maximum time limit - 30 minutes per team.

FLOWER TALK

I. A Marshall and Candidate(s) are not required in competition.

II. A Chapter room setting is not required for delivery of the Flower Talk. An article of furniture symbolic of an Altar will be considered adequate.

III. Maximum time limit for each competitor - 15 minutes. Rule 6 also applies.

ORATORICAL CONTEST

I. The subject for the oration will be selected by

the Personal Representative of Awards and Ritual, and will be promulgated prior to Provincial Competition.

II. Each contestant will deliver a typed copy of his oration to the judges prior to competition. This copy to be retained by the State Association. It is understood the permission is granted to publish those orations deemed worthy of recognition.

III. Subject matter is important, thus the same copy cannot be used by more than one contestant.

IV. Presentation may be made from memory, use of notes or read.

V. Material used must be from the contestants own creativeness. However, quotations may be used in moderation.

VI. Minimum time 5 minutes. Maximum time 8 minutes for each competitor.

FINAL SCORING SYSTEM FOR RITUAL COMPETITION

To achieve the final score that will be equitable to all competitors, the following system has been evolved.

DELIVERY: Contestant receiving the highest grade will be rated with a final score of 100, other contestants will have their grade divided by the highest grade to acquire the final score:

Assuming the grades assigned were 50, 65, 80, and 42. Highest grade of 80 would equal the score of 100. Grade of 65 would be divided by 80 to get final score.

i.e. $\frac{65}{80} = 81.25$ and thusly the grade of 50 would result in a score of 62.5 and 42 a score of 52.5

RITUAL: To acquire a final score on the basis of

100 for this area of competition, add all the points that the contestants received and use the result as a divisor. For a quotient, multiply the individual contestant's (team) points by 100 and subtract the result from 100.000

Assuming the contestants received the following point count for errors: 14, 06, 01, 02, and 0, added together = 23.

$$\frac{100 \times 14}{23} = 60.869 \text{ thus } 100.000 - 60.869 = 39.131$$

$$\frac{100 \times 02}{23} = 8.695 \text{ thus } 100.000 - 91.305$$

accordingly 06 = 73.914, 01 = 95.653 and 0 - 100.000.

The final score would be the contestant's combined score for delivery and ritual, the highest combination would determine the winner of the contest.

INTERNATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES AWARD

GENERAL RULES

Each year the International Supreme Council rates the various jurisdictions according to their participation in the ISC programs. The Plaques that are awarded are symbolic of the best all-around jurisdictions in the specified categories.

There are four Sweepstakes awards presented annually with one award for each size category. All jurisdictions are listed in one of four categories, thus each jurisdiction is competing with those jurisdictions more nearly its own size.

The four categories are: small, for up to 500 members; medium, for 501-2000 members; medium large for 2001-3500 members; and large, for over 3500 members. The number of members will be based on the jurisdictional total as of the end of the DeMolay Year on December 31st.

There is only one international championship in each competition (if there are no ties), but a weighted grading system is utilized in most of the competitions which gives equal weight to both percentage of performance as well as quantity of effort.

Sweepstakes points will be awarded for points credited in the 10 International competitions, consisting of Jurisdictional Membership, Chapter Membership, Blue Honor Key, Representative DeMolay Awards, PMC Meritorious Service Award, Leadership Correspondence Course, ISC Reports, International DeMolay Week, Chapter Publications and New Chapters.

The 10 competitions are divided into three areas of importance, with points for the first through the tenth place as indicated.

Area I (100 to 10 points)

Jurisdictional Membership
Blue Honor Key
Representative DeMolay
PMC Meritorious Service Award
Leadership Correspondence Course
ISC Reports

Area II (50 to 5 points)

DeMolay Week
Chapter Membership
New Chapters

Area III (30 to 3 points)

Chapter Publications

The weighted system of judging is used for any competition where total number is involved, which involves all competition except Chapter Membership, DeMolay Week, ISC Reports and Chapter Publications.

This weighted system of judging is used for any competition and quantity effort and the lowest resulting score of all the jurisdictions occupies first place in the contest rankings for the period being figured. A perfect score for a final ranking is 2, which means a jurisdiction scored first in both the percentage and quantitative categories.

The International Supreme Council publishes several pamphlets that may be of assistance in helping your chapter and jurisdictions in winning the Sweepstakes Award.

Each Chapter taking an active part in all ISC programs is the key to success in contributing toward its jurisdiction winning the Sweepstakes Award.

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1975-1976

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Chapter Locations and Meeting Nights

City CHAPTER Region/Province	Meeting Nights	Location
Apopka ORANGE Reg.C/P.3	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Orange Lodge Apopka
Bartow FIDELITY Reg.W/P.10	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple Florida Ave. at Parker St., Bartow
Bradenton MANATEE COUNTY Reg.W/P.5	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 814 12th St. W. Bradenton
Brandon BRANDON Reg.W/P.10	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple Moon St. at Morgan St., Brandon
Boynton SEACREST Reg.S/P.6	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple Boynton Beach
Clearwater HOWARD FREEZE Reg.S/P.4	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Clearwater Lodge 705 S. Hercules Ave. Clearwater
Clermont CLERMONT Reg.C/P.3	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple DeSoto St. Clermont
Cocoa COCOA Reg.C/P.8	1st & 3rd Thursdays 7:30 p.m.	Brevard Lodge 40 Carmalt St. Cocoa
Cocoa Beach CANAVERAL Reg.C/P.8	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Canaveral Lodge 165 S. Orlando Rd. Cocoa Beach

Coral Gables GREATER MIAMI Reg.S/P.7	Every Tuesday 7:30 p.m.	Coral Gables Lodge 41 Valencia Ave. Coral Gables
Daytona Beach ARTHUR H. CARTER Reg.C/P.8	2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple Orange Ave. Daytona Beach
Deerfield Beach E.A. FINN Reg.S/P.9	2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 601 S.E. 13th St. Deerfield Beach
DeFuniak Springs BOB ARRINGTON Reg.N/P.1	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple DeFuniak Springs
Ensley ALBERT P. WIESE Reg.N/P.1	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.	Ensley Lodge 7500 N. Palofox HWY. Pensacola
Floral City FRANK H. THOMPSON Reg.W/P.4	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 8:00 p.m.	Floral City Lodge HWY. 48-East of 41 Floral City
Ft. Lauderdale DORIC Reg.S/P.9	Every Monday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 700 N.E. 8th St. Ft. Lauderdale
Fr. Myers OKALOA Reg.W/P.5	2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Scottish Rite Bldg. Fowler & Anderson Ft. Myers
Fr. Pierce SAN LUCIE Reg.S/P.6	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple S. 29th St. Ft. Pierce
Ft. Walton Beach RALPH BUCK Reg.N/P.1	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 130 Miracle Strip Parkway S.E. Ft. Walton

Gainsville GAINSVILLE Reg.C/P.3	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 8:00 p.m.	Masonic Temple 203 W. Main St. Gainsville
Hollywood HOLLYWOOD Reg.S/P.9	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 1855 McKinley St. Hollywood
Hollywood WESTSIDE Reg.S/P.9	Every Tuesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 811 Glenn Parkway Hollywood
Homestead ROYAL VISTA Reg.S/P.7	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 33 N.W. 15th St. Homestead
Indialantic VIRGIL I. GRISSOM Reg.C/P.8	2nd & 4th Thursdays 7:30 p.m.	Indialantic
Jacksonville ARLINGTON Reg.N/P.2	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Arlington Lodge 3421 University Boulevard North Jacksonville
Jacksonville DUVAL Reg.N/P.2	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Duval Lodge 2620 Dean Road Jacksonville
Jacksonville HURLBERT Reg.N/P.2	1st & 3rd Fridays 7:30 p.m.	Hurlbert Lodge 305 W. 41st St. Jacksonville
Jacksonville RIVERSIDE Reg.N/P.2	2nd & 4th Tuesdays 7:30 p.m.	Riverside Lodge 1225 S. McDuff Ave. Jacksonville
Jacksonville ALBERT J. RUSSELL Reg.N/P.2	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	A.J. Russell Lodge 2015 Gilmore St. Jacksonville
Jacksonville TEMPLE Reg.N/P.2	1st & 3rd Tuesdays 7:30 p.m.	Temple Lodge 5700 Colcord Ave. Jacksonville

Jacksonville WESCONNETT Reg.N/P.2	2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Wesconnett Lodge 5917 Timaquana Road Jacksonville
Jacksonville WOODSTOCK PARK Reg.N/P.2	1st & 3rd Thursdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 770 Prospect St. Jacksonville
Jacksonville Beach AMERICAN CRUSADERS Reg.N/P.2	2nd & 4th Thursdays 7:30 p.m.	Ribault Lodge 327 2nd Avenue North Jacksonville Beach
Key West FERNANDO E. CAMUS Reg.S/P.7	Every Tuesday 7:30 p.m.	Scottish Rite Temple Key West
Kissimmee OSCEOLA Reg.C/P.3	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple Dakin and Sun Street Kissimmee
Lake City NEW GATEWAY Reg.N/P.2	2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Lake City Lodge Lake City
Lakeland TROPICAL Reg.W/P.10	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple E. Lemon St. and S. Iowa Avenue, Lakeland
Lake Worth SEM-I-NO Reg.S/P.6	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Gulfstream Lodge 1760 Lucerne Ave. Lake Worth
Largo JAQUES DEMOLAY Reg.W/P.4	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Star Lodge 1181 N. Highland Ave. Largo
Maderia Beach GULF BEACH Reg.W/P.4	Every Monday 7:30 p.m.	Gulf Beach Lodge 14020 Margareta Ave. Maderia Beach

Melbourne CLAIR B. LAY Reg.C/P.8	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:00 p.m.	Masonic Temple Avocado and Aurora Melbourne
Miami NOR MI Reg.S/P.7	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 7707 N.W. 2nd Ave. Miami
Miami JOHN B. ORR Reg.S/P.7	Every Tuesday 7:30 p.m.	Hialeah Lodge 150 W. 20th Street Hialeah
Miami Shores VILLAGE Reg.S/P.7	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Village Lodge 9822 N.E. 2nd Ave. Miami Shores
Milton FRANK S. LAND Reg.N/P.1	2nd & 4th Tuesdays 7:30 p.m.	Santa Rosa Lodge Milton
Naples NAPOLI Reg.W/P.5	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 5850 North Trail Naples
New Smyrna Beach JOHN VAN DYKE Reg.C/P.8
Niceville GEORGE ULEE LORD Reg.N/P.1	1st & 3rd Tuesdays 7:00 p.m.	Okaloosa Lodge 502 W. Main Street Niceville
North Miami Beach GOLDEN GLADES Reg.S/P.7	Every Tuesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 1451 N.N. 161st St. N. Miami Beach
Ocala OPA LOCKA Reg.S/P.7	2nd & 4th Mondays 8:00 p.m.	Masonic Temple 219 W. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala
Orange Park ORANGE PARK Reg.N/P.2	Orange Park Lodge Orange Park

Orlando BAHIA Reg.C/P.3	2nd & 4th Thursdays 7:30 p.m.	Composite Lodge Bldg. 1300 Francis Avenue Orlando
Orlando JOHN M. CHENEY Reg.C/P.3	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 205 E. Central Orlando
Ovieda OVIEDA Reg.C/P.3	1st & 3rd Thursdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 40 S. Central Ave. Ovieda
Palatka PALATKA Reg.N/P.2	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Palatka Lodge Palatka
Palmetto PALMETTO Reg.W/P.5	1st & 3rd Tuesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 4th St. and 10th Ave. Palmetto
Palm Harbor SAMUEL J. HENDERSON Reg.W/P.4	Every Monday 7:30 p.m.	Sutherland Lodge Palm Harbor
Panama City SCOTTY HUTTON Reg.N/P.1	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Acme Lodge Panama City
Pensacola PENSACOLA Reg.N/P.1	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	W. Pensacola Lodge 3300 W. DeSoto Pensacola
Pensacola ESCAMBIA Reg.N/P.1	1st & 3rd Thursdays 7:00 p.m.	Escambia Lodge 5 1/2 E. Garden St. Pensacola
Pinellas Park PINELLAS PARK Reg.W/P.4	1st & 3rd Tuesdays 7:30 p.m.	Elmer O. Smith Lodge 50th St. & 75th Ave. Pinellas Park
Pompano Beach T.N. ALEXANDER Reg.S/P.9	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 101 S.E. 1st Avenue Pompano Beach

Quincy ANGUS HINSON Reg.N/P.2	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Washington Lodge No.2 864 East Jefferson St Quincy
Riverview DESOTO Reg.W/P.10	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 8:00 p.m.	Masonic Temple DeSoto Road off U.S. 301
St. Augustine ANCIENT CITY Reg.N/P.2	Ashlar Lodge St. Augustine
St. Petersburg ST. PETERSBURG Reg.W/P.4	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	St. Petersburg Lodge 4th St. & 2nd Ave. St. Petersburg
Sanford SEMINOLE Reg.C/P.3	1st & 3rd Mondays 8:00 p.m.	Sanford Lodge N. Park Ave. Sanford
Sarasota SARASOTA Reg.W/P.5	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 2160 Main Street Sarasota
South Miami SOUTH MIAMI Reg.S/P.7	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple 7090 S.W. 61st Ave South Miami
Stuart ACACIA Reg.S/P.6	2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Acacia Lodge 351 E. Osceola Str Stuart
Tallahassee J. EDWIN LARSON Reg.N/P.2	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Jackson Lodge Apalachee Parkway Tallahassee
Tampa FELLOWSHIP Reg.W/P.4	Every Thursday 7:30 p.m.	Fellowship Lodge 306 N. Lincoln Ave Tampa
Tampa OWEN A COILE Reg.W/P.4	Every Monday 7:30 p.m.	A.W. Windhorst Lo 5011 Nebraska Ave Tampa

Tampa PAUL REVERE Reg.W/P.4	Every Monday 7:30 p.m.	Hillsborough Lodge 508 E. Kennedy Blvd. Tampa
Titusville GREATER TITUSVILLE Reg.C/P.8	1st & 3rd Mondays 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple Garden and U.S. 1 Titusville
Warrington SAM PASCO Reg.N/P.1	2nd & 4th Thursdays 7:30 p.m.	Naval Lodge Navy Boulevard Warrington
West Palm Beach DOUGLAS MacARTHUR Reg.S/P.6	1st & 3rd Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Palm Lodge 845 Bradley Street W. Palm Beach
West Palm Beach THOMAS A. EDISON Reg.S/P.6	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Harmonia Lodge 311 1/2 Clematis St. West Palm Beach
Winter Haven HAVEN Reg.W/P.10	Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.	Masonic Temple Avenue A & 4th St. S.E. Winter Haven
Winter Park WINTER PARK Reg.C/P.3	2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.	Winter Park Lodge 130 E. Comstock Ave. Winter Park

Distinguished Service Award Winners in Florida

E.F.= East Florida

W.F.= West Florida

1959-60

Chapter

1st term	Charles P. Chancey	Brandon
2nd term	None	
3rd term	Ricky O. Nations	Gulf Beach

1960-61

1st term	Terrill Lee Morris	John M. Cheney (E.F.)
1st term	Philip H. Chesnut, Jr.	Pearlof the West (W.F.)
2nd term	Charles Stanley Stopford	John M. Cheney (E.F.)
2nd term	John W. Carbin	Jaques DeMolay (W.F.)
3rd term	Charles Thomas Money	St. Petersburg (W.F.)
3rd term	David B.J. Adams	Fernando E. Camus (E.F.)

1961-62

1st term	William Bill Barnett	Hollywood (E.F.)
1st term	C. Tal Bray	Owen A. Coile (W.F.)
2nd term	Peter Vasile	Arthur H. Carter (E.F.)
2nd term	Zaruk Takali	George Ulee Lord (W.F.)
3rd term	Robert Lowery Hamilton	John M. Cheney (E.F.)
3rd term	Jan Jorman	

1962-63

1st term	William James Tucker	Melbourne (E.F.)
2nd term	Kenneth Wiggins	Pensacola (E.F.)
3rd term	Hartwell Louis Livingston	John M. Cheney (E.F.)
3rd term	James W. Jackson	Okaloa (W.F.)

1963-64

1st term	None	
2nd term	William Henry Ostermeyer	John M. Cheney (E.F.)
2nd term	Edwin Neal James	Tallahassee (W.F.)
3rd term	Kenneth Moore	Acacia (E.F.)
3rd term	David Lee Gordon	Howard Freeze (W.F.)

1964-65

1st term	Preston Thomas Hatch	Woodstock
2nd term	Alonzo E. Lane, III	Howard Freeze
3rd term	None	

1965-66

None

1966-67

1st term	William Edward Thompson	Arlington
2nd term	David Carr Parkhurst	Greater Miami
3rd term	Jeffery K. Butcher	Manatee

1967-68

1st term	Harry Lee Abrams	Winter Park
2nd term	Donald James Watson, Jr.	Melbourne
3rd term	None	

1969

1st term	Steven Stein	Seminole
2nd term	James David Sewell	Riverside

1970

1st term	Paul Fell	Okaloa
2nd term	Larry Edward Rambach	Arlington

1971

1st term	Woodrow John Latvala, Jr.	Fidelity
2nd term	None	

1972

1st term	Thomas Edison Jordan, Jr.	John M. Cheney
2nd term	Harold Curtis Buchanan	Winter Park

1973

1st term None
2nd term Daniel Mark Taylor

Arthur H. Carter

1974

1st term None
2nd term Walter Hobbs Ricks

John M. Cheney

1975

1st term John Douglas Boone

Wesconnett

Past State Master Councilors of Florida

<u>Term</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Chapter</u>
1974-75	Walter Hobbs Ricks	John M. Cheney
1973-74	Wallace J. Moneyhun	Village
1972-73	Keith McVey Hart	Pinellas Park
1971-72	Harold Curtis Buchanan	Winter Park
1970-71	Woodrow John Latvala, Jr.	Fidelity
1969-70	Gary L. Malphrus	Hollywood
1969-70	James Washington Kress	St. Petersburg
1968-69	James David Sewell	Riverside
1967-68	Leonard Alexander McCook, Jr.	Duval
1966-67	William Herman Stemper, Jr.	Seminole
1965-66	Preston Thomas Hatch	Woodstock Park
1964-65	Michael Roger Weatherby	Duval
1963-64	Ernest LeRoy Higbee, Jr.	Acacia
1962-63	Charles Thomas Money	Sunshine
1961-62	William Bill Barnett	Hollywood
1960-61	Ivan Fain McMullen	Riverside
1959-60	Robert Jesse Norton	Nor-Mi
1958-59	Eugene William Katibah, Jr.	Riverside
1957-58	John Bradley Adams	Sarasota
1956-57	Virgil Miller Newton, III	Paul Revere
1955-56	William G. Katibah, Jr.	Duval
1954-55	Robert Bruce Garwood, Jr.	Thomas Edison
1953-54	Herman O. Jones, Jr.	Duval
1952-53	Richard Burke	
1951-52	Richard Shrove	
1950-51	Hal Dixon	Greater Miami
1949-50	Robert Dupree	
1948-49	John A. Kelk, Jr.	John M. Cheney
1947-48	James Kirby	Thomas Edison
1946-47	Sam Wilson	
1942-43	Max Brewer	

Honorary Past State Master Councilors of Florida

1963	Ellis Needer, Jr.	Riverside
1966	Jeffery K. Butcher	Manatee County

STATE SWEETHEART RULES

1. Sweethearts competing shall be between the age of 15-20 at the time of the State Conclave.
2. Each Sweetheart shall be sponsored by an active DeMolay Chapter.
3. All Sweethearts must be currently attending school or a high school graduate.
4. Must have high moral standards.
5. All girls running for Sweetheart must have their parent's approval. A letter with Sweetheart Rules and Dress Code should be forwarded to the parents.
6. Sweethearts must be chaperoned at all times by a female adult 25 or older for overnight affairs pertaining to DeMolay.
7. Sweethearts will be permitted to run no more than twice for State Sweetheart.
8. Name tags should be worn at all times.
9. Girls should not leave the motel without a chaperone and permission from a member of the Sweetheart Committee.
10. No boys should be in any girl's room for any reason.
11. Sweethearts are not permitted in the vicinity of the voting while DeMolays are voting for Sweetheart.
12. All sweethearts must observe the curfew set by the Executive Officer.

13. Sweetheart is responsible for the crown. Crown should be returned in the same condition that it was received.
14. Suitable bust shot picture, preferably color, no larger than a 5 x 7 must be submitted at the time of registration. Contestants photographs larger than 5 x 7 will not be posted. No exceptions will be made to this rule.
15. Any infraction of the above rules will disqualify Chapter Sweetheart from competition. Girl guests are expected to abide by the same rules.
16. Any problems or questions, please contact a member of the Sweetheart Committee. DO NOT contact Dad Hunt or the Conduct Committee at any time.

DRESS CODE

1. Contestants should at all times be dressed in good taste and appropriate for the occasion.
2. Dresses are recommended for most functions.
3. Pants or pant suits may be worn, provided they are not the bare midriff or hip hugger types. Shorts (not hot pants) will be permitted only if the occasion warrants (sports, pool parties, etc.) No dungarees.
4. The young ladies are permitted to wear bikini bathing suits. However, appropriate robe will be worn when passing through the lobbies going to or from the pool.
5. Formals will be worn at all formal functions--introductions, Grand Banquet. Sweethearts will be presented on Sunday night. Grand Banquet will be Wednesday night.
6. Backless dresses accepted--must have bra.

7. Bras should be worn at all times.
8. Chapter sashes and crowns will not be worn at State Conclave. Sashes will be provided.
9. Remember you represent the finest young men in DeMolay: Be proud of them and they will be proud of you.