

1985
CONVENTION MINUTES

ORDER OF AHEPA
GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NUMBER 21



GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO. 21

53th ANNUAL CONVENTION
JUNE 5-7, 1985
MILLBRAE, CALIFORNIA

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Chapter # (file)

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Fresno Chapter # 151

53RD ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

ORDER OF AHEPA

GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NUMBER 21
CLARION HOTEL ---- MILLBRAE, CALIFORNIA

CONVENTION MINUTES

CONVENTION CHAIRMAN	GEORGE H. MARGELOS
CONVENTION VICE-CHAIRMAN	BILL BOORAS
CONVENTION SECRETRAY	PAUL G. ELIOPOULOS

1985

OFFICIAL CONVENTION MINUTES OF THE 53rd ANNUAL

DISTRICT CONVENTION -- GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO.21 - ORDER OF AHEPA

JULY 5, 1985.

The Golden Gate District No.21 - 53rd Annual Convention was held at the Clarion Hotel in Millbrae, California. It was sponsored by the Local Chapter of San Mateo County No. 392 under the leadership of PDG Louis Janakos. The Convention City did a tremendous job. They deserve a lot of credit.

On July 5, 1985 A.M., Convention Chairman Lou Janakos officially opened the 53rd District Convention and dedicated the convention to deceased member Past District Governor George Pattis of Chapter #392. He welcomed all for coming to this convention. He announced that at 12:30 P.M. a Delegates Luncheon will be held and the Guest Speaker will be the Honorable Consul General of Greece who will speak on a timely subject "Greek - American Relations". Mr. Marinos a publisher of a Greek Magazine published in Greece will also render a few remarks.

Lou Janakos turned the podium over to District Governor George Marmas who introduced Supreme Treasurer Angelo Mountanos.

DG Marmas opened the meeting and expressed that he hoped the New Agenda will help in compiling the minutes. He hoped that the cost of preparing the Convention minutes will not exceed \$200.00. He recommended that the meeting start on time and proposed that we fine a member who is late.

The Official voting strength prior to Election of Convention Officers was:

- 5 District Lodge Officers
- 7 past District Governors
- 17 Delegates
- 29 Total

Tellers appointed were: Brothers Gus Hontalas and Earnest Kogeones

Nominations were opened for Convention Chairman: James Dariotes nominated George H. Margelos seconded by Bill Rotas. There being no further nominations, the Delegates unanimously elected George H. Margelos as Convention Chairman for the 53rd Annual District Convention for 1985.

Bill Booras was nominated for Convention Vice Chairman. There being no other names placed in nomination, the Delegates unanimously elected Bill Booras as Vice-Chairman.

Bill Rotas nominated Paul G. Eliopoulos for Convention Secretary, seconded by Gus Hontalas and Gus Zakos. There being no other nominations Paul G. Eliopoulos was unanimously elected to be Convention Secretary.

The above named elected officers were duly sworn by Supreme Treasurer Angelo T. Mountanos.

Chairman George Margelos made the following appointments:

Credential Committee: Chairman Gus Zakos
 Parliamentarian: Chris Rockas
 Marshall: Hank Cook
 Inside Sentinel: Nick Vavuris
 Grievance Committee: Chairman Andrew Banis
 Scholarship Committee: Chairman George Y. Johnson
 Convention - Conference Cities: Chairman Lou Janakas
 Sons of Pericles Committee: Chairman James P. Dariotes
 Growth and Expansion: Chairman Ilias Frangos
 Traveler Committee: Chairman Gus J. Hontalas
 Liaison- Daughters: Chairman Anthony Maris
 Athletic Committee: Chairman Strati Righellis
 Ahepan of Year : Chairman George Marmas
 Special Projects : Chairman George Bezaites
 P.A.C. St. Nicholas Ranch: Chairman George Bezaites
 Board of Directors/Advisors: Chairman Bill Rotas
 Legislative Banquet: Chairman Paul Christopoulos
 Report rendered by Gus Plessas
 Audit: Chairman Bill Rotas
 Resolutions and Legislative: Chairman Chris Rockas
 Budget and Finance: Chairman Harry Kalargiros
 Charity Funds Committee: Chairman Gust Aretos

Chapter REports:

Golden Gate-Pacific #150 by James P. Dariotes *re Pg 18-20*
 Fresno Chapter #151 by Bill Booras *re Pg 21*
 Sacramento Chapter #153 by Anthony Maris
 Oakland Chapter #171 by George Bezaites
 Stockton Chapter #212 no written report submitted
 Solano County Chapter #217 no written report submitted
 Marysville Chapter #228 by Hank Cook *Pg 22*
 Modesto Chapter #246 by Ernest Kogeones
 Garden City Chapter #251 by Strati Righellis *Pg 23-25*
 Salinas Valley Chapter #253 no written report submitted
 Contra Costa County Chapter #259 by Anthony Kourkoumelis
 Reno Chapter #281 no written report submitted
 San Mateo County Chapter #392 by Nick Antipariotis

District Lodge Officers Reports:

District Chaplain: Nick Alevazos

It has been an honor to serve the District as Chaplain for the last ten years. Visitations throughout the Chapters in the District have been most pleasant and want to thank District Governor George Marmas to having appointed me as District Chaplain for his term. Thanks again. I have served the District with honor and I hope that I didn't dissappoint any Past District Governor for my service. Whether is was visitations, Initiations, Memorial Services or Banquet or otherwise,

I have fulfilled my duties with honor and this I have to say and also you know, Chaplain has not much to say other than carry a Bible and Pray to the Lord whenever a visitation by the District Governor and officers is made throughout the District and pray for their safety and return. As of now, my prayers has been answered all these years and we have not run out of gas. We never had any accident. It has been a pleasure to serve and hope to continue to serve if I am again appointed by the new District Governor. Thanks again.

District Athletic Director/Advisor: Harry Haramalis
Report enclosed Pg 26-28

District Marshal: Nick Parises
Report enclosed Pg 29

District Treasurer: James A. Nicolaou
Report enclosed Pg 30

District Secretary: Gust M. Aretos
Report enclosed Pg 31-32

District Lt. Governor: John T. Koplos
Report enclosed Pg 33-34

Sacramento Chapter Report was rendered by Anthony Maris. 105 members. Initiated 6 new members. Sons of Pericles of Sacramento were the winners of the Western Regional Basketball Tournament and we hope we can raise enough funds to go back to Boston for the National Convention. Chapter is interested in hosting the June 1987 District Convention.

Chairman George Margelos asked all delegates to actively serve on the various committees and announced that the District Governor report will be given on Saturday at 11:30 A.M. Would like all delegates to be in the room. Time for committee meetings will be this afternoon.

District Governors Report: George Marmas
Report enclosed Pg 35-38

P.A.C. Question if ther is a P.A.C. Committee in our District. Referred to National and Special Projects Committee.

Chairman Adjourned meeting until 9:00 A.M., Saturday morning. Motion was made that an assessment of \$1.00 be made for being late. Proceeds to go to Scholarship Committee. Chair ruled motion out of order.

Chair announced that the voting strength to pass Legislature is one (1) over half.

Luncheon held at 12 noon.

Convention Chairman and President S.M. #392 Lou Janakos welcomed the

Delegates to the Convention. Salute to the Flag. The Invocation was given by District Chaplain Nick Alevizos. Speakers at the Luncheon were Ms. Mary Griffin, Council Woman of Millbrae and Consul General of Greece, Mr. Dimis Vassilakis. Closing remarks were rendered by Convention Co-Chairman Mrs. Catherine Hadreas.

Saturday Session July 6, 1985.

Reconvened at 9:20 A.M.

Opening Prayer rendered by Chaplain Nick Alevizos.

Stockton Chapter reported that its report was mailed to the District Secretary.

Grievance Committee: Chairman Andrew T. Banis
Nick Kapetan
George Marmas DG

*Re
Pg 39-50*

Grievance #1

Letter from our District Governor George Marmas and copy of Peter N. Derzis Chapter No. 438 be referred to the Grievance Committee at the National Convention. Noting (1) that opinions expressed do not necessarily reflect the feelings of Ahepans and all such letters to come from Supreme Lodge. (2) A letter from Supreme Lodge to all recipients concerning future policy in reference to such international matters.

Referred to Resolutions Committee.

Grievance #2

Item #1 and #2

A letter to be sent to all members of the Salinas Chapter #253 that their 1985 Dues should be paid. Salinas Chapter Members should be notified that only Per Capita both for the District and Headquarters for 1984 was .12 and to date no monies from any member for per Capita, District or Headquarters, has been received for 1985.

Passed.

Item #3

Concerning the refusal of the Salinas Chapter #253 to accept District Lodge Visitations. Refer to letter from Phillip T. Frangos, Supreme Counselor Page 2 Paragraph 2.

Item #5

Project Participation: This is not within the purview of the Grievance Committee to take action upon, but the District Governor wanted to indicate his displeasure with the poor cooperation the Salinas Chapter has displayed with District Projects.

Credential Committee: Chairman Gus Zakos reported 62 delegates registered for the A.M. session (July 6, 1985)

DL 6
PDGS 15
Delegates 41

Scholarship Committee: Chairman George Y. Johnson
Resolution I through VII Passed
VIII Failed
IX and X -- Passed

Re Pg 51-52

Scholarship Committee member to be elected to a Four (4) year term not more than Two (2) Consecutive terms at the most. Starting right now. (Present if Seven (7) year term unlimited)

Passed

Discussion regarding Member who misses two consecutive meetings.

M/S if member misses two consecutive unexcused meetings, the Standing Scholarship Committee has the authority to replace the member for the balance of the year.

Passed

Convention Conference Cities: Chairman Lou Janakos. Report rendered by Gust Aretos.

- 1) Convention City for 1986 will be Contra Costa Ch. #259
- 2) Reno Chapter did not show up
- 3) Sacramento and San Jose interest to hos Convention in 1987

M/S Tony Koukoumelies? Tom Vlahiotis:

Whereas Reno was authorized to host the 1987 District Convention at the 1984 Convention subject to receiving proof of Hotel Confirmation and since no proof was presented at the 1985 Convention, this body moves to extend the deadline of submitting proof of Reno's intention to hold the Convention in 1987 by no later than the Fall Conference (1985). If not presented by then, the District Lodge shall decide between San Jose and Sacramento.

Passed

Standing Scholarship Committee: Chairman Karl A. Konstantin, M.D.

Report enclosed *Re Pg 53-59*

Saturday July 6, 1985 Afternoon Session 2:00 P.M.

Liason - Daughters - Chairman: Anthony Maris
Member Gust Aretos

- 1) Reno Trip to be a cooperate effort
- 2) Agree to continue the Charitable raffle for one year on an equal basis. Also, it is requested that the tickets be available at the Fall Conference

Report enclosed *Re Pg 64*

Growth and Expansion Committee: Chairman Ilias Frangos

Recommendations:

Accepted all recommendations except last proposal. Any funds raised by Local Chapters (excluding District Scholarship Fund) that a fair share based on Gross Income be returned to each Chapter.

Ammended:

That fair share of 10% of net income raised after August 1, 1985 excluding Scholarship fund Raiser.

M/S Banis/Rotas to table until next Convention.

Report enclosed *Pg 61-62*

Sons of Pericles: Supreme Vice President George Dariotis praised the outstanding Leadership of the Sons of Pericles in California. Sons need your help. Also present were Bill Vlahos District Lt. Governor. San Jose Chapter was selected Chapter of the year and Sons of the year were Andrew Ganetsos and A. Mostakos. Bill Vlahos reported that the Sacramento Chapter won the Tournament.

Western Regional Tournament: Who decides? At the descretion of the Supreme Lodge of the Sons of Pericles and Grand Lodge of the Maids of Athena at the meeting of Sept. Accepts Bids - Chapter hosting keeps profit. Liability - Law Suit - who is Liable? National headquarters policy covers only the players.

This Sons District Lodge recommended the following Ahepans to be appointed Advisors: Harry Haramalis, Jim Dariotes, Strati Righellis and Andrew Banis.

Sons of Pericles Committee: Chairman James P. Dariotes.

Report enclosed *Pg 60*

Sons of Pericles minority Report Election result:

22	yes	
23	no	
6	absent	Failed

Sons of Pericles Age Limit Change. Resolutions to be forwarded to National Headquarters.

(Note: National passed 14-25 age with Proviso that at 23 years of age Sons of Pericles members to pay Ahepa Dues to Local Chapter as well as Sons of Pericles dues.

Travelers Committee: Chairman Gus J. Hontalas

Report enclosed Pg 63

Athletic Committee: Chairman Strati Righellis

Report enclosed Pg 65

Ahepan of The Year announced by D.G. George Marmas.
Chris Harris of Garden City Chapter.

Chapter of the Year, tied were Sacramento and San Jose.

Special Projects: Chairman George Bezaites

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|---------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| 1) Statue of Liberty | Passed | |
| 2) Local District and National Drives | | Passed |
| 3) PAC | Tabled | |
| 4) St. Nicholas Ranch | Passed | |

Report enclosed Pg 66

St. Nicholas Ranch Committee: Reported by Angelo Mountanos

Report enclosed Pg 67-68

Obligated to raise \$150,000.00

M/S Mountanos/Koplos:

To Authorize St. Nicholas Ranch Committee to turn over funds
to St. Nicholas Ranch.

Passed

Board of Directors - Advisor: Chairman Bill Rotas.

Reported on Legislative Banquet and Salinas Chapter.

Travelers Committee (continued).

- 1) Good hand for Editor Tom Tjoventos
- 2) Urged members to support "Traveler" with ads

Recommendation No. 3 of District Governors Report. Summer issue of
Traveler to use more Photography - Timing (Post Convention Issue)
M/S Kourkoumelis/Aretos

Passed

Legislative Banquet Committee: Bill Rotas

Total of 50 people worked on Banquet Committee. Lou Papan, Assemblyman
was Key in getting the 11 of 12 elected officials to the Banquet.

Security Police and officers were very nervous. District #20 also helped. Special thank you to Assemblyman Lou Papan for the tremendous amount of work in making sure that all the elected officials were there Young lady executive Administrative Secretary to Assemblyman Francia, Christina Kokinis.

Contributions:

Daughter of Penelope Dist. #21		Ahepa District #21	
Echo Chapter Oakland	\$140	San Francisco	\$100
Artemis Ch. Sacramento	100	Fresno	100
Sparta Ch. Stockton	100	Sacramento	100
Phaedra Ch. Modesto	50	Oakland	310
Leto Ch. Fresno	100	Stockton	100
Harmonia Ch. Walnut Creek	35	San Jose	100
		Salinas	70
		Marysville	100
		Contra Costa	100
		San Mateo	100
	<u>\$525</u>		<u>\$1,180</u>

District #20	
Ventura	100
Bakerfield	105
San Diego	275
Hollywood	100
Rose Ball	170
Disneyland	180
San Fernando	100
South Bay	100
Heart Land	50
Golden West	100
	<u>\$1,280</u>

Next Event 1987 Convention Body or District Lodge to appoint two (2) members to work on Committee for event. He emphasized that Public Relations is very important. Nick Loumas spoke on the Banquet.

Audit: Chairman Bill Rotas

Met with District Lodge on June 19, 1985. PCT Paid at that date was 425. District Lodge drew \$1,200.00 from Savings Accounts. Paid at Convention \$56.00 by a Chapter. Why to late?

Recommended that each Chapter pay Supreme Lodge Per Capita tax and District Lodge PCT to Supreme Headquarters.

No Action taken

Resolutions and Legislation Committee: Chairman Chris Rockas

Resolutions 1-7 Passed

Report enclosed Pg 69-71

Budget and Finance Committee: Chairman Harry Kalargiros

Report enclosed

By 72-74

Audit Committee Report (Continued)

Beginning of year the newly elected District Secretary did not have any records turned over to him from the previous Secretary as a result Brother Gust Aretos established a new set of records for the District Secretary. Secretary receipts the cash transmitted to Treasurer who deposits.

Reported on the District Scholarship Audit.

Fresno Convention Audit: Gross	\$27,761
	<u>4%</u>
Net to District	\$ 1,110
40% to DOP	444
Ahepan	666

Raffle to be audited at Fall Conference

Raffle Committee Report Rendered by Chairman Gust Aretos.

Projected that 960 out of 1,000 Raffle tickets to be sold. Thanked all members who participated in this worthwhile cause!

Election of District Lodge Officers:

Chairman George Margelos appointed tellers as follows: Chris Harris, James Dariotes, George Thodos and Pete Pappageorge.

For District Governor:

George Marmas nominated and seconded by George Bezaites, Brother John T. Koplos to the office of District Governor. There being no further names submitted for the office it was unanimously moved and passed that the District Governor for the year 1985-86 be John T. Koplos.

For District Lt. Governor:

Gus Hontalas nominated and Strati Righellis seconded the nominations of Gust M. Aretos for Dist. Lt. Governor. There being no further names submitted for the office it was unanimously moved and passed that the Dist. Lt. Governor for the year 1985-86 be Gust. M. Aretos.

For District Secretary:

John Prevolos nominated and seconded by Nick Loumos Delegate Harry Kalargiros for District Secretary.

Bill Rotas nominated and seconded by George Marmas Marshal Nick Panises for District Secretary.

The nominations were move to be closed. A secret ballot was held.

The Roll Call consists of 52 members present. The conclusion of the results handled by teller: Chris Harris, James Dariotes, George Thodos and Pete Pappageorge were made public to the assembled session and the following results were recorded.

Harry Kalargiros 16

Nick Parises 36

For District Treasurer:

Louis Janakos nominated and Seconded by George Bezaites Ilias Frangos for District Treasurer. There being no further names submitted for the office it was unanimously moved and passed that the District Treasurer for the Year 1985-86 be Ilias Frangos.

For District Marshal:

Pete Pappageorge nominated and seconded by Bill Rotas Harry Haramalis for District Marshal. There being no further names submitted for the office it was unanimously moved and passed that the District Marshal for the year 1985-86 be Harry Haramalis.

The Positions of District Warden, District Athletic Director and Advisor will be appointed by the newly elected District Governor.

For District Scholarship Member (4year term).

Nick Kapetan nominated and seconded by Jay Aghazarian Anthony Maris for District Scholarship member. There being no further names Submitted for the office it was unanimously moved and passed that the District Scholarship member for a four (4) year term be Anthony Maris.

Good of the Order:

Brother John Preovolos commented on the Key note speaker, appologizing for the time limit at 10:00 P.M. Recommended that future conventions checkout time limit.

Brother Lou Janakos expressed and exception to br. John Preovolos remarks.

Oath of office to the newly elected officers (District Marshal did not participate) was given by Supreme Treasurer Angelo Mountanos.

Newly Elected District Governor John T. Koplas announced that a reception would be held immediately following adjournment with the District Governor of the Daughters.

8:00 P.M., closing Orayer was given by Chaplain Nick Alevizos.

Minutes

- 11 -

Adjournment: Chairman George Margelos declared the meeting closed at 8:10 P.M. All Committees were dismissed. See you next year in Concord.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul G. Eliopoulos". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Paul G. Eliopoulos
Convention Secretary

ORDER OF AHEPA

CERTIFIED LIST OF DELEGATES

AND

PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS

AND

DISTRICT OFFICERS

53RD ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

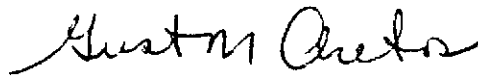
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District Secretary: Gust M. Aretos

Credentials Committee:

The delegates list herein is certified to be the names mailed or given to the District Secretary. Most of these lists were mailed by certified mail.

Dated: 6-30-85



GUST M. ARETOS
District 21 Secretary

RECAPITULATION OF ROLLCALL

	FRIDAY AM PM	SATURDAY AM PM
DISTRICT LODGE OFFICERS	_____	_____
PAST DISRRICT GOVENORS	_____	_____
CHAPTER DELIGATES	_____	_____
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CERTIFIED LIST OF DELEGATES

JULY, 1985

<u>DISTRICT LODGE OFFICERS-ELECT</u>	<u>REGISTERED</u>			
	<u>FRIDAY</u> AM	<u>FRIDAY</u> PM	<u>SATURDAY</u> AM	<u>SATURDAY</u> PM
DISTRICT GOVERNOR George Marmas				
DISTRICT LT. GOVERNOR John T. Koplos				
DISTRICT SECRETARY Gust M. Aretos				
DISTRICT TREASURER James G. Nicolaou				
DISTRICT MARSHAL Nick S. Parises				
DISTRICT WARDEN Ted Pepitone				
DISTRICT ATHLETIC DIRECTOR AND ADVISOR TO SONS Harry Naramalis				

CHAPTER NO. CERTIFIED LIST OF PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS

151	Chris Rockas		
153	Aris N. Kufasimes Anthony J. Maris William Rotas		
171	Andrew Banis George Bezaitis Karl Konstantin Nicholas Loumos Theodore Pepitone Andrew J. Sardell Agamemnon Zafiratos		
212	J. Aghazarian William Howard		
259	Spiron J. Tentes		
392	Lou Janakos		
150	Paul Elipoulos Gus M. Lekas George Margelos Angelo T. Mountanos Pete J. Pappageorge Gus J. Pappas Peter Tamaras		

ORDER OF AHEPA
CERTIFIED LIST OF DELEGATES
53RD ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION
July 4, 5, 6 & 7, 1985

GOLDEN GATE - PACIFIC #150

DELEGATES:

Friday
Registered
7-5-85
AM PM

Saturday
Registered
7-5-85
AM PM

- 1. George J. Hontalas ✓
- 2. James P. Dariotes ✓
- 3. Christos J. Garis
- 4. Peter Kireopoulos

Alternates

- 1. Basil (Bill) Vlahos
- 2. Nick Kontis
- 3. John Preovolos ✓
- 4. Nick Megas

FRESNO CHAPTER #151

DELEGATES:

- 1. Nick Kapetan
- 2. John La Britt
- 3. Bill Booras
- 4. Andrew Kosieris ✓

Alternates

- 1. Steve Houvardas ✓
- 2. Peter Kapetan
- 3. Jim Fotes
- 4. Stavros Kalomiris ✓

SACRAMENTO CHAPTER #153

DELEGATES:

- 1. Nick Vavuris
- 2. Constantine Orfanos
- 3. Steve Scourkes
- 4. Aristotle Economon ✓

Alternates

- 1. Cosmas Alliapoulos
- 2. Stratis Zampathas

OAKLAND CHAPTER #171
DELEGATES:

FRIDAY
REGISTERED
7-5-85
AM PM

SATURDAY
REGISTERED
7-6-85
AM PM

- 1. George Johnson
- 2. Angelo Constantouros
- 3. Dennis Karras
- 4. Nick Alevizos

Alternates

- 1. James Koplos
- 2. Louie Colombotos
- 3. George Konstantopoulos
- 4. George Lekas

STOCKTON CHAPTER #212
DELEGATES:

- 1. Steve Panos
- 2. Andy Pappas
- 3. Malcom McCauley
- 4. George Dremalas

Alternates

- 1. Angelo Metaxas
- 2. Peter Kouloures
- 3. Georgie Pappas
- 4. Charles Besotes

MARYSVILLE CHAPTER #228
DELEGATES:

- 1. Henry Cook
- 2. Bill Pappageorge

Alternates

- 1. None

MODESTO CHAPTER #246
DELEGATES:

- 1. Alex Klabanos
- 2. Ernie Kogeones
- 3. John Karneges
- 4. John Christie

Alternates

- 1. William Kogeones
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

GARDEN CITY CHAPTER #251
DELEGATES:

FRIDAY
REGISTERED
7-5-85
AM PM

SATURDAY
REGISTERED
7-6-85
AM PM

- 1. Chris Harris
- 2. Harry Kalabgiros
- 3. Strati Righellis
- 4. Gus J. Hontalas

Alternates

- 1. Philip Vlamis
- 2. Ralph Steiber

SALINAS VALLEY #253
DELEGATES:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Alternates

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

CONTRA COSTA #259
DELEGATES:

- 1. Constautine Filios
- 2. Anthony Kourkoumelis
- 3. Anthony Vlahiotis
- 4. George Kartinos

Alternates

- 1. Yiannis Vlahos
- 2. George Booras
- 3. Dimitrios Makris
- 4. Ted Mitsiopulos

SOLANO CHAPTER #217
DELEGATES:

- 1. Arnold Dorer
- 2. Steve Loudis
- 3. George Lambros
- 4. Argyris Mayrigiorgis

Alternates

- 1. Socrate Parras 3.
- 2. Eraclis Metaxis 4.

RENO CHAPTER #281
DELEGATES:

FRIDAY
REGISTERED
7-5-85
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SATURDAY
REGISTERED
7-6-85
AM PM

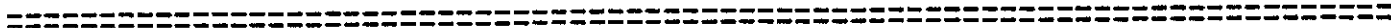
- 1. John Droutsos
- 2. Angelo Droutsas
- 3. Jim Makris
- 4. Chris Lappas

- Alternates
- 1. Alex Lemberes
 - 2. Nick Floutsis
 - 3.
 - 4.

SAN MATEO CHAPTER #392
DELEGATES:

- 1. Ilias Frangos
- 2. Sedgie Guy
- 3. Simos Leontiades
- 4. George Thodos

- Alternates
- 1. Nick Antipariotis
 - 2. Gus Zakos
 - 3. Nick Janakos
 - 4. Ted Theodore





53rd ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO. 21

ORDER OF AHEPA



JULY 4, 5, 6, & 7, 1985

HEADQUARTERS: CLARION HOTEL SAN FRANCISCO AIRPORT

401 EAST MILLBRAE AVENUE, MILLBRAE, CA 94030

HOST: ENTIRE AHEPA FAMILY

CHAPTER' ANNUAL REPORT -

Dear Brother: This report to be mailed to District Secretary before June 15, 1985. A copy to be given to Chapter's head Delegate, TO BE READ during Chapter Report session, on Friday morning. MEETING begin at 9:30 AM Friday. 9:00 AM on Saturday. DELEGATES must REGISTER, beginning at 8:00 AM.

GOLDEN GATE - PACIFIC CHAPTER, # 150

a. Total Members in Chapter's Roster as of July 1, 1984		200	
	Deceased	(7)	
b. Total New Members, Reinstated or Transferred to Chapter after July 1,		New	3
c. Total Members paid as of above report date	12 2 in 5 Sons 146 85 14	}	163
d. Total Per Capita Tax paid to Headquarters: 7-1-84 - 6-24-85		INIT	45.00
		PCT	2,790.00
e. Total Per Capita Tax paid to District: 7-1-84 to report date	6/24/85		626.50

FINANCES :

Commercial Account, as of report date 6-24-85		\$	1,222.43
Savings Accounts, as of report date 6-24-85		\$	29,999.18
Other Assets, " " " "	104 Shares EXXON } Cost 440 Shares, PG&E } 5,597.00	\$ MV	14,147.00

ACTIVITIES :

- 9/12/84 Net Proceed from Raffle Raised 3500.00 For St Nicholas Ranch
- 11/10/84 Attended Casino Night Sponsored by EOS #1 - 11/2/85 Casino Night
- 12/15/84 Christmas Party SF AHEPA FAMILY
- 1/28/85 Chartered bus to Attend Legislative Banquet at Sacramento
- 2/15-17/85 S.F Sons Hosted WRIBT - RAMADA INN
- 6/85 Awarded AHEPA SCHOLARSHIP MEDALS to Greek students + contributed 100.00 to Annunciation CATHEDRAL + Holy TRINITY
- 3/17/85 Hosted 1985 Spring Conference at Holy Trinity church in SF.
- 12/84 Donated 75.00 each to ANNUNCIATION CATHEDRAL + Holy Trinity for Elderly Program
(Donated by Lou Eraklis Account)

CHAPTER would like to hold a _____ in the coming year _____ convention-conference -----Prepare your Delegate with Chapter's permission and with related program & data.

Elected Delegates or Alternates shall represent his Chapter at the 53rd Convention.

REMARKS FOR GOOD OF THE ORDER: _____

One Signature Required: President or Sec. Paul M. Elvopoulos Secy

Deceased During FY 1984-85

1985		Died
m	1	Steve Demakas 11/5/84
no	2	Bob Kouropoulos 10/23/84
no	3	George Marcoumbas 1/1/85
oa	4	Steve Mathias 2/7/85
oa	5	John Pappas 3/15/85
m	6	Chris Pilekoudas 12/1/84
m	7	James Petrukis 11/6/84

New Members For 1984-85

John Palos Init 11/14/84
Costas CHANAKIOTES 11/14/84
PAUL DIONYSOPOULOS 3/13/85

SyP Joint Memberships

PAUL FLORES Init 1/1/84 B 6/8/62
Andrew J Gammas Init 1/1/84 B 6/22/62
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S.P. Members	Init	Born
John N. HARAMASIS	6/13/54	2/1/63
Theodore T. Stathis	1/16/54	10/1/62
Basil J. Vlahos	7/11/54	5/9/63

L.M

- Const. Apostolopoulos
- Erack's Arcanti
- Constantine Clivas
- Theodore Georgiathis
- Tom Bogas
- John Lazarakis
- Const Gus Psekas
- Peter Laurentzos
- Michael D Maratos
- Gust Stavros
- Solomon Stella
- James Tzolis



53rd ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO. 21

ORDER OF AHEPA



JULY 4, 5, 6, & 7, 1985
 HEADQUARTERS: CLARION HOTEL SAN FRANCISCO AIRPORT
 401 EAST MILLBRAE AVENUE, MILLBRAE, CA 94030
 HOST: ENTIRE AHEPA FAMILY
 CHAPTER' ANNUAL REPORT -

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FRESNO CHAPTER, # 151

a. Total Members in Chapter's Roster as of July 1, 1984	<u>66</u>
b. Total New Members, Reinstated or Transferred to Chapter after July 1,	<u>4</u>
c. Total Members paid as of above report date 5:5042 . . .	<u>53</u>
d. Total Per Capita Tax paid to Headquarters: 7-1-	<u>3076⁰⁰</u>
e. Total Per Capita Tax paid to District: 7-1- to report date	<u>122⁰⁰</u>

FINANCES :

Commercial Account, as of report date	\$ <u>1018⁻</u>
Savings Accounts, as of report date	\$ <u>9980⁻</u>
Other Assets, " " " "	\$ <u>-</u>

ACTIVITIES :

HOSTED THE 1984 DIST. CONV., LECTURES AND DINNERS PRECEDED SOME OF THE MEETINGS, LAKE TAHOE EXCURSION OCT. 5, 6, 7, ATTENDED FALL DIST. CONV. IN SAC., ANNUAL DAUGHTER XMAS PARTY, ATTENDED LEGISLATIVE BANQUET IN SAC., ATTENDED SPRING DIST. CONV. IN S.F., PARTICIPATED IN SPECIAL OLYMPICS IN FRESNO., SPRING ROUND-UP AT SHARKIES & BAR-B-Q, PAST PRES & MAN OF THE YEAR BANQUET, ATTENDED DEDICATION CEREMONY AT ST. NICHOLAS RANCH, BEND EXCURSION SCHEDULED NOV. 8, 9, 10

CHAPTER would like to hold a _____ in the coming year _____ convention-conference ----Prepare your Delegate with Chapter's permission and with related program & data.

Elected Delegates or Alternates shall represent his Chapter at the 53rd Convention.

REMARKS FOR GOOD OF THE ORDER:

DELEGATES : NICK KAPETAN, JOHN LABRETT, BILL BOONAS, ANDY KOSIERKS.
ALTERNATES : STEVE HOWARDS, PETER KAPETAN, JIM FOTES, S. KALWINIS

One Signature Required: President or Sec. Bill Boonas



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<u>Marionville</u>	CHAPTER, # <u>228</u>
a. Total Members in Chapter's Roster as of July 1, 1984	<u>34</u>
b. Total New Members, Reinstated or Transferred to Chapter after July 1,	<u>0</u>
c. Total Members paid as of <u>above report date</u>	<u>34</u>
d. Total Per Capita Tax paid to Headquarters: <u>22</u> 5/4/85	} <u>\$480.50</u>
e. Total Per Capita Tax paid to District: <u>72</u> 5/4/85 to report date	} <u>\$108.50</u>

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New
1985

FINANCES :

Commercial Account, as of report date, 5/4/85	\$ <u>1550.00</u>
Savings Accounts, as of report date, Capital Improvement Building Fund	\$ <u>40,000.00</u>
Other Assets, " " " " AHEPA HALL	\$ <u>65,000.00</u>

ACTIVITIES :

Quarterly Dinner, Annual Greek Glendi, Annual Picnic, Holiday
Bazaar, Christmas and/or New Year Party, Show Dinner
Hosts, Family Day, Past Presidents Dinner, Visitation
Night Dinner

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REMARKS FOR GOOD OF THE ORDER: VOTING, DURING CONVENTIONS, REGARDING
SPENDING OR COMMITTING AHEPA FUNDS SHOULD NOT BE DONE
WHILE CONVENTION DELEGATES ARE MEETING IN COMMITTEE,
ALL DELEGATES SHOULD BE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO VOTE ON THESE ISSUES

One Signature Required: President or Sec. Huyon Goudals
Chapter 228 Secretary



**5310 ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION
GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO. 21
ORDER OF AHEPA**



JULY 4, 5, 6, & 7, 1985

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GARDEN CITY

CHAPTER, # 251

a. Total Members in Chapter's Roster as of July 1, 1984	<u>109</u>
b. Total New Members, Reinstated or Transferred to Chapter after July 1,	<u>8</u>
c. Total Members paid as of above report date	<u>76</u>
d. Total Per Capita Tax paid to Headquarters: 7-1-84 to 6-30-85	<u>1,888-</u>
e. Total Per Capita Tax paid to District: 7-1-84 to report date	<u>406</u>

FINANCES :

Commercial Account, as of report date	\$ <u>851.⁶¹</u>
Savings Accounts, as of report date	\$ <u>22,054.⁹⁴</u>
Other Assets, " " " "	\$ <u> </u>

ACTIVITIES :

<u>Installation of Officers-Dinner-10-14-84</u>	
<u>Thanksgiving-Dinner for Members & families 11-11-84</u>	
<u>District-21-Visitation-Dinner</u>	<u>12-11-84</u>
<u>Past-Pres. and Awards Night</u>	<u>3-23-85</u>
<u>Sold 70-Dist-21-Raffle-Tickets -</u>	

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REMARKS FOR GOOD OF THE ORDER: _____

One Signature Required: President or Sec. Gus J. Hontalas



ORDER OF AHEPA
Garden City Chapter No. 251

1260 Davis Street
San Jose, Ca. 95126

9/11/84 First meeting of the Ahepa held: Brother Strati Righellis sworn in as President: Other officers are elected and sworn in, Board of Governors elected and sworn in. Motion made for a joint installation made by Chris Harris.

9/23/84 Vice President Angelo Lygizos donated \$374.00 on behalf of Ahepa San Jose chapter #251, to the worthy Sophia Pappadopolos Fund. It was presented during a major fund raising dinner held at Zorba's Restaurant on Sept. 23rd.

10/11/84 Brother Balalis gave a joint discussion on the propose and goals of the Order of Ahepa. His actions revitalized our directions as members.

10/14/84 A first rate joint installation of Ahepa and Daughters of Penelope from San Jose and San Mateo chapters was held at Zorba's. Followed by superb chateau-briand dinner. Supreme officers as well as district officers and over 50 members attended. A wonderful timewas had by all who were there.

11/20/84 A wonderful Thanksgivbing dinner was held at the St. Nicholas community center. The entire church parish was invited and over 100 people attended. All the foods and drinks were donated. In honor of the occasion \$100.00 was given to the St. Nicholas Church.

12/12/84 District visitation was held at Zorba's. A wonderful Macaronatha meal was served followed by a very orderly and informative meeting.

1/8/ 85 Maids of Athena were established in San Jose. Maria Steiber is appointed their advisor and Dia Giles is elected president.

1/20/85 After a superb letter written and sent to church parrish council, by secretary Gus Hontalis, and a private meeting with parrish priest Fr. Paul, the parrish councel and Ahepa president Strati Righellispermission is giver for Ahepa and Daughters, Sons, Maids to meet together at community center.

1/28/85 San Jose brought an excellent supporting representation of their chapter and political officials to the GREATEST AHEPA EVENT EVER HELD IN CALIFORNIA, THE LEGISLATIVE BANQUET. Congratulations to all who were involved in this most impressive affair.

2/18/85 San Jose Sons of Pericles participate in basketball tournament. Although they were not successful winning any games, they displayed good character, conduct and poise representative of the standards held by our community. Their advisor Dan Steiber had done a most wonderful job with them.

3/12/85 Our first joint family meeting, Ahepa Daughters, Sons and Maids meet together at St. Nicholas Community Center. This landmark occasion was the first in well over a decade. And all are in agreement to guide and support our youth groups.



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3/23/85 Our Award and Past Presidents Dinner was held at Zorba's. Honored were Chris Harris for his endless philanthropic contributions to the entire community. He was given the Plato Award. Bill Leos and Maria Steiber were honored and thanked for their excellent service to the community.

4/9/85 Church services were attended by Ahepa members and Daughters before the meeting. Members discussed Ahepa day, the St. Nicholas Ranch dedication, the event held in Oakland honoring Supreme President Thalia Banis and the District and National Conventions. Officers were elected for both conventions. Also mentioned was that Ahepa President Strati Righelli would be chairman for the St. Nicholas Church of San Jose Festival and all support would be appreciated.

5/14/85 After the meeting was called to order, Brothers Lou Janakas Segi Guy and Lou Prangos discussed the District Convention to be held in Millbrae. It was decided that any and all support would be given to make this convention a tremendous success. Discussions were held on the Grand Raffle, new memberships and initiations to be held next week. Good of the Order: Sons of Pericles President Ari Moustakis informed Ahepa members that a joint dance held by the Sons and Maids was a tremendous success and that profits would be split between the two groups. Ari pledged to continue toward growth and prosperity.

5/5/85 Ahepa Day was celebrated at the St. Nicholas Church. Fr. Paul Palisty commented on Ahepa's fine works. After church, cake was served by the Daughters of Penelope and the Maids of Athena.

6/11/85 Best and most wonderful meeting of the year was held. Initiations of four members was performed very well. District Secretary Gust Aretos gave the Ahepa Oath and Obligation. About 33 members attended electing: Chris Harris, President; Gus Hontalis Vice President; Kostas Lolos and Dan Steiber Secretary and Recording Secretary; Peter Gikas Treasurer; Congratulations to the new officers. Support of District Convention and Raffle were again emphasized. A special thanks was given by chapter president to all officers and members who gave their support to help make the Garden City Chapter a most successful year.



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REPORT OF DISTRICT ADVISOR AND ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Mr. Chairman, Supreme Lodge, my District colleagues, and
Brother delegates,

For three rewarding years I have served the District as an Advisor to the Sons of Pericles. I strongly believe that I have fulfilled my responsibilities and at the same time I have enriched my knowledge about the way our Junior Ahepans think and their expectations from us. The Junior Ahepans will only succeed if we provide them with the necessary tools which are finances, support, encouragement, and understanding. Today the junior order is not the same as it was 60 years ago. They're well educated, they enjoy more freedom, they have many responsibilities, and they have a good understanding of the world's current events.

We, the senior order, have an obligation to our Sons because they are the ones who will carry the Fraternity's torch for the next generation. Each and every delegate here has a unique and valuable talent. It is our responsibility to pursue excellence for the future of our fraternity.

At the present time we only have four active chapters of the Sons of Pericles - Sacramento, San Francisco, Oakland, and San Jose. We're trying to reactivate two chapters -



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Stockton and Fresno. Paul Flocas, the Sons of Pericles' District Governor has started a new chapter in San Mateo Co. under the name Belmont Sons. I feel Paul Flocas and Andy Ganetsos have done an outstanding job. My personal thanks to them and wishes for KE IS ANOTERA!

This year, I regret to say, I have been disappointed for the following reasons:

1. I have personally requested from the chapters in writing the names of the advisors of the Sons of Pericles, and only two chapters replied - Sacramento, and San Francisco. I would like to thank them.
2. I handed a letter to the Presidents of the chapters at the Spring Conference asking for a donation of \$20 in order to sponsor "TA NEA" which is the official publication of the Sons of Pericles District 21. I have only received two donations from Sacramento and San Francisco. My personal thanks to both chapters.

My dear Brothers, let's not let apathy get the best of us.

I would like to acknowledge a few Brother Ahepans - George Marmas, John Koplos, and especially Bill Rotas who have contributed to the growth of the Sons of Pericles. My thanks to Brother and Secretary Gus Aretos for improving the communication of our District.



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My Brothers, I hope and pray that this convention will be productive, fruitful, memorable, and successful in every way possible for the entire Ahepa family. I only have one recommendation: that is that the age group for the Sons of Pericles be changed so that one must be 16 years old to join and eligible for dual membership at the age of 23. The reason why I feel this should be done is to provide the Sons of Pericles with better and longer leadership.

My congratulations to the San Francisco ^{Sons of Pericles} chapter for hosting a successful basketball tournament under the chairmanship of Bill Vlahos.

As for the activities of the Athletic Director in our District, there is nothing of importance to report at this time. I wish to express my gratitude to the chapters I have visited for their friendliness and hospitality. My congratulations to the San Mateo County Chapters for hosting this year's convention. I hope that all the delegates have a good time during their stay here and a safe return home.

Fraternally Yours,

Harry Haramalis

District Advisor/Athletic Director

July 5, 1985

District Marshall : Nick Parises

Brothers,

I would like to thank the delegates of the 52nd Annual Convention that elected me Marshall last year.

The Past year serving as District Marshal in District #21, has been a very rewarding experience.

I would like to thank all the Chapters for their fine Hospitality and Fellowship.

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT TREASURER

MR. CHAIRMAN, PRESENT AND PAST SUPREME LODGE OFFICERS, DISTRICT GOVERNOR, MEMBERS OF THE DISTRICT LODGE, DELEGATES AND BROTHERS - - -

IT HAS BEEN A GREAT PLEASURE AND AN HONOR TO HAVE SERVED AS YOUR DISTRICT TREASURER FOR A THIRD TERM. TO THE DELEGATES AT THE 52nd DISTRICT CONVENTION HELD IN FRESNO IN JULY 1984, I WISH TO EXPRESS MY GRATITUDE FOR AGAIN ELECTING ME TO THIS TRUSTWORTHY OFFICE. I HAVE VERY MUCH ENJOYED SERVING ON THE DISTRICT LODGE FOR THREE YEARS AND IT HAS BEEN A GREAT LEARNING EXPERIENCE.

FRESNO BEING THE MOST SOUTHERN CHAPTER IN THE 21st DISTRICT, DISTANCE IS A GREAT OBSTACLE IN BEING ABLE TO ATTEND ALL OF THE DISTRICT FUNCTIONS. ALTHOUGH I DID TRAVEL OVER 3500 MILES THIS PAST YEAR I REGRET THAT I WAS UNABLE TO BE PRESENT AT ALL OF THE VISITATIONS AND SPECIAL EVENTS. TO THE ONES THAT I DID ATTEND I EXPRESS MY SINCERE THANKS TO THE CHAPTERS AND BROTHERS FOR THEIR FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD AND HOSPITALITY THAT WAS EXTENDED TO ME -- ALSO THEIR SUPPORT WHICH WAS VERY INSPIRING.

MY FINANCIAL REPORT HAS BEEN AUDITED AND WILL BE PRESENTED BY THE DISTRICT AUDITOR.

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE FUNCTIONS THAT I DID ATTEND:

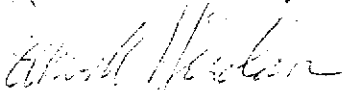
- FOUR DISTRICT LODGE MEETINGS
- SEVERAL CHAPTER VISITATIONS
- THE SAN JOSE - SAN MATEO JOINT INSTALLATION
- THE FALL AND SPRING CONFERENCES
- THE LEGISLATIVE BANQUET IN SACRAMENTO HONORING THE GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA AND OTHER STATE LEADERS
- THE ST. NICHOLAS RANCH AND RETREAT CENTER DEDICATION
- THE TESTIMONIAL BANQUET IN OAKLAND HONORING THE DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE GRAND PRESIDENT THALIA BANIS

BROTHERS, I WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE SUBJECT OF THE PER CAPITA TAX. AS OF THE LAST DISTRICT LODGE MEETING HELD ON JUNE 19th OUR PAID UP MEMBERSHIP FOR 1985 WAS 479 OUT OF 850 - - - THE FIGURE THE BUDGET COMMITTEE USES TO ESTIMATE OUR INCOME FOR THE YEAR. BROTHERS, YOUR DISTRICT LODGE NEEDS YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT. APATHY SEEMS TO BE SETTING IN - - - LET US NOT GET CAUGHT IN IT.

I HAVE THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. THAT CHAPTER PRESIDENTS, SECRETARIES AND TREASURERS BE INFORMED OF THEIR CHAPTER'S FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS (PER CAPITA TAX) TO THE SUPREME AND DISTRICT LODGES.
2. THAT CHAPTER PRESIDENTS, SECRETARIES AND TREASURERS ADHERE TO THE DEADLINES SET BY THE CONVENTION BODY IN REMITTING PER CAPITA TAX.
3. THAT CHAPTER DUES BE PAID WITHIN THE FIRST THREE (3) MONTHS OF THE YEAR.

FRATERNALLY YOURS,



JAMES A. NICOLAOU, DISTRICT TREASURER
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DISTRICT SECRETARY'S REPORT

Gust M. Aretos

This has been an exciting year to have served as your District Secretary. It was a year where we joined with the Daughters in promoting a districtwide charitable raffle. It was a year that has seen the Ahepa name proudly put into place at our St. Nicholas Ranch. I made 35 meetings or visitations, traveling 5,334 miles within the District. It was a year where some chapters, which have vibrant, innovative leaders, become stronger. It was also a year where some chapters, having apathetic or lethargic leadership, became weaker.

This year, the District Secretary's books and records were once again reinstalled so that they will conform to our Constitutional requirements. We have also started a "motions" ledger where, each year after the convention, the District Secretary will record the motions that have been passed at the convention. We expect this book to provide an easy reference source to follow up on the will of the assembly -- without trying to wade through the expansive minutes.

Also, this was a year where some chapters refused to fully support the convention dictates regarding District projects. We found that these are the chapters that are unable to really show their members a reason for Ahepa to exist. They wallow in apathy. The chapters that took the bull by the horns and supported the will of the majority, appear to be strong and vibrant and with a reason to exist.

I have served you honestly, and with all of my energies, and I would do it again. Thank you, my district colleagues, and thank you Ahepa members -- you make me feel worthwhile.

Respectfully submitted,

GUST M. ARETOS
District Secretary

9/13	Marysville	Visitation	332
9/18	Oakland	District Lodge Meeting	100
9/23	San Jose	Raffle Meeting	30
10/5	Oakland	Past President	100
10/10	Contra Costa	Visitation	120
10/14	San Jose	Installation	30
10/16	Vallejo	Visitation (no meeting held)	150
10/17	San Francisco	Meeting - Installation	100
10/28	Sacramento	Fall Conference	250
11/10	San Francisco	Casino Nite	100
11/11	San Jose	Thanksgiving	30
11/27	Oakland	Visitation	100
12/11	San Jose	Vistation	30
12/19	Stockton	District Lodge Meeting	180
1/9	San Francisco	Vistation	100
1/17	Vallejo	Vistation	146
1/26	Concord	Meeting	140
1/28	Sacramento	Leg. Banquet	250
2/12	Stockton	Vistation	180
2/23	San Francisco	Joint District Lodge Meeting	88
2/23	Scholarship/Oakland	Scholarship	100
2/28	San Mateo	Visitation	60
3/1	Reno	Vistation & Fun Trip	566
3/7	Fresno Vistation	Visitation	350
3/17	Spring Conference	San Francisco	100
3/19	Modesto	Vistation	222
3/23	San Jose	Past Presidents Awards	30
4/4	San Mateo	Meeting	60
4/17	Stockton	Meeting	180
5/18	Fresno	Ranch Dedication	350
5/31	San Bruno	Margelis Meeting	70
6/1	Oakland	Thalia Banis Banquet	100
6/19	Stockton	District Lodge Meeting	180
7/5,6,7	Millbrae	District Convention	60

TOTAL MILES TRAVELED 5334

35 VISITATIONS AND 5,334 MILES

Lt. Governor's Annual Report, 1984 - 1985
53rd - Fifty-third Golden Gate District #21 Convention
Millbrae, CALIF. - - July 5, & 6, 1985
MY CONCERN FOR "AHEPA" SHOULD BE YOUR CONCERN - - Motto

It is a time to reflect upon the accomplishments of this past year. We took the Oath of Office to do our duties " to the best of our ability ". This means on word to me " RESPONSIBILITY ". We all have good intentions when we promise to do this & that, and to help our chapter or member with a project or event. But somehow things have a way of getting away from us. It is up to each of us to try a bit harder to fulfill good fellowship.

Having served 9 years on the District Lodge has been a great learning experience. It has given me new determination to pursue and continue the fight toward the principles of our Order. I realize that my efforts may sometimes "irritate and offend" some Brothers. It seems as if many faithful past leaders are resisting current trends, not accepting progress befitting our new era. We need more cooperation from our dedicated members and guidance from our past Leaders.

In the essence of time and space I will not bore you with a detailed list and dates of my official visits. I have visited every Chapter, except Salinas Valley Chapter. Have attended 8 special events, made 2 trips to St. Nicholas Ranch and attended an additional 10 Chapter meetings as Liaison Officer or acting for our esteemed Governor. I commend the Chapters for their gracious concern toward our AHEPA Order.

The following recommendations are being submitted for your consideration:

1. Liaison Officers format should be continued this coming year. It has promoted action in many chapters.
2. We find that those Chapters that have a well-planned " Educational Program " are progressing in membership.
3. Are we going to reconsider a District "Athletic Award Dinner" event ?
4. We must make serious efforts to look for new strength and vitality in membership.
5. AHEPA must continue to co-sponsor the Reno Excursions. Encourage all Bay Area Chapters to participate at the same date.
6. Chapter Officer's Meeting: An important place to iron-out programs, projects, and discuss the " Pros & Cons " of problems - - - Your first discussion - - and it should be every month. President's, please try this method, you will like it.
7. Scholarship Committee to designate a special committee to investigate and evaluate methods of encouraging large grants and donations from affluent Hellenes.
8. I heartily recommend a " District Public Relation Chairman " His duties to work with the Chapter's Publicity Chairman. We have an urgent need for someone to follow-up on our events and programs - - to guide us - - both in advance and after Chapter events. It could be the Dist. Warden's new project. A sum of \$100.00 should be allotted for phone, pictures, etc.
9. Convention Agenda to be a permanent item at all conventions. The current agenda of approximate 12 pages to be ready on the first day of Convention. D.L. to follow-up on future changes and/or corrections.

Lt. Governor' Report 1985

10. Scholarship Committee Term of Office should be lessen.
 - A. Consider one member from each Chapter, for better communication !
 - B. Chapters with more than 100 membership be allowed two members on committee.
 - C. One committee should travel with District Lodge on their visitations, chairman to assign.
 - D. By December 1, of each year, Chapters to receive at least one "Scholarship Application" and information in order to promote this terrific program.
11. Look for the Good and Praise It !! Let us practice more Fraternal LOVE and FELLOWSHIP !
12. RESPONSIBILITY :

Our greatest need and challenge is in the area of COMMITMENT and PARTICIPATION BY ALL OFFICERS AND MEMBERS TO SUPPORT YOUR CHAPTER AND DISTRICT ACTIVITIES.
13. Special "Thanks" to D. of P. Governor Mary Chicos for her cooperation while I acted as Assistance Governor during our emergency.
14. Many Thanks to my fellow officers for their enthusiasm and encouragement.
AND SPECIAL THANKS TO BRO. ARETOS FOR SUPER MINUTES THIS YEAR.

I thank you for the honor and privilege you have bestowed upon me as your Lt. Governor. I plan to ask you for the esteem office of Governor of District #21. With your help and cooperation we can progress to new heights and goals. Only with your participation can we have rewarding events and programs.

In closing, I make a motion to consider items # 7, # 8, #9, for Legislation.

Fraternally yours,



John T. Koplos, Lt. Governor

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District Governors Report

53rd District Convention

San Mateo, California

July 4, 5, 6, 7-1985

Mr. Chairman, Supreme Lodge Officers, Colleagues on the District Lodge, Past Supreme Lodge Officers, Past District Governors, Man of the Year George Bezaitis, and Brother Delegates.

It is with a deep sense of gratitude to the Delegates of the 52nd District Convention in Fresno that elected me District Governor for my second term. I do hope that I represented the Ahepa and District # 21 with dignity and responsibility.

I would like to acknowledge and thank the District Lodges of the Daughters of Penelope, Sons of Pericles, and Maids of Athena for their cooperation and respect.

To all Chapters and members of District 21, Thank You, for the hospitality, fraternalism and friendship that was bestowed to us on our visitations.

To the Convention Committee of San Mateo, THANK YOU for a great Convention.

To Tom Tjovenos, Editor of the Traveler, Thank You and your co-workers for the work and effort you put into the Traveler.

To Dr. Karl Konstantin, Thank You and your Scholarship Committee for a job well done.

Finally to my District Lodge, Thank You for your effort, your time, and your cooperation, it was exceptional. A special Thank You, to John Koplos, my Lt. Governor who filled in for me during my wife's illness.

This year, 1984-1985, has been one of the finest years of District 21 or any other District of the Order of Ahepa. On January 23, 1985 we had the Legislative Banquet in Sacramento. It was truly a magnificent affair. The banquet room was crowded with over 700 members of District 20 & 21. The Legislatures responded over and beyond the call of duty. Usually 10 to 15 legislatures go to an ethnic affair, which is a good showing, we had over

*See my report President of the District
of Grand District (with a number of the District)*

90 including the Governor, Speaker of the House, and President of the Senate. This was the first time any District has so honored its State Officials. We are now planning to have this affair every two years. Along with our legislatures, we honored one of our own Alex. G. Spanos. Congratulations to the Co-Chairmen Gus Plessis & Paul Christopoulos, to their committee, and the Sacramento, Chapter #153. Thank You from all of us, for a job well done.

On May 18, 1985 St. Nicholas Ranch was officially dedicated. The Ahepa Lodge became a reality. Our St. Nicholas Ranch Committee, presented our 1st installment of \$ 38,000. to Bishop Anthony. which leaves a balance of \$ 112,000. A person has to see what has happened their in the last 5 years. Their are 5 buildings, 4 buildings with sleeping quarters, a dinning room, a lovely patio, and beautifull swimming pool. A new chapel is soon to be built. It was a lovely weekend, with about 700 people in attendance. I would like to thank the St. Nicholas ranch Committee for their fine work. Let us not forget that we still have an obligation to meet. Let's do it.

The Charity Raffle has also become a reality with our first drawing Saturday nite. Again it was a few people who made it a sucess. Some of our Chapters did nothing to help, yet they want Conventions and Conferences. A big BRAVO to Gus Aretos and his committee. A job well done.

Yes Brothers, we did have a banner year, so good that we had difficulty picking the Chapter of the Year. ~~_____~~

Over all the District is in fair shape. Membership is about half paid or 480 members as of June 6. We do have some weak Chapters Modsto, Vallejo, Reno, Contra Costa and Salinas, we do hope to resolve this problem soon. Our Chapter in Salinas, has not paid per capita tax this year, paid for only 12 members in 1984, refuses visitations, refuses to take part in District projects. I am refering it to the grievence committee.

My recommendations are as follows: pages 3 & 4

Brothers I have given you my recommendations I do hope that you take them into consideration for the betterment of the Ahepa. Thank you for letting me serve as your District Governor.

Mr. Chairman, I move for the adoption of this report.

George P. Marmas
District Governor

District Governors Recommendations

1. This year, the District Lodge incorporated the Ahepa Agenda. I recommend that we continue to use this all important paper. It can be used by the delegates for their reports, and the Convention Secretary can use it for the Convention Minutes. All they have to add is the District Officers reports, the Chapter reports, and motions made.
2. Start the Convention promptly at 9:00 A. M. so that all Committee work be done on Friday and the committee reports and election on Saturday. There have been complaints that delegates have been in meetings while important legislation has been passed. A fine could be imposed by the Convention Chairman for being late and the proceeds to the Scholarship Comm.
3. The summer issue of the Traveler should concentrate on pictures of the Convention and Scholarship recipients. Also each chapter should have a strong person for publicity, Traveler, Ahepan and newspapers.
4. Each Convention should have an official photographer.
5. At Ahepa Functions such as Conference and Convention Banquets the Ahepan of the Year, and Chapter of the Year, should be recognized.
6. The Delegates Luncheon be changed to an Athletic Luncheon and present awards to athletes, coaches or anyone involved in athletics.
7. A revolving Membership Trophy be instituted by the Convention and presented to the Chapter membership chairman who has the highest per cent of increase in his Chapter.
8. A matching Scholarship should be added to the scholarship. If a person wants to name a scholarship after some loved one, he may do so by paying half the scholarship and matched by the scholarship committee. This way we can have a \$ 500, \$ 1000, \$ 1,500, or a \$ 2,000 Scholarship.
9. Any man who wishes the office of District Governor, should be on the District Lodge for at least 3 years.
10. Find ways to make the Convention Fun for the whole family whether it is sports, games, etc.
11. An Ahepa Blood Bank be considered for the Chapters & District.
12. Ahepa Family Booths be set up at Festevils, with literature, and applications to acquaint the people with Ahepa.
13. All legislation involving the Auxilliares should be made known to them before the Convention ends so that they may adopt it.
14. The District Lodge have at least one meeting with the Bishop every year to promote good will and resolve any problems.

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15. The District Governor and the District Sect'y, be on each Chapters mailing list.
16. The Past District Governors get more involved with the weaker Chapters. These Chapters need stimulation and assurance from the District Lodge and Past District Governors.
17. Each year, the Budget should be made up by the District Lodge and presented to the Convention Budget Committee for approval.
18. With a \$ 4,000 budget, I do not think the \$ 200 budgeted for a computer is needed.
19. Brief cases should be provided for the District Lodge, it would enhance their appearance.
20. Each Chapter should get involved with a Community project of their own, such as Special Olympics, blind, deaf etc.
21. An annual youth dance, sponsored by the District Lodges of the Ahepa Family, with no cost to the potential members of the Sons or Maids.
22. A yearly appropriation of \$ 150, so that the District Gov. can go to the biannual Congressional Banquet in Washington, D. C.
23. The District Governors allowance to the Supreme Convention be increased by \$ 200 and his District allowance be increased by \$ 200.
24. A study be made by the Past District Governors for new Chapters in San Rafael and Santa Cruz.
25. Any Chapter that does not participate in National or District projects, conferences etc., should not be eligible for a District Convention or a conference.

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Order of Ahepa

The American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association

Founded July 26, 1922
in Atlanta, Ga.

Golden Gate District No. 21


July 5, 1985

To: Grievance Committee

Re: Letter from Peter W. Derzis Chapter No. 438

I do not believe that letters such as attached, be sent to a foreign country by an individual Chapter. These letters should be sent out by the Supreme Lodge only.

Fraternally,


George P. Marmas

District Governor # 21

ORDER OF

AHEPA



PETER N. DERZIS CHAPTER NO. 438

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His Excellency
Premier Andreas Papandreou
Athens, Greece

Dear Mr. Premier:

The purpose of this letter is to express our outrage and indignation with your views and public position as expressed in your interview as broadcast on "Sixty Minutes" on the sixth day of January, 1985. As Ahepans, we feel that our silence may be interpreted as tacit agreement by Greek-Americans concerning your comments.

Your support of the Soviet's explanation justifying their ruthless and inhumane destruction of the Korean Airlines commercial plane and alleging that it was on an American spy mission is of particular concern to us. Most nations, particularly those in NATO, including Greece, are aware that the United States has sufficient information sensors available and does not need to use commercial aircraft for this purpose. It was disappointing and ironic that of all the western democracies only the Greek government agreed with the Soviets' explanation. Additionally, Mr. Premier, you implied that the United States would have done the same thing to errant Soviet aircraft. It is a known fact that Soviet intruders have been intercepted, warned, and permitted to safely depart after penetrating American airspace.

Another concern that we must express is your apparent depreciation of the American contribution to prevent a communist military conquest of Greece following World War II. Ahepans and other Greek-Americans are acutely aware of the contributions

PAST PRESIDENTS

Nicholas Lampos	1969	Mike Morfessis	1977-78
Alexander Kouts	1970-71	Gus Moshos	1979-80
Constantine Anthony	1972	Louis P. Cherpas	1981
Harry Brown	1973-76	John N. Agnos	1982-83

"Progress With Brotherhood"

Premier Andreas Papandreou
March 5, 1985
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made by American military personnel during the bitter and destructive Civil War. American assistance in training and equipping the Greek armed forces was a critical factor in preventing the destruction of democracy and the establishment of a communist dictatorship in Greece. However, no mention was made regarding the enormous support to the insurgents by Soviet bloc countries. Fortunately, Mr. Premier, no Greek leader has had to make any mandatory pilgrimage to Moscow and thank the Soviets for their aid in overthrowing its democratically elected government.

As Americans of Greek heritage, we love the land of our fathers. It is hard for us to understand your support of a government which has invoked nothing but death and destruction to the Greek people.

We fully understand that your politically expedient anti-American remarks were made for local consumption, but to express your personal views on a national telecast to those same Americans whose tax monies and political influence have supported the democracy and security of Greece is an even greater outrage.

We sincerely believe that your comments are not shared by the majority of the citizens of Hellas. You may have found it politically advantageous at this time to play the two super-powers against each other. However, we feel you have committed inestimable and perhaps permanent damage to future Greek-American relations, especially in the Greek-American community which is in sympathy with the many problems facing Greece today.

X As Ahepans, we collectively believe you owe Americans, especially the Greek-Americans, an apology for these biased and reckless anti-American statements. These are the same citizens who have been supportive of Greece, both financially and politically since its independence. Many of us feel you have not only demeaned and embarrassed us with many of your provocative remarks but have fueled anti-Americanism in Greece.

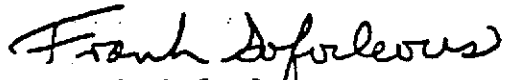
In closing, Mr. Premier, you know that in this world of turmoil and suspicion, America is the only country which has freely shared its wealth and good fortune with our beloved Greece. As a former American citizen, you are undoubtedly aware of this fact.

His Excellency
Premier Andreas Papandreou
March 5, 1985
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Please do not spurn the outstretched hand of friendship
with a clenched fist of rhetoric.

This correspondence was unanimously approved at our regular
chapter meeting held on February 12, 1985.

Yours in friendship,



Frank Sofocleous
President
Peter N. Derzis Chapter #438
Order of AHEPA

cc: Supreme President, Cleo Zambetis
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TO: Grievance Committee

Re: Salinas Chapter 253

A problem has arisen with our Chapter in Salinas. The District Lodge has sent letters, and made phone calls with no response. Our District Treasure, Jim Nicolaou contacted Bro. Sam Dakis on the phone and he said that he did not want anything to do with the District.

I am enclosing a letter from the Supreme Counsellor, Phillip H. Frangos.

The following are some of the reasons for action.

1. per/capita tax paid 1984---12 including 2 life members.
2. per/ capita tax paid 1985---0 only 2 life members.
3. Refuses visitations from the District Lodge
4. Dose not have regular meetings.
5. Refuses to participate in District projects.

The District Lodge has tried to resolve this matter but we have not been successful. That is why we are taking it to the Grievance Committee.

Fraternally,

George P. Marmas
District Governor



Order of Ahepa
SUPREME LODGE
HEADQUARTERS

Supreme Counsellor
Phillip T. Frangos
837 W. Grand River
East Lansing, MI 48823

June 18, 1985

Mr. George Marmas
Governor, District No. 21
Order of AHEPA
3543 Sheridan Way
Stockton, CA 95207

Dear Brother Marmas:

Please accept my apology for the delay in responding to your inquiry. I hope you find the information set forth in this letter to be helpful.

You indicate a chapter in your district refuses to pay per capita tax, declines visitations, and does not participate in district projects. You state, "They (the chapter) do not want any part of the District."

You inquire as to what can be done to resolve the situation. Specifically, you ask whether the chapter's charter can be revoked, whether the members may constitute a chapter at large, and whether the chapter may participate in a District or Supreme Convention.

The power to revoke a chapter charter is vested exclusively in the Supreme Lodge by Article VII, Section 4 of the Constitution of the Order of Ahepa. Article XXXIII, Section 2(b) provides a District Governor may suspend the charter of a chapter within his district for "justifiable cause." The latter action must be consented to by the District Lodge and Supreme President.

You have cited three examples of nonaction by the chapter. It should be determined whether these failures, individually or collectively, constitute "justifiable cause."

Under the Constitution, the onus for failure to pay per capita tax falls upon the individual member. Article XVI, Section 3 states that if "the Supreme Lodge has not received any per capita tax for twelve consecutive months for any member, such member shall be considered ipso facto suspended ..." A suspended member loses his rights and privileges. Indeed, Article XVI, Section 1 states a member is delinquent if he is six months late in payment

of his dues. In that instance he can attend but not participate in a meeting. He cannot serve as a delegate to any convention. If every member in a chapter fails to pay his per capita for twelve consecutive months, the chapter is declared inactive by the Supreme Lodge.

The chapter secretary may be held accountable if a member pays his dues and the per capita tax is not remitted to the Supreme Lodge. The secretary must notify the Supreme Lodge of all dues monies collected pursuant to Article XIV, Section 1. Failure to do so may subject him to impeachment proceedings pursuant to Article XIII.

The failure of a chapter to accept visitations or to participate in district projects does not constitute justifiable cause for revocation of the chapter's charter. As reprehensible as the lack of cooperation may be, the Constitution does not provide specific remedies. For example, if a chapter properly elects delegates to a district convention, and observes all other procedures as prescribed by the Constitution with respect to qualifying those delegates for credentials to the convention, the chapter may not be denied representation in the convention because of its failure to accept visitations or to participate in district programs.

A chapter may, however, be denied the benefits of any specific project if a precondition to receiving benefits is support of that project. For example, if a district publishes a newsletter which is supported by contributions from the district's chapters, the district may refuse to send the publication to any chapter which fails to provide financial support.

It should be noted financial assessments may not be imposed on a chapter by action of the district without the chapter's consent. Article X, Section 9 provides a chapter treasurer "shall pay out no moneys, unless so ordered by a majority vote of the members of the chapter present at a regular meeting, or unless provided for in the Constitution or Decrees of the Supreme Conventions."

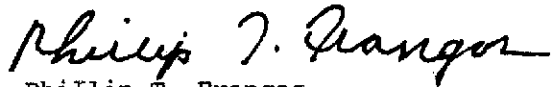
You ask about membership at large. This status is limited to persons whose actual residence is not nearer than 50 miles from any chapter within the district. Moreover, since the Constitution places all chapters within districts, a chapter may not under present circumstances become a chapter at large.

In conclusion, with the exception of nonpayment of per capita tax, the causes stated in your letter do not appear to justify revocation or suspension of the chapter's charter. With respect to nonpayment of per capita, the Constitution's penalties are directed against the delinquent member(s) except in the instance of a secretary or treasurer who may be removed from office for failure to perform his duties, including the remitting of per capita tax to the Supreme Lodge.

It may be other causes exist in the present instance which have not been identified in your letter. If that is the case, please feel free to contact me for any assistance I can provide. Ultimately, however, any

proposed revocation or suspension of the chapter's charge must involve the Supreme President and Supreme Lodge.

Fraternally,



Phillip T. Frangos
Supreme Counsellor

cc: Cleo N. Zambetis, Supreme President
Timothy J. Maniatis, Executive Director



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On April 4, May 10, 1985, I sent a letter to you requesting information on delinquent Chapters in our District. Chapters that refuse to participate in District projects, pay per capita tax, refuse visitations, etc.

For the third time I am asking what alternatives do we have under the constitution? Can they become a Chapter at large? What rights do they have at a District Convention--National Convention etc. Can a Charter be pulled? How.

We need these answers before our convention so that we may resolve this problem.

Fraternally,

George P. Marmas
District Governor

cc Cleo N. Zambetis



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Golden Gate District No. 21

March 10, 1985

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Dear Brother Sam Dakis
President Salinas Chapter No. 253

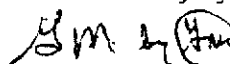
We hope that you enjoyed your trip to Greece and that this letter finds you and your family in the best of health.

At the most recent District Lodge meeting the District 21 membership roster was reviewed. This review indicated that your chapter has 6-1983 unpaid members and as of 1-30-1985, 57 1984 members are unpaid. On February 14, John Koplos wrote to you offering you any assistance you might need in order to reactivate your chapter. We continue to be at your service.

Also if you review your chapter records, you will find that it is almost three years since you have have permitted a District visitation. Once again, we are requesting that you reply to me, in writing, exactly what we can do to assist you. Also we are again requesting an official visitation, before the next District Convention.

We also need to know the TIME and LOCATION of your regularly scheduled meetings.

Fraternally yours


George Marmas
District 21 Governor

CC. District Lodge Officers

Wm. Rotas, Chmn. of the Board of Advisors.

April 4, 1985

To; Supreme Counsellor

We are having a problem with one of our Chapters in District 21 and I would like some information.

This Chapter refuses to pay per capita tax, participate in District projects, and refuses visitations. They do not want any part of the District.

Under the constitution, what alternative do we have; such as the convention-District, Supreme, can a charter be revoked, can they have a chapter at large? What can we do to resolve this situation.

We are having a District Lodge meeting the week after Easter and I would appreciate an opinion by then.

Hope to hear from you soon.

Fraternally,

George P. Marmas
District Governor # 21

May 10, 1985

Phillip T. Frangos
Supreme Counsellor
837 W. Grand River
East Lansing, MI. 48823

On April 4, 1985, I sent you a letter requesting information on delinquent chapters in our District. Chapters that refuse to participate in District projects, per capita tax, visitations, etc.

Again I am asking what alternatives do we have under the constitution. Can they become a chapter at large? What rights do they have at a convention--District--National etc.

Please send me information so that we may resolve our problem.

Fraternally,

George P. Marmas
District Governor # 21

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

RESOLUTION I

1. Recommend increase the \$500 scholarships to \$750 each. This would give

3 @ \$1,000	\$3,000
4 @ 750	<u>3,000</u>
Total	\$6,000

Passed

RESOLUTION II

1. Scholarship Committee to designate a special committee to solicit large grants and donations from affluent Hellenes. Special committee members to be composed of Ahepans and non-Ahepans.

Passed

RESOLUTION III

1. Each chapter to appoint a scholarship chairman to be liason between scholarship committee and the chapter.

Passed

RESOLUTION IV

1. Applications for scholarship to be in scholarship committee by March 15.

Passed

RESOLUTION V

1. Scholarship committee member to be elected to a 4 year term with not more than two (2) consecutive terms. *at THE MOST START RIGHT NOW*

Passed

RESOLUTION VI

1. Scholarship committee to institute a matching scholarship program. *Passed*

LIMIT NUMBER OF MATCHING FUNDS

with FUTURE WORK OF SET FOUNDATION

RESOLUTION VII

1. Scholarship committee to solicit donations from past scholarship recipients. This resolution needs research and follow through of college graduates.

Passed

RESOLUTION VIII

- ~~1. Scholarship committee to solicit donations through use of gifts to the Memorial Fund.~~

RESOLUTION IX

1. Scholarship to form a media committee that is responsible to the scholarship committee:

Scholarship chairman when notified of scholarship winners should immediately inform the media committee.

The media committee will immediately secure pictures and biographies of recipients and dispense such information and pictures to recipient's schools, churches and city newspapers.

Passed

RESOLUTION X

1. Scholarship committee correspondence to be handled exclusively by committee secretary with copies to District Governor and ~~scholarship~~ other scholarship committee member.

Passed

Committee Members:

George Johnson, Chairman
Nick Alevizos
Anthony Maris
Paul Christopoulos
George Marmas

George G. Johnson

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GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO. 21
SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
Year 1983-84

4th of July 1985. HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA.

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CHAIRMAN

PAUL CHRISTOPULOS
CONSULTANT

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DISTRICT GOVERNOR

GEORGE A. BEZAITIS
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PETE PAPPAGEORGE
GEORGE TZANAVARAS
LOU JANAKOS

SCHOLARSHIP COM. REPORT TO: 53rd ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION:
Dear Br. Dist. Gover. George Marmas, Brother Delegates, AHEPA FAMILY.
One more year passed and here is the Dist. #21 Scholarship Com. Report, some observations and Recommendations.
First of all, I express my gratitude to my Colleagues for their continuous support and guidance. Their names are listed on the left.
Third year with "Direct Bulk Mailing" and seems we are doing well.
This year we have collected from direct contributions . \$ 4,415.00.
From our Annual Dinner-Dance, the second source of funds \$ 1,300.00.
Note that, we have paid ALL last year's Scholarships, and to one student \$100.00 "honorarium", for taking trip with "Journey to Greece".

FINANCIAL STATUS:

1) Checking Account with BofA. . . # 0533I- 06083 . . .	\$ 5,835.76.
2) Market Savings, with Amer. Saving # 58-04-034762-8 . . .	\$ 2,193.35.
3) C.D. Savings, with " " # 58-04-034763-6 . . .	\$ 57,481.08.
4) C.D. Savings, with " " # 58-04-034764-4 . . .	\$ 25,909.08.
Total . . .	\$ 91,419.37.

Note: The #4 Account is that of, ALEX G. SPANOS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.
This year, to this moment, we did not receive our "allowance" from AHEPA HEADQUARTERS. This check usually mail to Dist. Governor.

The following shows the list of this year's Scholarship RECIPIENTS:

- 1) Peter BAKIS "Stephen L. Berdalis" . AWARD \$ 1,000.00.
- 2) Vicky STRATIGOPOULOS . "A.G.SPANOS, No. ONE " . AWARD \$ 1,000.00.
- 3) Panagiota KIOUSIS . . . "AHEPA HEADQUARTERS " . AWARD \$ 1,000.00.
- 4) Elaine TZAGARAKIS . . . "A.G.SPANOS No. TWO " . AWARD \$ 500.00.
- 5) George DOUVEAS "DIST. #21 " . AWARD \$ 500.00.
- 6) Nicholas RALLY "DIST. #21 " . AWARD \$ 500.00.
- 7) Chrysi GUIDI "DIST. #21 " . AWARD \$ 500.00.

Brothers and Sisters, the Schol. Com. this year submitted to Selector, as Approved, total twelve Applications. There were TWO more, one incomplete (and still receiving some letters for him), and the other application, never received but was aware via Telephone calls, and the envelope was lost via mail.

Five of the above students are " STRAIGHT As". One was disqualified because of "No Financial Statement". The other one, I cannot explain. What really I am saying to you my brothers and sisters, is a pity that a brilliant Student, with a record of straight As, all the six years in HIGH SCHOOL, and I had to write to her a note of "Regret".!

PLEASE, DO something about it: Let us increase the Number of recipients from SEVEN to TEN, and allow them larger amounts.

TOGETHER, we can DO IT. First: Let us find more SPANOS'S: GREAT BENEFAC-TORS. SECOND: Continue your big or small direct annual contributions. THIRD: Attend the Annual Dinner-Dance. Next year, again in the SAME PLACE, and on March 16th, 1986. Please, COME!. OUR I.D. (Tax Ded.) # 53-21275.

This concludes my formal report to you, and looking forward to Convention Floor, questions and discussions.

Fraternally Yours,
Karl A. Konstantin M.D.
Karl A. Konstantin, M.D. / Chrmn.

As I've received them =

PAGE ONE.

84-85 CONTRIBUTIONS. Chairman K. KONSTANTIN.
(DIRECT)

NAME	CHAPTER	AMOUNT
KIREOPOULOS, Peter	150	10.00
PAPAGEORGE, William	228	10.00
PAPPAS, James N.	150	15.00
PHILLIPS, Christine (San Jose)		10.00
CLADIANOS, Pepi M. (Reno)		200.00
KOPLoS, John T. In Memm of Paul KOPLoS 171.		75.00
KOPLoS, John T. " " " "		50.00
KOPLoS (BERDEVANIS, Bessie " "		25.00
LARIS, Mary, In mem. Paul Koplos.		10.00
KOPLoS John T. In mem of ANN RAGAZA		20.00 (45)
LAMPROV, Eudokia	ECHO #4 (Oakland)	100.00
BEZAITIS George A.	#171 "	25.00
PAPAPOLYMEROV Sotirios	#171	25.00
PIPERIS Nick	171	25.00
PAPAGIANNIS, Gus	171	25.00
ZATHAS, James	171	10.00
ANGELIDES, George	171	10.00
LAZARAKIS, Sam J.	171	10.00
BROGOLIAS, Steve N.	171	10.00
HANGARIS, Helen	ECHO #4	25.00 C
POULOS, Penelope	ECHO #4	5.00 C
VLAHIOTIS, Anthony T. DDS.	171	10.00
KARAHALIOS, Thomas P.	151 Fresno.	10.00
KALOMIRIS, Stavros M.	151 "	10.00
KONTILIS, James	151	10.00
ARMENIS, Michael P.	153 Sacramento	50.00
VLAHOS, Lucille	ARTEMIS #5 "	25.00
SEROS, Gus T.	153 "	10.00
DRIYAS, Angela	153 "	10.00
SCORDAKIS, Alice	ARTEMIS #5 "	5.00
LOLONIS, Nick F.	392 San Mateo.	5.00
		830.00

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NAME	CHAPTER	AMOUNT
STANIOTES, Angelo	150 S.F.	50.00
SARIBALIS, Stephen N. D.D.S.	150 "	25.00
VAYVRIS, S. Lee (Sup. Gen. Image Ret.)	150 "	25.00
STATHOPOULOS, Matios N.	150 "	25.00
ALECK, Patricia	EOS #1 "	20.00
KORINTHIAS, William	150 "	15.00
NICKLAS, Helen and Nick D.	150 "	10.00
TOPOLOS, Agnes A.	150 "	10.00
NURIS, Thomas A - Attorney -	150 "	10.00
CHAPRAWS, Steve G. P.A.	150 "	10.00
FRANCO, Gus	150 "	10.00
PAYLATOS, John S.	217 Solono.	15.00
KARNEGAS, Gus T.	228 Marysville	5.00
PATSURIS, William	251 Garden City	50.00
STRATIGOPOULOS, Gus J.	251 "	25.00
SARDELL, Andrew J.	171 Oakland	10.00
CONSTANTINE, Vlado	171	15.00
LOUMOS, Nicholas A.	171	10.00
TRIPODIS, Tom P.	150 S.F.	100.00
CHIBIDAKIS, James S.	150	25.00
CHIBIDAKIS, Sophie H.	EOS #1	20.00
PAPPAS, John M.	150	10.00
VRIONIS, Gerald P.	150	10.00
KASNESTIS, Alex	150	10.00
BARDIS, John	150	10.00
ARTELIS, George	150	10.00
COSTIS, Harry G.	151 Fresno	10.00
CHIAMI'S, Paul G. (a former 2 scholarship recipient)	151	10.00
PAPPADOPOULOS, Constantine G. (Katherine)	153 Severa.	25.00
CHUGRANAS, Louis	153	10.00
KARTINOS, George J.	259 Contra Costa	25.00
		615.00

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NAME	CHAPTER	AMOUNT
SPANOS, Dean A.	212 Stockton	75.00
PITZER, Matthe A.	Sparta #18 "	10.00
MALASPINA, Lela	VRAMIA 290 San Mateo.	10.00
EFSTRATIS, Ted	228 Marysville	10.00
MERKURIS, Chris (& Mamie)	251 Garden City.	10.00
LOUIS COLOMBOTOS Louis	171 Oakland.	25.00
Demis KARAS, Denis	171 "	25.00
PEPITONE, Ted	171 "	10.00
PEPITONE, Diamond	CHO #4 "	10.00
KOULOS, Leo Paul, in mem of his father	150 (Paul L. Koulos)	100.00
KONSTIN, Constantine	150	25.00
PANTAGES, Gregory J.	150	25.00
HONTALAS, Helen L.	EOS #1	10.00
WOLFE, Dena C.	Sparta 18	10.00
GUST, Cleo	Zephyrus 147	10.00
SCANDALIS, Demetris	D. Artemis #5.	10.00
KIRKONIS, Dorothy	Vramia 290	10.00
JASONIDES, HARRY	259	15.00
JOGOPoulos (KAY D) John	259	10.00
TSAGALAKIS, Andreas	251 San Jose	5
RIGHELLIS, Strati	251 "	10.00
FRANGADAKIS, George	251 "	25.00
PAIZIS, Peter	251 "	25.00
POLITIS, Spiro John	253 Salinas.	5.00
FOTES, James H.	151 Fresno.	10.00
VRENEOS, GUST S.	Cathedral City Cal (#2) CA.	10.00
PALIOS, John S.	212, Stockton	10.00
PALIOS, Argezy	212 "	10.00
PALIOS, Gus S (+ Despina)	246 Modesto.	10.00
CHRISTIE, John W.	246 "	25.00
GEORGE, Harry	246 "	50.00
		595.00

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ANASTASSATOS Spiros C.	281 Reno.	25.00
KARNEGES, John K.	246 Modesto	5.00
JANAKOS, Nick	392 San Mateo	10.00
CHICOS, Mary (Dist-Gov. Dwp)	EOS #1 - S.F.	50.00
POVLAKIDAS, Sakee and Irene	EOS #1 - S.F.	25.00
PAPPAS, Katherine K.	EOS #1 - S.F.	10.00
ABRAMOPOULOS, Catherine	EOS #1 - S.F.	10.00
OROLOGAS, Emanuel	150 SF.	10.00
LEKAS, Gus	150 SF.	5.00
ROCKAS, Chris E. Attorney	151 Fresno.	25.00
KONTAXIS, Nikolaos P.	171 Oakland.	10.00
CHRISTIE, Chris	246 Modesto	10.00
STAVERIS, Harry	171 Oakland.	40.00
PREVOLOS, John	150 SF.	15.00
TZANAVARAS, George.	251 San Jose.	50.00
FRANCIS, Kula - in memory of Frank F.		50.00
ARETOS, Gus and Connie	251 (+ Dwp. 29)	50.00
MATTHEWS, Gus E.	251	25.00
HARRIS, Chris G.	251	20.00
HARBILAS, Amalia P. Dwp #29.		10.00
VAVURIS, Nicholas E.	153. Sacram.	25.00
HOLT, Diane B.	Detem's #5	25.00
ALLIPOULOS, Cosmas A.	153.	10.00
ANTOY, Frank F.	153.	10.00
BUTTA CAVOLI, Tony + Kay.	228	5.00
SIAGGAS, Spiros	281. Reno.	25.00
HANSON, Effie	Vanda 290.	10.00
PLATSI, James	150.	15.00
PAPAGEORGE, Pete	150	25.00
KONSTANTINE, Mary	EOS #1.	5.00
DRAKE, Lillian	EOS #1	5.00
		615.00

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	NAME	CHAPTER	Amount
2-25-86 1-15-85	ANTONPOULOS Thomas	153	5.00
	NICHOLAS, Gregory M.	16 Florida	25.00
	CARDIASOMENOS, Mary	FLA #4	20.00
	FEARN, Emilene J.	Previous Recipient of a Sch.	25.00
	PETRIS, Nicholas C.	Senator 171	25.00
	BAVIS, Andrew T.	171	25.00
	ZAFIRATOS Agamemnon	171	10.00
	CUCHIS, Ted.	171	25.00
	KOPLAS, John T.	In memory of Dimitri Manolis	40.00
	KOPLAS, John T.	In memory of Evelyn Sims	70.00
	KUFASIDES, Ann M.	153. SACZ	20.00
	MARMAS, George	(Dist Gov. 212, Stockton)	50.00
	NUSIAS, Maria (MD)	In memory of Michael	100.00
	KONSTANTIN, Karl A.	171	200.00
	KATSOULIS, George DDS.	171	40.00
VLAMIS, James	171	40.00	
MARATSOIS, Michael D.	150	25.00	
PHILLIPS, Elias	150	10.00	
FOTINOS, Gus P.	150	5.00	
VRATTOS, Emily	D.P. Artemis #5	5.00	
GAINES, Peter C.	212	10.00	
ANDREWS, George P.	153	10.00	
TZAGARAKIS, Elaine	D.P. Phaedra #4	25.00	
DOKOS, Napoleon C.	171	10.00	
MILTON, Dorothy	D.P. HARMONIA #367	10.00	
GIANNOLIS Cosmas	150	5.00	
LOURENTZOS, Theodore	212	10.00	
KOPLAS, James + Cecilia	In mem. of Dimitri Manolis	40.00	
>> >> >> >>	of Evelyn Sims	40.00	
>> >> >> >>	of Barbara Boeas	40.00	
KOPLAS, Bessie	of Dimitri Manolis	10.00	
>> >> >> >>	of Evelyn Sims	10.00	
		985.00	

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	NAME	CHAPTER	AMOUNT
4-26-85 Papa George	MASTORAS, Gus	151	60.00
	NICOLAOU, James A.	151	10.00
	STAMISON, John	171	20.00
	BESOTES, George	212	10.00
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Dimitri Dapas, X Papa George 4-25-	Memorial Anton Boodrookas (By Ann Boodrookas)		615.00
	" " " (By Virginia Nylander)		10.00
	" " " (By Bertha Taveras)		10.00
	CHRISAFIS, Andrew	392	10.00
	Pappageorge, Wm + Melba	228	10.00
	VITAKIS, George and Leona	171	10.00
	VITAKIS, Leon M	171	10.00
			775.00

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Sons of Pericles Committe

CHAIRMAN: James P. Dariotes

Members of Committee: Strati Righellis
Ari Economon
Harry Haramalis
Nick Loumos
Peter Kirieopoulos
John Preovolos

Meeting called to order by the Chairman on Friday, July 5, 1985.

Bill Vlahos, District Secretary and Treasurer of the Sons of Pericles District Lodge #21, gave an oral report on the condition of the Sons of Pericles on a District and Chapter level.

Harry Haramalis, District Advisor to the Sons of Pericles also gave us a report on the Sons of Pericles in Golden Gate District #21.

After an open discussion of the Sons of Pericles by the committee members the following resolution were made and passed on.

These resolutions were then given to the appropriate committees.

The resolutions are as follows:

Resolution #1

To raise the bottom age from 14 to 16 and extend the age from 23 to 25 but must maintain joint membership from the age of 21. Motion made by Harry Haramlis and seconded by Ari Economon. Motion Passed, with Nick Loumos filing a minority report.

Resolution #2

To Raise the Sons of Pericles Budget from \$800.00 a year to \$1,000.00 a year. Motion made by Harry Haramalis, seconded by Peter Kirieopoulos. Motion Passed unanimously.

Resolution #3

To allocate \$500.00 to the Sons of Pericles from Sacramento to help defray their expenses as the winner of the WRIBT, to go to the National Basketball Tournament at the National Convention in Boston. Motion made by Harry Haramalis seconded by Ari Economon. Motion passed unanimously.

The Committee recommended to bring a set of projects to combine the Son's of Pericles and Maids of Athena on a District Level. This would help bring about a unified effort to develop good character, good will, love, and the giving of one's self to help others.

Respectfully submitted,

James P. Dariotes, Chairman

Growth and Expansion: Chairman Ilias Frangos

Members of Committee: Nick Antipariotis
Gus Zakos Angelo Karambelas

The Growth and Expansion Committee met at 3:00 P.M., July 5, 1985. Present were Ilias Frangos Chairman, Gus Zakos Past President of San Mateo Chapter, Nick Antipariotis, Vice President elected and Angelo Karambelas Secretary elected of San Mateo Chapter.

The following recommendation were made in order to increase Ahepa membership in District #21.

- 1) The District Lodge under the leadership of the District Governor, should become more involved with the local Chapters to guide them in increasing members, establishing common visible goals and in attaining community recognition. It is to be noted that annual visitations alone are ineffective in guiding the local Chapters. The District Lodge should provide mailing data for former members so that they may be reinstated.
- 2) Each individual Chapter must maintain an active strong membership Committee.
- 3) Each individual Chapter must maintain a chapter publicity committee with a knowledgeable photographer.
- 4) The aforementioned membership and publicity committee are to be fostered and encouraged at every opportunity.
- 5) The District Lodge should encourage the local Chapters to establish visible realistic goals. These goals must be concentrated accordingly. They must be coordinated by the District Lodge. The key to the growth of Ahepa is the setting and attaining of visible and realistic goals. Only by maintaining and attaining goals which are worthwhile and for the betterman of our Community and our nation can we maintain our membership and attract new members. Should be noted that the sponsorship of Social functions should not be the goal of Ahepa but rather the result of the fellowship gained in working for common goals. Worthwhile goals which are recommended above.
 - a) The raising of funds for Philanthropic and charitable causes within the local community.
 - b) The involvement on a local level of the individual Chapters with Non-partisan political activities committee in conection with such civic involvements. Civic and community leaders should be invited as speakers at local Chapters meetings.
 - c) The encouragment of a strong athletic program for the youth of the District.

Growth and Expansion (continue)

- 6) The attaining of Ahepa goals on a local level requires that funds be expanded by the local chapters for Publicity and membership education.

On the other hand the funds raised by the Local Chapters for District Projects are submitted in total to the District Lodge accordingly. It is recommended that a fair share remuneration based on the gross income generated by and local Chapter for a District project be returned to that local chapter for expansion and growth perposed, excluding the District Scholarship fund.

Number 6 was tabled for the next District Convention.

Respectfully submitted,

Ilias Frangos
Nick Antipariotis
Gus Zakos
Angelo Karambelas

ORDER OF AHEPA

GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT NO. 21

AHEPA TRAVELER COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Gus J. Hontalas, Chairman
Tony Kourkumelis
George Hontalas

The Committee met at 3:30 P.M. July 5, 1985 at the meeting room of the Clarion Hotel. Governor George Marmas furnished the Committee with various samples of Ahepa Publications from other Districts. After review and perusal of these publications, the Committee agreed that our AHEPA TRAVELER Publication compares very favorably with those we reviewed.

The Editor, Brother Tom Tjoventos, was contacted by phone and advised us that He present his report to us on July 6, 1985 at 9:00 A.M.

The Committee will reconvene at 9:00 A.M. July 6, 1985 to review and commend on the Editor's Report.

The Committee endorses Governor Marmas' Recommendations number 3 and 4.

Respectfully Submitted

Gus J. Hontalas
Tony Kourkumelis
George Hontalas

Liaison : D.O.P.

Anthony Maris, Chairman
Gust Aretos, Member

Contacted D.O.P. and have the following comments:

1. They would like the Reno Trip to be a cooperative effort.
Would be willing to divide the profits if the trip is supported by the Order of Ahepa.
2. Agree to continue the Charitable Raffle for One year on an equal basis. Also, it is requested that the tickets are available at the Fall Conference.

Anthony J. Maris

Athletic Committee: Chairman Strati Righellis

Members of Committee: James Dariotes
Peter Keriopoulos
John Prevolos
Nick Loumos
Ari Economon
Harry Haramalis

Adult sports do not seem to involve many Ahepans, that is except for golf which is played usually during our conventions. Therefore it is my suggestion that we incorporate Athletics with activities. So that there is more involvement. Activities such as Bingo, Tavli (Backamon) and different types of card games. Also if a large enough hall could be obtained, we could have many Chapters participate and possibly create Fund Raising activities. It is just about time for us to have an Ahepa Hall somewhere in this area to hold our joint activities.

SPECIAL PROJECTS COMMITTEE REPORT

NATIONAL, DISTRICT, AND LOCAL LEVEL

1. STATUE OF LIBERTY

We recommend that each Chapter conduct a small Drive to its Members and appeal deductible donations of \$25, \$15, \$10, or \$5 donations from each member to help our District to meet its quota of \$4,000 for this National Project. Those who donate \$100 will receive a Scroll suitable for framing, commemorating their donations.

2. Local, District, and National Drives

It is imperative for every Chapter to participate in these drives, if AHEPA is to survive and fulfill its new purposes, community deeds and services. AHEPA will prosper and will grow if we all get behind its new purposes for our existence.

3. AHEPA POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (PAC)

District Lodge and Chapter officers should familiarize themselves with this new corporation and facet of AHEPA and how to go about implementing the success of this new division of the ORDER OF AHEPA. District Lodge to appoint a Committee to formulate a PAC Group in District No.21, after communicating with National Headquarters and receiving proper guidelines.

UNTIL NEXT DISTRICT CONVENTION

4. ST. NICHOLAS RANCH

Recommend that a permanent Committee be appointed by each Chapter, and the duty of these Committees will be to cooperate to the fullest for the fulfillment of our pledge to raise \$150,000., Further, this Committee should be on the best of relations with the Daughters of Penelope and work together with them on all National Programs.

It is recommended that the District Lodge explore the possibility of holding the Fall or Spring District Conference at St. Nicholas Ranch With my personal guarantee that it will be a rewarding experience for those who visit St. Nicholas Ranch for the first time and fall in love with the location, the serenity, and the facilities already available. They compare to a first-class Country Club. Individual Chapters are urged to schedule visitations to the Ranch by bus or any transportation they wish and see for themselves the worthiness of this development.

George Bezaites
George Bezaites - CHAIRMAN

John Prevolos
John Prevolos

Chris Harris
Chris Harris

Peter Kiriopoulos
Peter Kiriopoulos

Angelo Mountanos
Angelo Mountanos - Supreme Treasurer

GREAT BENEFACTORS AND BENEFACTORS (Monies received as of 6/1/85)

GREAT BENEFACTORS

Reno Chapter #281

In memory Angelo Pappas and George Pappas
(by Vasiliki and John Droutsas)

Garden City Chapter #251

Connie and Gust Aretos

Golden Gate-Pacific Chapter #150

Anne and Angelo Mountanos

Athena and Gus M. Lekas

Evelyn and Pete Pappageorge

Effie and Peter Tamaras

George and Pauline Hontalas

Sam and Mary Chicos

John Stathis

Oakland Chapter #171

George Bezaites

In memory Efstathia Verreos

(by Bessie and Nicholas Loumos)

John Koplos

BENEFACTORS

Sacramento Chapter #153

Nicholas E. Vavuris

Golden Gate-Pacific Chapter #150

In memory John H. Haramalis

(by Mr. & Mrs. Harry Haramalis)

Oakland Chapter #171

Sarah Bezaites

Fresno Chapter #151

Nick Kossaras

John Lignos

	<u>QUOTA</u>	<u>Amt. Remitted 7/1/85</u>	<u>Remittance less benefactor:</u>
Golden Gate Pacific #150	\$16,000	\$13,250.00	\$9500.00
Fresno #151	\$ 7,000	\$ 500.00	--0--
Sacramento #153	\$ 8,500	\$ 250.00	--0--
Oakland #171	\$12,500	\$ 9,198.36	\$7448.36
Stockton #212	\$ 7,000	\$ 1,500.00	\$1500.00
Solano #217	\$ 2,500	--0--	--0--
Marysville #226	\$ 4,000	--0--	--0--
Modesto #246	\$ 4,500	--0--	--0--
San Jose #251	\$11,000	\$11,500.00	\$11,000.00
Salinas #253	\$ 7,000	--0--	--0--
Contra Costa #259	\$ 2,500	--0--	--0--
Reno #281	\$ 3,500	\$ 1,000.00	--0--
San Mateo #392	\$ 3,500	\$ 2,000.00	\$2000.00
		\$39,198.36	\$31,498.36
Interest earned		\$ 2,171.73	
		\$41,370.09	
Remitted to St. Nicholas		\$38,000.00	
		\$ 3,370.09	
Printing Expense		- \$ 193.83	
		\$ 3,176.26	

Great Benefactors & Benefactors contributions by chapter:

Golden Gate Pacific #150	\$ 3750.00
Oakland #171	\$ 1750.00
Reno #281	\$ 1000.00
San Jose #251	\$ 500.00
Fresno #151	\$ 500.00
Sacramento #153	\$ 250.00
	\$7,750.00

SAN MATEO

53RD ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION - CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

1. WHEREAS, THE DISTRICT LODGE OF GOLDEN GATE DIST. #21 HAS EXTENDED TO THE DELEGATES AND VISITORS OF THIS 53RD ANNUAL CONVENTION OF GOLDEN GATE DISTRICT #21, ORDER OF AHEPA, THE FINEST AMERICAN AND HELLENIC HOSPITALITY;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, THE DELEGATES HEREIN ASSEMBLED, EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE TO THESE FINE PERSONS OF THIS AMERICAN-HELLENIC ORDER, LED BY DISTRICT GOVERNOR GEORGE MARMAS *MARMAS*

2. WHEREAS, THE HOST COMMITTEE, LED BY *LOU STAVAKOS* AND *BEULAH AND SISTER CAROLINE HARRIS* OF THE DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE AS CO-CHAIRPERSONS HAVE GIVEN US AN OUTSTANDING CONVENTION;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, THE DELEGATES HEREIN ASSEMBLED, EXPRESS OUR APPRECIATION THROUGH OUR CONVENTION CHAIRPERSONS FOR THEIR EXCELLENT PERFORMANCE, KINDNESS, HOSPITALITY, AND FRATERNAL SPIRIT.

3. WHEREAS, OUR DISTRICT GOVERNOR, GEORGE MARMAS AND HIS DISTRICT LODGE HAVE PERFORMED THEIR DUTIES IN AN EXEMPLARY FASHION AND IN THE FINEST TRADITION OF AHEPA;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT THEY BE HIGHLY COMMENDED FOR A JOB WELL DONE AND THAT THEY HAVE THE GRATITUDE AND HEARTFELT THANKS OF THIS CONVENTION.

4. WHEREAS, THE CONVENTION BUSINESS OFFICERS, CHAIRMAN *GEORGE MARGELUS* VICE-CHAIRMAN *BILL BOORIS* AND SECRETARY *BOB ELIPOULIS* HAVE PERFORMED THEIR TASKS WITH COMPETENCE, EFFICIENCY AND SINCERE SPIRIT;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT A GREAT NOTE OF THANKS BE, HERE AND NOW, OFFERED TO THESE FINE BROTHERS.

5. WHEREAS, VALUABLE PRINT AND AIR TIME WAS GIVEN GRATIS TO THE CONVENTION COMMITTEE PUBLICIZING OUR 53RD DISTRICT CONVENTION;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, THE DELEGATES HEREIN ASSEMBLED, EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE AND HEARTFELT THANKS TO THE EDITORS OF THE *MARIPASO SUN*, AND THE *MARIPASO LEADER*, THE AHEPA TRAVELER AND *SAN MATEO TIMES*, AND TELEVISION PROGRAM "WINGS OF GREECE"

6. Whereas, fourteen (14) years of age is too young for our male youth to join the Order of Sons of Pericles due to their lack of maturity, and

Whereas, the Order of Sons of Pericles needs experienced leadership beyond the present age limit;

Be it Resolved: that the age limits for the Order of Sons of Pericles be changed from fourteen (14) years of age to sixteen (16) years of age and to extend the age limit from Twenty three (23) years of age to Twenty-five (25) years of age with the requirement that each son must join the Order of Ahepa within six (6) months after he attains his Twenty first (21) birthday.

Be It Further Resolved: that this resolution be forwarded to the appropriate national Convention Committee for its consideration at the 1985 Boston National Convention of the Order of Ahepa.

Passed

Presented by Sons of Pericles Committee.

7. Whereas, the Order of Ahepa as a National and International Fraternal organization speak with one voice as to matters of concern of its membership, and

Whereas, independent action by individual Chapters acting on their own and presenting themselves as acting on behalf of all of our National and International memberships regarding these matters of concern is counter productive in presenting well reasoned and cohesive information on said matters,

Be It Resolved: that the Supreme Lodge of the Order of Ahepa instruct all officers and Chapters, in writing, that all decisions and dissemination of said decision, especially in the field of international relations shall be made by the Supreme Lodge or the Supreme Conventions of our Order, and

BE It Further Resolved: that said resolution be forwarded to our Supreme Lodge for implementation.

Approved

Presented by Grievance Committee.

Fraternally Submitted (Per-attached)

REPORT
OF
BUDGET COMMITTEE

THE BUDGET COMMITTEE OF THE SAN MATEO 53RD ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION MET ON JULY 5 AND 6, 1985.

THE COMMITTEE REVIEWED, IN DETAIL, A PROPOSED BUDGET SUBMITTED BY GOVERNOR GEORGE MARMAS AND HIS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. AFTER HEARING TESTIMONY FROM VARIOUS MEMBERS AND OFFICERS IT WAS DETERMINED THAT CERTAIN CHANGES WOULD BE REQUIRED IN ORDER TO PRESENT A BALANCED BUDGET.

ON REVENUE:

1. BUDGET SHOULD BE BASED ON 800 MEMBERS INSTEAD OF 850. Based on 850
2. ITEM 7 WAS ADDED IN ORDER TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL MONEY FOR THE SONS OF PERICLES BASKETBALL TEAM TO TRAVEL TO BOSTON FOR THE NATIONAL TOURNAMENT. Deleted

ON DISBURSEMENTS:

1. THE ADDITIONAL \$200 REQUESTED FOR THE GOVERNOR'S AND LT. GOVERNOR'S ALLOWANCE WAS CUT TO \$100 AND THE ADDITIONAL AMOUNT OF \$150 REQUESTED FOR THE GOVERNOR TO ATTEND THE NATIONAL CONGRESSIONAL BANQUET WAS DELETED. Passed
2. AN ADDITIONAL ITEM OF \$500 WAS ADDED IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FOR THE SON OF PERICLES REQUEST TO PROVIDE A PORTION OF THE APPROXIMATELY \$3000 REQUIRED TO SEND THEIR BASKETBALL TEAM TO BOSTON FOR THE NATIONAL FINALS. Passed
3. CUT COMPUTER SERVICE FROM \$150 TO \$50 SINCE NO MONIES WERE EXPENDED IN THE LAST YEAR THE ITEM IS RETAINED IN ORDER TO HOLD IT OPEN TO FUTURE CONSIDERATION AND REVIEW. Passed
4. ITEM 10 WAS CHANGED FROM REPRODUCTION OF CONVENTION MINUTES TO PHOTOCOPY SERVICE IN ORDER TO PROVIDE A LINE ITEM COSTS VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS FOR PHOTOCOPY SERVICE THAT HAVE BEEN OFFERED BY A MEMBER OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE. THE REQUEST WAS CUT FROM \$400 TO \$150. Budgeted \$300.00
5. ALL OTHER ITEMS WERE RETAINED AS PROPOSED. Passed
6. ON THE AHEPA TRAVELER BUDGET IT WAS DETERMINED THAT INCREASED COSTS IN PRINTING AND ADDRESSING SHOULD BE PROVIDED FOR. IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE ADDITIONAL REVENUE TO COVER THESE INCREASED COSTS IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE PER CAPITA TAX BE INCREASED BY 50¢ AND THAT THE DAUGHTERS PROVIDE AT LEAST 1/3 OF THE ASSESSMENT AMOUNT OR \$1200. No Increase in PCT Daughters asmt to remain at \$1,000.00

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

HARRY KALARGIROS, CHAIRMAN

ARNOLD R. DORER, VICE-CHAIRMAN

MEMBERS: SPIRON TENTES, SIMOS C. LEONIAIOS

ERNIE KOGEOXIES, CONSTANTINE FILIOS, NICHOLAS VAUURIS

Fraternally Submitted

1. Oliver Poulas
Citiz E. Rock, Chv.
Resolutions Committee

7/6/85

2. Henry F. Cook
member - Henry F. Cook

7/6/85

3. James F. Fotes
member - James Fotes

7/6/85

4. Stano Kalomiris
member - Stano Kalomiris

7/16/85

5. Dick Kaytan
member - Dick Kaytan

7/16/85

6. Nick Conti
member - Nick Conti

7/16/85

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			BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	
			1984-85	1984-85	1985-86	
1	<u>REVENUE FROM :</u>					
2						
3	1. PER CAPITA TAX - SUPREME LODGE		1500 =	1491.50	1500 =	
4	2. PER CAPITA TAX - DISTRICT ASSIGNMENT		850 =	829 =	850 =	
5	3. DIST CONV. PROCEEDS		650 =	666.28	500 =	
6	4. REBATES SUPREME CONV. DELEGATE		90 =	55 =	50 =	
7	5. RENO EXCURSION (50% SHARE)		--	--	300 =	
8	6. INTEREST - SAVINGS ACCOUNTS		1200 =	1200 =	1400 =	
9	7. CHARITY FUNDS		--	--		
10	8. OTHER:					
11	A)					
12	B)					
13	C)					
14						
15	TOTAL REVENUE		4390 =	4241.78	4600 =	
16						
17	<u>DISBURSEMENTS FOR:</u>					
18						
19	1. DIST GOV. NATL CONV. ALLOWANCE		600 =	600 =	700 =	
20	2. DIST GOV. DIST. ALLOWANCE		600 =	600 =	700 =	
21	3. LT. DIST GOV. ALLOWANCE		225 =	225 =	250 =	
22	4. DISTRICT LODGE OFFICERS		1365 =	1170 =	1365 =	
23	5. DISTRICT AUDITOR ALLOWANCE		125 =	125 =	125 =	
24	6. SHARE OF PROCEEDS ASSIGNMENT		800 =	800 =	800 =	
25	7. DIST. GOV. PIN + PLAQUE		60 =	182 =	100 =	
26	8. POSTAGE		100 =	54.75	75 =	
27	9. STATIONERY & SUPPLIES		140 =	109.49	125 =	
28	10. REPRODUCTION OF CONV. MINUTES (PHOTOCOPYING)		300 =	763.60	300 =	
29	11. TELEPHONE		100 =	330.11	200 =	
30	12. COMPUTER SERVICE COSTS		200 =	--	50 =	
31	13. DISTRICT CONV. AGENDA		--	38.76	40 =	
32	14. MISCELLANEOUS		100 =	42.35	100 =	
33	15. OTHER:					
34	A) SHARE OF PERICKS BASKETBALL TRAVEL		--	--	500 =	
35	B) P.R. EXPENSE - (PROMOTE AHEPA)				100 =	
36	C)					
37	TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		4715 =	5404.12	5530 =	
38						
39	SURPLUS (DEFICIT)		(425 =)	(1162.34)	(930 =)	
40						

Based on 850 Members -

① NEW ITEM

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GENERAL FUND BUDGET 1985-86

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	1	2	3	4	5	6
			BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	
			1985-86	1984-85	1985-86	
1	<u>REVENUE FROM:</u>					
2						
3	1.	Assessments - DISTRICT LODGE ①	2125 =	2005 =	2125 =	
4	2.	Assessments - DTR of Peninsula	1000 =	1000 =	1000 =	
5	3.	ADVERTISING	1000 =	64098	1000 =	
6	4.	RAFFLE (NOT PROCEEDS)	- 0 -			
7						
8						
9						
10		TOTAL:	4125 =	364598	4125 =	
11						
12						
13						
14						
15	<u>DISBURSEMENTS FUN:</u>					
16						
17	1.	PRINTING EXPENSE ②	3100 =	3579 =	3380 =	
18	2.	ALLOWANCE - EDITOR	125 =	125 =	125 =	
19	3.	ALLOWANCE - CIRCULATION MGR	100 =	100 =	100 =	
20	4.	ADDRESSING	200 =	45331	460 =	
21	5.	MAILING	450 =	50259	500 =	
22	6.	RAFFLE PRIOR YEAR	- 0 -			
23						
24						
25		TOTAL	3975 =	470190	4565 =	
26						
27		SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)	150 =	(105492)	(440 =)	
28						
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33	FOOTNOTES					
34						
35	①	BASED ON 870 MEMBERS				
36	②	BASED ON 4 (FUN) AUTHORIZED ISSUES				
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TRAVELER FUND BUDGET 1985-86

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