



# OFFICIAL PROGRAM

30th ANNUAL CONVENTION

KANSAS CONGRESS OF  
PARENTS AND TEACHERS

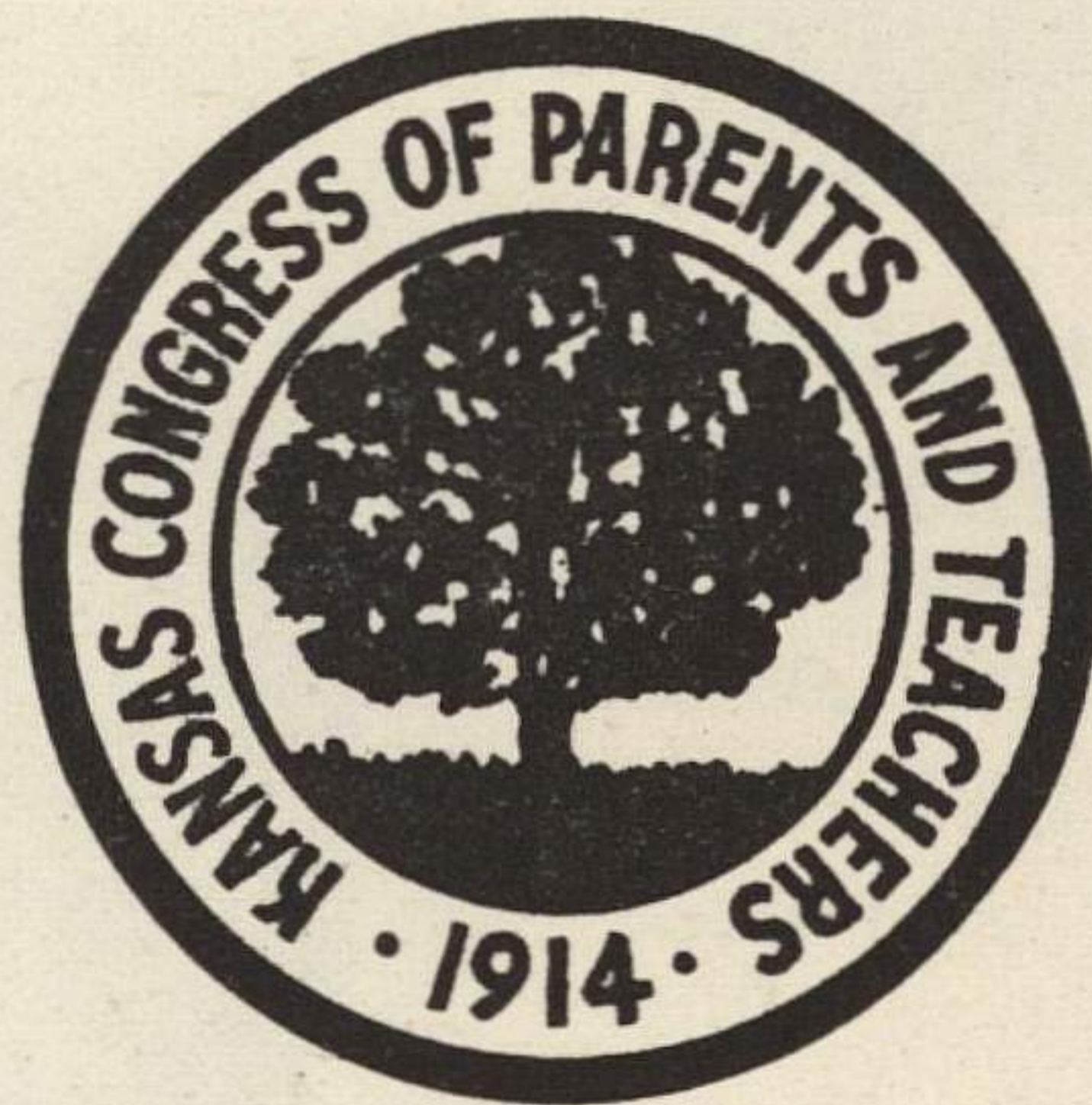
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Thirtieth Annual State Convention

of the

KANSAS CONGRESS OF  
PARENTS AND TEACHERS



EMPORIA, KANSAS

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HEADQUARTERS BROADVIEW HOTEL



**Mrs. William A. Hastings,  
National First Vice-President**



**Mrs. E. W. Emery, Atchison  
President, Kansas Congress  
Parents and Teachers**

# *Program*

Theme of Convention

“Better Home Life For A Stronger America”

## **FIRST GENERAL SESSION**

**WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, Junior High School**

**Presiding—Mrs. Byron Goodwin, President Emporia Council and Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President**

**2:30 p. m.**

Music—Emporia High School Orchestra,  
Director, Ormand Parker.

**2:45 p. m.**

Processional—State Board.  
Pledge to the Flag—National Anthem.  
Invocation—Rev. Claude Large,  
First Christian Church, Emporia.  
Greetings—O. G. Rindom, Mayor of Emporia.  
Greetings—W. M. Richards, Supt. of Schools,  
Emporia.  
Greetings—Mrs. Byron Goodwin, President, Em-  
poria Council.  
Response—Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President,  
Atchison.  
Business Session:  
Reports of Convention Committees:  
Rules—Mrs. W. R. Loder, First Vice-President.  
Presentation of Program—Mrs. Leroy Arnold,  
Seventh Vice-President.

**3:30 p. m.**

Address—“For Such A Time As This”—  
The Rev. Orlo Choguill, First Presbyterian  
Church of Emporia.

**4:00 p. m.**

Announcements.

## SECOND GENERAL SESSION

WEDNESDAY EVENING—Kansas State Teachers College

Presiding—Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

8:00 p. m.

Music—The Faculty String Trio,  
Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia.

Invocation—Rev. Paul Barker,  
First Baptist Church, Emporia.

8:15 p. m.

Address—"The Seed of the Future"—  
Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress of  
Parents and Teachers, First Vice-President.

9:00 p. m.

Reception for Mrs. William Hastings, and Mrs.  
E. W. Emery in the Student Union Building.  
Courtesy of the Faculty Clubs of Emporia City  
Schools and the Teachers College.  
Platform Guests—Executive Committee.

## THURSDAY MORNING—Junior High School

8:00 to 9:30 a. m.

### District Meetings

District 1—Rear of Auditorium.  
District 2—Room 203.  
District 3—Room 204.  
District 4—Room 205.  
District 5—Room 209.  
District 6—Balcony of Auditorium.  
District 7—Room 211.  
District 8—Room 212.  
District 9—Room 213.  
District 10—Library, Room 207.  
District 11—Room 301.  
District 12—Room 302.  
District 13—Room 303.  
District 14—Room 305.  
District 15—Room 308.  
District 17—Room 309.

## THIRD GENERAL SESSION

THURSDAY MORNING—Junior High School

Presiding, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

9:45 a. m.

Music—Assembly Singing.

Director, Marshall Randel.

Accompanist, Mrs. A. E. Buck.

Devotions—"The Great Parade"—

Mrs. George Winters, Fourth Vice-President.

10:00 a. m.

Business Session:

Report of Nominating Committee,  
Mrs. D. D. Harbaugh, Chairman.

Report of State Treasurer, W. T. Markham.

Report of Credentials Committee,  
Mrs. G. Goodson Wright, Chairman.

10:30 a. m.

Address—"Recreation"—

Dr. Forrest C. Allen, University of Kansas,  
Lawrence, State Chairman of Recreation.

11:00 a. m.

Panel—"Recreational Possibilities for Busy Days."

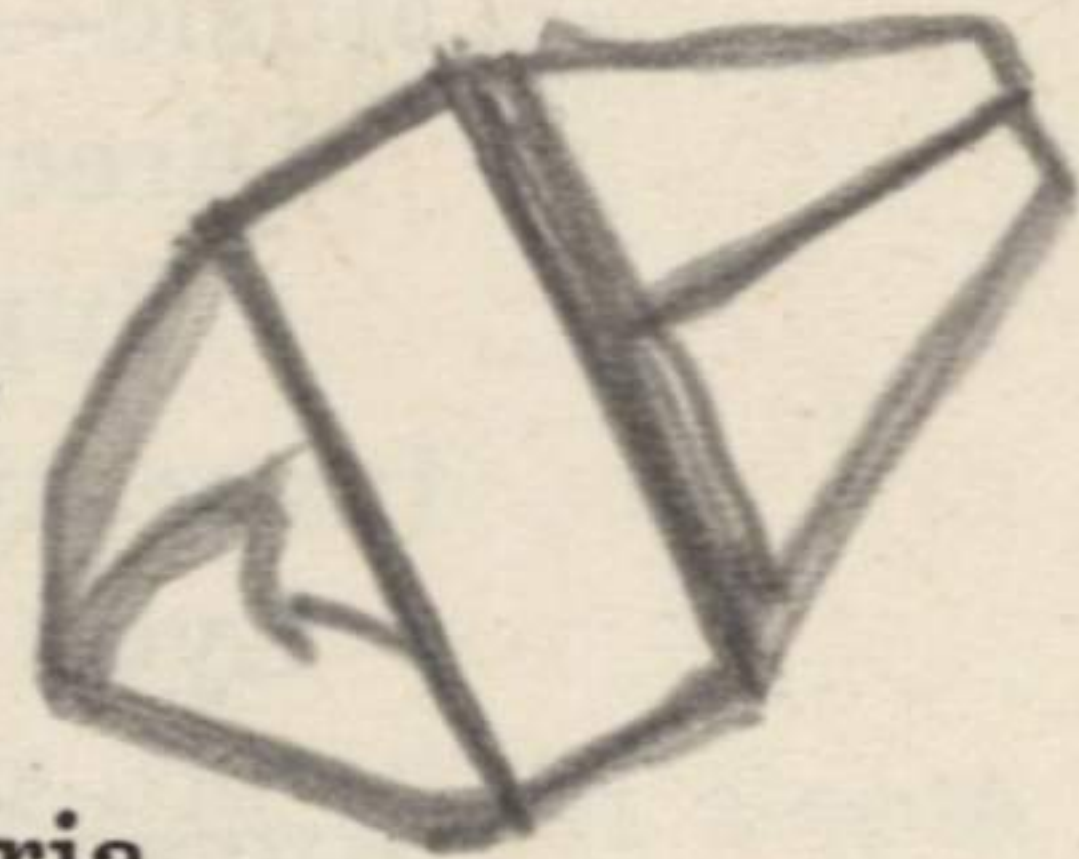
Leader—Harry Dawdy, State Chairman of  
Juvenile Protection.

Home—Dr. Forrest C. Allen.

School—Harry Dawdy.

Church—Rev. Hugh B. Fouke,  
First Methodist Church.

Community—Barclay Bond,  
Secretary, Y. M. C. A. Emporia.



11:50 a. m.

Penny Parade for Student Aid.

Explanation by Mrs. H. C. McVey.

Leader—Mrs. Leo Markowitz, Emporia.

Platform Guests—State Chairmen.

## LUNCHEON HOUR

12:00 p. m.

**Elementary School, Grill Room, Broadview Hotel.**  
Chairman, Mrs. A. D. Lowe, Tenth District  
Director.

Co-Chairman—Mrs. Elmer Smith, Emporia.

Music—Solo

Miss Barbara West, Senior High School,  
Music Department.

Invocation—Mrs. Charles Beals, Emporia.

“The P.T.A. and The Schools as Co-Educationists,”  
Miss Delore Gammon,  
Elementary School Supervisor, Emporia.

**Junior-Senior High School—Mitway Hotel,**  
Chairman, W. M. Richards, Third Vice-Pres.  
Co-Chairman, Mrs. S. A. Wagner, Emporia.

Music—Girls' Trio—Senior High School.

“How The Parent Teacher Association Can Fit  
Into the School Vocational Guidance Program,”  
W. T. Markham, State Board of Vocational  
Education, Topeka.

“How The Parent Teacher Association Can Fit Into  
the School's Educational Guidance Program,”  
Hugh Brogan, Associate Principal, Emporia  
Senior High School.

**Rural School—Blue Room, Broadview Hotel,**  
Chairman, Mrs. William Downs, Sixth Vice-  
President.

Co-Chairman, Mrs. Wilbur Davis, Emporia.

Music—Logan Avenue School Chorus,  
Director, Niles Moffat, Rural School Music  
Supervisor.

Invocation—Fred Smith, County Superintendent,  
Lyon County.

“Rural Service”—Mrs. Adah Cain, Department of  
Education, Topeka, Kansas.

“National Parent-Teacher”—Mrs. Jesse Wire,  
Kansas City,

“Library Service In the Rural Areas”—  
Miss Helen Wagstaff, University of Kansas,  
Lawrence.

## FOURTH GENERAL SESSION

THURSDAY AFTERNOON—Junior High School

Presiding—Mrs. W. R. Loder, First Vice-President and Mrs.  
E. W. Emery, State President

2:00 p. m.

Music—Women's Quartette, College of Emporia.  
Invocation—Rev. Ernest Tonsing,  
St. Mark's Lutheran Church.

Business Session:

Reports—

State President—Mrs. E. W. Emery.

National Parent-Teacher—Mrs. Jesse Wire,  
Chairman.

Kansas Parent-Teacher—Mrs. J. W. Oursler,  
Editor.

Emblems—Mrs. Glen Steven, State Chairman.

2:30 p. m.

Address—"Our Students and Tomorrow's World,"  
Miss Julia Emery, Wichita, State Chairman,  
International Relations.

3:00 p. m.

Address—"Problems of Citizenship in Wartime,"  
Dr. David L. McFarlane, State Teachers Col-  
lege of Emporia.

3:45 p. m.

Discussion.

Platform Guests—Council Presidents.

4:00 p. m.

Mother Singers Rehearsal.

Shopping Hour.

6:00 p. m.

CONVENTION DINNER—Broadview Hotel, Grill Room

Presiding, W. T. Markham, State Treasurer

Invocation—Mr. W. M. Richards, Emporia.

Music—Girls' Glee Club, Senior High School.

String Trio, Senior High School.

Address—Mr. Glenn Archer, State Teachers As-  
sociation, Topeka.

Introductions.

**FIFTH GENERAL SESSION**  
**THURSDAY EVENING, Junior High School**  
**Presiding, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President**

**8:00 p. m.**

Mother Singers—Mr. Otis J. Mumaw, State Music Chairman, Parsons.

Solo—Mr. Mumaw.

Invocation—Rev. Stephen Williams,  
First Congregational Church, Emporia.

**8:30 p. m.**

Address—"Better Home Life For A Stronger America"—

Dr. John Rufi, President of the University of Missouri.

**SIXTH GENERAL SESSION**  
**FRIDAY MORNING—Junior High School**  
**Presiding, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President**

**9:00 a. m.**

Music—Junior High Girls' Glee Club,  
Director, Mrs. Corrine Snow.

Devotions—Mrs. A. D. Lowe, Tenth District Director, "A Parable For Mothers."

Business Session:

Reports.

Election Teller, Mrs. John E. Beck.

Penny Parade For Student Aid, Mrs. H. C. McVey.

**9:20 a. m.**

Address—"The Secondary Schools Billed For Tomorrow"—

Principal L. W. Brooks, Wichita High School East.

**10:00 a. m.**

Symposium—"The P.T.A. in Wartime."

Leader, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President.

Program—Mrs. Leroy Arnold.

Publications—Mrs. J. W. Oursler.

Membership—Mrs. G. Goodson Wright.

Summer Round-Up—Mrs. Matt Scherer.

Publicity—Mrs. D. D. Harbaugh.

Homemaking—Mrs. Lucile Rust.

Summary—Mrs. William Hastings.

**11:30 a. m.**

Discussion.

Platform Guests—District Directors.

## FRIDAY NOON

12:00 p. m. to 2:00 p. m.

**AWARDS LUNCHEON**—Grill Room, Broadview Hotel.

Presiding, Mrs. George Winters, Fourth Vice-President and  
Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

Invocation—Mrs. A. E. Buck, Emporia.

Music—Novachord, Bert Harrison.

Treble Clef Club, Kansas State Teachers College,  
Director, Miss Catherine Strouse.

Achievement Awards Report:

Membership—Mrs. G. Goodson Wright.

Standard Units—Mrs. E. E. Miller.

Parent-Teacher Courses—Mrs. Leo Stewart.

Safety—Dr. Irma Gene Nevins.

Reading—Miss Helen Wagstaff.

Assembly Singing,

Leader—Miss Edith Bunch.

Accompanist—Mrs. Barclay Bond.

Invitations to 1944 Convention.

Report of Credential Committee,

Mrs. G. Goodson Wright, Chairman.

Award of Silver Loving Cups.

Penny Parades for Student Aid.

Life Memberships.

Installation of Officers—Mrs. William Hastings,  
National First Vice-President.

Minutes.

Closing—Parent-Teacher Prayer, in Unison.

### PARENT-TEACHER PRAYER

Heavenly Father—

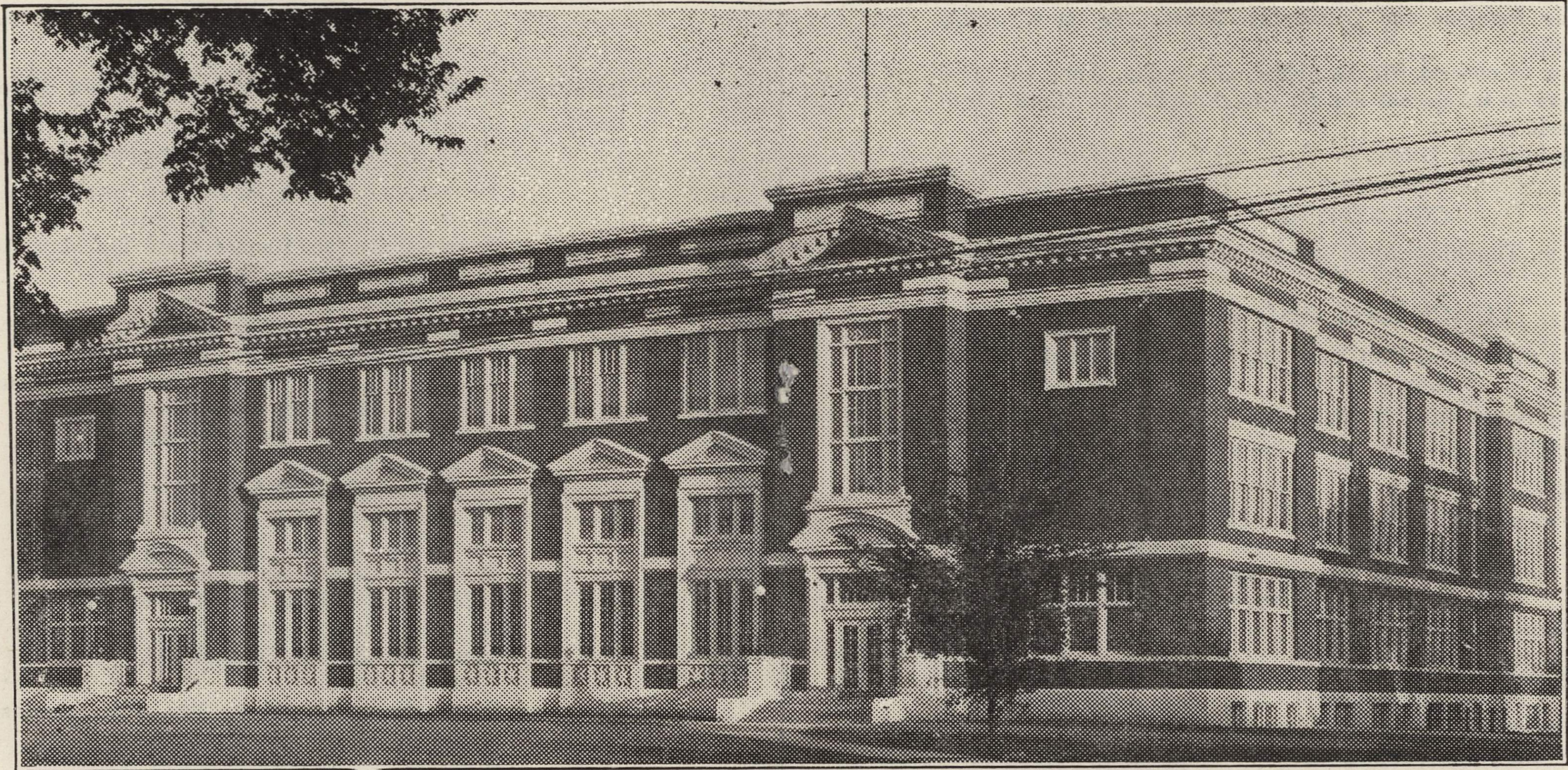
We come to Thee for wisdom to understand our children  
and patience to live, work, and share our lives with them.

Grant us power to guard their health, education, recrea-  
tion, and spiritual development and to make them strong in  
body, mind and heart.

Teach us to love our neighbor, that our children may  
learn tolerance and that there may be peace among nations.

Free us from fear, that our courage may make our  
homes a haven of security for those we love.

Strengthen us to endure whatever hardship and sacrifice  
may come, and in Thy good time lift us from the burden  
of war.



**JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL, EMPORIA, KANSAS**

Fill our hearts with faith that to our loved ones in service Thou wilt be a refuge; to our flag, a promise; to our country a fortress.

Consecrate us to our tasks, and bless us that we may bless all children everywhere.

**GOD BLESS AMERICA**

God bless America, land that I love.  
 Stand beside her and guide her,  
 Thru' the night with a light from above.  
 From the mountains to the prairies,  
 To the ocean, white with foam.  
 God bless America, my home sweet home.  
 God bless America, my home sweet home.

**TAPS**

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Registration—Board Members—Lobby, Broadview Hotel.

Tuesday, April 13, 2:00 p. m. to 4:00 p.m.

Registration—Junior High School, East Lobby.

Wednesday, April 14, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 15, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Friday, April 16, 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Registration Fee—\$1.00—Delegates must present 1942-43 membership cards.

Tickets for Luncheons and Convention Dinner and Teas should be secured at time of registration.

Breakfast .50c Luncheon .85c Convention Dinner \$1.25.

General Sessions will be held in the Junior High School Auditorium and State Teachers College.

Evening Sessions and Convention Dinner are open to the public.

Election of officers will be held on Thursday, April 15. Officers to be elected are Second, Fourth, and Sixth Vice-Presidents.

Voting in South Lobby.

## CONVENTION DINNER

6:00 p.m. Thursday, April 15—Broadview Hotel—Grill Room.

## LUNCHEONS AND BREAKFASTS

7:00 to 8:15 a.m.—Unit Presidents' Breakfast, Grill Room, Broadview Hotel. Thursday, April 15.

Chairman—Mrs. W. R. Loder.

Co-Chairman—Mrs. H. G. Duckett.

### Program—

Invocation—Prayer Song by all.

Talks—Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress.

Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President.

Mrs. Leo Stewart, Parent-Teacher Courses.

Discussion—"Presidents' Problems."

7:00 to 8:15 a.m.—State Chairmen's Breakfast, Blue Room, Broadview Hotel. Thursday, April 15.

Chairman—Mrs. C. B. Sherwood.

Co-Chairman—Mrs. L. M. Welsh.

### Program—

Invocation—Mrs. L. M. Welsh.

Talk—Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress.

Discussion—"Have You An Idea For Us?"

7:00 to 8:15 a.m.—Council Presidents' Breakfast, Blue Room, Broadview Hotel. Friday, April 16.

Chairman—Mrs. E. T. Beck.

Co-Chairman—Mrs. A. G. Eldred.

### Program—

Invocation by Mrs. A. G. Eldred.

Greetings and Introductions, Mrs. Byron Goodwin.

Welcome—Mrs. E. T. Beck.

Talks—Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress.

Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President.

Discussion—"How Can A Parent-Teacher Council Help?"

## **Schedule of Meetings of State Board**

### **BROADVIEW HOTEL—Tuesday, April 13**

4:30 p.m.—Executive Committee Meeting—2nd Floor.

9:00 p.m.—Pre-Convention Board Meeting—Blue Room.

### **Wednesday, April 14**

9:00 a.m.—Pre-Convention Board Meeting—Blue Room.

### **Friday, April 16**

2:30 p.m.—Post Convention Board Meeting—Blue Room.

District Directors' Conference and Luncheon, Tuesday,  
April 13, 10:00 a.m., Broadview Hotel—2nd Floor.

## **CONVENTION COMMITTEES**

General Chairman—Mrs. Byron Goodwin, Emporia.

General Vice-Chairman—Mrs. A. E. Buck, Emporia.

Presentation of Program—Mrs. Leroy Arnold, Fort Leavenworth.

Convention Rules—Mrs. W. R. Loder, Hutchinson.

Credentials Committee:

Mrs. G. Goodson Wright, Chairman, Newton.

Mrs. Wallace Bitler, Emporia.

Mrs. J. E. McGaffin, Emporia.

Mrs. Sidney Hoard, Emporia.

Mrs. Paul Wells, Emporia.

Mrs. C. B. Sherwood, Hugoton.

Registration Committee:

Hugh Brogan, Chairman, Emporia.

Mrs. Max Williamson, Emporia.

Mrs. Gomer R. Jones, Emporia.

Mrs. J. W. Oursler, Wichita.

Exhibits Committee:

Mrs. D. D. Harbaugh, Chairman, Coffeyville.

Mrs. Glen Anderson, Emporia.

Miss Ruth McKee, Emporia.

Mrs. E. E. Gadbery, Emporia.

Conventions News:

Mrs. D. D. Harbaugh, Chairman, Coffeyville.

Herbert James, Emporia.

Mrs. J. W. Oursler, Wichita.

**Tellers:**

Mrs. John E. Beck, Chairman, Emporia.  
Mrs. J. A. Hoch, Emporia.  
F. E. Smith, Emporia.  
Mrs. Wm. Lovett, McPherson.  
Mrs. E. T. Beck, Dwight.

**Timekeeper:**

A. K. Ramy, Emporia.

### **LOCAL COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN**

Housing—Mrs. C. F. Knouse.  
Transportation—Mrs. A. L. Carlson.  
Hospitality—Mrs. Wilford Riegle.  
Conference and District Meeting—Mrs. D. D. Starling.  
Election Arrangements—Mrs. John E. Beck.  
Processional and Penny Parade—Mrs. Leo Markowitz.  
Platform Arrangements—Mrs. F. A. Knoepple and Mrs.  
J. W. Herron.  
Music—Mrs. L. E. Barry.  
Invocations—Mrs. Wood Bloxam.  
Breakfasts—Mrs. A. H. Thomas.  
Group Luncheons—Mrs. S. A. Wagner.  
Awards Luncheon—Mrs. Elmer Siedhoff.  
Courtesy Dinner—Mrs. R. D. Marsh.  
Convention Dinner—Mrs. P. R. Woodbury.  
Finance—Mrs. Herbert R. James.  
Radio—Mrs. K. A. Hoffmans.  
Pages and Ushers—Miss Hope Vandever and Miss Vada  
Faye Crawford.  
Tickets—

### **KANSAS CONGRESS OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS 1943 CONVENTION RULES**

1. Delegates must present credential cards and register at the Registration desk in the Junior High School promptly, where, upon payment of \$1.00 fee, badges will be issued.
2. Sessions will begin promptly at the hour announced and delegates are requested to be prompt at all sessions.
3. Order must be kept at all times.

4. No delegate shall represent more than one congress unit.
5. Delegates will be admitted and seated only between numbers on program.
6. A delegate speaking from the floor shall, when addressing the Chair, give name in full and name the city and unit represented.
7. Motions, when requested by the presiding officer, must immediately be presented in writing.
8. A delegate may not speak more than two minutes on any question under discussion nor more than twice upon the same question, without the consent of the convention body.
9. No delegate shall give an interview on the work of the Kansas Congress. All publicity shall be under the supervision of the Convention Publicity Chairman.
10. No announcements shall be made unless they are first approved by the President, Mrs. E. W. Emery.
11. No literature may be distributed in connection with the convention without the permission of the Executive Committee.
12. Speakers must conform strictly to rulings of the time-keeper.
13. Delegates unable to hear the speaker shall raise their right hands.
14. In order to vote at the election Thursday, April 15, all voting delegates must be registered by 10:00 a.m. at which time the polling list for the election of officers will be closed. The polling place for the election of officers shall be opened at 11:45 a.m., and shall close at 5:00 p.m.
15. Officers, standing committee chairmen, chairmen of round-tables and other chairmen must file a written report with the recording secretary, Mrs. Ben McCamant.  
Mrs. W. R. Loder.

### **National Congress of Parents and Teachers**

National Office—600 S. Michigan Boulevard,  
Chicago, Illinois.

President—Mrs. William Kletzer, 3146 N. E. 10th Ave.,  
Portland, Oregon.

## **Kansas Congress of Parents and Teachers**

State Office, Suite No. 9, Blair Bldg., Atchison, Kansas

President—Mrs. E. W. Emery, Atchison.

1st Vice-President, Mrs. W. R. Loder, Hutchinson.

2nd Vice-President—Mrs. E. E. Miller, Parsons.

3rd Vice-President—W. M. Richards, Emporia.

4th Vice-President—Mrs. G. Winters, Wichita.

5th Vice-President—Mrs. C. B. Sherwood, Hugoton.

6th Vice-President—Mrs. Wm. Downs, Hays.

7th Vice-President—Mrs. Leroy Arnold, Fort Leavenworth.

Secretary—Mrs. Ben McCamant, Wichita.

Treasurer—W. T. Markham, Topeka.

### **P. T. A. WARTIME PLEDGE**

We, the Members of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, in defense of our beloved country and our country's most sacred heritage and responsibility, her growing sons and daughters, do hereby solemnly pledge ourselves, individually and as an organization.

● TO REMEMBER with reverence and love the ideals of our Founders, who cherished above all else the welfare of the whole child;

● TO CONTINUE with zeal and devotion our efforts to secure and preserve the good life for all children, even in the face of war and disaster;

● TO PERSEVERE in discovering new avenues of service and help to youth;

● TO STRIVE forever forward, counting no effort wasted that brings us a little nearer to the ideal of a world founded on the principle of human brotherhood;

● TO PROTECT our children against all the dangers of war, whether those dangers be physical, mental, or spiritual; and

● TO KEEP THE FAITH delivered unto us by our forefathers, who hewed this America out of the wilderness and dedicated it to liberty, justice, happiness, and truth for every human being.

## KANSAS P. T. A. SONG

1. In the heart of good old U. S. A.  
We are here to stay, Kansas P. T. A.  
Parents, Teachers go hand in hand  
For we have the best in the land.

### CHORUS

We're the Kansas Parents, Teachers,  
On the job we'd have you know,  
Oh it's onward, upward trying  
with a smile  
To equip for our nation, lads  
and lassies worth your while.  
Kansas Parents, Kansas Teachers,  
Always tried and true  
We'll work in love and harmony  
for aye  
Always we'll stand by you.

2. For child welfare there we take  
our stand  
We're a mighty band, in our sunny land  
Better, higher our goal will be  
School and home and community.

### Tune: SMILES

There are schools that make us happy,  
There are schools that make us blue,  
There are schools that make a boy  
play hookey,  
Just as much as studies ever do  
There are schools that seem to smile  
and meet you,  
Where the sunbeams always seem to play,  
Where the parent's harmony with teachers  
Proves they have a P. T. A.

## SERVICE (Moonlight and Roses)

Service for others

The P. T. A. Slogan should be  
Helping each member

The beauty of life to see  
Sharing our blessing

Brings golden dreams sparkling anew  
Service for others

Brings joy deep and true.

## BATTLE HYMN FOR CHILDREN

(Battle Hymn of the Republic)

Our eyes may catch the vision of  
a line against the sky;

Hundreds, thousands of our boys and  
girls, an army trampling by!

Hear their challenge, Parent-

Teacher? It's a lusty one they cry!  
These children marching on.

### Refrain

Glory! Glory! Halleluyah!

Glory! Glory! Halleluyah!

Glory! Glory! Halleluyah!

Our Children Marching on.

Let us ring aloud our watchword,  
"Young America be strong!"

Be the bulwark of a nation! Be  
the force to right her wrong!

Parents-Teachers pledge their  
loyalty, their love for your song,  
Our children, marching on.

### Refrain

Glory! Glory! Halleluyah!

Glory! Glory! Halleluyah!

Glory! Glory! Halleluyah!

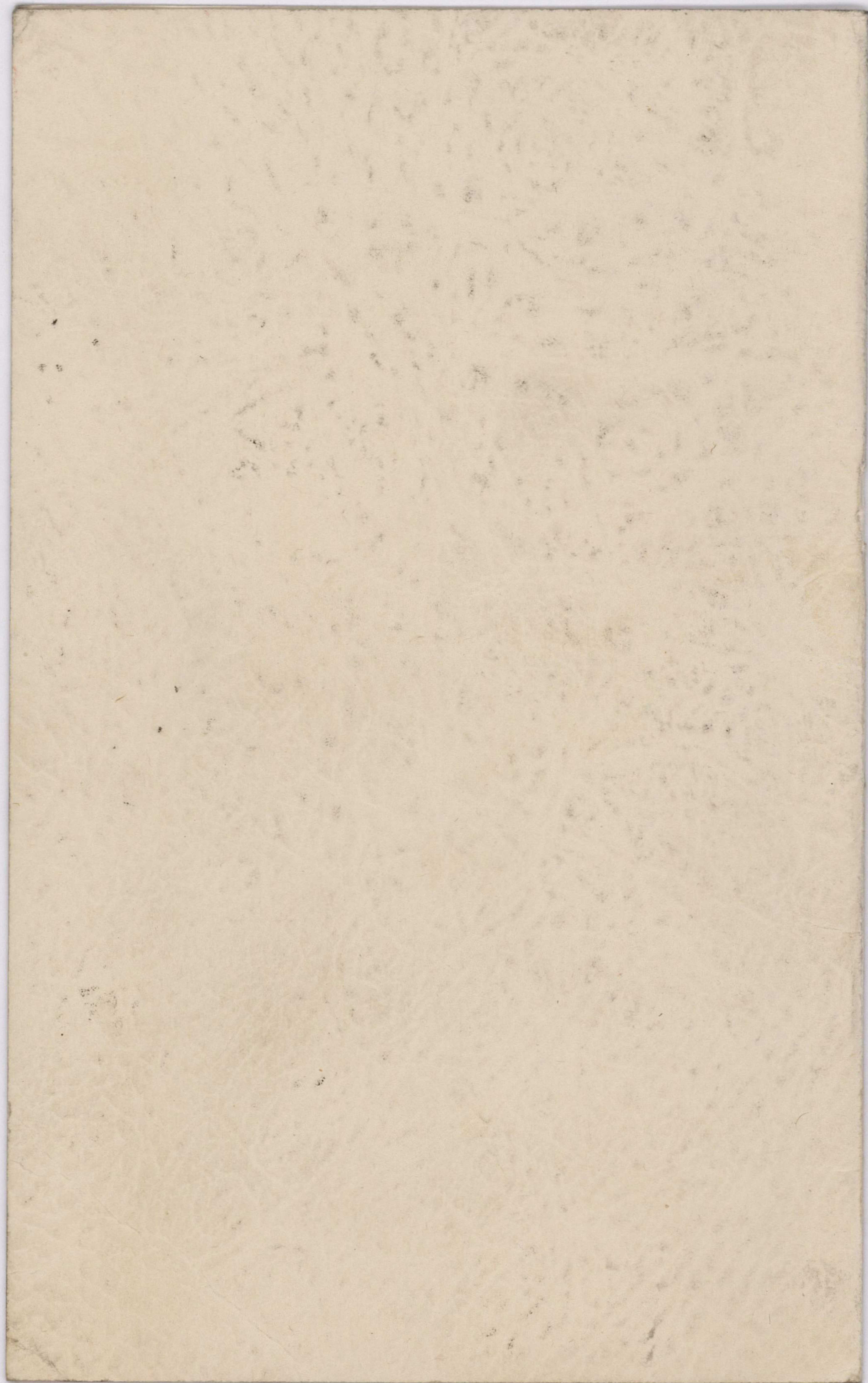
Americans! March on!

## THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

O say, can you see by the dawn's early light  
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous  
fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watch'd, were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.  
O say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?  
On the shore dimly seen through the mists of the deep,  
Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes,  
What is that which the breeze, o'er the towering steep,  
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?  
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,  
In full glory reflected now shines on the stream.  
'Tis the star-spangled banner—O long may it wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.  
O thus be it e'er when freemen shall stand  
Between their lov'd home and the war's desolation!  
Blest with vict'ry and peace may the heav'n rescued land  
Praise the Pow'r that hath made and preserved us a nation!  
Then conquer we must when our cause it is just,  
And this be our motto—"In God is our trust."  
And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.  
—From "The Star-Spangled Banner" by Francis Scott Key.

## NOTES

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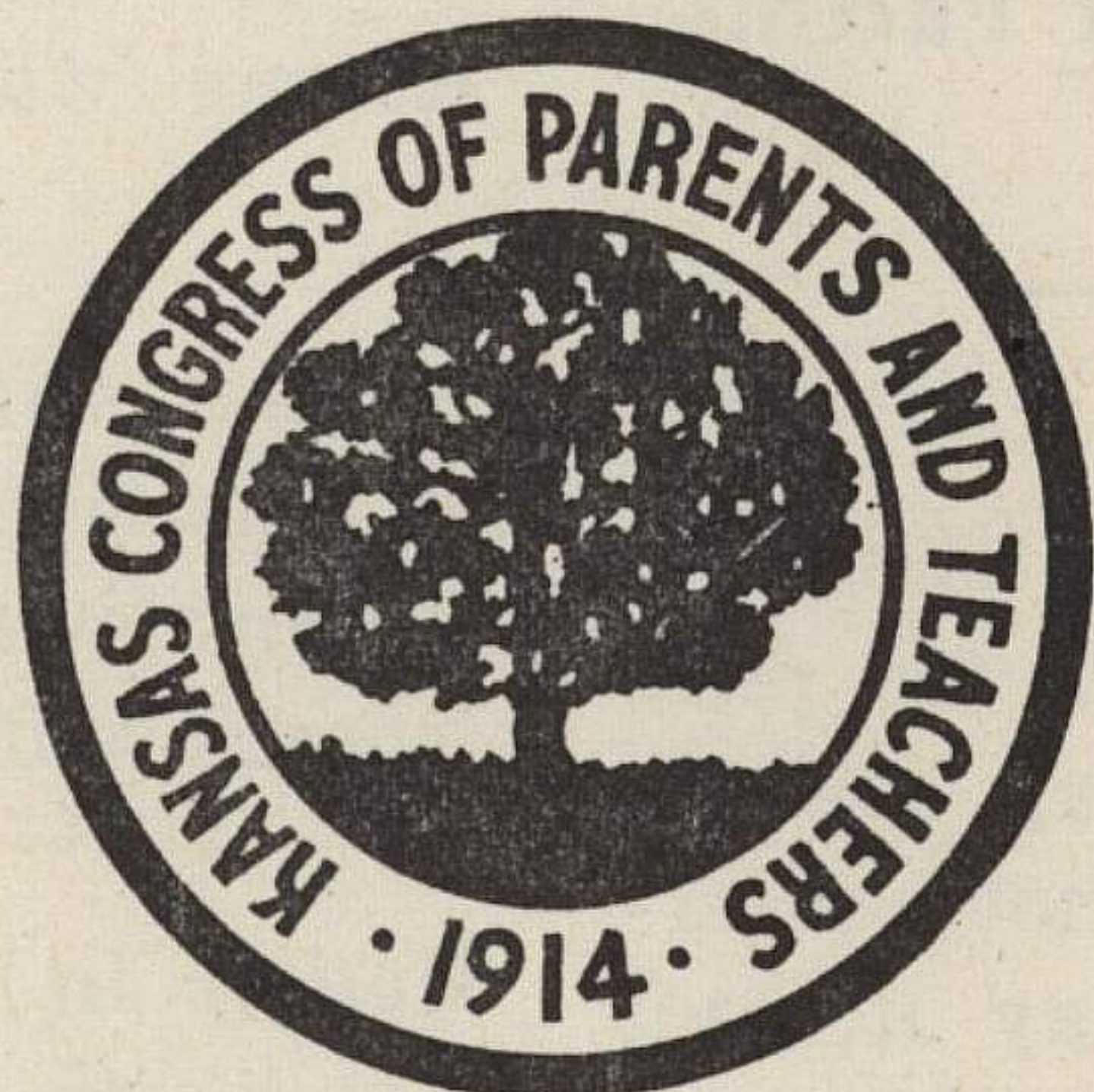
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### OFFICE NOTES

Have you sent in the name of your newly elected president for 1943-44? If not, please do so immediately, as this is very important.

Credentials were mailed March 16, with a form letter of explanation, to all units. If you wish to send more delegates to convention than you have cards for, please write the State Office for their credentials.

Have you qualified for a Safety Certificate? If so, send your report to the state office.

Reports for Reading Certificates should be mailed to Miss Helen Wagstaff, University of Kansas, Lawrence.

### MOTHERSINGERS

#### Standing Rules

January 6, 1937—June 26, 1942. Mothersingers to be allowed to sing on the Convention Program must be a parent-teacher member, must hold a regular voting or visiting delegate's card (\$1.00) or a day's visitor's card (35c), must attend the convention at least one day, and must have rehearsed with the rest of the Mothersingers at the specified time.

The three numbers to be sung at the convention by the Mothersingers will be in this order—

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  - Serenade . . . . . Romberg
  - The Lord's Prayer . . . . . Mallote
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## President's Message

This year the 30th Annual Convention of the Kansas Congress of Parents and Teachers will be held in Emporia, April 14-15-16. The convention has been planned so that it will be one large working group, rather than a number of smaller conferences. The individual delegate will therefore be able to take back to his unit a full measure of information, material and inspiration for next year's important work. The convention has been placed in the middle of the week as requested by the government and we hope to justify every mile it takes to get us there and home again.

Parent-teacher workers need a convention more than ever this year to plan for all types of study classes, to discuss questions on nutrition, work out recreation programs and other problems essential to the war effort. The past months have been critical ones for our organization. As Mrs. Kletzer, our National President has said, "Today there are greater hazards than any we have known and from these we must protect our children. Physical danger, emotional strain and exploitations, and neglect of children are grim and unrelenting partners of every war."

Through your reports sent to the State Office and in visiting various units I learn of the splendid volunteer service our members are contributing to the war effort. We have established free milk and hot lunch programs, aided needy children, promoted better health through the immunization and Summer Round-Up programs, we have collected many pints of blood plasma, and have helped educate ourselves and the public through our nutrition and home nursing classes. Many hours have been given in our communities with the rationing program. We are putting into practice our training for parenthood, classes in child care, and parent education. While we are helping to win the war, today, we are not losing sight of the fact that we are molding citizens of tomorrow.

I trust that every district will be well represented at the convention and that our members there will pass on to those unable to attend, much inspiration for next year's work.

Sincerely,  
Helen Emery.

Religion, morality, and knowledge being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall be forever encouraged. —Ordinance of 1787.

Sunday is the golden clasp that binds the volume of the week. —Emerson.



Mrs. E. W. Emery, Atchison,  
President Kansas Congress of Parents  
and Teachers

### VALUE THE PRESENT

Today is your day and mine, the only day we have, the day in which we play our part. What our part may signify in the great whole we may not understand; but we are here to play it, and now is our time. This we know: It is a part of action, not of whining. It is a part of love, not cynicism. It is for us to express love in terms of human helpfulness.  
—David Starr Jordan.

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# N. C. P. T.

Notice: The address of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers is 600 South Michigan Boulevard, Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Jesse Wire, Chairman



Is your association still without a subscription copy of the National Parent-Teacher? If so, will you do something about it as soon as possible?

Each local association should have at least three subscriptions to the National magazine, one for the president, one for the principal's office and one for circulation among members of the executive committee.

Only when every P.T.A. has a copy coming each month, will our National Wartime program be one hundred per cent effective. Will you make an extra effort now to have your association purchase these subscriptions, so that vital information may reach your unit.

The National Parent-Teacher is the official magazine of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

## NATIONAL NOMINATING REPORT

In accordance with the national "Policies and Procedures," the committee to nominate officers for the National Congress of Parents and Teachers for 1943 wishes to submit the following list of nominees who have signified their willingness to serve if elected:

### President—

Mrs. James K. Lytle  
Los Angeles, California

### First Vice-President—

Mrs. L. W. Hughes  
Arlington, Tennessee

### Secretary—

Mrs. H. S. Klein  
Huntington, West Virginia

### Treasurer—

Mr. J. W. Faust  
East Orange, New Jersey

### Committee to nominate officers:

Mrs. Warren L. Mabrey  
Mrs. Roger Scott  
Mrs. Benjamin Kendrigan  
Mr. J. W. Faust  
Mrs. L. H. Gibbs, Chairman

## NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE TO STATE CONVENTION EMPORIA, KANSAS, APRIL 14-15-16, 1943



Mrs. William A. Hastings,  
National First Vice-President

Mrs. James K. Lytle, of Los Angeles, Calif., today was nominated for the presidency of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, parent body of the nation's 28,000 parent-teacher associations with 2,685,000 members.

Other nominees include Mrs. L. W. Hughes, of Arlington, Tenn., for first vice-president; Mrs. H. S. Klein, of Huntington, W. Va., for secretary; and Mr. J. W. Faust, of East Orange, N. J., for treasurer. Voting is not limited to the nominees presented by the nominating committee.

The term of office is three years. The election, because the national convention scheduled for May has been canceled, will be held by mail ballot of delegates of the state P.T.A. congresses. Balloting will begin April 25 and close on May 11. The tabulation will be on May 12, and results will be announced at the meeting of the Board of Managers in Chicago at that time.

Mrs. Lytle, who currently is serving as treasurer of the National Congress, is a native of Tennessee but has made her home since 1912 in California where she has been prominent in civic and social welfare activities for many years. She became a member of the Board of Managers in 1938, as president of the California Congress.

Mrs. Hughes, nominee for first vice-president, is now chairman of the Membership committee of the National Congress and formerly was president of the Tennessee Congress.

Mrs. Klein, nominee for secretary, recently was president of the West Virginia Congress and has long been active

in the parent-teacher movement in executive capacities in her state.

Mr. Faust, nominee for treasurer, has been national chairman of the committee on Recreation of the National Congress since 1925 and is district representative of the National Recreation Association in New York.

## SCHOOL LUNCH PROJECTS ATTENTION

February 22, 1943

National Congress of Parents and Teachers,

Attention: Mrs. William Kletzer,  
President.

Madam:

Reference is made to your letter of February 10, 1943, in which information is requested relative to coloring oleomargarine for use in school lunches.

You state that due to the scarcity of butter, it is found that it may be necessary to substitute oleomargarine and although the vitamin fortified oleomargarine has food value the absence of color in the uncolored product lacks appetite appeal when served to children.

Public school cafeterias do not fall within the category of institutions which would be exempt from liability to special tax under article 21(b) (2) Regulations 9.

Uncolored oleomargarine may be used in the preparation of food in any form and the special or commodity taxes will not be incurred by the one so using it. However, if the uncolored oleomargarine is colored for use in lieu of butter in school lunches, or in the preparation of other food where the oleomargarine does not lose its identity as a distinct article of food, tax liability as a manufacturer of colored oleomargarine is incurred under the provisions of section 3200 of the Internal Revenue Code in addition to the commodity tax of 10 cents per pound imposed by section 2301(a) of the Code on the quantity of oleomargarine colored.

There are no restrictions on the use of the product which is colored when purchased. It may be used in lieu of butter in any manner without incurring liability to tax. However, if the colored product is mixed with butter for the purpose of increasing the amount of butter, the resultant product would be colored oleomargarine and the person so mixing the butter with colored oleomargarine, would be liable to the special and stamp taxes as a manufacturer of colored oleomargarine as indicated above.

Respectfully,

(Signed) Adelbert Christy,  
Acting Deputy Commissioner.



Mrs. W. R. Loder, Hutchinson,  
First Vice-President



Mrs. B. K. Goodwin, Emporia,  
Convention Chairman

If your work or business doesn't mean for you a hard row to hoe, very likely it doesn't have a future worth digging for. —Sunshine Magazine.

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Mrs. W. R. Loder, 1st Vice-President

Question—We have members other than our delegates who are interested in attending the convention. May they come and do they have to register and pay the \$1.00?

Answer—After you have filled your quota of voting delegates, the president or alternate who shall be elected by the association and one delegate or alternate for every twenty-five members or major fraction thereof in good standing as shown on the books of the State Treasurer, you may send visiting delegates, but they are not entitled to vote.

Standing Rules April 17, 1934

It shall be a Standing Rule that when a Unit has registered its full quota of accredited delegates for the Convention, any member wishing to attend be given a visitor's card, or when a Unit has not its full quota of accredited delegates registered, any member wishing to attend must pay the required registration fee of \$1.00 for a visitor's card and this card shall be transferable; also any person being called to appear on the program be given a courtesy card for that one day. It shall also be understood that all evening sessions are free to the public. Standing Rules April 7, 1936. A fee of \$.35 shall be charged visiting delegates for attendance one day.

Question—Does the council president have a vote in the convention?

Answer—Art. VII, section 3 of the state by-laws. Each council shall be entitled to be represented at the convention by its president, or alternate chosen by the council.

Question—If a delegate is a member of more than one unit and is representing more than one unit, does she have more than one vote?

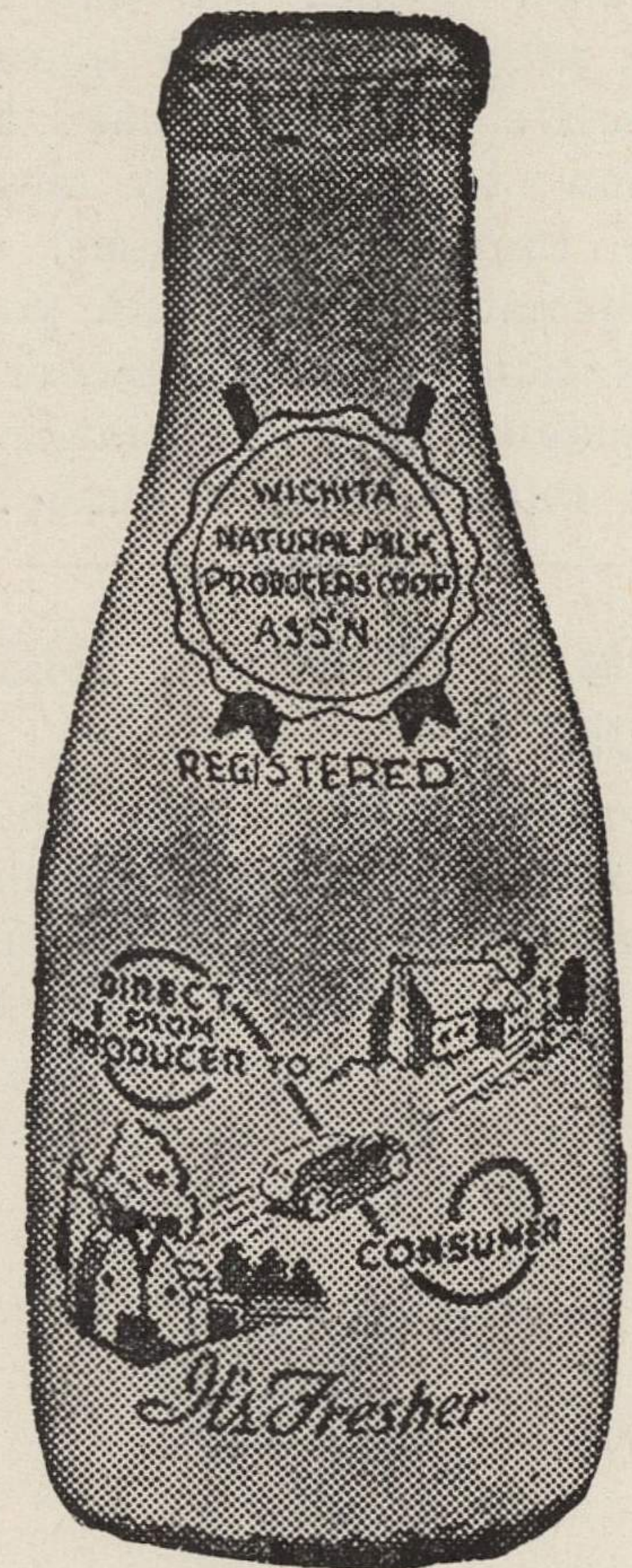
Answer—Art. VII, section 4. Last part of the state by-laws reads—A voting member shall have but one vote, although entitled to vote in any one of several capacities.



Mrs. Ben McCamant, Wichita,  
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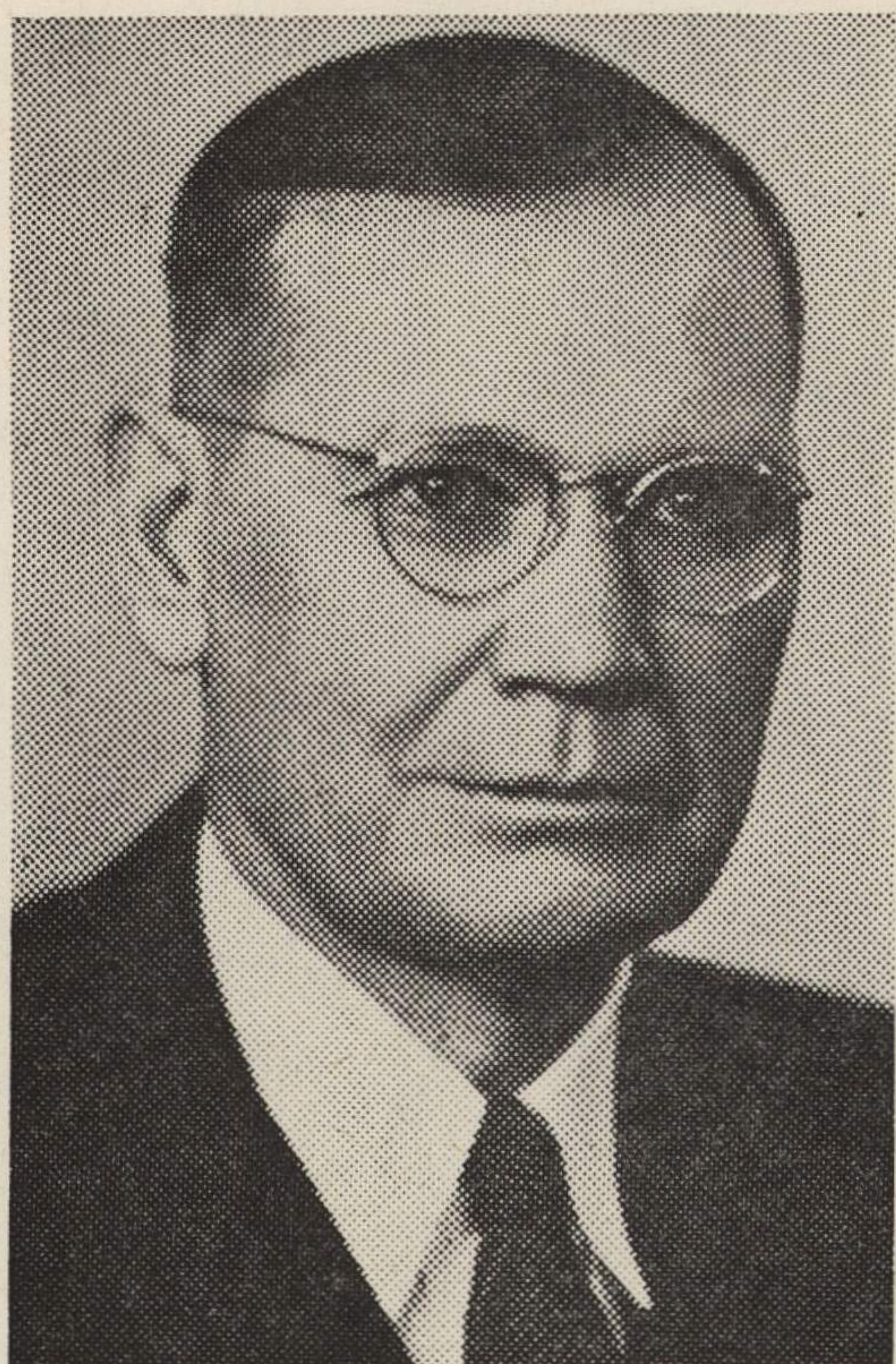
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Dr. John Rufi, Columbia, Mo.,  
President of the University of Missouri

**NEW RULING ON PLEDGE TO THE FLAG**


Washington advises that when pledging allegiance to the Flag the hand should be kept over the heart during the entire pledge. This is a change from the old practice in schools, when at the words "to the Flag" the right hand was extended, palm upward toward the Flag and this position was held until the end.

A joint Resolution passed by the 77th Congress and signed by the President on December 22, 1942, reads as follows:

Section 7 provides that the pledge of allegiance to the flag, "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all," be rendered by standing with the right hand over the heart. However, civilians will always show full respect to the flag when the pledge is given by merely standing at attention, men removing the head-dress. Persons in uniform shall render the military salute.

"You better live your best and act your best and think your best today; For today is sure preparation for tomorrow and all of the tomorrows that follow."  
—Harriet Martineau.

Miss Julia Emery, head of the Social Studies Department of Wichita High School East, and the author of "Background Of World Affairs," now being used as a text in the International Relations Courses in many towns in the state, will address the Convention on "Our Student's and Tomorrow's World."



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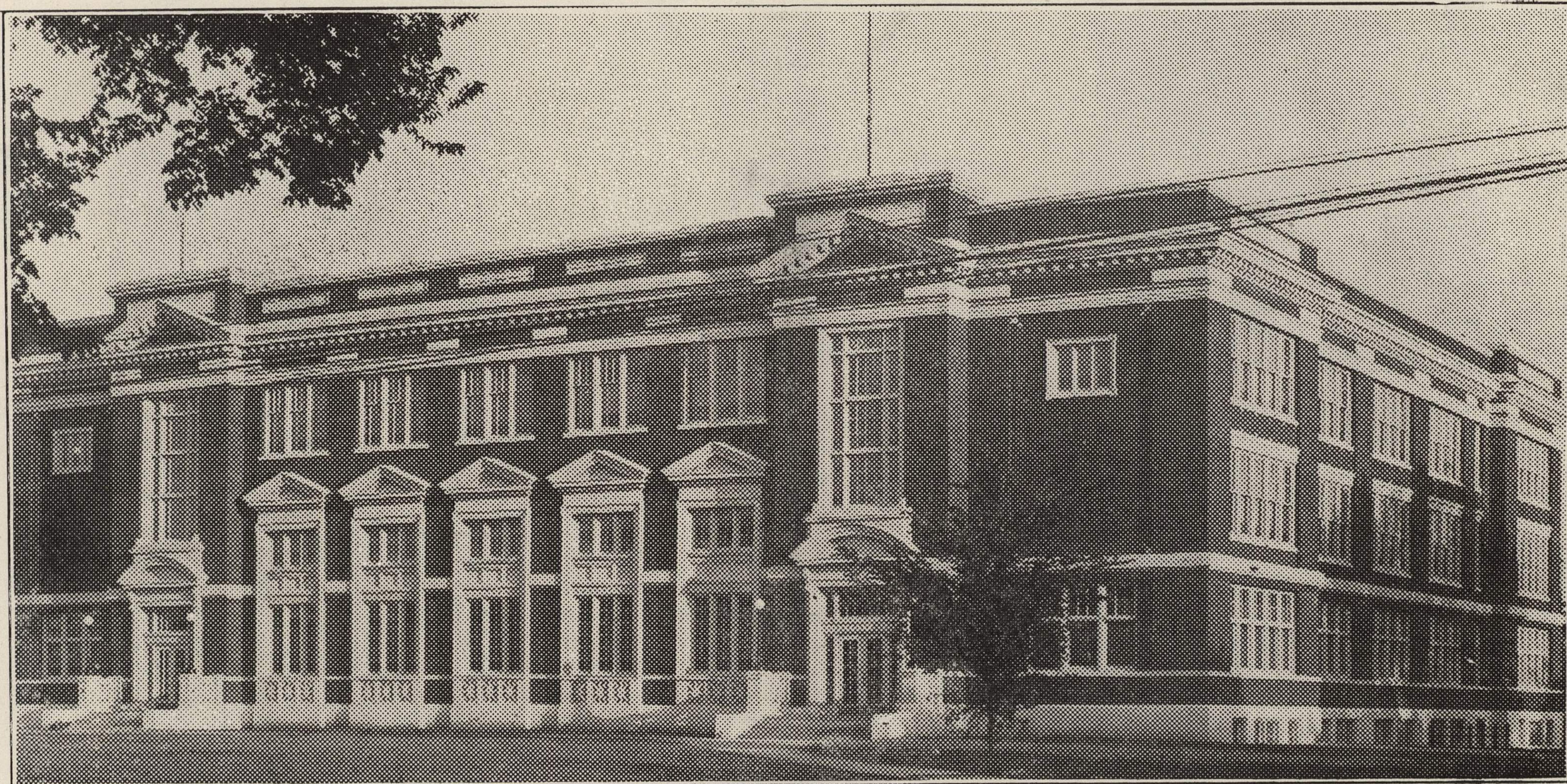


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Thirtieth Annual State Convention of The  
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 Emporia, Kansas, April 14-15-16, 1942



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## PROGRAM

Theme of Convention: "Better Home Life for a Stronger America"

### FIRST GENERAL SESSION

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, Junior High School  
 Presiding—Mrs. Byron Goodwin, President Emporia  
 Council and Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

2:30 p. m.

Music—Emporia High School Orchestra,  
 Director, Ormand Parker.

2:45 p. m.

Processional—State Board.  
 Pledge to the Flag—National Anthem.  
 Invocation—Rev. Claude Large,  
 First Christian Church, Emporia.  
 Greetings—O. G. Rindom, Mayor of Emporia.  
 Greetings—W. M. Richards, Supt. of Schools,  
 Emporia.  
 Greetings—Mrs. Byron Goodwin, President, Em-  
 poria Council.  
 Response—Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President,  
 Atchison.  
 Business Session:  
 Reports of Convention Committees:  
 Rules—Mrs. W. R. Loder, First Vice-President.  
 Presentation of Program—Mrs. Leroy Arnold,  
 Seventh Vice-President.

3:30 p. m.

Address—"For Such A Time As This"—  
 The Rev. Orlo Choguill, First Presbyterian  
 Church of Emporia.

4:00 p. m.

Announcements.

### SECOND GENERAL SESSION

WEDNESDAY EVENING—Kansas State Teachers College  
 Presiding—Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

8:00 p. m.

Music—The Faculty String Trio,  
 Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia.  
 Invocation—Rev. Paul Barker,  
 First Baptist Church, Emporia.

8:15 p. m.

Address—"The Seed of the Future"—  
 Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress of  
 Parents and Teachers, First Vice-President.

9:00 p. m.

Reception for Mrs. William Hastings, and Mrs.  
 E. W. Emery in the Student Union Building.  
 Courtesy of the Faculty Clubs of Emporia City  
 Schools and the Teachers College.

## THURSDAY MORNING—Junior High School

8:00 to 9:30 a. m.

## District Meetings

- District 1—Rear of Auditorium.
- District 2—Room 203.
- District 3—Room 204.
- District 4—Room 205.
- District 5—Room 209.
- District 6—Balcony of Auditorium.
- District 7—Room 211.
- District 8—Room 212.
- District 9—Room 213.
- District 10—Library, Room 207.
- District 11—Room 301.
- District 12—Room 302.
- District 13—Room 303.
- District 14—Room 305.
- District 15—Room 308.
- District 17—Room 309.

## THIRD GENERAL SESSION

## THURSDAY MORNING—Junior High School

Presiding, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

9:45 a. m.

- Music—Assembly Singing.  
Director, Marshall Randel.  
Accompanist, Mrs. A. E. Buck.
- Devotions—"The Great Parade"—  
Mrs. George Winters, Fourth Vice-President.

10:00 a. m.

- Business Session:  
Report of Nominating Committee,  
Mrs. D. D. Harbaugh, Chairman.  
Report of State Treasurer, W. T. Markham.  
Report of Credentials Committee,  
Mrs. G. Goodson Wright, Chairman.

10:30 a. m.

- Address—"Recreation"—  
Dr. Forrest C. Allen, University of Kansas,  
Lawrence, State Chairman of Recreation.

11:00 a. m.

- Panel—"Recreational Possibilities for Busy Days."  
Leader—Harry Dawdy, State Chairman of  
Juvenile Protection.
- Home—Dr. Forrest C. Allen.
- School—Harry Dawdy.
- Church—Rev. Hugh B. Fouke,  
First Methodist Church.
- Community—Barclay Bond,  
Secretary, Y. M. C. A. Emporia.

11:50 a. m.

- Penny Parade for Student Aid.  
Explanation by Mrs. H. C. McVey.  
Leader—Mrs. Leo Markowitz, Emporia.

## LUNCHEON HOUR

12:00 p. m.

- Elementary School, Grill Room, Broadview Hotel.  
Chairman, Mrs. A. D. Lowe, Tenth District  
Director.  
Co-Chairman—Mrs. Elmer Smith, Emporia.
- Music—Solo  
Miss Barbara West, Senior High School,  
Music Department.
- Invocation—Mrs. Charles Beals, Emporia.
- "The P.T.A. and The Schools as Co-Educationists,"  
Miss Delore Gammon,  
Elementary School Supervisor, Emporia.

Junior-Senior High School—Mitway Hotel,  
Chairman, W. M. Richards, Third Vice-Pres.  
Co-Chairman, Mrs. S. A. Wagner, Emporia.

Music—Girls' Trio—Senior High School.

"How The Parent Teacher Association Can Fit  
Into the School Vocational Guidance Program,"  
W. T. Markham, State Board of Vocational  
Education, Topeka.

"How The Parent Teacher Association Can Fit Into  
the School's Educational Guidance Program,"  
Hugh Brogan, Associate Principal, Emporia  
Senior High School.

Rural School—Blue Room, Broadview Hotel,  
Chairman, Mrs. William Downs, Sixth Vice-  
President.

Co-Chairman, Mrs. Wilbur Davis, Emporia.

Music—Logan Avenue School Chorus,  
Director, Niles Moffat, Rural School Music  
Supervisor.

Invocation—Fred Smith, County Superintendent,  
Lyon County.

"Rural Service"—Mrs. Adah Cain, Department of  
Education, Topeka, Kansas.

"National Parent-Teacher"—Mrs. Jesse Wire,  
Kansas City,

"Library Service In the Rural Areas"—  
Miss Helen Wagstaff, University of Kansas,  
Lawrence.

## FOURTH GENERAL SESSION

## THURSDAY AFTERNOON—Junior High School

Presiding—Mrs. W. R. Loder, First Vice-President and Mrs.  
E. W. Emery, State President

2:00 p. m.

Music—Women's Quartette, College of Emporia.  
Invocation—Rev. Ernest Tonsing,  
St. Mark's Lutheran Church.

Business Session:

Reports—

- State President—Mrs. E. W. Emery.
- National Parent-Teacher—Mrs. Jesse Wire,  
Chairman.
- Kansas Parent-Teacher—Mrs. J. W. Oursler,  
Editor.
- Emblems—Mrs. Glen Steven, State Chairman.

2:30 p. m.

Address—"Our Students and Tomorrow's World,"  
Miss Julia Emery, Wichita, State Chairman,  
International Relations.

3:00 p. m.

Address—"Problems of Citizenship in Wartime,"  
Dr. David L. McFarlane, State Teachers Col-  
lege of Emporia.

3:45 p. m.

Discussion.

4:00 p. m.

Mother Singers Rehearsal.  
Shopping Hour.

6:00 p. m.

## CONVENTION DINNER—Broadview Hotel, Grill Room

Presiding, W. T. Markham, State Treasurer

Invocation—Mr. W. M. Richards, Emporia.  
Music—Girls' Glee Club, Senior High School.  
String Trio, Senior High School.  
Introductions.

**FIFTH GENERAL SESSION**

THURSDAY EVENING, Junior High School  
Presiding, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

8:00 p. m.

Mother Singers—Mrs. Otis J. Mumaw, State  
Music Chairman, Parsons.

Solo—Mr. Mumaw.

Invocation—Rev. Stephen Williams,  
First Congregational Church, Emporia.

8:30 p. m.

Address—"Better Home Life For A Stronger  
America"—

Dr. John Rufi, President of the University of  
Missouri.

**SIXTH GENERAL SESSION**

FRIDAY MORNING—Junior High School  
Presiding, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

9:00 a. m.

Music—Junior High Girls' Glee Club,  
Director, Mrs. Corrine Snow.

Devotions—Mrs. A. D. Lowe, Tenth District Di-  
rector, "A Parable For Mothers."

Business Session:

Reports.

Election Teller, Mrs. John E. Beck.

Penny Parade For Student Aid, Mrs. H. C.  
McVey.

9:20 a. m.

Address—

10:00 a. m.

Symposium—"The P.T.A. in Wartime."

Leader, Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President.

Program—Mrs. Leroy Arnold.

Publications—Mrs. J. W. Oursler.

Membership—Mrs. G. Goodson Wright.

Summer Round-Up—Mrs. Matt Scherer.

Publicity—Mrs. D. D. Harbaugh.

Homemaking—Mrs. Lucile Rust.

Summary—Mrs. William Hastings.

11:30 a. m.

Discussion.

**FRIDAY NOON**

12:00 p. m. to 2:00 p. m.

**AWARDS LUNCHEON—Grill Room, Broadview Hotel.**

Presiding, Mrs. George Winters, Fourth Vice-President and

Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President

Invocation—Mrs. A. E. Buck, Emporia.

Music—Novachord, Bert Harrison.

Treble Clef Club, Kansas State Teachers College,  
Director, Miss Catherine Strouse.

Achievement Awards Report:

Membership—Mrs. G. Goodson Wright.

Standard Units—Mrs. E. E. Miller.

Parent-Teacher Courses—Mrs. Leo Stewart.

Safety—Dr. Irma Gene Nevins.

Reading—Miss Helen Wagstaff.

Assembly Singing,

Leader—Miss Edith Bunch.

Accompanist—Mrs. Barclay Bond.

Invitations to 1944 Convention.

Report of Credential Committee,

Mrs. G. Goodson Wright, Chairman.

Award of Silver Loving Cups.

Penny Parades for Student Aid.

Life Memberships.

Installation of Officers—Mrs. William Hastings,  
National First Vice-President.

Minutes.

Closing—Parent-Teacher Prayer, in Unison.

**PARENT-TEACHER PRAYER**

Heavenly Father—

We come to Thee for wisdom to understand our children  
and patience to live, work, and share our lives with them.

Grant us power to guard their health, education, recrea-  
tion, and spiritual development and to make them strong in  
body, mind and heart.

Teach us to love our neighbor, that our children may  
learn tolerance and that there may be peace among nations.

Free us from fear, that our courage may make our  
homes a haven of security for those we love.

Strengthen us to endure whatever hardship and sacrifice  
may come, and in Thy good time lift us from the burden  
of war.

Fill our hearts with faith that to our loved ones in  
service Thou wilt be a refuge; to our flag, a promise; to  
our country a fortress.

Consecrate us to our tasks, and bless us that we may  
bless all children everywhere.

**GOD BLESS AMERICA**

God bless America, land that I love.

Stand beside her and guide her,

Thru' the night with a light from above.

From the mountains to the prairies,

To the ocean, white with foam.

God bless America, my home sweet home.

God bless America, my home sweet home.

**TAPS****GENERAL INFORMATION**

Registration—Board Members—Lobby, Broadview Hotel.

Tuesday, April 13, 2:00 p. m. to 4:00 p. m.

Registration—Junior High School, East Lobby.

Wednesday, April 14, 9:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.

Thursday, April 15, 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m.

Friday, April 16, 8:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m.

Registration Fee—\$1.00—Delegates must present 1942-  
43 membership cards.

Tickets for Luncheons and Convention Dinner and Teas  
should be secured at time of registration.

Breakfast .50c Luncheon .85c Convention Dinner \$1.25.

General Sessions will be held in the Junior High School  
Auditorium and State Teachers College.

Evening Sessions and Convention Dinner are open to the  
public.

Election of officers will be held on Thursday, April 15. Of-  
ficers to be elected are Second, Fourth, and Sixth Vice-  
Presidents.

Voting in South Lobby.

**CONVENTION DINNER**

6:00 p. m. Thursday, April 15—Broadview Hotel—Grill Room.

**LUNCHEONS AND BREAKFASTS**

7:00 to 8:15 a. m.—Unit Presidents' Breakfast, Grill Room,  
Broadview Hotel. Thursday, April 15.

Chairman—Mrs. W. R. Loder.

Co-Chairman—Mrs. H. G. Duckett.

Program—

Invocation—Prayer Song by all.

Talks—Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress.

Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President.

Mrs. Leo Stewart, Parent-Teacher Courses.

Discussion—"Presidents' Problems."

7:00 to 8:15 a. m.—State Chairmen's Breakfast, Blue Room,  
Broadview Hotel. Thursday, April 15.

Chairman—Mrs. C. B. Sherwood.

Co-Chairman—Mrs. L. M. Welsh.

## Program—

Invocation—Mrs. L. M. Welsh.  
 Talk—Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress.  
 Discussion—"Have You An Idea For Us?"

7:00 to 8:15 a.m.—Council Presidents' Breakfast, Blue Room,  
 Broadview Hotel. Friday, April 16.

Chairman—Mrs. E. T. Beck.  
 Co-Chairman—Mrs. A. G. Eldred.

## Program—

Invocation by Mrs. A. G. Eldred.  
 Greetings and Introductions, Mrs. Byron Goodwin.  
 Welcome—Mrs. E. T. Beck.  
 Talks—Mrs. William Hastings, National Congress.  
 Mrs. E. W. Emery, State President.  
 Mrs. Ira Stockebrand, Art Chairman.  
 Discussion—"How Can A Parent-Teacher Council Help?"

**Schedule of Meetings of State Board**

**BROADVIEW HOTEL—Tuesday, April 13**

4:30 p.m.—Executive Committee Meeting—2nd Floor.

9:00 p.m.—Pre-Convention Board Meeting—Blue Room.

**Wednesday, April 14**

9:00 a.m.—Pre-Convention Board Meeting—Blue Room.

**Friday, April 16**

2:30 p.m.—Post Convention Board Meeting—Blue Room.

District Directors' Conference and Luncheon, Tuesday,  
 April 13, 10:00 a.m., Broadview Hotel—2nd Floor.

**CONVENTION COMMITTEES**

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## Tellers:

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 Mrs. E. T. Beck, Dwight.

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 J. W. Herron.

Music—Mrs. L. E. Barry.

Invocations—Mrs. Wood Bloxam.

Breakfasts—Mrs. A. H. Thomas.

Group Luncheons—Mrs. S. A. Wagner.

Awards Luncheon—Mrs. Elmer Siedhoff.

Courtesy Dinner—Mrs. R. D. Marsh.

Convention Dinner—Mrs. P. R. Woodbury.

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1943 CONVENTION RULES**

1. Delegates must present credential cards and register at the Registration desk in the Junior High School promptly, where, upon payment of \$1.00 fee, badges will be issued.
2. Sessions will begin promptly at the hour announced and delegates are requested to be prompt at all sessions.
3. Order must be kept at all times.
4. No delegate shall represent more than one congress unit.
5. Delegates will be admitted and seated only between numbers on program.
6. A delegate speaking from the floor shall, when addressing the Chair, give name in full and name the city and unit represented.
7. Motions, when requested by the presiding officer, must immediately be presented in writing.
8. A delegate may not speak more than two minutes on any question under discussion nor more than twice upon the same question, without the consent of the convention body.
9. No delegate shall give an interview on the work of the Kansas Congress. All publicity shall be under the supervision of the Convention Publicity Chairman.
10. No announcements shall be made unless they are first approved by the President, Mrs. E. W. Emery.
11. No literature may be distributed in connection with the convention without the permission of the Executive Committee.
12. Speakers must conform strictly to rulings of the time-keeper.
13. Delegates unable to hear the speaker shall raise their right hands.
14. In order to vote at the election Thursday, April 15, all voting delegates must be registered by 10:00 a.m. at which time the polling list for the election of officers will be closed. The polling place for the election of officers shall be opened at 11:45 a.m., and shall close at 5:00 p.m.
15. Officers, standing committee chairmen, chairmen of round-tables and other chairmen must file a written report with the recording secretary, Mrs. Ben McCamant.  
 Mrs. W. R. Loder.



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Home that our feet may leave, but not  
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# COUNCIL ACTIVITIES

## Hutchinson

Just a year ago we were planning and preparing for the State P.T.A. Convention to be held here in Hutchinson. It was in every way a privilege and a pleasure to have been hosts to all our Kansas P.T.A. workers. Also the inspiration which we received from the various meetings of the Convention has been put in practice. A number of definite goals have been attained.

Week-Day Religious Instruction will be a part of our educational program next fall. A committee composed of representatives from the City P.T.A. Council, each P.T.A. unit, the Ministerial Alliance and a representative of the Board of Education, working under the Spiritual Education Committee Chairman, developed a workable plan for our community. A permanent organization, with an executive committee and an advisory board, has been established. We are fortunate in having Judge F. B.

Hettinger, Judge of the District Court, as president of this committee.

All schools are actively participating with the local O.C.D. committee in the National Defense program. The Summer Recreation program will stress swimming for all children this summer. Last summer over 500 children participated in the swim classes.

The City Council will present Supt. J. W. Gowans with a Life membership in April. Supt. Gowans is retiring after 43 years as an educational worker—21 years as Supt. of the Hutchinson schools. His whole hearted cooperation with P.T.A. has been most helpful and encouraging.

Classes in Nutrition have been sponsored by Study groups of several of our units.

Hutchinson School children have purchased \$50,000.00 worth of War Bonds and Stamps since September. Because members of the P.T.A. cooperated with the teachers in the various registrations for ration books, schools have continued on regular schedule.

Mrs. E. L. Ball,  
Hutchinson Council Publicity  
Chairman.

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—Edward H. Doyle.

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## News from Districts

### FIRST DISTRICT

Mrs. James Siler, Director

Wyandotte High School Parent-Teacher Association of Kansas City is the largest unit in the state, having a membership this year of 1,167 members. Congratulations.

Stony Point Association of Muncie has had a busy year in spite of the many difficulties brought about by the war. We had to hold our meetings in the afternoon in order to have our teachers with us. They could not get back to night meetings because of transportation problems.

So many of our mothers, like every where, are working so they could not come to afternoon meetings; so our attendance has dropped off some; but in spite of all this, we have carried on, sponsoring a blood bank, immunizations, ration registration, grease drives, Red Cross drive, Home Nursing class and First Aid. So I would say that the P.T.A. is one of the most needed organizations in our community and we intend to carry on and safe guard the health and lives of our little children.

Mrs. H. H. Daniels.

### THIRD DISTRICT

Mrs. A. E. Stockebrand, Director

The three Parent-Teacher Associations of Yates Center observed Founder's Day together at the High School. All Parent-Teacher workers and teachers of our city schools have worked and cooperated on rationing books and all programs pertaining to war efforts.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Ware School of Fort Scott celebrated Founder's Day in a unique way. The president, Mrs. McDonald gave a brief history of the organization since 1923. The past presidents, who could be present, recalled high lights during their administrations. It was very interesting to hear how the P.T.A. started and from a small beginning developed into a strong unit, now working on such a large scale.

Candles were lighted in memory of Mrs. George Wood, Mrs. Stanley and Mrs. Meek, efficient officers who have passed away.

Mrs. Hankins, one of the teachers, gave a paper on the work of the National Congress and this was followed by the Penny Parade, and the election of officers.

All units of Fort Scott are working hard and in spite of rationing are still able to serve hot lunches to an average of 140 children a day. The "Little Theatre" was a very successful project.

Clema Hubbard, Publicity.

### SEVENTH DISTRICT

Mrs. M. Erickson, Director

Axtell Parent-Teacher Association held the first meeting in the new \$100,000.00 school building and observed Founder's Day.

The April meeting will be an Open House and the new auditorium will be used for the first time. We have been rather cramped for space but our attendance during the winter has been large and we hope to begin in September with an active membership drive and really do big things.

Marysville's big project at present is \$150.00 to be loaned to worthy students for dental care and correction of teeth.

Founder's Day was observed by all of Manhattan's Parent-Teacher Associations at the Junior-Senior High School. Theodore Roosevelt P.T.A. had charge of the program assisted by the Junior-Senior High School Girl's Sextette.

Films of point rationing were shown and a skit on food rationing was given. Mr. F. E. Mordy gave the history of Founder's Day.

### EIGHTH DISTRICT

Mrs. Fred C. Barber, Director

At Jewel, the theme of the March P.T.A. meeting was "Music." "Benefits of Music for Small Children," "Music for Older Children," "and Music in the Home," were the topics discussed.

The Delphos unit set a goal of 100 members for the year. They have reached that goal and this is a fine increase in memberships over last year.

### NINTH DISTRICT

Mrs. W. M. Lovett, Director

We have a fine report this month from Salina. Founder's Day was observed by the Lincoln and Washington Units in a joint meeting. Mrs. R. R. Cooper, City Council President was their speaker and gave a fitting tribute to the Founders. An all girl orchestra, under the direction of Mr. C. F. Lebow furnished the music.

Mrs. E. H. Linville, president of Lincoln, sent us their program for the year. Had it been earlier in the year, it would have been difficult for me to conserve rubber, so interesting are the topics. Their last meeting will be April 29, 1943, and the subject will be, "Father's Part In Developing Our Human Resources." The theme for their study group was determined in a most original manner. Ask Mrs. Linville for information on it. Her address is 1016 S. Ninth, Salina.



Mrs. Martin Erickson, Axtell,  
Seventh District Director

### TENTH DISTRICT

Mrs. A. D. Lowe, Director

Wichita

#### LOWELL SCHOOL LIBRARY CONTEST

Lowell School had a point system all its own, in a book contest recently which ended March 23, with the announcement of the winning room at the P.T.A. meeting. The purpose of the contest was to increase Lowell's new library by a thousand volumes. In the rules of the contest, 5 points were given to each new book, 3 points to an old book, and 1 point for a child's magazine. Money donations of 50c were given credit for 5 points. 5 adult books or magazines received credit for 1 point. 500 points were added for the highest stack of magazines, and 25 points for transportation vehicles.

The three rooms winning the contest had special treats Friday, with the other rooms receiving "Consolation prizes." 300 new and old books were added to the shelves of the new Lowell School Library, besides stacks of children's magazines. \$20.00 worth of old books were sold to a second hand store, and 160 good books and stacks of magazines were given to the men in Service. 17,590 pounds or 92 yards and 7 inches, measured with a yardstick, were brought to the school within 10 days and then sold to the waste paper company bringing \$87.95. Counting 12 feet to the floor, the Allis Hotel which is 17 stories high, would lack about 72 feet being as tall as the stack of magazines gathered. However, the Allis Hotel has a 150 foot tower above the seventeenth floor. \$127.09 were the cash donations. Grand total for the contest was \$235.64.

Much healthy competition and fun resulted from the contest. Boys and girls are anticipating many hours of enjoyable reading now and in the months to come. Attics, basements, and garages have surely had their "spring housecleaning."

Mrs. R. T. Canary,  
Publicity Chairman,  
Lowell P. T. A.

Mary had gobs and gobs of books, "Colliers," "Posts," "Lifes," and "Looks," She brought them all to school one day, And the teacher said, "Why say— These books will help us win the prize, And help us beat the other guys."

Bob Chastain—5 B.

McCormick P.T.A. entertained the teachers with a covered dish dinner in the school auditorium on St. Patrick's Day.

The intermediate Girl Scouts of McCormick helped with the serving.

Mr. McAllister, Supervisor of Physical Education in Wichita Schools, led the group in games and every one had a most enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Robert Hayford,  
Publicity Chairman.

## ELEVENTH DISTRICT

Mrs. John Daly, Director

Greetings to all members of District 11.

A letter from Macksville Unit reports this very interesting meeting. With the stage set to represent the living room in the home of James Whitcomb Riley, as he sat musing on his poem, "Thinkin' Back," he fell asleep and the characters of his favorite poems, represented by Parent-Teacher members, came to call as the readings were given by members of the High School Dramatic Class.

The Liberty Junior High School Unit of Pratt had a "Back To School For Parents" meeting recently. Following a general assembly in which the school principal presided, the teachers went to their respective rooms. With the bells set to ring at fifteen minute intervals, parents went through their child's daily schedule, thus meeting the teachers in the same way that their child does each day. Yes, some parents even had to be sent to the office for tardy slips.

The study groups of North and Central Grade Units in Pratt have united this year in a Home Nursing Class. The Red Cross Manual on Home Nursing has been used and the class has been taught by a registered nurse.

Over only three buildings in America does the national flag fly officially night and day continuously—over the east and west fronts of the National Capitol and over the adjacent House of Representatives and Senate Office Buildings. The two emblems over the Capitol (storm flag size) are replaced every six weeks.

# Kansas Parent-Teacher Honor Roll

When your Executive Committee (elected officers and chairmen of standing committees) are subscribers to this magazine, your unit is listed here.

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## PUBLICITY

Mrs. D. D. Harbaugh  
State Publicity Chairman

To succeed in writing publicity one must know (1) the story of the work to be described so as to utilize all opportunities for news that may arise in connection with the organization; (2) one must know how to recognize news values and to be able to make the story crisp and alive, and (3) one must know the papers and other publications for which the material is prepared.

This poem by E. Thayles Emmons, Geneva, New York, illustrates these points very well:

### THE CITY EDITOR AND A PRESS CHAIRMAN

The editor sat in his easy chair  
Smoking his pipe with a nonchalant air;  
Trying to snatch a moment's rest  
While news poured in from east and west.

He was tired, dead tired, with his morning's rush,  
With the hurry and scurry and scramble and push

That was a part of his daily life  
In a job chock full of worry and strife.  
"Tap, tap," came a knock at his sanctum door.

"Come in," he called with a lion's roar.  
There entered a lady, gentle and shy,  
With trembling lip and quivering eye.  
The gallant editor sprang to his feet  
He bowed quite low the lady to greet.  
"Your errand?" he asked, the lady smiled

With eyes as meek as those of a child.  
Looking straight at the editor's shoes;  
"I've come," she said, "with a piece of news.

I'll give you the facts now bit by bit,  
And you'll write it up as you see fit,  
How you do it I don't care a fig,  
Only be sure that you make it big.  
Print at the top of the very front page  
Or all the club ladies will be in a rage.  
And, if you please, a two-column line  
Used as a heading would be just fine."

"But what's it about?" and the editor sighed.

"We had a meeting," the lady replied.  
"I hurried right down as soon as I could

To get it printed; they told me you would.

We had a speaker; 'twas no one I knew,  
And somebody sang; I forgot to ask who.

And to top it all off they served ice cream and cake

Now how much of an item ought that to make?"

The editor smiled a weary smile  
And asked some questions and after a while

Set down a few facts, and guessed a few more

And wrote up an item—an inch or more.  
And the ladies who read the paper that night

Complained that "he never gets any thing right."

But right near by on the very same page  
Was another item that stirred their rage.  
And as a report it couldn't be beat.  
It told WHEN and WHERE and HOW and WHY

And not a fact did it pass by.  
It named the speaker, told what he said  
Gave important parts of reports that were read.

It mentioned the music and told who sang  
And throughout the item the praises rang

For the committee that staged the event;  
Giving them credit for the way things went.

"Rank discrimination;" the ladies thought;

But now was it, really, or was it not?  
With the report that made them so mad  
The editor used all the facts that he had.  
"Twas nice and long and quite complete.  
And with the other he did the same,  
But the second lady knew the game.  
She told him all he wanted to know,  
Enough to make a column or so.

And had he not stopped her, I'm ready to bet

That active press-lady would be talking yet.

You see the point; yes, it's perfectly plain,

And also the moral, I need not explain.  
So in choosing a lady to cover your news  
Just get a "live wire." Use care when you choose.

# DIRECTORY

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