

SOUTHERN JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ORIENT OF KANSAS VALLEY OF LAWRENCE

CLARENCE E. BIRCH, 22, K. C. C. H. SECRETARY-REGISTRAR MASONIC TEMPLE LAWRENCE, KANSAS 1944 Birthday Greetings

Mr. W. C. Simons 722 Massachusetts St. Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Brother Member:

Once again you are celebrating an important anniversary--we suspect for you the most important of the year. For us it's an opportunity to extend congratulations and wish you many more of them. The years have a fashion of slipping around faster than we care to see them but none the less the arrival at another landmark on the journey

is an occasion for happy retrospect. In spite of world turmoil we hope,

too, there is for you a happy prospect down the highway ahead.

Our fellows have been so appreciative of these birthday letters

we are continuing them in the hope that you will come to look forward to

receiving one each year. We think you are entitled to receive at least

one communication from us during the year that is purely personal and fraternal.

It is our hope that hearing from us in this fashion will revive pleasant memories of Brethren you have met and enjoyed here.

So, with the most kindly memories and good wishes, we are

Fraternally yours,

