

# Journal of PROCEEDINGS

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of the

New York State  
Fraternal Order of Eagles



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June 18, 19, 20 and 21

**NEW YORK STATE OFFICERS**

**1986 - 1987**

Junior Past State President ..... Ray Haggerty  
Tonawanda 1411

State President ..... Al Hubbard  
Binghamton 2119

State Vice President ..... Gordon Brenestuhl  
Hoosick Falls 2467

State Chaplain ..... Wilbur Button  
Olean 616

State Secretary ..... Wayne Monroe  
Elmira 941

State Treasurer ..... Kenneth Decker  
Ithaca 1253

State Conductor ..... James Russell  
Rochester 52

State Inside Guard ..... Douglas McDermott  
Addison 3904

State Outside Guard ..... Donald Cowan  
Watertown 782

**STATE TRUSTEES**

Chr. Ray Haggerty ..... Tonawanda 1411

Robert Butts ..... Elmira 941

Duane Bruning ..... Lockport 825

Elliott Becker ..... Empire 544

Mike Lopez ..... Glens Falls 2486

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## 1986 STATE CONVENTION

As the 1986 State Convention held in Binghamton, NY, Aerie 2119 convened, a number of delegates and visitors began arriving. As usual, the golfers began warming up their arms for the annual trek to the golf course. Early Wednesday morning, June 18, 1986, they went to the Genegeslat Golf Club which was a short distance from the Aerie. After a great round of golf, they returned to the Aerie for a little party and relaxation.

Wednesday evening saw a large number of delegates descend on the Aerie home for a get-together party. As usual, a great time was had by all while meeting old friends again. Registration at the Holiday Inn Arena went very well except for a couple of minor problems.

The annual prayer breakfast was held at the Aerie home on Thursday morning and was well attended. Rev. James Harvey of the Primitive Methodist Church gave the opening prayer. After the breakfast, registration of delegates began at 10:00 A.M. All business sessions for the Aerie were held at the Aerie home and the Ladies Auxiliary met at the Holiday Inn Arena, downtown Binghamton.

The Joint Memorial Service was held at the Holiday Inn on Friday night and was extremely impressive. The Convention Banquet was held at the Holiday Inn and all went well. Speeches were short and the food was excellent.

### OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE CONVENTION

The convention was officially called to order by Binghamton Aerie President Al Hubbard at 2:00 P.M., Thursday, June 1, 1986 in the home of the Binghamton Aerie. The Colors were presented by Boy Scouts of Binghamton and Past State President Donald Rettinger of Toronto, Canada, led the delegation present in the singing of the National Anthems of the United States and Canada. Rev. James Harvey provided the invocation. Binghamton Aerie President All Hubbard and Auxiliary President Mary Page welcomed all to the Convention and the Binghamton area and extended warm wishes for a successful and enjoyable convention. Assistant Mayor Thomas Perrotti, Carl Young, Broome County Executive, Hal Krammer, President of the Broome County Chamber of Commerce, Binghamton Police Chief Sejan and Broome County Sheriff Anthony Ruffo all extended greetings, provided insight on the community, congratulated everyone on the fine work they have accomplished and hope to accomplish at this convention and extended heartfelt invitations for everyone to visit the Binghamton area again. As an added gesture, Hal Krammer presented State President Roy Haggerty with a T-shirt with the logo, "Let the Fun Shine In." Grand Trustee Laverne "Shorty" Weber, Grand Outside Guard Robert Meyers, Past Grand Madam President Isabelle Vallie, Grand Madam President Elect Carol Shay and New York State Auxiliary President Mary Ann Barnes welcomed all in attendance and wished all a successful, productive, fun-filled, safe convention and thanked Binghamton for their hospitality. This brought the official opening ceremony to a close and a short recess was called to make the necessary preparations for the first business session.

### FIRST SESSION

The first session was called to order in the home of the Binghamton Aerie at 3:13 P.M. by State President Raymond Haggerty.

Following the opening ritual ceremonies, the Roll Call of State Officers was held with all in attendance. The obligation, admission of new members and Oath of Allegiance were given by Past State President Kenneth Decker of Ithaca Aerie No. 1253.

State President Raymond Haggerty advised he would not read the entire list of convention committee appointments as each delegate had received a copy of the same and they are as follows:

## 1986 STATE CONVENTION COMMITTEES

### BY LAW

Kenneth Decker, Chr., 1253  
Art Chichon, 2692  
William Carrick, 544

### LEGISLATIVE

Thorney Dawson, Chr., 2269  
Charles Poyfair, 825  
Daniel O'Neil, 2119

### YOUTH GUIDANCE

John Lewis, Chr., 2640  
Richard Meyer, 3846  
William Cool, 3846

### CANCER RESEARCH

Robert Butts, Chr., 941  
John Cady, 1575  
Wayne Sherlock, 616

### MAX BAER HEART FUND

Elliott Becker, Chr., 54  
Alan Craley, 941  
Robert Sabourin, 52

### SOCIAL SECURITY

Laverne Graham, Chr., 825  
John Cady, 1575  
Stanley Singer, 97

### STATE SPEAKERS

Wayne Monroe, Chr., 941  
Kenneth Decker, 1253  
Don Rettinger, 2311

### MEMBER SECURITY (NET GAIN)

Edwin Drake, Chr., 1258  
Walter Robards, 2640  
William Mulhollen, 3904

### SCOUTING

Ray Starin, Chr., 482  
Timothy LaChiusa, 2640  
Marty Hoyt, 52

### JIMMY DURANTE FUND

Mason L. Parker, Chr., 514  
Robert Kidney, 825  
Patrick Cooney, 1545

### STATE BOWLING

Albert Thornton, Chr., 2311  
Joseph Chalk, 941  
Rick Forkell, 52

### RESOLUTIONS

Richard Knapp, 941  
Ray Sage, 52  
Francis Campagna, 1411

### IN MEMORIAM

Vincent Scharf, Chr., 46  
Chester Halliday, 46  
Peter Cangialosi, 52

### ELECTION

Herbert Farrell, Chr., 514  
Earle Willis, 2311  
John Kenney, 1411  
Walter Robards, 2640  
Willard Blair, 782

### G. A. HOSPITALITY ROOM

William Carrick, Chr., 544  
Jim Russell, 52  
Bob Butts, 941

### R.E.A.C.

Kenneth Decker, Chr., 1253  
Charles Haflett, 941  
Joseph Cangialosi, 52

### RITUALISTIC

John Lewis, Chr., 2640  
Raymond Sage, 52  
Michael Fahy, 616  
George Rava, 482

### BETTER HOME TOWNS

Frank Pooley, Chr., 941  
William Bell, III, 782  
Walter Robards, 2640

### FINANCE AND BUDGET

Art Chichon, Chr., 2692  
Don Rettinger, 2311  
Laverne Graham, 825

**AUDITING**

Nicholas Hoffman, Jr., Chr., 482  
Ray Snell, 616  
Richard Updike, 941

**GOLDEN EAGLE FUND**

Mike Lopez, Chr., 2486  
Robert Apgar, 1253  
John Parker, 96

**HOME AND FAMILY**

William Zygas, Chr., 97  
Charles Morais, 2644

**MEMORIAL FOUNDATION**

Gordon Brenenstuhl, Chr., 2467  
Kenneth Wormley, 3904  
Richard Simpson, 544

**STATE ATHLETIC**

Mark LaRue, Chr., 616  
Merle Baylor, 941  
Salvatore Ventura, 2692

**GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Dave Watkins, Chr., 1260  
Ray Sage, 52

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

Robert Woodruff, Chr., 52  
Verne Graham, 825  
Don Rettinger, 2311  
Bill Carrick, 544  
Laverne Weber, 825

**STATE ARTHRITIS FUND**

Wilbur Button, Chr., 616  
William Christensen, 941  
Thomas Kauffman, 52

**PAST STATE PRESIDENTS**

Arthur Gonyea, Chr., 2486  
Laverne Graham, 825  
Don Rettinger, 2311

**CREDENTIALS**

Ronald Stickney, Chr., 825  
Charles Poyfair, 825  
Wesley Barnes, 616  
John Lewis, Jr., 2640  
Donald Raymond, 825

**PUBLICITY**

Al Hubbard, Chr., 2119  
John Bartolotta, 52  
Alfred Smith, 1253

**JUDICIARY**

Gordon Brenenstuhl, Chr., 2467  
Edward Seuling, 616  
Richard Pottorff, 1253

**BANQUET**

Dan O'Neil, Chr., 2119  
Richard Pottorff, 1253  
Milton T. Evans, 941

**STATE FUND RAISING**

Kenneth Decker, Chr., 1253  
James Kozanitis, 96  
Ralph Verno, 52

**STATE OF THE ORDER**

Art Chichon, Chr., 2692  
Verne Graham, 2486  
Art Gonyea, 2486  
Robert Woodruff, 52  
Owen McNally, 2621

**GRIEVANCE AND APPEALS**

Stan Singer, Chr., 97  
Duane Dennison, 2640  
William Dobbs, 941

**NEW AERIES**

Douglass McDermott, Chr., 3904  
Al Thurber, 2467  
Robert Sabourin, 52

**PROGRAM AND ACTIVITIES**

James Telban, Chr., 52  
Norman Allen, 2692  
Duane Bruning, 825

**BLOOD DONORS**

Donald Cowan, Chr., 782  
Richard Travis, 3904  
Vincent Janiak, 544

**UNDER 35 CLUB**

James Russell, Chr., 52  
Richard Root, 3904  
Dan Pritchard, 941

**FIRE AND POLICE AWARDS**

Earle Willis, Chr., 3211  
Wes Barnes, 616  
Edward Hintz, 3818

**REPORT OF THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**

Read by Gordon Brenenstuhl, Hoosick Falls Aerie 2467

**RULES OF THE CONVENTION:**

Credentials for admission: Properly accredited delegates and Past Worthy Presidents, along with Ten Year Secretaries, shall obtain their credentials from the proper committee upon presentation of official receipts showing that they are in good standing in the Aerie.

No person shall be admitted to the main floor unless is a delegate, Past Worthy President, or Ten Year Secretary. He must display his credentials and deposit the daily attendance slip with the proper Aerie officer. A visiting member in good standing, not a delegate, may attend the convention sessions, in a section set aside by the committee, as a spectator only.

A delegate desiring to be heard on any subject, which is properly before the Aerie, shall rise, give the salutation sign, address the Worthy President, state his name and number of his Aerie. When recognized by the President, he may proceed.

A question indefinitely postponed shall not again be considered, except by the action of two thirds of the delegates voting again to take up the matter.

Voting shall be by the voting sign of the Order, except upon Roll Call, then it shall be by aye or nay vote. Any thirty persons may demand a roll call on any question, but such demand shall be made before voting on the question.

Nominating speeches shall be limited to three minutes each and seconding speeches to two minutes each.

The election shall convene in the ante room where the Credentials Committee is meeting on Saturday, June 21, 1986, from 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. Only official ballots to be received. The count shall begin promptly at the close of the polls and continue to the completion thereof.

Delegates must present their credentials and ballots depositing the latter in the ballot box. First ascertaining the number of votes indicated on the credential is identical with that indicated on the ballot and that no erasures appear thereon.

Any part of the issue not covered by the rules of the convention or the rules of order shall be governed by Robert's Rules of Order Revised.

At this time, it is customary to read the Order of Business for the convention, but in view of the fact there is no great change in the procedure as regards to previous sessions and also that copies of the Order of Business have been distributed to all of the delegates, I shall dispense with the reading of the same, if there is no objections. However, they will be included in the convention proceedings.

Hearing none, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur Cichon, Chr., 2692  
Robert Hutton, 782  
William Christensen, 941

A motion was made by Douglas McDermott, Addison Aerie 3904, seconded by James Russell, Rochester Aerie 52, and approved as read.

**ORDER OF BUSINESS — THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1986**

1. OPENING EXERCISES OF THE CONVENTION
2. ROLL CALL OF THE STATE OFFICERS
3. ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS AND OATH OF ALLEGIANCE
4. STATE COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS
5. REPORT OF THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE
6. APPROVAL OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE PREVIOUS CONVENTION
7. READING OF COMMUNICATIONS
8. FIRST REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE
9. REPORT OF THE STATE PRESIDENT
10. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
11. REPORT OF THE STATE SECRETARY
12. FIRST REPORT OF THE BY-LAW COMMITTEE
13. REPORT OF THE STATE TREASURER
14. REPORT OF THE PUBLICITY COMMITTEE
15. GOOD OF THE ORDER
16. RECESS

**ORDER OF BUSINESS — FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1986**

1. OPENING EXERCISES
2. REPORT OF THE G. A. HOSPITALITY ROOM COMMITTEE
3. REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION COMMITTEE
4. REPORT OF BLOOD DONOR COMMITTEE
5. REPORT OF SCOUTING COMMITTEE
6. FIRST REPT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE
7. REPORT OF STATE BOWLING COMMITTEE
8. REPORT OF THE BY-LAW COMMITTEE
9. REPORT OF STATE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
10. REPORT OF THE IN MEMORIAM COMMITTEE
11. REPORT OF THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMITTEE
12. REPORT OF FIREMEN AND POLICEMEN COMMITTEE
13. SECOND REPORT OF THE CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE
14. REPORT OF THE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR
15. REPORT OF THE NEW AERIE COMMITTEE
16. REPORT OF THE STATE ARTHRITIS FUND COMMITTEE
17. REPORT OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY COMMITTEE
18. REPORT OF THE UNDER 35 CLUB
19. REPORT OF THE STATE FUND RAISING
20. REPORT OF THE HOME AND FAMILY COMMITTEE
21. NOMINATION OF OFFICERS
22. RECESS

**ORDER OF BUSINESS — SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 1986**

1. OPENING EXERCISES
2. REPORT OF THE YOUTH GUIDANCE COMMITTEE
3. REPORT OF THE CANCER RESEARCH COMMITTEE
4. REPORT OF THE R.E.A.C. COMMITTEE
5. REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

6. REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE
7. REPORT OF THE JIMMY DURANTE FUND COMMITTEE
8. SECOND REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE
9. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
10. REPORT OF THE STATE BANQUET COMMITTEE
11. REPORT OF THE NET GAIN COMMITTEE
12. REPORT OF THE GOLDEN EAGLE FUND COMMITTEE
13. REPORT OF THE HOME TOWNS COMMITTEE
14. REPORT OF PROGRAM ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE
15. REPORT OF THE MAX BAER HEART FUND COMMITTEE
16. FINAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE
17. REPORT OF THE PAST STATE PRESIDENTS COMMITTEE
18. REPORT OF THE STATE OF THE ORDER COMMITTEE
19. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS
20. REPORT OF THE SPEAKERS COMMITTEE
21. REPORT OF THE ELECTION COMMITTEE
22. REPORT OF THE GRIEVANCE AND APPEALS COMMITTEE
23. REPORT OF THE RITUALISTIC COMMITTEE
24. INSTALLATION OF THE STATE AERIE OFFICERS
25. ADJOURNMENT

**READING OF COMMUNICATIONS**

State Secretary Monroe presented the following communications for disposition by the delegates:

From the Grand Aerie informing the delegates that Grand Trustee Laverne "Shorty" Weber, Grand Aerie Outside Guard Robert Myers, and Eastern Regional President Robert Wahls would represent the Grand Aerie during the Convention. Filed.

From the Grand Aerie Publications Department thanking New York State Aerie for the ad to be placed in the Grand Aerie Convention book. Filed.

From Grand Aerie Comptroller listing all the delinquent Aeries in the State jurisdiction. Referred to the State Executive Committee.

From the Grand Aerie Membership Department enclosing a list of all commissions and surveys issued. Filed.

From the Grand Aerie convention with all the information on the events and special guests at the Grand Aerie Convention to be held in Columbus, Ohio. Filed.

From the Grand Aerie informing New York State they are entitled to four votes at the Grand Aerie Convention to be held in Columbus, Ohio. Referred to the State Executive Committee.

From Grand Secretary D. D. Dunlap saying all the Grand Aerie Officers would like to attend the Convention being held in Binghamton, but that would be quite impossible. Wished everyone a great Convention and continued success. Filed.

From Grand Secretary D. D. Dunlap thanking State President Ray Haggerty for having year. Along with the letter was a Past State President's Certificate and plaque of the Grand Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles. Filed.

From Grand Aerie Secretary concerning the parade to be held in Columbus at the Grand Aerie Convention. Also included was a letter from the Chairman of the parade, Marshall Malloy, for our entry in the parade. Filed.

It was moved by Brother Monroe that the actions taken during the reading of the communications be approved. This was seconded by Robert Butts, Elmira Aerie 941, and carried.

## FIRST REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

Read by Ronald Stickney, Chr., Lockport Aerie 825

Brother Delegates:

Following is a partial report of the Credentials Committee:

Grand Aerie Representatives .....	2
State Officers .....	13
Past State Presidents .....	10
Delegates .....	62
Alternates .....	5
Past Worthy Presidents .....	68
Total Votes .....	204
Total Credentials Issued .....	97

It was moved by Brother Stickney that this partial report be adopted as read. This was seconded by James Russell, Rochester Aerie 52, and approved.

## STATE PRESIDENTS REPORT

Read by State President Raymond Haggerty, Binghamton Aerie 2119

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers and my Brothers:

This is the report of a very humble President. I never thought that I would ever be State President when I joined the Eagles in 1968. My thanks go out to the Aeries and Auxiliaries who have made my year such a great one. The hospitality and friendship shown to Mary and I is something that we'll never forget. The welcome signs and gifts were special!

My theme, "Sail with Ray — Get a Member Today," found me sailing across the lake to Toronto for my first official visit and a very pleasant one. Next to Middletown for the Hyde Park Ceremony and so on across the State for about 25,000 miles, and we visited 35 Aeries on our tours.

My sincere thanks to all Aerie members who worked hard this year to get my quota of 3,500. We didn't make it but sure gave it a try!! Thanks to Doug and Iris McDermott — there was one new Aerie to make us a Bell-Ringer State.

A lot of credit is due "Woody" Bob Woodruff as Membership Director for a job well done again this year; thanks Bob. The Zone Directors and leaders as well as local membership chairmen are to be commended on the fine job they did.

To Past State Secretary Shorty Weber, thanks for your support and guidance, and to the present Secretary Wayne Monroe, you're doing a great job!

It is rewarding to see New York get so many grants, but thanks to you people who do such a good job with the fund raisers we deserve them!

Special thanks go to my Aerie and Auxiliary for their support over the years.

I'm sorry that the Quebec Brothers decided to go for a State Aerie of their own, but wish them the best.

To All Hubbard and his Officers, I wish them the best and trust that he will have as good a year or better than mine.

In closing, I want to again say "Thank You" to each and every one of you for your friendship and hospitality and a special thank you to Madam President Marianne Barnes for her friendship throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Raymond P. Haggerty  
State President

It was moved by Earle Willis, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, that this report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Charles Straub, Glens Falls Aerie 2486, and approved.

Under Special Order of Business, Laverne "Shorty" Weber presented Brother Earle Willis, as representative from the Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, with a plaque from the Eagle Press Association to take back to the editors of the Bulletin Press as runner-up.

State President Haggerty then introduced Grand Aerie Outside Guard Robert Meyers. Brother Meyers spoke highly of everyone at the convention and complimented State President Haggerty for an outstanding job he did as State President. Brother Meyers complimented the Membership Committee on a job well done and stressed how important the membership drive should be. He thanked New York State for a great year and more to come.

Laverne "Shorty" Weber was introduced by State President Haggerty who told everyone how proud he was with their accomplishments and achievements, especially the Membership Committee. He noted that November and December are home and family months and asked that everyone hold programs for the children during those months to bring the families back together. He again offered thanks to everyone over the past year.

## STATE SECRETARY'S REPORT

Read by State Secretary Wayne Monroe, Elmira Aerie 941

Brother Delegates:

When I was approached back in December to see if I was interested in becoming your State Secretary, I was extremely honored. After some thought and discussing it with other people, I said yes. Then when all the State Officers met in Ithaca to give Brother Haggerty permission to make the appointment, this was certainly one of the highlights of my Eagle career.

Little did I realize at the time what an important office this is but with the help of Shorty Weber and Al Lane, I'm learning quite rapidly. A little mix-up here and there, but overall I'm sure we are gaining. I would like to thank all of you for your confidence in me and I will do my best to help make New York Aerie one of the best.

State President Ray Haggerty was a little short of his goal, but the highlight was the installation of the Wayland Aerie. Ray and Brother Doug McDermott should be extremely proud.

To Bob Woodruff my heartfelt thanks for staying on as Membership Director. Under his fine direction, I know we are going to make great strides in 1986-87. We have 16,000 on the rolls now. The decline is due to Quebec leaving and becoming a provincial aerie. Our best wishes to them. We lost 8 Aeries of our New York team.

The Grand Aerie Convention in Denver was a great success. A large number of the New York Aeries attended. Our own Shorty Weber continued on in his journey to become Grand Aerie President. Best of luck to Shorty in reaching his goal. The hospitality room was a success due to the cooperation of all concerned, even though our own State President set off the fire alarm.

The fall conference in Elmira was a great success, as was the spring conference in Olean. They are all great people and both conferences were very well run by each Aerie.

We have received and handed out a number of grants throughout the jurisdiction and will have more forthcoming. It's through your efforts and generosity that we receive these. The more money we send to the Grand Aerie, the more we receive in grants.

Sports are really coming along. The State Bowling Tournament in Lockport was a huge success. The guys and gals really went all out to make this happen. Mr. & Mrs. bowling in Hornell and the State Softball Tournament in Watertown also were well attended and were run with class.

To All Hubbard with his slogan of "Fill Hubbard's Cupboard," we should make great strides again. With Bob Woodruff greeting the State Membership and all the State Officers giving their all, I'm sure that we in New York will have another good year.

To the Grand Aerie representatives present, we in New York thank you for coming. We will follow your steps through the Grand Aerie and always remember your visit to our great State.

I want to thank all of you again for being patient with your State Secretary for the last 3 months, but I promise to do much better. If I can be of any help, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,  
Wayne H. Monroe, 941  
State Secretary

### STATE SECRETARY'S FINANCIAL REPORT

June 1, 1985 thru May 31, 1986

Receipts	November	May	Total
State Per Capita Tax Local Aeries	\$ 5,134.75	\$ 6,789.70	\$11,903.65
State Membership Dept.	3,044.00	4,317.00	7,361.00
State Fund Raising	404.00	100.00	504.00
State Legislative Committee	50.00	-0-	50.00
State Arthritis Fund	6,743.90	100.00	6,843.90
State Convention Credentials Committee	2,669.40	-0-	2,669.40
G. A. Hospitality Room & Parade	291.00	1,104.30	1,395.30
State Convention Advance 1986	-0-	1,000.00	1,000.00
Bank Interest	310.30	374.89	685.19
State Auxiliary ad in G. A. Con. Journal - 1986		125.00	125.00
State Emblem Pins	155.75	-0-	155.75
State Auxiliary Convention Badges - 1985	126.70	-0-	126.70
New Orleans G.W.P. Fund		139.60	139.60
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$18,929.80</b>	<b>\$14,050.49</b>	<b>\$32,980.29</b>

Expenditures	November	May	Total
State Secretary's Salary	\$ 464.76	\$ 714.50	\$ 1,179.26
State Treasurer's Allowance	50.00	50.00	100.00
State President's Visits - Haggerty	1,186.80	1,239.87	2,426.61
Various Assignments	346.50	872.70	1,219.20
State Telephone	366.30	324.00	690.30
State Treasurer's Office Expense	54.50	55.00	109.50
State Membership Awards	907.59	-0-	907.59
State Convention Misc. Expense - 1985	3,374.40	-0-	3,374.40
State Officers Bond	26.25	-0-	26.25
Ad in G. A. Convention Journal - 1986	-0-	250.00	250.00
Ad in State Convention Journal - 1986	-0-	120.00	120.00
State Secretary's Office Expense	188.30	21.09	209.39
Fire-Police Award Plaques - 1985	168.15	-0-	168.15
State Postage	511.40	306.86	818.26
Social Security Tax	35.25	106.25	141.50
Delegates to G. A. Convention - 1985	-0-	-0-	-0-
Canadian Debit	189.62	220.30	409.92
State Arthritis Fund Grants	5,000.00	-0-	5,000.00
State Legislative Expense	-0-	-0-	-0-
G. A. Hospitality Room Expense - 1985	-0-	976.00	976.00
State Printing	464.24	354.67	818.91
Floral Sprays	-0-	-0-	-0-
State Membership Meetings	830.31	687.55	1,517.86
State Membership Office Expense	99.45	49.40	148.85
State Officers Fall Convention - Olean	-0-	1,491.00	1,491.00
State Officers Spring & Fall Conference - Elmira	1,666.50	-0-	1,666.50
Eastern Regional Conference Expense - Plainfield	776.20	-0-	776.20
Grand Aerie Supplies	34.46	-0-	34.46
State Auxiliary Convention Advance	-0-	-0-	-0-
Printing State Convention Proceedings - 1985	-0-	2,086.50	2,086.50
State Convention Expense - 1986	-0-	166.46	166.46
State Convention Assignments - 1986	2,520.10	-0-	2,520.10
Bank Charges - Checks, etc.	118.75	1.00	119.75
Hyde Park Ceremony	152.30	-0-	152.30
State Officers Badges	-0-	154.80	154.80
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$20,508.13</b>	<b>\$ 9,271.90</b>	<b>\$29,780.02</b>

### RECAPITULATION

Balance as of June 1, 1985	\$11,060.83
Receipts June 1, 1985 thru May 31, 1986	32,980.29
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$44,041.12</b>
Expenditures June 1, 1985 thru May 31, 1986	29,780.02
Balance May 31, 1986	\$14,261.10

A motion was made by Joseph Chalk, Elmira Aerie 941, seconded by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie 544, and unanimously approved that the report be adopted as read. This was approved.

### STATE TREASURER'S REPORT

Read by State Treasurer Kenneth Decker, Ithaca Aerie 1253

To the Officers and members of the New York State Aerie assembled at our 80th Annual Convention in Binghamton, New York, I submit the following report as a true balance of the New York State Aerie account as of May 31, 1986. This account is verified by the auditors of the Tompkins County Trust Company, Ithaca, New York.

Balance — June 1, 1985	\$11,060.83
Receipts	33,305.79
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$44,366.62</b>
Disbursements:	
Checks #482 through #699	29,250.38
Canadian Debit	409.92
Checks — Service Chg. — Returned Checks	445.25
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$30,105.55</b>
Receipts	\$44,366.62
Disbursements	30,105.55
Checks Out	731.70
<b>Balance — May 31, 1986</b>	<b>\$14,992.77</b>

Respectfully submitted,  
Kenneth B. Decker  
State Treasurer

A motion was made by Al Hubbard, Binghamton Aerie No. 2119, seconded by Al Thornton, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, and approved.

### REPORT OF THE PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Read by Al Hubbard, Chr., Binghamton Aerie 2119

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers and my Brother Delegates:

Publicity in any town or city is almost nothing. Our local newspaper was notified of our State Convention, as was our local television station, Channel 12, WNBC-TV. They are to cover this convention and I am sure they will.

This Committee feels that more publicity is needed for our Fraternal Organizations to tell the public of our charity work, and the money we donated to research to help them live longer and stay in good health.

Respectfully submitted,  
Al Hubbard, Chr., 2119  
John Bartolotta, 52  
Alfred Smith, 1253

It was moved by Brother Hubbard that this report be adopted as presented. This was seconded by Duane Dennison, Hornell Aerie 2640, and carried.

A number of announcements were then made with regard to committee meetings, the Ritualistic Competition, hospitality rooms and banquets. There being no further business for the day, the meeting was adjourned at 4:25 P.M. until Friday, June 20th at 10:00 A.M.

### STATE OFFICERS' BANQUET

The annual State Officers' Banquet was held at the Holiday Arena Inn in downtown Binghamton on Thursday evening, June 19th, beginning at 6:30 P.M. As usual, all State Officers were in attendance. State Membership Director Robert "Woody" Woodruff and Zone Director Al Thornton were also present.

A large number of Past State Presidents were there to liven up the meeting. Al Lane, Bill Carrick, Art Gonyea, Vern Graham, Don Rettinger and Wayne Monroe. Guests were Grand Aerie Trustee Laverne "Shorty" Weber, who later was to become Grand Worthy Vice-President in Columbus, Ohio. Bob Myers, Grand Aerie Outside Guard, and Bob Wahls, Eastern Regional President, were also in attendance.

There was much discussion about admitting the outgoing State President to the club but after all was said and done, Ray Haggerty was admitted. A delicious meal was served and a short State Officers' Meeting was held.

### SECOND SESSION

The second session of the 80th Annual State Convention was convened on Friday, June 20, 1986 at 10:15 A.M. by State President Raymond Haggerty.

Following the opening ceremonies, the obligation and Oath of Allegiance to the new members were given by Past State President Kenneth Decker, Ithaca Aerie 1253.

### REPORT OF THE GRAND AERIE HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

Read by William Carrick, Chr., Empire Aerie 544.

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers, Delegates and my Brothers:

The Committee and I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for making the Sailboat of Cheer such a big success, because without your help this could not have been accomplished. The success of our Hospitality Room at the Grand Aerie Convention showed every Eagle visitor our feelings for our own Grand Officer Laverne "Shorty" Weber. Looking forward to seeing you all in Columbus.

Respectfully submitted,

William Carrick, Chr. 544  
Robert Butts, 941  
Wilbur Button, 616  
Elliott Becker, 544  
James Russell, 52

It was moved by Brother Carrick that the report be adopted as presented. This was seconded by Earle Willis, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, and carried.

### REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION COMMITTEE

Read by Gordon Brenenstuh, Chr., Hoosick Falls Aerie 2467

Formed in 1944 for the purpose of assuring an education and health aid to the children of Eagle members who had been killed in the line of duty while fighting a war to protect their country, this Foundation has been very successful.

Since then, the Foundation has been expanded to include children of these members who belong to Police, Fire and Volunteer Fire Departments.

In the event of a death in the line of duty, the children of these members can be assisted in maintaining their health and education.

We would like to advise each Aerie to contact the Memorial Foundation at 4160 14th Street, West Bradenton, FL 33505, for updated information. By doing this, each Aerie will have the necessary information on file if needed.

Respectfully submitted,

Gordon Brenenstuh, Chr., 2467  
Kenneth Wormley, 3904  
Elliott Becker, 544

It was moved by Brother Brenenstuh that this report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Charles Straub, Glens Falls 2486 and approved.

### REPORT OF THE BLOOD DONORS COMMITTEE

Read by Donald Cowan, Chr., Watertown Aerie 782.

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers, Brother Delegates and Guests:

The Blood Bank Committee has reports from two Aeries. Hornell Aerie has had two blood clinics in the past year and have collected a total of 51 pints of blood. They have one scheduled in July. Watertown has had two in the last year and collected over 100 pints. They have another one scheduled in July.

Blood is a gift of life. We urge more Aeries to get involved. You or one of your own may need this service some day. This is a part of our work, "People Helping People."

Respectfully submitted,

Donald Cowan, Chr., 782  
Richard Travis, 3904  
Vincent Janiak, 544

A motion was made by Duane Dennison, Hornell Aerie 2640, seconded by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie 544, and carried.

### REPORT OF THE STATE BOWLING COMMITTEE

Read by Robert Sharkey, Chr., Rochester Aerie 52:

The following is the financial report for the 39th annual tournament:

#### FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE 1986 NEW YORK STATE BOWLING TOURNAMENT

RECEIPTS:	
Balance as of September 30, 1985 .....	\$ 3,273.15
Voided checks, 1985 Tournament .....	62.00
1986 Tournament Advance .....	300.00
Receipts from Entry Fees — 1986 Tournament .....	15,087.95
Total	\$18,723.10
EXPENDITURES:	
Allie Brandt Bowling Lanes, Inc. — 6,756 games at \$1.00 per game .....	\$ 6,756.00
Donald Singleton - Tournament Secretary - 6,756 games at 15¢ per game .....	1,013.40
Donald Singleton - Scorekeepers - 6,756 games at 10¢ per game .....	675.60
Donald Singleton - Clerical - Writing Checks .....	15.00
Total Prize Money .....	5,356.00
Bowling Directors Meeting - October - Lockport .....	479.95
Bowling Directors Annual Meeting - June - Lockport .....	370.10
Joseph Kibler, Bowling Association Secretary - Salary .....	50.00
Joseph Kibler, Office Supplies - Telephone - Postage .....	29.80
Robert Sharkey - Special Meeting - Lockport .....	50.00
A. J. Laux - Applications and Posters .....	145.05
A. J. Laux - Score Sheets .....	275.53
Returned Check .....	19.95
Bank Service Charge .....	5.00
Marine Midland Bank - Checks .....	3.00
Total	\$15,244.38



### RECAPITULATION

Balance as of September 30, 1985 .....	\$ 3,273.15
Total Receipts .....	15,449.95
	Total \$18,723.10
TOTAL EXPENDITURES .....	\$15,244.38
BALANCE — June 10, 1986 .....	\$ 3,478.72

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Sharkey, Chr., 52  
Richard Forkell, 52

It was moved by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie 544, that this report be approved as read. This seconded by Richard Knapp, Elmira Aerie 941, and approved.

### REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Read by Daniel O'Neil, Binghamton Aerie 2119.

Grand Aerie Representatives, Staff Officers and Brother Delegates:

Liability insurance has been one of the biggest burdens all of our Aeries have had in the past few years. The costs have doubled and tripled. To find out the actions and the feelings of our State representatives, a letter and a copy of the Drum Shop Liability in Wisconsin was sent to Congressman Matthew McHugh. Congressman McHugh responded stating that as this is a State issue, he was referring the letter to our New York State Legislator, the Honorable Richard Miller. Honorable Miller in turn sent a letter stating that he is currently in the process of reviewing several proposals similar to those discussed in the article and assured us that he will give our comments serious consideration when voting on such legislation.

Respectfully submitted,

Thorney Dawson, Chr., 2269  
Charles Poyfair, 825  
Daniel O'Neil, 2119

Brother O'Neil moved that this report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Duane Bruning, Lockport Aerie 825, and approved.

Following this report, Charles Straub, Glens Falls Aerie 2486, discussed the Jar Ticket Legislation Bill which will legalize the Lucky 7 tickets being sold in the Aeries. Brother Straub asked everyone to send a letter to their Senator advising how important these tickets are for charitable organizations. This was agreed to by all present.

Under Special Order of Business, State President Haggerty introduced an honored guest, New York State Madam President Marianne Barnes. Madam President Barnes thanked everyone for their hospitality and noted how they have been received with open arms. She then presented a check for the Arthritis Fund with the monies being raised by the Aeries. She advised that \$6,182.26 had been donated by the Auxiliaries. Brother Haggerty thanked Madam President Barnes for the continued support of the Auxiliary.

### REPORT OF THE IN MEMORIAM COMMITTEE

Given by Vincent Sharf, Chr., Buffalo Aerie 46.

Brother Sharf paid the highest tribute to our beloved dead and stated there are Charters throughout the State in their memory. As noted by Charles Dennison, if we could just for one moment see into the vastness of eternity, most of us would change our ways to make the best of all our days.

Brother Sharf asked all to rise and stand in silent meditation as he called upon past State Trustee Chester P. Halliday, Buffalo Aerie 46, to offer prayer for all our beloved dead. The delegation stood in silence as Brother Halliday offered a short prayer.

The Committee then proposed that the 1986 State Convention be closed in memory of Brother George Green, Gloversville Aerie 482, and that a half page in the State Proceedings be dedicated to this action.

Respectfully submitted,

Vincent Sharf, Chr., 46  
Chester Halliday, 46  
Peter Cangialosi, 52

It was moved by Brother Sharf that the report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie 544, and approved.

### REPORT OF THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMITTEE AND THE STATE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Read by Mark LaRue, Chr., Olean Aerie 616.

Worthy President and My Brother Delegates:

This will be a joint report of the Athletic Committee and the State Golf Tournament. Everywhere you go, more and more Eagles are getting involved in sports. Be it softball, golf, bowling, darts or horseshoes, organized sports is on the rise. The State Softball Tournament has increased every year and there seems to be a renewed interest in the State Bowling Tourney for men and women alike. Darts, pool and horseshoes are becoming more and more popular.

Then there's golf. 28 Aerie members met Wednesday, June 18th, at the "Genegeslat" Golf Course for some fun in the sun. Calculators and adding machines were needed in some cases but after the smoke cleared, the following awards were presented. Low Gross — Dave Watkins (traveling trophy) 1st, Paul Macovich 2nd, and George McGrain 3rd. For Low Net — Mike Fahy, 1st, Don Rettinger 2nd, and Jake Cocuzzi 3rd. Closest to the pin award was awarded to Jake Cocuzzi, longest drive award went to Mike Fahy, and the highest score reported — 189 — was deemed to be Joe Cangialosi.

Our thanks to Binghamton for their early hospitality and a special thanks to Dewitt Brundage for his efforts as local Chairman and Dave Watkins as State Chairman.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark LaRue, Chr., 616  
Merle Baylor, 941  
Salvatore Ventura, 2692  
Dave Watkins, Golf Chr., 1260  
Ray Sage, 52

Brother LaRue made a motion that this joint report be adopted as read. This was seconded by William Christenson, Elmira Aerie 941, and carried.

### REPORT OF THE POLICE AND FIREFIGHTERS COMMITTEE

Read by Earle Willis, Co-Chr., Maple Leaf Aerie 2311.

Grand Aerie Representatives, Worthy State President, My Brother Delegates and Visitors:

On behalf of Brother Wes Barnes and myself, I would like to express our thanks to Worthy State President Ray Haggerty for the opportunity of serving on the Police and Firefighters Award Committee as Co-Chairmen. We will, with the help of the State Aeries, do our best to fulfill the obligations of this position.

It was quite gratifying to have five letters submitted for consideration this year. Our Police and Firefighters put their lives on the line every day as they perform their duties to serve the public in many ways. If you do not have a name to submit for either award, it is quite possible a member of either one of these departments has performed a heroic deed in the town or city just down the road. To be a recipient, he or she does not have to be a member of The Fraternal Order of Eagles.

As most of you are aware through the Memorial Fund of the Order, we provide medical, dental and educational assistance to the children of Aerie and Auxiliary members who are either Policemen, Firefighters or Volunteer Firefighters and lose their lives in the performance of their duties. It is your duty to inform a member of either one of these professions of this coverage when they become a member of the Order. It is imperative that any name submitted for this award be in our hands no later than the Spring State Officer's Meeting. The nomination must be accompanied by a letter from the Aerie and newspaper clipping documenting his or her act of bravery. A plaque is presented each year to the Policeman and the Firefighter for his or her heroic deed. If your nominee was not the State winner this year, you could still hold a night for him or her in your own Aerie and show your appreciation for the heroic deed performed.

The Policeman this year is Charles House from Ithaca, New York, and the Firefighter is Ross Wakefield from Toronto, Ontario. If anyone would like to see the plaque for the Firefighter, it will be up front after the meeting on the table.

Once again, thanking you on behalf of Wes Barnes and myself for the privilege of serving on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Wes Barnes, Co.-Chr., 616  
 Earle Willis, Co.-Chr., 2311

It was moved by Charles Straub, Glens Falls Aerie 2486, that the report be adopted as read. William Bell, Watertown Aerie 782, seconded the motion and it was carried.

**SECOND REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE**

Read by Ronald Stickney, Chr., Lockport Aerie 825.

Brother Delegates:

This is the second report of the Credentials Committee:

Grand Aerie Representatives .....	3
State Officers .....	14
Past State Presidents .....	10
Delegates .....	78
Alternates .....	6
Past Worthy Presidents .....	86
Total Votes .....	228
Total Credentials Issued .....	122

Brother Stickney moved that this partial report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Al Hubbard, Binghamton Aerie 2119, and approved.

Under Special Order of Business, Grand Outside Guard Robert Meyers congratulated Brother Al Hubbard on the outstanding job he did as Convention Chairman, and also thanked everyone for their hospitality extended to him. He then invited Brother Stanley Singer, Utica Aerie 97, to come forward and highly praised Brother Singer's dedication. Brother Singer was then presented a Leprechaun as a token of appreciation. Brother Meyers stated he was looking forward to Canada and commented on how this would be such an honor for Brother Weber.

**REPORT OF THE STATE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR**

Read by Robert Woodruff, State Membership Director, Rochester Aerie 52.

Worthy State President and Fellow Delegates of New York and Eastern Canada:

As the curtain rings down on our 1985-1986 fiscal year, we fell a few hundred short of our President Raymond P's goal of 3,500. It was all up hill this year, as many Aeries fell short of our anticipation. We reached 40 quota Aeries this year and our State total of 2,636 new members did not make a bad number as far as I am concerned.

The addition of Wayland 4125 was a bright light at the end of the tunnel. The loss of Zone 5 in March didn't help as they were starting to come alive. But now we can all concentrate on putting the numbers on the board in all zones during 1986-1987 under our new State leader Al "Cupboard" Hubbard from our host City, Binghamton. Along the way, we pushed our membership program of "Sail With Ray" but the sailboat couldn't generate that steady gust of wind all year long. I'm sure my good friend Fran Sophia of the Auxiliary Membership Department held back the wind on us, and once again has her little act put together for another great show here at the Convention.

The complete program and prize awards we set out with this year went over real well, and our new idea of plaques and awards were well received. As we now ring down the curtain on 1985-1986, we must take up the challenge for 1986-1987. The membership highlights of the past year were as follows: Again, we had 40 Aeries — also 30 ten member producers, 95 three member in one month producers. Top State Producers were Brother Bob Woodruff of Rochester, #52, with 29 new members and the following Brothers as runner-ups: W. Hanson, Niagara Falls, Aerie #88, and H. Royer of Saratoga Springs Aerie #2586. All the above received a cash award and plaque.

Watertown Aerie #786 again took the Aerie by storm as they were 5 times monthly producers, as well as the winners of the following awards: State Secretary Month, Past State President's Cup, and the Ralph E. Pauley Award in May for most members, and they climaxed the year with the State Aerie Plaque with 343 new members for the year. Had it not been for the "New Watertown Aerie #782", this year our total would have been that much shorter of the 3,500.

All in all, we all did our best and we of the Membership Department say thank you one and all. To Doug McDermott, we say thanks for Wayland Aerie #4125 this year which was instituted on May 9, 1986 with 70 charter members, and trust you will watch over and guide it so it doesn't falter during the upcoming year. To our great Membership Department who I've had the honor to lead these past 3 years, my personal thanks to you all for your efforts. You all know who you are.

Enough said. To all our Aeries, thanks to all of you on the local Aerie level. You pushed to the utmost. Our Department thanks you for all your efforts. To all past and present State Officers thanks for the help in making membership a topic during your visits to the local Aeries when you were on the road.

Last, but not in the least, to your Worthy President Raymond P. I thank you for a fantastic year in my book. You were on the road "Sailing With Ray," pushing the programs you set a year ago, to the utmost. Your leadership during the year never faltered, and your dedication was as big as your heart. We all know that you are a Bell Ringer now and always will be in the eyes of your Brother Eagles, wherever you travel. Thanks boss, you were great to work for. To my new boss Al "Cupboard" Hubbard, we all look forward to your year ahead and the Membership Department trusts we can continue to do the tasks you set forth for us, and we will to the best of our ability in every way possible, carry them out.

In closing Brother Delegates, thank you for your patience in listening to my report, and now you'll continue to have the drive and ambition in the years to come as we've had in the past. I promise you I'll devote all my energy to do my part whenever called upon. God bless you one and all and enjoy the rest of this great convention here in Binghamton.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Robert "Woody" Woodruff  
 State Membership Director

It was moved by Brother Woodruff that the report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Tom Evans, Elmira Aerie 941, and approved.

Following the adoption of the report, Brother Woodruff gave out several individual producer awards and presented Brother Douglas McDermott, Wayland Aerie 4125, with a plaque for the new Aerie.

## REPORT OF THE NEW AERIES COMMITTEE

Read by Douglas McDermott, Chr., Addison Aerie 3904.

Worthy State President, Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers and Brother Delegates:

During the past year, we have had some activity around the State with organizers working on Aeries in Watkins Glen, Livonia and Wayland.

We are happy to report one new unit was brought into our New York State family this past year.

Wayland Aerie 4145, located in Wayland, NY, was instituted on May 9, 1986 with 70 charter members on the roster. The organizer was Douglas McDermott.

I am sorry to report there have been no reports turned in from Watkins Glen or Livonia.

New Aeries are vital to our organization so let us all go back home and investigate the possibility of organizing a new Aerie in your vicinity. The rewards are great and only if we really try can we do it — so let's try.

I would like to thank Worthy State President Ray for appointing me to the committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Douglas McDermott, Chr., 3904  
Al Thurber, 2467  
Robert Sabourin, 52

Earle Willis, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, moved that this report be adopted as read. This we seconded by Robert Sabourin, Rochester Aerie 52, and approved.

## REPORT OF THE STATE ARTHRITIS COMMITTEE

Read by Wilbur Button, Chr., Olean 616

Grand Aerie Officers, State Officers and Brother Delegates:

As of June 1, 1986, we have a balance of \$7,174.17 in our fund. We gave out one grant to the Orthopaedic and Arthritic Hospital Foundation in Toronto for \$5,000 in 1985. I had the pleasure of being there with Brother Don Rettinger to present this check.

As of this date, this Committee has received no request for a grant this year. As you know, this is a New York State Project. We have the money to donate, but we have to have a request for grants to give it away.

I would like to thank State President Ray Haggerty for allowing me to chair this Committee. It has been a great pleasure. Thanks to all our Aerie's and Auxiliaries for your generous donations. Let us now have the Parade of Checks after which we will give you a complete and final report.

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE ARTHRITIS FUND

JULY 1, 1985 - MAY 31, 1986

Watertown Aerie #782 .....	\$ 270.00
Tonawanda Aerie #1411 .....	25.00
Olean Aerie #616 .....	85.00
Rochester Aerie #52 .....	1,644.70
Watertown Aerie #782 .....	300.00
Rochester Aerie #52 .....	50.00
Toronto Aerie #2311 .....	50.00
Olean Aerie #616 .....	160.00
Middletown Aerie #544 .....	40.00
	<b>\$2,624.70</b>

## CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED AT THE CONVENTION

Rochester Aerie #52 .....	600.00
Canajoharie Aerie #3846 .....	25.00
Middletown Aerie #544 .....	100.00
Elmira Aerie #941 .....	300.00
Endicott Aerie #2269 .....	200.00
Watertown Aerie #782 .....	200.00
Depew/Lancaster Aerie #2692 .....	725.00
Olean Aerie #616 .....	1,000.00
Binghamton Aerie #2119 .....	100.00
New York State Auxiliary .....	2,431.02
Glens Falls Aerie #2486 .....	766.04
	<b>\$6,447.06</b>

Previous Contributions .....	\$2,624.70
State Convention Donations .....	6,447.06

**OVERALL TOTAL \$9,071.76**

Checks were presented to University of Rochester Medical Center and Guthrie Foundation for Medical Research for \$5,000.00 each.

Respectfully submitted,

Wilbur Button, Chr., 616  
William Christensen, 941  
Thomas Kauffman, 52

A motion was made by Donald Rettinger, Maple Leaf Aerie #2311, seconded by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie #544 and approved.

## REPORT OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY COMMITTEE

Read by Laverne Graham, Lockport Aerie 825

State President, Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers and Brother Delegates:

Social Security has grown enormously within the past decade. Today, 36.5 million Americans receive its retirement, disability or survivor benefit checks. Over 4 million older widows and widowers also receive benefits, but in 1984, 3.3 million elderly people still live below the poverty level. Millions more subsist near the poverty level. This totals up to 9 billion dollars in payments each month making it our government's most successful social program.

With Medicare costs going up dramatically every year, and no relief is likely, predictions are that the Medicare will be bankrupt by 1996. Medicare income is barely sufficient to pay benefits and maintain the trust fund at the recommended 6 month reserve level over the next 6 years. Medicare will pay 76 billion in benefits in 1986. Other changes that Congress passed are a 15 month freeze on Medicare reimbursement for physicians service and hospital care. But the freeze is only temporary. If sky rocketing health care costs are to be controlled, Congress must come up with a more comprehensive program that places realistic limits on how much hospitals and physicians can raise their fees. The agreement also increases the monthly premium for Medicare Part B from 15.25 a month to an estimated 21.30 per month in 1987.

The Social Security Administration recommends that you have your social security checks sent to and deposited in a checking or savings account at a bank, savings and loan or credit union. This is not only a time-saving process which eliminates having to go to the bank, but also eliminates the possibility of theft, or the check getting lost in the mail. If you want to take a vacation or if you are away from home, you do not have to worry about your check sitting in your mailbox. Your money will be available in your account. To arrange for direct deposit, go to your financial organization. Get Form SF-1199; the people there will help you fill it out. Completion of the form only authorizes deposits in your account and only you or someone authorized can make a withdrawal from your account.

To those who are nearing the age where they will become eligible for benefits under Social Security, the local office has many pamphlets available explaining the procedure necessary to apply and the information for qualifying. They can also help you figure out what your monthly income will be under the plan. Anyone planning to retire should make application for benefits at least 3 months in advance, so when they do retire, payments will start promptly.

Your Social Security Committee recommends that every Aerie discuss the proposed changes with your members and write your Congress and Senators to support these changes and make the Social Security system worthwhile so all will be able to benefit by it when they reach the retirement age.

Respectfully submitted,

Laverne Graham, Chr., 825  
Stanley Singer, 97  
John Cady, 1575

Brother Graham moved that the report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Duane Bruning, Lockport Aerie 825, and carried.

Under Special Order of Business, Eastern Regional President Robert Walls advised everyone present how much he appreciated being invited to come to the Convention this year. Grand Aerie Trustee Laverne "Shorty" Weber congratulated Binghamton for the fine job on the convention and extended a safe trip home to everyone.

#### REPORT OF THE UNDER 35 CLUB COMMITTEE

Read by James Russell, Chr., Rochester Aerie 52

Brother Delegates:

The only Aerie to have an Under 35 Club is Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, Toronto, Ontario, as reported last year. A trip by this Club was taken to Watertown, NY Aerie 782 on May 10, 1986 to encourage the younger members of the Aerie to form their own group. Work is still in progress on this. The efforts put forth by this Under 35 Club have shown us that this Club within a Club is very healthy for Eagledom and should be pursued by all Clubs.

Respectfully submitted,

James Russell, Chr., 52  
Richard Root, 3904  
Dan Pritchard, 941

It was moved by Brother Russell that the report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Earle Willis, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, and approved.

Under Special Order of Business, Douglas McDermott, Wayland Aerie 4125, was escorted to the podium of Conductor Raymond Haggerty. Brother McDermott was presented with a plaque from the Grand Aerie for the hard work in bringing in a new Aerie and a job well done.

State Secretary Monroe then introduced Brother Al Lane of Tarrytown Aerie 1042. Brother Lane stated he was delighted to be at the Convention. Brother Lane then presented Brother Haggerty with a bell at which point Brother Haggerty thanked everyone.

Brother William Carrick, Empire Aerie 544, discussed projects for 1988. He advised that sheets will be sent to each Zone Director regarding projects for the next two years. Brother Carrick reiterated the strong support for Laverne "Shorty" Weber for Grand Worthy President and asked that each Aerie hold raffles, etc. in their clubs stating that all monies collected will be given to Brother Weber for New Orleans.

#### REPORT OF THE STATE FUND RAISING COMMITTEE

Given by Kenneth Decker, Chr., Ithaca Aerie 1253

Brother Delegates;

Another year has passed and I am happy to report that the New York State Aerie financial picture is again in the black due to the excellent manner the State Aerie Financial Officers have managed the funds.

Due to the continual rising costs of all necessary items, the committee feels that any and all donations to the State Aerie Fund are more than welcome.

During the past year the following donations were received:

Olean Aerie #616 .....	\$300.00
Binghamton Aerie #2119 .....	50.00
Empire Aerie #544 .....	100.00
Douglas McDermott .....	49.00
Robert Woodruff .....	5.00
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$504.00</b>

Respectfully submitted,

Kenneth Decker, Chr., 1253  
James Kozanitis, 96  
Ralph Verno, 52

A motion was made by Brother Decker, seconded by Mark LaRue, Olean Aerie #616, that the report be adopted as given. This was approved.

#### REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Read by Robert Woodruff, Chr., Rochester Aerie 52

My Brother Delegates:

After 2 days of much deliberation and soul searching, we of the Nominating Committee, who have the hardest working job at the Convention, have come to a decision. All candidates appeared before your Committee, pleaded their cases, and have made our report to you, the Delegates, much easier. We are happy to present to you our selections for the 1986-1987 New York State Aerie year:

Junior Past Worthy President .....	Raymond Haggerty, Tonawanda Aerie No. 1411
State President .....	Alvin Hubbard, Binghamton Aerie No. 2119
State Vice President .....	Gordon Brenstuhl, Hoosick Falls Aerie No. 2467
State Chaplain .....	Wilbur Button, Olean Aerie No. 616
State Secretary .....	Wayne Monroe, Elmira Aerie No. 941
State Treasurer .....	Kenneth Decker, Ithaca Aerie No. 1253
State Conductor .....	James Russell, Rochester Aerie No. 52
State Inside Guard .....	Douglas McDermott, Addison Aerie No. 3904
State Outside Guard .....	Donald Cowan, Watertown Aerie No. 782
State Trustee .....	Robert Butts, Elmira Aerie No. 941
State Trustee .....	Duane Bruning, Lockport Aerie No. 825
State Trustee .....	Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie 544
State Trustee .....	Mike Lopez, Glens Falls Aerie No. 2486

We thank State President Raymond P. Haggerty for giving us the opportunity to serve on this Committee once again.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Woodruff, Chr., 52  
Laverne "Shorty" Weber, 825  
William Carrick, 544  
Laverne Graham, 825  
Donald Rettinger, 2311

A motion was made by Brother Woodruff that the report of the Nominating Committee be adopted as read. This was seconded by Raymond Sage, Rochester Aerie 52, and approved

Following the adoption of the report, State President Haggerty called for nominations from the floor. The only contest was for the office of State Trustee. Ian Carry, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, was nominated by Earle Willis, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311. Brother Carry expressed his appreciation for the nomination but declined at this time. There being no further nominations, State President Haggerty declared the nominations closed and stated there would not be an election.

It was moved by Arthur Gonyea, Glens Falls Aerie 2486, seconded by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie No. 544, and approved that State Secretary Monroe cast one ballot for all the uncontested officers and State President Haggerty declared them duly elected.

A number of announcements were made with respect to hospitality rooms, committee meetings and the Past State President's Luncheon. State President Haggerty then recessed the second session of the Convention at 12:14 P.M. until Saturday, June 21, 1986, at 10:00 A.M.

### THIRD SESSION

The third session of the 80th Annual Convention of the New York State Aerie was called to order at 10:00 A.M., Saturday, June 21, 1986, by State President Haggerty. The obligation and Oath of Allegiance to the new members were given by Past State President Kenneth Decker, Ithaca Aerie 1253. Roll call of State Officers was held with all in attendance.

#### REPORT OF THE YOUTH GUIDANCE COMMITTEE

Read by John Lewis, Chr., Hornell Aerie 2640

Grand Aerie Officers, Brother Delegates, State Officers:

Only two reports were received by this Committee, one from Watertown Aerie 782 and the other from Hornell Aerie 2640. Both of these Aeries sponsored teams entered in Junior Softball Leagues for both boys and girls. They also sponsored teams in Little League Baseball.

It is our belief that every Aerie should get involved with the youth of the community. This is an excellent way in developing them into outstanding citizens for the future. With all of the vandalism and drug problems that seem to be widespread throughout the entire country, our youth of today needs all the help we can give them. From past experience, we know that a majority of the Aeries do have some form of youth activities. It is our hope that at our next Convention, more of the Aeries will publicize the activities their members are engaged in.

In conclusion, it is our hope that every Aerie will get involved with this project.

Respectfully submitted;

John E. Lewis, Sr., Chr., 2640  
William Cool, 3846  
Richard Meyers, 52

It was moved by Brother Lewis that the report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie No. 544, and approved.

#### REPORT OF THE CANCER RESEARCH COMMITTEE

Read by Robert Butts, Chr., Elmira Aerie 941

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers and Brother Delegates:

First, I would like to thank State President Ray Haggerty for appointing me as your State Cancer Chairman.

During the year from August 1, 1985 to May 29, 1986, total donations have been received in the amount of \$9,407.12. This amount includes funds going to Kidney and Muscular Dystrophy. A complete financial report will be in the convention proceedings.

The report from the Grand Aerie from August 1, 1985 to April 30, 1986 of contributions to Cancer, Kidney and Muscular Dystrophy is \$200,495.47 which goes strictly for research.

Unlike other fund raising organizations, we have no middle-man to grab a share. The next time your Aerie has a fund-raising event for Cancer, please participate. You'll have a great time and be helping a worthy cause that some day may help you or a loved one.

We will now have the parade of checks. Will Brothers John Cady and Wayne Sherlock please come forward to accept them. We thank you all for making this a great year.

### CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE AERIES AND AUXILIARIES OF NEW YORK STATE AND EASTERN CANADA

AUGUST 1, 1985 - JULY 31, 1986

No.	Location	Cancer Research	Kidney Fund	Muscular Dystrophy
52	Rochester	\$ 2,746.00	\$ 71.00	\$563.10
88	Niagara Falls	50.00	50.00	
97	Utica	100.00	25.00	
514	Schenectady	60.00	25.00	
544	Middletown	700.29	60.00	60.00
616	Olean	725.00	100.00	
782	Watertown	550.00	200.00	
825	Lockport	350.00	325.00	
941	Elmira	2,731.00	50.00	
1042	Tarrytown		45.00	
1253	Ithaca	100.00	110.48	
1260	Oneonta	25.00		
1411	Tonawanda	242.00	120.00	
1545	Ossining		25.00	
2145	Jamestown		50.00	
2191	Cortland		15.00	
2269	Endicott	285.00		
2299	Corning	2.00	7.00	
2447	Dunkirk	35.00	40.00	
2467	Hoosick Falls	50.00	15.00	
2486	Glens Falls	205.88		
2586	Saratoga Springs		25.00	
2640	Hornell	100.00	200.00	
2644	Johnson City	211.00	75.00	
2692	Depew/Lancaster	2,777.00	1,585.00	
3846	Canajoharie	75.00	25.00	25.00
3904	Addison	160.00	90.25	
	New York State	20.00	45.00	
	Miscellaneous	35.00		
2311	Toronto	2,603.18		
3155	Fort Erie	400.00	50.00	
2119	Binghamton	150.00		
	<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$15,488.35</b>	<b>\$3,428.73</b>	<b>\$648.10</b>

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED AT CONVENTION

	Cancer Research	Kidney Fund	Muscular Dystrophy
Watertown Aerie #782	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00	
Middletown Aerie #544	100.00		
Glens Falls Aerie #2486	205.88		
Endicott Aerie #2268	200.00		
Elmira Aerie #941	235.00		
Olean Aerie #616	600.00		
Binghamton Aerie #2119	100.00		
Depew/Lancaster Aerie #2692	2,692.00	1,500.00	
Boiling Pot Aerie #3846	50.00	25.00	
Toronto Aerie #2311	2,603.18		
Rochester Aerie #52	600.00		
TOTALS	\$ 7,486.06	\$1,625.50	\$ 0.00
Previous Contributions	\$15,488.35	\$3,428.73	\$648.10
Convention Donations	7,486.06	1,625.50	0.00
TOTALS	\$22,974.41	\$5,054.23	\$648.10

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Butts, Chr., 941  
John Cady, 1575  
Wayne Sherlock, 616

It was moved by Earle Willis, Maple Leaf Aerie #2311, seconded by Duane Bruning, Lockport Aerie #825 and approved.

REPORT OF THE R.E.A.C. COMMITTEE

Given by Kenneth Decker, Ithaca Aerie 1253

Grand Aerie Officers, State Officers and Brother Delegates:

Brother Decker advised that most R.E.A.C. Clubs are not very active, however, stated that both Elmira and Ithaca Aeries have good Clubs.

With reports from Elmira, Ithaca and Rochester, they noted that many different activities are planned and participated in. As examples, trips are taken 4 or 5 times a year, picnics are planned, along with numerous other activities for the benefit of the members. In most Clubs, meetings are held once a month.

Brother Decker asked that more Aeries become involved and begin their own R.E.A.C. Clubs for the benefit of retired Eagle members who still wish to remain involved and active in the activities of the Aerie.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken Decker, Chr., 1253  
Charles Haflett, 941  
Joseph Cangialosi, 52

It was moved by Richard Knapp, Elmira Aerie 941, seconded by Alvin Hubbard, Binghamton Aerie 2119 and unanimously approved that this report be adopted.

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

Read by Nicholas Hoffman, Chr., Gloversville Aerie 482

Grand Aerie Officers, State Officers and Brother Delegates:

We have examined the books and records of both the State Secretary and State Treasurer and find them to be accurate and properly maintained and in balance with the Bank Statement. The verified balance as of May 31, 1986 was \$14,261.07.

We commend Brother Monroe and Brother Decker for the excellent manner in which they have executed the duties of their office. A vote of thanks is given for their outstanding work.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicholas Hoffman, Chr., 482  
Ray Schnell, 616  
Richard Updike, 941

It was moved by Brother Hoffman that this report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Duane Bruning, Lockport Aerie 825, and unanimously approved.

REPORT OF THE BANQUET COMMITTEE

Read by Daniel O'Neil, Chr., Binghamton Aerie 2119.

Brother Delegates:

The Annual Convention Banquet will be held at the Holiday Inn Arena this evening, Saturday, June 21, 1986, starting at 6:30 P.M. sharp.

The Master of Ceremonies will be Past State President William Carrick.

Our sincere thanks to the Banquet Committee and the staff at the Holiday Inn for their cooperation and for Bill Carrick's help and advice.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel O'Neil, Chr., 2119  
Dick Pottorff, 1253  
Tom Evans, 941

It was moved by Brother O'Neil that this report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Duane Dennison, Hornell Aerie 2640, and approved.

REPORT OF THE NET GAIN COMMITTEE

Read by Edwin Drake, Chr., Ithaca Aerie 1253

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers and My Brothers:

Member Security (net gain) is the life line to our Aeries. The Grand Aerie sets quotas for each Aerie based on the number of members in each Aerie.

We should realize that in order to keep the balance in our Aeries, we should try to double our given quotas. This would balance out our memberships because we must consider attrition when looking at our net gain.

The main goal of the F.O.E. is to build its membership in each and every Aerie.

Respectfully submitted,

Edwin Drake, Chr., 1253  
Walter Robards, 2640  
William Mulhollen, 3904

It was moved by Brother Drake that the report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie 544, and carried.

Under Special Order of Business, Brother Robert Woodruff asked Brother William Carrick to come to the podium to make a presentation to State President Ray Haggerty. Brother Carrick presented Brother Haggerty with his Past State President's Certificate, his Past State President's Lapel Pin, his Past State President's Gold Card, and a small purse in appreciation for his fine tenure as State President.

State President Haggerty expressed his heartfelt thanks to everyone and for the honor of having been able to serve as State President.

Brother Al Thornton then spoke regarding the Grand Aerie Convention. He advised that donations were received from State Officers and from the State and that at present we have \$160.00 to turn over to Brother Weber for his hospitality room in New Orleans. He asked everyone for their help in supporting "Shorty" and asked that funds be donated from the Membership Committee and State Officers. This was moved by Richard Knapp, Elmira Aerie 941, and unanimously approved.

### REPORT OF THE BETTER HOME TOWN COMMITTEE

Read by Walter Robards, Hornell Aerie 2640

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers, Brother Delegates:

One of the best ways to make a better Home Town is to have an active committee in your home Aerie and living up to the Eagle Slogan, "People Helping People."

There are many numerous things to help make our Home Town a better place for ourselves and our families and all the families in the community. We should take time to visit shut-ins at home, in hospitals and nursing homes and let them know what is going on in the Aerie Home, and that we are interested in their welfare.

We should get involved in community affairs such as hockey, softball, football and bowling. We should honor leaders of our community such as Firemen, Policemen or other outstanding citizens.

Aeries should have different projects throughout the year involving the whole family such as Father's Day, family picnics and other family programs. Grants are available for sponsoring different programs from the Grand Aerie helping the community.

A better Home Town Committee is important to all Aeries. It's people like the members of all Aeries taking an active part in your Home Town that makes this a better world.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank Pooley, Chr., 941  
William Bell, III, 782  
Walter Robards, 2640

Brother Robards made a motion that this report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Duane Dennison, Hornell Aerie 2640, and approved.

### REPORT OF THE PROGRAM AND ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Read by James Telban, Chr., Rochester Aerie 52.

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers, Brother Delegates:

Programs and activities are the backbone of any organization. To recruit and retain members, local Aeries must provide the opportunity for its members to socialize and get to know each other. How many of the Brothers present here today would be here if it were not for some program or activity that their local Aerie held?

It is the duty of the Worthy President to appoint qualified chairmen for programs of the Aerie. It is the duty of these chairmen to staff their committees with dedicated, hard working people and also to publicize their programs and activities.

The vast majority of the Aeries in New York do provide some type of program and activity, be it charitable fund raising functions, bowling leagues, baseball teams, parties for the children during the holiday seasons, or just general get togethers to help Aerie members become better acquainted with each other.

If local Aeries need help, ideas or suggestions, they are available from the Grand Aerie Programs and Activities Department. Just write to them and you will receive the help you need to keep your Aeries vibrant and alive.

Remember, successful Aeries have successful programs and activities. Keep up the good work and have another successful year.

Respecefully submitted,

James R. Telban, Chr., 52  
Norman Alles, 2692  
Duane Bruning, 825

A motion was made by Brother Telban and seconded by Mason Parker, Schenectady Aerie 514, that this report be adopted as read. This was approved.

### FINAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

Read by Ronald Stickney, Chr., Lockport Aerie 825

Brother Delegates:

The following is the final report of the Credentials Committee:

Grand Aerie Representatives .....	3
State Officers .....	14
Past State Presidents .....	10
Delegates .....	79
Alternates .....	6
Past Worthy Presidents .....	90
Total Votes .....	233
Total Credentials Issued .....	126

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald Stickney, Chr., 825  
Charles Poyfair, 825  
Wesley Barnes, 616  
John Lewis, Sr., 2640  
Donald Raymond, 825

It was moved by Brother Stickney that the report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Earle Willis, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311, and approved.

### COMPLETE LIST OF REGISTERED DELEGATES

Delegate	Aerie	Delegate	Aerie
1 Ray P. Haggerty	1411	19 Arthur Gonyea	2486
2 Laverne Weber	825	20 Elliott Becker	544
3 Al Hubbard	2119	21 Ken Morrissey	2486
4 Wayne Monroe	941	22 Al Thurber	2467
5 Bob Woodruff	52	23 Thomas E. Crooks	2269
6 John E. Lewis	2640	24 Duane Dennison	2640
7 Wes Barnes	616	25 Douglas McDermott	3904
8 Wilbur E. Button	616	26 Laverne Graham	825
9 Al Forkell	52	27 Vernon Sullivan	3155
10 Charles N. Poyfair	825	28 Richard Travis	3904
11 Rick Forkell	52	29 Kenneth Wotmley	3904
12 Edwin T. Drake, Jr.	1253	30 Ellis Spencer	3904
13 Ken Decker	1253	31 Harry Stewart	2191
14 Salvatore C. Ventura	2692	32 Walter Robards	2640
15 Norman Allen	2692	33 Gordon Brenestuhl	2467
16 William Mulhollen	3904	34 Ron Stickney	825
17 Richard B. Root	3904	35 Vincent Janiak	544
18 Donald B. Raymond	825	36 Charles Straub	2486

<b>Delegate</b>	<b>Aerie</b>	<b>Delegate</b>	<b>Aerie</b>
37 Bill Carrick	544	82 Michael E. Fahy	616
38 Al Thorton	231	83 David F. Mullen	2486
39 Robert Myers	3485	84 William P. Corcoran	2486
40 John Palmer	3846	85 John Barnes	52
41 William Cool	3846	86 Timothy Lachivsa	2640
42 Wayne Bruning	825	87 Gordon D. Plank	2640
43 Cecil Moshier	825	88 John Bartolotta	52
44 Stanley E. Singer	97	89 Owen McNally	2621
45 Arthur G. Oakley, Sr.	2644	90 Robert Butts	941
46 Thomas Gibbons	2586	91 Merle Baylor	941
47 Thomas R. Kauffman	52	92 Jim Hartnagle	2486
48 James Russell	52	93 William Bell, 3rd	782
49 Harold Fields	52	94 Dewitt C. Brundage, Jr.	2119
50 Jim Harris	616	95 Billy Christensen	941
51 Herbert C. Farrell	514	96 Joseph F. Chalk	941
52 Andrew Charma	2269	97 Mace Parker	514
53 Frank J. Hover	3610	98 Robert Sabourin	52
54 Harold A. Grant	782	99 Martin Hoyt	52
55 Donald Cowan	782	100 Willard Blair	782
56 Mike Lopez	2486	101 William F. Dobbs	941
57 Charles Bolio	782	102 Robert Hutton	782
58 Melvin Bray	782	103 Charles Haflett	941
59 Wesley Backus	782	104 Richard Pottorff	1253
60 Gary Larose	782	105 Louis A. DeRenzo	2692
61 Harry F. Phelps	482	106 Frank Pooley	941
62 Richard J. Meyers	52	107 Daniel G. Pritchard	941
63 Michael J. Sheridan	52	108 Robert Sharkey	52
64 Ray Sage	52	109 Richard D. Osborn	2269
65 C. Tutty	52	110 George Johnson	782
66 James B. Telban	52	111 Edward T. Hintz	3818
67 Don Rettinger	2311	112 Alvin O. Garren	2119
68 Richard Updike	941	113 Edward Flacheck	52
69 Alan Craley	941	114 Robert Byron	2191
70 Milton T. Evans	941	115 Vincent Sharfe	46
71 Daniel J. O'Neil	2119	116 Ray Schnell	616
72 Earle Willis	2311	117 Wayne Sherlock	616
73 Peter Cangialosi	52	118 Earl Luedecke	2644
74 Joseph E. Cangialosi	52	119 Richard E. Knapp	941
75 Ian Carry	2311	120 Chester P. Halliday	46
76 Nicholas Hoffman	482	121 Willis Warburton	514
77 Al Lane	544	122 Charles Williams	2119
78 Ralph J. Verno	52	123 J. Paul Baird	2486
79 Angelo J. Cocuzz	52	124 E. B. Brown	2119
80 Mark LaRue	616	125 Myron A. Williams	2119
81 Mike Barnes	616	126 Al Smith	1253

#### REPORT OF THE PAST STATE PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE

Read by Leverne Graham, Lockport Aerie 825

State President, Eastern Regional President, State Officers, Brother Delegates:

The Annual Past State President's Luncheon was held on Friday, June 20, 1986, at the Argo Restaurant on Court Street, Binghamton, NY.

There were nine Past State President's in attendance, along with Eastern Regional President Robert Wahls.

We had a short business session after a delicious luncheon. There was a unanimous vote to accept outgoing State President Raymond P. Haggerty as a member of the Club. He was congratulated for an outstanding year.

Robert Wahls gave a few remarks at which time the luncheon and short meeting came to a close.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur Gonyea, Chr., 2486  
Laverne Graham, 825  
Donald Rettinger, 2311

It was moved by Brother Graham that this report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Wilbur Button, Olean Aerie 616, and carried.

#### REPORT OF THE STATE OF THE ORDER COMMITTEE

Read by Robert Woodruff, Rochester Aerie 52.

Our Fellow Delegates:

We, the members of the State of the Order Committee, wish to thank State President Raymond P. Haggerty and all of his Officers and Committee Chairmen for a job well done this year. Congratulations also must go out to the State Membership Department for a well organized program and department. A super job from all was put forth in 1985-1986.

To our now State President Al Hubbard, the challenge goes out to you and your staff for the coming year. We know under your leadership New York State will again be at the front when we meet again in Watertown next year at this time. All of your Past State Presidents stand ready, willing and able to serve you in any capacity you need us.

As members of this Committee, we thank Past State President Raymond P. Haggerty for the privilege of serving you on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Owen McNally, Chr., 2621  
Laverne Graham, 825  
Arthur Gonyea, 2486  
William Carrick, 544  
Robert Woodruff, 52

It was moved by Brother Woodruff that the report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Robert Sabourin, Rochester Aerie 52, and approved.

Under Special Order of Business, Brother Haggerty introduced Robert Wahls, Eastern Regional President. Brother Wahls congratulated Brother Haggerty for his job on the membership and discussed the importance of new Aeries. He expressed his concern that lack of leadership could be a downfall for an Aerie and that Eagledom should be promoted in each State. He thanked everyone for a successful convention and for the hospitality extended, and again offered support for "Shorty" Weber as Grand Aerie President. Brother Haggerty was congratulated on such a fine year and Brother Wahls asked that everyone keep up the good work.

#### REPORT OF THE SPEAKERS COMMITTEE

Given by Wayne Monroe, Chr., Elmira Aerie 941

As previously, outstanding speakers have been with us throughout this Convention. The City, County and Town Officials gave us a warm welcome and information of points of interest in the City of Binghamton at our opening session. Our thanks must go to the Grand Aerie for sending us such distinguished Officials as Grand Worthy Trustee Laverne "Shorty" Weber, Grand Worthy State Outside Guard Bob Meyers, and Eastern Regional President from Pennsylvania Bob Wahls.



Our heartfelt thanks and appreciation go out to the Binghamton Committee for making the arrangements, providing us with extinguished Public Officials, and making this Convention such a success.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne Monroe, Chr., 941  
Ken Decker, 1253  
Don Rettinger, 2311

Brother Monroe moved that the report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Richard Meyers, Rochester Aerie 52, and approved.

#### REPORT OF THE GRIEVANCE AND APPEALS COMMITTEE

Given by William Dobbs, Elmira Aerie 941.

This Committee is pleased to report that no complaints or grievances have been received during this convention. We wish to thank State President Ray Haggerty for the opportunity to serve on this Committee and feel the Convention was a success.

Respectfully submitted,

Stan Singer, Chr., 97  
Duane Dennison, 2640  
William Dobbs, 941

Brother Dobbs moved that the report be adopted as read. This was seconded by Joseph Chalk, Elmira Aerie, 941, and approved.

Following the adoption of the report, State President Haggerty announced that the Ritualistic Committee would make its report at the Convention Banquet.

Brother Haggerty thanked everyone for their support during the year. He then stated there would be short recess until 12:00 P.M. at which time the ceremony for the installation of the new officers would be held.

#### REPORT OF THE JIMMY DURANTE FUND

Read by Mason Parker, Chr., Schenectady Aerie 515

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers and Brother Delegates:

I am very proud to have served the New York State Aerie as Chairman of the Jimmy Durante Fund during the past year for our State President Ray Haggerty.

To date, the contributions from New York State and Eastern Canada to this fund amounts to \$18,797.99. This total includes donations to Hope High, Childhelp - USA, and Child Abuse.

These special children need all the help they can get in their struggle to survive. I'm sure you will agree that the small sacrifices on our part is not asking much and that is what Eagles is all about, "People Helping People." It is also good to see the results obtained with the grants made from this fund. Please don't stop. Keep up the good work you so freely have given in the past.

Grants of \$1,000.00 each from this fund during 1985-1986 are to the following: The Olean General Hospital, Olean, New York; the Finger Lakes Center for Human Development, Bath, New York; and West Seneca Developmental Center, Depew-Lancaster.

We will now have the parade of checks. We thank you for your generosity.

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Rochest Aerie & Auxiliary #52	\$ 2,381.84
Gloversville Aerie & Auxiliary #482	75.00
Schenectady Aerie & Auxiliary #514	416.00
Middletown Aerie & Auxiliary #544	588.28
Olean Aerie & Auxiliary #616	750.00

Elmira Aerie & Auxiliary #941	2,491.00
Tarrytown Aerie & Auxiliary #1042	66.52
Ithaca Aerie & Auxiliary #1253	252.77
Ossining Aerie #1545	10.00
Binghamton Aerie & Auxiliary #2119	200.00
Toronto, Ontario, Canada Aerie # 2311	2,952.00
Glens Falls Aerie & Auxiliary #2486	902.42
Hornell Aerie & Auxiliary #2640	197.00
Depew Aerie & Auxiliary #2692	3,487.03
Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada Aerie & Auxiliary #3155	500.00
Rotterdam Aerie #3610	100.00
Canajoharie Aerie & Auxiliary #3846	478.25
Addison Aerie & Auxiliary #3904	251.97
Mississauga, Ontario, Canada Aerie #3806	100.00
Niagara Falls Auxiliary #88	100.00
Watertown Aerie & Auxiliary #782	750.00
Lockport Auxiliary #825	175.00
Oneonta Auxiliary #1260	91.05
Tonawanda Aerie & Auxiliary #1411	498.50
Dunkirk Aerie & Auxiliary #2447	144.63
Johnson City Auxiliary #2644	170.00
Jamestown Auxiliary #2145	25.00
Cortland Auxiliary #2191	15.00
Troy Auxiliary #3773	12.00
Saratoga Springs Auxiliary #2586	25.00
Endicott Aerie & Auxiliary #2269	400.00
New York State Auxiliary	140.00
Utica Aerie #97	51.73

TOTAL \$18,797.99

#### CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED AT THE CONVENTION

Boiling Pot Aerie #3846	\$ 375.00
Depew-Lancaster Aerie #2692	2,692.00
Rochester Aerie #52	600.00
Rotterdam Aerie #3610	100.00
Middletown Aerie #544	100.00
Watertown Aerie & Auxiliary #782	400.00
Olean Aerie #616	500.00
Glens Falls Aerie #2486	800.47
Elmira Aerie #941	1,461.00
Binghamton Aerie #2119	100.00
Endicott Aerie #2269	200.00
Toronto Aerie #2311	2,700.00
Schenectady Aerie #514	200.00

TOTAL \$10,228.47

Previous Contributions	\$18,797.99
State Convention Donations	10,228.47

OVERALL TOTAL \$29,026.46

Respectfully submitted,

Mason L. Parker, Chr., 514  
Robert Kidney, 825  
Patrick Cooney, 1545

A motion was made by Donald Rettinger, Maple Leaf Aerie #2311 that the report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Ian Carry, Maple Leaf Aerie #2311 and approved.

**REPORT OF THE FINANCE AND BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Read by Donald Rettinger, Maple Leaf Aerie 2311.

Brother Delegates:

The Financial Officers of the New York State Aerie must be commended for the excellent manner in which the affairs of this great State Aerie have been conducted for the year 1985-86. With the economy as it is today, the task of operating within a budget becomes more and more difficult.

After a careful and lengthy study of the State Aerie financial activities with consideration given to rising costs, we hereby submit the following budget for the year 1986-1987.

**ESTIMATED RECEIPTS:**

Balance June 1, 1986 .....	\$14,261.10
State Per Capita Tax .....	11,000.00
State Membership Fund .....	6,800.00
State Convention Advance .....	1,000.00
State Fund Raising .....	500.00
Grand Aerie Hospitality Room and Parade .....	500.00
State Convention Credentials Committee .....	2,500.00
<b>TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$36,561.10</b>

**ESTIMATED EXPENSES:**

State Secretary's Salary .....	\$ 1,000.00
State Treasurer's Allowance .....	100.00
State President's Visitations .....	2,000.00
Various Assignments .....	1,500.00
State Postage .....	1,200.00
State Printing and Mimeographing .....	1,000.00
State Membership Meetings .....	2,000.00
Social Security Tax .....	200.00
State Telephone and Telegrams .....	1,000.00
State Officers' Convention Assignments .....	3,000.00
State Convention Miscellaneous Expense .....	3,500.00
Delegates to the Grand Aerie Convention .....	700.00
State Secretary's Office Supplies .....	300.00
State Treasurer's Office Expense .....	100.00
State Membership Office Expense .....	150.00
Ads in State and Grand Aerie Convention Journals .....	400.00
State Conferences (Spring and Fall) .....	3,500.00
Grand Aerie Supplies .....	100.00
State Membership Awards .....	2,000.00
State Auxiliary Convention Advance .....	500.00
Regional Conference Assignments .....	1,500.00
Printing of Convention Proceedings .....	2,500.00
State Officers Bond .....	50.00
State Legislative Committee .....	200.00
Contingency Fund .....	8,061.10
<b>TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$36,561.10</b>

Respectfully submitted,

Art Chichon, Chr., 2692  
Donald Rettinger, 2311  
Laverne Graham, 825

Brother Rettinger moved that this report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Al Hubbard, Binghamton Aerie 2119, and approved.

**REPORT OF THE GOLDEN EAGLE FUND**

Read by Ken Morrissey, Glens Falls Aerie 2486.

The Golden Eagle Fund is a goal that we will all reach, therefore, we should not overlook something that could be of service to us. As each individual, we not only help other people, but take care of our own also. We do sincerely appreciate whatever aid we receive.

Let us continue the spirit of giving during the parade of checks.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Lopez, Chr., 2486  
Robert Apgar, 1253  
John Parker, 96

**CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE AERIES AND AUXILIARIES  
OF NEW YORK AND EASTERN CANADA**

JUNE, 1985 - JUNE, 1986

52	Rochester .....	\$1,200.00
482	Gloversville .....	70.00
544	Middletown .....	524.00
616	Olean .....	400.00
1042	Tarrytown .....	45.00
1253	Ithaca .....	453.35
1260	Oneonta .....	344.00
1545	Ossining .....	25.00
2119	Binghamton .....	200.00
2269	Endicott .....	300.00
2486	S. Glenn Falls .....	1,300.35
2640	Hornell .....	125.00
3610	Rotterdam .....	150.00
3846	Canajoharie .....	25.00
3904	Addison .....	278.00
88	Niagara Falls .....	125.00
97	Utica .....	225.00
514	Schenectady .....	50.00
782	Watertown .....	100.00
825	Lockport .....	225.00
941	Elmira .....	200.00
1043	Norwich .....	200.00
1411	N. Tonawanda .....	116.29
2191	Cortland .....	15.00
2447	Dunkirk .....	50.00
2586	Saratoga Springs .....	25.00
2644	Johnson City .....	100.00
2692	Depew .....	120.00

**TOTAL** \$6,990.99

Previous Heart Found Contributions \$10,385.03

Previous Diabetes Fund Contributions \$ 3,995.30

State Convention Contributions \$ 7,187.13

**OVERALL TOTAL** \$21,567.46

Respectfully submitted,

Elliott Becker, Chr., 544  
Allen Craley, 941  
Robert Sobowin, 52

Brother Becker moved that this report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Al Thurber, Hoosick Falls Aerie #2467 and approved.

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED AT THE CONVENTION

Binghamton Aerie 2119 .....	\$ 100.00
Olean Aerie 616 .....	200.00
Rotterdam Aerie 3610 .....	50.00
Depew-Lancaster 2692 .....	1,000.00
Middletown 544 .....	100.00
Watertown 782 .....	100.00
Glens Falls 2486 .....	509.90
Endicott 2269 .....	200.00
Rochester 52 .....	600.00
State Committee (Mike Lopez) .....	117.00
TOTAL	\$2,976.90
Previous Contributions	\$6,990.99
State Convention Donations	2,976.90
OVERALL TOTAL	\$9,967.89

It was moved by Brother Morrisey that the report be adopted as given. This was seconded by Al Hubbard, Binghamton Aerie 2119, and approved.

REPORT OF THE MAX BAER HEART FUND

Read by Elliott Becker, Chr., Middletown Aerie 544

Grand Aerie Representatives, State Officers, Brother Delegates:

I would like to thank State President Ray Haggerty on behalf of this Committee and myself for the honor of serving on the Max Baer Heart Fund.

You may have all heard or read about the young infants fighting for their lives because of one kind of heart disease or another. Of course, heart disease does not stop with just the infants, it takes a toll on all of us. Death involving the heart is still number one in this country.

We have had, over the years, a disease for this or a disease for that. With research, we have taken the punch out of a lot of them. A lot of lives have been saved because of research. With heart research, the time will come when you no longer will have someone hold your life in their hands and say that this person in the next bed is worse than you. We'll take him.

Your donations may, in time, make heart disease an unknown thing. Only people like you can help. As of May 1st, New York-Eastern Canada came in fourth in the nation with contributions of \$10,385.03 for the Heart Fund and \$3,995.30 for the Diabetes Fund.

This Committee would like to thank you one and all for your generosity. We will now have a parade of checks.

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED AT THE CONVENTION

Depew-Lancaster Aerie #2692 .....	\$ 2,500.00
Toronto Aerie #2311 .....	1,850.13
Binghamton Aerie #2119 .....	100.00
Endicott Aerie #2268 .....	200.00
Elmira Aerie #941 .....	100.00
Rochester Aerie #52 .....	600.00
Rotterdam Aerie #3610 .....	100.00
Olean Aerie #616 .....	1,000.00
Watertown Aerie #782 .....	200.00
Middletown Aerie #544 .....	100.00
Glens Falls Aerie #2486 .....	330.00
Raffle at Convention .....	107.00
TOTAL	\$ 7,187.13

REPORT OF THE STATE RITUALISTIC COMMITTEE

Given by John Lewis, Sr., Chr., Hornell Aerie 2640.

Grand Aerie Representatives, Delegates, and Ladies and Gentlemen:

Again this year, only four teams entered the competition. Following are the results:

Elmira 941 .....	93.1%
Ithaca 1253 .....	92.6%
Lockport 825 .....	89.9%
Glens Falls 2486 .....	88.0%

All of the Degree Teams did very well. We wish to thank State President Ray Haggerty for the privilege of serving on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Lewis, Sr., Chr., 2640  
 Raymond Sage, 52  
 Michael Fahy, 616  
 George Rava, 482  
 William Bell, III, 782

The report was given at the State Convention Banquet. There were no objections to the same and it was ruled by State President Al Hubbard that the report be adopted as given.

There being no further business on the agenda, the Eightieth Annual Convention of the New York State Aerie was brought to a close.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne H. Monroe  
 State Secretary

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The installation ceremony was open to the general public. The State President's Degree Team did the installation. Installing Officers were: Donald Rettinger, Installing President;

The following brothers were installed into office:

Jr. Past State President .....	Raymond Haggerty, Tonawanda Aerie 1411
State President .....	Alvin Hubbard, Binghamton Aerie 2119
State Vice President .....	Gordon Brenenstuhel, Hoosick Falls Aerie 2467
State Chaplain .....	Wilbur Button, Olean Aerie 616
State Secretary .....	Wayne Monroe, Elmira Aerie 941
State Treasurer .....	Kenneth Decker, Ithaco Aerie 1253
State Conductor .....	James Russell, Rochester Aerie 52
State Inside Guard .....	Douglas McDermott, Addison Aerie 3904
State Outside Guard .....	Donald Cowan, Watertown Aerie 782
State Trustee .....	Robert Butts, Elmira Aerie 941
State Trustee .....	Duane Bruning, Lockport Aerie 825
State Trustee .....	Elliott Becker, Empire Aerie 544
State Trustee .....	Mike Lopez, Glens Falls Aerie 2486

Following the close of the ceremony, Brother Rettinger congratulated the newly installed officers and then presented the newly installed State President Al Hubbard. Brother Hubbard stated he was honored and proud for the confidence everyone had in him to serve as State President, and stated he will give his utmost to see to it that he represents the Aerie in high fashion. He then introduced members of his family who were present. Brother Hubbard outlined his goals for the upcoming year and asked for everyone's support.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:35 P.M.

STATE CONVENTION BANQUET

In Loving Memory of

**Robert Schick**

Rochester Aerie No. 52  
State President  
1968 - 1969

**Frank Stokes**

Toronto Aerie No. 2311  
State President  
1971 - 1972

**William Carrick**

Middletown Aerie No. 544  
State President  
1974 - 1975

**NEW YORK STATE AERIE CONVENTIONS**

**YEAR and CITY**

1907 — Rochester (Institution)	1947 — Utica
1908 — Saratoga Springs	1948 — Saratoga Springs
1909 — Little Falls	1949 — Saratoga Springs
1910 — Rockaway Beach	1950 — Rochester
1911 — Rochester	1951 — Rochester
1912 — Cohoes	1952 — Binghamton
1913 — Carthage	1953 — Schenectady
1914 — Olean	1954 — Oneonta
1915 — Auburn	1955 — Elmira
1916 — Rochester	1956 — Montreal
1917 — Buffalo	1957 — Saratoga Springs
1918 — Geneva	1958 — Buffalo
1919 — Syracuse	1959 — Elmira
1920 — Niagara Falls	1960 — Rochester
1921 — Saratoga Springs	1961 — Toronto
1922 — Binghamton	1962 — Utica
1923 — Mount Vernon	1963 — Oneonta
1924 — Rockaway Beach	1964 — Watertown
1925 — Niagara Falls	1965 — Rochester
1926 — Watertown	1966 — Syracuse
1927 — Binghamton	1967 — Glens Falls
1928 — Syracuse	1968 — Olean
1929 — Schenectady	1969 — Rochester
1930 — Elmira	1970 — Montreal
1931 — Oswego	1971 — Oneonta
1932 — Rochester	1972 — Utica
1933 — Lockport	1973 — Glens Falls
1934 — Johnstown	1974 — Olean
1935 — Ithaca	1975 — Rochester
1936 — Olean	1976 — Elmira
1937 — Auburn	1977 — St. Jermone
1938 — Watertown	1978 — Schenectady
1939 — Gloversville	1979 — Binghamton
1940 — Lockport	1980 — Rochester
1941 — Rochester	1981 — Glens Falls
1942 — New York City	1982 — Elmira
1943 — Auburn	1983 — Olean
1944 — Batavia	1984 — Utica
1945 — Rochester	1985 — Rochester
1946 — Middletown	1986 — Binghamton

**LIST OF THE PAST STATE PRESIDENTS OF THE  
NEW YORK STATE AERIE F.O.E.**

1*	JOHN J. HARRINGTON, Brooklyn 393	1907-08
2*	JOHN J. HARRINGTON, Brooklyn 393	1908-09
3*	FREDRICK HUGHES, Yonkers 473	1909-10
4*	FREDRICK HUGHES, Yonkers 473	1910-11
5*	JAMES CONLAN, Buffalo 46	1911-12
6*	JAMES CONLAN, Buffalo 46	1912-13
7*	GEORGE B. BEDFORD, Syracuse 53	1913-14
8*	GEORGE B. BEDFORD, Syracuse 53	1914-15
9*	JOHN F. MALONEY, Watertown 782	1915-16
10*	JOHN F. COLE, Binghamton 1118	1916-17
11*	GEORGE E. MORGAN, Buffalo 46	1917-18
12*	WILLIAM KENEALY, Rochester 52	1918-19
13*	JOSEPH M. SCHERER, Long Island City 1509	1919-20
14*	THOMAS G. WELSH, Elmira 941	1920-21
15*	FRANK X. BERNHARDT, Buffalo 46	1921-22
16*	THOMAS J. HICKEY, Syracuse 53	1922-23
17*	JOSEPH STREICHER, Buffalo 46	1923-24
18*	JOHN F. McGRATH, New York 40	1924-25
19*	MICHAEL H. SWEENEY, Binghamton 1118	1925-26
20*	WILLIAM B. HUTCHINSON, Buffalo 46	1926-27
21*	MICHAEL H. SWEENEY, Binghamton 1118	1927-28
22*	WILLIAM DODSON, Olean 616	1928-29
23*	WILLIAM MENTZINGER, Rockaway Beach 1544	1929-30
24*	CHARLES J. MENGLER, Elmira 941	1930-31
25*	WILLIAM ALF, Buffalo 46	1931-32
26*	WALTER E. McGRATH, New York 40	1932-33
27*	ALBERT LEONARD, Geneva 95	1933-34
28*	ERNEST J. MAHONEY, Rochester 52	1934-35
29*	JOHN P. SAXER, Buffalo 46	1935-36
30*	JOHN T. SHORTELL, Olean 616	1936-37
31*	CHARLES G. MARALDO, Staten Island 543	1937-38
32*	RAYMOND R. BARBER, Ithaca 1253	1938-39
33*	WILLIAM H. MOSTYN, Rochester 52	1939-40
34*	WILLIAM H. MOSTYN, Rochester 52	1940-41
35*	R. LESLIE McDERMOTT, Lockport 825	1941-42
36*	CHARLES J. DOLZEN, Schenectady 514	1942-43
37	KENNETH DECKER, Ithaca 1253	1943-44
38*	HENRY KOHAUT, Yonkers 473	1944-45
39*	JOHN R. TAGGERT, Buffalo 46	1945-46
40	GEORGE GREEN, Gloversville 482	1946-47
41*	FRANCIS H. BRECHUE, Auburn 96	1947-48
42*	EDWARD M. KAMAS, Elmira 941	1948-49
43	PAUL M. AYERS, Lockport 825	1949-50
44*	DONALD MANZER, Utica 97	1950-51
45*	CHARLES R. BOYLE, Buffalo 46	1951-52
46*	JOSEPH L. WURZER, Rochester 52	1952-53
47*	LOUIS ASIFAN, Watertown 782	1953-54
48*	HAROLD CRAWFORD, Fort Hamilton 2621	1954-55
49*	KEENEM M. BROWN, Ithaca 1253	1955-56
50	FRANK H. LEWIS, Empire 544	1956-57
51*	CHARLES P. EDWARDS, Schenectady 514	1957-58
52*	ROBERT MANGNAN, Montreal 2130	1958-59
53*	GEORGE SATTLER, Elmira 941	1959-60
54*	GAZO SAMOK, Depew-Lancaster 2692	1960-61
55	THOMAS PHILPOTT, Maple Leaf 2311	1961-62
56*	ROBERT WATTS, Lockport 825	1962-63
57*	HERBERT OLD, Nassau 3128	1963-64
58	THEODORE HURWITZ, Oneonta 1260	1964-65
59*	ROBERT HOOD, Elmira 941	1965-66
60	LOUIS DION, Montreal 2130	1966-67
61*	FRED RICHIE, Fort Hamilton 2621	1967-68
62*	ROBERT SCHICK, Rochester 52	1968-69
63	RAYMOND WOMBLE, Ithaca 1253	1969-70
64	LAVERNE WEBER, Lockport 825	1970-71
65*	FRANK STOKES, Maple Leaf 2311	1971-72
66*	EDGAR IRELAND, Gloversville 482	1972-73
67*	A. RAYMOND LANCE, Glens Falls 2486	1973-74
68*	WILLIAM GARRICK, Empire 544	1974-75
69	LARRY ROY, Montreal 2130	1975-76
70	OWEN McNALLY, Fort Hamilton 2621	1976-77
71	DONALD GREGORY, Utica 97	1977-78
72	ARTHUR CICHON, Depew-Lancaster 2692	1978-79
73*	RALPH PAULY, Olean 616	1979-80
74	ROBERT WOODRUFF, Rochester 52	1980-81
75	WAYNE MONROE, Elmira 941	1981-82
76	LAVERNE CRAHAM, Lockport 825	1982-83
77	ARTHUR CONYEA, Glens Falls 2486	1983-84
78	DONALD RETTINGER, Maple Leaf 2311	1984-85
79	RAY HAGGERTY, Tonawanda 1411	1985-86

\*Deceased