

Feb. 13 - Fourth Inspection of our Commandery by S. K. W. L. Brown, E. Grand Generalissimo.

Tactics 99.5, Ritual (Full Order of the Temple) 99.6, again Garrett received highest grades in District.

March 20 - We used our New Malta Robes and hats for the first time and how dressed up we felt in these beautiful robes. It was decided to give our old robes to Arlington Commandery.

April 13 - Grand Conclave Houston. In state competition Garrett was first again. Full order of the Temple--just one word error and a grade of 99.9. A wonderful group of officers. Charlie Cason, Jr., our Senior Warden, was ill but stayed right in there and filled his Station.

April 15 - Sir Knight Dale E. Miller nominated H. Jack Hefner for Grand Captain of the Guard and he was elected.

April 27 - Commandery conferred its first MM^o in Templar Uniform in Garrett Lodge.

May 30 - A. C. Garrett Chapter No. 420 R.A.M. and Alexander C. Garrett Commandery No. 103, K. T. honored H. Jack Hefner--conferring R. A. degrees in afternoon and Order of Temple after dinner. Sir Knight Cason, Sr. had prepared and presented to the honoree a booklet containing letters received from many friends also a resume of masonic activities which will always be a most valued possession. This was a most enjoyable occasion.

June 16 - Commandery conferred MM^o in Bruton-Connor Lodge.

July 3 - Voted to pay our portion of expense of the Grand Commandery to be held in Dallas, April 1954. \$400.00 amount requested.

Aug. 6 - Commandery conferred MM^o in Hill Crest Lodge.

Aug. 29 - School of Instruction Greenville, Texas. Garrett gave ritualistic work.

Oct. 2 - Sir Knight W. Tim Turner passed away in Beaumont, Texas. Another loyal friend and zealous Sir Knight passing on. He was buried in Abilene, Texas.

Dec. 18 - Public installation of S. K. Claude C. Creekmore as Commander and other officers. The wives assisting in the ceremony. S. K. Hefner installing Commander, S. K. Vance K. Miller, Prelate.

Dec. 23 - Public Christmas observance at Dallas Commandery and not at all pleasing.