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*Freedom to work, to save,  
to keep what one produces,  
to risk it for a profit, and  
to live a free life under  
PRIVATE ENTERPRIZE*

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Prophet Percy D. Scott,  
Secretary, Mer-I-Mak Grotto.  
Old Westford Road, Chelmsford.

Dear Brother Scott:

In regard to amendments to by-laws of Supreme Council. Page 85- shall be proposed in writing-- sent to Grand Secretary for transmission to the Comm. on Jurisprudence and Laws at least 60 days before the annual session of the Supreme Council --- he to send it with any changes by the Committee, - to Sec. of each Grotto, etc. at least 30 days before annual session....

I suggest the following proposed amendment be made.

Pursuant to the provisions set up under Chapter 37, ---- Mer-I-Mak Grotto of Lowell, Mass., submits the following amendments for consideration at the annual session in Cleveland in June, ---- 1955.

Add the following to the By-laws of the Supreme Council:

Chapter 4-- 4.2(c) In case there is no representation present from a Grotto at the Supreme Council session in any year, the amount in the aggregate allotted to mileage and per diem disbursements shall be cumulative to a grottoes account and used in succeeding years for such purpose.

Chapter 4 - 4.2 (a) Add the letter s to the word year in the sixth line-- so as to make the amount cumulative.

There are several sound reasons for the re-establishment of this feature:- such as opportunity for additional representation in a year when there is cumulative funds available, and stimulate more interest in attendance, particularly among past monarchs who may be able, under this arrangement, to attend. as alternates.

I would suggest that this be sent under seal to the Grand Secretary at least 60 days before the annual session in June. You may, after discussion, want to re-arrange the amendment.