



Left to right: Earl Matthews, Glen Gamber, Dick Sander, Bob Oberhouse, Ned Clink, Leon Bockbrader, Ken Apacki, Allen Clay, Dave Martin and Junior Deputy District Governor Dallas Dauterman, shown during the induction ceremony.

Lions Club Inducts Charter Members

Pemberville now has the honor of being the newest in the vast network, covering 147 countries or geographical locations, in the Lions International organization. 36 men of this community became charter members of the Pemberville Lions Club at a special Charter Night Dinner meeting on Friday evening, Apr. 28. Members of Freedom Post No. 183, American Legion, served a delicious steak dinner to 110 member ladies and distinguished guests.

District Governor Phillip Rapp, of Napoleon, formally presented the Club Charter to Charter President, Glen Gamber; and the new Club also received the gift of the ceremonial bell and gavel from President Wilbur Dill, of the Bowling Green Lions Club, the sponsoring Club.

Master of Ceremonies for the festive occasion was Robert McManness of Findlay, Past District Governor and presently serving as District International Convention Chairman and Liaison Officer. Entertainment during the dinner was provided by the "Swingin' E's" of Eastwood High School.

Distinguished guests introduced were:

Phillip Rapp, Napoleon, District Governor, District 13-A; Thomas Miles, Findlay, Im. Past Dist. Gov., and now serving as Dist. Membership Chm.; William P. Hinton, Jr., Delphos, Senior Deputy Dist. Gov.; Dallas Dauterman, Risingsun, Jr. Deputy Dist. Gov.; Barry McEwen, Maumee, Cabinet Sec.; Al Auxter, Defiance, Zone 2 Chm., Region 1; Donald Drain, North Baltimore, Zone 3, Chm., Region 1; James Ragland, East Toledo, Zone 4, Chm., Region 1; Dale Harruff, Spencerville, Zone 6 Chm., Region 2; Robert Wilson, Bowling Green, Dist. Extension Chm.; Leonard Yost, Lyons, Past Dist. Gov. and now Dist. Leo Clubs Chm.; Nathan Hampshire, Findlay, Dist. Training and Schooling Chm., and Jr Deputy Dist. Gov.-elect; Douglas Becker, Maumee, Dist. Public Relations Chm.; Robert Oberhouse, Pemberville, Dist. International Relations-CARE Chm.; Stan Goodwin, Columbus Grove, Past Dist. Gov.; Merle Hartle, Piketon, Past Dist. Gov., Dist. 13-J; John Thompson, Columbus, State Lions Club secretary.

Cabinet Secretary Barry McEwen gave the Roll Call of Clubs, which showed members and guests present from the following Lions Clubs: Ashtabula, Bowling Green, Columbus Grove, Defiance, Delphos



Lions State Secretary John Thomson of the Columbus office gave a few remarks to the new Club. Also shown are Robert McManness, Master of Ceremonies and Charter President Glen Gamber.



District Governor Phillip Rapp congratulating Charter President Glen Gamber in presenting the Charter to the newly formed Pemberville Lions Club.

Findlay, Lyons, Maumee, Napoleon, North Baltimore, Piketon, Risingsun, Spencerville and East Toledo.

The Junior Deputy District Governor, Dallas Dauterman, inducted the members into the Lions Club, giving a brief description of some of the obligations and what may be expected from membership in Lions International, the largest service organization in the world. He stressed the importance of the International motto: "We Serve."

William P Hinton, Jr., Senior Deputy District Governor, then conducted the installation of the charter officers:

President, Glen Gamber; Sec. Lester (Pete) Fields; Treas., Kenneth Apacki; 1st Vice-Pres. David Martin; 2nd Vice-Pres. Stephen Houghton; 3rd Vice-Pres. Daniel Sergent; Lion Tamer Marvin Roberts; Tail Twister Michael Fields; Chaplain James Opelt; Directors, 2 yrs, Robert Oberhouse and David Bannerman; Directors, 1 year, Ned Clink and Edwin Oberhouse.

Mr Hinton outlined their duties and administered the

oath of office. Many of the members and merchants of Pemberville donated door prizes and each lady present received a floral favor

Regular meetings of the new Lions Club will be the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at the United Methodist Church. One meeting each month will be a dinner meeting.

Following is the list of the 36 Charter Members: Kenneth Apacki, David Bannerman, Leon Bockbrader, Robert Bosse, Robert Campbell, Allen G. Clay, Ned Clink, Mark Deerwester, Lester (Pete) Fields, Michael Fields, Glen Gamber, Herbert Garn, Floris (Ted) George, Mark Haar, Elwood Headley, Stephen Houghton, James Kincker, David Martin, Earl Matthews, Lawrence Mau, Lawrence McCormic, Frank Neier, Jr., Edwin Oberhouse, Robert Oberhouse.

Steven Oberhouse, James Opelt, William Redding Sr., Jeffrey Roberts, Marvin Roberts, Holland (Dick) Sander, George Schlumbohm, The Rev. Thomas Scoby, Daniel Sergent, Gene Walston, Thomas Ward, and Paul Wiggins.