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(Springfield, Mo.). Shepherdess Guard Patrol.
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This is "Let's Give a Party," a guide to entertaining published by the Shepherdess Guard Patrol of Pleiades White Shrine No. 1 of the Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem at Springfield in Greene County, Missouri. Included are a photograph of the Patrol in regalia and a historical summary and current roster.

Pleiades White Shrine No. 1 of the Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem was organized on 12 March 1914. For a scrapbook covering the activities of the chapter in 1939-1940, see Western Historical Manuscript Collection-Rolla collection R491. Sojourner Mary C. Kastler organized the Shepherdess Guard Patrol on 6 April 1914, and its first exhibition drill was performed on 21 May 1914. At the time of the publication of this booklet, about 1947, the Shepherdess Guard had 31 members, including two men, Walter Delo and Ralph Thieme, who served as "Captain" and "Lieutenant," respectively. Lena Burton held the office of President, Margaret Boyd was Vice-President, Bertha Stevens was Secretary-Treasurer, Amelia Maples was Parliamentarian, Delia Ramey was Wardrobe Mistress, Nellie Scheetz was Assistant Wardrobe Mistress, and Fay Williams was Banquet Chairman. A photograph of the Patrol in full regalia is on Page 2 of this booklet, with a historical summary and membership list on Page 3.

The remainder of this 96-page booklet is devoted to rules of etiquette, entertainment advice, and recipes for all formal occasions, including weddings, anniversaries, and dinners. There also many advertisements for area businesses.

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Kastler, Mary C.

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Ramey, Delia.

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Stevens, Bertha.

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