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The roster of the current State Presidents' Council is as follows:

State	President
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Heir of the Legacy

JEAN CHRISTINE W. SMITH, the illustrious Grand Daughter Ruler of the Daughters of the Improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World, is the proud inheritor of that legacy of community-building leadership left indelibly by Emma V. Kelley. She was born in the Mount Airy section of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on June 4, 1966. She was educated in the elementary and secondary schools of that city and graduated from Temple University.

She became an Elk as a member of the Pride of North Philadelphia Temple #657 and later served as this temple's Junior Guardian, Financial Secretary and Daughter Ruler. She also served as chairperson of the Lelia V. Fultz Friendship Circle of Shining Light Past Daughter Ruler Council #2 and State Directress of the Beauty and Talent Department of the Pennsylvania State Association.

On the national level, Grand Daughter Ruler Smith has served as Grand Assistant Directress of the Beauty and Talent Department and the Rainy Day Department, Grand Gatekeeper, Grand Doorkeeper, Grand Assistant Escort, Grand Escort, Grand Chaplain, Grand Assistant Daughter Ruler and Grand Vice Daughter Ruler. She has received numerous honors for her untiring service to the Grand Temple, to the city of Philadelphia and to the Black community.

As a lawyer, Jean Smith served as counsel and director of the Washington Bureau of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) and maintained a liaison between federal legislative and administrative operations and the SCLC in common interest coalitions such as the Leadership Conference on Civil Rights. She was the project coordinator, handling court litigation of the Martin Luther King Jr. "Holiday March" and the Martin Luther King Jr. "Film Project."

Current Officers of the Grand Temple

- Grand Daughter Ruler**
Jean Christine W. Smith
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- Grand Vice Daughter Ruler**
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- Grand Assistant Daughter Ruler**
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Norwalk, Connecticut

- Grand Daughter Chaplain**
Ivy Z. Mackey
Nassau, Bahamas
- Grand Daughter Secretary (Founder's Daughter)**
Buena Vista Kelley
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- Grand Daughter Treasurer**
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- Grand Daughter Recorder**
Susie M. Banks
Trenton, New Jersey
- Grand Assistant Recorder**
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Bronx, New York
- Grand Daughter Escort**
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- Grand Assistant Daughter Escort**
Evelyn Sams
Buffalo, New York

- Grand Assistant Daughter Escort**
Wealthy Gomez
Nassau Bahamas

- Grand Daughter Doorkeeper**
Elizabeth D. Harrison
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

- Grand Daughter Gatekeeper**
Shirley W. Pierce
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

- Grand Daughter Organist**
Mary Rose Jackson Clark
Jamaica, New York

- Grand Directress/Arts and Crafts**
June Brown
Los Angeles, California

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- Hills Bros. Coffee, Inc.
- H.P. Hood, Inc.
- George A. Hormel & Co.
- IBM
- Jack Daniel Distillery
- Johnson Products Co., Inc.
- Kentucky Fried Chicken
- K-Mart
- Kraft, Inc.
- Lever Brothers
- Levitz Furniture Corp.
- Lorillard Div.-Loew's Theatres, Inc.
- Luster Products Co., Inc.
- MGM/UA Entertainment

- Miller Brewing
- New York State Department of Tourism
- Oldsmobile Div.-GM Corp.
- J.C. Penney Co., Inc.
- Pepsi-Cola Company
- Philip Morris, Inc.
- PET, Inc.
- Pro-Line Corp.
- Quaker Oats
- Red Lobster Inns of America
- RJR/Nabisco, Inc.
- A.H. Robins Co., Inc.
- Ryder System, Inc.
- Schenley

- Schiffelin & Co.
- Sears Roebuck and Co.
- Joseph E. Seagrams & Sons
- Seven-Up Company
- Soft Sheen Products Co.
- Stroh Brewery Co.
- Union 76 Div.-Union Oil Co. of California
- United Airlines
- United States Army
- United States Navy
- Walt Disney Productions
- F.W. Woolworth Co.
- Worlds of Curls, Inc.

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Additionally, almost all AOIP-cooperating organizations have agreed to priority support for these and other deserving Black-owned businesses, nationally and locally. Since it has been so difficult to identify these products of Black-owned manufacturers in the past, their trade association—the American Health and Beauty Aids Institute (AHBAI)—developed this "Proud Lady" symbol for your convenience.

So whenever you feel the need to buy the finest products made primarily for our unique needs, look for the "Proud Lady" on the package. It helps you and helps build Black America. Some of these products are as follows:

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Fulla Wave
Everlasting Curl | 12. Kelly Chemical Co.
Gentle City Lites
Gentle Relaxer
Gentle Quadrabon
Conditioner
Gentle Moisture
Solution Condition |
| 2. Amer. Beauty Prods.
American Beauty
Donnie's Rejuvenation
Black Magic | 13. L & M Products
Spring Curl
Spring Perm
"The Juice"
Mr. Puff |
| 3. Amer. Caribbean
Beauty Products
Amer. Caribbean Multi-Purpose Conditioner
American Caribbean
Conditioning Relaxer
American Caribbean
Activator
American Caribbean
Cold Wave System | 14. Luster Products Co.
Luster's Oil Moisturizer
Hair Lotion
S-Curl Products
Designer Touch Professional Salon Products |
| 4. Barrett Products Co.
Hollywood U.S.A. Curls
Hollywood USA
Relaxers
Hollywood USA Waves | 15. M & M Products
Sta-Sof-Fro
Sof-'N-Free
Moxie
Curly Perm |
| 5. Bronner Brothers
Cosmopolitan Curl | 16. Madame C.J. Walker
Manufacturing Co.
Madame C.J. Walker
Hair & Skin Care
Products |
| 6. A.W. Curtis Labs
Curtis Rubbing Oil
Curtis Hair & Skin
Care Products | 17. Pro-Line Corp.
Pro-Line
Curly Kit
Kiddie Kit
Kiddie Kare |
| 7. Dudley Products Co.
Dudley's Hair & Scalp
Conditioner Plus
Vitamins A, D & E
Dudley's Scalp & Skin
Antiseptic Conditioner
Dudley's Hair Rebuilder
Dudley's Placenta &
Panthenol Cond. Pkts. | 18. Sir Charles, Inc.
Sir Charles' line of hair
care products |
| 8. Ellis & Sons Co.
Good Fred
Handsome Dude
My Johnnies | 19. Soft Sheen Products
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Conditioner
Care Free Curl
Miss Cool hair products |
| 9. Hairtox Company
Capital Curl
Curly Care
Alta-Perm
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& Conditioner |
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Style Crest
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Another Curl
Pineapple Wave | 21. Worlds of Curls
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Crème Relaxer
System
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| 11. Johnson Products Co.
Ultra Sheen
Gentle Treatment
Classy Curl | |

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