

New Grand Lodge Officers Elected Local Appointments Announced

New D.D.G.M.'s
Wm. R. Wood
Tom L. Davis

Staff Aptmnts.
B. K. Brainerd
B. M. Steene



M:W: Albert W. Schneider



R:W: R. Ken Crawford

M:W: Albert W. Schneider,
Grand Master; **R:W: William**
Punt, Deputy Grand Master;
R:W: R. Kenneth Crawford,
Senior Grand Warden



R:W: Wm. R. Wood
D.D.G.M. 1st Monroe



R:W: Tom L. Davis
D.D.G.M. 2nd Monroe



R:W: B. K. Brainerd
Grand Dir. Ceremonies



R:W: Bert M. Steene
Grand Steward

R:W: William R. Wood was raised in Warren C. Hubbard Lodge No. 964 in 1947 and was Master in 1956. He has been very active in Hamilton Chapter No. 62, Royal Arch Masons, receiving the honorary Meritorious Companion award during the past year, and in Lalla Rookh Grotto. He is past president of the NYS Masonic Bowling Association. Also active in the Eastern Star, he has twice been Worthy Patron of Monroe Chapter No. 57, and anticipates being Patron again next year. He is currently serving as President of the Monroe District Patrons Association. **R:W: Brother Wood** retired in 1970 from the Friden Division of the Singer Company where he was employed for 30 years, most recently as Employment Manager. He and his wife Jean, who is presently the Mighty Chosen One of Lalla Rookh Caldron No. 68, reside at 23 Alexis Street in Rochester, and he enjoys carpentry and painting as a hobby.

R:W: Thomas L. Davis was raised in John A. Robertson Lodge No. 1032 in 1948 and was Master in 1970. Since that time he has served the lodge as Trustee and Treasurer, and presently continues to fill the latter office. A native of Brownville, near Watertown, **R:W: Brother Davis** came to Rochester following a WW II tour in the Navy. He received a B.S. degree from Alfred university, and has taken graduate courses at Syracuse U., U. of R. and R.I.T., and has been employed as a Development Engineer at Eastman Kodak for 30 years. He and his wife

Sally live at 211 Thornton Road in Rochester, and have two married sons; Theodore who is a sales representative for Carborundum in Reisterstown, Md., and Peter, who is in the printing division of Central Trust Bank in Rochester. **R:W: Brother Davis** enjoys travel and is an amateur rock-hound.

R:W: Bruce K. Brainerd has been a member of Penfield Union Lodge No. 154 since being raised in 1958. Serving as Master in 1973, he has been active in many areas of his lodge. A Quality Assurance Engineer, he was employed by Stromberg-Carlson as Supervisor of Test Engineering. **R:W: Brother Brainerd** lives at 107 East Hickory Street, in East Rochester, and is an avid amateur photographer. He also enjoys boating, both power and sail.

R:W: Bertram M. Steene was raised in Corinthian Temple Lodge No. 805 in 1947 and two years later he joined the Rochester Scottish Rite bodies and Damascus temple. He has been very active in all three ever since, serving his lodge as Master in 1966 and as Secretary since 1973. He is currently President of the Monroe County secretaries Association. A Past Sovereign Prince of Rochester Council, Princes of Jerusalem, **R:W: Brother Steene** received the Scottish Rite Meritorious Service Award in 1973, and presently has speaking parts in 7 Scottish Rite Degrees including the 32 Degree, and is Degree Director for the 26th Degree. He has been active in the Shrine Past Masters Degree Team since 1968, was president of that unit in 1972 and 1973, and is

currently Secretary of the Shrine Ceremonial Cast. In addition to his blue lodge and concordant body activity, **R:W: Brother Steene** is a past president of the Bureau of Masonic Education of Monroe County, and has assisted the Masonic Service Bureau on the Communion Breakfast since 1968. A native of Boston and a Navy veteran of both WW II and the Korean War, **R:W: Brother Steene** is an Inventory Control Analyst with Eastman Kodak, and is on the staff of the Kodak Park Management Club. He and his wife Betty reside at 337 Eaton Road in Rochester, where he likes to swim and work in the yard. They have two daughters, Debra and Sheri, who are both secretaries in the Research Division of Kodak.

Most Worshipful
Albert W. Schneider
will visit Rochester,
June 27th

The Grand Lodge aprons and jewels of Most Worshipful William F. Strang and Most Worshipful Clarence J. Henry, Past Grand Masters of Masons in the State of New York and Past Masters of Seneca Lodge No. 920 will be placed on permanent display in the lobby of the Masonic Temple in a public ceremony on Sunday afternoon, June 27, at 4:00 pm. Most Worshipful Albert W. Schneider, Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York, will be the featured speaker.

Most Worshipful Brother Strang was a prominent Rochester attorney associated

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The final session of the 195th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York was highlighted by the election of the new team of Grand Lodge Line Officers, headed by the new Grand Master, M:W: Albert W. Schneider, who becomes the 84th Grand Master in the State of New York. M:W: Schneider, who is a County Court Judge in Herkimer County, has previously served the Grand Lodge as Senior Grand Warden (1970-71) and Deputy Grand Master (1974-75). R:W: William Punt, of Floral Park, Long Island, was elected as Deputy Grand Master, having served for several years as a Trustee of the Masonic Hall and Asylum Fund and the Masonic Medical Research Laboratory. During 1966-67 he served as Grand Marshal under G.M. Frank C. Staples.

Of special interest to the Masons of the two Monroe Districts was the election and installation of our own R:W: R. Kenneth Crawford as Senior Grand Warden, which marks the first time in 10 years that a member from one of the Monroe Districts has served in a line office capacity, the last being M:W: Clarence J. Henry, who was Grand Master in 1964-65.

R:W: Crawford was raised in Zetland Lodge No. 951 just 30 years ago this month, and was Master in 1959. He served as District Deputy Grand Master of the 2nd Monroe District in 1972-73, and has been active in virtually all branches of Masonry. He is a Past Thrice Potent Master of Rochester Lodge of Perfection and Past Sovereign Prince of the Rochester Council, Princes of Jerusalem. He was coronnetted at 33 Degree in Boston in 1969, and is a member of the Royal Order of Scotland. A member of four York Rite bodies and Damascus Temple, AAONMS, he was president of the Shrine Past Masters Degree Team in 1968 and 1969, president of the Masonic Service Bureau in 1966 and 1967 and president of the Bureau of Masonic Education in 1964. **R:W: Brother Crawford** is president of the Crawford Funeral Home Inc. at 495 Winton Road N. in Rochester, where he resides with his wife Bobbie. They have two children, a daughter Susan who lives in Denver, Colorado, and a son David, who is Vice President of the family business as well as current President of the Rochester JC's and Junior Warden of Zetland Lodge No. 951. Although his deep involvement in Masonry has left him little time for other activities, **R:W: Bro. Crawford** is a member of the Rochester Ad Club, and the Rochester Chamber of Commerce, and enjoys photography as a hobby.

Subsequent to the closing of the Grand Lodge Communication, M:W: Schneider announced his appointments for the year, which included the following Monroe County men: D.D.G.M. 1st Monroe, R:W: William R. Wood; D.D.G.M. 2nd Monroe, R:W: Thomas L. Davis; Grand Director of Ceremonies, R:W: Bruce K. Brainerd; and Grand Steward, R:W: Bertram M. Steene.

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Brethren:

Congratulations to R. W. R. Kenneth Crawford on his being elected Senior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York. We are very proud of the fact that he hails from the Second Monroe District. On a more personal basis, R. W. Crawford has been very helpful to me as a consultant and advisor during the past year. I could not be more pleased with his attainment of this high office because I feel that he deserves it.

I also wish to congratulate J. Rayford Whitley, Master of Seneca Lodge (from the other district) on a job well done. Ray planned and supervised the 1976 Masters' trip to Grand Lodge this year. Everyone who attended had a wonderful time and this was due in great measure to Ray's work.

The time has come. My successor will have been named by the time that you read this article. I have had the honor and privilege of serving our Craft with R. W. W. Kenneth Dickinson, District Deputy of the First Monroe District; R. W. Robert K. Orne, Grand Sword Bearer; and R. W. Walter C. Schattner, Grand Steward, during this past year. These men are hard-working and dedicated besides being enjoyable companions. I do not believe that I could have selected better men with whom to travel. I also wish to thank the immediate Past District Deputies, R. W. Walter A. Lindemuth and R. W. Septimius Di Lauro for their help in the past year. I hope that I can come close to doing as much for my successor. Second in line for appreciation are the 1975 and 1976 Masters and the Secretaries of their respective lodges. They have all been friendly and cooperative and have made my job much easier. Thirdly, my wife and I wish to thank the above men and their wives for their courtesies to my wife—and myself. They were appreciated. Next, R. W. Herman A. Sarachan; R. W. Robert P. Zabel and W. B. William R. Zufall rate a tip of my tricorne for their assistance throughout the year. Fifthly, I extend my thanks to my lodge, Fame Lodge No. 945, for its support and understanding. I am very proud of my lodge. Finally, I wish to thank the brethren of all the lodges; the young men of Demolay; the young ladies of Triangle and Constellation and all of the Masonic organizations for their kindnesses and courtesies.

I will long remember the past year with happiness and pleasure. It has been a year of learning and growing Masonically. I hope that all of you will pursue excellence by attending our lodges and schools in order to learn about Masonry and carry out your jobs correctly. If you do, you will know the joy of accomplishment. Remember my key words—pride and promotion. Take pride in Masonry and let the community know about our Fraternity. I'll see you in lodge.

Fraternally,
Robert W. Avery, District Deputy Grand Master, Second Monroe District

ROBERT W.
AVERY
D.D.G.M.
2ND MONROE
DISTRICT



CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

by Rev. William H. McKee

THE ONE FOR THE ROAD

With the approach of summer, vacation enters our thoughts and we plan to see scenes far away. It is not a modern idea sponsored in our time for there are many of the Psalms listed under the title of "Songs of Ascent" which were intended to be recited or sung when the traveler came in sight of that magnificent Temple in Jerusalem and climbed upward. Many pilgrims traveled long distances from all over the ancient world to be present at the high festivals of the Jewish faith. With the mode of travel limited to beasts of burden, or afoot, a journey of a few hundred miles was indeed quite an undertaking which caused them to seek God's care. They had those magnificent songs of faith for the road, what about today?

Our police patrols on all the highways take a dim view of what too many believe is their choice of "one for the road" and we read on a few nights in special seasons motorists are offered coffee as "the one for the road", but that would not have been sufficient for those seekers of faith, climbing the paths to Solomon's Temple.

Nor is it enough for us today as we plan our vacations, irrespective of the distance we may travel. I believe the only one for the road is to keep with our Creator. Life is a road on which we all travel, as we move to new homes, visit, or vacation for all life is in motion. At one time the small band of the Children of Israel believed that God's dominion was limited to the boundaries of their small Kingdom and once they crossed its border they were no longer in His safe keeping. Even today, we note solid citizens moving to new neighborhoods who seem to hold similar beliefs for they cease Temple or Church attendance, community activity, or even the ballot box on that Tuesday in November which is a must for all.

The writer of the 121st Psalm has left a timely message for all who have come after him, "The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth and even forevermore." That is the one for the road in 1976 as it has been for the last 3000 years since first written until the end of eternity.

God stands at the boundaries and the frontiers and all the thresholds we cross. "There is not where God is not," Washington Gladden wrote long ago for He was with you in the yesterdays, He is with you today and since, the tomorrows are also His, He will be with you in all the tomorrows. In faith we pray when we say "Good bye, God be with you"—some of our believing brothers say "Go with God!"

Matthew has preserved the promises made by Christ, "Lo, I am with you always." And the Psalmist ends that great 121st Psalm "The Lord shall preserve they going out and they coming in for evermore."

Take God with you from today onward. He alone is THE ONE for the road.

Brethren:

One of the most exciting and rewarding years a Mason could ever have has just drawn to a close. Never dreaming that this honor in the Masonic Lodge would be bestowed on me I can reflect back on one of the most wonderful experiences a person could have. However this is all due to the excellent cooperation I have had from the 1975 Masters and the 1976 Masters (who are a great bunch of men to be with). I wish to thank them all for the way I have been received in every Lodge that I visited, either officially or unofficially, not making me feel that I was not something special but treated me as a member of their own Lodge.

My Brothers continue to do your great work as I have a feeling that Masonry is on the upswing again and it is men like you that can promote our great fraternity and instill the feeling of Brotherly Love on our new members.

May the spirit of the Great Architect of the Universe be with you and guide you in all your great and important undertakings in the coming year.

lly,
Ken Dickinson,

Your Retired D.D.G.M., 1st Monroe District.

KEN
DICKINSON
D.D.G.M.
1ST MONROE
DISTRICT



R:W: SARACHAN RECEIVES AWARD AT GRAND LODGE

R:W: Herman A. Sarachan was honored at the 1976 convention of Grand Lodge held in New York City May 3-6, by being awarded the Chancellor Livingston Medal "for the finest traditions of Masonic Service and public responsibility, particularly through the written word, in advancing the fraternity and enhancing its reputation among members and with all mankind".

The award is named in honor of Governor Robert R. Livingston, the first Grand Master of New York Masons, who served as Governor of the State for 16 years (1784-1800). Throughout his life he was active in the state and nation. He was a member of the Continental Congress, helped draft the Declaration of Independence and was the first Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs. Appointed minister to France, he successfully negotiated the Louisiana Purchase for 15 million dollars, which added to this country the huge territory from the Mississippi River to the Rocky Mountains, and from the Gulf of Mexico to Canada. As Chancellor of the State of New York he administered the oath of office to President George Washington at the first national inauguration on April 30, 1789.

The Grand Lodge of New York honored its first Grand Master by establishing the Chancellor Livingston Award.

Family Style

ROAST BEEF DINNER

Livonia Lodge No. 778
Livonia, N.Y.

SUNDAY, JUNE 6
Noon til 3 P.M.

Adults \$3.00 — Children 1.50

LET'S GO VISITING

- 1 - Charlotte - Open Meeting - W: Bill Zufall will speak.
- 1 - Fame - Special Communication. 3rd Degree - Dinner 6:30.
- 2 - Retiring District Deputy Dinner.
- 3 - Northfield - 3rd Degree. Dinner 6:30.
- 3 - Webster - Move-Up Night. Hot Dog Roast.
- 4 - W. C. Hubbard - Open Meeting.
- 4 - W. C. Hubbard - Open Meeting. Sheriff's Office - S.W.A.T. Team.
- 7 - Valley - "Old Timers Night".
- 8 - Ionic Chapter R.A.M. - Move-Up Night.
- 8 - F. L. Simes - 1st Degree.
- 8 - Fame - Annual Strawberry Festival.
- 8 - James A. Hard Post - Regular Meeting.
- 8 - East Rochester - 1st Degree.
- 9 - Germania - 3rd Degree. Dinner 6:30.
- 9 - Oatka - 3rd Degree. Dinner 6:30.
- 9 - Ancient Craft - Move-Up Night and Sports Shirt night.
- 14 - Fairport - 3rd Degree. Dinner 6:30.
- 15 - Tall Cedars - Stag Picnic.
- 15 - Seneca - 50 and 60 year awards - Paul Miller, speaker.
- 27 - Seneca Lodge - Unveiling of aprons and jewels of Past Grand Masters - M:W: Schneider will be honored guest.
- 28 - Fairport - Hot dog roast honoring our Little League Team.



INTERLODGE FELLOWSHIP

The 1976 Annual Interlodge Fellowship Golf Tournament will be held at the WEBSTER GOLF COURSE, 415 SALT ROAD, WEBSTER, N.Y. on Saturday, June 26, 1976. Starting times from 8 AM till 10:30 AM.

There will be a buffet dinner after the Tournament is over but no later than 2:30 PM. Beer will be served on the course. Trophies and gifts will be awarded at the dinner and winners will be announced in the Monroe Masonic News.

All this and more for only \$11.00 per person. Please send in your entry blank early. You may get entry blanks at your Lodge or send in the attached form.

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Dear Brother Herman

Rt. Wor. Herman Sarachan will answer questions on Masonic ritual, symbolism, history and law. Address your questions to **BROTHER HERMAN**, % Masonic Service Bureau, 875 Main Street East, Rochester, New York 14605.

Q. In the School of Administration you often refer to "Masonic Law". What constitutes Masonic Law, and where does it come from?

A. Masonic Law is the term applied to the rules and regulations which have been developed in the course of the years to preserve the character and safeguard the interests of the Masonic fraternity.

Masonic Law is partly unwritten and partly written. The unwritten law consists of the principles, often referred to as "landmarkss," which have come down to us from the earliest Masonic days, and which are accepted as basic.

Examples of the unwritten law are: (1) Belief in a Supreme Being; (2) belief in immortality; (3) the Bible on the altar, with square and compasses; (4) Division of the Craft into three degrees; (5) the legend of the Third Degree; (6) a petitioner must be a man, free-born, of lawful age; (7) specific modes of recognition (grips and words); (8) the unanimous secret ballot for admitting candidates; (9) government of the craft by a Grand Master with great powers and prerogatives; (10) Masons meet in lodges, governed by a Master, assisted by Wardens; (11) a Lodge must be titled.

The written law consists of (1) the rules and regulations adopted by Grand Lodge, amended from time to time, and printed in the Book of Constitutions; (2) Decisions of the Grand Masters on specific matters of law which are referred to them; such decisions are final in the particular case. If the decision is approved by Grand Lodge it becomes part of the law until or unless a subsequent Grand Master or an amendment to the Constitutions should reverse it. The decisions are arranged and printed in the Handbook of Masonic Law; (3) The by-laws of the particular Lodge, which must not be in conflict with Grand Lodge Law.



GROTTO

Congratulations to Lalla Rookh for their performance at the A to Z Ceremonial held on May 9 in Binghamton. We were represented by a full color guard from the Legion, members of the Patrol and some of our line officers and we brought home a trophy for the best appearing Grotto in the parade. WELL DONE.

It has been brought to our attention that for every member of our Grotto we are assessed over \$16 in per capita taxes (Supreme Grotto, Temple taxes, rent, etc.). So brethren, if you haven't paid your dues for the year, why don't you contact our Secretary and do so as soon as possible.

Did you know that Lalla Rookh has sponsored seven Dentistry children through the Supreme Grotto? Why don't you let people know what we are doing.

We understand that our Band Director, Dick Melville, has been under the weather. Why don't you drop him a card—let him know that we appreciate the fine work he has been doing with our band.

At the last meeting of the Board of Governors it was brought out that P.M. Jay Painton and his committee are constructing "play tables" for home use by our Cerebral Palsied children. Jay is also building a padded bed which can be used by the more severely affected children. These are just a few of the Humanitarian projects we support. Why don't you offer your services for these worthy causes—"cause we need you."

This will be our last column for the summer. We hope you have enjoyed them. Hope you have a good vacation and see you all in the Fall.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- June 4—Caledonia Firemens' Parade.
- June 13—Legion of Honor Picnic—Harris Whalen Park.
- June 16—Lalla Rookh Annual Picnic—Powder Mill Park.

• SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER •
George Francis, Publicity

BRO. HERMAN TO RETIRE

Flower City Lodge No. 910 has announced the impending retirement from office this year of Rt. Wor. Herman Sarachan, Secretary for 33 years, and Rt. Wor. Joseph Silverstein, Treasurer for 50 years. Both these distinguished brethren will be suitably honored at a Testimonial

Dinner to be held on Saturday, October 30, which will be open to all Masons, their wives, and friends. Further details will be announced after the summer, but all concerned are asked to keep the date clear. W. Maurice Solomon, AGL Dinner Chairman.

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LODGE news and views

VALLEY LODGE No. 109
1st and 3rd Mondays

FROM THE MASTER'S CHAIR

Fraternal Greetings:

I have just spent an enjoyable three days in New York City at the 195th Annual Grand Lodge Communication, presided over by Grand Master MW: Arthur Markewich. The Communication provided three days of interesting and informative meetings beginning with the opening session and lasting until the formal installation of our new Grand Master MW: Albert Scheidner. I would like to relate a few highlights of these sessions.

The first session opened with a very enlightening and informative address by MW: Arthur Markewich. He stressed these points:

1. The youth organizations in New York State sadly lags behind the rest of the nation. DeMolay Chapters are not raising new boys to their ranks. Leadership at the local levels is almost not to be found. We as lodges must find and offer leadership to guarantee the future of DeMolay if we ourselves are to grow in strength.
2. We as Masons must exercise economy and reality, in studying our role in Masonic Brotherhood. We must examine each brothers' position in life before we decide to drop him from our roles. We are just starting to make progress in rebuilding our Masonic organizations.
3. Lodges are in danger of losing members from within through uninteresting programs. Programs should come alive with inviting programs.
4. Many District Deputies are being appointed for political reasons rather than diligence to hard work—the invitation and challenge is there and waiting!
5. The veil of ignorance has been lifted. We must welcome our Catholic Brothers.

The address was well received by the brothers.

The Grand Masters' Dinner was the occasion for presenting this year's Distinguished Service Award to Bro. Lowell Thomas of radio-TV fame. After accepting the award, Bro. Thomas delivered one of his his typical orations on his personal experiences during an interesting life.

The business sessions enacted several pieces of important legislation:

1. To amend the Book of Constitutions to read: "that per capita dues annually paid to meet expenses of Grand Lodge be increased from \$2.50 to \$3.50." This was the second reading and was passed into law.
2. Authority to the Grand Lecture to formally appoint an Assistant Grand Lecture for each district (adopted).
3. Formalization of Regions for Administrative purposes and the areas for presiding Grand Officers defined. Second reading—passed into law.
4. Adoption of first reading—

a member may voluntarily repay his dues and become affiliated with another lodge.

The final event was the election and installation of our new Grand Master, MW: Albert Scheidner and his Grand Line. I was most pleased with the election of RW: Ken Crawford of Rochester as Senior Grand Warden. Valley Lodge offers its congratulations to Br. Ken.

The ceremony was very moving and a splendid finish to our 195th Communication. It is interesting to note that the Grand Master took his obligation with the St. George Bible used by Bro. George Washington on his oath of office as 1st President of the United States.

I wish to thank my brothers for the opportunity to represent you again in New York City. It is indeed an honor that one can cherish for the future.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN LODGE

Our first meeting in May raised Bro. William Babcock, Jr. to his third degree. Congratulations to our new brother and to the fine degree presented by the 1974 Masters Degree team, headed by W: Chip Becker. Let's all get out and welcome our new brother to lodge!

If you haven't joined us in lodge you may be missing an evening of brotherhood and entertainment—you can ill-afford that in our trying times. Join us!

On May 10th we held our Fellowship Strawberry Festival. The committee working the berries consisted of W: Howard Belt, W: Vern Saunders, and others. After a short business meeting, we left for the auditorium and spent the balance of the evening listening to organ music. There will be no meeting in June, but we will start again in September. Fraternally,
Ralph Leffler, President

Our second meeting in May invited our ladies for an evening of "hot" bidding on white elephants. All proceeds were given to the brotherhood fund. Bro. Harry Bollotin entertained the fair wives with magic while our brothers attended lodge. The evening was polished off with everyone enjoying an ice cream social.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 6th - "Breakfast in the Park" - join us for a Sunday breakfast at Ontario Park, foot of Lake Avenue. Reservations to Jim Barrett or Cliff Merritt. Wives invited. Details with flyer.

June 7th - "Old Timers' Night" - join us and honor our brothers - contests and awards for most informal and flashy attire. Join us for a night of renewing acquaintances!

IN NEED OF OUR SUPPORT

Bro. Ted Carson is recovering from a heart attack several weeks ago. Is now progressing at home. Get well soon, Ted! Bro. Bill Babcock, Sr., suffered a slight stroke about a month ago. Is now living at the Episcopal Home on Mt. Hope Avenue. I am sure

ZETLAND LODGE NO. 951
2nd & 4th
Thursdays



Brethren:

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate and thank the Esten A. Fletcher Fellowcraft team for the fine work they did on conferring the third degree on three new brothers. This was the first time the team has put on the degree in over three years. It was gratifying to see the turnout of brethren willing to take part in the degree. We had a surplus of help. Thanks brethren, I will be looking forward to your support in the fall when your help will be again needed. We have two more brothers in waiting for the third degree and have prospects of three more candidates this fall.

Missed seeing quite a few of the brethren at our May 13 meeting when I gave my report on this years Grand Lodge session. The session was well attended and it was very interesting and informative. The highlight of this years session, as far as I was concerned, was when our own Past Master, R. Kenneth Crawford was elected Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York for the next two years, and to see all the Grand Lodge Officers installed in a very impressive ceremony. All of the officers took their obligation on the same bible that Brother George Washington took his oath of office when he became the first President of the United States.

At the session the chairman of the brotherhood stated that the fund is about \$200,000 short of this years goal, and the deadline has been extended to June 7. So brethren if you have not sent in your donation yet please do so now, our chairman is P.M. Ted Theodor, 59 Castleview Drive, 14622. Your help is needed to put this drive over the top.

Our last meeting before summer recess is June 10th. Our annual Fellowship Stag steak roast is scheduled for Saturday, June 12. Our family picnic will be held on Saturday, July 17. You will be notified of time and place of both events so mark your calendar and plan to attend these events.

I would like at this time to wish each and every member and their families a very happy, safe and joyous summer vacation and am looking forward to seeing you in lodge in September, should you be unable to attend our steak roast or family picnic.

Birthday greetings to all our brothers who have birthdays during the next three months. Ernest E. Wilson, Master



visitors would be welcome.

Bro. Ralph Smithers was visited by our Senior Warden, who reports our brother doing well. He would like to move a little closer to Rochester in order to visit more often.

W: George Francis' wife is progressing well at home after a bout of surgery. God speed her recovery!

I am sure these brothers could stand a visit or a note.

Have a healthy summer and let's all return to lodge in September! God speed!

FLOWER CITY LODGE
No. 910
2nd Tuesday

CONGRATULATIONS

Rt. Wor. Herman Sarachan, who was awarded the Chancellor Livingston Medal at the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

Bro. and Mrs. Seymour Baskill on the Bar Mitzvah of their daughter, Karen.

Bro. and Mrs. Gerald Greenberg on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Stuart.

Bro. Cyrus Kloner, who has been elected President of the Vaad Hakolel Cemetery Association. Serving with him on the Executive Committee are: Rt. Wor. Samuel Markus, Wor. Seymour Kopen, and Bro. Alex Kopen.

W. Joseph Klein on his promotion and transfer to San Diego, California. Joe and Helen will be honored at Temple Beth-David on Friday, June 11, for their great service to the Congregation. We wish them both well; we'll miss them.

Bro. and Mrs. Art Loeb on the Bar-Mitzvah of his Great-Grandson.

Bro. and Mrs. Seymour Baskin on the Bar-Mitzvah of their daughter, Karen.

Bro. and Mrs. David Stein on the engagement of their

TRESTLEBOARD

Tuesday, June 8 - Open Meeting. Sports Shirt Night. Bob Lazerson Gin Rummy Tournament.

Tuesday, June 15 - Fellowcraft Club. Annual Steak Roast, Ellison Park.

Sunday, August 8 - Annual Family Picnic - Powdermill Park.

The May meeting, which was preceded by a fine dinner catered by Senior Warden Erwin Newell and Bro. Syd Miller, saw a fine turn-out, and they were well rewarded with an excellent Third Degree, conferred by the Master, W. Sanford Hoffman, and the officers contributed with their finest effort of the year. The second section was, as usual, in the hands of our own Degree Team. We welcome into Lodge membership Bros. Cy Kloner, Jack Levy and Bob Siegel, and look forward to seeing them often at meetings.

For our June meeting, dress will be casual, and we will have the Annual Robert P. Lazerson Gin Rummy Tournament. All those desiring of participating in the Tournament should attend the Lodge meeting first, which will be of short duration.

The Fellowcraft Club Steak Roast is being held at Ellison Park on Tuesday, June 15. There will be a mailing, and reservations **MUST** be made—no reservation, **NO STEAK!**

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All brethren who have never received their Lodge aprons will be presented with same at the June meeting. Please take this opportunity to attend.


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SENECA LODGE
No. 920
3rd Tuesday



MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:

It is with much excitement that we await the visit to Seneca Lodge on June 27 of Most Worshipful Albert W. Schneider, Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York and other Masonic dignitaries for the public ceremony, in the lobby of the Masonic Temple, to unveil the cases containing the Grand Lodge aprons and jewels of Seneca Lodge's two members who have become Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York; Most Worshipful William F. Strang and Most Worshipful Clarence J. Henry. Further details are contained in an article on the front page of this issue of the *Monroe Masonic News*. Members, friends and our ladies are invited.

I am happy to announce Bro. Paul Miller will speak at the June 15 meeting. We will also award 50 year pins and 60 year palms to several of our brothers at that meeting. Bro. Miller will draw upon events in his distinguished career as a publisher and mason for what I expect to be a memorable masonic evening. Dinner, by reservation, is at 6:30 pm; the Lodge opens at 7:30 pm.

Fraternally,
J. Rayford Whitley, Master



daughter Nancy to Jonathan Harvey.

Bro. and Mrs. Albert Lipman, on the engagement of their daughter Mirian, to Stan Katz.

Bro. Sherwin Weinstein, who has been appointed co-Chairman of the Allocations Committee of the J.J.A.

Bro. and Mrs. Harold Hecker, who were honored at the Temple Beth-El Dinner on behalf of State of Israel Bonds.

Maurice Solomon,
Past Master

TESTIMONIAL DINNER

As most members are by now aware, Rt. Wor. Joe Silverstein and Rt. Wor. Herman Sarachan have indicated their intentions to retire from office this year. We will honor them at a Testimonial Dinner to be held at Beth-El on Saturday, October 30, when we expect a number of distinguished guests. The dinner will be open to all members and their wives, friends and guests. Please keep the date open on your calendar.

FAMILY PICNIC

Family Picnic will be held this year at Powdermill Park on Sunday, August 8. There will be full details in the mail.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

We mourn the passing of Bros. Casper L. Solomon and David Kass, and extend our sympathies to their respective families. We extend our sympathies to: Rt. Wor. Joseph Silverstein in the passing of his sister; W. Benjamin Lipson in the passing of his mother.

Bro. and Dr. Paul Garfinkle is recuperating at home after surgery; W. and Bro. Nat Schwartz is in St. John's Home, and would welcome visitors.

Wm. R. Dunsky, Hospitaler

OATKA LODGE

No. 759
2nd & 4th Wednesday

Brethren:

It doesn't seem possible that it is June already and the first half of the year is almost over.

It was a great honor and privilege to represent Oatka Lodge at the 195th session of grand Lodge in New York on May 4, 5, and 6, and to be a part of the Monroe Districts at this Convention. The Sessions were very informative and impressive and were an experience I will never forget. The trip was very enjoyable from start to finish due mainly to the excellent efforts and planning of the Vice President of the 1976 Masters, W: Bro. J. Rayford Whitley and his wife, Louise.

Oatka Lodge and I wish to extend our congratulations to R:W: Kenneth Crawford of zetland Lodge No. 951 on his being elected grand Senior Warden of Grand Lodge.

On June 9th we are planning on having a 3rd degree. There will be a dinner at 6:30. With Lodge opening at 7:30. The degree will be conferred by the 1972 Masters Degree team so please plan to attend and enjoy the outstanding work of these Brothers. Following the meeting we will have our annual Strawberry Night. Call J:W: Wayne Abbott at 889-2746 or S:W: Phil Hise at 247-2625 for reservations.

It was announced last month that our Chicken Barbeque would be held during the Scottsville Flag Day Celebration. Since that time the Flag Day Celebration has been cancelled and a conflicting event in Town makes it impossible to have our Chicken Barbeque at this time.

BROTHERHOOD FUND

The 1976 Brotherhood Fund campaign has been extended one week until June 7th. Please Brothers, send in your contributions now and be counted in this year's drive. Our Brotherhood Chairman has worked very hard and has done an outstanding job but there are still several of you who have not been heard from. Send it today, it's not too late, to Richard Henderson, 85 Walbert Drive, Rochester 14624.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The June meeting of the Fellowcraft Club will be held on the 2nd, with a spaghetti supper at 6:30. Call Bro. Gordon Bell for reservations at 889-2531.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 2 - Fellowcraft, Spaghetti Supper 6:30.

June 9 - Dinner 6:30, 3rd Degree by 1972 Masters, Strawberry Night.

Oatka has only one meeting in June.

I want to wish each and every member of Oatka Lodge a pleasant summer and I am looking forward to seeing all of you in September.

Fraternally,
Robert Moore, Master

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YONNONDIO LODGE

No. 163
1st and 3rd Tuesdays



MASTER'S MESSAGE

Hello! It's me again. grand Lodge is a part of history now. It was very inspiring and educational, a week I will always remember. I want to thank all the officers for a job well done in my absence, especially Bro. Don Hage. If you were not there, I am told you missed out on witnessing an inspired brother do a superb job. I wish also to thank the Fellowcraft Club and all the brethren who traveled to East Rochester Lodge No. 1020 for their 3rd Degree; also thank you W. Merle Rogers for letting us take part in your Lodge. My gratitude to all the brethren who helped honor Br. Don Ballou; also those who helped with our own 3rd Degree.

Now to the future. We are off and running again, this time to Spencerport to put on a complete 3rd Degree. Let's see how many we can get to Etolian Lodge No. 479 on June 14. Keep in mind also our annual golf day with Charlotte Lodge. Details are on page 11.

Our first meeting in September is to be Past Master's Night with dinner preceding. Reservations are a must. I hope all you Past Masters remember your lodge work; you just may need it! If the rest of you brethren have a favorite Past Master, come out and help cheer him on!

On September 21, we'll be conferring a First Degree under the direction of our S.W. L. Wiler. If you have any likely candidates, get the petitions in soon. October 5 is our annual visit by the D.D.G.M. It would be nice if we had a good turnout for his visit. Of course, our big night is to be Saturday, October 16; Ladies Night at Valley Echo. All the officers have tickets. Let's all get involved and have a big turnout.

Last, but not least, have a good summer. See all of you back in the Fall.
Fraternally,
W: Don Carlile, Master

SECRETARY'S CORNER



All Can Enjoy Summer—as we approach our recess, we realize that one-half of our Bicentennial Year is almost behind us, but we always look forward to social events, vacations and a rewarding future.

Now is the time to show the future masonic members that we do enjoy our fraternity and want to share it, it is also of interest to other members of

ANCIENT CRAFT LODGE
No. 943



2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren:

Well I goofed again. But there really was not much to write about for May. This is why I ask all brothers who are able, to come to lodge so we can put on a program of interest to all.

The 195th Grand Lodge Meeting was held May 4, 5 and 6 in New York City. At this time I would like to thank all the brothers of Ancient Craft for their trust and for sending me as your representative. It was a great experience.

I would like to thank our J.W. Norris Curtis and his wife, Delores, who put on a great bowling party. I can't remember when there were so many. Sixty-seven showed up.

Our June 9th meeting will be strawberry Night and Move-up Night. It will be open shirt and this includes the officers.

On November 10th the Tarten Square Club will honor us with their presence. We will have a Tureen Dinner before. Please keep this date open.

Early this coming Fall we will put on a 3rd Degree and dinner with the help from a Past Master Degree team.

At this time I would like to wish a belated happy birthday to all those who had a birthday in May. Also a happy birthday to those who have birthday's in June, July and August.

Called home by the Supreme architect, Bro. Emory D. Champney, April 20, 1976. A Masonic Service was held on Sunday, April 24, 1976.

I wish all the brothers and their families a happy and prosperous summer.

Fraternally,
Robert L. Curtis, Master



the family.

Now is the time to have that petition in your hand, it is the key to a growing fraternity and a key to the door of Masonry which is never locked.

Now is the time to carry a current dues card, a valuable asset while on vacation and a requirement when visiting lodges with your brethren.

Now is the time to think of others, visit a Brother, shut-in or elderly, show that we care and make his day a bit brighter.

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CHARLOTTE LODGE
No. 1088
1st and 3rd Tuesdays

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Dear Brethren:
My visit to Grand Lodge last month was a most interesting and informative experience and I thank you for the opportunity of representing you there. The best news from Grand Lodge is that our Brother R.W. R. Kenneth Crawford is the new Grand Senior Warden and our Brother Rt. W. Herman Sarachan received a medal in recognition of his literary achievement.

The bad news is that the Brotherhood Fund is running behind schedule, therefore the campaign has been extended one week until June 7th. If you haven't yet contributed, won't you take advantage of this opportunity to help those in need. Send your check to the Brotherhood Chairman: Stanley Nesbit, 151 Dorsey Road, Rochester 14616.

This being the last issue before summer recess I would like to wish you all a happy summer. Don't forget our picnics and golf tournaments.

Wor. Verne Halter, Master

SECRETARY'S NOTEBOOK

Happy birthday to all of the Brothers of Charlotte who have a Birthday in June. May you enjoy this day.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Again the Lodge has its share of illness. Those ill are: Colin Brown, 33 Elmtree Road, Rochester 14612; Wor. Robert Thrash, 155 Truesdale St., Rochester 14615; David Peggs, 2547 Mt. Read Blvd., Rochester 14615. Bro. William Dymont's wife Emma fractured her wrist recently. Bill and Emma live at 81 Forgham Rd., Rochester 14616. Hope you are O.K. now Mrs. Dymont. Bro. Charles H. Carey, 27 Jensen Dr., Rochester 14624 lost his Father recently. Bro. John Evans, Jr., 32 El Rancho Dr., Rochester 14616 and Bro. Albert Wride, 260 Ellington Dr., Rochester 14616, lost their Father and Father-in-law recently. The sympathy of the Lodge has been extended to these Brothers.

Brother Charles E. Sweet, 592 Ridge Rd. East, Webster, NY 14580, passed away on May 12. The Brethren of Charlotte along with the Family will mourn his passing. A Masonic Funeral Service was conducted May 13, 1976.

Dues seem to be at a low ebb. If YOU are owing the Lodge DUES won't you please take care of this detail. We need your cooperation.

Check the Trestleboard for Lodge happenings in June and then join in with us.

A Lodge member or one of his Family who is ill, is always of concern to the Lodge. Please keep us

BROTHER MAKE YOUR DONATION

Brotherhood is alive, and well, and living in Masonry...as long as YOU give to the Brotherhood Fund. Send your contribution TODAY to your Lodge Brotherhood Fund Chairman.

ORPHEUS LODGE
No. 1082
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren:

The time is slipping by us fast. The season is coming to a close before the summer recess.

I was hoping that the attendance would be picking up at the meetings. We are having a Third Degree on the 25th May for our 5 Fellowcrafts, we are planning on putting on the 3rd Degree by our Lodge Officers, whom our Past Master, W. Bill D'Workin will be putting on the 1st part and our Senior Deacon, Br. Dave Beswick will be in charge of putting on the 2nd part. Dave Beswick has been working hard and I would not like to disappoint him. I don't want to call on the degree team, but we need all the help we can from the brethren of our Lodge, so I am pleading that you all come out and help our Lodge and we'll be very happy to see you at the meetings.

The Ladies' Night is June 5, the details will be forwarded a little later.

As for myself and my officers we would like to see more brethren at the meeting and show these new candidates what kind of Lodge it is.

Please don't forget about the Brotherhood Fund. Fraternally, Solomon S. Greenstein, Master



informed. Call me at 663-0060 or our Worshipful Master, Verne Halter at 663-8589. Fraternally, Everett Van Putte, Sec.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 1 - Open Meeting. Worshipful William R. Zufall, Executive Director of the Masonic Service Bureau, will be our guest speaker, and his most interesting topic will be "Masonic Signers of the Declaration of Independence".

June 13 - Family Picnic at Braddock Bay State Park, noon until dark. Hots, hamburgs, pop, beer, games, prizes, etc. Each family is asked to bring a dish to pass. Adults \$3.00; children under 12, \$1.50. All officers will have tickets.

June 15 - Open Meeting - Sport Shirt Night. Last meeting before summer recess - hope you will attend.

I hope everyone has a safe, healthy and happy summer. Fraternally, Bob Forest, Junior Warden

CHARLOTTE vs. YONNONDIO GOLF TOURNAMENT

Save this date. August 15th will be our yearly competition for the Fur Lined Pot.

Salmon Creek is the place and a dinner with your favorite lady will follow. This year guests are permitted.

If you wish to be included in this tournament please contact James Veomett, at 342-5570 or Gordon Davidson at 225-4782.

CORINTHIAN TEMPLE LODGE
No. 805
1st and 3rd Mondays



Dear Brethren:

I wish to thank you for the privilege of representing our Lodge at the Grand Lodge meeting in New York city.

One of the highlights was the election of R.W. R. Kenneth Crawford to the office of Sr. Grand Warden. Ken is from our own Monroe County, and Past Master of Zetland Lodge.

The Masters of Monroe County made a bright impression in N.Y.C. and Grand Lodge with their red, white and blue coats.

On June 12 we will have our Family Picnic at Webster Park, Park View Lodge starting at 1 O'clock. Games committee Al Falk, R. Perry, H. Ellenger. Food committee: D. Nesbitt, B. Steene, G. Shayler, W. Hinds, J. Hinds and W. Trimble Jr. For reservations phone G. Shayler 342-2238; B. Steene 342-5632 or S. Allen 235-8457. Price: adults \$1.00, children 5 to 12, 50¢, under 5 free.

July 17 will be our Workers' Party at W. Jim Gisleson's.

Please mark September 20th Past Master and Old Timers Night. Dinner at 6:30; also W. Warren Trimble Jr. will be presented with a Dedicated Service Award. Be sure you make your reservations with the Jr. Warden, or W. Blair Cosman or myself.

The speaker at the Grand Master's Dinner was Bro. Lowell Thomas who gave a very interesting talk on his experiences. Bro. Thomas is 84 years young.

Hoping all our sick and shut-ins are well on the road to recovery and can get to Lodge soon. Our next meeting will be September 20th. You all have a safe and enjoyable summer and try to get some petitions so we can have degrees this Fall. Stanley C. Allen, Master

SECRETARY'S CORNER

Summer is now upon us and each and everyone of us will go our separate ways until the Fall. Let's keep in mind that the Lodge needs candidates very badly. Try to invite someone that you think will make a good Mason to our Picnic and meet the members and their wives. This is a very good way to influence prospective members.

Birthday congratulations go to the following Brothers whose birthday falls in June: Robert Liggett, Robert Maddison 6/1; De Forest Bush, John McMahon, Haddon Servis 6/2; Frederick Fincken 6/3; Wor. Edward

Shaw (Master 1974) 6/7; James Jenkins, Raymond Van Wuyckhuysse, Wor. Fred Weidel (87) (Master 1924) 6/8; Richard Mosman 6/9; Ralph Poling 6/10; Norman Coons, Wor. Donald Fox (Master 1968), Adolph Kennis 6/11; Mark Hoag 6/13; Edgar Borate, Wor. Walter Gay (Master 1972), Leonard Hilbert, John Ladwig, Charles Slusser 6/19; William Baker 6/21; Clifford DeWitte 6/24; Bjarne Iverson 6/26; G. Drexel Gridley, Ernest Lascell, Richard Perry 6/27; Wor. Warren Trimble, Jr. (Master 1958) 6/29; and those whose fall in July: Howard Hall 7/6; Ralph Sandberg, Walter Schlosser 7/7; George Form, Michael Pallone, Wendell Seeber 7/8; Josiah Forrest, Earl Hilfiker, William Laundry 7/10; George Lloyd, Donald Snyder 7/11; Robert Flint 7/13; Wor. Raymond Unger, Jr. (Master 1956) 7/15; Howard Gardner (89) 7/18; Harry Marshall (84) 7/19; William Henry, Jr. 7/21; Richard Hollenbeck, Samuel Ofsowitz 7/22; Wor. John Hinds (Master 1970) 7/23; Arthur Underwood 7/25; Ralph Lamson (83) 7/26; Robert Van Keuren 7/27; Arthur Nenkweit 7/28; Joseph Fulton, Charles Scorse (82) 7/29; Charles Wann 7/30; Arthur Holtzman 7/31; and finally those whose fall in August: Albert Lane 8/1; Granger Green, Roswell Strong 8/2; Herbert Bailey, John Jones 8/6; Ronald Bishop, Henry Langknecht, James Starkey, Jr. 8/7; Herbert Altemoos, Jr., Thomas Doughty 8/8; Alfred Bork, Philip Ripson (95) 8/12; Edward Kramer, Albert Manchee, G. Westbrook Taggart 8/13; Thomas Trainor 8/14; Albert Falk, Ara Ballarian (86) 8/17; Kenneth Kimmel 8/20; George Pettinger 8/21; Harry Carter 8/24; Earl Clark, Wyman Jemison (96) 8/27; Harry Killenbeck 8/28.

WHAT SAYING IS THIS?

He who locks himself into the arms of Morpheus promptly at eventide and starts the day before it is officially announced by the rising sun, excels in physical fitness, increases his economic assets, and celebrates with remarkable efficiency. Answer to last months saying: A word to the wise is sufficient.

DUES BOX SCORE
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Fraternally, Bertram M. Steene, Secretary

FAIRPORT LODGE
No. 476
2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren:

Fairport Lodge had the honor at its April 12th Communication to present service awards to the following brothers:

Bro. Stewart Pederson—Certificate for perfect attendance at Lodge school of Instruction;

Bro. L. Gorton Baker—25 year Certificate;

Bro. Albert Castellani—25 year Certificate;

Bro. Gerald W. Earl—25 year Certificate;

Bro. Douglas Snyder—25 year Certificate;

Bro. Dean Adams—50 year Certificate and pin.

Bro. Alvin B. Kinsella—50 year Certificate and pin for his affiliation with Fairport Lodge and 67 years service in Masonry.

Bro. Emory R. Maulton—50 year Certificate and pin for his affiliation with Fairport Lodge and 72 years service in Masonry.

Bro. Oscar Stenzel was presented with the grand Lodge State of New York Dedicated Service Award for his dedicated and active service to Fairport Lodge. The award consisted of a beautiful framed certificate and a special apron. Bro. Stenzel was one of only 10 masons in the 1st and 2nd Monroe Districts to receive this honor.

Brothers, the Spring sessions are coming to a close, yet there are many activities left that require your attendance and assistance. Please extend your cable-tow to its fullest for these events:

June 14 - 3rd Degree and dinner at 6:30 pm, make your reservations early; call Bro. Dave Taber at 223-6728.

June 28 - We honor our Little League Team with a hot dog roast at 6:30 pm and films of Past World Series games.

Although the Lodge will be closed during July and August the Trustees will be making calls for work parties for renovations on our Lodge home.

Participation will be needed for the Arts Festival Food Stand. The Fourth of July Parade, to be held on the 3rd of July.

Remember the Brotherhood Fund! Fraternally yours, N. J. Venette, Master

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**PENFIELD UNION LODGE
No. 154
1st and 3rd Tuesdays**

I have just received a thank you letter from Parkdale Lodge No. 510 in Toronto. One paragraph states: "Those of us with long years in the Craft have come to realize that wherever we go in Masonry, a warm welcome awaits us." The words are not easily found that will adequately express our gratitude and sincere appreciation of the wonderful spirit of brotherhood shown to each one of us on our April 24th visit.

Our Junior Warden, who went to Grand Lodge in place of the Master, gave a detailed report on his activities and observations. He says, "I'll be glad to take your place anytime under the same conditions."

BRETHREN! Up to April 31st, 56 of our Lodge Members have donated \$544 to the Brotherhood Fund. We have 208 members names on our Lodge books, that's an average of \$2.62 per member and looks very good but a good look does not take care of our Brothers at our home in Utica. What happened to 156 Brothers out of our 208 that did not donate. Somewhere, some time, somebody asked you for a penny, haven't you earned enough to give something to a needy brother? Score so far 25% \$544; 75% 00.00. Donations received at all times . . . Scoring for the year ends June 7th. **GIVE NOW.**

Camp Turk at Round Lake, a summer camp for youngsters between the ages of 14 to 16 will have two periods for boys (July 11th to July 24th) (July 25th to August 7th). First meal to be served at the first period will be dinner at 5:30 pm. Check out on last Saturday of each period any time after breakfast. The Girls stay will be August 8th to the 21st. I am sure your Lodge Chairman has complete information. It has been customary in the past for each Lodge to contribute \$10.00 in lieu of some boy or girl who might not have sufficient funds. Parents generally pay the fee of \$75.00 for each period.

Don't forget to obtain and fill out your application for the **New York State Masons Golf Tournament** on September 10, 11, 12 at Happy acres Country Club. Your Ladies will play at Webster Golf Course, Webster, N.Y. on same dates. Registration and Golf Fee—Contestant \$12.50; Lady guest \$12.50. Dinner and dance (inc. grat.) Contestant \$12.50; Lady guest \$12.50. Get an application. Get the details. Get going.

Our Lodge members Picnic will be June 26th at North Cabin under the able direction of our Junior warden and his helpers, save the date, come to the Picnic, have fun. **NOTE:** John B. has warned me he will be there early.

Clarence Woodley, Master

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L. to R.—Penfield Union's '76 Master, Clarence Woodley; R:W: Bro. Ken Dickinson, D.D.G.M. First Monroe District, who played us a pleasant surprise visit. Holding 50 year Certificates, W: Bro. Fred Rissinger; Bro. Paul J. Thut; and Bro. Forrest G. Rothfuss—R:W: Bro. Ralph Kellogg who presents the 50 year Certificates and Pins, is being assisted by R:W: Bro. Fred Wolfe.

**UNION STAR LODGE
No. 320
1st Wednesday**

Brethren:

Well I guess that summer is finally here, and that most of us are looking forward to vacations. I know that I am, and so are the kids.

My trip to the big city of New York to Grand Lodge really was enjoyable, and an experience that I don't think I will ever forget. It is an experience that I wish everyone in the Masonic Fraternity could have. One of the most interesting events was when the Grand Lodge Officers took their obligations. They were installed with the very same Holy Bible that was used to install the Father of our country, George Washington. To top it off for those of you who do not know, the Monroe District has the honor of having R:W: Ken Crawford as the Grand Senior Warden in the West, at Grand Lodge. It has been a long time since somebody from the Rochester area has had this honor. The new Grand Master is R:W: Albert Schneider

For those of you who are late comers in getting your donations for the Brotherhood Fund, it has been extended one more week, until June 7. So please send in your checks. For those of you who have donated, I would like to say **THANK YOU.**

In writing this letter or column it was sad to hear of the passing of W. William Zimmer who was not only a Past Master but also Treasurer of the Union Star Lodge for the past two years. He will be not only missed by the Fraternity but also of all the Brethren who knew him.

I would like to thank Mrs. M. Gray for a fine job she and her helpers did putting on the Dinner May 26th. I hope all members from Union Star not only got a chance to eat Mrs. Gray's fine dinner but also enjoyed the 2nd Section of the 3rd Degree put on by Olive Branch Lodge No. 39 from LeRoy. They did a fine job, and in it's own way was a little different. And also to all my Officers and Members who helped put on the 3rd Degree. Again, thank you for a job well done.

Let's Go Visiting to Your Lodge June 2nd and have a good turnout for the last meeting before summer vacation. Fraternally,
Jack W. McGirr III, Master

**JOHN A. ROBERTSON
LODGE No. 1032
1st and 3rd Mondays**

Brethren:

Grand Lodge was a unique experience and I was proud to represent our Lodge at the sessions. My full report was given at our last communication and is available from the Secretary for anyone who was unable to attend and get the information first hand. The Second Monroe District received its first Grand Lodge elected officer when Rt. Wor. R. Kenneth Crawford (Zetland Lodge) was elected Senior Grand Warden. My personal congratulations and best wishes for a successful term are extended to Brother Ken.

Our June 7 Communication, the last prior to the summer recess, will be strictly informal. I am trying to obtain a film for the meeting which I think all will enjoy.

Since this is the last issue of the Monroe Masonic News until September, I wish to acknowledge the June, July and August birthdays of our members:

JUNE 2 - Lewis Benjamin; 3 - Harwood Ellis; 4 - Clifford Minard; 5 - Carl Lueck, Jacob Mertens; 6 - John Beach; 10 - Elmer Holly, John Slack; 11 - George Foote, Edward Fulmer, Victor Lilley; 13 - John Brown, Malcolm Pollock, Frederick Walker; 16 - Frederick Lang, Nerle Peck; 18 - Ronaldacker, Willis Seville; 19 - Bruce Hinkley; 20 - Kayestrup; 22 - George Armstrong; 25 - Willard Attridge; 26 - George Barlow; 27 - George Reiber; 28 - Norman Gauch, William Staats; 29 - Philip Gordon, Raymond Smith; 30 - Erle French, Leonard Schmeer.

JULY 4 - Anthony Bartusek, Charles Waterstreet; 5 - Alvin Cranston, Clifford Smith; 7 - Walter Hoffman; 8 - John Tracy; 13 - Milton VanGraafeiland; 14 - William Stotz; 16 - Ivan Meyer; 17 - Harold Gerew; 18 - George Joyce, Howard Quick; 22 - Sidney Horton; 24 - Albert Downing; 25 - Arnold Ford; 26 - John Knorr, Frank Tanck, Alfred Triest; 28 - Wesley Trendell, Joseph Wernham; 29 - Maurice Clark; 31 - Richard Strauss.

AUGUST - George Adams; 8 - John Lighthouse; 10 - DeForest Crouch, Acie Gillis; 11 - Richard Charge; 13 - Robert Allen; 14 - Malcolm Nulton; 15 - Charles Sheldon;

17 - Gordon Heckel; 18 - William Neitzel; 19 - Dean Critchell, Frank Woodward; 20 - Burdett Edgett, Albert Nerracker; 21 - Herbert Young; 25 - Warren Doerrer; 26 - Albert Rosenbauer; 30 - William Hartwig; 31 - Gale Pollow, Alexander Robertson. May each of you have a happy day and many happy returns of the day.

Around 30% of our members have contributed to the Brotherhood Fund. It was announced at Grand Lodge that the campaign would be extended to June 7. Brethren there is still time for you to contribute and I hope you will, if you have neglected to do so. The Million Dollar goal is reachable if all those who have not contributed would send just a dollar. Brotherarchie Barbour has worked hard on this campaign and is to be commended for his efforts. Won't you help him reach his personal goal? This is an annual appeal because the needs of our Brothers in the Masonic Home and the progress being made in the Research Laboratory is continuous. Please reconsider. Several Brethren have not paid their 1976 dues yet, and a few still are in arrears for 1975. Please help clear this slate before the summer recess. Send your checks to our Secretary, Wor. Bro. Merl Nulton.

August 28 is our annual Corn and Sausage Roast and again this year it will be for the whole family. A flyer will be sent out during the summer with further details—save the date!

I hope each of you has a good summer doing those things you most enjoy and getting plenty of relaxation and sunshine. I'm coaching a softball team again this year and it will seem like a very short summer to me. Before I know it, Labor Day will be here and it will be time to resume our Lodge Business. We could be in for a surprise at the September 20th communication, so plan on attending that meeting.

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**W.C. HUBBARD LODGE
No. 964**

1st and 3rd Fridays

Dear Brothers:

The Grand Lodge session will long be remembered. It certainly was an inspiring experience to be able to attend, and I wish to thank all who made this possible. Possibly the highlight was election and installation of the new grand Master, The Most Worshipful Master Albert W. Schneider, Grand Master and all his Officers.

The Brotherhood Fund Drive is now closed and Hubbard has done well, but there are many of you who did not support the Brotherhood Fund. So I appeal to all to please send their donation only it is a dollar to Bro. Bob Helmes, 62 Beverly Heights, Rochester, New York 14616.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Bro. Bob Lauzons mother fell and broke her hip and is in St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. C. King was in Strong Hospital for some surgery but is home now. Bro. Meyerhoff is now home from surgery at Strong. Bro. Sanders was in St. Mary's and by the time you read this he will be back in the hospital for more surgery, home again and after 6 weeks back to the hospital for the last time, we hope. Bro. LaBorie is now home after eye surgery. Bro. Stan Cooley is home recovering from a heart attack and a bad bout with the flu.

All of the Brothers and their wives I have mentioned in this article I have visited, which is part of my job as Master, but I can use some help particularly during the day. So if you have some free time please call and ask how you can help. Michael A. Rapson, 5839 Chili Ave., Churchville, N.Y. 293-2053.

On our June 4 meeting we will have the privilege to have the S.W.A.T. team of the Sheriff office to entertain us. Ladies are invited. This meeting will be a come as you are meeting with refreshments after the demonstration.

Our June 11 Fellowcraft meeting and June 18 Lodge meeting will be cancelled.

Happy Birthday to anyone that has a birthday in June, July or August. Our next Lodge Meeting will be September 17, 1976. Hope to see you all then.

If you know of a brother in sickness or distress please call and let me know or write to Michael A. Rapson, 5839 Chili Ave., Churchville, N.Y. 14428, 293-2053.

Fraternally,
Michael A. Rapson, Master

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EAST ROCHESTER LODGE
No. 1020
2nd & 4th Tuesday

Brethren,

Our neighbor night on April 27 was a real success, we had a delicious chicken and biscuit dinner served by the Lilac Triangle girls, after the dinner the brothers went upstairs to a lodge meeting and our ladies were entertained by Jane Rogers, who put on a decoupage demonstration. Twelve of our ladies were lucky enough to win a door prize. After our short business meeting our ladies and friends were invited upstairs to join us in the lodge room. We had a capacity crowd. The Lilac Triangle girls put on their ever popular Bicentennial degree, which was so appropriate for our country's 200th anniversary. The degree was very impressive and was enjoyed by all. We thank you girls. The climax of the evening was when I had the privilege to introduce M:W: Lloyd S. Cochrane, Past Master of the State of New York, who came to the east and gave us a very interesting talk about the History of Masonry from its origins to the present day. I, as Master of the Lodge, feel we were very honored to have had such a distinguished Mason to not only visit our lodge but to share with us his true friendship and his knowledge of Masonry.

I wish to thank the Lodge for my over generous gift from Grand Lodge, also to be a representative. I will give my report at our next meeting, May 25.

My wife and I enjoyed every minute of our stay in N.Y. City. I must tell you that the Masters of Monroe District were the only group uniformly attired in bicentennial colors, red, white and blue jackets. Our neighboring districts mentioned that they could spot us everywhere.

We the members of East Rochester Lodge 1020 extend our sincere congratulations to R:W: Kenneth Crawford to his newly elected office of Senior Grand Warden. I know Monroe District is very happy to have our own brother in the Grand line. I was very impressed with the procedures and business at Grand Lodge, an experience I will never forget.

May 11 we raised three brothers to the degree of Master Mason.

Sixty brothers were about to sit down to dinner when from a distance came the sound of a drum roll-off and to everyone's surprise in came the Pittsford Firemen's Band, playing "The Stars and Stripes Forever" under the direction of Bro. Tido D'Aurizeo. They played three marches and marched out leaving everyone with that "what happened" look on their faces. One of the greatest surprises of my life. Thanks Tido and fellow band members.

We were served a delicious Swiss steak dinner by the Court Chapter O.E.S. with Worthy Matron Bernice Hegeman in charge.

Again we had a full lodge room. Our officers conferred the first section of the third degree and W.B. Don Carlile and his Fellowcraft team from Yonondio Lodge No. 163 conferred the second and third sections. They did an outstanding job, dramatizing the second section in ancient costume. Thanks a lot my brothers. I am very sorry that

WEBSTER LODGE
No. 538
1st and 3rd Thursdays

Brethren:

Well, now we know what the Traveling Throne is! We saw it at Fame, but Tom and his gang of euchre players wouldn't let us take it back to Webster. But, we'll get it yet, and win back our Traveling Spade too.

A very hearty congratulations to J:W: Scott Hollander (and Joyce) for the successful Ladies' Night on May 1st. A thoroughly enjoyable evening.

Grand Lodge sessions are now history, and we came from New York with a variety of emotions: Impressed with the pomp and circumstance that has preserved to this day much of what Grand Lodge was nearly two hundred years ago. Encouraged by the reports of activity among the various committees. Dismayed at the continuing decline in membership (a net loss of 6910 in 1975). Happy that R:W: Ken Crawford was elected and installed as Senior Grand Warden. And proud that the Monroes stood out among the 1200-1400 present—we were noticed by every delegate there and the subject of many conversations, thanks to the Red, White and Blue.

We thank every member of Webster Lodge for the privilege of representing the Lodge at Grand Sessions. It will be an experience long remembered.

Summer is fast approaching, but there's yet much to be done. On June 3, we'll have our Move-up Night and annual hot dog roast. And on June 13 our red, White and Blue family picnic at Webster Park—you'll be hearing more on this from our Junior Warden. And while it may seem far away, it'll be here before we know it—mark two dates on your calendar for September: 16th, our first meeting in the Fall, with the Tartan Square Club as our guests; 25th, our biennial visit to Ionic Lodge in Hamilton, Ontario.

If you are unable to make it to our June festivities, have a wonderful summer, brethren see you in September. If at any time you learn of a Brother in distress, please contact the Master or one of the Wardens, we can't help if we don't know about it.

Fraternally,
Horace F. Denton, Master



the brethren that didn't attend missed such a great degree. I also want to thank W:B: Wayne Slack from Penfield Union No. 154 as our musician.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS
Bro. Homer Emerson is home from the hospital. I am sure he would like visitors and cards.

Brethren we still have a long way to go to meet our Brotherhood Fund quota. We did pledge to help, aid and assist.

Let's keep in mind our family picnic, August 14 at Eyer Park.

TRESTLEBOARD
May 25 - Tureen dinner, Grand Lodge report.
June 8 - 1st degree, John Weck in the East.
August 14 - Family picnic, Eyer Park.
See you at Lodge,
Merle H. Rogers, Master

CHURCHVILLE LODGE
No. 667
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

As it has been since time immemorial, this month's article is expected to be generally an account of Grand Lodge. This however was not the highlight of this month for your Master. Wednesday, May 12, 1976, will stand out for sometime to come as the event to remember. For this was the night Churchville Lodge honored two of its own. Bro. Stew Dick with his Fifty Year Pin and W: Br. James Brodie with the Distinguished Service Award. This was the night the Lodge rooms were filled almost to the brim, with Brothers coming to pay their respects to two of Churchville's finest. It certainly makes one think when there are so many in attendance. The North side of the Lodge was fill with Brothers from Hesperas Lodge in Bergen, coming to see an old friend honored with his 50 Year Pin. To them I say "Thanks Brothers". Rt. W: Robert Avery, D.D. 2nd Monroe presented Brother Stew with his pin and for once Bro. Stew was speechless or next to it. We then proceeded to the presentation of the Distinguished Service Award to W: Bro. Jim Brodie. The certificate from the Grand Lodge was presented by R: W: Robert Avery; Rt: W: Bruce Widger, Past Grand Junior Warden, presented the apron, which was properly embellished with the Grand Lodge Seal and Purple of the Fraternity. It seemed to me, at least, a fitting tribute to a Brother that has presented the lambskin and referred to the Purple of the Fraternity, so often, should himself be honored by the wearing of the Purple.

Last but not least by any means was the surprise visit of the 2nd Monroe's newest Grand Officer, Rt: W: R. Kenneth Crawford, Grand Senior Warden of Masons for the State of New York. Churchville Lodge wishes him "God's speed and Blessing" on this odyssey on which he has embarked. May the honor be bestowed on our honored Brother this night, be returned ten fold. So my Brothers who could have come but didn't, too bad, you missed something special. For all of you that couldn't come, I hope this has fill you in.

SICKNESS
Bro. Dave Morris is mending slowly but surely and we look forward to seeing him back in Lodge.

To all the Brethren, thank you for allowing me the honor of representing you in Grand Lodge. The night of May 12, 1976, it looked as though Grand Lodge had come to Churchville.


Fraternally,
Bill Baxter, Master
P.S. Br. Hill has gone to Florida. Let's keep him informed about Churchville. We hope this finds him well settled in.

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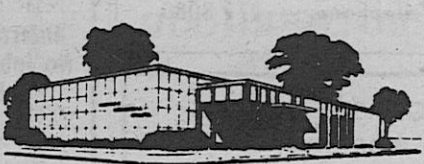
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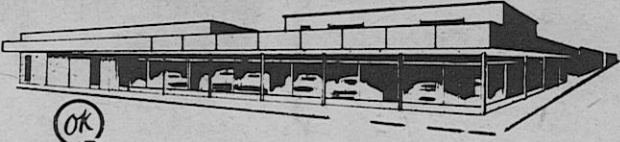


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ROCHESTER LODGE
No. 660
2nd and 4th Mondays

Dear Brethren:
Our Bicentennial Program was held following the dinner on April 26. It was a very well attended and successful meeting. Much praise must be expressed to our Bicentennial Committee: chairman Bro. Frederick Kane, Bro. George Bradshaw, W. Bro. Kenneth Moore, and W. Bro. George Adams, without whose hard work the program could not have been a success. Many thanks again to our Brethren and guests who made Rochester Lodge's Bicentennial Night a highlight of the Lodge year.

The 1972 Masters conferred the Third Degree for Rochester Lodge on Bro. Myron D. Staples at our May 10 meeting. The '72 Masters did an outstanding job, and I wish to thank them and express our gratitude to W. Bro. Merritt Sweet for arranging for the '72 Masters to confer the Degree. I wish also to welcome Bro. Myron D. Staples to membership in Rochester Lodge. At the May 10 meeting the Master reported to the Lodge on his trip to New York for the Grand Lodge Annual Communication. I believe the highlight for the Monroe Districts was the award of the Livingston Medal to R.W. Herman Sarachan and the election to Senior Grand Warden of R. Kenneth Crawford. The Master feels that he speaks for all the Brethren of Rochester Lodge in congratulating R.W. Brother Sarachan and R.W. Brother Crawford on these great honors.

As of this printing Rochester Lodge has held its annual Ladies' Night on May 24. The Master wishes to express his appreciation to W. Bro. Merritt Sweet for obtaining our guest; thanks must be given also to W. Bro. Richard Zorn for arranging the Ladies' Night Dinner.

Please keep in mind the Lodge Picnic which will be held at 6:30 pm at Mendon Ponds Park, East Area.

Also, please remember that Rochester Lodge now meets in DORIC HALL on the third floor.

To all of you I wish a Happy and Healthy summer

TRESTLEBOARD
June 7 - Fellowcraft Picnic at Merritt Sweet's home.
June 14 - Business Meeting.
June 28 - Lodge Picnic at Mendon Ponds, East Area.

Fraternally,
Edward J. Garrett, Master

SENIOR WARDEN
Brethren:
The Brotherhood Fund for the year '76 is drawing to a close.

There are many members in Rochester Lodge I have yet to hear from. You know who you are and I know who you are. We as masons have sworn that we would HELP, AID, and ASSIST our brethren. This, of course, includes the Utica Home, our Research Laboratory, Youth Foundation, Veterans' Hospitals, our Masonic Shrines, and the Grand Master's Allocation that each year depends on us for HELP.

Brethren, I am quite sure that I don't have to remind each one of you of the wonderful teachings you have been taught and learned through your degrees in Masonic Education. I know they are in a depository of your

CLIO LODGE
No. 779
1st & 3rd Tuesdays

Dear Brethren:
I have just returned from the 195th Annual Grand Lodge Communication in New York City. As your representative from Clio Lodge, I was honored and privileged to participate in the proceedings of our great fraternity. I will make my report on Grand Lodge on June 1st.

I would like to thank our Ox Roast Chairman Bro. Richard Harris for his outstanding job, and to all the Brothers and Ladies who put in so much work to make our Ox Roast a great one. I sincerely wish to thank you all.

The Ladies of Leah Chapter O. E. S. hosted 14 members of Clio Lodge at its Annual Master Masons Night on April 27th. The Brothers were treated to a delightful show, and later on in the evening Clio Lodge was presented a check for the Brotherhood Fund. I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Margaret Van Deventer, and the Ladies of Leah Chapter O. E. S. for a very delightful evening.

Applications for the Masonic Youth Camp at Camp Turk are available. The age is from 14 to 16 years old for boys and the First Period is from July 11 to July 24, 1976. Second Period is from July 25 to Aug. 7. Girls Camp is from Aug. 8 to Aug. 21, 1976. For more information call me or contact the Chairman or any member of the Grand Lodge Youth Committee.

June 2 we will honor our retiring District Deputy Grand Masters, with a dinner at the Party House at 677 Beahan Road. The social hour will be held at 6 pm and dinner will begin at 7 pm. Price is \$7.50 per person. Please call me for reservations, before May 27. I hope Clio Lodge will be well represented to acknowledge the outstanding job these two men have done.

June 15 we will have a picnic supper at Clio Lodge beginning at 5:30 pm. Please let Jr. Warden Jim Wells know whether you can attend. We ask everyone to bring a dish to pass.

The June 15th meeting will be our last meeting before the summer recess.

Brethren, please let Secretary Bro. Edward Linaker or myself know if anyone is ill or in distress.
Fraternally,
James J. Fallon, Master



hearts, as well as they are in mine.

So please hear my last PLEA. I am approaching to you as such as your Brotherhood Fund Lodge Chairman, on behalf of all our Masonic Brothers and Sisters that are less fortunate than we are.

Please let me say in my last report of the Brotherhood Fund to our Grand Master, that it was you GOOD Masonic Brothers who led the way to our GOAL for Rochester Lodge by alumination of a little light upon a CHECK made out to the Masonic Brotherhood Fund and directed to me, your Brotherhood Fund Lodge Chairman.
Fraternally,
Leo F. French, Sr. Warden

GENESEE FALLS LODGE
No. 507
2nd and 4th Thursdays

Brethren:
The summer months are now upon us and with them we will begin the usual recess from Lodge activities. We do however have one meeting this month on Thursday the 10th. Although the weather is much nicer now and the Lodge room sometimes a little warm, I hope a few brethren will join with us for the evening. I heartily encourage you to dress casually and comfortably if the weather should so move you. Leisure suits, sport shirts or other such apparel will be the style for this meeting so don't feel that you have to get dressed up. Just wear whatever is comfortable and come join us.

We do have one activity scheduled for the summer for which I would like to give you advance notice. On Sunday, August 1, we will have a Steak Roast at Ellison Park. You will be hearing more about this and receiving additional details during July. I hope that we will see many of you then.

Many of you may be aware by now that we are endeavoring to communicate with our local members via a telephone committee. Our Jr. Warden, John Faro, has worked hard in compiling a list of phone numbers and organizing this committee and we certainly hope it will help to stimulate some interest in our Lodge. If you are not contacted by the phone committee sometime before August 1, we would like to know about it. Maybe we have the wrong number or no number at all and we will need everyone's help and cooperation in order to make this work.

I would be remiss if I didn't mention something about my recent trip to Grand Lodge. Even though it was my second time around, I must admit that I found it just as exciting and in many ways more interesting than when I first went. I appreciate the opportunity to have represented you and thank you for allowing me to do so. If anyone has any questions concerning the business that took place at Grand Lodge, please feel free to contact me.

In closing, let me wish everyone a happy, healthy and safe summer. I hope we will use these coming months to renew our dedication to the principles of Freemasonry so that we can resume our labors in the Fall with a larger number of Brethren.
Fraternally,
Ron Mertens, Master

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

The sympathy of the Lodge is extended to the families of the following brethren: Casper V. Baltensperger, Edmund H. Spencer and Alexander J. Sargent. May their souls find eternal rest in heaven.

TRESTLEBOARD
Thursday, June 10, 7:30 pm - Regular Meeting, leisure suit and sport shirt night.

Saturday, June 12, 8:00 pm - Masonic Re-dedication Service.

Sunday, August 1, 2:00 pm - Steak Roast, Ellison Park.

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FAME LODGE
No. 945
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any brother who attended last year—WE HAD A BALL!
Bro. Barry Thornley called me the other day and wanted to be remembered to all the brethren. He hopes to see any of the brothers who will be going to the Grotto Convention in Ft. Worth, Texas

NORTHFIELD LODGE
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1st & 3rd Thursdays



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Please contact us if you know of any member who may be ill, shut-in or in need of our aid or sympathy. We also would like to know of other bits of information or honors bestowed upon our members. We want to hear from you and your family.

MASTER'S MESSAGE
Dear Brethren:
My trip to Grand Lodge in New York City on May 5, 5 and 6 was one of my most pleasurable experiences. Being Master of a Blue Lodge one does not really get to see the overall operation of our own Fraternity until one reads all the Committee reports and really see what Grand Lodge is involved in. I wish to thank the Brethren of Frank L. Simes Lodge for giving me this opportunity to serve Frank L. Simes Lodge and attend Grand Lodge.
By the time this communication reaches you our Third Degree, held on May 25th, will have been conferred and we will be looking forward to a 1st Degree to be held on June 8th at our Regular Meeting. I hope we will have a good turn out for this degree as it will be our last before summer recess.

For our Family Picnic on June 6th, we ask that each family bring a dish to pass and their own tableware and plates. The meat, beverage, chips, rolls, peanuts and dessert will be supplied by the Lodge.

The Officers and I wish to all a very happy and healthy summer recess.
Fraternally,
Henry A. Masecar, Master

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB
Our next meeting will be held at Dick Snyder's, who resides at 120 King's Highway. I would like to thank W. Henry Masecar for allowing us to use his home for our April meeting.

For the benefit of some of our inactive members, I would like to take this time to remind you that we have some degree work coming up. It's important that we give candidates a good first impression. The only way to do this is my making sure that our ritual work is done to the best of our ability. This is done by practice. We need some past Masters to attend some of our meetings to offer suggestions and comment on the way things were when they were in line. We also need some volunteers to help with the many small parts, every section of the degree work is important. As a candidate is coming into Lodge he is aware of details and attitudes of the members. Please help us make this first impression favorable. Thank you.
Joe Bishop

SICKNESS & DISTRESS
We are glad to hear that Elbie Coxs is feeling so well. Ike Schippers is recovering from a recent operation and we hope to see you back in Lodge soon, Ike.
We were all glad to hear that Charlie Heydt's operation

Dear Brethren:
I attended the 195th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge State of New York on May 4, 5 and 6. It is my pleasure to announce that we now have a brother from Monroe County as Grand Senior Warden, R: W: Kenneth Crawford. Also installed as Grand Master was Albert W. Schneider. I also had the privilege of hearing Bro. Lowell Thomas speak at the Grand Master's Dinner and it was amazing to me to hear of the travelling he has done and the awards he has received. To me this was the highlight of the dinner. It was also very enjoyable to hear Thomas Ryan, State Deputy Knights of Columbus and M:W: Wric W. Nancepivell, Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, speak.

The big city still survives after seeing all those Red, White and Blue checked jackets.

Brethren you still have time to contribute to the Brotherhood Fund as the dead-line has been extended to June 7, 1976.

On June 14 the Yonnonديو Lodge No. 163 will confer the Third Degree in costume and I am very sure you will enjoy it.

On Sunday, June 20th is our annual picnic, to be held at Churchville Park at the Beechwood Shelter at 2:00 pm. We will be entertained by the Clown Band, bring your family and enjoy it.

Wishing all of you a very enjoyable summer.
Fraternally,
Chalmers L. Dinger, Master

SECRETARY'S CORNER
I must at this point tell you, since the last issue Brother Clayton Lont passed away. Our sympathy is extended to our organist, his son John. Also our sympathy to Joe Elliott and his family on the loss of their mother.

Well this is Ten-Four on the Trestleboard - It's a WRAP so Roger, over and OUT. See you on September the 18th, that is. W. Wallace Lessord, Asst. Sec.



was a success and will welcome him back at his station.

I understand that Dave Long has had a little set back in his illness, but by the time this news reaches him, every thing will be improving.

Also Dick Dutcher has been in for some tests and a check up and hope everything is fine

TRESTLEBOARD
June 1st - Officers meeting and rehearsal for 1st Degree; 7:30 sharp.

June 2nd - District Deputies Dinner, Party House, 677 Beahan Road; 6:00 pm. Tickets at the door.

June 6th - Family Picnic, South Lodge, Powder Mill Park.

June 8th - Business Meeting and First Degree by Jr. Warden. Tux. 7:30 pm.

June 15th - Fellowcraft. Dick Snyders, 120 King's Highway.

Sept. 7th - Officers Meeting and rehearsal for 2nd Degree.

Sept. 14th - Business Meeting and Second Degree by Sr. Warden. Tux. 7:30 pm.

Sept. 18th - Fellowcraft Clambake. Ike Schippers cottage.

Brethren:
The 195th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York is now one of many fond memories but it is not too late to thank you for the privilege and pleasure of representing Fame Lodge.
It gives me great pleasure to report that on April 20th Fame Lodge repulsed the "Ridgemen" of Webster 538 at the euchre tables and the "Traveling Throne" is ours. I trust we can count on a return match to see who will sit in judgment supreme. On April 25th we journeyed to Etolian Lodge to retrieve the "Traveling Gavel". Thank you W: Chuck Dinger, it was indeed our pleasure. May 8th a large enthusiastic group traveled to the Town and Country to enjoy the Mills Brothers Show. On May 10th our ladies joined us for a tureen dinner. Following dinner we enjoyed the Tartan Square Club's exemplification of portions of the 3 degrees as they are done in Scotland. My brothers as you can see there is always something going on at Lodge—COME OUT AND TRY US, WE THINK YOU'LL LIKE IT!

June 1st will be a Special Communication for the purpose of conferring the 3rd degree on our 2nd Spring Class. Lodge will open at 6 pm. At 6:30 a homemade beef stroganoff dinner will be served by Chef Joe Kovacs and his staff. Reservations are a must. Your Master will be in the East for the 1st section of the degree and the Past Master's of Fame Lodge will preside over the 2nd section.

June 8th will be our annual strawberry night. Sport shirts will be the uniform of the day (the wilder the better). Following a short business meeting our ladies will join us for ice cream, strawberries and the usual goodies.

June 18th will be a tureen picnic at Lakeview Shelter No. 1 in Webster Park. The Advance Attitude Adjustment Party will be at the park to greet you. We will start serving at 5:45 (we hope)! Ask

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BROTHERHOOD FUND
At Grand Lodge it was announced that the current campaign has been extended through June 7th. If you haven't done so already let Bro. Bill Bailey hear from you.

TIP-OF-THE-TRICORN
R:W: R. Kenneth Crawford upon his election and installation as Senior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York.

R:W: Herman Sarachan, the recipient of the Chancellor Livingston Medal. Seeing these two outstanding and totally dedicated Masons honored by Grand Lodge was a great thrill and the highlight of the trip to New York City.

To the following Past Master's who donated their prize money from the recent Masonic Bowling Tournament to the Brotherhood Fund, W: John Huttemann, W: John Zauner, W: Gordon Fitch, W: Clarence Ver-Streate and W: Everett White.

W: Frederick Schlosser and the brethren of Wall Lodge 63 of New Jersey for the courtesy recently extended to us, on extremely short notice. It was greatly appreciated.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS
The sympathies of the Lodge are extended to Mrs. Fred Kern on the passing of her husband Bro. Fred J. Kern.

TRESTLEBOARD
June 1 - Special Communication. Lodge opens at 6 pm. Dinner at 6:30 pm. 3rd Degree at 7:30 pm.

June 8 - Annual Strawberry Festival.

June 18 - Lodge Picnic at Lakeview Shelter No. 1 in Webster Park. 4 pm until?

This has been a great Spring, your enthusiasm, dedication and participation has been outstanding and I thank you one and all. Have a safe and enjoyable Summer.

Fraternally,
W: Thomas Huttemann, Master

Brethren:
I want to thank you for allowing me to be the representative of Northfield Lodge at Grand Session in New York City.

On Thursday, May 6, Senior Warden William Frost was in the East. Fifty-four people came to spaghetti dinner and wine tasting. Everyone had a good time. Brother Bill thanks everyone who came.

Ladies' Night was on May 15th, Saturday, at the Monroe Gold Club. Fifty-six people and guests attended this gala affair. Everyone said the food was excellent and enjoyed the dancing. I want to thank Bro. Ray Breadsley, Junior Warden and his committee for an outstanding job arranging the place and the gifts.

The second class for the Third Degree will be conferred on Thursday, June 3rd, the last meeting before recess for the summer. Make your reservations for dinner with Junior warden Ray Breadsley, by May 31; call 586-3675.

Annual Lodge Family Picnic is on Saturday, June 12th, at Mendon Pond, Hopkins Point. Bring a dish to pass, your plates and silver. Refreshment and meat will be provided. Also on the evening of June 12th, the Master of 1976 are presenting a Bicentennial Re-dedication Program, which is open to the public.

Fraternally,
Glenn A. Hedges, Master

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No. 722

2nd and 4th Wednesdays

From the East:

I want to thank our Senior Warden, Wayne Cowell, for his unhesitating willingness to attend Grand Lodge, because of my accident and resulting incapacitation. It was much appreciated. I am sorry that I had to miss the occasion, and also that it has delayed our plans for the re-dedication service. We have rescheduled the service for the first meeting in September, which will be Wednesday, September 8. At that time we will also be presenting the 25, 50 and 60 year certificates to their honored recipients.

We shall shortly be starting a School on Constitutions for our officers. We believe that this will be an exciting and worthwhile way to learn and understand the significance of our guiding philosophy.

I particularly direct your attention to the items from our Junior Warden, Brotherhood Fund Chairman, and W. Norm Hegedorn which follow.

Fraternally,
Charles W. Pflaum, Master

FROM THE SOUTH

Our paper drive is coming along fine. We are going to pick up papers until the end of May, so call John Arnold at home, 377-3030 or at work 458-4810, leave your name and phone number and I will call you for a time to pick them up. After May please keep saving your newspapers until after Summer, we will collect them again in October.

Also it is time to start making reservations for our Annual Steak Roast. The date is Saturday, September 25th, from 1:00 until ? Those who attended last year enjoyed themselves. Call John Arnold for reservations at 377-3030 or 458-4810.

I also want to remind the Brethren that we have formed a Degree Team. I would like all the Brethren at our last Fellowcraft Meeting before the summer break, which is on Tuesday, June 1st, at 7:30 in the basement at the Temple. Your support to the Lodge is necessary.

John Arnold, J.W.
P.S.: Don't forget to make reservations for 3rd Degree Dinner on June 9th. Dinner is at 6:30, basement of Temple. Call John Arnold, 458-4810 or 377-3030.

BROTHERHOOD FUND

There is only a short time left to send in your Brotherhood Fund Donations. The closing date has been extended to June 7. Response thus far has not been very good, so please send me your donation as soon as possible, so that everyone may participate
Fraternally,
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CORN AND SAUSAGE ROAST

Germania Fellowcraft Club's 14th Annual Corn and Sausage Roast - August 14th - Powder Mill Park (Powder Horn Cabin). 12 noon till ? Price \$3.50 per person. Ladies are invited.

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Norm Hegedorn, 637-6912
Frank Arnold, 458-4810
John Arnold, 377-3030.



**NOLA CHAPTER
NO. 368
Order of the Eastern Star**

Dear Members,

The time is going so fast I can hardly believe our year is almost half over.

R.W. Sister Lucile Mason and I want to thank our Chapter members for such a good attendance at the Grand Matron's visit. It really made our day. Nola is very proud of our R.W. Lucile and her companion Grand Officer R.W. Brother Will Goodridge for the fine job they did at this occasion.

May 4th was a special night for all of us to honor Mother's Day. It was a special night for me to honor my Mother, Sister Kathleen Skelton. Our thoughts were all on our Mothers as our organist, Sister Gail Buck played beautiful music honoring Mothers.

I want to thank all who have helped on Comm's, projects, and especially officers and members who have attended our meetings, you are the greatest.

R.W. Lucile Mason's Homecoming will be held at the Methodist Church, June 26th at 8:00 pm. We are looking forward to a night of fellowship and we will be happy to have R.W. Lucile come home.

July 24th is Oriskany Day and I am looking forward to that day. I hope many of our members can attend.

Our Star and Masonic Picnic will be held September 11th at our Assoc. Patron's, Ray Volk's Park. Save this date for you and your family.

We missed our W.P. Bill Baxter while he was at Grand Lodge. Brother Ray Volk did a good job taking his place, and that isn't easy.

Our first meeting is September 21st, see you then. I hope for you and yours a very safe and happy summer vacation.

"Kind words are the music of the world".
Fraternally,
Susan Skelton, W.M.

FIDELITY TRIANGLE

April 20—Fidelity girls served the Temple Social Luncheon for about 300.

April 24—Short formal meeting and the new Queen presented her Term Plans. Then 30 girls from Fidelity and Lilac Triangles attended the official visit of the Grand Matron, M:W: Marion Kopko, in Cathedral Hall. Beloved Queen Mary Kay Jackson presented her with a personal gift and Jr. Past Beloved Queen Patty Hutchinson presented her with a check for \$25.00 for the Grand Matron's Project. Lilac Triangle also presented a "Marching Flag Degree", with each girl carrying the "Stars and Stripes".

May 2—41 girls and parents attended the movie, Bad News Bears, at the Town I Theater, and then had a steak dinner at the Ponderosa restaurant.

May 4—Fidelity presented a Mother's Day Degree for Webster Chapter.

May 7—Fidelity presented a Mother's Day Degree for Sunshine Chapter.

May 8—Regular meeting, formal, with Mother's Day Degree and social hour with refreshments.

May 12—Fidelity presented a Mother's Day Degree for Culver Chapter.

TERM PLANS

June 12—Regular meeting, formal, 8:00 pm. Memorial Day Degree and Father's Day Degree.

June 26—Regular meeting 8 pm and Pizza Party.

July 18—Picnic, Creekside Lodge, Ellison Park, 11:00 am. Eat 2:00 pm.

Aug. 1—Swim, Craft and picnic party, 2:00 pm, home of Diane reitz.

Aug. 15—Picnic, Creekside Lodge, Ellison Park, 11:00 am. Eat 2:00 pm.

NOTE

Our semi-annual Queen's Term Dinner in March was really a delicious pancake and sausage supper, cooked by a special chef, W: Bro. Harry Parsons, Past Master of Wakan Lodge. Many guests had two servings and a few had 3.

It was a pleasure to see you Harry, and a pleasure to eat your pancakes. Many thanks to you Harry, from all of us at Fidelity Triangle.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES DINNER

On Wednesday, June 2, 1976, the Past District Deputies of Monroe County are sponsoring a dinner honoring the retiring District Deputies, R.W. Kenneth Dickinson and R.W. Robert W. Avery.

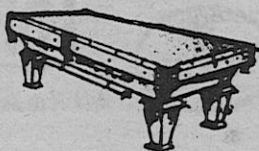
Both of these men have done a good job during their year as Deputies and we hope that you will be with us as we honor and show our appreciation for the

service of these men to the craft.

The dinner will be held at The Party House at 677 Beahan Road. Make a reservation now through your Master. Past Deputies should make reservations with the chairman by calling 247-7766.

R:W: Donald M. Walzer, Chairman

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Cindy Goodrich pictured with Line Officers of Lilac Triangle.

LILAC TRIANGLE

As usual Lilac Triangle has been on the go. On Saturday, April 24, several girls attended the Grand Matron's Visit and also presented a portion of their Bicentennial Degree. April 26, Cindy Goodrich became a member of Lilac Triangle. On April 27 the members of Lilac Triangle, along with many supervisors and Daddies, put on a chicken dinner for the East Rochester Masonic Lodge. After serving dinner the girls changed into gowns and put on their Bicentennial Degree for the Masons and their guests. May 2, Beloved Queen Heidi Pulver was hostess to the Line Officers and their parents. The girls planned many interesting and exciting activities for this term. May 8, many from this group traveled to Hornell to attend the Installation Ceremonies of Agnes Poss Triangle. As usual we all had



Lilac Triangle Beloved Queen Heidi Pulver with newest member Cindy Goodrich.

a wonderful time. May 12, Miss Karen Leipold, Senior advisor; Miss Debbie Leipold, Junior Advisor; Mrs. Elsie Gurney, Junior Deputy; Mrs. Charlotte Leipold, Miss Susan Gurney and Miss Linda Gurney, attended the Awards Banquet at Marvin's Country Club. Karen and Debbie received awards for completing 100 volunteer hours at the Veteran's Hospital in Canandaigua.

We hope to see everyone at District Convention, May 22.

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This is the last business notice for the summer or until the September issue. A message from our new Past Commander, Howard Hornik. At the Easter Sunrise Service in Washington, D.C., this year we had a beautiful day to remember it by. For those who could not come you sure missed a grand time. Our Inspection report was very good and I thank everyone for their help. For the other interesting events of the year many thanks and I enjoyed being your Commander for the year. To the loyal support and enthusiasm that I received from all the Officers; the women of the Schicker Club, and members of the Commandery, many thanks. I hope that the new Officers will have the same support that you gave me. Thanks.

On May 14th, 1976, we had our Installation and the following Officers were Installed: The Installing Team was the following:

Installing Officer, Em. S.K.C. Leslie Brown. Grand Marshall, Em. S.K. David W. Taber; Grand Captain General, Em S.K. W. Scott Hollander, Jr.

Officers Installed were:
Em. Commander, S.K. Donald L. Evans; Generalissimo, S.K. Ernest A. Stelianou; Captain General, E.S.K. Horace C. Porter; Senior Warden, S.K. Stanley V. Peterson; Junior Warden, S.K. Lawrence E. Hood; Prelate, E.S.K. Frederick S. Holderle, Jr.; Treasurer, E.S.K. C. Ray Hager; Recorder, E.S.K. Gordon C. Mosher; Standard Bearer, S.K. James Hughes; Sword Bearer, S.K. George E. Gerken; Warder, S.K. Horace F. Denton; Warder, S.K. Donald S. Ballou.

These are the Officers and our leaders for the year 1976-77. May they have a great year and a successful one for our Commandery.

Now a few words from our new Em. Commander, Donald L. Evans. First I want to thank all my Officers for taking the positions that they were now Installed in. Sure is a great feeling to have them all filled with good men. Thanks. We had a great time at the Installation and many thanks to all my relatives, especially my wife and family, and everyone who attended. Great to see you all. I want to wish all a happy and prosperous summer and see you all in the fall. We are having no conclaves in June but we are having a picnic at our House on the 19th of June, Saturday. Time is 2 pm with picnic lunch about 4:30 pm.

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The first half of the 1976 years activities are drawing to a close. There is just one event left. Our annual family picnic. It will be held on Thursday, June 10, at Wadhams Area in Powder Mill Park. Hamburgers and hot dogs with all the trimmings will be served some time after 6:00 pm. Come early for fun, games, and pre-meal refreshments. Plan to stay late for songs and good fellowship. Hopefully, scholarship awards will be given out during the evening festivities.

Call Robert Cook, 473-0393, to make reservations. All are welcome - Companions and prospective Companions. Don't forget to bring the family along.

We are saddened by the continuing health problems of Companion Walt Sanders. Also Companions Larry Johnson, now in a Florida hospital.

Our congratulations to R. E. and Rev. Companion William Plew on his new apartment. We hope you soon feel at home in it Bill? Also to Companion Ken Crawford on his appointment to the Grand Lodge Senior Grand Warden. Also Harold Miller, Dave Lordy and Hiram Nlan who have all received rewards from the York Rite Sovereign College.

Officers, please be at my home, Thursday evening June 24. Your attendance will help us establish our Fall program. The visit by Beaver Chapter, and the festival. Also the question of officers' attendance at meetings. The King may also want to discuss his plans for next year.

That's all for now except a wish for each to have a good and enjoyable summer.



Bring your own table service. We will send a map to all for your convenience in finding our place. If a nice warm day bring your swimsuits. See you all then. Our address is: 123 London Drive, Webster, N.Y. 14580. Telephone 872-3646.

I want to thank the Officers and members who want me to continue as the reporter for the next year. Hope that I do a good reporting job as in the past. You all can help me out by seeing that I get the information on time. Thanks.

Our Recorder is still ready to receive your dues. Make him happy. He reports that we have had no deaths to report which is good news.

This you should know for September. The Knights Templar Convention of the State of New York will be held on September 17, 18 and 19 in Syracuse. Make your plans now.

Have a great time this summer, drive carefully and we will all see each other in September. Have fun. Fraternally yours, Em. Comm. Donald L. Evans E.S.K. Roy E. Huff, Reporter

**IONIC CHAPTER
No. 210
Royal Arch Masons
2nd and 4th Tuesdays**

Companions:

On May 25th we had our official visit by the D.D.H.P. Hal Miller. I wish to thank everyone for their excellent work. Another matter of which I am very proud of is the support Ionic Companions have been giving to other Chapters in the 27th District. A review of the Companions who have been traveling the past several months is very impressive. It's this type of unselfish companionship which is helping the 27th Capitular District grow stronger all the time.

On May 13th, your High Priest and several Companions attended a meeting with E. EX. Arthur D. Radlin, the "Grand Captain of the host" at Cathedral Hall, who was making a visit to the 27th District.

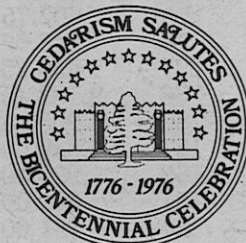
Your High Priest and many of our Companions attended the presentation of the "Dedicated Service Award" to our Companion Don Ballou on May 18th at Yonnondia Lodge No. 163. Once again, congratulations Don.

Our last meeting prior to our summer recess will be on June 8th. This is also going to be "Move Up" night for our line officers. All officers will move up one station. This is the "first" for Ionic so let's all turn out to give support to our officers. The council officers of the 27th District will be meeting in June at which time many of our Fall programs will be finalized. Fraternally yours, Jim Nersinger, High Priest



Cedars Ladies' Night at the "Edgewater".

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ROCHESTER FOREST 133

The annual Cedars Stag Picnic will once again be held at Tripp's Acres on Bay Road in Webster. The date for the picnic is June 15 at 6 pm. This is always an evening of good food, fun and fellowship. Elly guarantees that it will not rain on this date so let's see a good turnout of Cedars and their friends. Contact Norm Fedrau at 359-1255 for reservations.

CEDAR

June 15 - Stag Picnic, Tripp's Acres - 6 pm.
September 30 - Sausage Roast, Tripp's Acres, 6 pm.
October 16 - Steak Roast, Hamlin Beach Park, 3 pm.
I would like to take this opportunity to wish all Cedars and their families a very enjoyable and safe summer. Fraternally, Robert Johnson, G.T.C.

FIVE POINTS

"I am reminded of an incident some years ago when a charming old Chinese scholar beamed with pride as he showed a fine collection of ancient astronomical instruments. Pointing to one of them he said: 'Our compass was different from the one you of the west used. Where yours had four points - north, south, east and west - ours had five: north, south, east and west and WHERE YOU ARE. For you never set off in the right direction if you do not know where you are when you start.' "

Ralph A. Herbold, S.C.R.L.



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PAST MASTERS

The Past Master's Supper Club will hold its annual swim party and picnic for all Past Masters and their ladies. It will be held on June 19th starting at 2:30 pm, at the home of Bob and Eileen Sanford, 30 Landing Street, in Henrietta. Bring your swim suit and place settings. Prorated as usual. For reservations call: Frank S. McConnell at 586-2750 or me at 865-7666. Fraternally, Jack S. Thibaut, President

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154 Penfield Union	56	544.00
163 Yonondio	90	879.13
173 Monroe	79	602.75
476 Fairport	76	547.00
479 Etolian	127	1,038.25
538 Webster	156	2,133.15
779 Clio	88	905.25
910 Flower City	127	1,830.00
920 Seneca	162	1,920.00
943 Ancient Craft	31	343.00
964 W.C. Hubbard	84	861.00
990 F.L. Simes	73	834.00
1020 E. Rochester	56	402.00
1082 Orpheus	27	316.00
TOTAL	1,341	\$14,365.53

MISCELLANEOUS	No.	Amount
Fidelity Triangle No. 4	2	200.00
Jenny M. Lord Const. No. 5	1	12.50
1976 Masters	1	10.00
Tartan Square Club	1	25.00

SECOND MONROE	No.	Amount
320 Union Star	32	\$182.50
426 Northfield	112	468.60
507 Genesee Falls	189	1,329.00
526 Henrietta	56	501.00
660 Rochester	62	741.16
667 Churchville	54	312.75
722 Germania	60	562.00
759 Oatka	43	380.00
797 F.R. Lawrence	38	514.00
805 Corinthian Temple	80	737.00
945 Fame	134	1,153.00
951 Zetland	61	643.00
969 Craftsman	134	1,454.66
1032 J.A. Robertson	96	1,867.86
1054 Wakan	91	2,130.00
1088 Charlotte	191	1,947.00
TOTAL	1433	\$14,923.53

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M:W: William F. Strong



M:W: Clarence J. Henry

M:W: Schneider's Visit

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with the law firm of Strang, Bodine, Wright and Combs; now, Harter, Secrest and Emery. He served as Grand Master from 1942 to 1944 and Master of Seneca Lodge in 1926. Most Worshipful Brother Henry was Monroe County District Attorney until his election to the Monroe County Court bench and later became a Justice of the New York State Supreme Court. He was Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York from 1964 to 1966 and Master of Seneca Lodge in 1955.

Most Worshipful Schneider will be making his first visit to Rochester since being elected Grand Master on May 6, 1976, at the 195th Annual Communication of Grand Lodge in New York City. He is a member of Iliion Lodge No. 591 and has been Herkimer County Judge and Surrogate since 1970.

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Wheelchairs	10	9	124
Commodos	9	6	116
Other	19	17	227
Totals	57	45	692

This month we have news of interest to the 124 people who are using wheelchairs borrowed from the Service Bureau. On Saturday, June 12, there will be a free wheelchair wash and safety check at Northside Apothecary, 1299 Portland Ave., from 1 pm to 4 pm. Wheelchair users will be able to have their wheelchairs steam-cleaned and safety checked, as well as having spokes tightened, brakes adjusted, and the chairs inspected for other repairs. All of these services will be FREE. Robert Hall, owner of Northside Apothecary, informs us that there will be parking attendants and wheelchairs ready to loan wheelchair users so they can wheel around and have refreshments while their chairs are being used. I know that many of the chairs we have loaned out are in need of this service, and we encourage any one using a wheelchair to take advantage of this opportunity. Sorry, but you must arrange your own transportation.

The Masonic Service Bureau is now operating on our standard summer hours of 9 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday, until September 1st. Please keep these hours in mind if you are planning to borrow or return equipment, or come into the office for any other purpose. Fraternally,
William R. Zufall,
Executive Director

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At the time of this writing spring is upon us and we are all looking forward to summer and the many family gettogethers that summer usually represents. And to get the season started, Commander Bob Emmons has invited all members to his house for our next Post meeting which will be on Wednesday, June 9th. He resides at 14 Crest Road, East Rochester. It would be nice to give him a call and let him know that you are coming. His phone number is 586-0737.

Bob will also give us a report on the state Post Convention which followed Grand Lodge Convention.

We hope that at this time Past Commander "Bud" Meech is up and around after his surgery.

I am sure that as a Post and as individuals we are happy to learn of R:W: Ken Crawford's election to Senior Grand Warden in Grand Lodge. It has been a while since a Mason in this area has held this office and we wish Ken well.

Commander Emmons wishes to express his hopes that each and everyone of our members and families has an enjoyable summer.

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