

200TH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION OF GRAND LODGE

Most Worshipful Bruce Widger Appoints Monroe Officers



R.:W.: Harold R. Miller, D.D.G.M.
1st Monroe District

Few people in the Monroe Districts are as widely known as R.:W.: Harold R. (Hal) Miller. Raised in Seneca Lodge #920 (now #797) in 1952, he served as Master in 1974, followed by a term as lodge trustee. Active in all of the York Rite bodies, serving Hamilton Chapter #62 as High Priest in 1972, and as District Deputy Grand High Priest in 1976-77, he is presently Grand Royal Arch Captain of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of New York and also a member of Doric Council #51, Allied Masonic Degrees, and Genesee York Rite College #25. A member of Damascus Temple of the Shrine since 1966, where he served 3 years as chairman of the Membership Committee, he presently holds the office of Marshal of the Divan. R.:W.: Hal joined the Rochester Scottish Rite bodies in 1977, and is a member of Rochester Forest #133, Tall Cedars of Lebanon, and Court #3 of the Royal Order of Jesters. He is also active in the Shrine Past Masters Degree Team, founder of the Shrine fishing club, chairman of the Masonic Baseball Day for several years, and is President of the New York State Masonic Bowling League.

Born in Syracuse R.:W.: Bro. Miller served in the Army Air Corps during WW II, returned to a sales job with Simmons mattresses, brought his family to Rochester in 1947 and began 30 years of employment with Sealy bedding, including 14 years as Western New York Sales Manager. He is presently with Serta as a sales consultant. A charter member of Atonement Lutheran Church, he has been very active in Lutheran Church work over the years. Hal married his wife Kay in 1942, and they have 3 children; a son Eric who is in advertising, a son Gregory who is a nursing home administrator and a daughter Nancy, who is an accountant. Hal and Kay make their home at 33 Quinn Road, and R.:W.: Hal indicates his interests include fishing, golf and tennis.



R.:W.: Donald F. Leisten D.D.G.M.
2nd Monroe District

R.:W.: Donald F. Leisten was raised in Rochester Lodge #660 in 1948, and served the lodge as Master in 1971. He has been very active in his lodge for the past fifteen years, serving on a variety of committees. Born and raised in Rochester, R.:W.: Don joined the US Marine Corps following graduation from Brighton H.S. After a 2 year hitch in the Marines, he returned home and took a job with Rochester Gas & Electric he is now in his 33rd year with RG&E, and since 1968 has been a line operator (electrical dispatcher). R.:W.: Brother Leisten attends Trinity Lutheran Church in Spencerport, and is a member of the American Legion. A past treasurer and board member of the Association of Teen Age Diplomats, he has been an officer and/or board member of the Finger Lakes German Short-haired Pointer Club of NY, and he breeds and raises these dogs as one of his particular interests.

R.:W.: Don's principle interest and time consuming activity, however, has been the scouting program, in which he has been deeply involved since 1967, first as troop committeeman, then as a Scoutmaster, and ultimately as District Commissioner of the North Star District, with responsibility for approximately 70 Boy Scout troops. He has received many scouting awards, including the presentation earlier this year of the coveted Silver Beaver Award, the highest honor given at the District level.

R.:W.: Brother Don met his wife Pat when they both sang in the church choir; they were married in 1950, and presently make their home at 1109 Ogden-Parma Town Line Road in Spencerport, with their two youngest children. They have 3 children: Ellen, a housewife in Brockport; Russell, who is with Hickson Electric; and Nancy, who works for Ogden Telephone Co. They also have two granddaughters. R.:W.: Don lists hunting and fishing as his hobbies.



R.:W.: William H. Wood,
Grand Sword Bearer

The senior member of this year's Grand Lodge Officers, R.:W.: William H. Wood was raised in Craftsman Lodge #969 in 1945, and was Master in 1956. He has also served his lodge as Historian and Director of Fellowcraft, and, in fact, he states that he has held every elected and appointed office in the lodge except Trustees, which includes 10 years as Treasurer and 5 years (and counting) as Secretary. R.:W.: Brother Wood joined Lalla Rookh Grotto in 1946, and the Rochester Scottish Rite bodies in 1957. He has also been active in Niner Chapter #414 for more than 30 years, serving 4 terms as Worthy Patron.

Presently an elder at John Knox Presbyterian Church in Greece, R.:W.: Bill was at one time a Deacon of the former Central Presbyterian Church downtown. He is on the Troop Committee of the Boy Scout Troop #205 in Gates, and while his children were in school, he and his wife were involved in the PTA.

Born and educated in London, England, he emigrated to the U.S. where he found a niche at Eastman Kodak Co. He worked the first five years at Hawkeye, then moved to Kodak Park for another 43 years, where he worked in technical instrumentation-solvent gas measurement and control, retiring in 1974.

His hobbies include stamp collecting, photography, walking and hiking, and travel. He and his wife have visited Australia and New Zealand since retirement. In earlier years he played cricket and soccer, and he still enjoys a lot of swimming.

R.:W.: Bill met his wife, Lillian, after coming to Rochester, and married her in 1935. They presently reside at 74 Rhea Crescent in Greece. They have 3 children; Eric, a millwright machinist at Kodak; Kathleen, a housewife; and John, also a millwright machinist at Kodak. Bill and Lillian also win the grandchildren sweepstakes with a total of eleven.



R.:W.: Mathew L. Gingold,
Grand Steward

Raised in Valley Lodge #109 in 1951, R.:W.: Mathew L. Gingold was Master in 1963, and subsequently President, Vice President and Secretary of the Fellowcraft Club; Director of the Craft (both Ritual Dir. and Degree Dir.); and Representative to the Masonic Service Bureau. He presently serves the lodge as Chaplain. Other Masonic involvement includes Past President of the Bureau of Masonic Education, member of the Rochester Scottish Rite bodies, Thrice Potent Master of the former Germania Lodge of Perfection, Sec. and Vice-President of the Newspaper and Communications Square Club. He is presently Senior Warden of the Rochester Council, Princes of Jerusalem.

R.:W.: Bro. Gingold is a former committeeman and current Scoutmaster of Troop #96, B.S.A. following 2 years as a Webelo leader. He is also on the Executive Board of Local #15 of the International Typographical Union.

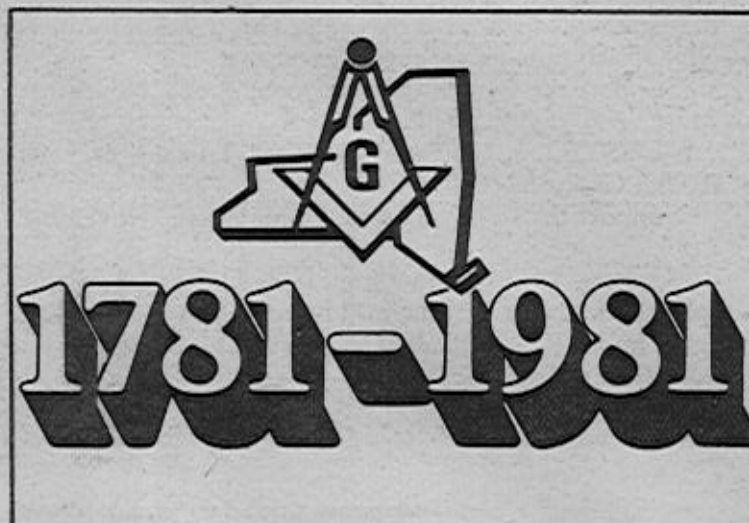
Born and raised in Albany, R.:W.: Mat served in the Army Infantry in North Africa during WW II, worked at a torpedo station in Newport, RI and eventually arrived at RIT to pursue a degree in printing and meeting his wife, Norma, while both worked part time at the Jewish Community Center. After graduating and working as purchasing agent for the now defunct John P. Smith Co. and for a year at Typographical Service he has been employed at Gannett Newspapers for 29 years, and has the title of Typographical Prognosticator.

R.:W.: Brother Mat and Norma live at 104 Drake Drive in Irondequoit with their three children; Nancy, a teacher and RIT student; Linda, who received her Masters degree in Education from Nazareth this past month; and Joe, who is one of Valley Lodge's newest members (5/18/81) and who works with his dad as assistant Scoutmaster, while attending MCC part time and working at Tent City.

The 200th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York is now part of Masonic history. On Wednesday, May 6th, at the Masonic Hall in New York City, elections and installation were held, and to no one's surprise, M.:W.: Bruce Widger and R.:W.: Ernest Leonardi were reelected as Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master, respectively. R.:W.: W. Bradley Wadsworth and R.:W.: Paul N. O'Neill were reelected as Senior and Junior Grand Wardens, and M.:W.: Wendell K. Walker was reelected (for the 19th time) as Grand Secretary. The only change in elected Grand Lodge officers occurred in the office of Grand Treasurer, where R.:W.: Frederick J. Lawler was elected to replace R.:W.: Frank B. McLoughlin. The only change made in the other officers appointed and installed at the Grand Lodge session was the appointment of R.:W.: Arthur Martoccia as Proctor, with R.:W.: Frank Cucurullo taking the title of Proctor Emeritus.

Following the close of Grand Lodge, Grand Master Widger announced the appointment of the officers who will represent him in each of the Districts throughout the state. These include R.:W.: Harold R. Miller, D.D.G.M. of the 1st Monroe District, R.:W.: Donald F. Leisten, D.D.G.M. of the 2nd Monroe District, R.:W.: Mathew L. Gingold, Grand Steward, and R.:W.: William H. Wood, Grand Sword Bearer.

To each of these men we offer our best wishes for a successful year laboring for the benefit of our fraternity. These officers, and others appointed throughout the state, will be formally invested at the St. John's Day service at the Masonic Home in Utica on Saturday, June 20, 1981.



"APRON PRESENTATION DINNER - FRIDAY, SEPT. 25TH"

The two Monroe Districts will honor their newly appointed District Deputies and Staff Officers at the Sixth Annual Apron Dinner to be held at Burgandy Basin Inn on Marsh Road, Friday evening, Sept. 25th.

Complete details will be found in the September issue of the *Monroe Masonic News*. Master's of all Lodges will have tickets for the dinner at the first lodge meeting in September, or call the Masonic Service Bureau at 473-4351 for details.

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LET'S GO VISITING

- 1 - J.A. Robertson - Reg. Mtg.
- 2 - Clio - Reg. Mtg.
- 2 - Nola Chap. - Reg. Mtg.
- 4 - Northfield - Sport Shirts & Hot Dog Roast
- 4 - Webster - Hot Dog Roast
- 6 - E. Roch. - Ham Dinner
- 6 - Warren C. Hubbard - 3rd Deg.
- 8 - Fairport - Memorial Service
- 8 - Etolian - Past Masters Night
- 8 - Rochester - Reg. Mtg.
- 8 - Wakan - Move Up & Sport Shirt Night
- 8 - Lilac Temple - Move Up
- 9 - E. Roch. - Reg. Mtg. & Sport Shirt Night
- 9 - Henrietta - Reg. Mtg.
- 9 - Flower City - Presentation Night & Dinner
- 9 - F.L. Simes - Reg. Mtg.
- 9 - Fame - Sport Shirts & Strawberries
- 10 - Germania - Buffalo Night & Dinner
- 10 - Oatka - Reg. Mtg.
- 11 - Genesee Falls - Reg. Mtg.
- 11 - Zetland - 2nd Deg.
- 14 - Red Wing Stadium Masonic Day
- 16 - Penfield Union - 2nd Deg.
- 16 - Seneca - Awards, Dinner & Wine Tasting
- 16 - Clio - Short Sleeves & Picnic
- 18 - Northfield - Reg. Mtg.
- 19 - St. John's Day - Utica
- 20 - St. John's Day - Utica
- 21 - St. John's Day - Utica
- 22 - Fairport - Father & Son/Little League Night
- 22 - Lilac Temple - Open Mtg.
- 23 - Yonnonodio - Sport Shirt Night
- 24 - Oatka - Reg. Mtg.

MASONIC DAY BASEBALL GAME

This year's Masonic Baseball Game will be a Sunday afternoon Double-header on June 14, 1981, Red Wings vs. Charleston. \$3.00 reserved seats are on sale for \$2.50 and are available from all Lodges in both Districts. An additional feature this year is that if you are unable to attend that day, the tickets are redeemable for any home game during 1980. Let's make this a big Masonic Day and help Masonry in full view of the public.

**R.W.: GEORGE A. STEAR
D.D.G.M. FIRST
MONROE DISTRICT**

To My Brethren In The First Monroe District:

As my term as your District Deputy Grand Master draws to a close, I want to:

Thank you not only for what you are, but for what I am when I am with you.

Thank you not only for what you have made of yourself, but for what you are making of me.

Thank you for the part of me that you bring out.

Thank you for putting your hand into my heaped-up heart and passing over all the foolish and frivolous and weak things that you can't help dimly seeing there, and for drawing out into the light all the beautiful radiant belongings that no one else had looked quite far enough to find.

Thank you for ignoring the possibilities of the fool and weakling in me, and for laying firm hold on the possibilities of the good in me.

Thank you for closing your ears to the discords in me, and for adding to the music in me by worshipful listening.

Thank you because you are helping me to make of the timber of my life not a tavern, but a temple, and of the works of my every day not a reproach, but a song.

Thank you because you have done more than any creed could have done to make me happy.

You have done it without a touch, without a word, without a sign. You have done it first by being yourself. After all, perhaps this is what being a Brother means.

Warmest personal regards,
George A. Stear



**R.W.: FRANK J. ARNOLD
D.D.G.M. SECOND
MONROE DISTRICT**

As the year winds down for this D.D.G.M. I can only urge you to continue your fine support of our Grand Masters programs in this Bicentennial year.

While you are on summer recess, be sure to take part in all of the Bicentennial programs of Lodges, District or Grand Lodge. Your support will help to bring Masonry to the community.

This is my last opportunity to remind you of the Dedication of the new wing at our Utica Home in Utica, New York, August 15th 1981. For those who wish to bring a camper, there will be a designated area to park but there will be no hook-ups available.

I am sorry to see my year come to a close as D.D.G.M. Somehow I still feel I should have done more. My business trip this spring kept me from making several second visitations that I would have like to.

But I must say it was a great year and an honor to serve Masonry under a great humble Grand Master as Most Worshipful Bruce Widger in this historical Bicentennial year of Masonry in New York State.

I also want to express my appreciation for the support of our Grand Director of Ceremonies, R.W. Joseph Savage.

Thank you 2nd Monroe District for your support as I know you will support the new District Deputy and Staff Officer. Fraternally,
Frank J. Arnold



BROTHERHOOD FUND FIRST MONROE DISTRICT

Brethren,
The Brotherhood Fund campaign for 1980-81 is now over, and it may be a few months before the final figures are made available - I will issue a final report for the First Monroe District at that time.

Although at this time I do not expect that the First Monroe District will have surpassed the total dollar contributions of last year, I am proud that the contributions have come from a large number of brothers. I am very proud that because of the untiring efforts of the lodge Brotherhood Fund chairmen, over 1/3 of the brethren in many lodges in the First Monroe District remembered their obligations and contributed to the Fund (to be named in final report). I am extremely proud that because of the tremendous efforts of RW Phil Averbach, well over 2/3 of the brethren of Flower City Lodge No. 910, contributed to the Fund. I thank and applaud you all.

Fraternally,
Mike Kleinberg, Brotherhood Fund Chairman, First Monroe

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

by Rev. William H. McKee

June is midway in our year. We finish up whatever we can in every organization of which we are members, plan a possible vacation as well as looking ahead to visits of friends and relatives some whom we see rarely otherwise and usually hear from at Christmas.

The summer season might be used for many rich and rewarding experiences when we go away from the daily toil and familiar homestead.

There are those who start out with only a very small amount of planning but do succeed in gaining a rich reward as they go to some place where they never have been before and have neither friends or relatives. I have known people who found in far off places, people of great stature who have given them a new view, a new resolve, and inculcated a spirit of seeking new truth which will make their lives richer personally as well as those around them.

Our Bible has many stories of men, who had a dream or a vision or met a stranger in passing who told them of some far away place that was worth seeking. Discovery sent explorers from Europe to a new world some five centuries ago and this planet has never been the same since as well as those of Europe, Africa and Asia.

If your life has need of change, seek exploration! Not just in another country, but in some fields which you may have neglected or almost forgotten. There are those who are sick and house bound. There are those who have had loss of employment, those who believe they have been forgotten and stay away from our Lodges, from their Church and seem to have retired and shut out the world.

If there are any of them in your family, in any of the organizations of which you are a member do a little exploring, tell them the sun is shining, God in His Heaven and its well indeed in the world - they are not forgotten.

And no matter where you live, church bells are still ringing and our Lodges gather in brotherhood. As well as you need that fellowship, so do need you to share, to serve, to rejoice and grow - grow in stature and wisdom and knowledge of our Creator. AMEN and AMEN.



GROTTO

Hi Prohpets --

It has come to our attention that P.M. Jay Painton with the assistance of Chief Justice Merch Merritt, is building a ramp for a Spina Bifida child so that she can go from ground level up and on to the porch of her home.

This is being done at the request of Strong Memorial Hospital who contributed plus the donations from individual contributions.

This is one of our Grotto projects and I feel that these Prophets should receive a rising vote of thanks at our next meeting.

(Support the Grotto Circus, Dome Arena, November 21)

P.M. Ernie Wilson informs us that the bus trip to Supreme Sessions, has been filled. It takes a lot of hard work to make all the arrangements and our thanks go to Ernie for a job well done.

(Support the Grotto Circus, Dome Arena, November 21)

The Boy Scouts of America, Troop 40, will hold a car wash in Aug. at the Hillside Home, to help defray the expenses of the boys at Camp Massawepie. By the way, our Board of Governors voted to contribute \$75 towards the expenses of 2 boys at the camp. This is one of the ways our Grotto puts its money to good use.

(Support the Grotto Circus, Dome Arena, November 21.)

QUESTION: Can you name the Trustees of Lalla Rookh Grotto?

(Support the Grotto Circus, Dome Arena, November 21)

Prophets, I don't know how long I'll be writing this column as I'm only filling in. I hope you have enjoyed it and I hope to see you all at the June outdoor meeting at Powder Mill Park.

Fraternally,
George Francis

ANSWER: Ralph Gray, Burt Thompson, Ken Milner, Charles McClary (all Past Monarchs).



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.

QUESTION: The Lodge received a request for Restorations from a brother who had been unaffiliated for more than 5 years. The Master ordered a ballot to be prepared. The Secretary then rose to say that the brother had not paid the amount owing at the time of unaffiliation. Nevertheless the Master proceeded with the ballot and declared the brother be restored to membership. Isn't this irregular?

ANSWER: It was definitely wrong. Our law is clear.

Section 824 of the Book of Masonic Law states: "An application for restoration to membership by one who has been unaffiliated for non-payment of dues may not be voted upon unless the applicant's indebtedness has been paid. Any vote taken by the Lodge upon such application prior to the payment of the applicants indebtedness is void." (1969)

Hence the election is void and the brother is not a member.

It may be noted that if a request for restoration is received from a brother who had demitted (from the same Lodge) he, like the unaffiliate, may be restored by majority by show of hands, if within 5 years after dimit. After 5 years, restoration in either case must be by unanimous ballot.

In all of the above cases, the Master, in his discretion, may appoint an investigating committee to report prior to ballot.

QUESTION: Grand Lodge requires that a petition must be in the petitioners "own handwriting." From the time I entered grade school to the present all my writing, all my correspondence is hand printed. Why isn't hand printing, or for that matter, typewriting, acceptable providing the petition bears the signature of the petitioner?

ANSWER: In your case, hand printing is your "own handwriting," and your petition, hand printed, would have been valid.

Why does Grand Lodge require that the petition shall be in the petitioners "own handwriting"? It seems to me that there is a very good reason.

Freemasonry is fare mare than a degree - conferring organization. The "lectures" following each degree, can be taught by word of mouth, even to an illiterate. But Masonry wants its members to learn its history symbolism, principles, etc. beyond what is taught in the ritual. Then there are notices and communications to be received. The petition in the individuals "own handwriting" is a reasonable indication that the petitioner is literate, which is the first requirement for the acceptance of his petition.

Salvation Army Picnic July 11

The Masonic Service Bureau will host a picnic on Saturday, July 11 for approximately 100 under-privileged children who will be campers at Camp Troutberg, the Salavation Army Camp along Lake Ontario. Volunteers are needed (this means YOU) to help in a variety of ways; i.e., to start races, judge races, hold the "finish line" ropes, distribute prizes and refreshments, ect.

Camp Troutberg is located on Lake Ontario, just west of the Monre-Orleans County Line. To get there, take either Ridge Road (Rt. 104) past Brockport, or the Ontario State Parkway past Hamlin Beach State Park. In either case, turn right (north) on Route 272, and follow Rt. 272 all the way to the lake. The camp, which has a sign, is the last left turn before you actually reach the lake.

Volunteers should plan to arrive by 12:30 PM, so we can be organized to start the games by 1:00 PM. After the picnic for the children is over (about 4 PM or earlier) we will have an opportunity for swimming and/or games of our own, and we can enjoy our own picnic supper if we wish.

Please call the Masonic Service Bureau office at 473-4351 if you can participate, so we will know how many volunteers we have. The kids will appreciate it, and you'll have a good time too!

QUARRY DEGREE

The Master Mason Degree will be conferred by the Past Masters and 1981 Masters of Niagara - Orleans District on Saturday, July 11, 2 P.M. in the Gasport Quarry, Route 31, about one mile east of Gasport.

A trestle crosses the road (Rt. 31) from the quarry to the stone crusher. The driveway into the quarry is on the south side of the road opposite the crusher.

Lockport Lodge No. 73, F. & A.M. extends an invitation to Mason's in the Monroe District to attend this event.

Dress is informal. Bring a folding chair. Head gear is advised for protection from the sun.

LODGE news and views

ANCIENT CRAFT LODGE No. 943 2nd and 4th Wednesdays



obligation under the length of our cable tow and remember that we are responsible to pass the faith and the message of our Fraternity to the next generation.

This is my last report for this season. There is only one meeting left. Try to make it.

Don't forget our family picnic, June 28 at the old Sunshine Camp, Lake Shore Blvd. Please contact our Jr. Warden, Myron Culver at 436-8030 or 266-8484. Bring a dish to pass. This time it is going to be different. See you there.

I would like to thank all brothers who serve on our different committees and are working hard for success. Also I would like to thank all brothers who may be away but show their concern, whether in writing letters, thinking of the lodge or contributing to the brotherhood fund. Brother, wherever you are, I wish you good luck and success. We think of you often and wish you a nice summer.

W. Brother Joe Malayees and Brother Hictore Montajo still in Colombia. We miss them in the lodge.

Sickness & Distress

W. Bother Maynard Edminson is improving and still resting. W. Brother Del Miles is back to work part time. W. Brother John Decker is back to work part time. I wish all Brothers complete recovery.

Fraternally,
Fred Haddad, Master

ANNUAL FAMILY STYLE ROAST BEEF DINNER
Livonia Masonic Lodge
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June 7th
12:00 PM to 3:00 PM
ADULTS \$5.00
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MASONIC INTERLODGE FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE GOLF TOURNAMENT
For: Masons, Non-Masons, and Ladies. Date: July 11, 1981. Starting Times: 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. Place: Braemer Country Club, 4704 Ridge Rd. West, Parma, N.Y. Price: Golf \$9.00 - Carts \$11.77 - (Includes Prizes). Send check with names of all golfers and their address and phone #'s. Starting times will be given first come, first paid basis, not necessary to have foursome, however, men will be paired together & women paired together.

If enough people indicate they wish to have a meal (buffet) after in evening, I will arrange it. Please indicate on your application if you so wish. Prices not available until middle of April.
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Walkers	12	14	210
Beds, etc.	1	2	61
Wheelchairs	9	10	140
Commodes	10	7	178
Canes & Crutches	9	9	247
Others	3	2	124
TOTALS	44	44	960

A TIP OF THE HAT

M.M.N. Mailing Crew for MAY 1981: Earl Branch, Eino Laakso, Sylvia Laakso, Harry Kennedy, 'Red' McConnell, Don Yorks, and Bill Zufall.

We're glad you asked!



David P. Crawford



R. Kenneth Crawford

Funeral Directors

Your questions will be answered here.

WHAT PROTECTION SHOULD I HAVE FOR MY FAMILY?

Most people desire to assure their family or survivors a reasonably smooth adjustment to life after their death. Fulfilling this responsibility can help greatly to increase your peace of mind and can be accomplished by reviewing this checklist of important items for consideration:

*A WILL - is an essential document that will assure that your estate will be directed as you desire, but make sure it is drawn by an attorney in your state of residence.

*PRE-PLANNING YOUR FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS - can also be a great relief to your survivors. We can provide pre-planning assistance to you without cost or obligation. Our free, pre-planning checklist copy is available upon request.

*Other items to keep in mind: safe-deposit boxes are usually inaccessible for some time after a death. A small savings account or traveler's checks which are immediately available will help until the estate is settled.

As you prepare to enjoy this season of relaxation and travel, please consider the suggestions we have made and incorporate them into your planning.

This is one of a series of articles which we hope will be helpful. Your questions and comments on this ad and other subjects are welcome--in private, or publically through this column.

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My trip to Grand Lodge was one that will last forever in my mind. It was the second most thrilling thing to have happened to me in my life. The first was becoming a Master Mason and being a part of the greatest fraternity on earth. Thank you all for this great opportunity to represent our Lodge as your Master in this Bicentennial Year of New York State Masons.

Well this is the last column before the summer recess. The next will be in the September issue of the Monroe Masonic News and we have a lot of things planned for your enjoyment through the summer months so start marking your calendar.

June 2, 1981 we conferred the 3rd Degree on five new worthy Brothers. They look like a valuable asset to our Lodge. They are young and eager to learn and work and if you missed this one don't miss the next. June 23, 1981 is the last meeting before the summer recess. It will be a Sport Shirt Night with a prize for the wildest one. The meeting is expected to be short. After we close Lodge instead of going downstairs for refreshments, we will go to the German House at 315 Gregory Street for refreshments and a night of real fun. So please plan to attend this one.

Also on July 19, 1981 at 11:00 AM is the Golf Tournament. We still have the Trophy which is the famous Fur-lined pot. We need your help to keep this trophy. You do not have to be a golfer to join us. All you need is to want to have a lot of good fun. Deerfield Country Club at 2879 Clarkson Parma Town Line Road in Brockport, New York. Greens Fee, Dinner and Prizes, 9th Hole camel juice Total \$25.00. Ladies invited to join us for dinner and fun at an additional \$10.00. Reservations are made through Doug Stevens at 424-1836.

In mid-August we have a picnic planned for you, your friends and family. You can get all the details from our Marshal, Jim LeGree at 288-5196 or 342-6252. Please don't let him down. Jim is a hard worker but he needs your support.

Sept. 1, 1981 will be our first meeting and we will start the same way that we ended, another Sport Shirt Night with a prize to the wildest.

Ladies Night will be in October. It is a party to honor our ladies so plan to get her ready for her night out on the town. Dinner and dancing and just plain fun.

DISTRESS - Right Worshipful Brother Harold Weiser is back home from a

short stay in Florida and is still in need of our phone calls and visits.

Brother Ryal DeVoist is at home and doing excellent with his new therapist. He also would appreciate any phone calls or visits.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 23 - Sport Shirt Night
July 19 - Golf Tournament - Yonnondio and Charlotte
Mid-August - Yonnondio Picnic

I am looking forward to seeing more of you through the summer months.

Fraternally,

Carl M. Croppo, Master

**FLOWER CITY LODGE
No. 910
2nd Tuesday**

A large turnout on Tues. May 12 saw four new members of Flower City raised to the degree of Master Mason. Welcome Brothers Gerald Aumick, Richard Goodman, Mark Hoffman and Marc Schwartz. I hope you will participate in your Lodge's activities and practice its teachings.

A wonderful dinner was prepared that night by the Caldron of Lalla Rookh Grotto. They will be cooking a Chicken Dinner for the meeting on June 9th which will be "Presentation Night" when we will be honoring 25, 50 and 60 year members of Flower City. Make reservations early (by June 5 the latest) with Jr. Warden Cy Kloner at 454-1550 work or 436-8216 home.

There are still a few members who have not paid their 1981 dues. Check your wallet and see if yours says 1981 on it. If not call our Secretary R.W. Phil Averbach 458-1817 and he'll tell you how to get one.

The Fellowcraft Club will pick up old newspaper and magazines on June 6. Call me at 334-3660 if you have any. We want to set up a nice route to save gas.

Our participation in the Brotherhood Fund Drive was excellent. The highest percentage ever giving in Flower City history. Congratulations Brothers.

At our June 9 meeting we plan on sports movies after lodge to go along with our "Sport Shirt Nite Annual" and as usual the "Lazerson Gin Rummy Tournament". Come out and have some FUN and fellowship.

As we break for summer my thoughts will be with you and yours and the hope of a safe, healthy and happy summer.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 6 - Paper Drive Pickup
June 0 - Presentation Nite - Dinner 6:30 pm
June 16 - Fellowcraft Steak Roast

Masters Visit

June 2 - Yonnondio
June 3 - Union Star
June 23 - Orpheus
Fraternally,
Gordon Dodge, Master

**CHARLOTTE LODGE
No. 1088
1st and 3rd Tuesdays**

Here it is June. Where is the time going? My trip to Grand Lodge was very enlightening and successful. I wish to thank all of you for allowing me to be your representatives at the sessions. I have placed in Lodge a full report and program of what transpired for all the Brothers to review. By the time you read this I will also have given my personal report before the Lodge. If any brother has any questions concerning Grand Lodge please feel free to call me. I wish to thank Bro. Stan Gear J.W. for sitting in the East in my absence, and for doing such a fine job. Thank you Stan.

WE HAVE RETAINED THE ATTENDANCE BANNER FOR THE SCHOOL OF RITUAL!! Many thanks to all the brothers who attended the school for their support in helping Charlotte retain the banner for the second year in a row. While we can be proud of this accomplishment, we can also be proud of the fact that the knowledge we have gained from the schools has made us more proficient in our ritual work at lodge. Thank you all very much. Let's do it again next year.

Our first Garage Sale at Lodge was very successful. I wish to thank all of the Brothers and Ladies of The Eastern Star who contributed so generously with their items and their time in making the sale such a success. We will be having another such sale on Sept. 12th and 13th, so mark your calendars and bring to Lodge anything that you might wish to donate. Remember My Brothers, all of the monies we receive go into the building fund.

On May 19th we Raised 4 new brothers. Congratulations to Bros. Robert Shaw, William Scrymgeour, Jr., Charles Faisst, Jr., and George Tyler. Many thanks also to the brothers who participated in the degree for a job well done.

While you have your calendar handy you might want to write these other dates down. On June 13th we will have our annual Family Picnic. We have a Pavilion at Durand Eastman Park Reserved. 1:00 PM till. Everyone bring a dish to pass. For all of you Golfers: Our Annual Tournament with Yonnondio will be held on July 19th at Dearfield C.C. For the past two years Yonnondio has won the Pot. Let's get it back this year where it belongs.

Sickness & Distress

It is my sad duty to report the passing of two of our Brothers. Bro. Raymond Grosshans, who was raised on Nov. 18, 1946 and was called by The Supreme Architect of the Universe on April 26, 1981. Also Brother Harold J.

Barton, who was raised on June 3, 1947 and was called on May 2, 1981. Our sincere and deepest sympathy go out to the families of these two fine Brothers.

At the time of this writing Bro. Harold Siebert is about to undergo surgery at Rochester General Hospital. Let us hope that he is doing fine by the time you read this. Fraternaly,

Rick Bedoar, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

June 13 - Family Picnic (Durand Eastman Park)
July 19 - Gold Tournament (vs. Yonnondio/Dearfield Lodge)
Sept. 1 - Open Meeting (Sport Shirt Night)
Sept. 15 - 1st Degree, 3rd Class
Sept. 20 - Steak Roast with Charlotte Chapter O.E.S.
Sept. 12 & 13 - Garage Sale at Lodge

**FAIRPORT LODGE
No. 476
2nd and 4th Mondays**

Brethren,

At our regular communication on May 11th, three of our brothers were honored with special awards. Bro. Ben Green was presented with our Lodge Service Award. Bro. Harold Parce was presented with our Community Service Award and Bro. Francis Wood was presented with the Dedicated Service Award. Their names will be inscribed on the wall plaques which are on display in the lodge reception area. R.:W.: George Stear, D.D.G.M. 1st Monroe District, was present for the ceremony and gave a very impressive address.

As a reminder to anyone who may be celebrating a milestone Masonic Anniversary this year; Oct. 12, 1981 is the date scheduled for the presentation of Length of Service Awards.

FAIRPORT CALENDAR

June 8 - Memorial Service
June 11,12,13 - Fairport Lodge participation in the Fairport Village Days Celebration
June 22 - Father and Son/Little League Night - dinner at 6:30 p.m.
Jul. 4 - Fairport Lodge participation in the 4th of July Celebration at Perinton Park - Chicken Barbecue at 4:00 p.m.

For the Village Days Event we will need a lot of people to help man the food concession for three days. Please allocate two or three hours of your time for this purpose. If you're unable to assist with the Village Days effort, perhaps you'll be available to help with the Chicken Barbecue on the afternoon of July 4th. Contact J.W. Bro. Jim Merrick - 377-2030 or call me at 223-0718 with your offer to assist.

Enjoy the summer. Have a safe one.
Fraternaly,
Ed Goodrich,
Master

**WAKAN LODGE
No. 1054
2nd and 4th Mondays**

Our Meeting on May 11th was preceded by a spaghetti dinner served by W: Bro. Joe Domino and was well attended by the brethren and ladies. My sincere thanks to W: Joe for all his work and the fine meal that he provided, also to all who helped prepare and serve.

The stated communication on June 8th will be move up nite, also sports shirt and will be followed by strawberry shortcake lunch served by the Stewards.

The Brotherhood Fund drive ended at the end of last month, my thanks to all who participated for a fine effort. Our chairman Bro. Mike Adamus worked long and hard to put together a fine drive and we all owe him a vote of special thanks.

The family picnic will be held on June the 26th at Parkview Lodge in Webster Park, the officers will be calling you for your reservations. Please make a special effort to attend and bring along the kids and grand kids.

Lodge will stand in recess after the June meeting and will meet again on Sept. 14th. I expect to be at home during most of the recess, please contact me at 342-7685 if necessary during this period.

To you all, have a fine summer and I shall look forward to greeting you in lodge this fall.

Len DuBois, Master

News and Views

Hello again; glad to see our Sr. Warden and his wife Regine got back from their vacation in Florida. Derek looked well and rested.

Bro. Les Andrews and his wife Sylvia left us last month to return to live in England, sorry to lose you Les but shall look forward to some news from you when you are settled. Talked to Bro. Les Russell and his wife Ivy down in Myrtle Beach last week, both doing well and regards to all.

Heard that Bro. John Stamp was over in the States visiting again at the end of April, John sure gets around, he is back home in Bankok again now.

Congratulations to our two new officers, Bros. Charles Tijou and Keith Germano who joined our line in May, we need lots of help and I am sure W. Master Len DuBois will put them to work right quick.

On sick call we would like to mention Bro. Roy Grundke who is at home, he has a skin rash that has been bothering him. Bro. Ed Brown has a swelling of the knee and has some trouble getting round with his cane. Bro. Don Huse is getting round much better but still has some problems. Bro. John Kennedys arm is improving but he has managed to throw out his

back, Bro. John Scholfield is still in hospital but is making good progress, he says he is determined to make the Ceders Steak Roast. Bro. Bill Tornow is home after a heart problem. All the best to all you fellows, get with it, we look forward to seeing you all soon.

All you lads and lassies have a good summer and for the members of the Fellowcraft club don't forget the stag roast at R.:W.: Charles Thompsons cottage at East Port Bay on Aug. 15th. W: Bro. John Rees please note, if you are going out in W: Gene Browns boat remember to bring a swim suit, it works better than being fully clothed.

W: A. John Tijou

IONIC CHAPTER
No. 210
ROYAL ARCH MASONS
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

This being the last Issue until fall I wish to thank all for the support you have given me during the 1st half of the year. We have had our problems but who does not. Let's all have a safe summer time and ready to generate new energy for our Chapter and for Royal Arch Masonry in the coming fall. H.P. Nicholas R. Michaels.

On May 26th, 1981 was the last meeting until Sept. 22nd 1981. Any changes during the time you will be notified in time.

THE ROYAL ARCH MASON SCHOLARSHIP FUND is under way in the 27th District for this year. I am sure that each of you will want to help support this continuing drive for the education of our children. You have all received by this time a letter from our R.E. Stanley V. Peterson in regards to this fund. Please let us continue to give so that it may be continued. The ROYAL ARCH SEALS, received by you and is a gift from the GRAND CHAPTER. This is one of the best worthwhile projects that we in the Chapter have.

We have no new sickness to report and no deaths. Please, if anyone knows of any one in need during the summer time let our H.P. Nicholas R. Michaels on 865-1235 or Sec. R.E. Huff on 663-7479 know. This is the only way that we can be of help. Hear nothing, know nothing.

We still have outstanding dues due so please have a heart and send same. Thanks.

We will have no meeting in June. This being the last communication by the Masonic News until Sept. Wish all a happy and safe summer.

That is all for now except this saying: "I have to put something in if I want to get something out." Let's all get busy.

Fraternally,
E.H.P. Nicholas R. Michaels
E. R.E. Huff, Reporter

FRANK L. SIMES LODGE
No. 990
2nd Tuesday

Our meeting on May 12th was enjoyed by all. Two awards were presented with many Past Masters in attendance for Past Masters Night.

The meeting was highlighted by a dinner honoring Bro. Ed Willis, who was the recipient of the Dedicated Service Award. R.W. George Stear, with the assistance of R.W. Fred Stahl, R.W. R. Kenneth Crawford and myself presented Bro. Willis with the Dedicated Service Apron, Certificate and Pin. Bro. Willis has always given of himself totally to our Lodge and I am sure all the brothers of Frank L. Simes Lodge join me in congratulating Bro. Ed on receiving this award.

R.W. Fred Stahl was presented with The Gold Honor Award Certificate and Pin from the Genesee York Rite College #25. The award was presented by Bro. Fred Holderle, a member of the York Rite College. R.W. Bro. Stahl is highly regarded, not only in our Lodge, but also throughout Masonic organizations across the state. I would like to take this opportunity to thank him for dedication to our Lodge and all of Masonry.

The meeting was conducted by The Frank L. Simes Past Masters, with W. Bo Anderson presiding in the East. W. Gary Lind, President of the Past Masters Group, assembled the meeting, with these Past Masters in the following stations and places; Senior Warden, W. Charles Schrader; Junior Warden, W. Dick VanZandt; Senior Deacon, W. Bob Anderson; Junior Deacon, W. Glenn Bishop; Senior Master of Ceremonies, R.W. Fred Stahl; Jr. Master of ceremonies, R.W. Ben Taylor; Steward, W. Joe Holt; Steward, R.W. Len Anderson; Secretary, W. Glenn Stahl; Treasurer, W. Gary Lind; Marshal, R.W. Paul Gleason.

I would like to extend my thanks to W. Gary Lind, W. Bo Anderson and all of the Past Masters who participated in this very successful evening.

This meeting was also R.W. George Stear's last official visit as D.D.G.M. of the 1st Monroe District. I feel each one of us has been touched by George in many ways. His devotion and dedication to our lodge, the wisdom and distinguished service given us by George will never be forgotten.

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to George for his service to the craft and, congratulate him on a very successful year as District Deputy.

Warmest congratulations to our Junior Warden, George Hornung and his wife Roe.

George and Roe were married last month in a small ceremony at their home. I'm sure everyone in Simes Lodge joins me in wishing them the best of luck in their future years together.

A special thanks to George and Roe for preparing the dinner for our May 12th meeting and also to a very successful Ladies Night.

Our family picnic will be June 28th at Powdermill Park in Rand Lodge. Contact me (482-0620) or our Senior Warden, Dick Snyder (342-2419) for reservations. Please bring a dish to pass.

Fraternally,
Raymond Seward, Master
TRESTLEBOARD
June 2 - Officers Meeting
June 9 - Regular meeting--film on P.G.A.

June 28 - Family Picnic-- Powdermill Park--Rand Lodge--Bring a dish to pass, 12:00 noon.

WEBSTER LODGE
No. 538
1st and 3rd Thursdays

Brethren,

Attending Grand Lodge was an enjoyable and moving experience. To sit and participate in the business of Grand Lodge with so many dedicated Masons was most rewarding. It gave me a new perspective on Masonry and spirited a new dedication to the Craft.

At the special communication on Thursday, May 14 we raised 5 new brothers. It was a pleasure to welcome Bros. Sam Rebis, William Keuhne, Steve Ellia, Ronald Hollander and Donald Hollander to the Fraternity. Thanks to all that participated in the degree.

The last meeting, before the summer recess, is our annual Hot Dog Roast on June 4, 1981.

While we do not regularly meet during July and August, it does not mean nothing is going on. We will be marching in the 4th of July Parade in Webster. This year it will be part of our celebration of Grand Lodge bicentennial. Let's have a good showing. The officers will be in formal dress and will wear their aprons and jewels.

On August 16, we will have the Red, White and Blue family picnic at the Temple. Mark this on your calendar. A flyer will be sent out later with details.

When things get back into a routine in the Fall we will start out with Old Timers night and a corn and sausage roast on September 3. Mark this date on your calendar too.

Sickness & Distress

By the time you read this we expect that Wor. Don McTarnaghan will be back from Milwaukee and well on the way to recovery from his heart surgery. At this writing, the word is the operation went well and his condition is excellent.

Fraternally,
Charles Gremmels, Master

ROCHESTER LODGE
No. 660
2nd Monday

Dear Brethren,

June will be a very busy month for the Rochester Lodge Brethren, their wives and friends. On Tuesday, June 2 the Rochester Lodge Fellowcraft Club will hold its first picnic at the Northfield Lodge building in Pittsford. Time will be 6:30 P.M. Please call Jr. Warden Joseph Abbamonte at 334-7989 if you will be attending the picnic. Wives are invited.

June 8 is a regular Lodge Meeting and on June 22 we shall have the annual Lodge Picnic. This year we shall be at the CAVALRY HOUSE LODGE in Mendon Ponds. This is past the Steward Lodge where we were last year. Also one must drive past the Office. The picnic is to be held at 6:30 P.M. Members, wives and friends are welcome.

Also in June is to be held a CLEAN UP for the Lodge building on Saturday, June 27 at 9:00 A.M. We would like a large turnout to help Northfield Lodge clean the building and spruce up the grounds. There is no paid janitor service and everyone must do his part in maintaining the Lodge. Wives are encouraged to attend also. A Pass-around Lunch will follow the clean up. Everyone will bring something to pass. We shall be notified of the menu at a later date.

Degrees are planned this fall and the Lodge will be having more Dinners. Inasmuch as members who answered the Questionnaire stated their desire for a new location, preferably suburban, and also stated that they would return to Meetings if more Dinners were planned and the wives invited, we are awaiting their return.

The Master extends to everyone a Harmonious and Joyous Summer and is looking forward to seeing everyone Sept. 14.

Fraternally,
Willard E. Garrett, Master
TRESTLEBOARD

June 2 - Fellowcraft Picnic - Pittsford 6:30 P.M.

June 8 - Regular Meeting - 7:30 P.M.

June 22 - Lodge Picnic - Cavalry Lodge, Mendon Ponds - 6:30

June 27 - Lodge Clean Up - 9:00 a.m. - Lunch at noon

From the Secretary

We welcome Ronald J. Bertie as member of Rochester Lodge, Bro. Ron has a dual membership with Rochester and Charlotte Lodge.

Mildred Wilkes widow of R:W: Myron Wilkes died April 15, 1981. Maurice Rowley father of Bros. William and Robert Rowley passed away May 5, 1981.

Congratulations to the following Brothers who celebrate their birthday in June and July: Frederick

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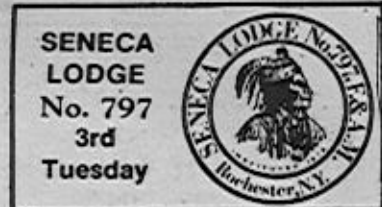
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Please check your dues card and make sure it is up to date, if not please send me your dues. The Lodge needs it to operate.

To all the Brothers and families have an enjoyable and safe summer.

George M. Adams, Secretary



MASTER'S MESSAGE

We did it!!! Through the devoted efforts of our Chairman Bob Green, who pursued his appointment with great zeal, the Brotherhood Fund reached a new high, surpassing last year's record contributions. I thank each brother who contributed so generously to make this campaign a success. Charity is a Masonic byword. Throughout our history of Freemasonry we have never sought publicity or any contributions from the general public for any of the many charitable activities we have undertaken. Your continued philanthropy supports the Masonic Home in Utica which has fifteen buildings to house and care for the sick and infirmed, married couples, widows and widowers and children. Your donations of about \$2,800 surely demonstrates that our beloved Fraternity of the ages lives on, endures, and remains a proud and useful organization for the future and for all time. For the Brethren who missed this opportunity to contribute to the current campaign I urge you to send in your donations anyway as a start on next year's Brotherhood Fund.

It is with regret that we announce the deaths of Wor. Bro. L. Daniel Danford, raised 1928, Master in 1945, and died April 5, 1981; and Bro. Howard F. Smith, raised 1954, and died February 20, 1981. Our deepest sympathy

to their widows and family.

The trip to Grand Lodge was very enjoyable and most rewarding. Space here does not permit listing all the adventures, but there are a few business items: 1. Retirement condominiums and apartments which will be self-sustaining are being considered for construction on the Utica Home land site. Built in a cluster of ten units consisting of one and two bedroom apartments, a total of 250-300 units can be located there. These will serve as retirement homes for the frail and elderly, furnished with the latest 24 hour surveillance technology for help or assistance. 2. In addition to dual membership, a plural membership (belonging to more than two lodges at any one time) allowance is being considered. 3. Grand Lodge Dues are being increased \$.75 from \$3.50 to \$4.25. 4. A one-time assessment of \$5 on each new member is being discussed. This would provide funds for the George Washington Memorial (Masonic) Building in Arlington, VA. Other Grand Lodges are already doing this. 5. This year was the first reading (next year will be the second and then the vote) which considers recognizing the Shrine of North America (AAONMS) as a Masonic or concordant body - as the York and Scottish Rites are now.

6. Custodians of the Work have made some minor changes in the ciper book. These will be reviewed with the officers. The overwhelming response and participation in our annual Ladies' Night was most gratifying. Over 164 attended, with St. Andrew's Lodge of Toronto providing 28 couples. Our bicentennial celebration was keynoted by Rt. Wor. And Hon. Frank Horton after which the audiovisual spectacular (utilizing 12 slide and move projectors) CANADA - a Holiday in Pictures, was presented on a huge screen. Both were a great hit! Dancing into the wee hours with Carl Denglers Orchestra brought this evening to a perfect close. I am indebted to Frank Johnston, Ward Wright, their committees, and the officers for this memorable night. Special thanks to Joe Deklerow in costume, with his bagpipes for the grand entry.

Fraternally,
H. Fritz Friedrich, Master

Fellowcraft Activities
June 13 - Golf outing for Men and Women at Wildwood (was Thunder Rige C.C.) Routes 15A and 251, West Rush Rd. in Rush. Tee off 1 to 2 pm. After golfing - attitude adjustment hour and dinner in the private dining room. For details and reservations call Ward Wright now... limited entries and accommodations. If oversubscribed we will make arrangements.

Non-golfers welcome to attend dinner.

July 25 - Annual Summer Outing.

Sept. 19 - Steak Roast

From the South

Aug. 9 - Sailing Party at the Pultneyville Yacht Club. Call Frank Johnston for details. Rear Admiral Bob Leavitt and Commodore Joe Fisher will chart our course.

Seneca Calendar

June 16 - 6:30 - Dinner and Wine Tasting (family and friends are most welcome) 7:30 Brief business meeting (entertainment for visitors) 8:15 Service Awards Presentations - open to all visitors. 9:15 - Continue tasting program started earlier.

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

Brethren,

The first Monday in June will be our last meeting for the summer recess, so come, casual and enjoy the company of friends and brothers, you know you'll be welcome!

I see the Brotherhood Fund Drive has been extended to June so if you haven't given your donation there is still time. I understand over a hundred members of our lodge have contributed so far, for this most worthwhile cause, they deserve a round of applause! Also the Brotherhood Chairman Bro. Roger Cottrell for his work on this project. W.B. Ed Walker has worked for the past three years on the Think Big and Build campaign. He deserved a round of applause also, while were at it let's applaud our Secretary & Treasurer W.B. Merle Nulton, and R.W. B. Tom Davis who really are the backbone of J.A.R. and keep it on the plumb, square & level.

Please check your dues cards, we still have a few on hand and we would like the owners to pick them up. I'm sure they would be happier in a loving and kind home also we have five who have been left since 1979 - they really feel neglected and alone!

Well, have a good summer - don't have too many hot dogs or all those other good things they eat at picnics, barbecues etc. - we'll see you all in September. DO take care, we need you!

I hope the warmer weather is going to help all our sick & distressed brothers in the next three months, so be good and follow the doctor's orders!

We have to report that we have the following Brothers who have been called home by the Grand Architect of the Universe. The sympathy of the lodge is extended to their families. Bro. Irwin Connolly; Bro. Gale Pollow, also to Bro. Edward Stark in the death of his father who was a member of Union Star lodge.

Yours Fraternally,
Archie Barbour

ORPHEUS LODGE No. 1082 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren,

On the 28th of April our Lodge conferred the Degree of Entered Apprentice upon one candidate, the Acting Master for the Degree was Wm. Helminski, Sr. Warden-Don Johnson, Jr. Warden-James Mykins, Sr. Deacon-Jeffrey Miller, Jr. Deacon and Secretary William Stefanini, Chaplain Howard Strobel, Sr. Master of Ceremony-Sam Laduca, Jr. Master of Ceremony Harold Duerr, and Milton Lais our 39 year member served as Conductor for the Candidate, Victor Altamore, Marshal.

I want to thank each of these brothers for a job well done, some of them were drafted at the last minute, but they come through. Bill Helminski's charge to the candidate was done so that one knew that it would leave a lasting impression; our Sr. Deacon as well as the other officers and members present helped to make this an important date in the candidate's life. Thank you again.

Our Jr. Deacon, Jim Mykins was in charge of the dinner which preceeded the meeting, and he is to be complimented for his efforts, all who partook of the buffet went back for at least seconds.

A special thanks goes forth from Orpheus Lodge to Joe Abbamonte, the Jr. Warden of Rochester Lodge who came to our assistance and served as Tiler, on behalf of the Lodge, thank you again Joe.

At the last Masters and Wardens meeting a thank you letter was read from the Grand Master for the work that was done during the recent visit to the Grand Ball, and a special thanks and compliment was extended to our Jr. Warden Jim Mykins for the work that he put out in making the Square and Compasses centerpieces, and for the one that was given to the Grand Master. For those of you who did not see these beautiful pieces of wood working, all one may say is that they were works of art.

We are still waiting for the Clambake dates from the park commission, but the Ladies Night is tentatively set for the first weekend of November.

I have just returned from the Grand Lodge Sessions, and was impressed with the ceremonies, and the work being conducted. It is my opinion that the ceremonies may have been a bit special this year because it is the Bicentennial Year of Grand Lodge of New York State. The principal guest was The Right Honourable The Earl Cadogan, Pro Grand Master of the United Grand Lodge of England, which is the Mother Lodge of our Grand Lodge. Among the other dignitaries attending were the Grand

Masters of Austria, Sweden, Australia, Finland (Grand Lodge of New York is the Mother Lodge of Finland's Grand Lodge), Italy, Haiti, Santo Domingo, Paraguay, Argentina, Ecuador, Bolivia, and many other countries; and also attending were the Grand Masters of many of the other states in the U.S.

The June Anniversaries for Orpheus Lodge are: Jerome Miceli, 43 yrs.; Howard Minsky, 42 yrs. residing in N.Y. City; Jerrold Gould, 42 yrs. residing in Tuscon Ariz.; Milton Lais, 39 yrs.; Don Levine, 35 yrs.; Lionel Peters, 35 yrs. Master 1950, residing in Paradise, Cal.; Spencer Arnold, 34 yrs.; Nicholas Milella, 33 yrs.; Haskell Osband, 33 yrs.; Daniel Geska, 16 yrs.; Samuel Rebis, 15 yrs.; Ray Toland, 14 yrs. residing in Bellevue, Neb.; Solomon Greenstein, 11 yrs. Master 1976; Lionel Draper, 10 yrs.; Patrick Mammano, 9 yrs.; Charles McBride, 9 yrs. residing in N. Scituate, Mass.; Allen Luccitti, 7 yrs.; Thurlo Ricketts, 6 yrs. Our congratulations to these Brothers, and we INVITE YOU TO ATTEND YOUR LODGE TO CELEBRATE.

If any Brother knows of any member of Lodge who is ill, and would like company, please let us know, unless you call we have no way of knowing, a card or a visit can help brighten someone's day. Please call me at 473-6275. YOUR LODGE CARES. Fraternally,
Victor E. Altamore, Master

Because of the fire at the New York Statler the sessions were held in the Grand Lodge Building, and it appeared as though every seat was filled.

The new Grand Officers for the coming year are the same as the 1980-81 slate.

Everyone who has met our Grand Master, Most Worshipful Dr. Bruce Widger, and his fine staff of officers knows what a fine job they have done this year, and we know that 1981-82 will be in a like manner.

Many items were discussed, and there were many committee reports, and if anyone is interested in the committee reports, I have these and will be happy to go over them with you.

While in New York I visited my cousin and her husband, he is a staunch Mason. They have just returned from a visit to Mainland China, and Norman always tries to attend a Lodge meeting wherever he is travelling in the world. Much to his surprise he learned that Freemasonry is quite active in China today, there is no persecution of Masons in China today, in fact it is highly respected, perhaps this dates back to the fact that Dr. Sun Yat Sen was a Mason.

It was disturbing to learn that in Denmark, which has always been a country which has respected the individual, there has been a strong anti-

Masonic campaign being launched on Danish television which is state owned. We hope for our brothers in Denmark that this condition will change very soon.

GERMANIA LODGE
No. 722
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Greetings Brethren,
Hard to believe, but here it is June already and just about time for our summer break. Before the break, however, is BUFFALO NIGHT! Come on out on June 10th and visit with the brothers from Modestia. This is always a super evening and this year will be no exception. Entertainment will be by the Shrine Chanters. There will, of course, be our normal outstanding dinner as well. Please, there is no charge for this evening, but we do need a count so we know how much to prepare. So, check your calendars, then call your reservation in to either Wolfgang (265-1462) or Bob Dibble (473-6533). You don't want to miss this fun-packed event.

The paper drive was a great success. Over 5 TONS of the stuff was picked up--thanks to you. Special thanks to the brothers who went around and picked up the papers, especially the fellows who donated the use of their trucks. Keep saving those papers, however, because we'll be having another drive this fall. If you run out of room, call one of the officers and we'll pick them up. Just keep saving!

Don't forget the Annual Corn and Sausage Roast will be Saturday, August 8th. NOTE--The location has been changed this year to Parkview Cabin in WEBSTER PARK on the Lake Road. Festivities start at noon and will continue until everyone's left. Cost is only \$5.00 per person. Make your reservations with Bob Dibble (473-6533) now! Bring your lady and join us for a super time.

Congratulations to W. Wayne Cowell on being awarded the Distinguished Service Apron. Wayne has served the Lodge faithfully for many years and is truly deserving of this award. Congratulations again!

Our secretary, Harold Weimer, has asked me to remind you that dues are way past due! If you haven't paid, please send your check in right away. Thanks.

News of the Brethren
It is with deep regret that I report the passing of two more of our brethren: Frank A. Walzer and Harold O. Pfaudler (Master in 1965). Additionally, we mourn the passing of Agnes Heath, wife of our Past Master, Ed Heath. Our sincerest sympathy to the family and friends of those called Home.

Happy Birthday to all of you with June, July & August birthdays!

Hope to see you in Lodge. Have a super and safe summer!
Fraternally & sincerely,
David N. Foster,
Correspondent

TRESTLEBOARD
June 10 - Buffalo Night
Aug. 8 - Corn and Sausage Roast in WEBSTER PARK

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



Our semi-annual euchre tournament with Henrietta Lodge was held on April 28 at Henrietta. 1st prize went to Bob Sanford and Fran Raab of Henrietta playing for Corinthian Temple, 2nd to Bert Steene and Bill Hinds, and 3rd to Don Fox and John Hinds. Overall scores gave us the trophy again, and we now look forward to a rematch in the fall in our downtown temple.

The Lodge bowling party was held at Maiden Lanes on May 2 with about 14 brothers and their ladies taking part. It was a fun evening with refreshments afterwards at Perkins Cake and Steak House.

A regular communication was held on May 4 with the regular officers each moving up one station. From all reports each did his job in a commendable manner, and at the same time gained experience for the next year which will soon be upon us. My thanks to all who participated while your Master was enjoying his first visit to Grand Lodge, and to our headquarters in New York City.

The latest report on contributions to the Brotherhood Fund from the 15 lodges of the Second Monroe District is dated April 30. It shows Corinthian Temple with 60 contributors for a total of \$958.60. This places us 5th in number of contributors and 6th in total dollars. Our percentage of contributors figures out at 27%, an improvement over previous years. Our Junior Warden, Jim Smith has done a great job in conducting the fund drive, and to him goes much of the credit for its success. The drive closes June 8 and it is hoped that by then our figures will be even better. The Grand Master has emphasized the idea of striving for "something from everyone" this year, regardless of the amount. There is still time after you receive this issue to send yours in to Jim at 85 Somerset Street, Rochester 14611; or call him at 436-3842 and tell him yours is on the way. Let's give it our all out effort, and show what our Lodge can do when faced with a challenge.

As this goes to press we are planning for our last communication before the summer recess to be held on

May 18. There will be a brief report on Grand Lodge, a special award which must remain a secret for the present, and happiest event of all: our two new members will be installed as Masters of Ceremonies, thus completing our officer line for the first time in several years. These new brothers, Frank Newman and Mike Giambone show real promise and have expressed their pleasure and thanks in being included in our officer line-up. Also, the Master will hand out a few tokens of our Grand Lodge Bicentennial Commemoration.

Let's keep in mind Masonic Day at Silver Stadium on June 14. The Senior Warden, George Whitwell, has the tickets and may be reached at 244-3388. The price is \$2.50 each and will be good for any home game this season except the play-offs. The games on the 14th will be a double-header with Charleston.

Our annual workers' outing will be held at the home of the Master at 47 Little Spring Run in the town of Perinton on Saturday, August 15 starting at 2 o'clock. Ladies are invited and we look forward to a real run occasion. The two Deacons and their wives are coming out early to help in making final arrangements. Invitations and maps will be sent out during July.

Fraternally,
W. Horace C. Porter, Master
Secretary's Corner

To all members, I want to take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a very healthy, happy and restful summer vacation.

Birthday congratulations to the following members who celebrate during the month of June: Robert Maddison 6/1; De Forest Bush, John McMahon 6/2; Wor. Edward Shaw (Master 1974) 6/7; James Jenkins, Raymond Van Wuyckhuysen 6/8; Ralph Poling 6/10; Wor. Donald Fox (Master 1968), Adolph Kennis (81) 6/19; William Baker 6/21; Bjarne Iverson 6/26; C. Drexel Gridley, Ernest Lascell 6/27; and Wor. Warren Trimble Jr., D.S.A. (Master 1958) 6/29.

Odds and Ends
"When arguing with a stupid person, be sure he isn't doing the same thing."
Bertram M. Steene,
Secretary

W.C. HUBBARD LODGE
No. 964
1st and 3rd Fridays

Brethren,
My sincere appreciation and gratitude to S.W. Joseph Orians and all the brothers who successfully confer the 2nd Degree upon our new Brothers. I have been in touch with Joe and he sincerely enjoyed being in the East.
On May 7th I returned from Grand Lodge on behalf of Warren C. Hubbard Lodge. I thoroughly enjoyed

the sessions. I can now appreciate the meaning of Grand Lodge. Our Grand Master M:W: Bruce Widger was reelected for the year 1980-81. I wish to thank all of you for giving me the opportunity to serve as your representative to Grand Lodge.

I have not had any input on sickness or distress lately. Please call me or drop me a line to keep me up to date.

On June 6th the 3rd Degree will be conferred at 5 PM by the Past Masters of our Lodge. A dinner will be served at 6:30 PM. This is an invitation for you to attend and meet your friends both new and old, and have a nice evening.

Our picnic will be Sunday June 28 at Webster Park. Plan to attend and call David Gardner at 288-4403 or yours truly at 225-1713 with your reservations. We need your attendance to make it click.

The Masonic Day Ball Game will be a Double header on Sunday, June 14th at Red Wing Stadium with the Red Wings vs. Charleston. Reserved seats are \$2.50. Buy your tickets from Ken Jermyn or give me a call.

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This will be our last written communication until September. Through the summer months please contact me at 225-1713 or call any officer. Have a pleasant summer. God be with you.

Fraternally yours,
Arnold W. Frear, Master

HENRIETTA LODGE
No. 526
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2nd and 4th Tuesdays

I am sure you all know by this time the 1981 Masters had a safe trip to Grand Lodge. Surely a good time was had by all as well as a very interesting 2 days at Grand Lodge.

On May 12 R.W. Bro. Raab sat in the east for the conferring of the 3rd degree and a job befitting a Right Worshipful was done. The Second section was exemplified by the Henrietta degree team under the direction of W.B. Larry Miller. W.B. Mert Drum was in the East with W.B. Gilbert Gilbut in the West. The lecture was given by W.B. Gilbut and the charge by W.B. Floyd Weston. A very good job was done by all. On June 2 the fellowcraft club will have its annual steak roast. June 9 will be an open meeting and the last for the spring session. June 12 will be lodge ladies night with the men serving the ladies a chicken dinner. For reservations call Bob Sanford 436-7383 or Lou French 244-0211.

Once again we are approaching the summer recess my brothers and the secretary tells me there are a number of brothers who do not have a current dues card. Your payment would be greatly appreciated.
Bob Sanford, Master

GENESEE FALLS LODGE
No. 507
2nd Thursday

Brethren:

I want to thank the members of our lodge for allowing me, as your Master, to represent Genesee Falls at the 200th Grand Lodge Communication in New York City on May 5th and 6th. It was my first visit to Grand Lodge and this being our bicentennial year, I was very impressed. I am hoping to visit Grand Lodge again in the coming years.

As you know there are many activities planned for our 200th birthday. Locally the annual Masonic Baseball Game will be held at Silver Stadium on June 14th. Tickets may be purchased from W. Bro. Harry Geitn, who will be most happy to sell you TWO tickets for \$5.00 & these tickets can be exchanged for \$6.00 worth of reserved seats. Single tickets are also available. There is also planned a bicentennial celebration in September in which all Monroe County Lodges will participate.

On May 14th, the 1980 Masters conferred the 3rd Degree on our new Bro. Michael T. D'Muria. My thanks to the Redcoats for their excellent work in conferring this degree.

As the summer months draw near, we have one more meeting and that will be on June 11th. I hope that I see many of you at this, our last meeting until September 10th.

As this will be my last newsletter until Sept., I want to wish all of you a safe and healthy summer. I am looking forward to seeing all of you at our July 25th Steak Roast and at our first meeting in September.

Fraternally,
Frederick W. Birr, Master

NORTHFIELD LODGE
No. 426
1st and 3rd
Thursdays
Instituted
March 1897
Pittsford, New York

Brethren

It is hard to realize that the trip to New York for Grand Lodge sessions is over. I had looked forward to this since my installation in January. Then it seemed like it was a million years away. How fast this year is going. I will give a report on Grand Lodge at our June 4th meeting.

As I write this article it is still better than a week away for our Third Degree, but by the time you read this, it will have been conferred. I am hoping that it will have been letter perfect.

Also when you read this our Ladies Night will be history. I am sure it was a success and congratulate Bro. Don Smith on a job well done.

On June 4th we will have a hot dog roast before our meeting. This is also sport shirt night and a prize will be given to the loudest. Be sure to get reservations to either Bro. Don Smith or W. Bob Zahn. The cost will be about \$2.00.

The June 18th meeting is a make up meeting for the April 16th meeting. This will be our last meeting before Summer recess. This meeting is very important as final plans for the strawberry festival will be discussed. Plan to attend.

Then on a very pleasant Thursday evening, June 25 we will have our strawberry festival. The menu will consist of hamburgs, hot dogs, salads, baked beans and of course strawberries with home made biscuits or ice cream with real whip cream. Each and everyone of us have to promote this event for it to be a success.

Then on the next Saturday, June 27th, is lodge clean up. We need all the help we can get. Please bring rakes, hoes, and anything you generally use for outdoor work. For the inside work rags, pails, and ect. We will start at 9:00 am and break for lunch at noon or

so. Please let's have a good turnout.

Our Lodge Picnic will be held on July 18th. You will be receiving more information soon.

I hope you all have a very nice summer.

Fraternally,
W. Bob Zahn, Master

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

Dear Brethren:

Congratulations to W.: Wayne Slack who had the opportunity to participate in the 1st Degree for his son. Bro. Gary Landon did an excellent job in the East. June 16th is a night to mark on your calendar, that will be the date for the 2nd Degree. The Degree Work has been outstanding and you should take the opportunity to visit the Lodge and see the Work.

W.: Jesse Mattson has taken on the task of The Sidewalk Sale in the fall. This sale has been a major fund raiser for the Penfield Union Lodge in the past and I am confident that it will be successful this year. If you have items that could be put up for sale in the fall, please drop them by the Lodge during the summer. Bro. Jesse Mattson's telephone number is 381-2107. He will be happy to work with you to get the items to the Lodge. Let's support the fund raising effort.

Let me remind you of upcoming Masonic events during the summer. Masonic baseball Day on Sunday, June 14, St. John's Day at Utica on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, June 19, 20 and 21st, and the Interlodge Golf Tournament at Braemar C.C. on Saturday, July 11th.

Looking forward to seeing you Tuesday, June 16th at the Lodge for the 2nd Degree.
Worshipful Master,
Robert W. Shrader

VALLEY LODGE
No. 109
1st and 3rd Mondays

Brethren,

I am writing this column this month as an especially proud Master. Your Lodge, of course, is always a Lodge to be proud of. But the job that your past Masters did on the 3rd Degree this month was enough to make any Master "Walk Tall". I cannot find the words to express the pride I had in everyone who took part in the degree. The few visitors we did have were greatly impressed with the work. I only wish that the whole room could have been filled so that more of our Brothers could have witnessed the inspiring work done by everyone. There is no doubt that this will be the highlight of my year, and I would like to thank everyone who took part in it. Also a special thanks to W. Mat Gingold for his time and work

in getting things lined up. This is only another example of what the Past Masters can do for their Lodge. They surely are the "Backbone" of Masonry. Thank you all again.

I would also, at this time, like to thank the Lodge for giving me the opportunity to attend Grand Lodge as their representative. This being the 200th communication had special meaning, of course. But when you have no less than 38 Grand Masters from all over the world coming from as far away as Australia, you really feel the Brotherhood that this Fraternity is founded on.

Summer is fast approaching and we are about to be called from labor to refreshment. There are several activities taking place over the recess. St. Johns Day and Masonic Family Day, both at Utica, are just a few. I would, of course, like to see as many of you as possible attend these functions. The primary function that I want everyone to attend to though is to have a safe, relaxing, and enjoyable summer. You will be receiving a flyer on the steak roast later this summer. So until then may God Bless and keep you safe.

Bill Miner, Master

CLIO LODGE
No. 779
1st and 3rd Tuesdays

I would like to thank the members of Clio Lodge for supporting me on my trip to New York City. My wife Beverly and I had a very good time. I found it to be very interesting.

I am sorry to report our first death for 1981. Francis B. Thorve of Ormand Beach, Florida, died April 20, 1981. He was raised in 1930 and had been presented a fifty-year certificate.

We have three big events coming up this summer. First of all, we want brothers to march in the Hilton Fireman's Parade the last week in July. Please contact me at 392-7546 so I can form a list of those who will march. We need a good turnout to show our strength as a fraternal organization.

Second, we have a friendly contest with Etolian Lodge of Spencerport on August 2, 1981. The tug-o-war will take place supposedly across the canal. Details of the event are still sketchy. More information will follow in a later publication of our Cable Tow Newsletter.

Our lodge family picnic will be on Sunday, June 21st at Hamlin Beach State Park. Contact Bro. Al Mercer 637-9782 for reservations and further details. This is a perfect way to spend Father's Day with your family and friends.

Keep in mind that on Sept. 25, 26 and 27th our Father and Son and Daughters Fishing Trip will be held in the Adirondack Mountains.

Contact John Burgess at 392-8544 if you are interested. He needs to know the number of people who will attend very soon now in order to reserve the cabins.

There will be a Bicentennial Dance at Clio Lodge on Sept. 19, 1981. Mark it on your calendar now. See Al Mercer for details.

On May 11, 1981 in Doric Council #10, Royal Select Masters, I was installed as Deputy Master, and on May 22, 1981, I was installed Generalissimo of Cyrene Commandery #39 Knights Templar. Next year at this time, I should be the presiding officer of both of these Masonic bodies.

With my year as Master of the lodge concluding, I still will have plenty of work ahead of me.

Have a nice summer. We need to start off the fall with our first meeting on Sept. 1st, even though it is before Labor Day.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 2 - Grand Lodge Report
June 16 - Short Sleeve meeting with Lodge picnic at 6:00, bring a dish to pass

June 21 - Clio Lodge Family picnic

Sept. 1 - 1st meeting of the fall. Short sleeve - casual dress

Fraternally,
W. Gary C. Thompson

CHURCHVILLE LODGE
No. 667
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren,

Again, I must begin this column on a sad note. I am sorry to report that Bro. Michael Ruddy was called home by the Supreme Architect of the Universe on April 22, 1981. I wish to extend the sympathy of Churchville Lodge to Bro. Art Jones and his family.

Due to sickness in my family I was unable to attend the annual convention of the Grand Lodge held in New York City. For the past three years this has been the pinnacle of our years as Wardens and Master. Both my wife, Brenda and myself truly regret having to miss this event. I would like to thank everyone for thinking of us at this time of need.

The second degree was held on May 13. Bro. Robert Simons was in the East and did a fine job. I would like to thank all the officers and brethren who participated.

A special thanks must go to R.W. Everett Vail. His Middle Chamber lecture is always a pleasure to hear but sometimes perfection is not always acknowledged so I want to do this now. Thanks, Bro. Vail for always being there.

As we approach Summer and our Lodge goes dark, there are a few dates you should remember. As of this writing we do not have a confirmed date for our trip to Canada. Any brother who wishes to go to visit our

brothers in Chippawa and does not know the date, please contact me at 334-3019.

June 14, is Masonic Day at Red Wing Stadium. Any baseball fans, and there should be many, should contact W. William Baxter for tickets and get out for this event.

Please don't forget our annual Steak Roast. This will be held at Bro. Ray Volk's Cider Mill place. The date for this is August 21. Please plan to bring a friend and we will contact you by telephone for reservations or you can contact me.

I wish that you all have a nice Summer and I hope to see you at our Summer events. Please take note of the most important date of all--September 9, 1981, which is our first fall meeting at Lodge. Please come.

Fraternally, Leon Morgan

ETOLIAN LODGE
No. 479
2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren,

The Grand Lodge of the State of New York's 200th annual communication is OVER and is now history. What a wonderful event to attend. The Monroe Districts had 28 Masters in attendance for all four sessions, mainly due to our two District Deputies, who wanted all the "Blue" they could get in the hall, an excellent effort.

My trip to New York was one of the most impressive moments so far in my life. When you can sit in Grand Lodge and see 37 or 38 Grand Masters from all around the world paying due homage to New York, you know you must have a great Grand Lodge or they wouldn't have been there, to pay it due respect, as they did.

Our April 27th meeting was a great success, my thanks to the Worthy Matron for the several extra dinners that she and her Ladies came up with. My thanks also to R.:W.: George A. Stear and R.:W.: Myron Kleinberg for their attendance and help in the presenting of the Distinguished Service Award apron to W.: Bro. Edward Prevost and a 50 year pin to Bro.

Ernest Starr.

Also thanks to W. Bro. John Mattern for stepping aside so that R.:W.: Roland J. Reitz could give the Charge, which I thought was the highlight of the evening, a job truly very well done.

I also would like to thank all officers and Past Masters who worked on our 3rd Degree. It was one of the best degrees that I have ever seen.

It's a pleasure as Master to see a member who has been in Lodge for two years, do work along with a member of over 50 years. It reminds me of my early days in Lodge and Chapter and shows me where I was and where I could go in lecture work.

A special thanks to W. Bro. Will Goodridge who stood in as Sr. Deacon, did an excellent job, but was reminded of the days when the S.D.'s staff was tightened to its base.

TRESTLEBOARD
June 8 - Past Masters Night
June 15 - Picnic Churchville 6:30

Fraternally,
Dennis F. Huffman, Master

FAME LODGE
No. 945
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren,

I would like to thank you for the opportunity of representing Fame at Grand Lodge in N.Y.C., the first week in May. It was an experience that I will never forget.

On May 12th the Distinguished Service Award was presented to W.: Rocky Verstrete by R.:W.: Frank Arnold, D.D.G.M. of 2nd Monroe District. Also that evening a 25 year certificate was awarded to W.: Fred Prince. Congratulations to both of these brethren.

Thank you to W.: John Derse and Bro. Cy Warker for contacting, by letter, the widows of Fame Lodge members. This project was undertaken at the Grand Master's request, so that we as Masons, can be more supportative of our widows.

On May 23 - Fame hosted the Masters & Wardens Assoc. Thank you to the Ladies of Culver Lodge for a fine meal.

May 26 - was move up night. Congratulations to Don Ferguson as Master & his line officers on a job well done.

June 9 is our last meeting before summer. It is the Strawberry Festival & Crazy Sport Shirt Nite. Prizes will be awarded. Families are invited. The telephone committee will be calling.

The Lalla Rookh Grotto clown unit hopes to organize a Monroe Masonic Clown Unit with representatives from all the lodges in our district. They plan to train the future clowns. A representative from each Lodge is needed to get this project off the ground. Interested? Contact me.

The Masonic Day Baseball Game is Sunday June 14th, 1981. It is a doubleheader with Charleston. The cost is \$2.50 per person, call me for tickets.

Mark Tuesday, Aug. 11, 1981 on your calendar. This is the date for the Lodge picnic at Webster Park from 3 pm till? The telephone committee will be contacting you. Have a Happy & Healthy Summer. Fraternaly,

Chuck Thompson, Master

OATKA LODGE
No. 759
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

TRESTLEBOARD

June 10 - Regular Meeting - 8:00 P.M.
June 24 - Regular Meeting - 8:00 P.M.

Dress for Officers will be informal until the first meeting in October.

July 11 - SPECIAL COMMUNCIATION. To celebrate the BICENTENNIAL of the GRAND LODGE of NEW YORK state (1781-1981). A committee is at work planning to make this a special day in the life of Oatka Lodge. A chicken barbeque dinner (\$5.00) will be served from 11:30 to 2:00. You may "Eat Here or Take Out." Lodge will be opened at 4:00 p.m. in the "First Floor" dining room. Brothers will be in attendance to assist all who need help in entering or leaving the building. Any brother who wishes to bring greetings to the Lodge will be permitted to make a short speech if he cares to. Brothers

unable to be with us on July 11th are urged to write a note to the Master. All messages will be read from the East.

Special certificates of "Attendance and Participation" are being prepared for all members of Oatka Lodge and will be on sale July 11th. The price for the certificate, inscribed with your name will be \$2.00. All money, in excess of preparation costs, will be used for Temple repairs.

The Temple Building and Lodge Room will be open from 10 am until 4 pm on July 11th for inspection. Your family and friends will be welcome.

Fraternally,
Robert Wright

ZETLAND LODGE
No. 951
2nd and 4th Thursdays



Greetings,

It has been decided that on our last meeting in June we will confer the 2nd degree. This will be the 11th of June. All officers will be contacted for the rehearsal, which will be on Monday, June 8th. The degree will conferred by Wor. Bro. David Crawford.

Another date in June to remember is the 14th. This is Masonic Day at Silver Stadium and a double header. Masonic presentation will be between games. W. Bro. Fred Ambeau has tickets for \$2.50 each.

It has been reported that Bro. Harold Newn can have visitors for a short time. He is in Rochester General Hospital. I called on Bro. Howard Wilson and he is improving. The good news is he gain 10 pounds and is getting out occasionally.

If any Bro. becomes ill, please notify the Secretary or myself and we will check on you. We can't inquire if we don't have the information.

We are sorry to report the death of Bro. Henry S. Horn, who died in Florida on May 4th. We have expressed the sympathy of the Lo'ge to Mrs. Horn and family.

Our last meeting was very poorly attended and it is very disappointing to the officers.

Please, when you are able, come to Lodge.

We hope you all have a pleasant and relaxing time during the Summer months and return to Lodge in September, healthy and full of energy.

Fraternally,
John D. Braund, Master

EAST ROCHESTER LODGE
No. 1020
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren,

The Lodge mourns the passing, in April, of Brother Louis Gauvreau.

Thanks to everyone who helped with the ham dinner. Thanks, also, to all who contributed. We cleared enough to pay the insurance premium.

We will try another ham dinner on June 6th. We will not send out tickets this time, but it would be appreciated if those who plan to attend would make reservations. Call me at 461-1254.

On June 21, Fathers' Day, the Past Beloved Queens Club of Lilac Triangle #121 will serve a brunch in the Lodge from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Donations will be \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12. The proceeds will be given to the Lodge. Reservations are necessary and should be made before June 14th. Call Sandy or Laurie Arthur at 586-7498 or Debbie Fisher at 442-4211.

W. Brother Andy Narsisian and Brother Roger Richards are recovering from recent surgery. Andy from bladder surgery and Roger from a coronary bypass. We wish them both a speedy recovery.

We will try changing the Fellowcraft Club meetings from the first Thursday of each month to the Thursday following the first Lodge meeting of each month.

Coming events:
June 6 - Ham Dinner
June 9 - Sportshirt Night
June 14 - Masonic Day at Red Wing Stadium
June 21 - Past Beloved Queens Club brunch
July 11 - Interlodge Fellowship Committee Golf Tournament
Fraternally,
Pat McNenny, Master

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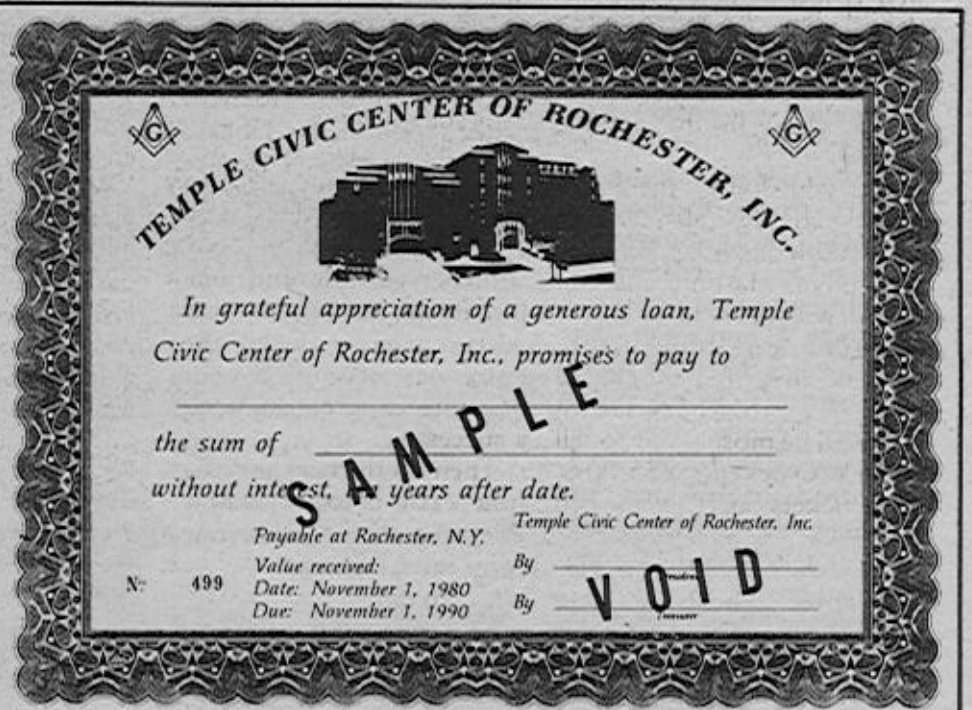
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MONROE COMMANDERY

No. 12
KNIGHTS
TEMPLAR
1st and 3rd
Fridays



Chartered in 1827

To all my Sir Knights, Templar of Monroe Commandery #12.

I would like to take this opportunity as your Eminent Commander, elect, to thank each and everyone of you for the privilege of electing me to this important office for the year ahead of 1981.

Now then permit me, if you may, to list the slate of officers according to rank for the year are as follows:

S.K. Arthur F. Havill, Commander; S.K. Louis R. Hattler, Generalissimo; S.K. Charles L. Brown, P.C. P.G.W., Captain General; S.K. Robert E. Phelps, Senior Warden; S.K. and Rev. William T. Plews, G.P.E.M., Prelate Emeritus; S.K. and Rev. Paul P. Gleason H.P.C., Assoc. Prelate; S.K. Ralph A. Beggar P.C., Assoc. Prelate; S.K. Timothy E. Slater, S.K. Donald S. Ballou, Sentinel; S.K. Raymond H. Morgan P.C., Stage Manager; S.K. Frank W. Allen, H.P. P.C. Trustee; S.K. Ronald L. Brown, Trustee; S.K. Willis Henry M.S.K., Trustee; S.K. Raymond H. Morgan, P.C., Dir. Order Red Cross; S.K. Ralph A. Biggar P.C. Dir. Order of Malta; S.K. Charles L. Brown P.C. P.G.W., Dir. Order of Temple; S.K. Timothy S. Slater, Rep. Masonic Service Bureau; S.K. Walter B. Sanders, P.C., Rep. and Trustee Temple Civic Center; S.K. Ronald L. Brown P.C., Education Foundation; S.K. Hiram J. Neun, P.C., Eye Foundation.

So much for the election, and on to Installation of the above list, which took place on Friday, May 15 at 8 PM in our beautiful Cathedral Hall.

Now this being an open or public program found many of our Family members, Friends, and Visitors alike present.

This like many of our promotional programs now taking place tends to strengthen the enthusiasm of Masonry to the Public eye more in hopes of gaining some new blood to the Order which is our biggest primary goal.

The new Commander, Art Havill had a few but brief words as to the layout of the Masonic Temple, types of meeting quarters as compared to Cathedral Hall and its furnishings thereby displaying what our beliefs are of a strong Christian group.

Following the presentations, remarks, recognitions, Rochester Chapter of DeMolay & Triangle

members assisting as ushers & program distribution.

Lalla Rookh Grotto - Legion of Honor, Presenting and Retiring the Flag of our Country with Francis Hunnold as Commander & Drillmaster.

Refreshments by the Lalla Rookh Grotto Caldron Girls assisted by June Gudgel and the Commander.

Next was the usual Grand March about the hall with reception line forming in the East for the exchange of greetings and that was it for the evening - a job very well done by all.

Thanking you all. The Commander, Eminent Sir Knight, Art Havill

CYRENE COMMANDERY

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Can it be time for my year as Em. Commander of Cyrene Commandery #39 to end. Time marches on and time tells me that my term has come to an end. We have had a good year in Templar and I and My wife wish to thank each of you for your support during the past year. Deeply appreciated by both of us. Wish to thank the Schicker club for all the help they have supplied and especially the dinners that they provided for all of us. Everything went just fine. Jr. Past Comm. Horace F. Denton.

At the Installation of Officers of Cyrene Commandery #39 held on May 22nd 1981 the following Officers were Installed to be our leaders during the 1981 & 1982 term till next May 1982.

Em. Commander: Ernest Stelianou; Captail Genral: Horace F. Denton; Generalissimo: Gary Thompson; Sr. Warden: Donald Carlile; Jr. Warden: Open; Prelate: William Angold; Treasurer: Charles Ray Hager; Recorder: Gordon Mosher; St. Barer: Open; Sw. Barer: Archibale Barbour; Warder: Richard Brown; Sentinel: Donald Ballou; Trustees: Horace Porte, Stanley Peterson & Roy Huff.

Ernest Stelianou and wife wish all of the officers and members success during the coming year. We need your support to carry on the work of Templary. It is a great fraternal organization and one of the best to belong to. I know that I can count on everyone of you for support.

We will not have a Conclave during the month of June. This one in May was the last until Sept. 11th 1981.

Wish all of you a Happy Summer time and will see you all in Sept.

We have no new sickness to report and no deaths. Cards would be appreciated by those who are not feeling well. If you know of any illness or deaths during the summer time please let us know. Em. Commander, Ernest Stelianou on 265-9329 or Roy Huff on 663-7479.

The Grand Commandery Conclave will be held in Elmira this year. Those wishing to attend please contact our Em. Comm. and he will supply you with forms. The dates are Sept. 18th, 19th and 20th.

The Installing Officer was S.K. Robert Case. The Marshal was S.K. Charles Hager and Capt. General was S.K. Charles L. Brown.

Believe that is all except this to carry you thru the Summer: "I will move with God into new dimensions of life." Everyone have a grand time. Fraternally yours, Em. Comm. Ernest A. Stelianou
S.K. R.E. Huff, Reporter

HAMILTON CHAPTER

No. 62
ROYAL ARCH
MASON
2nd and 4th
Thursdays



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Companions the one big event this month is our family picnic to be held Thursday afternoon June 11th at Powder Horn Lodge, Powder Mill Park. Games will start at 4:00 PM. Supper will be served 6:00 PM Hots and Hamburgers and beverage will be furnished by the committee. Each family brings a dish to pass, also your own dishes & silverware. Scholarship area winners with their families are being invited to be present. Scholarship Certificates will be award by Grand Officers of Grand Chapter State of New York. Companion Harold Gruchow will be chairman assisted by Companions Robert Murhead, R.:E.: Richard Oliver and E.: Raymond Beardsley.

Companion Knights of Genesee York Rite College No. 25 will hold its annual meeting and election on Saturday June 13th at 5:30 PM at the Masonic Temple 133 South Union St., Spencerport, N.Y. The Companion Knights will be joined with their ladies for dinner at 5:30 PM at the historic Pilot House Restaurant overlooking the Erie Canal.

The 27th Capicular District Council Officers and their families will meet at 1:30 PM and supper at 4:00 PM. The Frederick Holderle Conesus Lake Cottage at 2533 East Lake Road on Saturday, June 6th. Dansville Chapter #91 will be hosts and provide the food.

Hamilton's MET CLUB PICNIC with their families will be held at the Holderle's Conesus Lake Cottage on Saturday July 18th. Meritorious Companions Charles L. Brown and Walter B. Sanders will be in charge.

Once again we were saddened by the passing to their eternal rest three of our companions, namely: Glendon Ramsay, 57 years old, died April 10, 1981 and received his R.A.M. degree in 1968; Henry Horn, 79 years old, died May 1981 and received his R.A. degree in 1945; William E. Start, 85 years old, died May 10, 1981 and received his R.A.M. degree in 1944.

In John 14; 1-3 Jesus speaking to his disciples said: "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God; trust also in me. In My Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, I would have told you. I am going there to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am." We extend our sympathy and God's Blessing to their families and loved ones.

Companions have a pleasant safe summer and come prepared for our initial fall meeting on September 10th when we will have the official visit of the District Deputy Grand High Priest - R.:W.: Stanley Petersen.

Fraternally yours,
Frederick S. Holderle,
Excellant High Priest

DORIC COUNCIL No. 19

ROYAL & SELECT
MASTERS
4th Monday
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Companions,

The Annual Meeting, held on May 11th, completed a successful year of Cryptic Masonry for our Council under the leadership of Illustrious Master Horace C. Porter. Our gratitude and thanks for his efforts are hereby extended.

The reports of I. George E. Gerken, Recorder, I Roy E. Huff, Treasurer, I Horace F. Denton for the Trustees, and other committee reports were received. The Illustrious Master reviewed the activities of his term of office and expressed appreciation for the support he had received during his year.

The following officers were installed for the Council Year 1981-82: Illustrious Master Stanley V. Peterson, Deputy Master - Gary C. Thompson, Principal Conductor of the Work-Raymond H. Morgan, Treasurer-Roy E. Huff, Recorder-George E. Gerken, Chaplain-William C. Angold, Captain of the Guard-Louis R. Hattler, Conductor of the Council-Frederick S. Holderle, Jr., Steward-L. Edward Walker, Marshal-

Robert G. Wright, Sentinel-Donald S. Ballou.

The Installation Ceremony was under the direction of Right Illustrious Raymond R. Beardsley, Grand Standard Bearer, assisted by Right Illustrious Ellis I. Hormats, PDDGM, as Installing Marshal.

On April 1st Doric Council was well represented at the Shrine York Rite Night.

April 27th had Doric Council hosting the Grand Lecturer's Convention for the 8th Cryptic District. R.I. David Wilson, Grand Lecturer, directed the exemplification of the Select Master Degree. Companions from the several Council in the district participated.

Tickets are still available for the Masonic Ball Game which has been set for Flag Day Sunday, June 14th, at Silver Stadium. Game time 2 P.M. Come out and take part in the ceremonies which will take place between the first and second game.

It is not too late to send in a contribution for our principal charity which is the research into the treatment of Parkinson disease. Your check made out to Doric Council Charities and mailed to the Temple Civic Center will be appreciated.

The first assembly in the fall will be on Sept. 28th. Best wishes for a pleasant summer of trips, gardening, vacations, whatever, and come back refreshed and eager to take part in our work.

Fraternally,
Stanley V. Peterson,
Illustrious Master

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Ladies Organization NEWS

**NOLA CHAPTER
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Dear Sisters & Brothers:

Two men please God - he who serves Him with all his heart because he knows Him; he who seeks Him with all his heart because he knows Him not. - Panin

To our members who are ill: *We would like the bright sunshine To shine into your room, We would like cheery thoughts To chase away the gloom, We would like to use some magic To make these wishes come true And bring good health and happiness Right back to you.*

Last month the following were reported ill: Abbe Learn, Ethel Hall, Norm Vail and Norm Morgan. Please remember our sick and shut-ins with cards or calls - it means so much to them. T.N.T. Today not Tomorrow.

The sympathy of our Chapter is extended to W.S. Jessie Johnson and S. Jean Brodie who lost a brother.

June 2nd regular meeting. June is traditionally the month for weddings. Please bring your wedding album picture to Chapter to share with all of us.

Thurs. June 11th. We have been invited to Tyrian Chapter in Buffalo. At this meeting a floral ceremony will be exemplified. Anyone wishing to attend contact your W. Matron.

June 22 - P. Matrons at Ray Volk's, 6:30 dinner. June 23 - Combined Homecoming for district grand officers. July 25 - Pilgrimage Day at Oriskany.

A big thank you to Judy Lenzi and Lucille Mason (co-chairmen of our rummage sale) and to all who helped and donated items. Once again a project that we sponsored was successful and we realized a very nice profit. Thank you all.

June and time for a vacation. A happy summer to you all. May you come back refreshed and rested. To our meetings in the fall.

Carol Wynings - W. Matron
Norm Morgan - W. Patron

LILAC TRIANGLE

Lilac Triangle is alive and well even though their newly installed Press Secretary is somewhat slow in starting.

I'd like to bring you up to date and provide some future dates for your consideration.

The Installation of Officers on April 4, 1981 was a truly memorable occasion with many dignitaries and guests in attendance. The new Line Officers are: Beloved Queen, Margaret (Peggy) Cornell; Senior Lady-in-Waiting, Karen Gunkel; Junior Lady-in-Waiting, Judy Fosdick; Guardian, Judy McCullough; Chaplain, Diane Barrett.

Due to JPBQ Jean Bandemer's productive term many bars were earned and two girls received three each.

April 27th was BQ Peggy Cornell's first meeting and it was Obligation Night. Our Jr. Advisor Debbie Fisher had all Triangle Girls, past and present, re-new their taking of the Obligation. It was truly an interesting meeting and BQ Peggy did a good job.

Thursday, April 30th, a delegation of girls attended the RayDSmit Chapter Order of DeMolay installation. David Gunkel, brother of our Senior Lady Karen, was installed as Master Counselor.

On Saturday, May 9th, the girls attended the Grand Matron's Visitation and presented her with a gift from Lilac.

May 11th was our Mother's Day meeting and BQ Peggy read a poem for all the mothers written especially for them by the Marshal, Karen Cornell. In May the meetings were held back to back due to Memorial Day holiday and the regular meeting on May 18th were Memory Night. A Memory Degree was presented for all Past members, Queens, Advisors, Supervisors, Daddies and Junior Deputies and it went over very well.

We have a busy summer ahead of us. June 8th is Move-Up Night. June 22nd is an Open Meeting and we will be honoring graduates and friends. Please come.

The Past Queens of Lilac extend an invitation to one and all to attend their Father's Day brunch. It will be held on Sunday, June 21st at the East Rochester Lodge. Please call PBQ Kathy McCullough at 381-3152 for reservations.

July and August are summer fun times and car washes. Hope to see you at any or all of our meetings, they are held in the East Rochester Lodge on Mondays at 7:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Marilu Cornell PBQ,
Press Secretary



Fidelity Triangle new members, Gretchen Rist, Deborah Thompson, Wendy Stubenrod, Julie Ann Gurecki, Jennifer Rainey, and Beloved Queen Janet Wilson.

FIDELITY TRIANGLE

Fidelity Triangle participated in the Charity Bazaars, that were held in Greece Town Mall, in March, and in Long Ridge Mall, in April, where they sold home made articles, that were made by the girls and their Mothers. The results were good and made it possible for us to make donations to the Brotherhood Fund, the Monroe Masonic News, the Masonic Service Bureau, the Most Worthy Betty Jurs Memorial Fund, and the Rose E. Scherer scholarship Fund, as previously mentioned.

Apr. 22 - The girls of Fidelity Triangle, helped to serve and clean up, at the Temple Social Club Luncheon, which was held in the ballroom, where about 200 people were served.

Apr. 25 - Regular meeting, formal, with initiation of five new members, followed by a social get acquainted hour with refreshments.

Apr. 29 - The dinner for the new line officers, was held at the home of Beloved Queen Janet Wilson, and plans for the term were discussed.

May 9 - The girls of Fidelity Triangle, did the hat checking for the Grand Matron's Dinner, which was held in the basement ballroom, and for the Grand Matron's visit, which was held in Cathedral Hall, on the fourth floor. Fourteen Fidelity girls, dressed in formal gowns, attended the ceremonies in Cathedral Hall. Beloved Queen Janet Wilson, presented the Grand Matron, Most Worthy Marguerite Reder, with a personal gift, and Junior past Queen Carol Mewhirter, presented a donation to the Grand Matron's project. The Grand Matron thanked the girls and asked the Queen to introduce each girl separately to the assemblance and the Grand Marshal gave each girl a pen with the Grand Matron's name on it.

The girls received applause as they retired from the east.

A delegation from Lilac Triangle was also introduced individually.

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STAFF OFFICERS MESSAGE

Brethren,

By the time you read this, many of you will already know the names of the Grand Lodge appointees for 1981-82. Unfortunately as this is written they are not yet appointed, and I cannot congratulate my successor by name. I can however wish him well and the same fine cooperation that I received from the hard working, dedicated officers in the First Monroe District.

My year as a Grand Sword Bearer from the First Monroe District has been an especially pleasurable one. First, because I have traveled in the company of fine gentlemen and Masons in the two Monroe Districts. I am especially grateful to the Grand Master for permitting me to associate closely with RW George Stear. Second, I was able to attend, and to be a part of, the exciting and memorable two-hundredth annual communication of Grand Lodge. Third, for being able to associate with the 1980 and 1981 officers of both Monroe Districts. They have been extremely courteous and helpful, and I am very proud to include some of them, especially among the 1981 Masters, as friends.

As I indicated in last month's message, the staff officer now has a responsibility for the leadership training of lodge officers. The Monroe Districts' School of Lodge Administration helps to guide the lodge officers in the running of lodge within the framework of the by-laws and constitution of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York. The Assistant Grand Lecturers' School of Ritual, as its name implies, attempts to instruct and to maintain the proper ritualistic procedures. I have therefore asked the Monroe Districts' Bureau of Education to now add a School for Leadership Training under the Staff Officers.

It is my intent, and also of recent Grand Masters, that Masonry should build leaders not only in the fraternity but also in the community. Conceptually, the School for Leadership Training should assist the lodge officers in developing the important characteristics of organization direction and presence. Practically, topics such as Effective Speaking, Memorization Techniques and Salesmanship have been suggested. The school is now in the discussion and planning phase, and I suggest that if any of you feels as strongly about this as I do, that you contact the newly appointed Staff Officers with your support and your suggestions.

I would not be me, if I did not close with an admonition. We are now celebrating our bicentennial birthday of Masonry in New York State, and although I will not see our tricentennial birthday, I pray that future generations will. Your active participation is necessary to keep Masonry the important instructive medium that it is. Attend lodge; participate in lodge and lodge functions; and insist that your officers proudly and properly represent Masonry, your lodge and you.

HAPPY 200TH BIRTHDAY.

Fraternally,

Mike Kleinberg, Grand Sword Bearer

1960 MASTERS (Florida Div.)

Greetings from the Florida Division of the 1960 Masters Club. Several affairs were held in 1981 by the entire group, some large, some small.

In January 1981 Ernestine and Walt Schattner hosted a delightful party with dinner at "Smitty's" in Venice. Attending were Alfa and John Moll, Irene and Charlie Francis, Betty and Harold Perry.

Margaret and Bill Hawkins, Beulah and Fred Dantz and Ralph and Lillian Young.

March 22nd found us gathered at Betty and Harold Perry's in Ellenton. Everyone attending the January get-together except the Hawkins were there. We were very pleased to have with the Florida group for the first time Marjorie and Ward Turner and Doris and George Horrocks. Dinner was at "Madame Joe's" in Palmetto with a waitress that fitted the style of the '60 group both then and now.

We, as some of you may remember were known as the "Manhattan" Masters with Charlie Francis doing the fantastic mixing job. We've slowed down a lot since then but you'd better believe we're one of the most lively groups yet. Even through we had our own dining room the other diners must have heard the peals of laughter that kept bursting from everyone.

George Horrocks was asked if he would collect dues and how much each owed. He declined to do so reminding us that it had been a few years since that was his concern at all our gatherings.

Whenever one of you Northern '60ers is in Florida contact one or more of us. You should have our addresses in your directory and phone numbers are in the telephone book if not listed. Some of us will be coming north, others staying here. Betty and Harold Perry are taking the longest way around to reach Rochester by using the Alaskan route.

Lillian Young, Historian
1960 Masters

SPEAKING OF MASONRY

Friend of Freedoms

I arrived at the decision that Freemasonry is a vital and dynamic force in America, and in the world, for everything high and worthy, to which my life has long been committed.

And there is something more. Freemasonry occupies, in my opinion, a unique position of opportunity and obligation in the human order today. Particularly in our great American cities.

Freemasonry, casting aside bigotry and intolerance, is the powerful friend of all American Freedoms. As I had not known, and could not know until I became a Freemason, but as I long sensed, this brotherhood is Freedom's friend. Reaching my conclusions, I could not escape the conviction that I owed something here; that if I would be accepted, then surely I belonged! That my little weight should be, must be, committed to the unrelenting struggle of Freemasons against every form of man's enslavement, against every foe, however insidious, both within and without, every foe of American freedom.

Now that I know that Freemasonry points the feet of men and directs their wills toward the highest objective of moral, social, political—aye, spiritual—achievement; those objectives that at last, beyond time and space, center in the ultimate goal and wonder of man's immortal soul.

Dr. Daniel A. Poling, editor of Christian Herald; for many years head of World's Christian Endeavor Society

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Three GOLD HONOR AWARDS as issued by the York Rite Sovereign College of North America were presented.

In meetings of their blue lodges, Companion Knight Frederick S. Holderle Pre-Eminent Governor of Genesee York Rite College #25 presented R. Wor. Frederick A. Stahl certificate and gold lapel pin at Frank L. Simes Lodge #990 on May 12th. Bro. David R. Cordy, organist, was presented May 18 at Corinthian Temple Lodge #805 assisted by Wor. Master Horace Porter, P.G. Wor. Past Master Ralph A. Hart was presented in meeting of Sencerity Lodge #200 Phelps, N.Y. by Emient D'Arcy, Past Governor.

The award reads; "in recognition of his outstanding service in York Rite Masonry by the York Rite Sovereign College of North America which is composed of members of Blue Lodge, Chapter, Council and Commandery."

