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HILFIKER FILM COMING MARCH 13 TO AUDITORIUM THEATRE



Earl Hilfiker

Brother Earl L. Hilfiker's Travel and Adventure Film of Sub-Arctic Canada to be shown at Auditorium Theatre, Friday, March 13th at 8:15 P.M.

Union Star Lodge #320 of Honeoye Falls, New York, will again sponsor the show for the benefit of the Masonic Service Bureau.

The donation will be \$1.25.

Earl's Show this year was filmed in the James Bay and Hudson's Bay country with Moosonee, Moose Factory, Fort George, Ruppert House, and Fort Albany as the jumping off places to the far north. Here in a territory far larger than Texas live about twenty five hundred Swampy Cree Indians, a few whites and fewer Eskimos. There is a country of small trees, tide flats and vast expanses of acid bog called muskeg.

Twice each year Geese by the tens of thousands stop in to feed and rest on their journeys from their breeding grounds in the tundra country and the islands in the Arctic Ocean and their wintering range in the south. Blue geese out number Can-

adas and lesser snow geese by a heavy margin.

Earl spent two seasons in the country making a documentary film of the hunting of the geese by the Cree Indians for their winter meat supply. He did far more, however. He traveled with the bush pilots, on the Hudson's Bay Company Ship by Mission Boat and in the canoes of the Crees. In addition to the wildlife subjects for which Earl is noted, he has documented a story of a way of life of a people still living in a goose, moose and beaver economy as their ancestors have done for centuries.

Masonic War Veterans to Bestow "Man of the Year Award" on Congressman Frank J. Horton at State Convention



Congressman Horton

have to look far before the name of W.B. Frank J. Horton became truly evident that he was worthy of the greatest honor that we can bestow. We are an organization bound by the triple tie of DUTY TO GOD, MAN AND COUNTRY and we feel that W.B. Frank Horton exemplifies these ideals.

GRAND LODGE AREA MEETING WELL ATTENDED

Grand Lodge Officers, Masters, Past Masters, Sr. Wardens, Jr. Wardens, Secretaries, Treasurers, Deacons and other interested Masons were summoned to an Area Meeting held Jan. 22nd, in the Cathedral Hall, Temple Building, 875 Main St. East, Rochester, N.Y. by Grand Master M.W. Harry Ostrov.

The Area Meeting, the first of its kind, was well attended and the Grand Lodge Officers Messages very well received.

Full report of the meeting will appear in the March issue as this meeting's release has not been given at this writing.

TOP CIRCUS ACTS AT WAR MEMORIAL ANNUAL SHOW HEADED BY "LITTLE JOE"

Michael Landon, "the devil-may-care" character, better known as Little Joe Cartwright, co-star of NBC's top-rated television western show, will come to Rochester for a four-day personal appearance with the 40th annual Shrine Circus at the War Memorial.

The circus opens Wednesday, Feb. 5, and will play 9 performances, matinee and evening through Saturday at 2:15 and 8:15 P.M., including an early Saturday show at 10 A.M.

The opening night show on Wednesday has been sold out to employees of Bausch & Lomb Optical Co. Potentate M. Marvin Rowe has designated Thursday night Feb. 6 as Shrine Night and urges all Nobles of Damascus Temple to attend with their families and friends. Tickets are on public sale for all performances except the Wednesday

night show.

Mike will make guest appearances at all of the circus shows. A crack performer with his gun he has won popular acclaim in his guest appearances.

In addition to Mike Landon the Shrine Circus will feature a long list of top acts from many of the world's leading circuses. Among them, appearing in Rochester for the first time will be the famous Rosell Troupe of daring aerialists direct from South America; Prince El Kigordo's wild animal act; Hunt Brothers Circus elephants; La Norma, queen of the high wire, and Ferry Forst, an illusionist who causes his beautiful assistant to disappear in mid-air.

Reserved seat tickets are now on sale at Sibleys downtown and the War Memorial box office, Broad Street entrance.



Michael Landon
Starring as "Little Joe"
Cartwright, Mike portrays
one of the three half-
brothers in Bonanza. The
show which has scored high
in Rochester television
audience ratings.

MASTERS & WARDENS ASSOCIATION

The Masters and Wardens Association will be led in 1964 by the following new set of officers which took over at the January 25th meeting: President, W: Fred Nielsen, Wakan Lodge #1054; Vice President, W: Ralph Truesdale, Craftsman Lodge #969; Secretary, W: Lawrence Alman, Charlotte Lodge #1088; Treasurer, W: M.J. Barry, Corinthian Temple Lodge #805.

In yielding the gavel of the Association to the new president, the retiring president Wor. Bro. John Gruger spoke of the wonderful success of the major project of the group in 1963, the sponsorship of the Masonic Grand Ball; also of the contribution of the Masters & Wardens Assoc. in serving as a sounding board or rallying point for the support of a score of other Masonic programs in Monroe County. He urged all masters and wardens in all the activities of the Association. The next meeting was announced for Saturday, February 22nd at Rochester Masonic Temple.

The Winter Party of the Masters & Wardens Assoc. on January 11th, under the capable direction of Wor. Bro. Kenneth Hart, was a huge success. A total of 192 '63 Masters, new '64 Masters, and the new Senior and Junior Wardens -- and their lovely ladies -- were on hand for the dinner, dancing, and socializing. Entertainment was provided by the humor of Brother Eddie Dunn of radio station WHAM.

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 22 - Meeting of Masters & Wardens Association, Rochester Masonic Temple.

JOINT INVESTITURE SERVICE



The Joint Investiture Service was held on Dec. 30, 1963, beginning with a dinner at 6:30 P.M. The largest crowd to date, 149, assembled and enjoyed a fine dinner then adjourned to Gothic Hall where they were joined by many more to witness the impressive ceremony as it is so ably conducted by R:W: Herman A. Sarachan. Twenty-nine of the thirty-one lodge Masters participated and each was accompanied by the retiring Mas-

ter of his Lodge. A degree team of present and Past Grand Lodge Officers assisted in the ceremony. R:W: Bro. Sarachan gave a very inspirational talk on the duties and obligations of a Master after he completed the ceremony.

It was truly an impressive sight to have the Masters of 1964 so assembled and should help in giving them a feeling of oneness as they start "their year."

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During the months of December and January while Mrs. VanPutte was confined to a hospital in Canada it was truly remarkable how the Brothers and Sisters of our wonderful fraternity, in the city of St. Thomas, rallied to our needs. Truly Brotherhood and Sisterhood in action.

Let us learn a lesson from this experience and remember that we have Brothers and Sisters in Utica who need our help both in visitations

and in our contributions and let us resolve that we will do our part in making life more pleasant for these our own folk. We brethren in the First and Second Monroe Districts can always be relied upon to do our share. So, if you have not already done so, let's continue this practice by sending our contributions, to the Brotherhood Fund, to our Lodge Chairman without delay.

Won't you please help to make this a banner year for the Monroes. Fraternally,
R.W. Sidney H. O'Dell
R.W. Everett W. VanPutte
Chairmen of Monroe Districts 1 and 2.

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The next big project for the Service Bureau will be the Foreign Students Dinner on Saturday, March 7th, at 6:30 P.M., in the large ballroom of the Masonic Temple. There will be group singing, introduction of students and the usual privilege of "Talking a Letter Home." It is hoped that Masons and their wives will attend this very worthwhile venture in cementing friendly International relations.

GRAND LODGE, F. & A.M.

Harry W. Kennedy
D.D.G.M.

2nd Monroe District



Greetings from the second Monroe District. First of all I would like to thank all the Junior Past Masters for their fine support given me during their term of office. Secondly, I would like to congratulate the newly elected and installed Masters. From all reports each Lodge had a good attendance at each installation. Each Master elect was pleased with interest shown and they are all fired up to make this another fine year. Brethren, let us continue this fine support for your Master throughout the year.

When you receive this issue of the Monroe Masonic News our first area meeting in years will have been realized. Without a doubt every one was well rewarded. The cooperation of the Masters in getting attendance reservations in early sure made it much easier for the committee.

I hope that every one read the Grand Master's message in the January issue in regards to our Worlds Fair ticket sales campaign. When he wrote "Wke up Brethren we have work to do" that is exactly what we have got to do. I urge that each Lodge ticket chairman make an extra effort to have his lodge purchase a block of tickets. Some Lodges have done very well, others have not purchased even one ticket. Lets go my Brethren, the deadline has been set for the last week in February.

I have set up a tentative schedule whereby I hope to visit each Lodge in the district starting January 21 and ending April 1st. Looking forward to these visitations throughout the district hoping to see an increase in attendance. Fraternally,
Harry H. Kennedy
D.D.G.M. 2nd Monroe

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Let's Go Visiting

- Feb. 3 - Corinthian Temple-Play "Judge Not"; DeMolay Installation of Officers; Amo Chapter, Official Visit; John Robertson, 1st Degree.
- Feb. 4 - Clio Lodge, Regular; Penfield Union, 1st Degree; Charlotte Lodge, Washington Night; Flower City, Advisory Board; Yonnonadio, Reunion; Ancient Craft, Fellowship Dinner.
- Feb. 5 - Churchville Lodge, Fellowcraft; Oatka #759, Fellowcraft, Shrine Circus opens; Union Star #320, Regular.
- Feb. 6 - Northfield #426, Regular; Oatka Chapter #320, Regular; Genesee Falls, Bro. Greenberg, Speaker; University Star, Visitors; Webster Lodge Exchange Students; Shrine NIGHT AT CIRCUS.
- Feb. 7 - Father & Sons Night at Charlotte Lodge.
- Feb. 8 - Fidelity Triangle, Queens Term Dinner.
- Feb. 9 - Hard Post #18, M.W.V. Ward Party at Canandaigua Hosp.; also Masonic Bureau Ward Party; Warren Hubbard, Transfer of Flags; DeMolay Bowling.
- Feb. 10 - DeMolay Officers Meeting; Amo Chapter, Past Matrons.
- Feb. 11 - East Rochester #1020, Regular; Frank L. Simes, Drama "Judge Not"; Monroe Lodge, 1st Degree; Ionic Chapter #210, RAM, MMM Degree; Flower City, 1st Degree.
- Feb. 12 - Churchville, 3rd Degree; Culver Chapter, Valentine Meeting; Oatka #759, Regular.
- Feb. 13 - Post Meeting, M.W.V.; University Star, Officers Club.
- Feb. 14 - Union Star #320, Valentine Party.
- Feb. 15 - Flower City Link #38, Birthday Dinner Dance.
- Feb. 17 - Corinthian Temple - 2nd Degree; DeMolay, Regular; Amo Chapter, Cookie Sale; Robert-
- son Lodge, Past Masters.
- Feb. 18 - Clio Lodge - 1st Degree; Penfield Union, Goof Up Night; Frank L. Simes, Fellowcraft; Charlotte, 1st Degree, Yonnonadio, 2nd Degree.
- Feb. 19 - Churchville, Officers Meeting; Oatka #759, Guild Meeting; Masonic Service Bureau Meeting.
- Feb. 20 - Northfield #426, 1st Degree; Oatka Chapter #320, Regular; Genesee Falls, 2nd Degree, University Star, Regular, Ample Form; Webster Lodge, 2nd Degree.
- Feb. 21 - Flower City #910, Annual Consecration Service.
- Feb. 23 - DeMolay Bowling Party.
- Feb. 24 - Masonic Fellowship Committee, 1st & 2nd; at the VFW Hall, 185 Chestnut St; Flower City Link, Associates Night.
- Feb. 25 - Oatka Chapter Officers & Members Club; East Rochester, 1st Degree; Frank L. Simes, Film "Rochester"; Monroe Lodge, Regular; Ionic Chapter, RAM, P.M. & M.E.M. Degrees.
- Feb. 26 - Culver Chapter, Regular; Oatka #759, 2nd Degree; Ancient Craft, Farrel Night & Judge Not.
- Feb. 27 - Genesee Falls, Fellowcraft & Officers Meeting.
- Feb. 28 - Amo Chapter, Sistercraft & Birthday Dinner.
- Feb. 29 - Fidelity Triangle-Square & Round Dance; University Star, Rehearsal.

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Dear Brother Herman

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

- Q. On visiting a lodge in Ohio, I found that they require the candidate to learn the Lecture of the Third Degree (questions and answers) before he can sign the by-laws and become a member. As master-elect I would like to make this a requirement in my Lodge. Is this possible? Do I have to amend our By-laws?
- A. The Book of Constitutions (Section 340, Sub 2) states that "every brother receiving the Third Degree shall be deemed a member of the Lodge... provided, immediately after having received such degree, he sign the By-laws of such Lodge." Again in Section 341, "To consummate his membership, every member at the time of receiving his Third Degree, must sign the book of By-laws." Any requirement by the Lodge through its By-laws or by resolution, that the new brother shall become proficient in the lecture of the Third Degree before he can sign the By-laws, would be contrary the constitutions of Grand Lodge, and hence void. The brother must be asked to sign the By-laws immediately.
- Q. We elected a new Master at the annual communication. Several of us feel that his attitude is such, that he will not make a good Master. What can we do to prevent his installation?
- A. Our Book of Constitutions states (Section 302), "The

Master, Senior Warden etc. must be chosen annually by ballot ... and be installed at or before the next stated communication. If having elected its Master and Wardens at the prescribed time any of them shall fail or refuse to be installed..." The implication is clear. Once the Master (or a Warden) is elected, he must be installed, unless through inability (except a Warden, who may be installed by proxy) or refusal he shall not be installed.

The Handbook of Masonic Law throws further eight (section 318). The installing officer has no right ... to demand or permit any public objection to the installation... or to receive private information and refer it to a committee for investigation.

The only objection that is valid would be with regard to the regularity or irregularity of the election itself; for ex. if the election were held on a date other than the last stated communication in December, or if the elected Master has not served as an installed Warden, or has not been invested with the secrets of the chair.

If the reason for the attempt to prevent the installation of the Master-Elect is because of some Masonic offense presumed to be committed by him, the correct procedure would be to prefer charges to the Grand Master.

INVOCATION

ETERNAL FATHER, as the sons of men and Thy children we gather in a House of Light, erected to Thee and dedicated to Thy Holy Name, humbly invoking Thy Blessing. Hallow the Lodge with Thy Holiness; overcome our evil with Thy Goodness; help us to do justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly before Thee. Unite our minds to know Thee, our hearts to love Thee, and our hands to serve Thy Holy Will, that we may be worthy workmen on Thy Temple.

Lord, by Thy Faithfulness keep us faithful to the vows of chastity and charity we have taken upon the Book of Holy Law at the Alter of Obligation - Let us not fail or forget. Make us men of Brotherly Love in an unbrotherly world; give us gentle and skillful hands in the practice of Relief; lead our minds in the quest of Truth - even the truth of Eternal Life in the midst of our fleeting days. Here may youth find Thy consecration, and age Thy consolation.

Merciful God, to all weakness which our Brothers bear as a burden from the past, make us merciful; to their faults make us forgiving, as we would be forgiven. Teach us to be gentle in our thoughts, just in our dealings, and generous in our judgements. May the Spirit of Masonry dwell in us, casting out all envy, all uncleanness, all unkindness. At the end of the day when our labor is done, admit us into the Great White Lodge, in the House not made with hands. Amen.

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WEBSTER LODGE

No. 538

1st and 3rd Thursdays

Burton L. Payne Installed As Master For Webster's Centennial Year.

Other officers are Gurth Blackwell, Sr. W.; Clinton Ballard, Jr. W.; David Allen, Sr. D.; James Fordham, Jr. D.; Sherman L. Pooley, Secretary, William Fuchs, Treasurer; R.W. Emerson Struck, Chap.; Gary Curtis and Clarence Schull, M's. C.; James Wilson and Charles White, Stew.; Norman Bresson, Mar.; Eugene Van Voorhis, Til.; Howard Bunn, Org.; W.B. Irving Farnham, W.B. Vernon Collier, and W.B. Walter Schattner, Trustees.

Fellowship Committee Bowling Awards were presented by Representative Dave Allen to W.B. Walter Schattner and Russell King. Bro. Stanley G. Covell's long friendship with Henry Clune was the subject later's column in the local D.&C. on Sat., Jan. 11. Bro. Covell's illness just prior to his retirement from the newspaper inspired the timely tribute.

MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren:

It is indeed a pleasure for me to greet you as Master of Webster Lodge for 1964, through the medium of the Monroe Masonic News.

I should like to take this opportunity to wish all of you and your families a very happy and rewarding year accompanied by the best of health.

This year, as you know, is our Centennial Year. I feel greatly honored and privileged to be Master at this time and pledge to each of you, our members, that I will do my utmost to fulfill the position of Master to the best of my ability.

Plans for our Centennial Celebration this fall are progressing for a program which, I hope, will make it indeed a memorable occasion for all.

In the immediate future, I earnestly solicit your attendance at lodge for the meeting of February 6th when we will have talks given to us by Miss Bente Bakken of Norway and Mr. Larry Kohler, seniors at R.L. Thomas High School, who are taking part in the American Field Service Exchange Program. I feel that we, as Masons, can derive a better understanding of this program by hearing these students and enlarge our working for Brotherhood by the better understanding gained. To quote a phrase, that has been used many times before: "Remember the future of our world depends on our youth."

Your earnest cooperation is also requested in regard to the Brotherhood Fund.

To those of you who are ill, I wish a speedy recovery. To those in sorrow, may you be comforted by God's healing spirit.

Fraternally,
Burton L. Payne, Master

Anyone knowing of a Bro-

ther in sickness or distress should contact the Worshipful Master, OS 1-3638 or the Secretary OS 1-2360.

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 6 - Exchange Students.

Feb. 20 - Second Degree by Junior Warden. Dinner by Fellowcraft Club.

Feb. ? - Fellowcraft Club P.M. Dinner. Cards will be sent.

MONROE LODGE

No. 173

2nd and 4th Tuesdays

BUSINESS MEETINGS

1st Degree to be Presented

One of the greatest working functions of any Lodge is to bestow the degrees of Masonry on its candidates. On Tuesday, February 11, 1964, Monroe Lodge 173 will present the first degree. Acting as Master will be the Junior Warden, Donald A. Videtto presiding in the East. The Apron presentation will be made by Brother Glenn Hoag. Brothers Allen Joseph and Gus Kamis will give the questions and answers. Master Login Foltman will deliver the charge.

Brothers are cordially invited to attend and welcome these candidates into Masonry.

Lodge To Present Hockey Program

With the Olympics eyeing hockey, and the U.S.A. hopeful of a victory, Monroe Lodge will present a program on amateur hockey. The program will be conducted by Brother Robert Rudman. His guests will be three members of last year's championship amateur team from the University Teachers College at Brockport. They will compare amateur hockey to professional hockey; conduct a question and answer period and show films of the active sport, ice hockey.

We are sure that the Brothers and their wives will enjoy this program. The program will follow the regular business meeting on February 25, 1964.

SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Brother Ronald J. Root has been called to the service of Uncle Sam.

UNION STAR LODGE

No. 320

1st Wednesday

MASTERS MESSAGE

Dear Brethren,

Union Star Lodge #320 held its installation of officers on January 8, 1964. It was with extreme pleasure, humility, anxiety and considerable pride that I accepted the gavel of authority that evening.

PLEASURE - in that I have been looking forward to this night and this year with overwhelming enthusiasm. We have a wonderful group of officers with whom I am eagerly looking forward to working with this year. It will be my pleasure to serve the lodge from my new sta-

tion in the East.

HUMILITY - in the realization that I have a tremendous job ahead if I am to equal the outstanding jobs that the Masters have done before me. Fortunately with the fine officers that I have behind me this year my task will be much easier.

ANXIETY - in my fond desire to make this year an exciting and progressive one for our lodge. We are planning some interesting events this year and will have an exceptionally full program which we feel will strengthen the bond between our lodge and all its brethren.

PRIDE - since it is a wonderful personal feeling to know that the brothers of Union Star have entrusted me with the station of Master for the ensuing year. A further personal pride was experienced by me for the beautiful job that my father did in his capacity of installing officer. Previously it was my good fortune to also have my Dad (Rt. W. Harley J. Rittenhouse) obligate me with the Third Degree and to raise me in Union Star. This personal touch plus the normal feelings involved during a moment such as this, made this one of the most thrilling and emotional points in my lifetime.

May I also thank and commend the job that W. Bro. Richard Y. Holden did as installing Marshall.

Your line of Officers for 1964 is as follows: Master, Rodney R. Rittenhouse; S.W., Rt. W. Ralph B. Gray; J.W., Boyd A. Curtis; Treasurer, Frederick J. Niles; Secretary, Javid J. Burt; Chaplin, Jackson R. Valley; S. Deacon, Wm. E. Clark; J. Deacon, Richard F. Rosier; S. Master of Ceremony, Edward O. Ingerick; J. Master of Ceremony, Carlton Lester; Steward, Raymond A. Sipple; Steward, Wm. F. Clark; Tiler, Charles Scott.

Union Star Lodge will again have the privilege of sponsoring a show by Bro. Earl Hilfiker for the benefit of the Masonic Service Bureau and its fine work. This year's show will be held on Friday, March 13, at the Masonic Temple in Rochester at 8:15 P.M. This is a tremendous opportunity for our lodge to contribute to Masonry through the Service Bureau. However like anything worthwhile it will not be easy. This year's chairman Bill Clark will be calling upon many of you for assistance and I sincerely hope you will respond to this worthy cause.

We are also looking forward to a Valentine Party on Feb. 14 at the Honeoye Falls Masonic Temple. We have a program of entertainment and dancing planned and urge all to attend this, our first social event in 1964.

Your new officers and I are working hard to set up a program for the coming year which we hope you will enjoy. However it must again be emphasized that the success of any organization depends upon the support of its members. The officers plan the activities but the brothers must make them a reality by attending. Our meetings present opportunities not only to renew fellowship with old friends, but offers us the occasion to greet and make acquaintances with new brothers.

The next regular meeting of Union Star Lodge #320 will be held in Honeoye Falls Masonic Temple, at 8:00 P.M., February 5, 1964. I am looking forward to seeing you at that time.

Fraternally yours,
Rodney R. Rittenhouse
Master.



Officers of Charlotte Lodge No. 1088 Installed Jan. 7, 1964: Front row, left to right - R.W. Merritt Vaughan, Secretary; Bro. Walter Greenfield, Junior Deacon; Bro. Luke Grande, Senior Warden; W. Bro. Lawrence C. Alman, Master; Bro. Walter Doescher, Junior Warden; Bro. Marvin Williams, Junior Deacon; W. Bro. Kenneth Bump, Treasurer. Middle Row, left to right: W. Bro. William Perry, Tiler; Bro. John Booth, Senior M. of C.; Bro. Thomas VanLare, Junior M. of C.; Bro. Guy Reid; Marshall. Back Row, left to right: Bro. Frank Kasal, Steward; Bro. Dayle Martin, Steward; Bro. Conrad May, Organist; Bro. Thomas Crevling, Chaplain.

CHARLOTTE LODGE

No. 1088

1st and 3rd Tuesdays

MASTERS MESSAGE

It was a real pleasure to welcome so many of our Lodge members and visiting Brothers on January 7th,

when we had our annual installation ceremonies. It is your loyal support that encourages your Officers to give you activities commensurate with the traditions of Charlotte Lodge #1088.

By the time you read this we will have initiated our first class consisting of C. H. Brown, J. McCafferty, C.H. Johnson Jr., G.N. Mattson, and W. Strasser. We plan two more classes this spring and one in the Fall.

In February we will have to social evenings. On Feb. 4th at our open communication, we will be honoring George Washington as a Mason. Our Speaker of the evening will be R.W. Brother Luther Webster. Friday, Feb. 7th, will be our Annual Father and Son Pancake Supper. Our regular communication on Feb. 18 will be a first degree conferred on the second class by our Senior Warden, Bro. Luke Grande.

The Masonic Brotherhood Campaign for Funds is off to a good start. Brothers Guy Reid and Robert Thresh, Chairman and Co-Chairman,

respectively, will be pleased to receive your donation for this worthwhile benevolence. Won't you give them your support?

Lawrence C. Alman

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 4 - Washington Night, Speaker R.W. Luther Webster.

Feb. 7 - Father & Son Pancake Supper, at 6:30 p.m. Adults \$1.00, Children under 12 75¢.

Feb. 18 - 1st Degree, 2nd Class. Bro. Luke Grande in the East.

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**OATKA LODGE
No. 759
2nd & 4th Wednesdays**

Brethren,
At this time I wish to thank the Brethren of Oatka Lodge for their attendance at our Installation Night, Jan. 8th. This large turnout, with 76 present, was most inspiring and encouraging to the newly installed officers. We were honored in having present 15 Past Masters and 22 visiting Brethren, of which seven were Masters or Masters-Elect from other lodges.
Occupying the East for the first time, I was very pleased and proud to see the support of all our sideliners. A lodge without faithful sideliners would soon fall apart, but with your continued support, I feel we should have a good year.

Jan. 9th, I received a communication from our Brothers of IONIC Lodge, Brampton, Ontario, Canada, congratulating our newly installed officers and wishing the members of Oatka very best wishes for a successful and prosperous 1964. Our letter of congratulations was read at their installation meeting Dec. 17th at which W. Bro. Bill Weiler was installed as Master, Bro. Orval Marks as Sr. Warden and Bro. Jim Porter as Jr. warden. Their new Secretary is Bro. C.R. Gladding, having replaced Bro. Pat Clark, who has moved away from Brampton to start a new business of his own.

Your appearance at our regular communications will be greatly appreciated.
Fraternally,
George R. Hall, Master

The schedule of communications for Feb. is as follows:

Feb. 5 - Fellowcraft meeting and degree team practice.

Feb. 12 - Regular Communication. At this time colored slides of the George Washington Memorial, Alexandria, Va., will be shown.

Feb. 19 - Guild meeting 7:30 P.M.

Feb. 26 - Second Degree with Jr. Warden John Horn in the East.

Brotherhood Campaign

The Brotherhood Chairman, Bro. Elwood Redmond, called a meeting Jan. 16th at his home to discuss the progress of the Fund campaign. An appeal to all Brethren to support this drive is requested by Bro Redmond. Your contribution can do much to help support our Hospital, Home and World's Fair projects.

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From the Jr. Warden's Station
Brethren,

On Feb. 26th a Second Degree is scheduled under the direction of Jr. Warden John Horn in the East. The Middle Chamber Lecture will be given by Sr. Deacon Gilbert Ralston.

Practice for this degree will be held at 7:30 P.M. on Sunday, Feb. 23. All officers are requested to be at this rehearsal.

John Horn,
Jr. Warden

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

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren, I have just arrived home after being installed as Master of our Lodge. I could not end the day without expressing my gratitude for the way in which everyone helped to make the evening for me an occasion I will never forget. It seemed that it just started out as quite a simple installation and because of the people present it developed into a wonderful meeting. What even makes me happier still is the fact I feel everyone there was there because they wanted to be.

I am proud of the Officers I will be working with and I know we will have an outstanding year. I congratulate each and every one on his advancement.

I hope we will have a good turn out for our first degree February 3rd. BRO JR. W. Harry Reetz will be in the East to confer the degree.

February 17th will be Past Masters night. It will be a short meeting and I promise you will be out early. We will have refreshments and a chance to renew old friendships.

Fraternally,
Arlie Harrington, Master

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APRIL 18th will be the Grand Ball at the Powers Hotel in conjunction with our Ladies night. It will be an evening to remember. Tickets are \$5.00 each, our Lodge is contributing \$2.50 per ticket up to 100 tickets. To sum it up in a nut shell, it will only cost you \$5.00 a couple.

This offer is good to members of John A. Robertson Lodge only. For tickets contact officers of the Lodge.

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 3 - 1st Degree-Lunch
Feb. 17 - Past Masters Night. Fellowcraft-Lunch.



Bro. Buehlman

Bro. Frank J. Buehlman was raised in John A. Robertson Lodge in 1928 when R.W. Bro. Garson Meyer was Master. He was born in Luzern, Switzerland in 1886, came to America in 1910 and became a citizen in 1921.

Bro. Buehlman was long an active and energetic member of the Lodge, served as president of the Fellowcraft Club

Bro. Frank is a Past Monarch of Lalla Rookh Grotto, a Past President of the Empire State Grotto Assn., 5 years a member of the Supreme Council and now Honorary Member of 16 Grottoes.

After 30 years with Kodak in 1946, he retired due to reasons of health and in 1953 Bro. and Mrs. Buehlman journeyed to St. Petersburg where they have continued to lead busy lives. Shortly after arriving in St. Pete, Frank took up copper tooling and for a while taught this art at Sunshine University.

So, to all our brethren in the St. Petersburg area, we suggest that you visit Bro. and Mrs. Frank Buehlman at 825 21st Ave. S.

CHURCHVILLE LODGE

**No. 667
2nd and 4th Wednesdays**

Our annual Installation of Officers was held on January 8th proceeded by a ham dinner served by the old and new Junior Wardens and Stewards. The following officers were installed:

W.M. Fred Nace; S.W. Everett H. Vail; J.W. Truman Hall; Treas. Burton Sage; Secretary W.B. Howard Warcup; S.D. Fred Drury; J.D. William Allen; S. Master of Cerm. Clifford Tomer; J. Master of Cerm. Myron Phillips; Steward Stanton Schmalz; Steward Donald Moon; Marshall Richard Johnston; Chaplin W.B. Thomas Campbell; Tiler Robert Stear;

The installing officer was R.W. Charles Barend and the installing Marshall was R.W. Marvin Beattie. The W. Master was presented his pin by the retiring master W.B. Howard Warcup. The two Wardens were presented their pins by the new Master.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 5 - Fellowcraft Meeting.

Feb. 12 - 3rd Degree by the Past Masters. Dinner at 6:45. Open at 6:00 P.M.

Feb. 19 - Officers meeting.



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LODGE NO. 964
1st and 3rd Fridays

The following officers were elected and installed Dec. 20, and Officially Took over the first meeting Jan. 3rd. Installed by W.B. Ray J. LeFevre assisted by W.B. Norman A. Dunn, acting as Installing Marshall, were Earl T. Cooley, Master; Francis E. Nunnold, Senior Warden; William C. Buckman, Junior Warden; Robert H. Lauzon, Treasurer; W.B. Norman L. Jermyn, Secretary; R.W. Stanley V. Peterson, Chaplain; also W. John O. Edmondson and W. Norman A. Dunn Chaplains; Stanley W. Cooley, Organist; Llewellyn R. Losinger, Senior Deacon; B. E. Smith, Junior Deacon; C.D. Snell, Sr. Master Ceremonies; R.J. Buckman, Junior Master Ceremonies; R. E. Jay, Steward; O.W. Allen, Steward; H.E. Wollschleger, Marshall; G.C. Scott, Tiler.

Brother Roy Youney continues in charge of the Brotherhood Fund. Lodge Fellowcraft Officers will be President, Fred Hand; R.J. Bartlett, Vice President; Roy Youney, Secretary; R. Cummings, Treasurer.

The annual Patriotic Ceremony of the "Transfer of Flags" in connection with the School Authorities and the Sons of the Union Veterans will be held at 3 P.M., Feb. 9th. The S.U.V.W.H. Chairman, Grover C. Scott has been invited to send a delegation to the East High School Auditorium.

We regret the loss of the services of W. Brother Harold Cliewe, our Secretary for the past 14 years. The Lodge gave voice to his loyal and efficient services by a rising vote of THANKS. W. Brother Norman Jermyn will assume the duties of Secretary and also will take reservations for the appearance of the 1961 Past Masters Dramatic Staff in their play "Judge Not," which was so well done before our Lodge.

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

MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren:
In the usual course of human events, there are occasions in our life's journey -- from the time of our entrance into the world until that time when we are called to wrap the draperies of our couch about us and lie down in internal sleep -- which influence our existence and enrich our experience.
In my own life, the occasion which stands out predominately and represents the highest honor ever bestowed, is the trust and confidence expressed in your selection of myself as your Worshipful Master.

In assuming the duties of my office, I am deeply sensible of its time honored traditions, as well as its glorious opportunities for helpful service. I am also conscious of the corresponding obligation which are attendant upon this honorable position and I shall constantly strive to do all that I can for our Craft whose tenets and principles are so impressed upon my heart.
Due to human frailty, mis-

takes are apt to occur and I shall appreciate your viewing in fraternal spirit any act of mine concerning which you may hold a different opinion. It is my sincere desire to work in harmonious accord and I wish to thank all the brethren for giving me this opportunity.
Fraternally,
Peter Zelazny,
Jr. W: Master.

Meets every Second and Fourth Tuesdays at 8:00 p.m.

OFFICERS FOR EAST ROCHESTER LODGE NO. 1020 Year --- 1964

Worshipful Master, Peter Zelazny, Jr.; Senior Warden, Joseph Holcomb; Junior Warden, William L. Reid; Secretary, Herman L. Lobeck; Treasurer, R:W: Sidney H. O'Dell; Chaplain, W: Harold W. Griffith; Assistant Chaplain, W: Joseph Pat. Lattin; Senior Deacon, Stanley H. Wright; Junior Deacon, Robert C. Corbin; Senior Master of Ceremony, Warren H. Kellogg; Junior Master of Ceremony, Dominick S. Dezio; Steward, John A. Lattin; Steward, John W. Thompson; Marshall, Allan A. Peters; Tiler, George Perduyn.

The Masonic Brotherhood Campaign is well underway. Bro. Ralph Plummer, Lodge Chairman, is working hard to make this a successful campaign. The success of this campaign will benefit all mankind and bring to our beloved fraternity lasting recognition, of our belief in the Brotherhood of Man under the Fatherhood of God. Mail your contribution to Bro. Ralph or phone him and he will call on you, Tel. LU 6-7263.

The Brotherhood Fund Plaque, presented to the Lodge by R.W. Bro. Sidney O'Dell, is evidence of the great interest shown by our brethren in contributing to this worthy fund. May the spirit of true Brotherhood lead you to give generously to so worthy a cause in 1964.

Tickets for the Worlds Fair are available at the Lodge or your ticket chairman Bro. Charles Spring, Tel. JU 6-3249.

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 11 - Regular meeting - 8:00 P.M. After meeting - Sports film - lunch.

Feb. 25 - First Degree - 7:30 P.M. Senior Warden Bro. Joseph Holcomb in East. Dinner 6:30 P.M.

A delicious dinner will be prepared and served by Lea Court Chapter Stars. Circle the date on your calender, come out and enjoy the fine food and the fellowship. I would be greatly honored to have all the Past Masters attend, wearing their past masters aprons.

For dinner reservations call Bro. Bill Reid, Tel. LU 6-6568.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB
Meets 3rd Thursday of the Month

Brethren let this be my personal invitation to attend the Fellowcraft meetings. Come out and enjoy the informal discussions of the fellowship, take an active part in the degree team and you will discover how much pleasure you will enjoy in belonging to the Lodge.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. John Murdock,
Bro. Lewis Oderkirk

PENFIELD UNION LODGE
No. 154

1st and 3rd Tuesdays

My sincerest thanks are extended to all of the Brethren for affording me the opportunity to serve as Master during 1964. It is an honor and a privilege I have looked forward to for many years. I would particularly like to thank all of the Past Masters who so generously have given me guidance and inspiration as I progressed through the chairs. I earnestly solicity their continued help during my year as Master. We have a fine group of officers and I am confident they will perform their responsibilities far beyond all expectations.

The achieving of our goals, and a successful year for the Lodge, my Brethren, will depend upon you. Regular Lodge attendance and active participation is the one and only key which will open the door to that successful year.

Our Brotherhood Fund is well underway. The goal is 100 percent participation and it is planned to personally contact each Brother by means of Brotherhood Fund Teams. A committee is actively engaged in securing property for a new Lodge building. It is hoped and planned that in the not too distant future, Penfield Lodge will see construction work start on the long awaited new building. On the agenda will be a Summons Meeting on January 21, to put our present property up for sale. On February 4, a 1st Degree will be conferred at 7:30 p.m. W.M. R. Casper in the East. February 18 will be "Goof-up" Night. Lodge will open at 8:00 p.m. Come and learn at the expense of your officers! On March 3, a 2nd Degree will be conferred at 7:30 p.m. with J.W. B. Fitch in the East.
Fraternally,
Richard C. Casper, Master.

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SENECA LODGE NO. 920
3rd Tuesday

MASTERS MESSAGE

This year we will celebrate our 50th Anniversary. Future issues of the Trestleboard will carry more on this subject. I urge all of you to give of yourselves especially to the extent of attending Lodge as often as possible. I can think of no better 50th Anniversary celebration than the possibility of maximum attendance at every meeting so that we can meet and know our Brothers on our right and left.

FROM THE SECRETARY

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No. 507
1st and 3rd Thursdays**

On January 2nd, 88 Brethren gathered together for dinner preceding our installation ceremony. This gathering demonstrates a feeling of fellowship among Masons to be found in no other organization. Here we were all Brothers with a common purpose, to show our appreciation of the retiring Master's efforts during the past year and to demonstrate their support of the incoming Master. To those who came to the dinner and to the many who were not able to come for the dinner but who came to the meeting my sincere thanks.

To everyone who had a part in making this event an outstanding success go my heartfelt thanks.

One undertakes new responsibilities with some misgivings. Will I be able to do all that should be done? Will I do it well? Will what I do be good for the Craft? Will our meetings be interesting so that the Brethren will want to come?

And now we have duties to inculcate. To God first by imploring his aid in all our undertakings.

To our neighbors by doing unto them as we wish them to do unto us. Say a kind word, be courteous and friendly.

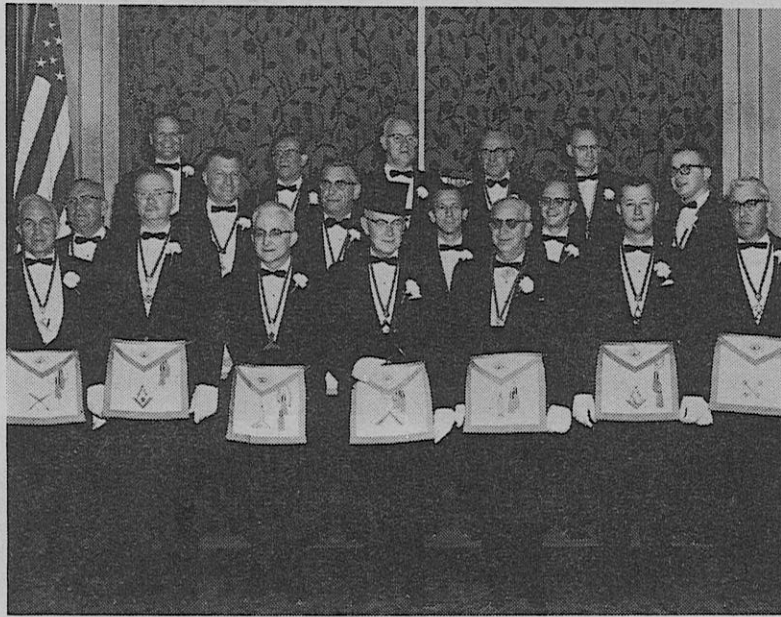
To ourselves by supporting the work of the Craft, the Brotherhood fund, give what you can spare but give something. To the Masonic Service Bureau, if you can't give money then offer your service in some capacity. To your Lodge by supporting your officers and by your attendance at its communications.

In conclusion, I hope that I will see you often and that you will come not only to our regular meetings but also to those social events where our wives and families can share in our Friendship and Fellowship. Fraternally, Edward H. O'Neil, Master

FROM THE WEST

THE SICK LIST -- Did you miss an absent brother at the last communication!! He might have been absent on business or perhaps he was absent because of illness. The question is, is he sick?

Make it a point to visit a sick brother. He will be very glad to see you. If you can-



Officers of Genesee Falls Lodge No. 507.

not make a visit in person give him a ring on the phone. It will take but a few minutes. Send him a card it will help make his confinement a little more pleasant. Samuel M. Railing, Sr. Warden.

FROM THE SOUTH

I would like to urge upon every brother that he begin making reservations for our Fellowcraft Ladies Night which will take place Saturday, March 7th at Logan's on Scottsville Road.

Our committee has secured a fine orchestra as well as excellent entertainment. This combination, together with a good dinner, will insure one of our best Ladies nights. So please show your appreciation for our committee's efforts by making your reservations.

Remember, you will only pay for your dinner and the rest of the evening will be with the compliments of the Lodge. Willard C. Mattern, Jr. Warden

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 6 - Business. Bro. D. Mordecia Greenberg will speak. (Don't miss this).
Feb. 20 - Second Degree.
Feb. 27 - Fellowcraft - 8 P.M. Officers meeting 7:30

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**HENRIETTA LODGE
NO. 526
2nd and 4th Tuesdays**

The following officers were elected for year 1964:

Master, Gilbert L. Gilbert; Sr. Warden, John L. Briggs; Jr. Warden, Carl L. French; Senior Deacon, James Doig; Jr. Deacon, Charles Commons; Sr. Master of Ceremonies, Raymond Cleveland; Jr. Master of Ceremonies, Alan Clark; Sr. Steward, Malcon Knopf; Jr. Steward, C. Scott Milborne; Marshall, Howard Buck; Chaplin, Ward A. Smith; Secretary, Joseph Rabb; Treasurer, Donald A. Miller.

TRUSTEES

R:W: Ward A. Smith, Bro. Frank Cromarty, W:Bro. Roy E. Lloyd, W:Bro. Robert Sanford, W:Bro. Charles Howeley.
Installing Master - W:Bro. Donald A. Miller.
Installing Marshall - Roy E. Lloyd.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Theodore Brown, Charles Ewart, Herbert Johnson, Elmer Ellis.

REPORTER'S MESSAGE

Time does not permit a more complete comprehensive coverage as our meeting date the the "Deadline" date are very close and I am inexperienced. I am sure future issues will see a better reflection of our Lodge activities so that our Brethren, not attending, may know, more completely, just what they miss. M.M. Knopf

**ETOLIAN LODGE
No. 479
2nd and 4th Mondays**

Installation of Officers for 1964 was impressively conducted by R.W. Charles Barron, ably assisted by W. Bro. Robert Irwin, Marshall. Officers installed were William H. Becker, Master; G. Edwin Jackson, Senior Warden; Leslie A. Sale, Junior Warden; W. Clark Kunes, Secretary; W. Howard Amish, Treasurer; William Farnsworth, Senior Deacon; William Miller, Junior Deacon; William Baldwin, Sr. Master of Ceremonies; S. DiLauro, Jr. Master of Ceremonies; George Lynch, Jr. Steward; Howard Prevost, Steward; Raymond Burroughs, Marshall, John Mattern, Tiler; James J. Powell, Asst. Marshall; W. Wallace Lessord, Chaplain; W. Gordon Merz, Organist, Trustees, W. Robert Irwin, W. Wallace Lessord, and W. Walter Ash.

COMMITTEES

Committees: - Finance; Jackson, Sale Farnsworth; Sick Visitation: Powell Sr., Becker, Jackson, Sale; Masonic News, Powell Sr.; Degree Work, Barron, Irwin; Brotherhood, Lynch; Historian, Kunes; Membership, Merz, Chairman, Barron, Ash, Lessord, Irwin and DiLauro; Service Bureau: Lawson & Mason; Editor: Hawkins; Fellowship: Brueck & Lee; Communion Breakfast: Burroughs; Masonic Education: J.J. Powell; Word Fair: Miller; Entertainment: Stanley Lodge Trip, Prevost, Picnic, Shipston and Lynch; Ladies Night: Miller; Stanley Lodge Visit: Jackson and Sale; Open Meetings: Baldwin and DiLauro.

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 10 - Masonic Play, "Judge Not".
Feb. 24 - 2nd Degree, Bro. G. Edwin Jackson.

MASTERS MESSAGE

The 1961 Masters will present their second Masonic play Feb. 10th. This event is well worth attending as last years presentation attested. This is an excellent time to renew friendships and get back into the habit of regular attendance.

BROTHERHOOD FUND

Brother George W. Lynch Jr. will head up the Lodge

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MASTERS MESSAGE

As you read this issue of the Masonic News, your 1964 Officers have been Duly installed in their respective stations and places and are ready, willing, and able to work. I would personally like to thank Rt. W. B. Wm. S. Larson for doing such a fine job as Installing Master and W. B. Charles Schrader Jr. for acting as installing Marshall. We have hopes of having a number of Brethren returning petitions to the Lodge and if any are out, please return them when completed.

On behalf of the Lodge and Officers, I would like to thank W. B. Harry Ketcham for the excellent craftsmanship he did on making the cabinet for holding officers aprons. I understand since W. B. Harry has retired, he has become quite a carpenter.

Many of our Brethren had the privilege of seeing the Masonic Play "Greater Love Hath No Man." This wonderful play was presented by the Masters of 1961. The Masters of 61 have another production called "Judge Not" which is presented with equal excellence. Under the direction of W. B. Sherman Judd, the Past masters will give this rendition at our Feb. 11 communication.

Junior Master of Ceremony Richard VanZandt is going to provide the entertainment for the Feb. 25 meeting. Brother VanZandt has a film of Rochester and its surrounding areas which is the latest film of Rochester.

The Fellowcraft club had a most enjoyable evening at W. B. Fred Hills house in January, and many thanks go out for the nice showing and hospitality. At this meeting, new officers were elected for the year 1964. Brothers Joe B. Newman 3rd was elected President, Curtis Grinnell, Vice President; Ken Spalty, Secretary; and Ed Willis Treasurer. It was decided at that time that the Feb. 18 Fellowcraft Club meeting will be held at Bro. Harry Steinort's, 246 Webster Road, Webster, New York. Meeting time is 8:00 P.M.

The members of the Lodge were sorry to be informed of the car accident involving Bro. Ralph Koop on the evening of Dec. 17.

W. B. Art Teamerson has been elected a Deacon of the Brighton Reformed Church. Congratulations Bro. Art.

Thanks to Brother Gerry Stahl for his salesmanship on selling advertisements for the Masonic News. The Lodge received a nice commission on the ads. Through his efforts and the cooperation of the subscribers, Frank L. Simes Lodge members will receive their copies of the paper at no extra cost to the Lodge. Thanks Brother Gerry for a job well done! What this amounts to is a personal gift subscription of the Masonic News to each of your Frank Simes Brothers.

I hope that I can serve you all with my honest and humble efforts for the year 1964. If there are any members that have any suggestions on how we can better serve you, please contact me and I will do my hardest to help. Any member that has a change

of address, please notify the Secretary immediately. Come and see us stometime! Sincerely and Fraternally, Joseph H. Holt, Master

COMING EVENTS

- Feb. 4 - Officers Meeting.
- Feb. 11 - Drama "Judge Not" Past Masters 1961.
- Feb. 18 - Fellowcraft Club
- Feb. 25 - Movie "Rochester".

1964 APPOINTMENTS

- Investigation: Fred Hills, Cliff Jennings, Art Teamerson, Fred Stahl, Robert Anderson, Ben Taylor, Charles Schrader Jr., Harry Ketcham and George Siebeneichen.
- Brotherhood Fund: Bro. Richard Van Zandt.
- Lodge Historian: W. B. George Roesch.
- Publication: W. B. Fred Stahl.
- Fellowship: Bro. Richard Hills.
- Masonic Service Bureau: Bro. Norman Farnham.
- Worlds Fair Tickets: W. B. Harry Ketcham.
- Bowling Chairman: Bro. Richard Hills.
- Masonic News: W.B. Arthur Teamerson.

NEW LINE OFFICERS

- Three brothers have just joined the ranks of Lodge officers. Brother Gerry Stahl has accepted the position of Jr. Steward for the year.
- Brother Bernie Lind has been appointed Chaplain.
- Brother Gordon Macauley will be Marshall.
- Best of luck Brothers, may your terms as officers be pleasant ones.

FROM THE SOUTH

Dear Brethren,
As I begin the new year, prayerfully I am grateful for the support that I have received from you in the past. I look forward to continued efforts on your behalf in the future.
Fraternally,
Robert Groat,
Junior Warden

**CLIO LODGE NO. 779
1st and 3rd Tuesdays**

Officers installed at Clio Lodge #779, January 7th, are Dr. Earle B. Maynard, Master; Gerald P. Miller, Sr. Warden; Warren Hall, Jr. Warden; R.W. Dennison Wright, Secretary; W. Clifford Jackling, Treasurer; R.W. Rev. I.V. Lloyd and Br. Rev. Fred Dean, Chaplains; Leland B. Hendershot, Sr. Deacon; Richard L'Amoreaux, Jr. Deacon; Vernon Flowerday, Sr. Master Ceremonies; Edmund

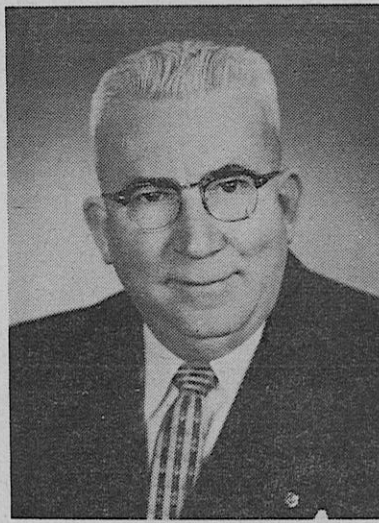
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MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren, it is with deep and sincere appreciation of your confidence in me, to have installed me as your Master for 64, that I accept the office. I will do my best for the advancement of the Lodge and to keep Harmony, Peace and Brotherhood within its Lodge Room. We have a wonderful line of Officers, who know their work and will have to take second place to none. FREEMASONRY WAS NOT INVENTED, IT GREW. Today it unfolds its wise and good truths in three noble and impressive degrees. No man can take them to heart and not be ennobled and enriched by their beauty and dignity. Let's put our shoulders to the wheel and make it our resolve to be present at all communications of the Lodge that we possibly can. Thus can Clio have a pleasant and profitable year in 1964.
Earl E. Maynard.

REPORTERS MESSAGE

Clio Officers were installed by R.W. Earl Maggs with the assistance of W. Donald Rockcastle, Past Master, acting as Marshall. Thirty present and past Masters invested the Secrets of the Chair to W.B. Earle Maynard prior to the Regular meeting. Over One Hundred Brothers attended the meeting and installation and also enjoyed a delicious dinner, the Turkeys of which were donated by W. Brother Seeley Adams.

TRESTLEBOARD

- Feb. 4 - Regular Meeting.
- Feb. 18 - 1st Degree.

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**YONNONDIO LODGE No. 163
1st and 3rd Tuesdays**

MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren,

I extend my heartfelt thanks to the committees and their chairmen for a job well done. With your sincere interest and hard work, it has, indeed, made my masonic career easier. I have had the wise counseling of the past-masters, the faithful support of my officers, the conscientious endeavor of the Fellowcraft Club, and the attendance of the lodge members.

As Master of this lodge, it has been an honor to me and to its members, to have R.W. Brother Leonard Parker appointed D.D.G.M. of the 1st Monroe District. You will all agree that R.W. Brother Parker has fulfilled his duties not only as treasurer of the lodge but as District Deputy with zest and zeal.

I could not conclude this message without personally thanking you, R.W. Barton Horner, for being my wise and trusted mentor. You have been my strong right hand. No Master could ask for a better secretary or friend.

Brother Gordon Mosher, it is my real belief there is a fine year ahead for you and your officers. I know you and your officers will carry on in the finest tradition. And may your year as Master also be an outstanding one for you and for Yonnondio.

In closing I wish to express my warmest regards and kindest wishes to every member of this Lodge who is present tonight.

Sincerely and Fraternally,
Kenneth L. Hart Past Master

Feb. 4 - REUNION. Dinner 6:30 P.M., Reservations call Harold Weiser HA 6-6903 Past Master's and 1963 Classes REUNION.

Feb. 18 - 2nd Degree 7:30

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NORTHFIELD LODGE No. 426
1st and 3rd Thursdays

MASTERS MESSAGE

The 1964 officers were installed on Thursday, January 2nd. My sincere appreciation is expressed to all the officers and members who helped to make this a most memorable occasion.

Congratulations are extended to W: Art Engert for the outstanding work he performed as Master during 1963. It was indeed a great pleasure to present W: Art with his Past Masters Apron.

I would also like to express my appreciation to the members of the Eastern Star Chapter #378 for the superb dinner served to our members and visitors prior to the installation. Sister Helen Smith was chairman of the dinner arrangements for the Star.

Communications is vital to every organization. I urge every member of the phone committee to make their calls as promptly as possible. This system is one of the best methods of notifying our members of our activities.

W: Harry Davis of Fairport Lodge #476 spoke briefly on the reactivating of Genesee Chapter of DeMolay. At the annual meeting we agreed to sponsor with East Rochester, Fairport and Penfield Union F.&A.M. Fairport has agreed to supply a regular meeting place for the chapter. Northfield needs to supply at least two advisors. Boys fourteen years of age and over are also needed. The membership is not restricted to relatives of Masons. W: Art Engert, chairman or rother Richard McConnell can supply the necessary information for prospective members.

Again congratulations to W: Art Engert and his 1963 officers.
Fraternally,
Dave Covell, Master

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Subscriptions were renewed for the Monroe Masonic News.

Article VI, Section 3 of the by-laws has been revised.

Annual dues will now be \$15.00 per year.

Bowling Tournament to be held in April. Several teams have already been formed.

World's Fair Tickets are available from Brother Charles Overslaugh.

COMING EVENTS

The First or Entered Apprentice Degree will be held on Feb. 20th at 7:30 P.M. Senior Warden Charles Overslaugh will be officiating in the East, Junior Warden Jack Thibaut in the South and W: Dave Covell in the West. Refreshments for the evening: Chairman W: John Kimen assisted by W: Herbert Booth, Ned Brewer and Frank Buholtz.

Refreshment chairman for the Feb. 6th meeting is W: H. Warren Baetzel assisted by Howard Bacon, Ed Biswanger and James G. Burdett.

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CORINTHIAN TEMPLE LODGE
No. 805

1st and 3rd Mondays

MASTERS MESSAGE

Greetings from the East, my Brethren, and I hope that the new year will be abundant with good health, prosperity and happiness for all. May your pathways be illuminated by the Great Light in Masonry and your daily life be filled with the teachings and principles of our time honored Fraternity.

This is my first message as your newly elected and installed Master for the ensuing year. It is with a deep feeling of honor and pride as well as a keen sense of responsibility that I have assumed this high seat of honor. I fully realize the duties and obligations relative to this office and I assure you that I will do everything in my power to fulfill the trust you have reposed in me.

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 3rd - Regular Meeting - 7:30 P.M., followed by a one act Play by 1961 Masters entitled, "Judge Not".

Feb. 17th: 2nd Degree - 7:30 P.M. - Master in East.

I am very much interested in the progress of the campaign for the Masonic Brotherhood Fund this year and I hope that all of you will give this most worthwhile endeavor your fullest support and consideration.

Brotherhood Fund Chairman, Jr. Deacon Bro. George A. Shayler?

To all of the Brethren that are sick or shut-in my sincere best wishes for a speedy recovery. If at anytime I can be of service to any member of the Lodge, please do not hesitate to call on me.

Fraternally yours,
Mathias J. Barry,
Master.

1964 ELECTED OFFICERS

Master, Mathias J. Barry; Senior Warden, Paul C. Kopp; Junior Warden, Bertram M. Steene; Secretary, W. Warren M. Trimble, Jr.; Treasurer, W. Peter J. Van Lare; Trustees, W. Coral A. Morgan, W. James H. Gisleson, W. O. Deane Erwood; Representative - Temple Civic Center, R.W. Edward H. Lamb.

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Senior Deacon, Frank F. Gordnier; Junior Deacon, George Shayler; Sr. Master of Ceremony, Harold Fader; Jr. Master of Ceremony, Jack Arend; Steward, Donald Fox; Steward, David Hoag; Marshall, John Hinds; Chaplain, W. Elbert J. Seig-

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FROM THE SOUTH

As my first message of the 1964 season I would like first, to express my deepest thanks to the Lodge for electing me its Junior Warden. I feel that this high honor and responsibilities are within my capacity and I will earnestly endeavor to fulfill them to the utmost, "that the Worshipful Master may receive honor and they pleasure and profit thereby."

Fraternally yours,
Bertram M. Steene
Junior Warden

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The annual meeting of the Fellowcraft Club was held at the Masonic Temple on January 13th in the basement clubrooms at which time a new slate of officers were unanimously elected by all present.

President, Albert Falk; Vice President, Robert Mulcock; and Secretary-Treasurer, Bernard Bonnington.

FROM THE WEST

It is a privilege to greet you from the West and to thank you for your confidence in electing me senior warden. I will do my best to live up to the traditions and high ideals of Corinthian Temple Lodge.

As we start the new year, may I ask your support of the lodge, of the Master and his program? If each one does his share, it should be a banner year.

May the Blessing of the Supreme Architect be with you and yours until we meet again.

Fraternally,
Paul C. Kopp Senior Warden

FROM THE 1963 MASTER

As of now my year as Master is completed and I would like to express my thanks to the officers, Past Masters and Brethren of Corinthian Temple for their help and cooperation.

Having served as your Master is an Honor & Privilege I will always remember.

P.M. Howard DeGrave

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Recently installed Officers of Corinthian Temple. Front row, left to right: E. Seagfred, P. Kopp, W: M. Berry, B. Steeve, F. Goradinear. Second row: N. Valose, H. Fader, J. Arend, D. Hoag. Third row: J. Hinds, P. VanLarey, W. Trimble, D. Fox.

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**ROCHESTER LODGE
No. 660
2nd and 4th Mondays**

The officers for 1964 were installed January 13 under the direction of Wor. Bro. Kenneth Moore with the able assistance of Wor. Bro. Louis Noble Jr. as Marshall and Wor. Bro. Robert Fridel as Chaplain. The installation ceremony which does so much to demonstrate the dignity of our Craft was beautifully executed by the installing officer.

The following Brothers are convalescing at home:

J. Clifford Ladd, Fred Huck, Wor. Bro. Ira Jones, Wor. Bro. Art Faist and Bro. George Griffin is ill in Genesee Hospital.

Wor Master Paul VanGellow hopes that some of the brothers can visit these brothers and also hopes that any brother will notify him or the secretary, Myron Wilkes, when he hears that one of our brothers is ill.

Wor. Bro. Jim Noble presented an excellent summary of his year as master, regretfully noting that the attendance could have been better. We join with him in hoping that the attendance will improve this year.

Our new Junior Warden Dick Kassel, who planned and directed our wonderful Christmas party, is planning a bang-up series of luncheons for our meetings.

Your reporter,
John Waldock

TRESTLEBOARD

Feb. 3 - Fellowcraft meeting in the basement.

Feb. 10 - A demonstration of the art of fencing by the fencing team from R.I.T. We understand that R.I.T. has an excellent fencing team and we are looking forward to this demonstration of a sport which requires a high degree of coordination and quick reflexes.

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

INSTALLATION

The Annual Installation of Officers of Flower City Lodge #910 took place on Tuesday, January 14th. The Installing Master was Wor. Jacob Schnier, and Installing Marshall Wor. Phil Averbach. After an excellent dinner in the Temple Dining Room, the following were installed for 1964: Wor. Master, Milton P. Axelrod; Senior Warden, Alfred Kovel; Junior Warden, Norman E. Friedman; Treasurer, Rt. Wor. Joseph E. Silverstein; Secretary, Rt. Wor. Herman A. Sarachan; Chaplains, Rt. Wor. Max A. Goldstein, Rt. Wor. Samuel Markus, Wor. Philip Averbach and Wor. Gerald J. Wolk; Senior Deacon, Jack Reitkopp; Junior Warden, Robert P. Lazer-son; Senior Master of Ceremony, Stanley M. Friedman; Junior Master of Ceremony, Dr. Ellis J. Hormats; Stewards, Myron Kleinberg and Stan Weingart; Marshall, Maurice Solomon; Tiler, William Dunsky.

Following the Installation Ceremonies, a Past Master's Apron was presented to Wor. Gerald J. Wolk. Life Membership certificates were presented to Wor. Gerald J. Wolk, Jerome Markin, Joseph S. Levy,

Raymond N. Gupp, Robert Miller and Simon Cohen. Bibles were presented to the Class of 1963. A memorial service for departed Brethren concluded the ceremonies of the evening.

Some fine entertainment was provided during the evening by the Shrine Chanters, under the direction of Charles Valenza, with Clayton Stein at the piano.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 4 - Advisory Board, Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.

Feb. 11 - 1st Degree, conferred by W.M. Milt Axelrod.

Feb. 21 - Annual Consecration Service, Beth Sholom Synagogue, 1161 Monroe Avenue. 8 p.m., to be followed by Social Hour.

ANNUAL CONSECRATION SERVICE

One of the most outstanding events of our Masonic year is the Annual Consecration Service, during which each of us, as men and Masons, reconsecrate ourselves to the Service of God and our Fellow Men. This year the service is being held at Beth Sholom Synagogue, 1161 Monroe Avenue, on Friday, February 21, at 8 p.m. Principal speaker will be the Hon. Harry Rosenthal, County Court Judge. A most cordial invitation is extended to all Masons in the area, both Jewish and non-Jewish, to join with us in this annual and most impressive ceremony. Following the service, a social hour will be held, at which the wives of the Flower City officers will act as hostesses.

ON THE SICK LIST

Benjamin N. Aronovitz, Nathan Baron, Daniel Epstein.

OUR SYMPATHY

We extend our Sympathy to the Families of:

Bro. Leo M. Shulman, Abraham Schulman, Edwin Cornell, Arthur Friedman, Joseph H. Rivenson, Bert I. Cohen, George Rosenstein, Arthur A. Nusbaum, Benjamin and Julius Sherman and Brother Sidney S. Pagenson in their hour of sadness at the passing of their beloved.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

Our Fellowcraft Club will soon begin its main activities for the year. This very fine group, the backbone and very lifeblood of our Lodge, requires more members. If you would like to serve the Lodge in some way - no matter how small - why don't you join the Fellowcraft Club? Come along and attend a meeting or two; see what goes on - and you'll be more than happy to belong to this band of workers whose only goal is the betterment of Flower City Lodge.

APPOINTMENTS

Fellowship Committee - Dr. Jerry J. Garnick; Masonic Service Bureau - Jack Finn, Leonard J. Ball; Bureau of Masonic Education - William R. Dunsky, Robert Frolich; Brotherhood Fund - Saul H. LaVine; Worl's Fair - Wor. Philip Averbach, William Lewis; Director of Degree Team - Irving S. Bridge; Publicity & News Editor - Maurice Solomon; Finance Committee - Donald Margolis, Milton Manning, Wor. David Glassman.

**ANCIENT CRAFT LODGE
NO. 943
2nd and 4th Wednesdays**

MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren,

Thanks again for electing me as your Master, and I will do my best to live up to your expectations.

As in the past, we wish to thank the Past Masters for all their efforts and we know they will continue to give us full support this year.

To all my officers I offer my congratulations and I know they will be most cooperative in carrying out the program of the lodge.

I am grateful to W: Floyd Tubbs who served as my installing Master and R:W: Roy Dementint who was installing Marshal. Their work was most impressive.

Don't forget the Brotherhood Fund. Brother Fred Ogborne has been appointed its chairman. Send your contributions to him or to our Secretary, W:Wilson DaBoll.

W:Dick Keehn is our new representative to the Masonic Service Bureau. I am con-

fident that he will be a credit to Ancient Craft Lodge.

Brothers, remember that you do not need a special invitation to attend your own lodge. You are always welcome.

To those who are ill we wish a speedy recovery and a healthful New Year.

Fraternally yours,
Keith L. Masten
Master

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

At the 48th Annual Installation of Officers which took place on Wednesday, January 8th, the following slate of officers were installed by W: Floyd Tubbs, Installing Master and R:W: Roy Dementint, Marshal:

Keith L. Masten, Master; Leon R. Perkins, Senior Warden; Ernest L. Curtis, Junior Warden; W:Floyd C. Tubbs, Treasurer; W:Wilson H. DaBoll, Secretary; Earl C. Branch, Chaplin; W:Robert W. Bowler, Chaplain; Bernard C. Noll, Senior Deacon; Harold Feinburg, Junior Deacon; Howard B. Fisher, Senior Master of Ceremony; Joseph A. Paduano, Junior Master of Ceremony; Richard M. Bobbe, Steward; George M. Parker, Steward; Frederick R. Ogborne, Marshal; Irving H. Meyer, Tiler;

Joseph Schofield, Organist.

TRESTLEBOARD

The evening of February 26, 1964 has been designated "Farrel Night" when we will welcome visiting brethren from the Farrel Company. Many of our visitors that night will be from Buffalo. The Masters of 1961 will present their drama entitled "Judge Not".

This evening will be under the direction of our Junior Warden, Ernie Curtis. Let's give him our support and make this a terrific evening. A Cordial invitation is extended to all Master Masons especially to those from Farrel.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The annual dinner meeting of our Fellowcraft Club will be held February 4, 1964 at the Rochester Turners Club, 1550 North Clinton Avenue. Dinner will be served at 6:30 P.M., for reservations call Bill Stoll at BU 8-6273.

All members of the Fellowcraft Club are urged to attend as at this meeting will be decided the future of the club. If a favorable decision is made W: Jake Adolph will do his utmost to bring the club back to its former high level.

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MASONIC WAR VETERANS
2nd Thursday

What does 1964 hold in store for you? We are looking forward to another full year of activities highlighted by the Masonic War Veterans Annual State Convention to be held May 8th and 9th at the Powers Hotel. This is a change from the information given out in the last issue of the Monroe Masonic News. We hope that this change will make it possible for many more to attend. Our own active member and Commander General Bro. Raymond "M" Ring will preside.

All Masons and their wives are cordially invited to the Commanders Ball to be held on May 9th in the Powers Hotel Ballroom. The highlight of this evening will be the presentation of the "MAN OF THE YEAR AWARD" to W:B: and Congressman Frank J. Horton by the Grand Master who is also our Commander in Chief.

On Saturday, January 11th, we held a very successful dinner and Installation Service at the Charlotte Temple. We are very grateful to the Officers and members of Charlotte Lodge for making their beautiful temple available to us. The dinner was prepared and served by W:B: Ken and Mrs. Kingston. Following dinner Commander General Raymond "M" Ring acted as the installing officer and installed the following: Commander, Bro. Claude Watson; 1st Lt. Commander, Bro. Andrew McLeod; 2nd Lt. Commander, Bro. Raymond Neelin; 3rd Lt. Commander, Bro. Larry Geith; Adjutant, Bro. Frank Jansson; Finance Officer, Bro. Charles Simpson and Chaplain, W:B: Elbert Seigfred.

Each of these officers has dedicated himself to the service of the Craft as outlined by our Triple Tie which is DUTY TO GOD, MAN AND COUNTRY. If we can assist any lodge in their activities, please get in touch with our Commander, Claude Watson, GL 8-9827.

For those Masons who would like to become a member of our Post and who are veterans, we extend a cordial welcome. There is plenty of work to do and we promise an active part for those who join. At this time we also extend a welcome hand to Br. "Bud" Meech who was initiated into our Post as part of our Installation program. Bro. Meech is a member of Genesee Falls Lodge.

Our February schedule is as follows:

Feb. 9 - Ward Party, Candaigua Hospital 1:30 p.m.
Feb. 13 - Post Meeting, 8:00 p.m.

There is a possibility of other activities which will have to be announced later.

IONIC CHAPTER 210
ROYAL ARCH MASONS

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 11 - M. M. M. Degree.
Feb. 25 - P. M. & M. E. M.

On January 14 the elected and appointed officers of Ionic Chapter were installed by Ex. Companion Stanley V. Peterson assisted by Rt. Ex. Companion William Angold. Those elected at the annual meeting were Donald Ballou, High Priest; Buron Wason, King; William Baldwin, Scribe; Fred P. Neussie, Rep. to the Temple Civ-

ic Center; Orren Baisch, Trustee. The High Priest appointed the following to assist him: Richard D. Castle, Captain of the Host; Roy VanDelinder, Jr., Principal Sojourner; William Angold, Chaplain; Fred P. Nuessle, Sentinel.

The High Priest, Donald Ballou, extends greetings to all members of Ionic Chapter and invites all Royal Arch Masons to attend the convocations of Ionic Chapter. Stanley V. Peterson

DeMOLAY

On December 31st 1963 DeMolay boys welcomed in the New Year with their dates at Rochester Chapter's annual "New Years Eve" Dance.

On the 13th of January we gave the DeMolay Degree to 16 new candidates. We are glad to see that interest in our fine order is growing so rapidly.

Starting on the first of January Rochester Chapter Order of DeMolay handled the concession stand and the checking at the Auditorium Theatre. We are very happy to have this opportunity. Thanks to all who helped us get it.

FEBRUARY CALENDAR

Feb. 3 - Installation by Rochester Chapter Order of DeMolay, Past Master Councilor Installing Team.

Feb. 9 - Bowling.
Feb. 10 - Officers Meeting.

Feb. 17 - Regular meeting.
Feb. 23 - Bowling Party with or without dates.

Feb. 24 - Officer Meeting, Ritual, rehearse opening and closing.

CYRENE COMMANDERY
No. 39

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

Dear Sir Knights:

I feel deeply humble, having been elected as Commander of this Commandry. It is my fervent hope, that in this high Office, I will be able to serve the Sir Knights to the best of my ability, with God's help and through prayer.

There is a full program ahead of us and with the full cooperation of the Past Commanders, the Line Officers and the Sir Knights, I feel that we can make this a successful year.

Our cooperation to the Commandries of Zone Eleven, will have its rewards, for they in turn will be rewarded through our cooperation.

Two dates to remember for month of February:

Friday 14th - Indoctrination Night, Full Form opening.

Friday 28th - Euchre Tournament.

Saturday 15th Ladies St. Valentine Dinner & Party, Reiter's Charcoal Pit. Sir Knight Kenneth R. Snyder Em. Commander

ATTENTION ALL MASTER MASONS

Cyrene Commandry No. 39 K.T. request the honor of your presence at their ANNUAL MASTER MASON EUCHRE TOURNAMENT which will be held Friday evening, February 28, 1964 at 8:30 P.M. The event will take place in the third floor dining room, Masonic Temple, Rochester, New York.

Women's Organization
NEWS

UNIVERSITY STAR CHAPTER
No. 797

Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Members:

On Thursday evening, Jan. 2nd, the officers were installed by W. Bro. Norman Jermyn. W. Bro. Horace and I wish to thank all those who helped to make the evening a very enjoyable one. We were pleased to have our District Grand Lecturer, W. Bro. Paul Kopp in attendance.

On February 6, our meeting will start at 7:30 p.m. so we may attend the Official Visit of Paul Chapter. We encourage the officers to witness other Official Visits whenever possible. The one for University Star is March 5th.

Feb. 13 - Officer's Club at the home of Sister Teddy Ford, 2930 Elmwood Ave.

Feb. 20 - Regular meeting, ample form. Birthday table for Jan. Feb. Mar. - Cup sale. Dining Room Group I, W. Sis. Sylvia Carroll, Chairman and her committee: R.W. Sis. Jean Newbrook, W. Gladys Chesterman, Mabel Crew, Jeannette Edson, W. Olga Perry, Arlene Roseener, Isabelle Springer and Ruth Wilson.

Feb. 29 - Rehearsal in Room A for Official Visit. ALL OFFICERS ARE EXPECTED TO BE PRESENT.

The Matron's watchword for the year is ENTHUSIASM, meaning Eager Interest and Vitality. Let us all try to promote Enthusiasm in our Chapter by regular attendance with a willingness to do whatever we can to advance the good work in which we are engaged. Sincerely and Fraternally, W. Sis. Florence Peo, W M

IRONDEQUOIT CHAPTER
No. 572

Order of the Eastern Star

On January 6th the following officers were installed in this Chapter for the coming year. Worthy Matron, Sister Louise Kraemer, Worthy Patron, Brother Charles Farrell, Associate Matron, Sister Miriam Summers, Associate Patron, Brother Harold Gears, Conductress, Sister Alicia Gears, and Associate Conductress, Sister Gail Bolton. Our new Worthy Matron was received in the East by Worthy Sister Laura Reynolds. We were honored to have two very lovely solo's by Sister Mary Norget. The "Motto" for this year as chosen by our Worthy Matron is TOGETHERNESS.

February 3rd - We will have a Family Tureen dinner in the dining hall beginning at 6:30 P.M. You are asked to bring your own dishes, silver and a dish to pass. Sister Gladys Stein is Chairman with the C's and E's helping her. Our meeting will be held upstairs at 8:00 P.M.

February 17th - Will be a regular meeting at 8:00 P.M. The Marshall and the Assistant Marshall will be in charge of refreshments with the B's helping.

February 25th - The Louise Kraemer Officers Club will meet at a place to be announced.

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AMO CHAPTER
No. 547

Order of the Eastern Star

Greetings to Amo Chapter members. As we begin our year in the East, Brother Carl and I wish to thank you for all your good wishes and many kindnesses. This will be a banner year for us all, since it is our 50th. We have many special and we hope interesting things planned and hope to see as many of you out with us as often as possible.

Feb. 3 - Official Visit Room A 8:00.

Feb. 10 - Past Matron's 8:00.

Feb. 17 - Cookie Sale - Chairman Nel Angold.

Feb. 28 - Sistercraft - Home of W. Matron Joan Potter, 287 Wellington Rd.

Feb. 22 - Birthday Dinner - Spring House, Punch Bowl @ 6:30, Dinner @ 7:00.

Please report any sickness or distress to W. Matron at OS 1-6359 or Assoc. Matron Marge Blohm @ Gr 3-6578.

CULVER CHAPTER
No. 816

Order of the Eastern Star

Dear MEMBERS:

"A Happy New Year to all of you", may you enjoy good health and happiness through the year 1964. New Year is the time one makes new resolutions, I wonder if one you made includes attending your Chapter. Culver Chapter meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at the Community Hall, 4275 Culver Road, next to Durand Eastman Park entrance, Irondequoit.

No more big flight of stairs to climb. Our Chapter room is brighter, the dining room more cheery. I take this opportunity to thank all who participated in moving all our paraphenaila to our new home.

Installation was held Jan. 8, 1964 with Right Worthy O.B. Keemer, as installing officer and W. Lillian Stacklyn Receiving Matron. A nice turn out, however, we still would enjoy seeing many more members attend.

At our January 22nd meeting plans will be made for the February 12th Valentines meeting, and February 26th regular meeting. We need the help of all our members to lay plans for a successful 1964. Won't you come out and support your Chapter.

Fraternally,
Dorothy Freeman
Worthy Matron

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OATKA CHAPTER

No. 320

Order of the Eastern Star

Schedule for the next few meetings as follows:

Feb. 6 - Regular Meeting, Valentine Theme for this evening.

Feb. 20 - Regular Meeting, in Ample Form.

Feb. 25 - The Officers and Members Club will meet at the home of Worthy Jean Webb.

March 5 - Regular Chapter Meeting, Ample Form. All meetings at 8 P.M., at the usual place except the 25th Meeting.

We hope our Sisters and Brothers will take attendance at all these meetings very seriously, come and enjoy real social evenings. Your presence is needed to make this year successful.

We are glad to note the near recovery of Brothers de Witt, Oakes and Siple. It's nice to see them around. Our sympathy goes to Sister Aileen Slocum, who recently lost her father.

To ALL Masonic Brothers we extend a cordial invitation to visit our Oatka Chapter, Anna Belle and Raymond Crawford.

FLOWER CITY LINK

No. 38

Order of the Golden Chain

Dear Sisters and Brothers: I would like to thank all the Sisters and Brothers who called me and commented on our column in the last issue of the Monroe Masonic News. This is proof to me that some of our members do read the Monroe Masonic News.

February promises to be an active month for us. On Saturday, February 15th, Flower City Link #38 will hold its annual Birthday Dinner Dance at Schindler's at 1331 St. Paul St. This will be our 28th Birthday. There will be gifts for all, and dancing to the music of Regie Kingsbury and his band. No doubt you have all received your invitations. If you haven't replied, do so now. Chairmen are Irene & Phil Averbach and Right Worthy Sister Evalyn Phillips, Past G.D.D.

On Monday evening, February 24th, Flower City Link #38 will hold Associate Night. Some of our members may recall having "Advance Nights" in the past. Associate Night basically follows the same pattern. This night the Associate Matron and Associate Patron move up to the East. It gives the Sisters and Brothers a change to see what the new year holds in store for them.

Guest speaker of this evening will be Brother George Hoffenberg, a member of Flower City Link and a Past Master of Flower City Lodge #910.

On Monday evening at 8 P.M. Worthy Sister Glorienne Lacow, Grand District Deputy, extends an open invitation to all sisters and brothers to attend an evening of ritual instruction at her home, 97 Biltmore Dr.

I have some rather distressing news to report to our Sisters and Brothers, and I mention this because I feel all our members should be informed of Link news good or bad from other Links as well as our own.

This last year we lost two Associate Patrons, Brother Stanley Hoffman of Jubilee Link #52, who was killed in an airplane crash, and Bro-

ther Richard Nagel of Newark Link #3 who passed away suddenly last month. Both of these Brothers were active in our Associate Group. It's ironic that Irene and I decided to attend the Associate Conclave in Atlantic City in September where we met both of these Brothers. In fact, we lodged in the same motel with Jean and Dick Nagel, and spent a few pleasant evenings with them. Dick, being a traveling salesman, was a "connoisseur" of soups, and it was he who introduced me to "snapper" soup at Harry's in Sommers Point, N.J.

Had we not travelled to New Jersey, we would not have had the pleasure of meeting these two brothers, and I'm sure their respective Links will miss them deeply next year.

MASTER MASONS ALWAYS WELCOME

Phil Averbach
Associate Patron
Editor

FIDELITY TRIANGLE

On Sat. Jan. 4, 1964 about 45 girls and 15 parents from Fidelity Triangle and Lilac Triangle attended the "Formal Installation of Officers" of the "Jennie M. Lord Constellation #5". It was a very lovely ceremony, and Beloved Queen Barbara Milner and Beloved Queen Bonnie Rogers Congratulated the new "Exalted Star of Light and Love, Connie B. Thom" on her installation.

On Sat. Jan. 11, 1964 Fidelity Triangle held a "Winter Picnic" in the second floor dining room. More than 100 people attended.



On Sat. Feb. 8, 1964 Fidelity Triangle will hold its semi-annual, "Queens Term Dinner" in the second floor dining room, at 6:00 P.M. The cost will be \$1.00 per person. The menu will be Baked Chicken Leg, potatoes, vegetable, rolls, dessert, coffee, tea, etc. The dinner will be followed by an open meeting with a "Lord's Prayer Degree".

On Sat. Feb. 29, 1964 Fidelity Triangle will hold a "SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE" in the Masonic Temple Ballroom from 8:00 to 12:00 P.M. with a caller. "DONATION" will be \$1.00 per couple. Everyone is invited. PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO THE MASONIC SERVICE BUREAU.

Fidelity Triangle meets in room A in the Masonic Temple on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month at 8:00 P.M. Come and visit us and see what and how we do.

MASTERS MESSAGE

The installation of officers in Wakan Lodge will be long remembered. The congratulations and words of encouragement received from our

Past Masters and brethren and the many visiting brethren have been inspiring. At this time I would like to thank all those present at the installation. A special thanks is extended to the members of Wakan Lodge for electing me. This is a great privilege and honor and I will do my best in the year ahead to serve as master.

We are fortunate in having a fine and full line of officers. With their help our task should be easier. Our meetings and social events will be considered as successful only if attendance is good. To encourage this attendance our meetings will be interesting and informative.

The importance of the Brotherhood Fund should again be stressed. Brother Joseph Dimino is doing a fine job as Chairman and he needs the support of all our members. The number of contributing members is more important than the amount each brother contributes. Let us, therefore, strive for a high percentage of contributors.

I wish to thank the many Past Masters of Wakan Lodge who have helped and given me encouragement as a line officer for the past seven years. A special thanks is extended to W:Bro. Donald Darrohn for appointing me in line and congratulations are extended to W:Bro. Charles Farrell for joining the ranks of Past Masters.

Fraternally,
W: Fred Neilsen

Scheduled Meetings & Events

Feb. 10 - Regular Communication. R:W: Odell B. Kelly will speak on the Masonic Service Bureau.

Feb. 14 - Annual Card Party, Irondequoit Town Hall 7:30. Table prizes, door prizes. See Bro. Vern Bishop for tickets.

Feb. 24 - Regular Communication. First Degree to be conferred by Bro. Edwin Keiser, Sr. Warden. Aprons - W: Bro. Robert Orne; Working Tools - W: Bro. Robert Zabel; Historical - Bro. Ed Lange; Questions, Br. Leon Lawrence; Answers, Bro. Jim Ruoff; Whys, Bro. Bert Hine; Wherefores, Bro. Donald Yeaton.

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On January 15th the Annual Meeting of the Masonic Service Bureau was held. Preceding the meeting and dinner was served by the DeMolay members, Jim Gisleson, Dave and Don Marvin and David Allman and prepared and directed by Mrs. Pfaudler. Over 65 Representatives and their wives attended which was an inspiration to the Officers of the Bureau.

R.W. Brother Odell Kelly led the group in prayer.

The meeting was called to order by President George Wetzel at 7:55 P.M. This was the largest annual meeting the Bureau ever had and all were thanked for coming.

W. Brother Tony Schatzlein gave the Treasurers Report, a very favorable one.

Brother Jim Gisleson favored the Executive Secretary, Odell Kelly and his wife, with flowers in appreciation for their hard work and long hours during the past year.

The Report of the Executive Secretary was then given. The report stressed the increased interest shown in the Service Bureau and the increasing services it affords to the many ill members of the Fraternity and their families and such other activities as the Veteran Hospital at Batavia and the Christmas activities.

Brother Jim Gisleson also gave his report as Vice President. The membership is now carrying the Bureau for the first time.

President George Wetzel gave his report for 1963 and was most complimentary to all those without whose help the Bureau's success would not have been as great.

W. Brother Carey then was asked to report regard-

ing the Monroe Masonic News.

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ROCHESTER 660

Bro. Robert C. Landon passed away December 16, 1963.

CHARLOTTE 1088

Eugene S. Tallman. Raised 11/17/53. Departed 12/16/63.

MONROE 173

Brother Kenneth G. MacLean, 62 Payne Ave; North Tonawanda, N.Y. Died December 29, 1963. He was raised June 26th, 1917.

Brother Oscar E. Nichols, 20 Mercer Street, Brockport, N.Y. Died December 29, 1963. He was raised Nov 27, 1923.

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