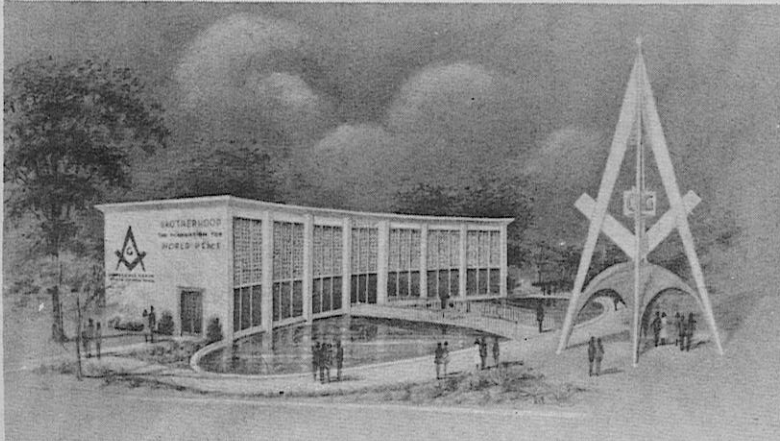


1965 Grand Ball Set For April 10th At Green Lantern Inn

GRAND MASTER APPOINTS WORLD'S FAIR TICKET CHAIRMAN



W. . Paul Thone has been appointed Chairman for Monroe County, for Worlds Fair Ticket Sales.

Tickets will sell for \$2.50 for 1965 opening of Worlds Fair but may be purchased at \$2.00 from your Lodge or Chapter Chairmen. Any unsold tickets may be reported at the Master & Warden Association.

Brother Thone has just received the appointment and will probably have more to say in the next issue.

GRAND BALL of 1965 Masters and Wardens Association will be at the Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, N.Y. on April 10th, Social Hour at 6, Dinner at 7. Host from the Green Lantern, "Jack" O'Neil, has recently remodeled and enlarged the Inn and will also provide for sufficient parking.

An attendance of 500 has been expected and main entrance to the Inn will be on the East Side. For the few who have never been to the Inn, it is located on Route 31F and 250 or at the Four Corners in Fairport. The Inn may be reached via the Eastern Expressway.

Entertainment will be provided by Eileen and Her Escorts. Tickets at \$3.50 per person. The Green Lantern has been a meeting place for many Lodges and Chapters, and other Masonic Bodies for over 10 years.

Any question should be directed to your Master or Wardens. Brother William H. Laird, Fairport Lodge or W. . Bro. Ralph L. Kellog in charge of this affair. Expected in attendance, as in the past, all local Grand Lodge Officials and many of the past Grand Lodge line.



DEMOLAY TO HONOR KEATING APRIL 17

On Saturday afternoon, April 17th, The International Supreme Council of the Order of De Molay will confer its highest degree on The Honorable and Illustrious Bro. Kenneth B. Keating.

The public ceremonies will begin at 3:00 p.m. in Cathedral Hall, Masonic Temple.

Many distinguished visitors will be in attendance, including civic, business, government and Masonic leaders.

Again, as this is a public ceremony, all Master Masons, their wives and friends are encouraged and invited to attend. Please inform your Worshipful Master by April 10th if you plan to come.

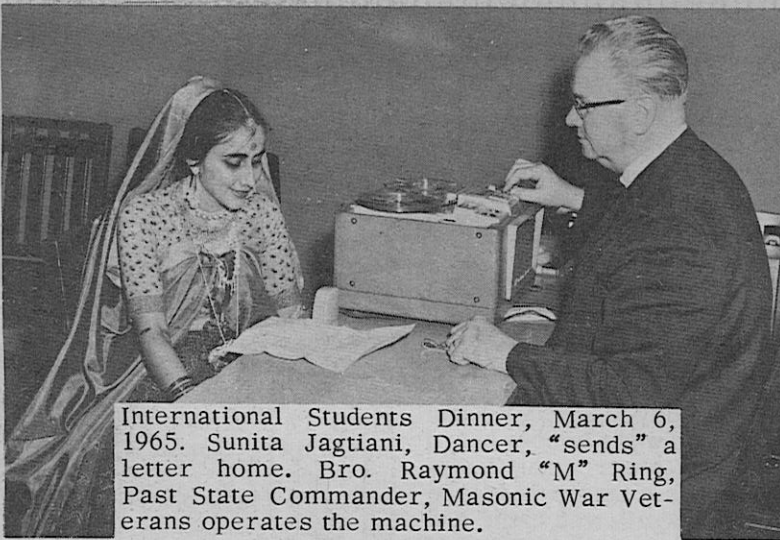
George A. Stear
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Arrangements Committee

UNION STAR LODGE AND COMMITTEE FILLED AUDITORIUM FOR HILFIKER SHOW



Another good crowd enjoyed another good show presented by Bro. Earl L. Hilfiker at the Auditorium on Friday, March 12th. The picture was both interesting and entertaining and showed close-ups and incidents in the lives of our wild animals and what our country is doing through conservation, to preserve and protect our natural resources and wild life. Earl, by reason of his great interest in this and fine ability to record on the camera, is doing a real service in keeping this before the attention of the public, and, at the same time, furnishing good, wholesome entertainment.

Part of the proceeds of this show will help the Masonic Service Bureau to carry on its program to help Masons and Masonry, not only in Monroe County, but nationwide.



International Students Dinner, March 6, 1965. Sunita Jagtiani, Dancer, "sends" a letter home. Bro. Raymond "M" Ring, Past State Commander, Masonic War Veterans operates the machine.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS DINNER SPONSORED BY MASONIC SERVICE BUREAU

The Masonic Service Bureau held its 13th annual dinner for international students, attending schools and colleges in and around Rochester on Saturday, March 6 beginning with a chicken dinner at 6:30 p.m. More than two hundred students attended and were welcomed and made to feel at home by a goodly group of Masons, their wives and friends who acted as hosts and hostesses for the evening. The national colors were presented by the James A. Hard Post and after the dinner, James Gleson, President of the Bureau, welcomed those assembled. They were then entertained by several songs, beautifully done by Raymond Neelin and Mary Jane Young. A period of group singing followed, led by James Poul-liott with Don Jones at the piano. Miss May F. Crowley, executive director of the Rochester International Friendship Council, then introduced the students by

country, there being more than fifty countries represented. Following this a period of typical American dances was held, conducted very capably by Mr. Hugh Owen, a professional dancer. These various activities were enjoyed by all present and during the evening each student was given the opportunity to "Talk a Letter Home". Mr. Raymond Ring and his helpers took care of this part of the program which has become very popular among our international visitors. When the record arrives at their native homes, their families can hear the voice of their loved ones so far away.

We believe this is one of the most effective ways to create international good feeling and friendship.

It is also a grand opportunity to spread the word of Masonry around the world and further bind and cement the bonds of brotherhood in all lands.

BROTHERHOOD CAMPAIGN

The 1964-1965 Masonic Brotherhood Fund Campaign is fast coming to a close. In the two months left a great amount of work by some of the lodges must be done.

As of February 28, 1965, some lodge chairmen have not sent in one report so their lodges show not one contributor nor one cent contributed which is unfair to the members who have made a contribution. A few of the lodges have shown a large number of contributors, some have shown a large amount contributed, and some have shown a small amount of interest. It definitely is indicated that if the members are asked to make a contribution, most of them will. They have to see that the lodge officers and lodge chairmen are interested in their lodge making a good showing. This can only be done by a continuing effort on the part of these brethren.

The Masonic Brotherhood Fund Campaign is the best means we have of showing our Masonic Brethren and the world, at large, that we have a great concern about the comfort, health and happiness of others.

To the brethren who have not yet contributed, please do so right away. To the Masters and Lodge Chairmen, whose lodge has a poor or no report to date, please make every effort to get contributions made and reported. We ask this on behalf of our Grand Master, who is very anxious that the 1964-1965 Campaign be a huge success.

Remember the campaign closes MAY 31, 1965.

R. . W. . Leonard Parker
R. . W. . Harry Kennedy

Clio Lodge Building Destroyed

On Sunday, March 21, 1965, Clio Lodge was destroyed by fire when firemen were unable to contain the blaze and Clio's Building as well as 9 others were destroyed. Temporary quarters for Clio Lodge #779 F. & A.M. and Leah Chapter #183, O.E.S., will be found by their Officers who, no doubt, will find offers from neighboring Lodges and Chapters. Important papers and records have been preserved. The Building was in the hands of the Benevolent Association, and insured. Recent extensive renovations and remodeling of the 1st floor tenants quarters were completed this last year. The Lodge has owned the Building since 1912.

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One of the problems confronting Masons is the matter of attendance at Lodge. Like so many other organizations, we face the situation while attendance is not a particularly new challenge, it remains for somebody to do something about it.

FRANK C. LEACH
 D.D.G.M.
 1st MONROE DISTRICT



For the moment let us lay aside the excuse that we live in extremely busy times, and that countless things compete for our attention on Lodge night.

Last week I happened to ask a friend how long it had been since he had been in his Blue Lodge. After admitting that it had been several years, he expressed the thought that your District Deputy was the first one to inquire about his attendance in all that time. Actually, this Brother is missing out on a lot of inspiring contacts - one of them being the pride of seeing a former school boy preside in the East. Don't think for an instant that this Worshipful Master would fail to appreciate the interest of his former mentor in athletics.

It may well be that a group such as the Masters and Wardens Association could spearhead an energetic campaign to revive broad but personal interest in building up attendance. Well planned efforts by a strong nucleus of Masons could foster even one or two nights a year when every able-bodied Mason would find it profitable to come to Lodge. A thoughtfully prepared program for the evening, renewal of old friendships, a deep draught of the finest Masonic work we know, these might be worth the effort to get most of our 15,000 Monroe County Masons into some Lodge room for an evening. We might meet on the level with some Brother who through thoughtlessness or ignorance or lack of know-how made us provoked years ago.

Whether it is this meager beginning of a plan, or some other, Masonry owes it to itself and the particular Lodges and the individual Master Masons to get busy and do something. We need it for self and family; our often bewildered Uncle Sam needs it; our houses of worship need it; God Himself in his tender mercy needs it.

What shall we do?

Fraternally, Frank C. Leach,
 District Deputy Grand Master
 First Monroe District

bine for 3rd Degree.

4/20 - Clio Lodge #779 and Monroe Commandery #12, K.T., combine for 2nd Degree; Penfield Union Lodge #154, Ladies Night; Seneca Lodge #920, 3rd Degree; Yonnonodio Lodge #163, 1st Degree.

4/21 - Wakan Lodge #1054, 3rd Degree; Interlodge Fellowship, Annual Card and Euchre Tournament and Representatives meeting; Worlds Fair Opens! Germania Lodge #722, Fellowship Club.

4/23 - Cyrene Commandery #39, Orders of the Red Cross and Malta; Churchville Lodge #667, Father and Son Banquet.

4/26 - Etolian Lodge #479, Open Communication; Rochester Lodge #660, Fellowship and Masonic Laboratory Research.

4/27 - Henrietta Lodge #526 3rd Degree; Yonnonodio #163 Fellowship Club.

4/28 - Churchville Lodge #667, Host to Oatka Lodge and 1961 Masters visit, Germania Lodge #722, 3rd Degree.

4/29 - School of Ritual.
 4/30 - Cyrene Commandery #39, K.T. - Order of the Temple.

JAMES A. HARD POST #18
 MASONIC WAR VETERANS
 2nd Thursday



We experienced a real feeling of fraternalism on March 16th when members of Wayne Charter Post from Newark and Genesee Falls Lodge helped fill our rolls when we conferred the 3rd Degree for a class of five for Hornellsville Lodge #331, Hornellsville. Again a reminder that if you plan on going to the Annual State Masonic War Veterans Convention to get your reservation in early to Past Commander Ray Ring.

We have been again honored by being asked to present the colors for the Triangle Installation on April 10th. This is a wonderful opportunity to show you appreciation for what these girls do for Masonry. Their commitment to the Brotherhood Fund Campaign should make each one of us reconsider our contribution and see if we are giving our share. Incidentally, this installation is an open affair so this is a wonderful opportunity to take your wife and daughters!

Our April calendar is beginning to look like a busy one so be sure to write the following dates down to make our Commanders job an easier one!
 April 4. Canandaigua Hospital 1:30 p.m.
 April 8. Post Meeting 8:00

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As we approach the month of April there are two things that I would remind you of. The first is the Brotherhood Fund. Six months have already passed since this years campaign started last October. If you have not made a contribution, we urge you to do so, so that you may have a part in the important work being done with these funds.

DONALD M. WALZER
 D.D.G.M.
 2nd MONROE DISTRICT



I would also remind you that many Lodges have tickets for the Worlds Fair. The Fair opens this month and I'm sure that many of you will be attending. Before leaving for New York, I urge that you check with R. . W. . Odell Kelly at the Masonic Service Bureau and obtain as many tickets as you can use. These tickets are still selling for \$2.00 while the price at the gate has been raised to \$2.50 so that you can save yourself \$.50 on each ticket as well as help some lodge dispose of their tickets.

I recently read an article in which the author quoted the following which appeared in the Farmers Almanac for 1823, published at Andover, Mass., under the heading "Character of a Freemason":

"The real Freemason is distinguished from the rest of mankind by the uniform unrestrained rectitude of his conduct. Other men are honest in the fear of the punishment which the law might inflict; they are religious in expectation of being rewarded, or in dread of the devil, in the next world. A Freemason would be just if there were no laws, human or divine, except those which are written in his heart by the finger of his Creator. In every climate, under every system of religion he is the same. He kneels before the universal throne of God, in gratitude for the blessings he has received, and in humble solicitation for his future protection. He venerates good men of all religions. He restrains his passions, because they cannot be indulged without injuring his neighbor or himself. He gives no offense, because he does not choose to be offended. He contracts no debts which he is not certain that he can discharge, because he is honest upon principle."

My brethren, we wish that we could say that this were entirely true, but in all honesty we must admit that it is not. We probably all know a few Masons who come close to fitting that description, yet many of us do not. Those who do, have one of the richest blessings that man can obtain on this earth, something finer and more to be cherished than any other honor which can be bestowed upon us- the love, respect, admiration and the sincere esteem and affection of all who know them.

Donald M. Walzer, District Deputy
 Grand Master - 2nd Monroe District

- LET'S GO VISITING**
- 4/2 - Cyrene Commandery #39, Officers Rehearsal.
 - 4/3 - Etolian Lodge #479, Visitation to Stanley Lodge in Toronto.
 - 4/4 - Service Bureau and Masonic War Veterans at Canandaigua Ward Party.
 - 4/5 - Corinthian Temple Lodge #805, 1st Degree; School of Ritual.
 - 4/6 - Yonnonodio Lodge #163 R.G.&E. Nite and 1st Degree; Penfield Union Lodge #154, 3rd Degree; Clio Lodge #779, Open; Penfield Union #154, 3rd Degree; Henrietta Lodge #526, Fellowshipcraft Steak and Roast Dinner.
 - 4/7 - Wakan Lodge #1054, 2nd Degree; Churchville Lodge #666, Past Masters Night. Germania Lodge #722, Officers Rehearsal.
 - 4/8 - Penfield Union Lodge #154, Masonic Education Program; James A. Hard Post #18, Masonic War Veterans, Visit of Area Representative.
 - 4/9 - Cyrene Commandery #39, Order of the Temple.
 - 4/10 - Grand Ball sponsored by Masters and Wardens Association of Monroe County, at Green Lantern Inn in Fairport; Hard Post Masonic War Veterans at Triangle-Fidelity Installation.
 - 4/12 - Etolian Lodge #479, Open; Rochester Lodge #660, 2nd Degree; Corinthian Temple Lodge #805, Rehearsal.
 - 4/13 - Henrietta Lodge #526 Open; Penfield Union Lodge #154, Fellowshipcraft Meeting; Henrietta Lodge #526, 1st Degree.
 - 4/14 - Germania Lodge #722 Business
 - 4/15 - Northfield Lodge #426 Regular Meeting.
 - 4/17 - De Molay to present High Honor Award to "Ken" Keating; Frank L. Simes Lodge #990, Ladies Night. James A. Hard Post #18 participates at the De Molay Ceremonies.
 - 4/18 - Cyrene Commandery #39, Easter Pilgrimage.
 - 4/19 - Wakan Lodge #1054, Fellowshipcraft Meeting; Corinthian Temple #805, 2nd Degree; John Robertson Lodge #1032 and James A. Hard Post #18, M.W.V. Com-

- p.m. Area Representative Frank Jansson's Official Report.
- April 10. Color Guard, Triangle Installation 8:00 p.m.
- April 10. Master's Grand Ball, Green Lantern, Fairport.
- April 17. De Molay honoring Ken Keating, 3:00 p.m. Color Guard.
- April 19. 3rd Degree, John A. Robertson Lodge.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER ORDER OF DE MOLAY

On Monday March 8 we had a parents and advisory board dinner. We were gratified to have such a large attendance and thank all who came and brought such delicious tureen delicacies. Also, our thanks to Mr. Anderson for the excellent movies on the World Series

On April 17 (Saturday) Kenneth B. Keating will receive the highest De Molay Award - The Honorary De Molay Legion of Honor. We are anxiously looking forward to this outstanding event.

- March 29 - C.H. Initiatory Degree
- April 3 - De Molay Camp opening at Sodus
- April 5 - 8:00 p.m. C.H. Regular Meeting - Rehearsal De Molay Degree
- April 12 - 7:30 p.m. Gothic-Rehearsal De Molay Degree
- April 17 - 2:30 p.m. Presentation to Kenneth B. Keating
- April 19 - 8:00 p.m. Cathedral Hall - De Molay Degree
- April 25 - 2:00 p.m. Bowling
- April 26 - 8:00 p.m. Ballroom A - Entertain Triangle and Constellation

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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. A candidate was blackballed who is one of the finest men in our community. Can an appeal be made to the Grand Master to correct this injustice?
- A. The sanctity of the ballot has been one of the established rules of our fraternity. Under our present practice in New York, a unanimous ballot is required, and one black ball is sufficient to reject an applicant. Section 353 of the Book of Constitutions states that "an adverse ballot cannot be reconsidered". While Grand Lodge, and the Grand Master between Annual Communications, hold supreme powers on almost all subjects, they have no power to interfere in reference to a ballot for a candidate legally taken. Although an injustice may have been done to an upright and honorable man by this rejection, neither the Grand Master nor Grand Lodge will interfere, nor can dispensation be granted to nullify the decision of the lodge.
- Q. Should all Masons be obligated upon a Bible which contains both Old and New Testament?
- A. Masonry is universal, and men of every creed and faith are eligible for membership as long as they believe in the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man. Therefore the candidate should be obligated upon the book which he accepts as his Sacred Book, and not upon a book which to him is not sacred. Thus, the Mohammedan should be obligated on the Koran, the Parsee on the Zenda-Avesta, the Jew on the Old Testament. The Lodge Bible must, of course, remain upon the altar.
- Q. According to our by-laws, dues are payable "on the first day of January each year." We received a letter from a brother living in Florida on January 10th requesting a dimit in order to affiliate with a lodge in Florida. Does this brother have to pay dues for 1965?
- A. Section 369 of the Book of Constitutions states that "any member of a Lodge against whom charges are not pending, and whose dues and indebtedness to the Lodge are paid, may withdraw from membership by presenting a written application therefore at a Stated Communication." Assuming, of course, that there are no charges pending against the brother, the two requirements for granting the dimit are (1) that dues and indebtedness are paid up, and (2) that a written application be presented at a Stated Communication. In the present instance, the application will be presented at a communication in January, (January 26th, to be exact). Under your by-laws, dues for 1965 became due and payable on January 1st, therefore, at the time when the request will be presented the brother will be indebted to the lodge for the 1965 dues, which must be paid before a dimit can be issued. Incidentally, unless the lodge by-laws make provision for dues to be paid at less intervals than one year, (and I know of no lodge which makes such provision), dues for the full year must be paid. Suppose the application had been received in December, after the last Stated Communication had been held, the application would be presented at the January Communication, and the dues for 1965 would again be payable before the dimit could be granted.

INTERLODGE FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE

Under the Chairmanship of past President Brother Stanley Wright the annual card party or Euchre Tournament will take place in the Temple in the third floor dining room Wednesday, April 21, 1965 at 8:00 p.m. There is always nice prizes and He-man refreshments. Everyone is welcome including your friends. So don't hesitate about inviting the other fellow he is most heartily welcome. The fee is \$1.50 for cards, lunch, and prizes. The meeting for representatives will be here at 7:00 p.m. Please note the change for this meeting.

There are a host of activities planned for this year. Salt Water Fishing opens April 1st. Your representative has all the information and blanks on this and Fresh Water Fishing Tournament. Turning to Fresh Water Fishing that opens May 1st and is usually at one of the finger lakes.

The next event that a great many are vitally interested in is our Golf Tournament. Brother George Knight is Chairman this year with Brother Roy Blumm as his Co-Chairman or right hand man. There are two tournaments planned this year. June 19th is the first which will take place at Craig Brae at Leroy, New York, and the other to be held at Salmon Creek on September 25, 1965. Fees and other information concerning this will reach you in future issues of the News.

There is a completely new event being planned in September. This is a Trap Shoot planned at Penfield Rod and

Gun Club on September 18. This event is for Shot Gun lovers and is \$3.00 which includes Shells, and Pigeons. However, for \$1.50 you lovers of shooting can enjoy a very nice Smorgasboard at the Gun Club.

The last event is Bowling. under the chairmanship of Brother James Mac Pherson. Since it is still early no date or hall has been reserved as yet.

The Fellowship Committee is on the march this year, Using the hand of Good Fellowship let us all engage ourselves as ambassadors of Masonry to extend our hand to some Brother whom we haven't seen in lodge in a long time that he may enjoy the fellowship of his brothers in lodge. So let us all keep a Masonic light glowing.

Horace F. New
Vice President
Publicity

CYRENE COMMANDERY No. 39 KNIGHTS TEMPLAR



Calendar for April 1965

April 2 - Officer's rehearsal Order of the Temple Gothic Hall, 7:30 p.m.

April 9 - ORDER OF THE TEMPLE - Cathedral Hall 7:30 p.m. Dinner, 3rd Floor Dining Room, 6:15 p.m. (Reservations with Commander, BU 8-4283, after 5:00 p.m.)

April 18 - Knight Templar Easter Pilgrimage Washington, D.C.

April 23 - ORDER OF THE RED CROSS, ORDER OF MALTA - Cathedral Hall, 7:30 p.m. Dinner, 6:00 p.m. 3rd Floor Dining Room (Reservations with Commander)

April 30 - ORDER OF THE TEMPLE, SPECIAL MEETING - Cathedral Hall, 7:30 p.m. - Lunch

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LODGE *news and views*

CHARLOTTE LODGE No. 1088

1st and 3rd Tuesdays
MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren, I would like to thank all the brothers and sons who attended our Pancake Supper on February 26th past. In spite of the bad weather, it was well attended with fun and fellowship for all ages. The unending chow line of both young and old was proof in itself that the pancakes and sausages were very good.

Bro. Carl Birr, our Brotherhood Fund Chairman, reports that the Brotherhood Fund is making good progress, although there are many brothers who have not contributed to this worthy fund. If you haven't already done so, kindly send your donation in to Bro. Birr. Let's make it 100% contribution from Charlotte Lodge.

This year the Masonic Grand Ball will be held in Fairport at the Green Lantern Inn on April 10th. Tickets will be \$3.50 per person and will be available through Bro. Walter Doescher or myself.

Speaking of social gatherings, let's not forget our annual Ladies Night Dinner Dance which will be held Saturday, May 22nd. Bro. Walter Greenfield will inform you further on this in the next Masonic News.

Fraternally,
Luke Grande Master

TRESTLEBOARD

April 2 - Card Party for Brotherhood Fund.

April 6 - Second Degree - Second Class - Bro. Walter Greenfield, Jr. Warden in the East.

April 10 - Masonic Ball
April 20 - First Degree - Third Class - Wor. Luke Grande in the East.

April 27 - Officers' Meeting.

The Worthy Matron of Charlotte Chapter O.E.S. Grace Leake, extends an invitation to all Master Masons to attend Master Mason Night April 12th at Charlotte Mason Temple. Special Musical and Dance entertainment is planned. Chapter opens at 8 p.m.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

The Lodge extends sympathy to Bro. Walter Brockway on the loss of his wife, and to the family of Bro. Ray Gardner on the loss of his mother.

The following brothers are recuperating from hospital-

ization or illness. Bro. Emmett Cross, Northside Hospital. Bros. Oscar Demersman, James Butterfield, Louis Hall, Charles Sweet, Henry Fournier, Merton Henry Fournier, Merton Frederick, all at home.

CLIO LODGE No. 779

1st and 3rd Tuesdays

One of the most frequent excuses given for our brethren being absent from the lodge meetins, is that the meetins do not start on time and last until too late.

Unfortunately in numerous cases this has been true, but right now attempts are being made to correct this situation. Our Master starts his meeting sharply at EIGHT o'clock, as our by-laws require, and by so doing, we are, even after refreshments, able to leave for home not later than eleven, and perhaps even before. If you are one of the Brethren, who has missed lodge because you would be kept too late, please come out and visit you lodge and rest assured that you will be on your way home by eleven, even after degree work.

On Saturday, February 20th 1965, Clio Lodge held its annual Ladies Night Party at the Barnard Exempts Club on Maiden Lane Road. Under the able leadership of our Jr. Warden Leland B. Hendershot and his gracious wife it was a party well worth attending. We had a delicious dinner, followed by excellent entertainment, dancing, and many door prizes. The evening was highlighted by the very able Master of Ceremonies, none other than our own R. W. Bro. Earl E. Maggs. The committee, and all who helped, are to be congratulated on a job well done, and all who missed the party, missed an evening of good fun and entertainment.

On Tuesday evening, March 2nd, our Master Sr. and Jr. Wardens, Secretary and Treasurer went to the home of Bro. Herbert J. Hogle at 831 Manitou Rd., and presented him with his 50 yr. (fifty) medal and scroll. Bro. Hogle was not physically able to attend the lodge, but hopes to be present at our third degree in May. We congratulate Bro. Hogle on his fifty year membership and hope that he may have the health to enjoy it for many years to come.

Brethren, at our meeting on March 2nd we initiated a class of four new members with Bro. Warren M. Hall in the East and had an attendance of over forty. Why not come out and increase that attendance to fifty or more? Your officers would appreciate it and it would give them the incentive to do better work if possible.

We congratulate, at this time, Bro. and Mrs. Merle D. Amidon of 87 West Ave. Hilton who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on

Thursday, March 4, 1965. We wish them the best and hope they may enjoy many more anniversaries.

We also wish to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Paxton on their 50th wedding anniversary. While Mr. Paxton is not a member of the Craft, Mrs. Paxton (or Sarah as she is know to most of us) is very active in Leah Chapter and has helped with the dinners, etc. that have been put on for Clio Lodge meetings.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. Jas. L. Scorse, 99 Ayer St. improving slowly
Bro. Edw. B. Hendershot, 870 Parma Hamlin TL Rd. condition about the same.

Bro. Walter J. Hall, 306 Lake Ave. improving.
Bro. Wesley Thompson, Lakeside Hospital.

Bro. George R. Dieckman up and around after suffering a broken shoulder.

We wish these Brothers continued improvement in health and hope they attend meetings soon. All these brethren would appreciate calls from the brethren of the lodge. Please report all sickness to the Worshipful Master or the officers so that no onw will be overlooked.

On Friday March 5 Mr. I. B. Lloyd of Fayetteville, Georgia, the Father of our own R. W. Bro. and Rev. I. Vincent Lloyd celebrated his 80th birthday. R. W. Bro. Lloyd flew to Georgia to be with his father for the birthday.

In the class of candidates initiated on March 2 was a young man who was so anxious to receive his degree that he took a three day leave and flew to Hilton from Fort Lee, Virginia. Congratulations to Bro. Donald C. Barnes.

TRESTLEBOARD

April 6 Open Meeting
April 20 2nd Degree by Monroe Commandery #12
May 4 Grand Lodge. Move Up Night - Bro. Warren Hall in East.

May 18 3rd Degree by Hilton Past Masters degree team

June 1 Open Meeting
June 15 Play by 1961 Masters

ETOLIAN LODGE No. 479

2nd and 4th Mondays

The Meeting of 22nd February was, I am sure one of the most interesting evenings, your Master and all those present have enjoyed. R. W. Charles Barron gave a most interesting talk on unknown facts concerning the Masonic Life of George Washington. Congratulations Charley. A good researcher can always come up with interesting facts. Also congratulations are in order to Organist Gordon Merz and his able Choral Group. It was most impressive and many favorable commnts have been made to the Master. On March 8th, the 2nd Degree was conferred on Bros. Thomas M. Armstrong, William E. Breach,

William Mc Bride and Raymond C. Hamblin by Senior Warden Leslie Sale and his very efficient group. Special mention should be given to Sr. Deacon, William Baldwin for his excellent work.

Notice of the Toronto Visitation to Stanley Lodge on April 3rd was stressed. Etolian will confer the 2nd Degree.

G. Edwin Jackson
Master

TRESTLEBOARD

April 3- Toronto Trip
April 12- OPEN MEETING
April 26- OPEN MEETING

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

W. B. Clark Kunes' mother was reported as ill and required the presence of our Secretary.

Brother Douglas James was reported well enough to go back to work by W. Bro. Wallace Lessord, Assistant Secretary.

LODGE BUSINESS

Report by the Jr. Deacon, Sept. Di Lauro, on the Brotherhood Fund was made. He pleads for a greater number of members to give, regardless of the amount.

Brother Jackson, our Master, suggested that the Lodge support R. W. Bro. Harry Kennedy in his prospective trip to Utica Home by as many members of the Lodge as possible on June 8th. Interested Brethren to give committments as early as possible.

Report of the International Students Dinner was made by Brother De Witt. This is an Annual Function of the Service Bureau.

Brother Thomas now seeking names of visitors for the Toronto Trip to Stanley Lodge.

Visitors from the Brockport, Hilton and Churchville Lodges were present for the Degree work and extended invitations to Etolian Brethren to visit their Lodges.

Arrangements are being made to present a 50 year pin to Brother Sidney C. Higbie at his home.

Invitation to Lodge members was extended by W. Bro. Howard Amish to attend the pancake supper to be put on by Etolian Chapter, O.E.S. ON April 10th, and who also thanked W. Bro. Wallace Lessord for the fine house-keeping. At this time the kitchen committee was mentioned as being active.

The excellent work of the Degree Team and the Chairmen of the various Chairmen attest to the Living Work for progress which our Name implies.

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

This month I want you to think about the most important member of our Lodge - You. The officers and I do not make up the Lodge -- you do. If you attend the meeting; if you help the officers; if you encourage another member to attend; then you are doing your best for the Lodge. The officers will do much better work if you are there. Our Brotherhood Fund will reach its goal if you give generously.

A Scholarship Fund has been established for the assistance to worthy members of active chapters of the Order of De Molay in Monroe County or Worthy son of members of Corinthian Temple Lodge #805 F & AM For study at any accredited four (4) year college or university.

The elected Scholarship Committee members are as follows: W. . Bro. James Gisleson; W. . Bro. Warren Trimble and Bro. Lawrence Hill Jr. These members are elected for 1, 2 and 3 years. Successors to these members to be elected at each Annual Communication.

A recipient must meet certain specifications in order to qualify for the Scholarship. They will be thoroughly investigated by the Committee and the final selection shall be made by the Committee.

Due to circumstances beyond my control changes had to be made in the schedule for the month of April.

April 5 - 1st Degree Sr. Warden in the East

April 12 - Rehearsal - Doric Hall 7:30 p.m.

April 19 - 2nd Degree - Jr. Warden in the East

During the Lenten Season let us go about our work in the knowledge that the all-wise Father is the Head of our great fraternity, the unseen guest at all our meetings and the unseen listener in all our deliberations. May good health be with you and the Blessings of the Great Architect shine upon you.

Fraternally yours
Paul C. Kopp
Master

FROM THE WEST

For the month of April the School of Ritual will hold its meetings on April 5th and 29th. These are the only meetings scheduled of the three schools.

Wor. Bro. Matt Barry received his certificate at our last meeting having completed the course of instruction during 1964.

Many interesting anecdotes and historical background on each of the three degrees are presented at the School of Instruction by well informed speakers.

Meetings are from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Two hours worth spending for an enlightening evening and short meeting.

See you there in April.
Bertram M. Steene
Senior Warden

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Bro. Robert E. Faulkner in Strong Hospital due to heart attack.

Bro. Leslie J. Weller in Genesee Hospital - circulation trouble in lower limbs.

The above brothers will be home by the time this paper arrives at your home. No

other sickness has been reported.

Leo F. Green

FROM THE SOUTH

April will be another busy month with the first and second degrees on the trestleboard. It is my belief that no matter how many times you witness these degrees, you gain more light each time the degrees are conferred. Why not make your plans now to attend Lodge this month.

If you have not already marked your calendar, remember the Family Picnic, Saturday, June 12, 1965 at Webster Park. (More later)

The following article appeared in the Fall 1964 issue of the Royal Arch Mason Magazine:

UNIVERSALITY OF MASONRY

My brethren, we of all men, owe it to ourselves and to the world, to be universal in spirit. Universality is a lesson the whole world is learning and must learn. But we ought to know it well already. We ought to be upon the front bench of the world's school setting an example to our more backward school-fellows. Wherever in the world there is a lodge of Masons, there should be a focus on civilization, a center of the idea of universality, radiating reason to put down prejudice and advance justice in the disputes of peoples, and in the disputes of classes, and making for the peace and harmony and civilization that should prevail in this great lodge of the world

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Frank F. Gordnier
Junior Warden

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

WELCOME BROTHERS

We would like to extend a welcome to our newly raised brethren Woodrow W. Schutt, John Ashley, Ronald J. Morthorst, William C. Cole and David Brown who received their 3rd degree of Masonry on January 25, 1965

The degree was conferred by our W. . M. . John L. Briggs K.S. and H.K.T. were effectively portrayed by W. Bros. Merton J. Drum and Charles A. Howley respectively. The first craftsman's part was done by Bro. Malcolm M. Knopf. We were indeed honored once again to have with us Bro. Ken Cooper in his famous role as the seafaring man. The working tools were presented by Bro. John Cromarty. The charge was given by W. . Bro. Roy E. Lloyd Jr. The bible presentation was made by W. . Bro. Gilbert L. Gilbert. Congratulations to all on the degree and to our director of ceremonies W. . Bro. Robert Sanford for a job well done. Our thanks once again to our sisters of the Eastern Star for another fine dinner.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The following officers were elected by the Fellowcraft Club for 1965: President - W. . Bro. Roy E. Lloyd Jr.; Vice President - Bro. John Cromarty; Secretary - Bro. Harrison Cook. Re-elected

Treasurer was Bro. Harold Onderdunk.

The Fellowcraft Club meets regularly on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month. At present plans are being made for our Annual steak roast dinner to be held on April 6 at our temple in West Henrietta. This will be a paid-up dinner for all members of the club. We invite new and old brethren alike to attend. The club is currently investigating the purchase of a tape recorder to be presented to the Lodge for use in degree work.

FIRST DEGREE CONFERRED

On February 23, 1965 by order of the W. . M. . John L. Briggs, Sr. Warden Carl L. French and the brethren of Henrietta Lodge conferred the 1st degree of Masonry on five worthy brothers. The apron presentation was done by W. . Bro. Roy E. Lloyd Jr. Working tools were presented by W. . Bro. Gilbert L. Gilbert. The questions and answers passed between Harrison Cook and John Ashley. A most beautiful historical lecture was done by our distinguished W. . Bro. Joseph A. Raab. The charge was effectively given by W. . Bro. Donald A. Miller.

COMING EVENTS

April 6 - Fellowcraft Steak Roast Dinner

April 13 - First Degree by Sr. Warden Carl L. French

April 27 - 3rd Degree by W. . M. . John L. Briggs

BROTHERHOOD DONATIONS ARE DUE NOW. PLEASE SEND YOUR WITHOUT DELAY TO BRO. NORM JOHNSTONE, 60 Clearview Drive, Pittsford, N.Y.

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

On February 16th our Washington Program proved very interesting. Brother Clarence Van Der Brooke gave an exceptionally interesting talk on Bro. Geo. Washington. On March 2nd Bro. J. W. Norman Vane presided over a very fine 2nd Degree for our 5 candidates.

On Tuesday April 20th, we have planned a very special Ladies Night. At 6:30 p.m. Dinner will be served to the Brothers and their Wives or Lady Friends. At 7:30 p.m. while we have a short meeting, Bro. Isaak De Visser will talk to the Ladies on flowers and gardening. About 8:15 p.m. after Lodge is closed, our Ladies will be invited into the Lodge Room. At this time many of the "Mysteries" of our great Fraternity will be explained. We are sure that the planned program will be of great interest to the Ladies and also to the Brethren. Make your Dinner reservations early as we are limited on how many we can serve in our Dining Room. Notify your J. W. Norman Vane as soon as possible.

The Fellowcraft Club, under the direction of the President Bro. William Frenz is in the process of refinishing the Officers Stations and

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Fraternally yours,
Ralph Kellogg
Master

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R. . W. . Brother John W. Schmidt - Summoned Home February 25, 1965

A past District Deputy in Wayne County and an Honorary Member of Penfield Lodge, R. . W. . Bro. John was one of the most outstanding brothers of the Craft. John spent many hours helping others. In testimony of their love for him, over 200 brothers attended his Masonic service conducted by R. . W. . Mack Hughes of Penfield Lodge. R. . W. . Bro. John will be missed by all who were fortunate enough to have known him. The sincere sympathy of the Lodge is extended to his family.

W. Bro. Peter Ghyzel
Summoned Home March 3, 1965

A Past Master of Penfield Lodge in 1930, W. Bro. Pete

was a very active Member until his illness. A dedicated Mason and a true friend to all who knew him. The Lodge extends its most sincere sympathy to his family.

TRESTLEBOARD

April 6 - 3rd Degree Dinner 6:30 p.m. Degree 7:30 p.m. S. W. Bernard Fitch in the East. Officers Dress Tux
April 8 - Masonic Education Program 8:00 p.m. R. . W. . Mack Hughes Chairman. Required for Candidates, all Brethren welcome.

April 10 - Grand Ball \$3.50 per person Cocktail Hour 6:00 p.m. Green Lantern Inn Fairport, N.Y.

April 13 - Fellowcraft 8 p.m.

April 20 - Ladies Night Dinner 6:30 p.m. Reservations J. W. Norman Vane FR 7-2071 evenings.

May 4 - Move Up Night 8:00 p.m. S. W. Bernard Fitch in the East. Master in New York

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YONNONDIO LODGE
No. 163
1st and 3rd Tuesdays



TRESTLEBOARD

April 6- 1st Degree, Master R. G. & E. Night Dinner 6:15 p.m. call for reservation Bro. W. Buchanan-NO 3-1431
April 20 - 1st Degree, Master
April 27- Fellowcraft Club Father and Son Night (with or without a son)
May 4- 2nd Degree, Junior Warden
May 15- Spring Dinner at Downtowner Motel

PAST MEETING

March 2nd - Third Degree Meeting

Worshipful Master Albert J. Abbazia opened Lodge for business and then conferred the Third Degree. The following brothers were raised: Mark N. Wishman, Rodney M. Patterson, Carl F. Francis, and Rev. Everett L. Waters. The Master was assisted by R. . W. . Bro. Parker, W. Bro. Childs, W. Bro. Scott, and W. Bro. Thone. In attendance were numerous friends who joined in welcoming our new brothers.

COMING EVENTS
April 20th

In addition to the 1st Degree, April 6th, on "R. G. & E. Night", we will repeat the First Degree for a second class of candidates. April 20th. Worshipful Master Albert J. Abbazia will confer the degree. May 15th

A night for which to plan ahead, will be our annual Fellowcraft Spring Dinner. It will again be held at the Downtowner Motel. Watch next months announcements for further details and information.

July 17th

The annual Summer Picnic will be held this year at Ellison Park, main pavilion This location should provide easier accessibility (and a larger turn-out) for the convenience of most of us. One of our attractions will be an auction as well as games and prizes for the children, as in past years. Brother Junior Deacon, Marshal Hughes wishes contributions for the auction. His number for information and donations is TU 9-9559 Additional information will be available in the next issue.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB
February 23rd Meeting

President George Goetzman and Vice President Frank Favata opened the Club business with the assistance of retiring secretary W. Bro. Paul E. Thone and Bro. Alton Childs Jr. In due course Bro. Childs was elected secretary for the year and activities for the coming year were acted upon and work delegated with enthusiasm.

The Fellowcraft Club dramatized the 3rd Degree, March 2nd. The new costumes gave the ceremony added color, and may have been one of the contributing factors which produced an excellent performance.

Father and Son Night, April 27th will be a night open to all Lodge members as well as to the Fellowcraft Club members. Any Master Mason together with his son,

young relative, or friend should plan for this dinner. This is the one time the Mason will have an opportunity to interest young people in the Masonic activities, and also learn more of the young people's De Molay Activities. Our dinner will be followed by a talk and a movie describing De Molay; its Masonic connection, and its relationship to Masonic Education. The program begins at 7:30 p.m. and will last about one and one-half hours so that the young people will be home at a reasonable time. The Lunch is Free!!!
Loren A. Fairbanks
Reporter

FAME LODGE
No. 945

2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Time passes by all of us. Don't you find yourself looking back upon some occasion that you let pass in which you wish now you had participated? We all do, of course. We often hear a recollection of the enjoyment received or the pleasure derived from belonging to a group which has accomplished a deed or goal. Perhaps it was the initiating of a project which has, since, become a worthy cause. Now, when all is done, we wish we had helped.

My Brothers, how many events are passing you by? How many projects are being initiated without your participation or efforts?

How many things will you wish about?

How much enjoyment are you missing?

George H. Johnston Jr.
Master

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Brother Walter Brockway on the passing of his wife on February 22, 1965.

Worshipful Brother Floyd Babcock is now recuperating in Florida. Our best wishes to you Floyd.

Condolences were sent to the family of Rt. Worshipful Brother John Schmidt who we all remember for his fine work in dedicating our Lodge with the Gleason Square Club

APRIL SCHEDULE

April 9 - 7:00 p.m. Fellowcraft Dinner. There will be plenty of Swiss Steak served up for us under the capable hands of that Master Chef, Charlie Weeks. Bring a good appetite. This will be followed by a rehearsal at 8:00 p.m. for the Third Degree. Also, I'm sure we will see some exciting euchre games. April 13 - 6:30 p.m. Roast Beef supper served by the Culver Chapter Eastern Star followed by Third Degree for our Brothers Richard Szonn, William Van De Walle, George Piatt, and Raymond Vicinus.
April 27 - Suggestion Night Here is a chance to air your opinions on what you would like to see done in Lodge,

done with Lodge and done about Lodge.

If you have any news that you would like to appear under Fame Lodge, please submit it to Bob Hebner at UN 5-1658, or George Johnston at FI 2-1623.

You Fraternal Reporter
Robert H. Hebner

CHURCHVILLE LODGE
No. 667

2nd and 4th Wednesdays

On March 10th Bro. Fred Wingate was presented with his 50 year pin by W. . M. . Everett Vail and a fine attendance was on hand to congratulate Bro. Fred on this outstanding accomplishment.

Our second meeting in March was a 1st Degree under the direction of our Senior Warden Truman Hall. Everyone who took part in the Degree is to be commended on a job well done.


The Month of April looks very full for our Lodge. On the 7th our meeting will honor the Past Masters with a dinner at 6:30 p.m. served by Nola Chapter O.E.S. and a suitable program is to follow with the Past Masters taking care of closing the Lodge. I urge all you Brothers to come out on this evening and support your Past Master. Also there will be a 50 year pin presentation to Bro. Roy Granger at this meeting.

On April 10th we will have our annual Ladies nite. This year we are combining this occasion with the Grand Ball to be held at the Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, N. Y. There will be a social hour at 6:00 p.m. with dinner at 7:00 p.m. and dancing until 1:00 a.m. The price is \$7.00 per couple which is extremely reasonable for both dinner and dancing. Dress is informal. 18 tickets are already sold so we should have an excellent turnout. For those of you who do not have your tickets, see Everett Vail for the necessary arrangements.

On the 23rd we are holding our annual Father & Son Banquet. A pancake dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. and a magic show will follow. The tickets are \$1.25 for adults, 75¢ for children 6-12, under age 6 - free. We are hoping for a large turnout for this evening so be sure to make a note of the date.

Our final meeting in April the 28th, will be a combined meeting with the Brothers from Oatka Lodge in Scottsville and the 61 Masters will present their new play. Lets have a good attendance for this special evening.

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NORTHFIELD LODGE
No. 426
1st and 3rd Thursdays

Again this year the lodge is experiencing another poor attendance record. To correct this situation we are trying to create more activities and dinner meetings. We have already had two dinner meetings and attendance has gone up considerably. Along with this our programs committee is lining up some good activities to be announced at a later date.

The brotherhood fund is off to a very good start. R. . W. . H. Kennedy informs us a large portion of the local brethren have been contacted personally, and through this fine effort we should have a very successful campaign.

The Lodge still has a good number of Worlds Fair tickets which we would like to dispose of before July 1st. The price of these tickets are \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children. See myself or Bro. Thibaut for tickets. (Savings - See R. . W. . Bro. Donald Walzer's article)

We have four new candidates for membership into Northfield Lodge. Let's turn out and give some support to these new members. Bro. Mc Connell needs some more assistance with the fellowcraft club.

Don't forget the Masonic Grand Ball on April 10 at the Green Lantern Inn, in Fairport, N.Y. I have tickets at \$3.50 per person.

Fraternally yours,
Charles Overslaugh

TRESTLEBOARD

April 1 - 3rd degree 1st section 6:00 p.m.; Dinner at 7:15 p.m.

April 15 - Regular meeting
May 6 - Move Up Night
June 23 - Northfield O.E.S. annual picnic

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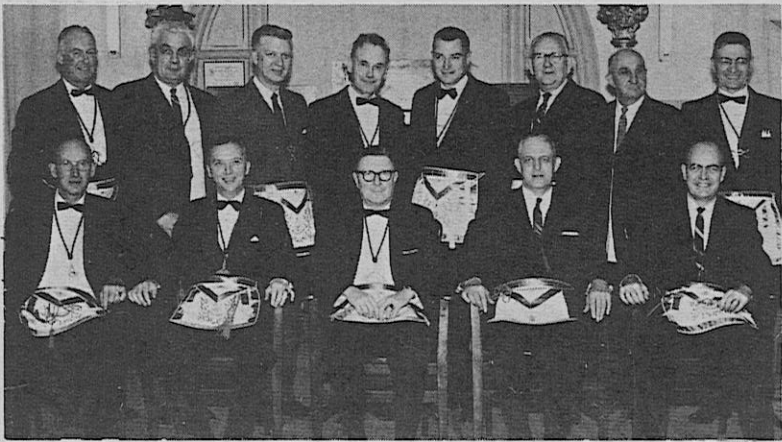
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WAKAN LODGE
No. 1054

1st and 3rd Wednesdays

MASTER'S MESSAGE

On the February 17 meeting Wakan Lodge was honored by the Past Masters of the lodge conferring the First Degree. The ritual work was done in a very fine manner. The Past Masters agreed it was enjoyable to "work" in Lodge again. Wakan is very fortunate to have such fine Worshipful Brothers who still give of their time in support of the Lodge. Wakan is deeply indebted to all of these fine Brothers.

The offices were filled as follows:

Master - W. Bro. Harrison Grotzinger; Sr. Warden - W. Bro. Henry Drury; Jr. Warden - W. Bro. Herbert Sweemer; Sr. Deacon - R. . W. . Bro. Charles Thompson; Jr. Deacon - W. Bro. Robert Zabel; Sr. M.C. - W. Bro. Wilford Crayton; Jr. M.C. - W. Bro. Donald Darrohn; Sr. Steward - W. Bro. Fred Nielsen; Jr. Steward - W. Bro. Fred Yackel; Marshall - W. Bro. David Graham; Chaplain - W. Bro. Charles Farrell; Bible Presentation - W. Bro. Eric Lewis; Apron Presentation - W. Bro. Robert Orne; Questions - W. Bro. Robert Zabel; Answers - W. Bro. Charles Farrell; Whys - W. Bro. Charles Farrell; Whereofers - W. Bro. Donald Darrohn; Historical Lecture - W. Bro. Robert Orne; Charge - W. Bro. Robert Zabel; Working Tools - W. Bro. Charles Farrell.

SICKNESS

Bro. Lincoln Osborne has had a heart attack and is at home and under a doctor's care.

R. . W. . Bro. Charles Thompson's wife is in Northside Hospital for surgery. Please notify the secretary or the master of sickness or distress.

TRESTLEBOARD

April 7 - Second Degree - Bro. Eugene Waddington in the East. Bro. Robert Pettit will give the Middle Chamber Lecture.

Questions & Answers - Bro. Robert Zollweg and Charles Jutsum. Charge by W. Bro. Robert Orne.

April 19 - Fellowcraft re-

hersal at W. Bro. Robert Zabel's home, 193 Stony Point Trail, Webster April 21 - Third Degree - W. Bro. Erwin Keiser in the East. W. Bro. Charles Farrell will do the Lecture and W. Bro. Fred Nielsen will do the charge.

(NO DINNER)
May 5 - Father & Son Dinner - 6:15 at the Lodge Hall This will be move up night with Bro. Vernon Bishop in the East. The sons will be entertained by Bro. Lincoln Cundall and his electric show If you have no son, bring a nephew or neighbor's son.

Seated (Left to Right)
R. . W. . Bro. Charles Thompson; W. Bro. Henry Drury, W. Bro. Harrison Grotzinger; W. Bro. Herbert Sweemer; W. Bro. Robert Zabel

Standing (Left to Right)
W. Bro. Robert Orne; W. Bro. Fred Nielsen; W. Bro. Wilford Crayton; W. Bro. Eric Lewis; W. Bro. Donald Darrohn; W. Bro. Charles Farrell; W. Bro. Fred Yackel; W. Bro. David Graham.

SENECA LODGE
No. 920

3rd Tuesday

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:
The Fellowcraft Committee has been appointed, consisting of Bro. Clifford Heir, Chairman, assisted by Bros. Bruce Hansen, James Frederick, Graham Hartzel, Robert Wood, and Cameron (Ted) Collins. My thanks to Junior Warden Ellsworth Van Graafeiland and his nominating committee for selecting these capable brothers whom I know will execute plans for the good of Seneca for the coming year.

Just for the record (refer to the last two Trestleboards) Bro. Harry C. Kittredge Jr., local paper box magnate) is really Senior Warden of Seneca Lodge!

It was appreciated that so many brothers appeared at the Masonic Funeral Service for Wor. Bro. William W. Ickes, Past Master. Mrs. Helen Harmon Ickes has expressed her personal gratitude to you through me.

Thanks also to Most Worshipful Bros. Clarence J. Henry and Rt. Wor. Bro. Howard W. Niven for re-appearing for retakes of the officers' pictures we thought

we had on December 15. The pictures were excellent, considering the subject matter!

I have asked Wor. Bro. Ed Wilkerson to order more of those bargain priced World's Fair tickets as requested at the Area Meeting on February 5.

The response to the letters on the Brotherhood Fund has been excellent. Chairman Bro. Dave Crumrine tells me the Every Member Canvass will soon begin.

Fraternally yours,
George W. Patterson
Master

FROM THE SECRETARY

The discount period is about up for this year and several Brothers have not as yet sent in their dues for 1965 and there are a few who have not sent in the dues owing for 1964. Won't you sit down NOW and write out that check SQUARING yourself with your Lodge? Your dues card will be returned promptly.

SENECA CALENDAR

April 20 - Third Degree Dinner at 6:30 - Lodge opens promptly at 5:30 p.m.
May 15 - Annual Ladies Night Party. St. Andrews visitation. Special Communication at 2:30 p.m. Social hour at 6:30 p.m. at Towne House with dinner at 7:30 p.m. followed by dancing and entertainment.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. Herbert W. Crickshank has been flown to Honolulu, accompanied by his son Bill to a noted rehabilitation clinic there. Bill is also a member of Seneca.

Bro. Fay R. Blanchard, retired Gannett newspaper executive, is now living in Ojia, California, is making satisfactory progress after surgery.



1. Bro. Culver K. Barr-Junior M. of C.; 2. Bro. Richard M. Palmer-Steward; 3. Bro. Robert W. McCarty- Steward; 4. Wor. Bro. Earl R. Spilberg- Tiler; 5. Rt. Wor. Bro. Wm. W. Oliver-Chaplain; 6. Bro. David S. Crumrine- Marshall; 7. Bro. Frederick S. Russell-Chaplain; 8. Bro. Wm. D. Staples-Asst. S. D.; 9. Bro. Raymond L. Riddell- Sr. M. of C.; 10. Bro. Allen M. Brewer- Sr. Deacon; 11. Bro. Warren R. Lewis- Jr. Deacon; 12. Rev. Bro. Franklyn B. Laundry- Chaplain; 13. Bro. Wm. H. Hudson- Dir. of Music; 14. Wor. Bro. Ward R. Turner- Sec.; 15. Bro. Harry C. Kittredge Jr.- Sr. Warden; 16. Wor. Bro. George W. Patterson-Master; 17. Bro. Ellsworth A. Van Graafeiland- Jr. Warden.

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

FROM THE EAST

I would like very much to include in this column a transcript of the speech, "You Are Now Entitled to Take Your Seat Among Your Brethren", delivered by R. . W. . Br. Wilford E. Hawkins at our March first communication. The message has much worth and R. . W. . Br. Hawkins presentation makes it most meaningful through his own sincerity. Br. Joseph Schofield entertained the lodge with several fine organ selections. Many thanks to both of these brothers.

Br. S. W. A. Harry Reetz and the officers are to be commended for the excellent work performed in the degree of Fellowcraft. W. Br. Paul Robertson's delivery of the charge was a credit to masonry. It would be rewarding to have more of our members share these fine performances which can only result through arduous preparations.

Our April 5 meeting will feature sport movies procured from New York. One film is an automobile race film.

April 19, third degree will be conferred by the Masonic War Veterans in full dress. Dinner will be at six-thirty. Tickets are available through the officers. It is hoped that this event will be well attended.

The Grand Ball will be held at The Green Lantern in Fairport on April 10. A sirloin of beef dinner followed by dancing will cost \$3.50 per person. There will be plenty of free parking. Contact your master for tickets.
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**OATKA LODGE
No. 759**

2nd and 4th Wednesdays

At the regular Communication of Oatka Lodge #759 held on February 24, 1965, the Degree of Entered Apprentice was conferred on Br. Joseph Lipa and Br. Gerald Sanders with the Jr. Warden, Br. Gilbert Ralston, in the East. The Master thanked Br. Ralston and the other officers for a fine performance on their first degree work for the new year. One petition was given the benefit of the ballot, and Mr. Charles Siple was elected to membership by initiation.

The March 10 Communication was a special program for all brothers, but particularly for the newer brothers of the lodge. Short talks were given by Rt. Wor. Ike De Kramer, W. Br. Geo. Hall, W. Br. Charles Webb and W. Br. James Morrow on some of the duties and work of the various officers and functions of the Lodge. After the talks a Question and Answer period followed which proved to be very enlightening. The response of our newer brother in attending this event was very encouraging.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Brother Ray Patenaude is resting at home from the hospital in Syracuse after a severe heart attack. W. Br. Lewis Oakes continues to improve at home after a second operation on his back. W. Br. George Wagor has been confined to his home with a respiratory ailment. Cards to these Brothers will be appreciated.

James D. Morrow Jr.
Master

TRESTLEBOARD

April 2 - School of Ritual 2nd Degree, Masonic Temple, Rochester, 7:30. Portions of work to be exemplified by officers of Oatka Lodge.

April 7 - Fellowcraft Meeting.

April 10 - Grand Ball, Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, cocktails 6:00, dinner 7:00, price \$7.00 per couple. The Master has tickets for 2nd Monroe District. Call LU 6-2744.

April 14 - Regular Communication - business meeting - discussion of building uses and Lodge dues.

April 24 - Masters and Wardens meeting, Northfield Lodge #426, Pittsford, dinner at 6:30.

April 28 - Regular Communication - Travel to Churchville Lodge #667, Churchville, for a combined communication. W. Br. Everett Vail has a program planned, a play by the Masters of 1961 Lodge will open early at 7:30 at the Temple, Scottsville. We will close as soon as business is finished and then drive to Churchville.

April 29 - School of Lodge Administration, Masonic Temple, Rochester, 7:30.

All Communications and Meetings at 8:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted.

**ANCIENT CRAFT LODGE
No. 943**

2nd and 4th Wednesdays

FROM THE EAST

Time is flying fast and one quarter of my year as Master has gone by. I feel that I haven't begun to make a dent in the things I want to do this year. Some progress has been made toward reaching our twin goals of better attendance and new members. It has given me

a great deal of pleasure to see new faces in the lodge this year. I am grateful to my attendance committee for their untiring efforts in bringing out the brothers.

The Brotherhood Fund Campaign is reaching the closing months and Ancient Craft has not made a very good showing thus far. We as Masons should take pride in the existence of our Masonic Medical Research Laboratory at Utica, and when we realize that not one cent is received from Grand Lodge per capita tax for its support, then the necessity of our support of this outstanding institution through the Brotherhood Fund is impressed upon us.

Let me list a few of the accomplishments and goals of the laboratory. One outstanding accomplishment was the research on Rheumatic Fever which has resulted in virtual elimination of this disease, and research is going on in the fields of Gerontology and Geriatrics. The goals are a complete understanding of the aging process and diseases of the aged. This research will benefit each and every one of us. A contribution to the Brotherhood Fund is a contribution to your own health and a longer life. Can you afford not to invest in your own future?

I am looking forward to greeting all of you, my Brothers. Come to Ancient Craft Lodge and give me the opportunity.

Fraternally,
Lee Perkins
Master

FROM THE WEST

My thanks to all the brothers from Farrel Corporation and our own lodge who made our Second Annual Farrel Night such a success. I thank the 1961 Masters for their most entertaining play.

Your help in reaching our Grand Master's goal in the Brotherhood Fund Campaign is urgently needed. Call Brother Don Hollenbaugh, Chairman; or our Secretary W. Wilson Daboll and give freely.

Fraternally,
Ernie Curtis

The Second Annual Lodge Bowling Party was held at Dewey Gardens Lanes on Saturday, March 13. There were 58 people present and all had a wonderful time. After bowling three games all were treated to a fine Buffet Lunch. For the first time, in the recollection of many who were there, everyone who made a reservation attended this affair. All the credit for the success of this party goes to Bud Noll, our Junior Warden, who labored long and hard to put it over.

The First Degree of Masonry was conferred on Norris E. Curtis and Robert N. Simon on Wednesday, March 10.

Lloyd Mc Guire is at Strong Memorial Hospital in critical condition and cannot receive visitors at the time of this writing. A card from any of the Brethren will help lighten his load.

Stanley G. Badura was called by the Supreme Architect of the Universe on Tuesday, the 9th of March. Masonic Funeral Services were held Thursday, March 11 at the Drier Funeral Home.

COMING EVENTS

April 14 the Second Degree will be conferred and on May 10 the Third Degree will be given.

**GENESEE FALLS LODGE
No. 507**

1st and 3rd Thursdays

FROM THE EAST

Brethren: April promises to be an eventful month. First, the Junior Warden, Raymond Ring will be in the East and will initiate the candidates of the second class. At our April 15th meeting the "61" masters will present their play, "The Hearts of Our Fathers", under the direction of Wor. Bro. Sherman Judd.

Brethren, let us take up the subject of the Masonic Brotherhood Fund. Thus far just 10% of our membership have responded to the call. What about the other 89%? We have just eight more weeks before the drive ends. The drive ends May 31. If you have not sent in your contribution DO SO NOW. Remember this is the year of the Big Drive. Send your contribution to Bro. William Zufal, chairman of the Brotherhood Fund, 54 Girton Place, Rochester 7, N.Y.

The Masonic Grand Ball, sponsored by the Masters and Wardens association, will be held April 10, 1965 at the Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, New York. Tickets can be purchased from the Master and the Wardens. All masons and their wives are invited. Tickets sell for \$3.50 per person.

The De Molay will award their highest Honor to Bro. Senator Kenneth B. Keating. The public ceremony will take place Saturday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. in Cathedral Hall, Masonic Temple. All masons and their wives are invited.

The Fellowcraft Club held their annual Spring Party at Logans April 13th. The party was well attended. Every one had a wonderful time. Many thanks to the chairman, Bro. John Freeman and his committee.

I want to wish you all a Happy Easter Season and may the weather match your expectations.

Samuel M. Railing
Master

TRESTLEBOARD

April 1 - 7:30 First Degree - Junior Warden in the East.

April 8 - 7:30 First Degree April 8 - Rehearsal - Second Degree

April 10 - Masonic Grand Ball - Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, New York

April 15 - 7:30 Business; "61" Masters Play - "The Hearts of Our Fathers"

April 17 - 3:30 p.m. De Molay Award to Bro. Senator Kenneth B. Keating, Cathedral Hall, Masonic Temple

April 18 - EASTER Sunday April 22 - 7:30 Officers Meeting and Fellowcraft Meeting

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

William Archer, Lakeside, California

Gordon Bettors, 45 Lapham Street

Albert Bird, 357 Hampton Boulevard

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John Bowman, 171 N. Union Street

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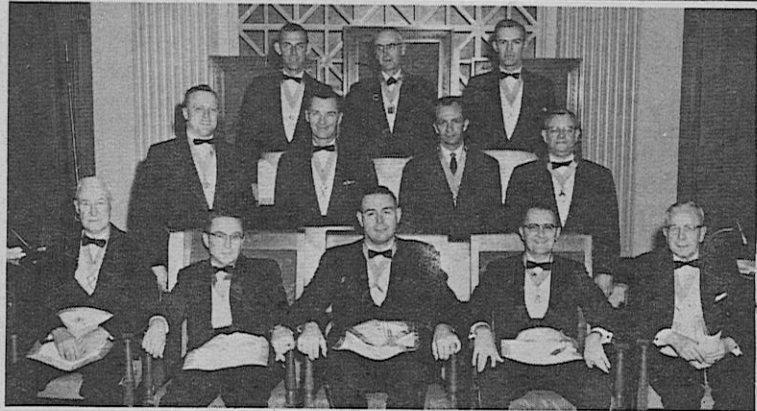
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FRANK L. SIMES LODGE
 No. 990
 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Dear Brethren:

Knocking on the outer door of a lodge is a Masonic custom well known to every candidate for admission. Much of its symbolism comes from the familiar, homely knock on the door of one's house, which has been a figure of speech in almost every era. "Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me."

Even before he presents himself at the lodge room for initiation, the average candidate is more or less aware of the opportunities for new friendships and worth-while social intercourse that being a Mason will provide. He probably believes that he will have certain duties of attendance and lodge business to attend to, once his membership is consummated. He may even be eager to complete the degree because he can then participate in the activities of other orders and associations. It is possible that he realizes that as a Mason he will have opportunities to participate in "good works" of a charitable nature.

Praiseworthy as each of these expectations undoubtedly is, they are insufficient to give the candidate a true appreciation of what a Mason really should be seeking.

Too many serious new Masons have come away from lodge meeting disappointed and a-hungering. Instead of further light and inspiration to supplement their experience during initiation, they merely witness the same degree work that left their questions unanswered, and does nothing to answer them now that they are actually Freemasons. They gave three distinct knocks; the door was opened; but they still haven't found that which they are seeking. They still aren't sure that they know what it is.

If each seeker of the Light in Masonry could be helped to understand the symbolism of the three distinct knocks, it would strengthen his devotion to the laudable purposes of his undertaking. When a poor blind candidate knocks upon the door of a great Fraternity whose tenets are Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth, let him understand that his knockin represents a prayerful petition for those spir-

itual gifts-- and his experience throughout his initiation will be richer and more significant. He will be more duly and truly prepared to learn that Freemasonry is a never-ending search for Light and Love.

In a short time, we will be extending the hand of fellowship and brotherhood to a number of men who will be raised as Master Masons in our lodge. Let us make them welcome. Let us open the door and bring them across the threshold to a new life; a life of dedication and service; a life filled with new challenges and new experiences; a life whose path is illuminated by the Great Light in Masonry; truly a life worth living.

George Stear
 Worshipful Master

Calendar of Events

- April 6 - Officers Meeting - Doric Hall - 7:30 p.m. Rehearsal for the Second Degree.
- April 13 - Regular Meeting - Doric Hall - 7:45 p.m. - Movies followed by refreshments.
- April 17 - De Molay confers the Degree of Honorary Legion of Honor on the Honorable Kenneth B. Keating - 3:00 p.m. - Cathedral Hall.
- April 17 - Ladies Night at the Party House - Beahan Road - 6:00 p.m. - A delicious dinner followed by dancing - Valuable door prizes for the ladies - Price \$5.50 per person or \$11.00 per couple. Reservations: Call W. . George Stear, BU 8-6253 or Bro. Ray Sterling, UN 5-9124.
- April 20 - Fellowcraft Club meeting at the home of Bro. James Cooper - 12 Larchwood Drive, Pittsford.
- April 27 - Second Degree - with Bro. Robert Grot, our Senior Warden in the East - Doric Hall - 7:45 p.m.

ANNUAL LADIES NIGHT

My Brethren:

Once a year, Frank L. Simes members honor their ladies. This year Ladies Night will be held on April 17. This date has been chosen so we can, at least, hope for fair weather. Lets try to make this another banner year for

our ladies.

Where: Party House, Beahan Road.

When: April 17th.
 Price: \$5.50 per person
 Cocktails 6:30 - Dinner 7:30
 Dancing 9:00 to 12:00
 Entertainment and door prizes.

Letter for reservations to follow. Fraternally,
 Raymond E. Sterling
 Junior Warden

ROCHESTER LODGE
 No. 660

2nd and 4th Mondays
 Brethren:

How long is it since you have attended a lodge meeting? This question is directed, not to the faithful brothers who are always in attendance, nor even to those who come once or twice a year. It is directed to the brothers who have been conspicuous by their absence since receiving the third degree. Are you one of them? If so, now is the time to start attending. The Lodge needs you and you need the fellowship you have been missing. Promise yourself, if at all possible, to give one night a month to your lodge. You'll feel amply repaid if you keep that promise. Your Officers and the committees can work more effectively when there are fewer vacant seats.

We have had two first degrees and an open meeting at which we were treated to a talk by Brother Sidney Z. Davidson, City Court Judge, which was very interesting and entertaining to all present. On April 26th, a movie entitled "That Age May Be Golden" will be shown.

TRESTLEBOARD

April 12th - A Second Degree will be conferred.

SUMMONED BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT
 Brother Gilbert W. Dawson, raised October 25, 1920; Died February 24, 1965.

Wor. Bro. Robert E. Fridd, raised December 7, 1939; Died March 5, 1965. Bro. Fridd was Master in 1957; Chaplain, and Secretary of the Fellowcraft Club at the time of his death.

Our sincere sympathy goes out to the families of these brothers.

IMPORTANT DATES AHEAD

Masonic Grand Ball at the Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, N.Y. on April 10th.

The Annual Spring Party of Rochester Lodge will be held at Logan's on Scottsville Rd. on April 30th. Don't miss this! Social hour at 6:30 p.m. - Dinner at 7:30 and Dancing from 9:30. Your lady will enjoy this party. Bring your friends. It's open to masons and non-masons. Call me or any officer for your reservation before April 26th. I hope to see you there.

Wor. Bro. Charles E. Kase, president of the Fellowcraft Club, urges you to be present at the next regular meeting on April 5th. New and old members and prospective members please take notice. A large attendance is anticipated for fun, fellowship and fine lunch. Fraternally,
 Sherman J. Anderson
 Master

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GERMANIA LODGE
No. 722
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Master's Letter

Dear Brother:

Due to the fact that Germania Lodge paper "The 722" and Monroe Masonic News were carrying the same news items and that Germania members were receiving both papers, it was voted at the February 10th meeting to discontinue the "722" as of the March issue. This decision will enable Germania Lodge to save a considerable amount of money and will not impair the news items and notices which were formerly published in the "722".

In the future all news items and notices pertaining to Germania Lodge activities will be found in the "Monroe Masonic News". I am sure that you will find this arrangement satisfactory and that it will greatly benefit Germania Lodge financially.

Fraternally,
Howard Pfaudler
Master

COMING EVENTS FOR APRIL

- April 7 - Officers Rehearsal Doric Hall 8:00 p.m.
- April 14 - Business Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- April 22 - Fellowcraft Rehearsal 8:00 p.m.
- April 28 - Third Degree

SICKNESS

- Clarence Smith - Home - 7 Herbert Street
- Emil Zillich - Home
- James Kemp - Home - 28 Carl Street
- John Schlosser - Home - 607 Seward Street
- Lyle Adame - Home - 64 Earl Street
- Walter Lang - Home - 345 Magnolia Street
- James Pickworth - Home - 185 Ripplewood Drive
- Eugene Hasert - Plymouth Gardens
- Henry Wolf - County Infirmary
- Earl N. Bertch - Home - 763 Maple Street - Webster

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April 20 Business Meeting

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

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Elton O. Perrine
Senior Warden

FLOWER CITY LODGE
No. 910
2nd Tuesday

CONGRATULATIONS

Bro. and Mrs. Gerald Sukert on the birth of a son, David Alan.

Bro. Bernard Waltuck on his marriage to Bonnie Mae Helfer, of Rochester, N.Y.

Bro. Samuel Poze, who has been installed for the second year as General Chairman of the Israel Bond Drive.

Wor. Alfred Kovel, who is serving as Secretary of the Masters and Wardens Association and as a member of the Board of Directors of the Masonic Service Bureau.

Bro. and Mrs. Robert Case on the birth of a son.

ON THE SICK LIST

Rt. Wor. Sam Markus; Wor. Ben Leve; Bro. Labori Krass; Bro. Sam Rosen; Bro. Max Cowan; Bro. Israel Frohman; Bro. Albert M. Cohen.

WE EXTEND OUR SYMPATHY TO:

Bro. Bernard Shapiro in the passing of his father.
Bro. Sol Levin in the passing of his brother.
Bro. Arthur A. Nusbaum in the passing of his sister.

To all brethren of the Jewish, we take this opportunity to extend best wishes for a very happy Passover Holiday, and to all our Christian brethren cordial greetings on the celebration of Easter.

TRESTLEBOARD

April 13. Third Degree by W. Alfred Kovel.
April 27. Open Meeting. Guest speaker, Bro. Hon. Sidney Davidson, City Court Judge. Refreshments.

OPEN MEETING

Attention is specifically directed to the Open Meeting which is being held on April 27, at which our guest speaker will be Bro. and Hon. Sidney Z. Davidson, City Court Judge. Judge Davidson, who was originally scheduled to be with us during the month of March, has promised us a most interesting talk, and we look forward to a good attendance for what

should be an enlightening evening. The good Judge is one of the most colorful figures in the local judiciary.

ANNUAL LADIES NIGHT

The Annual Ladies Night Dinner-Dance was held at the Sheraton on Saturday, March 13, and saw a crowd of over 150 members and their ladies sit down to an enjoyable dinner, and later dance to the music of Len Hawley and his Orchestra, with delightful entertainment provided by the incomparable Brenner Sisters. Unfortunately, your reporter had to rush his wife to Genesee Hospital with a suspected fracture as a result of a fall in the Hotel, and members will be happy to know that X-rays proved negative and nothing more serious than a severe sprain of the left arm proved a dismal end to what should have been a happy evening.

ATTENTION - KEGLERS

The Annual Flower City Bowling Tournament will take place on Sunday, April 11, at Clover Lanes at 8:00 p.m. Full details are in the mail; please send in your reservations for this popular event.

CRAFTSMAN LODGE
No 969

1st and 3rd Tuesday

Brethren,

Congratulations to our newly raised brothers! We hope to see you in your lodge regularly. My heartiest thanks to each and every one that took part in these degrees. Our third degree was an excellent degree put on by our Sr. Warden, Bro. Evatt Jicha. The second half was also excellent on the part of the Fellowcraft Club under the direction of Wor. Bro. William Wood. Many thanks to all the members of the Fellowcraft Club and Past Masters who took part.

While our degree work is over for the first half of my year, April still brings a lot of lodge and other Masonic activities. Our two meetings on April 6th and 20th respectively will be Open Meetings with entertainment under the direction of our Jr. Warden Bro. Wil-

bur Wolff.

The Officers of Craftsman Lodge will participate in the second degree work at the Masonic School of Ritual on April 2nd. Here is an opportunity for all members to observe our lodge officers as well as other lodge officers perform degree work.

I would like to mention the 1965 Dinner and Grand Ball for Masons and their wives of Monroe County on April 10th. This promises to be the big social event of the year and gives all Masons a chance to see and meet their Grand Lodge Officers. This year's Ball will be held in Fairport at the Green Lantern Inn. Any one desiring tickets for this please see me. I have a good supply of tickets but capacity is limited so act now. The cost is very reasonable and dress is optional.

At the present time the number of contributors to the Masonic Brotherhood Fund is 47. Again, I urge each and every one of you to make your contributions during the month of April to Wor. Bro. John Bjers so that Craftsman Lodge will have a good report for Grand Lodge in May.

See you in lodge!
Fraternally,
Robert C. Hull
Master

JUNIOR WARDENS COLUMN

Another Big Event has come and gone - the Annual Spring Party at Happy Acres Country Club was another successful event. All those present had a wonderful time. The food was delicious and the entertainment superb. Music and dancing to your liking helped to make the evening most enjoyable. Should we do this more often? Some of the usual party goers were missing due to other commitments. Yes, they really missed a good time.

The April meetings are open meetings. We will have entertainment and lunch at both meetings. Those who attended our last meeting of March 16th enjoyed viewing the 1964 World Series movies. Thanks to our good and faithful advertisers, Anderson Coca Cola.

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Many thanks to our Asst. Senior Deacon, Brother Jay Painton, for the splendid and efficient job he did as Chairman of the Spring Party.
Wilbur W. Wolff
Junior Warden

LOOKING AHEAD

Tuesday April 6
Regular Communication -- Ionic Hall, 7:30 p.m. Business Meeting - Lunch - Entertainment.

Wednesday April 7
Bowling - Clover Lanes, 9:30 p.m.

Wednesday April 14
Bowling - Clover Lanes, 9:30 p.m.

Tuesday April 19
Regular Communication -- Ionic Hall, 7:30 p.m. Business Meeting - Lunch - Entertainment.

Wednesday April 21
Bowling - Clover Lanes 9:30

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Ladies Organization NEWS

LET'S GO VISITING-LADIES

4/3 - Constellation #5, Regular Meeting.
 4/5 - Amo Chapter #547, O.E.S., Meeting and Cup sale
 4/6 - Nola Chapter #368, O.E.S., Regular Meeting.
 4/8 - University Star #797, O.E.S., Birthday and Banquet.
 4/10 - Fidelity Triangle - Installation and 59th Anniversary.
 4/12 - Amo Chapter #547, Past Matrons Club.
 4/14 - Nola Chapter #368, O.E.S. Dinner for Past Masters of Churchville Lodge.
 4/15 - University Star #797, O.E.S., Easter Meeting.
 4/19 - Amo Chapter #547, O.E.S., Sideliners Night.
 4/20 - Nola Chapter #368, O.E.S., Easter Program.
 4/21 - Fidelity Triangle and Franklin Stebbins Court.
 4/22 - University Star #797 R.G.&E. Demonstration.
 4/23 - Amo Chapter #547, O.E.S., Card Party. Fidelity Triangle honoring the De Molay.
 4/26 - Amo Chapter #547, O.E.S. Sistercraft Meeting Flower City Link #38, O.G.C. Retirement Ceremonies.
 4/28 - Amo Chapter #547, Tour.

NOLA CHAPTER No. 368

Order of the Eastern Star

March 2nd we had the Official Visit of the District Grand Chapter Officials. M. W. Jennie M. Lord, Past Grand Matron, R. W. Mary Le Fevre, Dist. Deputy Grand Matron, R. W. Bernard Fitch Dist. Lecturer and R. W. Laura Reynolds - Grand Chaplain. The presence of the many present and past matrons and patrons as well as the many chapter and visiting Chapter Members made the occasion a memorable one.

March 27 The Chapter will put on a dinner for the Lodge. Serving at 6:30. This will be honoring Junior Wardens & Masters.

April 6 Regular Meeting
 April 14 The Chapter will put on another dinner for the Lodge honoring the Past Masters of Churchville Lodge.

April 20 Regular meeting will be held and an Easter program should make the evening very interesting. Chairman Eleanor Lanctot and Co - Chairman Abby Learn.

May 4 Regular Meeting. This will be Mother's Day Dinner.

Just a little reminder. We will hold our annual Rummage Sale on June 18 & 19 at Odd Fellows Hall in Bergen. Call Onnolee Daycock, or Mary Shakeshaft if you have any rummage.

We will be looking forward to seeing everyone again. Please try to be with us.

Fraternally,
 Gladis Herrington

UNIVERSITY STAR CHAPTER No. 797

Order of the Eastern Star

We would like to express our appreciation and delight for the excellence of the ritualistic work on the occasion of our Official Visit on February 18. A big thank you to each and every one who had a part - great or small -

in the success of the evening. It was truly the high point of our year!

Please note the following dates for April:

April 1 - 8:00 p.m. - Room B. Past Matrons' and Patrons' Night. We are looking forward to honoring all past matrons and patrons to whom University Star owes so much. Dining Room Group II - S Arlene Ansberger, Chairman and S. Gladys Mc Caw, Co-Chairman.
 April 8 - Birthday Banquet - Party House, 677 Beahan Rd. 6:30 p.m. Associate Matron Joan Clark is Chairman. From all indications, this will be a wonderful affair with excellent food and entertainment. Let's all turn out for the 39th anniversary of the founding of University Star!

April 15 - Regular meeting 8:00 p.m. - Room B. There will be a program of Easter music. Dining Room Group II - S. Arlene Ansberger, Chairman and S. Gladys Mc Caw Co-Chairman.

April 22 - Rochester Gas and Electric Food demonstration - 7:45 p.m. Plan to attend, bring your friends, and learn culinary secrets while making money for our Chapter.

Best wishes to all of our members who celebrate birthdays in April: S. Florence Martin the 3rd; S. Eleanor Fonda the 5th; S. Jane Northrup the 6th; S. Anna Gannuso the 7th; R. W. Jean Newbrook and W. Ada Whitcomb the 8th; W. Donald Stothard the 16th; S. Mary Williams the 19th; S. Emma Le Hay and S. Martha Hull the 25th; W. Frances Brouwer the 27th; and S. Evelyn De Lorm the 29th.

Sincerely and Fraternally,
 W. Teddy Ford, Matron
 R. W. John Williams, Patron

AMO CHAPTER No. 547

Order of the Eastern Star

The Worthy Patron and I would like to thank all the Officers and everyone for the nice Official Visit, and a special thanks to the Protom Officers. You all did a wonderful job.

The first thing coming up on our April calendar is the Rummage Sale to be held on Friday, April 2nd at 212 West Main Street. Everyone please save your Rummage. If unable to deliver it Thursday evening at the store, please call one of the line officers. We also need volunteers to help at the sale, the 1st and 2nd.

Then is our Regular Meeting on April 5, followed by a cup sale.

Past Matrons' Club will meet April 12 at the home of Wilma Maibaum.

On April 19, we will honor our Sideliners at our meeting.

April 23 is a date to remember - we are planning a card party at the home of

Sister Florence Press our Associate Matron. There will be table prizes and refreshments. And door prizes Everyone is welcome.

April 26 is our Sistercraft meeting at the home of Sue Lawrence with Elsie Reed as hostess.

Don't forget April 28 is the tour of Kane's Furniture store at 7:30 p.m. Everyone please try to be out and bring your relatives and friends as this is a way to make money for the Chapter.

Under sickness and distress, Sister Clara Coomber was rushed to the hospital (Genesee) March 2nd. She has had her operation and is feeling much better. Sister Lois Blose has been in the hospital and is now home.

Sister Lina Wolford has been in the hospital and is now home convalescing.

Sister Mary Beach is in the General Hospital.

Sister Virginia Straight's husband, Roscoe, passed away in Florida.

Sister Maude Kline is now living at the Dunk Nursing Home on Rutgers Street.

Sister Maureen Woodburn's mother passed away.

The Chapter extends sympathy to all these members.
 W. M. Marge C. Blohm
 W. P. Floyd C. Coomber

OATKA CHAPTER No. 320

Order of the Eastern Star

April 15 - Regular stated meeting of the Chapter. W. M. Ruth Siple, W. P. Walter Siple, presiding in the East.

April 27 - The Ruth Siple Officers and Members club will hold their Annual Spring Banquet Meeting. (Place to be announced later.) All chapter members are welcome to come and to bring a guest. Reservations may be made with A. M. Carol Lang - ID 6-3161. Time is 6:30 p.m.

May 6 - Regular stated meeting of the Chapter. W. M. Ruth Siple and W. P. Walter Siple presiding in the East. On this night we will honor our Mothers.

May 8 - Annual Spring Luncheon of the Chapter. Luncheon and Card Party will be held at 1:00 p.m. at the Scottsville Masonic Temple. The public is invited. Reservations may be made with A. Cond. Ida Kern DU 1-5392.

The Worthy Matron and her officers wish to thank all members of the Chapter and brothers from Oatka Lodge #759 who assisted in anyway to make our Spaghetti Supper of February 27th such a success.

The Worthy Matron and members wish to extend best wishes to Worthy Sister Mary Ewing, whose birthday was March 12th.

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FLOWER CITY LINK

No. 38

Order of the Golden Chain

Just one year ago we were looking with anticipation to the year to come. We planned our year and our projects, hoping that the final results would at least be close. We certainly underestimated the abilities of many of our Sisters and Brothers. With little or no prodding at all, they came through this year with flying colors. When the total tabulation is finally in, I think you will find that the year's accounting will be satisfying and gratifying.

The question has been asked over and over again - why do we raise this money? Why do we work so hard - to help others whom we scarcely know. The answer, my Sisters and Brothers, is clearly written in the statement "Are we not our Brother's keeper?" Too many of us take the attitude of - why should we care what happens to the unfortunates!

The two main projects for the year we feel are two worthy causes.

A Microgasometer, a very refined piece of equipment with which oxygen saturation, carbon dioxide combining power and other elements of the blood can be ascertained using very small quantities of blood. It is highly useful in the testing and treatment of certain abnormalities such as hyaline membrane disease and cardiac disease seen in the newborn infant. This piece of equipment will be presented to the Pediatric Department of the Genesee Hospital Playground equipment - a merry-go-round for 18 children and a stainless steel

slide for the School of the Holy Childhood. This school is a non sectarian organization treating mentally retarded children.

(Dedication dates will be forthcoming).

By working together each and every one of us has shown that we do care for our fellow man regardless of race, creed or color. In our own small way - in our projects, by our contributions, we have shown that we do care what happens to those who are less fortunate than we. Let us continue this spirit of giving and helping in the future years to come.

Our year is slowly coming to an end. It has been an exciting year for us - one that we shall long remember. It was filled with hard work and happiness - sorrow and sadness. We are ever grateful to you all for giving us the opportunity to serve you and the Order of the Golden Chain. We thank all who worked so hard on our projects and on committees, to those who freely gave advice and encouragement, and to the countless others with whom we have had the pleasure of working.

To the officers, jewels, committee chairmen and the host of members who extended their helping hand this year, we wish to express our deepest gratitude, and wish you all the best of health and continued prosperity.

April 26th - Retirement Ceremonies

Installation of Sister Kea Lane as Worthy Matron, Brother Herman Lane as Worthy Patron and their staff of officers. This will be an OPEN INSTALLATION.



14 Queens of Fidelity Triangle

Phyllis Miner 1964, Frances Schulz 1933, Marilyn Armitage 1956, Sandra Paget 1960, Diann Meek 1962, Leah Fernandez 1929, Ruth Albright 1941, Doris Stone 1944 Arline Guthrie 1947, Erna Jean Walker 1947, Margaret Wellner 1954, Georgianna Shield 1964, Judith Oakley 1963, Diana Bramer 1957.

FIDELITY TRIANGLE

On Sat. April 10, the formal installation of officers of Fidelity Triangle will be at 8:00 p.m. in Cathedral Hall

On Sat. April 10, Fidelity Triangle will also celebrate its 39th birthday. The first meeting of Fidelity Triangle was held on April 10, 1926 and the first Queen was Lulah Vedder, daughter of Dr. & Mrs. Arthur Vedder. On Oct. 17, 1926 a Triangle-DeMolay dance was held at the Masonic Temple.

On Wed. April 21, Fidelity Triangle will display its initiation ritual for the members of the Franklin Stebins Court of the Amaranth

On Sat. April 24 the regular meeting will be followed by a special degree to honor the members of De Molay.

JENNIE M. LORD CONSTELLATION No. 5

On Saturday March 13th at 8 p.m. in Cathedral Hall, the 3rd District of the Grand Constellation of New York was honored by a visit from the Grand Exalted Star of Light and Love, Linda Laux from N. Tonawanda; Grand Star of Mercy, Jean Wilcox from Ithaca; Grand Star of Kindness, Lynn Bonestell from Yorktown Heights; Grad Star of Treasures, Linda Hitchcock from the Frances Hitchcock Shay Constellation at Brockport and other Grand Officers from all over the State of New York. There were also many members from other districts in attendance.

Judith Dorwald, District Deputy Grand Exalted Star of the 3rd District of the Grand Constellation of the State of New York presided.

The 3rd District made a contribution to the Home at Oriskany and it was accepted by the State President of the Counsel of Sponsors, Mrs. Edna Salvidge from Greenwood Lak. A similar contribution was made to the Masonic Bro-

therhood Fund an was accepted by R. . W. . Frank Leach, District Deputy Grand Master. The girls of the 3rd District had various projects to provide funds for these contributions.

After the meeting a reception was held in Ballroom A, where refreshments were served.

The regular meeting of the Jennie M. Lord Constellation #5 will be held on April 3rd at 8 p.m. in Room B. There will be Initiation. Officers are to wear white dresses and gloves. The members are still selling knives and Easter Rabbits.

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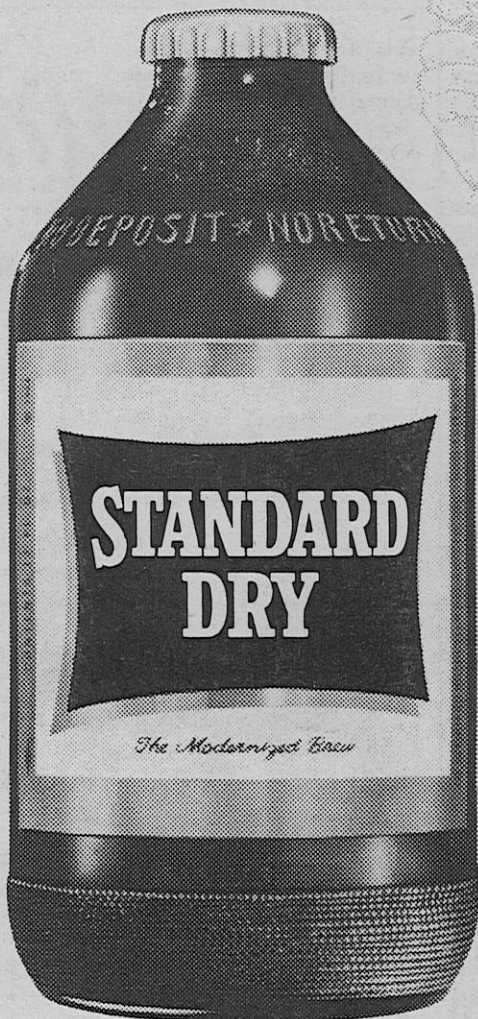
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