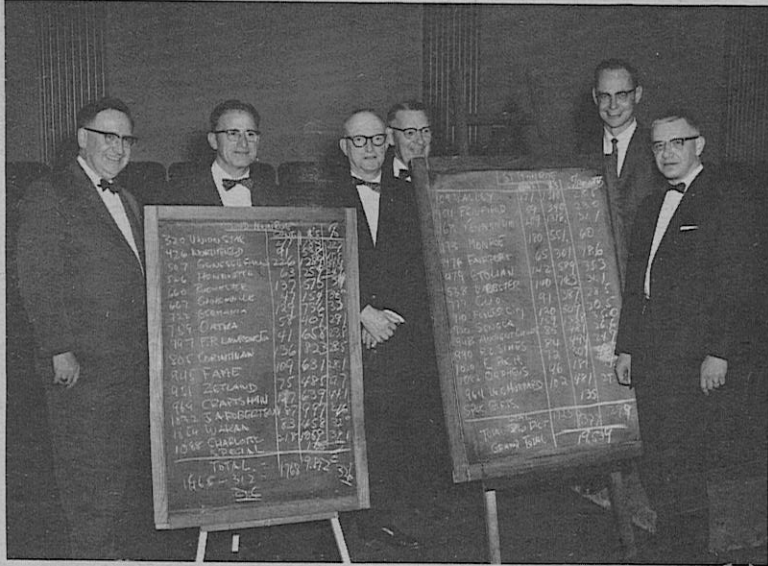


1966 BROTHERHOOD FUND SETS RECORDS



BROTHERHOOD FUND DRIVE REPORT MEETING OF APRIL 1, 1966

Dear Brethren:

By now all of you are aware that our current Brotherhood Fund Drive, which has been making progress, is drawing to a successful conclusion. The returns to date show that the increase in the number of contributors, as well as the increase in the dollar value, is substantially higher

FRED J. BELLUSCIO
D.D.G.M.
2nd MONROE DISTRICT



than last year's figures. Based on this, it is reasonable to assume that before the campaign is officially over with on May 31, 1966 that over 40% of the Masons in the two districts will have contributed to this fund. This figure represents an approximate increase of 100% over last year's contributors. Dollar-wise, we expect that the income from the two districts will increase in the same proportion.

Both of these achievements represent a major improvement over our usual Brotherhood Fund Drive results. If we were to examine the reasons for this marked improvement we could only conclude that these accomplishments would not have been possible without the unceasing efforts on the part of many, many people. While it is always hazardous to risk mentioning names, because of the possibility that someone may be overlooked, I will nonetheless accept this hazard because of our indebtedness to so many dedicated people.

At the outset we were fortunate in having for our Upstate Chairman a fellow of R:W: Leonard Parker's stature who was so ably assisted by the two Area Chairmen - R:W: Everett VanPutte and R:W: Sidney Odell. Closer to home and in our own two districts we were particularly pleased in obtaining the services of Brother David Crumrine and R:W: Don Walzer, who agreed to act as the General Chairmen of the First and Second Monroe Districts. These two gave unceasingly of their time, efforts, and dedication to their task. They provided the driving force which sustained us throughout the campaign.

As the plans developed for the mailing portion of our campaign it soon became evident that much assistance would be required to perform the countless chores on hand. We found unlimitless help in the person of George Wetzal and Emery Carey of the Masonic News. Both of these brethren cooperated splendidly with respect to all matters pertaining to addressing the thousands of letters and otherwise providing all sorts of printing services. In addition, they gave freely of space in the News to publicize the campaign. After the envelopes were prepared the collating and stuffing of the several pieces of literature would have been impossible without the help of the Triangle girls and the DeMolay boys of both the Rochester and Genesee Valley Chapters. These youngsters donated approximately twenty hours apiece, and we had a total of about twenty-four in attendance. (I fully believe that were it not for their help I would still be stuffing envelopes in preparation for the campaign.) At the other end of the spectrum, as the returns began to come in, David Crumrine solicited the help of some of his office staff to help sort and re-mail the returns. I understand that his office staff is still behind in their work because of their generous support.

Early in the campaign Brother Stewart Rice, who is in the advertising field, suggested that an extensive newspaper publicity campaign might be very helpful in selling our cause. When it finally developed that this would not be possible, he countered with a germ of an idea that perhaps a documentary film might be of tremendous value. When our general approval was given to this idea he immediately set the wheels in motion which culminated in practically the entire facilities of WHEC-TV being put at our disposal. Mr.

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Beloved Queen Linda Cranston presents check for Brotherhood Fund. This is the 2nd such contribution to the Fund by the Triangle Girls.



Dr. Albert C. Snell (center) professor of ophthalmology at U of R received a \$5,000 research grant from Knights Templar Eye Foundation. Presenting the check were James Corbett and Dr. Ward Ekas both Past Grand Commanders of the Knights Templar in the State of New York

DEMOLAY INITIATES CANDIDATES MAY 7

The Central Section Association of DeMolay in Western New York, comprising chapters in Rochester, Fairport, Brockport, Batavia, Medina and Geneva cordially invites all Master Masons to attend the ceremony of Initiation of candidates to be held Saturday Afternoon, May 7th at 3:00 P.M. in Gothic Hall, Masonic Temple, Rochester, New York.

This class has been named in honor of Barney W. Collins, Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America and DeMolay Executive Officer in Mexico. The encouragement and inspiration that these young men will derive from your attendance at this ceremony will contribute measurably towards its success and cannot be but give them a most favorable impression of Freemasonry.

GRAND BALL A SUCCESS

The 6th Annual Masonic Grand Ball was held at Logan's, on Scottsville Road, Saturday evening April 2nd for one of the largest turnouts since its inception in 1960.

The evenings festivities commenced by Wor. Bertram M. Steene, Co-chairman of the Grand Ball, calling the guests to their feet for the entrance of the distinguished guests escorted by Wor. Clinton S. Ballard, Co-chairman of the Grand

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CONTRIBUTIONS FROM NEARLY 40% OF MONROE DISTRICTS MEMBERS SHOWS 100% INCREASE IN NO. OF CONTRIBUTORS

Brethren:

The Brotherhood Fund Campaign in the two Monroe Districts this year was conducted in a new, different and exciting manner. While the success of a campaign is the personal reward to the workers, might I take this moment to mention and to publicly glorify their efforts.

BENNET A. TAYLOR
D.D.G.M.
1st MONROE DISTRICT



In this new undertaking, which was suggested by the Masters of 1965, many people (Brothers and others) extended themselves in the belief that the Brotherhood Fund Campaign should and would be a success. They were not denied -- all previous Monroe records have been surpassed and as the final solicitations are made, nearly 40% of the Brothers from the Lodges in the Monroe Districts will have contributed about \$25,000 to the Fund.

The cooperation and publicity of the Monroe Masonic News and the individual efforts of its W: Emery Carey and W: George Wetzal made a significant contribution to this successful campaign.

Brother Stu Rice gave unselfishly of himself in developing the idea and having produced the TV film programs and its by-product, a film which can and will be used throughout New York State. The difficult and frustrating problems encountered in producing a film like this are beyond comprehension and defy the imagination but were overcome by the diligent efforts of Brother Rice.

The direct mailing was made possible only by the energy and enthusiasm of two youth groups -- the Triangle girls and the DeMolay boys. Three days were spent by these two groups in sorting, collating, and stuffing 22,000 envelopes with letters and inserts. These teenagers spent 400 hours working for our Brotherhood Fund -- I might mention that they also make sizeable monetary contributions annually to the Brotherhood Fund.

The efforts of the Lodge Chairman assured a successful campaign by following up the general mailings and the TV programs with an every member canvas. They did the leg work, a lot of book work and carried the campaign to its final goal. Of course, they had their industrious committees too.

A very special thanks and a hearty congratulations goes to the two District Chairmen, Brother Dave Crumrine, and R:W: Don Walzer. They organized and planned the time schedules, mailings and phone calls so that momentum and interest were kept high and thus assured a spirited and successful campaign.

All these efforts and achievements were constantly under surveillance by the state and area committee men R:W: Len Parker, R:W: Sid O'Dell and R:W: Everett Van Putte. On numerous occasions we were given suggestions, advice, encouragement and the confidence of success in this "The Monroe Plan" by one who is actively interested in Masonry, the Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York, the Most Worshipful Clarence J. Henry.

My thanks and applause to all of you. Your work and effort would have been in vain if the Masons in the two Monroe Districts did not respond to the obvious need that we should and that we personally want to financially support the Masonic Home and the Research Laboratory at Utica.

Fraternally yours,
Bennet A. Taylor, D.D.G.M., First Monroe District

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MAY, 1966

- 1 - Canandaigua Hospital Visit by all Masons - Masonic Service Bureau and James A. Hard Post.
1 - Grand Lodge.
2 - John A. Robertson Lodge. Sr. Warden Malcom Nulton presides.
2 - Corinthian Temple - Second Degree.
2 - Genesee Falls Lodge - Second Degree.
3 - Clio Lodge - Open.
3 - Penfield Union Lodge - Sr. Warden Norman Vane in the East.
3 - Yonnonadio Lodge - Second Degree.
3 - Charlotte Lodge - Third Degree.
3 - Fame Lodge - Second Degree.
3 - Grand Lodge Convenes in New York City.
4 - Oatka Lodge - Fellowcraft Club.
5 - Webster Lodge - Third Degree.
5 - Northfield Lodge - Move Up Night.
7 - Central Section DeMolay at Gothie Hall Masonic Temple, 875 Main St. East, 3:00 P.M.
7 - Fairport Lodge - Dinner.
8 - Henrietta Lodge - Corner Stone Laying. Grand Line to be present.
9 - Etolian Lodge - 2nd Degree.
9 - Wakan Lodge - Grand Lodge Report.
9 - Fairport Lodge - Grand Lodge Report.
10 - Penfield Union Lodge - Fellowcraft Meeting - Guest Speaker.
10 - Flower City Lodge - Second Degree.
11 - Oatka Lodge - Third Degree and Strawberry Festival.
11 - Ancient Craft Lodge - Open.
11 - Germania Lodge - Third Degree by Damascus Shrine. Past Masters Degree Team.

Remember the Masonic Service Bureau in your will. Gifts are tax exempt.

- 12 - Hard Post, M.W.V. Post Meeting.
13 - Monroe County Past Masters Supper Club at Green Lantern Inn.
13 - Cyrene Commandery, Order of the Temple.
13 - Fairport Lodge - Past Masters Dinner at Green Lantern Inn.
14 - Yonnonadio Lodge - Spring Dinner at Heritage House.
14 - Charlotte Lodge at Welcome Ranch for Annual Ladies Night Dinner Dance.
14 - Oatka Lodge Steak Roast.
14 - Seneca Lodge Ladies Night at Oak Hill Country Club.
15 - Cyrene Commandery and Monroe Commandery combined Church Service.
16 - John A. Robertson Lodge - Third Degree.
16 - Corinthian Temple - Bro. Henry Leitchner gives talk on picture taking.
17 - Clio Lodge - Third Degree.
17 - Seneca Lodge - Regular Meeting. Dinner at 6:30 P.M.
17 - Yonnonadio Lodge - First Degree.
19 - Northfield Lodge - Past Masters Night - 50 Year Presentations.
19 - Germania Lodge - Fellowcraft Meeting.
19 - Genesee Falls Lodge - Family Night.
19 - Webster Lodge - Open meeting.
20 - Monroe Commandery - Order of Temple.
21 - Hard Post, M.W.V. Flagging of Graves.
21 - Fame Lodge - Card Party sponsored by Culver Chapter.
22 - Henrietta Lodge - Memorial Day Parade.
22 - Clio Lodge - Communion-Breakfast.
23 - Fairport Lodge Ladies Night.
23 - Etolian Lodge - Open Meeting.
23 - Wakan Lodge - Fellowship Report.
24 - Yonnonadio Lodge - Fellowcraft Club.
24 - Fame Lodge - Third Degree.
25 - Germania Lodge - Business Meeting.
25 - Ancient Craft - Third Degree.
25 - Oatka Lodge Past Masters Night.
25 - Churchville Lodge - Open Meeting.
26 - Etolian Lodge - Past Masters Dinner.
26 - Genesee Falls Lodge - Fellowcraft Lodge.
27 - Cyrene Commandery - No Conclave.
30 - Hard Post M.W.V. - Memorial Day Parade.
31 - Yonnonadio Lodge - Second Degree.

INTERLODGE FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE

GOLFERS ATTENTION: Saturday, July 9th, will be the date for the 1st and 2nd Monroe District Fellowship Competition at the Salmon

Creek Golf Club a few miles west of the City line. The Grand Masters Trophy will be awarded to the winner. Call reservations early Bro. George Knight, GL 8-1000, Ext. 3821 - Station 49 (or after 6 P.M. - FR 7-0769).

Bro. Gordon Niedermeier, GL 8-1000, Ext. 5208, (or after 6 P.M. - UN 5-2806). Bro. Everett Hoak - After 6 P.M. - ID 6-2853.

GENESEE VALLEY CHAPTER DE MOLAY

Calling all Masons! Genesee Valley Chapter DeMolay is an indication of things to come. Under the able direction of P.D.G.G. M. R.W: John Moll the Chapter demonstrated scraps and bits of their ceremonial work before the public and open meeting of Fairport Lodge, March 28th. This part was executed by a group of DeMolay from Batavia Chapter. Other DeMolay members told for what purposes the DeMolay serve and somewhat of the 45 year history of the organization.

Mr. James Hoopes, Master Counselor of the Genesee Valley Chapter and son of Mr. & Mrs. Richard Hoopes of 16 Matthew Dr. Fairport, stated that the area served by the Chapter are; Webster, Penfield, East Rochester, Fairport, Pittsford. James is a senior in Fairport High School.

Dad of the Chapter, W. Bro. Harry Davis reports the installation of the following officers in the Chapter on April 6th: - Master Counselor, James Hoopes; Senior Counselor, Richard Scott; Junior Counselor, David Knight; Scribe, Daniel DoVedio; Treasurer, Daniel Wobig; Senior Deacon, Douglas Williams; Junior Deacon, Leonard Spears; Senior Steward, Peter Melious; Junior Steward, Elmer Falb; Marshall, Randy Ronald; Chaplain, Tim Russell; Standard Bearer, Bren Bacon; Orator, Mark Torrens; Sentinel, Robert Irwin. Rochester Court of Chevaliers provided the installing officers. Mrs. Bramer furnished the music and the mothers club provided the refreshments.

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Ball. The invocation was delivered by R.W: Odell B. Kelly, Executive Director of the Masonic Service Bureau. A delicious roast beef dinner with all the trimmings, in abundant quantity, was enjoyed by all.

When the assemblage had settled down after dinner, Wor. Harold E. Weiser, Master of Yonnonadio Lodge #163, President of the Masters and Wardens Association, welcomed all present to the 6th Annual Grand Ball. He announced that the attendance that evening had surpassed all other Grand Balls and that there were over 500 people present. Special mention went to Wor. Bro. Milton

DDGM BELLUSCIO Cont. from Page 1

Warren Doremus, who spearheaded this project, did a magnificent job against what appeared to be an insurmountable timetable in attending to the many details required to produce a documentary film such as we were all privileged to view. All of this would have gone for naught were it not for the generosity of the Consistory and Shrine bodies who so generously under-wrote the expenses involved in the production of this film.

The Masters of each Lodge and their representatives took up the challenge of this campaign and personally attended to the many details required to produce a coordinated, effective drive in each of the respective Lodges. The reports made at each of the two report meetings proved the effectiveness of their work. But beyond this, the Brotherhood at large provided the final flourish. Obviously, none of the work which had preceded to this point would have meant one iota were it not for the enthusiastic endorsement and support by the thousands of Masons within our area.

Finally, no report of this nature would be complete without acknowledging the understanding of our M:W: Grand Master Clarence J. Henry, who in the face of a great need, gave his wholehearted support to a completely new and untried format. His quiet but firm assurance and confidence spurred all of us to great efforts. The results have been sufficiently encouraging to warrant a similar campaign next year. As District Deputy I can only say that I am proud and grateful to have been associated with so many brethren in the promotion of such a worthy cause. My heartfelt thanks to each and every one of you.

Sincerely and fraternally yours, Fred J. Belluscio, D.D.G.M., Second Monroe District



1966 ANNUAL GRAND BALL - A GALA AFFAIR

Kingsley for his work in starting the Grand Ball in 1960. He was introduced to the guests and received their plaudits.

The Wor. Bro. President introduced in glowing terms, the Most Worshipful Clarence J. Henry, Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York and his charming wife Holly. The Grand Master was given a standing ovation. He gave a short but interesting talk on his activities for the past two years, the place that Masonry occupies in our society and his ability to be present in the city to join in the festivities of the evening. A side note was mentioned as to his and the Grand Marshals visits around the state. In the performance of their duties, a distance of 90,000 miles were covered, which roughly, is more than three times around the world.

Two of his usual good jokes "laid them in the aisles". He received a standing and lengthy ovation at the conclusion of his speech.

Right up until closing time there were still a large number of people enjoying the music and pleasant surroundings which are fast becoming a place where Masons and their ladies can "Meet, Act and Part".

MONROE COUNTY PAST MASTER'S SUPPER CLUB

The Annual Ladies Night Party of the Past Masters Supper Club will be held Friday evening, May 13, 1966 at the Green Lantern Inn, Fairport, New York.

There will be a social time at 6:30 P.M. with dinner being served at 7:00 sharp. New entertainment will be furnished and the donation will be \$3.50 per person which includes tax and gratuities. This party is open to all Master Masons and friends and their ladies with a special invitation to Past Masters. We assure you that you will have a fine time.

Please send or call your reservations in to R.W: John Moll, FR 7-2690; W: Harry L. Ketcham, BE 5-4215; or W: Larry Polley, OS 1-1208 by May 10th at the latest.

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Dear Brother Herman

Rt. Wor. Herman Sarachan will answer questions on Masonic ritual, symbolism, history and law.

EDITORS NOTE: As we go to press R: W: Bro. Herman is recuperating from an emergency eye operation. The Masonic News staff wish him a speedy recovery.

I came across a news item from Birmingham, Michigan, that a Rabbi and his congregation, which had been meeting in the Masonic Temple, were asked to find another meeting place because the Rabbi had announced recently that he was an atheist, and that his congregation now concerns itself with 'the development of man, rather than with belief in God. I always assumed that all Rabbis who serve Jewish congregations were basically believers in God.' Am I wrong?

When Rabbi Sherwin T. Wine of the Birmingham Jewish Temple came out in public with his views several weeks ago, it created a great deal of discussion among Jewish religious leaders. With very few exceptions, the great majority felt that a Rabbi who holds such views ought to give up the rabbinate.

The foundation of the Jewish religion, accepted by Reform and Orthodox alike, is a firm belief in God. The basic prayer, proclaimed at every religious service, is 'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one. And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might.' (Deuteronomy, 6:4 and 5). This principle is repeated many times in the laws of Moses, in the Prophets, and in the Psalms.

The second great principle of the Jewish faith is the Golden Rule, 'Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.' (Leviticus, 19: 18), and repeated in many forms throughout the Bible.

When Rabbi Wine announces himself as an atheist, then in my judgement he and those of his congregants who remained with him have read themselves out of the Jewish faith.

It should be noted that Judaism has no supreme or central authority that has the power to try them and officially pass judgement. Hence the Congregation can continue to call itself Jewish, even though it denies the very foundation of Judaism. However, since religion in its broad sense is a basic principle of Freemasonry, I concur with the action of the Grand Master of Michigan in asking them to find another meeting place.

MYSTIC ORDER OF VEILED PROPHETS OF THE ENCHANTED REALM



Harry E. Mueller, Grand Monarch of the Supreme Council of the Mystic Order of Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm, was the principal speaker at Master Mason Night, Wednesday (April 20), at 8 P.M., at Lalla Rookh Grotto,

As director general of the "Spirit of '76" international convention of the Order, in Rochester, June 16, 17, 18, Grand Monarch Mueller utilized his time while in the city to confer with various dignitaries and officials who are making plans for the convention.

Two of the Prophets who are in charge of the Convention Committee are Past Monarchs of Lalla Rookh. They are George Kimmel, local convention chairman, and G. Allen Smith, housing

chairman. Rochester's Lalla Rookh, host to the convention, was established in Rochester, April 22, 1892. This marks the fourth time that M.O.V. P.E.R. (The Grotto) has met in Rochester.

Jim Mauk, 120 Laurelton Road, is chairman of the membership committee for Lalla Rookh.



AUCTION ENABLES \$ 225 GIFT

The Rochester Lodge of Perfection had its Annual Benefit Auction for DeMolay on March 29 after having been postponed from the week of the Blizzard of '66. It was handled ably by Past T.P.M. Cappy Capauldy as auctioneer, who for over two hours sold his wares with humorous patter and reaped a profit of \$225.00. This was presented to DeMolay by Thrice Potent Master Ken Zimmerman.

A great many real bargains were picked up by those in attendance, creating good will for all. Many good-hearted Masons are to be thanked for their generosity in donating salable articles for the Auction. One donor in particular, Albert Kussman, gave a large amount of new Masonic jewelry,

JAMES A HARD POST :18 MASONIC WAR VETERANS

2nd Thursday



This reporter was glad to hear that our Bro. Otto Rosenhagen is now home from the Batavia Veterans Hospital and is looking forward to his annual task of being Assistant Marshall for the Memorial Day Parade. Otto, as we stand in line waiting our turn to march we shall wave you on as a dedicated soldier and Mason and only wish that you could be with us.

And while we are mentioning the parade, our Commander hasn't received our Marching Orders yet but, they will probably be the same as they were last year. You will be contacted later in regards to the Parade. Also, again this year we will be flagging the graves at Mt. Hope Cemetery on Saturday afternoon May 21st with rain dates of Monday and Tuesday, May 23 and 24th. The Saturday meeting time will be 1 P.M. at the main entrance.

Our Commander and several from our Post will be attending the Masonic War Veterans Annual Convention at the Laurels Hotel and Country Club at Monticello, New York on May 6, 7, 8th. R:W: Sanford Bush will again be with them coming right from the Grand Lodge Convention. This will be a grand opportunity for our members to meet with the leaders of the Craft.

The Calendar for May is: May 1 - Canandaigua Hospital, 1:30 P.M.

May 12 - Post Meeting, 8:00 P.M.

May 21 - Flagging Graves Mt. Hope, 1:00 P.M.

May 30 - Memorial Day Parade, 9:00 A.M. Details to follow.

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LODGE news and views

HENRIETTA LODGE No. 526 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren:

The month of May will be very important one for Henrietta. There are several important dates to remember, and we sincerely hope every Brother will endeavor to attend the coming events.

May 8 - There will be a corner stone laying ceremony at the site of Henrietta United Church of Christ, Lehigh Station Rd. Henrietta. Time 3:00 P.M. Our Grand Master of Masons of New York State, Most Worshipful Clarence J. Henry, has graciously consented to officiate at this event, with most of his Grand Line Officers. We urge that all Masons and friends attend this ceremony.

May 22 - 2:00 P.M., Henrietta Lodge will participate in the Memorial Day Parade. We assemble at Suburban Plaza on East Henrietta Rd. and proceed to the race track at the Fairgrounds. The Worshipful Master and both Wardens have volunteered their convertibles, we could use more convertibles. We also hope to have a float which will be decorated at Wor. Bro. Lou French's Gas station Saturday night May 21st. Both District Deputies Right Worshipful Bennet A. Taylor, and Right Worshipful Bro. Fred J. Belluscio have agreed to join us. We hope to have all the Fraternal Organizations represented, and we will have television coverage again this year. Our unit, which incidentally includes the harvest Queens, will be led by the Grotto Band.

This is our first appearance in the Parade so let's have a good turn out. Please contact Bro. Don Miller at ED 4-4339 if you plan to participate.

Worshipful Bro. Miller is not only chairman for Henrietta Lodge, but is doing a terrific job as chairman for all Fraternal bodies, so let's all turn out and show our appreciation.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

I visited Bro. Bill Hostra, who is now feeling better after an operation for ulcers. Bill is only working half days at present but he hopes to resume his regular employment shortly. Hope to see you at lodge soon Bill. Henrietta deeply regrets the passing of Brother Thomas Adams, and extend our deepest sympathy to his family. Your Reporter, Jim Doig

FAME LODGE No. 945 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

From the East:

My Brothers, the month of May promises to be a very busy one. We have a Second Degree May 3 and 10th, the Third being a special meeting for this purpose. A Third Degree will be held May 24 and June 14 with a Supper meeting on June 14. In addition to the Degrees, we must hold rehearsals and keep the regular projects moving. There, I would like at this time, to solicit the help of any Brother who would like to participate. Believe me, when I say, there are many more jobs to be done than there are people to do them. In many conversations, I have heard the statement "I don't go to Lodge much because there is nothing to do". I promise you if you let me know you are willing, I will see that you have something.

Your presence has been requested by Culver Chapter to attend a card party being held at the Lodge on Saturday, May 21. The Chapter is going all out to make this an exciting evening. Cost will be a donation of \$1.00 per person, with the proceeds going toward improvements in the Lodge. This is a grand undertaking on the part of Culver Chapter, and Let's all get out and support it. There will be gifts and refreshments and a variety of card games.

I would like to publicly thank Bro. Charles Weeks for the fine job he has done, is doing, and plans on doing within the Lodge. If we had a few more like Charlie, the Lodge would be completed by now. Thanks again, Charlie.

The Lodge is growing, my Brothers. How about growing with it. I hope to see all of you there.

Fraternally,
Clarence Ver Streate,
Master

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Two of our Brothers were summoned by the Supreme Architect: Bro. Bernhardt Goverts, Raised 1921 - Summoned March 13, 1966.

Bro. Paul Heuser, Raised 1927 - Summoned April 5, 1966.

Our sympathies are extended to their families.

The wife of Bro. Chet Wilson is ill and Chet cannot get out to meetings. If anyone can get your wife to stay with Mrs. Wilson on a meeting night so Chet can get out, call Wor. Master Clarence Ver Streate or Bro. Bob Avery to make arrangements.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Ladies Night: October 15 at the Wishing Well. Various suggestions have been made for entertainment. If your wife has any ideas, contact Bro. Bob Avery.

Fellowcraft: April 16 a delicious dinner of Roast Chicken was served by Culver Chapter. It was followed up with a desert of Apple Upside-down cake. When it comes to putting on a meal, our hats go off to Culver Chapter, for they always do a splendid job. Thank you Ladies!

There will be more information concerning Fellowcraft obtained during Lodge. If you have any questions or suggestions, contact John Ferraro.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE LODGE

The turn-out at the Masonic Grand Ball was very encouraging. All who attended had a wonderful time. Thanks to our Worshipful Master, Fame Lodge Ladies all had a beautiful corsage to wear. To those of you who missed it, plan on it for next year. It is really worthwhile.

It was good to see Wor. Bro. George Anderson at Lodge. He says he will try to get our more often now that conditions permit it.

Bro. Harold Sergesson passes on his regards to all and expresses a sincere regret that because of his scouting activities he cannot be as active as he would like.

We are glad to hear that Ray Marsh is back from California. Something about "Old Rochester" that always draws us back, right Ray?

That's it for this month. If you have any news or gossip, be sure to contact me at UN 5-1658.

Your Fraternal Reporter,
Bob Hebner

NORTHFIELD LODGE No. 426 1st and 3rd Thursdays

Brethren:

As you know, Grand Lodge will be in session the week of May 1st. Our regular communication May 5, has been designated "move up" night and in my absence, Bro. Dick McConnell will officiate in the East, with Bro. "Mel" Dreisbach in the West, and Bro. Richard Lear in the South. Entertainment and refreshments will be provided by Bro. Tom Weilert.

May 19th is "Past Masters" night. The Past Masters of Northfield Lodge will confer the Second Degree upon four candidates. My thanks to R:W: Harry Kennedy for making the necessary arrangements and directing the activities of the evening. All our Past Masters are urged to attend. R:W: Fred Belluscio will be with us that evening to present 50 year pins to Bro. Lester E. Goda and Bro. Arlester B. Rogers. Our congratulations to both brothers for their long and faithful service to our fraternity. A

regular meeting will be held June 2nd with Bro. Richard McConnell in charge of entertainment and refreshments.

Attendance so far this year has been very good. There seems to be a growing interest in the Lodge and its activities. The new Fellowcraft Club is off to a good start under the direction of Bro. Henry McCurdy. Our first activity will be the second section of the Third Degree, June 16. Rehearsals will be held May 12th and June 9th. All brothers are invited to participate. Refreshments will be served. Fraternaly,
W: Jack S. Thibaut, Master
TRESTLEBOARD

May 5 - Move up night. Bro. Dick McConnell in the East.

May 19 - Past Masters Night - 50 Year Pin presentations.

June 2 - Regular Meeting.

June 16 - Third Degree by W: Jack Thibaut.

WAKAN LODGE No. 1054 2nd and 4th Mondays

The event of the raising of Bro. George Walther and Bro. M. Donald Darrohn III on April 25th was highlighted by the fact that Past Master M. Donald Darrohn II put on the degree as acting Master. He did the same fine job that he did in 1957 when your present master was raised. May 9th will be Grand Lodge Report from the Worshipful Master.

May 23rd will be a Fellowship night.

June 13th will be Move Up Night with Bro. E. Waddington occupying the East.

June 24th is the Annual Family Picnic at the White House at Webster Park. Come early and let the children enjoy the games. Your Lodge Reporter

OATKA LODGE No. 759 2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren:

It is with deep regret that I announce the death of W:B: Charles Green a member of our Lodge since 1920 and Master in 1929 and 1930. It was during Charlie's mastership that we obtained our present Lodge building. We will all truly miss W:B: Green who was a true craftsman in the Fraternity.

I would like to, at this time, reassure any of the Brothers who have been away for a while or who may have come to the Scottsville

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area from another lodge that we would be happy to have them contact one of the Lodge Officers if they wish to attend our meetings. We will be happy to refresh your memory on any of the work and give any assistance possible to renew Masonic ties.

There are two dates I wish everyone to take special note of in May. One is the visit of Valley Lodge on May 11th. They will exemplify the second section of the Third Degree for us, and we will have our annual Strawberry Festival also. On May 14th we will hold our Annual Steak Roast at Stewart Cabin in Mendon Ponds Park beginning about 4:00 P.M. The cost will be nominal. Please bring your own place settings and make your reservation at least a week ahead by contacting W:B: John Horn at FA 8-2797 or Brother Gil Ralston at TU 9-1435. Do it Now!

TRESTLEBOARD

May 4 - Fellowcraft Club.
May 11 - Third Degree and Strawberry Festival.

May 14 - Steak Roast at Mendon Ponds.

May 25 - Past Masters Night.

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YONNONDIO LODGE
No. 163
1st and 3rd Tuesdays



Note from W:M: Harold E. Weiser

May I take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the members of Yonnondio Lodge for their attendance at the Grand Ball. It gave me great pleasure to see so many of my fellow Brothers at this function.

TRESTLEBOARD

May 3 - Second Degree - Junior Warden.

May 10 - Officers Meeting.

May 14 - Spring Dinner at Heritage House.

May 17 - First Degree - Senior Warden.

May 24 - Fellowcraft Club.

May 31 - Second Degree - Junior Warden.

A note from the Secretary's Desk indicates the business of the Lodge would be more efficiently and financially successful if dues were more promptly submitted.

COMING EVENTS

May 3rd. Second Degree

In the absence of W:M: Harold E. Weiser, Bro. Edward Pullen, Junior Warden will confer the Second Degree for our second class of candidates; Bro. Leonard L. Morrissette, Bro. William Luress and Bro. James H. Summers, who received their First Degree April 5th. W:M: Harold E. Weiser will be in New York attending Grand Lodge. Sr. Warden Bro. William G. Buchanan will conduct the business of the evening.

May 14th. Spring Dinner. The Spring Dinner will be held at the Heritage House 602 Ridge Road East, Webster. Festivities will begin with a social hour at 6:30 P.M. with dinner at 7:00 P.M. Cost of the dinner will be \$4.00. The Committee has scheduled an unusual display of juggling for your entertainment. Please call Eric Samuels for reservations at HO 7-3706 from 9:00 A.M. until 6:00 P.M. and at BR 1-3545 in the evening. Let's make the annual Fellowcraft Club dinner a success.

May 17th. - First Degree - Senior Warden.

In addition to the second class of candidates which are now in the process of receiving their Degrees, on May 17th. we will confer the First Degree for the third class of 1966. The Degree will be conferred by Senior Warden Bro. William G. Buchanan.

May 31 - Special Communication.

Our third class of candidates will receive their Second Degree in a specially scheduled meeting in order that they may receive their Third Degree before summer recess. The Degree will be conferred by Junior Warden Edward Pullen. W:M: Harold E. Weiser will also make his report of Grand Lodge proceedings at this meeting.

PAST EVENTS

March 15th. 1966 Memorial Service.

A Masonic Memorial Service was held on March 15th, 1966 in memory of Bro. Sotorios Retsinopoulos. Bro. Retsinopoulos had been living at the Masonic Home in Utica, New York when called by the Supreme Architect on February 23, 1966. Bro. Retsinopoulos was a member of several Masonic organizations and representatives from several of these groups took part in the service.

April 2nd. Grand Ball.

The Masters and Wardens Association of Monroe County with W:M: Harold E. Weiser at the held held their annual Grand Ball at Logan's. Yonnondio can be proud of its Master, as well as its attendance, this year as there were some 46 people representing our Lodge. After a delicious dinner President Weiser introduced members of the Grand Line, guests, and our speaker of the evening, W:M: Clarence E. Henry. Dancing with a fine three piece band culminated an evening enjoyed by the largest gathering in the history of the Grand Ball.

April 7 - Fellowcraft Club.

The Fellowcraft Club presented the second section of the Third Degree for Northfield Lodge #426 on April 7, 1966. The meeting opened with a delicious dinner and we were happy to note a good attendance of members. Everyone present enjoyed the participation and visiting another Lodge.

CLIO LODGE

No. 779
1st and 3rd Tuesdays

When a young man becomes a member of a Masonic Lodge, he has taken his place in one of the largest and most important organizations in the world. His responsibilities are serious and very important. First - he must consider how best he may serve his Lodge. He may have heard that "You get out of Masonry only what you put in it." How true! However, as he progresses further in Masonry, he will realize that the moral and spiritual inspiration that he will receive, will far and above outweigh what he has put into the fraternity.

By the time this reaches the press, the ox roast dinner will have come and gone, and from the present calculations will have been a huge success.



On Tuesday, April 5th, Hamilton Chapter #62 and Monroe Commandery #12 K.T., presented the Lodge with the two big pillars. They were officially presented by E.H.P. Stephen Allen, for the

Chapter, and E.C. Frederick Miller, for the Commandery. Brother Frank Allen and Brother Leslie Oliver spoke regarding the procurement of the pillars. A large delegation from both bodies was present for the presentation.

On Tuesday, April 19th, Ill. Brother Raymond F. Unger Sr., Commander in Chief of Rochester Consistory A.A.S.R., officially presented the Lodge with our new Altar, which was dedicated by our own P.M.R.W: Bro. I. Vincent Lloyd, Past Grand Chaplain.

The sincere thanks of the Lodge and the Brethren to these bodies for their kind consideration and the presentation of much needed equipment for the Lodge. With these new additions by the Chapter, Commandery, and Consistory, the lodge room is beginning to look more like a Masonic Lodge Room.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. Roy W. Hiler - Lakeside Hospital, Brockport; Bro. Carlyle B. Newcomb, Improving; Bro. Dean T. Wood, Heart Attack, Home; Bro. Don Evert, Heart Attack, Home.

Mrs. Howard J. Lewis, wife of W:B: Howard J. Lewis was in Northside Hospital after a bad fall. W:B: Howard fell while taking care of her and broke an ankle, but is now out and around. Sorry not to have heard of this news sooner. We wish our Brethren would report these things to your reporter!

TRESTLEBOARD

May 3 - Grand Lodge - Master in N.Y. S.W. Leland B. Hendershot in East.

May 17 - Third Degree. Dinner.

May 22 - Annual Communion Breakfast, Hilton Baptist Church.

SYMPATHY

The sympathy of the Lodge is extended to the family of Brother Wesley Thompson. Died March 1966. Raised 1923.

CHURCHVILLE LODGE

No. 667
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren:

The summer season will be here very soon and Lodge will soon close for the months of June, July and August. Our Last meeting will be an open meeting on May 25th. I urge your attendance at this meeting.

I would like to remind you of several dates over the summer.

June 13 - Trophy Presentation at Churchville Chili School.

July 16 - Mason and Star Picnic at Churchville Park.

If you know of any Brother in sickness or distress over the summer please contact me at Churchville 827J. After May 15, at 293-3773 or Fred Drury at TU 9-3313.

I would like to wish you and your family a happy and pleasant summer season.

I'll look forward to seeing you at the summer picnic. Then in September for the beginning of our fall season. Fraternally,
Truman J. Hall, Master

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

From the East:

Brethren:

This is an important year in the history of Ancient Craft. It is the fiftieth anniversary of the chartering of our Lodge. We have reached another milestone and big plans are underway to celebrate this occasion. On Saturday, October 29th, we are going to have a dinner at the Carriage House on Paul Rd. Many distinguished guests including several past and present Grand Lodge Officers are going to be there with us. This should be a big event. So, I urge all the brethren to circle this date on your calendars. You will be reminded of this party date in each issue of this paper and you will be brought up to date on the plans.

I am well pleased with the results of the Brotherhood Fund Campaign, even though less than one third of our members made all the contributions. The money collected amounts to better than twice the amount that was contributed last year. It makes me a little sad to find that so many of our brothers think so little of their own lives that they don't help to make their old age more pleasant.

We are going to have a Third Degree on the 25th of May. Come out and welcome our newly raised brothers into the Fraternity. Fraternally yours,
Ernest L. Curtis, Master

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Brother Bill Lull is in Genesee Hospital because of an internal disorder. As many of the old-timers in our Lodge know, Brother Bill has been troubled with a skin disease for many years. A visit or a card would brighten Bill's day. Please take a couple of minutes of your time to extend a little fellowship.

Our Master, W. Ernest Curtis, spent a week in Genesee Hospital undergoing a hernia operation. All went well and he is at home recovering nicely.

The second degree was conferred on our new brothers on the 17th of April by our Junior Warden, Brother George Romanko. The Third Degree will be conferred on May 25. We are lining up our Fall class, and if any brother has a candidate to recommend, call our Secretary for a petition.

COMING EVENTS

May 11 - Open Meeting.
May 25 - Third Degree.

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

Brethren:

I am looking forward with great anticipation of our first visit to the Grand Lodge in New York City. I hope that I may learn from this experience and become a better Master as a result. I have

been attending all the functions of the Bureau of Masonic Education so that I may satisfy my thirst for Masonic knowledge. Insofar as Frank L. Simes Lodge is concerned things could be better and they could be a lot worse. I had hoped for better attendance. We are making great strides in our research of old age diseases, arthritis, heart disease etc. When are we going to research attendance at lodge meetings?

On April 2nd we attended the Grand Masters Ball at Logans. A big turnout, they had to set an extra table for us there were so many there. A good time was had by all. Our own Ben Taylor was there in his capacity as an officer of the Shrine. Of course their lovely ladies were with them. Harry Ketchum, Past Master of Frank L. Simes and his wife. The Sr. Warden and myself and our better halves. All of us enjoyed ourselves.

On April 23rd we had a marvelous "Ladies Nite" at Hedges Nine Mile Pt. Hotel. Jr. Warden Richard Hills and his committee deserve a big hand. Excellent food and sweet music was on the agenda. We should have more parties like this. Thanks again Dick.

On April 26 we welcomed three new brothers to our midst. Bro. John Brill, Bro. Bob Kennis and Bro. Ronald Raab. Three generations of Raabs represented. How about that? We hope the new brothers association with us will be most pleasant. We have hoped to prove ourselves to them, now it is their turn to prove themselves to us. Masonry has a lot to offer those who care to look. Also on that same night we had as our special guests three carloads of brothers from Naples, New York. We are very hopeful of continuing exchange visits with them. They have invited us to confer the third degree on a class of candidates May 16th. How about that?

Fraternally yours,
Robert P. Groat, Master

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

To those of you who are sick we send our sincere sympathy. To those of you who are not we send our sincere wishes to see you soon.

**GENESEE FALLS LODGE
No. 507
1st and 3rd Thursdays**

From the East

Brethren:

About the time this is being read the 1966 Masters will be headed for Grand Lodge in New York City. This must be indeed, a wonderful experience, and I look forward to representing you at this meeting.

A very fine First Degree was conferred upon Walter Bock, Neil Connell, Donald Curtice and Edwin Curtice, by our Senior Deacon, William Wilson acting as Master, and ably assisted by Wor. Bros. Samuel Railing and George Wetzel as War-

dens. I wish to thank Bill and all the others who took part in this Degree.

The special Brotherhood Campaign Drive is nearing its close, and from all reports Genesee Falls Lodge is leading the entire Monroe Districts, both in number of contributors and amount of money contributed. This is indeed a credit to our Chairman, Wor. Bro. Samuel Railing and his committee, as well as to all Brethren who contributed. My heartfelt thanks to all.

Bro. Ray Ring, our Senior Warden, will confer the Second Degree on May 5th while your Master is in New York City, and I urge all who can attend to give their support to Brother Ray.

Our Annual Tureen Supper and Family Night will be on May 19th, and I urge you all to attend, and see the ceremony of the Genesee Falls Mason of the year award. This supper will be at 6:00 P.M. in the Third Floor Dining Room and each family will bring one dish for the buffet. The Lodge will furnish the rest of the food. Remember, this is for your entire family. Entertainment will be furnished for the youngsters and this is a wonderful opportunity for the ladies to see where their husbands spend their Thursday nights. Lets make this the event of the year. If you are not called, please call Bro. Ray Ring, HU 2-1896, who is in charge of this program.

I am happy to report that our Third Degree, June 2nd, will be conferred by the Shrine Degree Team. This team is composed entirely of Past Masters and they do excellent work. Let's make a good showing for this Degree.

Fraternally,
Willard C. Mattern, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

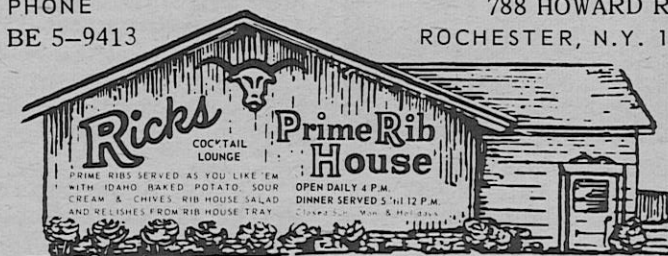
May 2 - 7:30 P.M. Second Degree (Sr. Warden in East).
May 19 - 6:00 P.M. Tureen Supper and Family Night.
May 26 - 7:30 P.M. Officers Meeting. 8:00 P.M. Fellowship Club.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Albert C. Bird, 357 Hampton Blvd.; Max Boellard, 77 Colvin St.; Ray Brink, Brockport, N.Y.; Edward L. Clark, 41 Edgeland St.; Christian Geimer, 58 Breck St.; Wallace R. Hagaman, 48 Rosedale St.; W.B. Nelson Harding, 49 White Oaks Dr.; W.B. Frank J. Heidman, Tampa, Fla.; Theodore Hertel, State Hospital; Harold F. Lubash, 287 Lincoln Ave.; Fred L. Maas, Sr., 14 Whit-

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CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

William Archer, Initiated Sept. 24, 1912, Passed Oct. 11, 1912, Raised Nov. 7, 1912, Called Home March 25, 1966 at Lakeside, Calif.

Ralph E. Pettengill, Initiated Sept. 28, 1939, Passed Oct. 26, 1939, Raised Dec. 14, 1939, Called Home March 13, 1966 at Clarks Green, Pa.

Jesse J. Dutton, Initiated Sept. 18, 1947, Passed Oct. 23, 1947, Raised Nov. 13, 1947, Called Home March 19, 1966 at Largo, Fla.

ETOLIAN LODGE

No. 479
2nd and 4th Mondays

Congratulations to Bros. Walter C. Snyder, Fred Seith and Elvin Wimer, Jr. who were raised to Master Masons on March 28th. Robert C. How and Thomas Pack received their First Degree April 11th.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. Vincent Rector is on the mend at Rochester General Hospital, 1425 Portland Ave., Room 220 after a serious automobile accident.

Bro. Claude Wilder is now at home from Brockport Hospital.

ON THE AGENDA

May 1 - 5 - Grand Lodge.
May 9 - Second Degree - Sr. Warden William Farnsworth presiding.
May 23 - Open Meeting-Grand Lodge Report.
May 26 - Past Masters Dinner - Spencerport Inn-Social hour 5:30 - 6:30 P.M. Steaks at 7:00 P.M.
Fraternally,
W:B: G. Edwin Jackson

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**JOHN A. ROBERTSON LODGE
No. 1032**

1st and 3rd Mondays

Brethren:

The Lodge wishes to extend congratulations to the following brothers on their recent retirement from Eastman Kodak Co.: Bro. William E. Hempel, 40 years of service; Bro. Robert B. Suverkrop, 39 years; and Bro. James D. McLair, 29 years. Congratulations also to Bro. Joseph C. Finzer on his completion of 25 years of service with Eastman Kodak Co.

Many thanks to Bro. Bruno Hermann who showed slides of his recent Nova Scotia trip at the April 4th meeting. They were very interesting and thoroughly enjoyed by all in attendance.

On April 18, with Sr. Warden Malcolm Nulton in the East, the Second Degree was conferred upon Bro. Victor H. Lilly, Bro. Arnold G. Raymond and Bro. Andrew Watson. The Third Degree is scheduled for May 16th. On May 2nd, while the Worshipful Master is in New York, Senior Warden Malcolm Nulton will preside in the East. After this meeting, the brethren have been invited by Valley Lodge #109 to hear Dr. Murray A. Cayley speak.

The Secretary, Worshipful Brother Arthur E. Roberts, 7 Ellis Drive, wishes to announce that he will accept any dues, delinquent or otherwise.

**PENFIELD UNION LODGE
No. 154**

1st and 3rd Tuesdays

Brethren:

We were saddened by the passing, on March 25th, of Brother Donald Frank. He was raised June 19, 1928. The sincere sympathy of the Lodge is extended to his family. A Masonic service was conducted by R.W. Mack Hughes assisted by officers and members of Penfield Union Lodge.

The Trustees are moving ahead on the improvement to the outside of the building and the Fellowcraft Club is progressing toward a new ceiling for the Kitchen.

The May 3rd meeting will find the Master in New York at Grand Lodge. Come out and support your Sr. Warden, Norman Vane, who will be in the East.

Fraternally,
W: Bernard Fitch, Master

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The Fellowcraft Club started off its year with the serious endeavor of upgrading its monthly program.

R.W. Mack Hughes and W: Fred Wolfe were asked to promote the educational phase of the program. It was found history of Free Masonry could be very enlightening and led to interesting discussions. Card playing, long a backbone of the Fellowcraft, remains an integral part of the meetings with tournaments with other Lodges being explored.

Visitations with other Lodges are also being scheduled to exchange ideas and further friendship. Renovation projects of the Lodge and Degree work are a constant part of the meetings.

All ideas for a better Fellowship are invited by its Officers. Most of all a good turn out is desired. Following is the Fellowcraft program for the balance of 1966. (meetings 2nd Tues of each month) May 10 - Guest Speaker, June Baseball Game, exact date to be announced. Sept. 13 - Movies and education. Oct. 11 - Movies and education and card playing. November visitation to another Lodge. Dec. 13 Christmas Party-gift exchange, Organ Music in Lodge. Marshall Smith, President

**FLOWER CITY LODGE
No. 910**

2nd Tuesday

TRESTLEBOARD

May 10 - Second Degree-by Stanley M. Friedman, Jr. Warden.

June 14 - Third Degree.

July 24 - Annual Picnic at Ellison Park.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

On May 23, a large contingent of the brethren traveled by chartered bus to Buffalo to put on a presentation of the drama "The Master Builder" before the brothers of Suburban Lodge No. 911 and Ely Parker Lodge.

This is a new cast, combining many of the newer members of the Lodge with an excellent array of seasoned performers, and it was the first time that they had put on this drama. Everyone in the cast came through with flying colors and, in the words of the Master, the performance was "just great".

After presenting our portion of the program we returned to the Lodge and were entertained by some of the brothers of Ely Parker Lodge who put on a highly amusing skit entitled "The Rusty Mason".

Following the communication we were hosted to a delightful repart by the brothers of Suburban Lodge. The entire cast is going to Fairport on April 25 to put on the drama before the brothers of Fairport Lodge.

ANNUAL LADIES NIGHT

Saturday night, March 26, found a fine gathering of the brethren and their beautiful ladies at the Sheraton Hotel for our Annual Ladies Night. The music of Len Hawley's Orchestra kept everyone entertained throughout the evening.

ANNUAL PICNIC

Save the date, July 24. That is the date of the Annual Picnic to be held at Ellison Park at 2:00 P.M. Anyone who has attended one of these picnics can tell you what an enjoyable time they have had. So plan to be there with the whole family.

SYMPATHY

We extend our sympathy to Bros. Bernard and Isadore Wolk upon the passing of their father.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. Les Applebaum is still in Strong Memorial Hospital.

Bro. Martin E. Anderson

is in the V.A. Hospital in Buffalo.

Bro. Isaac Gilbert is in University Hospital in Philadelphia.

Wor. Samuel A. Schwarz is in Genesee Hospital.

Bro. Alfred Wolk is at home.

BOWLING

Announcements will be in the mail very soon telling you of our upcoming bowling tournament. Details are being handled by Junior Warden Stanley M. Friedman.

**CORINTHIAN TEMPLE LODGE
No. 805**

1st and 3rd Mondays

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The Annual Spring Fun Night was held at the Redmans Club March 19. The attendance was good and a wonderful evening was enjoyed by everyone. Plans are already being formulated for the same event to be held at the same location next Spring.

A clambake is to be held on September 17th at Churchville Park for all paid up members and anyone paying their dues by that date. Your wife or favorite girl will be admitted free of charge. Save the date and you will be contacted again with further information.

Our paper drives are going well and if you have any for collection please call either Harold Janson, BR 1-7087 or Bill Hinds at FI 2-3560 and they will arrange a pick up date.

Harold Janson, President

From the East:

I have received notice from the Grand Secretary on the occasion of the One Hundred Eighty-fifth Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York to be held during the week beginning May 1st. Agreeably to my promise at installation I shall be going to New York to represent our Lodge. I look forward to what I consider an exciting communication. This is the year of installing new officers for a two year period.

May 2nd there will be a Second Degree conferred on a class of Brothers by our Junior Warden, Bro. Don Fox. Our Senior Warden, Bro. Frank Gordner will open Lodge and transact any business that the Secretary may have. The Junior Warden will close Lodge after the conferral of the degree.

On May 16th we will have an Open Meeting at which time we will be privileged to have Brother Henry Leichtner, a photographer of great renown, give us a talk on the art of taking good pictures. Anyone in-

terested in actual demonstrations should bring their own equipment for personal pointers. This is an evening that you will not want to miss.

The Grand Ball held on April 2nd was a huge success and 18 couples from our Lodge were in attendance. A good meal and delightful evening was enjoyed by all. Fraternally,
Bertram M. Steene, Master

**WEBSTER LODGE
No. 538**

1st and 3rd Thursdays



Webster Lodge salutes our elected Secretary, Sherman L. Pooley, during the month of May. "Sherm" is currently enjoying his twenty-sixth year as Secretary for Webster Lodge. Born May 9, 1907 and raised June 20, 1940, "Sherm" states that the most satisfying aspect of his job is the countless number of friendships he has accumulated and enjoyed over the years. Brother Pooley is presently living at 1064 Hatch Rd. in Webster.

The first meeting in April featured movies of our National Parks, and the U.S. and u.s.s.r. space walks.

The Degree of Fellowcraft was conferred upon Brothers Loomis Humphrey, Milton Holder, Wellington Sanger, Ronald Turney, and James Willis during the second meeting in April.

The entire Lodge welcomes the return of our Chaplain, Emerson Struck, who had spent some time recovering from a recent operation.

TRESTLEBOARD

May 5 - Third Degree
May 19 - Open Meeting

MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren:
The hard hitting concentrated Brotherhood Fund Campaign has been concluded. As predicted, Webster Lodge made an excellent showing passing all previous records for number of contributing members as well as total funds contributed. I congratulate you, my brothers, on this achievement. Every penny collected will be put to good use in the

true spirit of brotherhood.

At this writing a final report on the Brotherhood Fund Campaign has not been received but should be forthcoming shortly. I might add that to those of you who have been unable to contribute to date - any "late" money will be thankfully accepted.

The first week in May, Grand Lodge will be in session. As Representative of Webster Lodge, I am looking forward to this experience. Your Senior Warden will sit in the East on the occasion of our May 5th meeting; I'm sure he is looking forward with equal anticipation to this experience. Make it a point to support him from the sidelines.

Fraternally,
W: Clinton S. Ballard, Master

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**GERMANIA LODGE
No. 722
2nd and 4th Wednesdays**

MASTERS MESSAGE

Brethren:

I would like to thank the brethren for the fine response to the Brotherhood Campaign. Germania Lodge has shown a much better percentage in the amount of its contributions than in many of the past years.

There will be a Third Degree on May 11th for the Second Class. This degree will be conferred by the Damascus Shrine Past Master's degree team. There will also be a dinner preceding the degree. Please call Howard Pfaudler at FA 8-0293 for reservations. Reservations should be made on or before May 9th.

Brethren please mark your calendars for two important dates. Ladies Night-June 4th at Eddies Chop House, and the annual visitation of Modestia Lodge of Buffalo on June 8th. Special entertainment and refreshments are being planned for this night. A goodly number in attendance is earnestly requested at each of these functions, but I sincerely hope that the Lodge room will be filled by a larger percentage of Germania members than those from Modestia.

Fraternally,
Elton Perrine, Master
IN MEMORIAM

Rev. Paul M. Schroeder-
Initiated October 16, 1923,
Passed December 11, 1923,
Raised December 18, 1923,
Died March 27, 1966.

W:B: Elmer G. Rapp -
Initiated March 14, 1923,
Passed March 28, 1923,
Raised April 11, 1923, Died
March 29, 1966.

COMING EVENTS

May 11 - Third Degree,
Shrine Degree Team, Dinner
at 6:30 P.M. Ballroom B.

May 19 - Fellowcraft and
Officers Rehearsal. 7:30
P.M.

May 25 - Business Meet-
ing. 7:30 P.M.

June 4 - Ladies Night,
Eddies Chop House.

June 8 - Annual Visitation -
Modestia Lodge from
Buffalo. Entertainment and
lunch.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Carl Schmidt, Home, 179
Laney Rd.; Clarence Smith,
Home, 7 Herbert St.; James
Kemp, Home, 28 Carl St.;
Lyle Adams, Home, 64 Earl
St.; Walter Lang, Home, 345
Magnolia St.; James Pick-
worth, Home, 185 Ripple-
wood Dr.; W:B: Norman
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Betlem, Home, 111 Rosalind
St.; R:W: William Lauweret,
Home, 43 Wisconsin St.;
Frank VanVoorst, Home, 153
Buckman Rd.

**ODDS AND ENDS FROM THE
SOUTH**

Brethren and Ladies lets
have your support and attend
the Ladies Night June 4th at
Eddies Chop House. Brethren,
we also need your support
by attending the visitation
of Modestia Lodge of
Buffalo June 8th. Come and
bring a brother with you.
Russell Lane,
Junior Warden

The Brotherhood Cam-
paign still needs the support
of the 60 percent of the bro-
thers that have not contribut-
ed. Will you please send your
contributions in, I thank you.
Ronald Ogren, 653 Welling-
ton Ave. Rochester, N.Y.
14619.

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

Brethren:

My humble and sincere
thanks to all who have made
the Brotherhood Fund a great
success. Bro. Rabjohns as
chairman and his committee
have completed a herculean
project and as it appears
from here a labor beyond the
call of duty. If any brothers
have not returned the cards
received from Bro. Rabjohns
please return them immedi-
ately.

On May 3rd, Bro. J:W:
Marvin Williams will con-
fer the Third Degree on the
Second Class while I am
at Grand Lodge. I urge you
to be present to enjoy the
ham dinner to be prepared
by the Charlotte Star Ladies,
also to supply the firm founda-
tion necessary for the en-
couragement of the Wardens.
Please make your reservat-
ions early.

On May 14th, at the Wel-
come Ranch, will be held the
11th Annual Ladies Night
Dinner Dance. All officers
have tickets, so reserve
them early and I assure you
the Junior Warden will be
grateful.

I am sure we will have an
enjoyable evening.

The Third Degree, June
7th will be conferred by the
Past Masters of Charlotte
Lodge. This is an opportune
time to exchange greetings
with brothers you may have
not seen for a period of
time. Set this date apart -
come out and take part in
the good fellowship.

Fraternally,
Walter Doescher, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

May 3 - Third Degree,
Second Class, Full Form.
Roast Ham Dinner served
by Ladies of Charlotte
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at 6:30 P.M. Bro. Marvin
Williams in the East.
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vations with Jr. Warden,
Stewards, or Secretary.
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May 14 - 11th Annual Ladies
Night Dinner Dance - at
Welcome Ranch, Ridge Road
West. Dinner at 7:00; All
officers have tickets.

May 17 - Second Degree,
Third Class, Bro. Walter
Greenfield in the East.

May 24 - Officers meeting
at Lodge, 7:30 P.M.

June 7 - Third Degree,
Third Class. Past Masters
of Charlotte Lodge.

Lodge Ladies Night at
Welcome Ranch will be the
11th Annual Dinner Dance of
Charlotte Lodge. Last year
was the first time we met at
Welcome Ranch. The food
and music were wonderful.

It wasn't but a few years
ago that our Lodge topped
the 200 people for this event.
In the past few years we have
had 170 - 180 in attendance.
Let us put it over 200 again
this year.

So make a date with your
wife now for a wonderful
evening with dinner, dancing
and fellowship. Have your
better halves meet the fel-
lows you spend the first and
thrid Tuesdays each month
with. Your wives will enjoy
the socialiability and we will
be pleased with their pres-
ence.

The Second Degree was
conferred on April 5, 1966
by our Jr. Warden, Bro.
M. Williams on the follow-
ing brothers: Albert Houck,
Harvey Strauss, Howard
Snyder, Daniel Fowler and
Donald Whiting. Present at
the degree was R:W: F. Bel-
luscio, District Deputy. His
visit was appreciated and
his words regarding our
Brotherhood Fund Drive
were most satisfying.

As of March 24, 1966,
Charlotte Lodge was in 4th
place in the Monroe Districts
with 39.1% participation and
5th in contributions with a
\$1,059.00 total to date. Con-
tributions are still coming
in and will be accepted up
to May 31, 1966.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

W: Brother Harrey Pal-
mer and his Sunshine Com-
mittee continue doing an im-
pressive job visiting our sick
brethren. The task is time
consuming and the travel
extensive and is in keeping
with our Masonic Fellow-
ship. They have visited with
the following brothers: W:
Quick, C. Sweet, R. Brum-
struck, E. Hilfinger, Art
Windsor, J. Gauger, M.
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port. Again if you live near
to any of these brothers stop
in and see them, your visits
are much appreciated.

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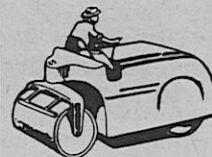
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No. 476
2nd and 4th Mondays

INSIDE THE TEMPLE

Do not miss April 25th meeting. It will be 'Oltimers Nite'. Flower City Lodge will present the exemplification of the Master Mason Degree. It will also be award night for the 'Life Members'. The Fairport Chapter of Eastern Star will serve a dinner at 6:30.

This in substance is what W:M: Ralph Homan says about this meeting. "There is probably not a time in the life of a member of the Masonic Order when he is more entitled to recognition by the brethren of the craft than when life membership is awarded. For all it means a journey Eastward for forty years. But for some it means much more. It means a time when he can look back on all the happy circumstances he has encountered in that 40 years. To look back to the time when he had the good fortune to lend a helping hand to one in need; to the time when a brother was discouraged and despondent and he had a cheerful talk with him; to the many times he called on the ill and the shut-ins; to the wonderful times he had contributing to the celebration of a glad event for a brother and his family; to the contribution he was able to make to a worthwhile Lodge program; to the many years he cheerfully contributed to the Brotherhood Fund, are the real rewards of being a 'Life Member'.

Yes, Brothers, let us all be there at Lodge April 25th when the class is recognized. Help them celebrate.

BROTHERHOOD FUND

"The Power of My Contribution", page 5, Empire State Mason, March - April issue 1966. Just read it again. The Master of the Lodge, W: Ralph Homan wants you then to sit down and send your contribution (a quarter, fifty cents, a dollar or more) to Mr. Gotthard Wicki, 6 Garden Drive, Fairport, It will make you feel better than it will anyone else.

DEATHS AND ILLNESSES

Irving R. Neise - Passed to the Supreme Lodge March 25, 1966. Raised to Master Mason, April 26, 1926.

Kenneth Trescott is expected to be home from the Veterans Hospital, Batavia by the time tulips bloom.

Glenn Potter is in Northside Hospital undergoing test. Surgery expected next week.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

Bro. Leonard Fuller announced that the Fellowship Committee of the 1st and 2nd Monroe Masonic Districts have arranged for a golf tournament at Salmon Creek course for July 9 and October 1. Also interlodge bowling tournament for November 6. Brother Fulmer also reminded us that he is trying to organize a barber-shop quartette. A euchre tournament will be held at Fairport Lodge April 30 at

7:30 P.M. Macedon and Victor Fellowcraft clubs have been invited.

Bro. Frank Wood announces that the Fairport Masons have a baseball team in the "Little League"

COMING EVENTS

Apr. 25 - Flower City Lodge exemplifies the 3rd Degree at Fairport. Old Timers Night - awarding of Life Memberships. D.D. G.M. makes a visit.

May 7 - Corned beef and cabbage dinner from 5 and on.

May 9 - Grand Lodge Report by W:M: Ralph Homan.

May 13 - Past Masters Dinner at Green Lantern Inn. Bring your wife.

May 23 - Ladies Night - Special program on Flower arrangements.

SENECA LODGE

No. 920
3rd Tuesday



MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:

On the eve of a New York State Masonic Bowling Tournament, I am in accord with our own Grand Master, Most Worshipful Cass Henry, who has wanted the Brothers of New York State to have an active part in Masonic fellowship. What better chance is there to attend a bowling tournament or another sporting event, or even an evening dinner before Lodge meeting?

Just two days ago, I saw a Seneca member, a busy businessman who in his own heart would like to attend a meeting, but upon his salutation, said "I don't think I could get in Lodge." That expression is not accepted by me, nor is it a valid excuse. It is only an easy way out of attending. As long as you have a current dues card, how can we keep you from attending?

The officers of Seneca have been privileged to perform at the School of Ritual on April 22, 1966. Even though it happens to be the birthday of two of our Brothers, they are abiding by the wishes of Grand Lodge and are will

and are willing to show that Seneca Lodge is profction plus in ritual performance. You can be proud of our Seneca Officers. Come to Lodge and support them.

I would like to thank all who have supported the Brotherhood Fund. As you undoubtedly noticed in the Masonic News, our own Dave Crumrine, Senior Steward, is to be congratulated on the success of this drive as the institution of his ideas were among the principal reasons for the substantial increase in the amount received. Also, Brother Bob Wood and his committee worked very many long hours

to make this a success for Seneca Lodge. Thanks a lot, Brothers.

During a pause of a few days between the start of this letter and the present paragraph, one of our Brothers distinguished himself during the tournament. Mr. Bowler, Senior Deacon Culver Barr is at present a leader in the doubles and is the leader in the all events. Congratulations, Culver.

Under sickness and distress, if you know of any Brother in need of our aid or sympathy, be sure to notify one of our officers or call me at LU 6-3139.

Fraternally yours,
Harry C. Kittredge,
Master

FELLOWCRAFT NEWS

A great time was had by all who attended our "beat the Seneca" Bowling Party. The following were winners:

11 Brothers and their wives won trophies for beating Seneca plus:

Bro. Jules Kitzing, Men's Hdcp. Trophy; Mrs. Marge McCarty, Women's Hdcp. Trophy; Bro. Ollie Zimmer, Men's High Scratch Award; Mrs. Dottie Snodgrass, Women's High Scratch Award; Miss Ruth Kittredge, Most Improved bowler Trophy;

Twenty-seven stayed for a delightful beffet dinner after the bowling. After a little mixup with the finances, it was found that our Worshipful Master had neglected to pay. It is too bad the rest of you had to miss such a good time. Be sure to reserve June 18th for our Golf Tournament and Banquet at Happy Acres Country Club. More to follow in our May Trestleboard.

For those who forgot - the Fellowcraft dues are only a dollar. In the very near future we plan to list those who are supporting the Fellowcraft Club. Put your name on this list by giving or sending a dollar to any of the following:

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COMING EVENTS

May 14, 1966 - Ladies Night Dinner Dance at Oak Hill Country Club. Refreshments at 6:30, Dinner at 7:30 P.M. Two Eastman School students will entertain us with songs from past and current Broadway Musicals. Music by Howard Geyer and his Orchestra. Dancing from 9:00 P.M. to 1:00 A.M. Dress informal. Corsages. Tickets \$13.00 per couple. Reservations close May 10, 1966.

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Commander's Message

The Easter Season has come and gone for another year. In our churches, thousands have gathered to sing hymns of praise to the Glory of the Resurrection and our belief in Eternal Life. At Arlington National Cemetery, hundreds of Knights Templar marched into the amphitheatre at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, their plumed chapeaux rippling in the breeze, as the sun rose over the Virginian hills. There they raised their voices in thanks and listened in silence and meditation as the sound of taps echoed from the hills. Then strengthened and refreshed, they departed. At home, daffodils and tulips that last year died are again emerging from the earth. Lilac buds are swelling and all around us is evidence of our Father's promise that we will be born again.

At this time, we as Knights Templar, and followers of the Cross should renew our vows taken at the Holy Altar and go forward with faith and humility remembering we all have a Cross to bear and let us so bear that Cross that we may be deemed worthy to wear the Crown. Frederick A. Miller, Commander

On Friday night, April 29th, Monroe Commandery will be host to Commanderies of Zone 11 for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta on a large class of candidates. The Orders will be conferred jointly by Monroe and Cyrene Commanderies, and will be preceded by a dinner at 6:30.

Sunday, May 15th, the Annual Church Service of Monroe and Cyrene Commanderies will be held at Gaines, New York Congregational Church. The service will be conducted by the Reverend W. Edward Stokesberry, Eminent Grand Prelate of the Grand Commandery of the State of New York. After the service, a dinner will be served at the Village Inn with a choice of roast beef or chicken. Gaines, New York is about 35 miles west of Rochester on Route 104 and is just a pleasant drive on a May morning. The Grange Hall next to the church, will be open for changing into uniform prior to the service at 11:00 a.m. Full Templary uniform is

requested, minus side arms. Please make reservations for the dinner with our Captain General, Joel Johnson.

May 20th, Monroe Commandery will confer the Order of the Temple. The cooperation of all Past Commanders and Sir Knights is requested to make this evening an outstanding event for the candidates. Dinner reservations may be made with Sir Knight Leslie Brown, Telephone: NO 3-6873. Dinner at 6:15 P.M.

A large number of Sir Knights and their ladies, of Monroe Commandery will journey to Schenectady, New York for the Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of the State of New York, June 10th to 12th. A block of rooms has been reserved in the Holiday Inn Motel for Monroe Commandery. This promises to be a well organized and enjoyable Grand Conclave. Reservations can still be made with our Generalissimo, Walter Sanders.

A large delegation of Monroe Commandery #12 K.T. and Hamilton Chapter #62, R.A.M. members visited Clio Lodge in Hilton, New York and presented to the Lodge, equipment purchased to replace those lost in the fire. Members of these two York Rite Bodies raised by voluntary donations, about \$700.00 and purchased the two beautiful Pillars and several smaller pieces of equipment for Clio Lodge. Monroe Commandery and Hamilton Chapter are grateful for this opportunity to be of service to our Brothers and wish to express appreciation to all members who contributed to this fund.

Em. Sir Knight Harley Smith, P.C., recently underwent a very serious operation. He has recovered remarkably well and was able to return home where he is now recuperating. He must take it easy and is allowed no visitors at the present time. The best wishes of all members of Monroe Commandery go out to him for a speedy and complete recovery.

**CYRENE
COMMANDERY
No. 39
KNIGHTS
TEMPLAR**



Once again it is Easter time and the time for all S.K. to rejoice in the knowledge that Christ has risen. All over the Christian world people in all lands held Sunrise Services.

This year for the 35th time the Knight Templars held their Annual Easter Sunrise Service in the Arlington Ampitheater on April 10th at 7:30 A.M. Weather was a little bit on the cool side but the sun was out. There were over 1,100 S.K. in Uniforms at this service from all over the country. A wonderful sight to see so many in one place. There were over 100 from the state of New York. After the Service S.K. Wilber M. Brucker, the Most Eminent Grand Master of Sir Knights placed the Cross of Lilies on the Unknown Soldiers graves.

Eight Sir Knights were in attendance from Cyrene. Eminent Commander S.K.,

Charles R. Hager and wife; Generalissimo S.K. Richard L. Kassel; Senior Warden, S.K.H. William Earl and family; Prelate S.K. William C. Angold and wife; Recorder S.K. Kenneth R. Snyder and Son; Sword Bearer S.K. James L. Hussey and wife; S.K. John Perrin and his wife; S.K. Roy E. Huff and his wife.

I want to thank all of you for attending and making this a grand event in the life of our Commandery. Wish more could have been there. Maybe next time.

Special events in Washington. Saturday afternoon buses took us over to the Washington Memorial in Alexandria. This time we made it through the Memorial from top to bottom. Everyone should see it some time during their journey there. The New York group had their banquet in the evening at The Old Club Restaurant. It used to be Washingtons Club during his time. Great time was had by all. Everyone enjoyed their stay in in Washington. The Cherry Blossoms were out in all their glory at this time.

Now for some events coming up:

On May 13th Cyrene Commandery will confer The Order of the Temple. Dinner by reservation at 6:30 P.M. with S.K. Kenneth R. Snyder. All are welcome to attend.

On May 15th we have our Annual combined Church Service with Monroe Commandery #12. The service Sunday will be held in the Gaines Church at 11 A.M. with Dinner at the Village Inn afterwards. All should come. Make reservations with your respective Commanders, S.K.C. Ray Hager from Cyrene and S.K. Fred Miller from Monroe.

We will have no Conclave on May 27th due to Memorial Day weekend. Have a safe one.

Plan now to attend the Annual Picnic with Ionic Chapter to be held in Churchville Park East Cabin on June 4th. Make reservations with our Recorder S.K. Kenneth R. Snyder. Let's make it a big one this time.

Remember the 153rd Annual Grand Conclave of Knights Templar of the State of New York to be held in Schenectady, New York on June 10th, 11th and 12th, 1966. Plan now to attend.

The 150th year of the Grand Encampment of Knight

Templars of the U.S.A. is to be held at the Hotel Aster in New York on June 18th, 1966. The Guest Speaker will be Sir Norman Vincent Peale who was just recently made a Sir Knight.

Sir Knights let's not forget our 100th Chartered Year Celebration in 1967. We want to make this a big one in everyway possible. In order to do that it takes lots of contributions from every one. Do it now, not later. Our Chairman is Em. Sir Roy E. VanDelinder Sr., and Em. Sir John E. Sherman as Co Chairman. You may make your checks payable to cyrene Centennial Fund and mail same to Roy E. VanDelinder Sr., 84 Bedford St., Rochester, N.Y. 14609. Do it now while you think of it.

Before closing I want to thank Mrs. Mosher for the wonderful work she did for us in making the Malta Banners for our Commandery. They sure are beautiful. We all appreciate them very much. Thanks again.

All for now.
Em. Sir Charles Ray Hager, Commander.
Em. Sir Roy E. Huff, Reporter.

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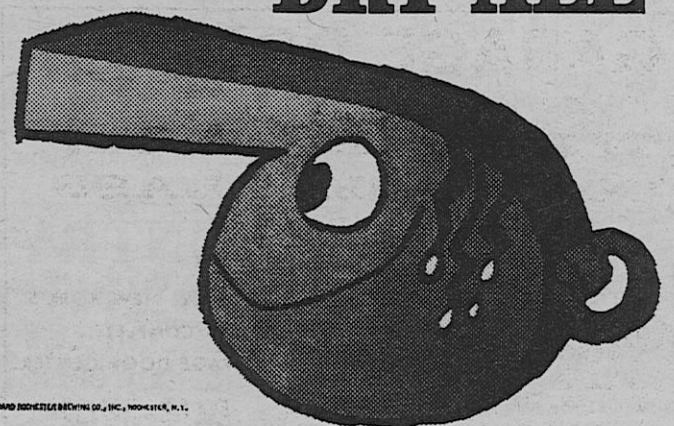
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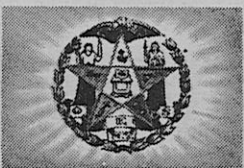
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MAY, 1966

- 2 - Flower City Link #38-O.G.C. Board Meeting.
- 3 - Nola Chapter - Memorial Night.
- 5 - University Star Chapter- Regular Meeting.
- 7 - Amo Chapter - Dinner Preparation.
- 9 - Flower City Link - O.G.C. Meeting.
- 9 - University Star Chapter- R.G.& E. Food Demonstration.
- 11 - Amo Chapter - Past Matrons Club Meets.
- 12 - University Star - Officers Club.
- 15 - Flower City Link #38-O.G.C. Testimonial Dinner.
- 16 - Amo Chapter - Memorial Service.
- 17 - Nola Chapter - Mother and Daughter Supper.
- 17 - 18 - Amo Chapter - Rummage Sale.
- 19 - University Star - Memorial Service.
- 20 - Nola Chapter - Baked Food Sale.
- 20 - 23 - Flower City Link-O.G.C. Convention at Atlantic City.
- 23 - Amo Chapter Sistercraft.

AMO CHAPTER No. 547 Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Members:
It has been a pleasure to welcome so many out to chapter. The sideliners were honored at our April 18th meeting and W: S. Joan Potter presented a very nice degree.
Our card party was a success and everyone seemed to have a nice time. Thank you all for coming.
To those who haven't paid their 1966 dues, this is a little reminder that they are due.
The activities for May are:
May 2 - Regular Meeting at which we will honor Mothers.
May 7 - We will have a dinner to prepare and serve. We will need help. Please contact the Worthy Matron or Assoc. Matron if you can help.
May 11 - Past Matrons

Club will meet at the home of W: S: Joan Potter.
May 16 - Regular Meeting Memorial.
May 17 - 18 - We will have a Rummage Sale at 212 Main St. West. Contact the Worthy Matron or Assoc. Matron and we will arrange to have Rummage picked up if you can not get it to the store. We also need help on both these days.
May 23 - Sistercraft will meet at the home of W: S: Marge Blohm.
Fraternally,
Florence Press, W:M:
Paul Gamble, W:P:

NOLA CHAPTER No. 368 Order of the Eastern Star

Sisters & Brothers:
On April 19th we welcomed our visiting Grand Officers for their official visit to our Chapter. The Worthy Matron Berneda Riley and Worthy Patron Irving Drews would like to thank all the officers for a wonderful job.
Please note the following schedule for May:
May 3 - Regular Meeting. Memorial Night. On this night we will drape the Altar in memory of our departed members.
May 17 - Regular Meeting. This evening we are having a Mother & Daughter covered dish supper at 6:30 in the Chapter rooms. We sincerely hope all our Sisters will attend with their Mothers or Daughters or their granddaughters. Also please bring your own place settings.
Now just another reminder of our "Like new sale and Baked Food" sale combined. This will be on Friday, May 20th from 10 A.M. to 9:30 P.M. in the Chapter Rooms. Everyone please try to start getting things together. Clothes must be cleaned and pressed and brought on hangers. Of course, this includes any other miscellaneous items. Also everyone will be contacted to donate food for the sale. Anyone who can't bring their items to the hall on May 16th, please call Churchville 791-F-23 or 763 and we will arrange pickups. Please everyone get behind this project and let's make it a success. Time is getting short.
Everyone please try and

make the May meetings. Fraternaly,
Gladis Herrington

UNIVERSITY STAR CHAPTER No. 797 Order of the Eastern Star

We are very grateful to all who helped in any way to make our Card Party a success, our 40th Birthday Celebration so enjoyable, and to Eleanor Fonda for showing her Travel Films. Thank you one and all.

May events are planned for good fellowship with a surprise in store for University Chapter.

Please remember the gift to be given at the end of the year for the best attendance.

May 5 - Regular Meeting. Cup Sale. Please bring any article used or new.

Mothers Day - A tribute to honor all mothers. Surprise - Presented by W:S: Marion Jermyn.

Dining Room - Group-111. Chairman - W: Sylvia Carroll. Co-Chairman - Jeanette Edson.

May 9 - R.G.& E. Food Demonstration, 89 East Ave. 8:00 P.M.

This demonstration is interesting and free of charge for you and your friends. Please try to attend and bring several friends. Your donation no matter how great or small will be appreciated.

May 12 - Officers Club- At the home of Frances Nazzaro, 46 Foster Rd.

May 19 - Regular Meeting. Memorial Service. Birthday Tables - April, May and June. Dining Room Group 111. Chairman, W: Sylvia Carroll, Co - Chairman - Jeanette Edson.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations and best wishes to those celebrating birthdays in May. Florence Broadbrooks, May 2; Marie Christian, May 12; Ruth De Groot, May 14; W: Martha Le Clair, May 17; Jeanette Mc Intyre, May 13; W: Edna Turner, May 24; and Regina Tyson, May 24.

A card or note of cheer would be most welcomed by our shut-ins - W:S: Edna Turner, Regina Tyson, Florence Lourette and W: Bertha Rogers.

Sincerely and fraternaly,
Joan Clark, W: M:
Richard Clark, W:P:

FIDELITY TRIANGLE

On Saturday, April 16, Fidelity Triangle installed its new Beloved Queen, Barbara Cross and her staff of officers in a lovely ceremony in Cathedral Hall.

The new line officers are, Senior Lady in Waiting, Susan Alley; Junior Lady in waiting, Arline Schutt; Guardian, Kathryn Slack; Chaplain, Amy Houston.



FIDELITY TRIANGLE INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

L.toR. Kathryn Slack, Guardian; Arlene Schutt, Jr. Lady in Waiting; Barbara Cross, Beloved Queen; Susan Alley, Sr. Lady in Waiting; Amy Houston, Chaplain.

The retiring Queen, Linda Cranston, presented a check for \$200.00 to R:W: Bennet Taylor as a gift to the Masonic Brotherhood Fund.

Linda also presented a check for \$75.00 to R:W: O'Dell Kelly as a gift to the Masonic Service Bureau and a check for \$50.00 to W: George Wetzel as a gift to the Monroe Masonic News.



Beloved Queen Linda Cranston presents check to W: Geoi Wetzel



Beloved Queen Linda Cranston presents check to R: W: Kelly

The girls earned the money for these gifts by holding rummage sales, collecting old newspapers and selling candy.

Installing Marshalls were retiring Queen Linda Cranston and Past Queen Diane Deering. Installing Chaplain was past Queen Georgianna Shield.

W: Ethel Hazard, Matron of Niner Chapter was installed as Chairman of Supervisors and Mrs. Frances Schulz of Irondequoit Chapter and Past Queen was installed as Supervisor of the West.

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No. 38

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Sisters and Brothers:

We write this last message as your Worthy Matron and your Worthy Patron with mixed emotions. Many events and programs were planned, but regretfully were unable to accomplish all of them in the short year that has elapsed. However, we feel that a major milestone was met -- the successful and overwhelming attendances at the meetings. This has been the result of the efforts of all -- the officers, the past leaders, and especially the membership-at-large. We have acquired many treasure friendships of this Link and throughout the Order of the Golden Chain and hope that the new staff of officers will derive the same satisfaction in this manner. We have felt that the concepts and charges of the Jewels not only symbolized what each of us mean towards one another, but also a way of life, without fear and shadow. A beam of light that brightens one's path to safety can be interpreted, as a figure of speech, to the Link showing the way and the direction to a life worthwhile. No individual can exist in a vacuum and receive the full impact of living. It takes tears, laughter, heartaches, success, etc., to be rewarded with the title of being a human being. This, our Link has been to all of us, and will continue to be so.

On Monday evening, April 25th, Flower City Link #38 will hold its OPEN INSTALLATION for all members, master masons, affiliated friends, and interested persons. This is by invitation only. It will be held at the JYM & WA, with the retirement service beginning at 7:30 P.M. and the Installation starting at 9:00. We extend our congratulations to the newly elected and appointed officers for the year 1966-67.

The installing committee will consist of: Installing Matron, W: Sister Dina Bienestock, Past Matron; Installing Marshal, W: Sister Kea Lane, Jr. Past Matron; Installing Chaplain, R:W: Sister Eva R. Leve, Past Associate Grand Lecturer.

The following staff of officers will be installed: Worthy Matron, Sister Marion Greenberg; Worthy Patron, W: Bro. Herman Lane, Asso. Matron, Sister Naomi Friedman; Asso. Conductress, Sister Sara Solomon; Secy, R:W: Sister Eva R. Leve; Rec. Secy, Sister Rose Deutsch; Treasurer, W: Sister Kea Lane; Marshal, R:W: Sister Evalyn Phillips; Chaplain, Sister Gertrude Sand; Historian, Sister Sara Caplan; Musician, Sister Ida Cornell; Soloist, Sister Sara Bridge; Warder, Sister Marion Miller; Sentinel, R:W: Bro. Lewis Shoolman; 3 year Trustee, W: Bro. Herman Lane; 1 year Trustee, R:W: Lewis Shoolman; Homemaker, W: Sister Freida Davidson; Angel of Mercy, W: Sister Dina Bienestock; Friendly Sister, Sister Jane Abramson; Torchbearer, Sister Raya Finn; Patroit, Sister Jewel Scheller; Keeper of the Faith, Sister Rose Bartikofsky.

As part of the program, the members and guest of the Link will again have the opportunity of witnessing the awarding of the Matron and Patron Jewels. This will be done by the Most Worthy Past Grand Patron, Bro. Joseph H. Biben, who is always most inspiring to hear.

On March 27th, the Flower City Link was honored with a tribute by the Jewish Home and Infirmary. The plaque was given by Mr. Mort Nussbaum in Home's behalf for the many generous and essential instruments and equipment donated throughout the years to them. R:W: Bro. Issie Morgenstern received the citation as the Link's representative.

IN MEMORIAN

Most Worthy Brother Meyer Linnick, Past Grand Patron. May his soul rest in eternal peace and may his name be as a benediction.

On May 15, 1966 a Testimonial Dinner will be held in honor of the Worthy Matron, Sister Kea Lane, and the Worthy Patron, Bro. Herman Lane. This event is to be chairmened by R:W: Sister Evalyn Phillips and Sister Naomi Friedman. These sisters are planning a gala affair, so join the crowd and have a wonderful time!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Apr. 25 - INSTALLATION.
May 2 - Board Meeting - 80 Lanvale Pk.
May 15 - Testimonial Dinner.
May 20 - 23 - CONVENTION AT ATLANTIC CITY.
May 9 - Next slated Meeting.

Sisters and Brothers:

We are grateful and most humble to have been elected to serve in the East for the coming year. As your leaders and your servants, we shall endeavor to uphold all our Link's principles; in particular, the precious jewels of friendship. With friendship come the understanding and tolerance of ourselves and others, to make our Link and the world a better place in which to live.

To all our chairmen and workers: thank you for everything, for without your cooperation a successful year, as ours, could not have been realized -- to all the pro-tems, to R:W: Sister Evalyn Phillips for the bulletin and all printing materials, to all officers elected and appointed, and to all sisters and brothers who attended meetings and ex-

tended us all the help and cooperation whenever called upon ... to our wonderful Past Matrons and Patrons for their help, your counseling and guidance is above reproach -- THANKS TO YOU ALL.

Fraternally & respectfully,
Kea Lane, Worthy Matron
Herman Lane, Worthy Patron.

LILAC TRIANGLE NEWS

Beloved Queen Carolyn Land and her staff of officers were installed, Monday evening, April 4 in a beautiful ceremony in Fairport Masonic Temple.

Her parents are Mr. Fred Land of Fairport Lodge and Mrs. Hazel Land of Fairport Chapter.

About 135 people attended the affair, including a delegation from Fidelity Triangle.

The new line officers are, Senior Lady in Waiting, Lee Ann Stutzman; Junior Lady in Waiting, Barbara Rogers; Guardian, Gayle Dezio; and Chaplain, Pamela Russell.



Beloved Queen Sherrie VerHow presents check to W: J. Gisleson

The outgoing Beloved Queen, Sherrie VerHow, presented a check to W: James Gisleson as a gift to the Masonic Service Bureau and a check to R:W: Bennet Taylor as a gift to the Masonic Brotherhood Fund from the girls of Lilac Triangle.

A reception and refreshments followed the installation ceremonies.

Other charitable efforts by the girls of Lilac Triangle include, Thanksgiving Food Baskets, Toys for children at Christmas time and Favors for the Baptist Home at Fairport.

Monday, April 25, will be a regular meeting at 8:00 P.M. in East Rochester Masonic Temple. The new Queen will present her Term Plans.

Our Fashion Show on Tues. March 22, to raise funds for Charity, was a big success, attended by more than 100 people.

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