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NEXT SUBJECT ON
EARL HILFIKER'S
FILMING SCHEDULE

Thanks to the interest and efforts of our Worshipful Brother, the Honorable Frank Horton, Representative of our 36th Congressional District in Washington, Brother Earl L. Hilfiker is about to start out on another photographic project. This time he leaves for south Texas to try for pictures of whooping cranes in their winter range in the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge. Earl starts his fall tour for the National Audubon Society immediately after Thanksgiving and ends it on December 15th when he starts for south Texas. Mrs. Hilfiker plans to accompany

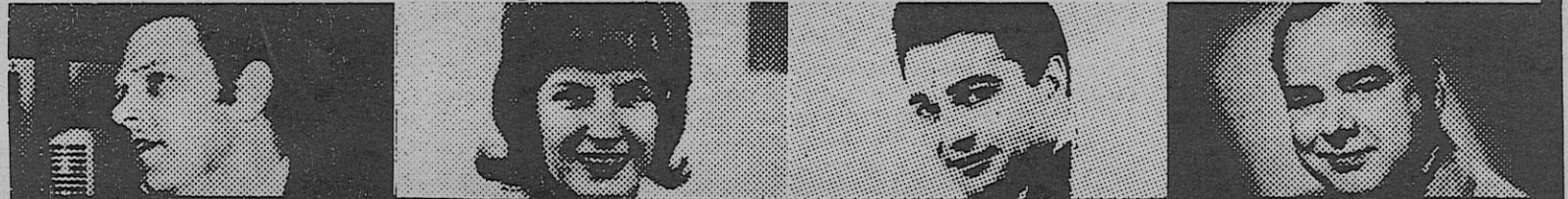
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Dear Brethren:

The ability to disseminate Masonic news throughout the two Monroe Districts has always been a trying problem. With the advent of this Monroe Masonic News several years ago, the efficiency of spreading Masonic news was greatly enhanced. However, perhaps this news medium is still not being used to its best advantage. This paper is probably read by most of the Masons in the county, and all worthwhile news items are brought to their attention. Although similar announcements are usually made at regular Lodge meetings, unless the Brethren attend the meeting the news is lost.

This newspaper is your means of informing all Masons of current Masonic events. Masonic clubs and committees may find a wealth of new participants in their activities if more Brethren know of their programs. Masonic projects and festivals are sure to benefit through news notices. Use this paper for all such announcements; just write them up and send them to the Monroe Masonic News, 153 Monroe Avenue, Rochester, N.Y. 14607. The deadline for news is the 15th of the month prior to publication.

Among the many active Grand Lodge Committees in the Monroe Districts is the Masonic Fellowship Committee. The officers and Committeemen are active, capable and dedicated in promoting Masonic fellowship. Their aim is to give Masonic Brethren an opportunity for self expression, and to instill in them the spirit of enthusiasm and cooperation by working together. Their activities include golfing, bowling, camping, marksmanship, photography, and many others. They work hard because of their sincere interest. If you want to see fellowship in action, take part in an activity of interest to you; the rest will be automatic. Or better yet, take an active part on the committee.

Sincerely and fraternally,
Robert P. Zabel, D.D.G.M., Second Monroe District

ROBERT P.
ZABEL
D.D.G.M.
2nd MONROE
DISTRICT



Dear Brethren:

A prime objective of your District Deputy Grand Master is to generate interest and enthusiasm among the brethren for all of the Masonic programs, particularly those fostered in Monroe County. One of the programs which I feel to be of vital importance is the Masonic education of our members undertaken by the Bureau of Masonic Education.

An Initiate must have had a genuine interest in Freemasonry to originate the steps to become a Mason. It is the responsibility of his Brothers to cultivate this interest and to build enthusiasm for our ritualistic work as he progresses through the degrees. We can all help by encouraging him to attend or even by bringing him to the School of Instruction. Since the subject matter is broad in scope it should be beneficial even to members of many years service. Periodic review is an excellent way for all of us to keep up our interest.

The School of Ritual and Lodge Administration are of no less importance. Though these schools were created primarily to train lodge officers, they are open to all Master Masons. While attendance by the line officers is essential if they are to become proficient, non-officers are urged to attend at their convenience as well. Those having any interest in the ritualistic work are bound to have this interest heightened by the fine work exemplified at the School of Ritual. So try to arrange your schedule to permit attendance at meetings of particular interest to you. The school schedules are available from your Worshipful Master, the Bureau of Masonic Education and the Monroe Masonic News. Certainly the by-product of fellowship alone is ample reward, and goodly attendance will indicate to those who work so hard to administer the schools that their work is appreciated.

Sincerely and fraternally,
Clinton S. Ballard, D.D.G.M., First Monroe District

CLINTON S.
BALLARD
D.D.G.M.
1st MONROE
DISTRICT



SEE COUPON
ON PAGE TWO

**Brotherhood Fund
Campaign to be
Short Campaign**

Brethren it is not too early to think of your participation in the Brotherhood Fund. Your lodge chairman or member of his committee will contact you in the not too distant future. However, there's nothing to prevent you from contacting him first - he would certainly appreciate that.

Each lodge is responsible for the running of their campaign. The Grand Master recommends a short campaign, at the most not to exceed two months. Your lodge will select the period deemed most advantageous.

Each lodge chairman is to inform his district chairman when the campaign is taking place and keep him informed of the progress being made.

The district chairmen are William Gavitt - 2nd Monroe and Harold Pixley - 1st Monroe. Please contact us if we can be of any service.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TRIP TO UTICA TO BE SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16

We have just received confirmation from Santa Claus that he will be in attendance when we make our annual Christmas Trip to the Masonic Home in Utica on Sunday, December 16. If you have never visited the home, especially during the holiday season, we invite you to join us. The first year there were four brothers from Monroe District who brought cheer to our Brothers and Sisters who reside in the home. Each year the number attending has increased so that last year we were able to fill a

bus. This year we would like to fill two buses. We plan to leave early Sunday morning, visit the guests from Monroe District and present each one a gift from Santa. We will make reservations and stop and eat dinner on our way home. Please, won't you join us and help bring joy to our Brothers and Sisters in the Masonic Home.

If you would like to join with us, please contact either O'Dell Kelly or Harry Kennedy and we will fill you in on all the details.

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**LET'S GO
VISITING**

NOVEMBER 1967

- 1 - Union Star - Third Degree.
- 2 - Genesee Falls - Regular Meeting.
- 2 - Webster Lodge - Second Degree.
- 3 - Monroe Commandery - Regular Conclave.
- 3 - School of Instruction.
- 3 - Cyrene Commandery - Rummage Sale.
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- 5 - Inter-Lodge Fellowship Bowling Party.
- 6 - Corinthian Temple - Second Degree.
- 7 - Charlotte Lodge - Open Meeting.
- 7 - Yonnonadio - First Degree.
- 7 - Penfield Union - Second Degree.
- 8 - Germania Lodge - Third Degree.
- 8 - Oatka Lodge - Third Degree with Masonic War Veterans.
- 8 - Genesee Valley DeMolay - Regular Meeting.
- 9 - Hamilton Chapter - R.A.M.
- 9 - Masonic War Veterans - Post Meeting.
- 10 - Cyrene Commandery - Regular Conclave.
- 10 - School of Ritual.
- 13 - Wakan Lodge - Open Meeting.
- 13 - Rochester Lodge - First Degree.
- 13 - Etolian Lodge - Open Meeting.
- 13 - F.R. Lawrence Lodge - Third Degree with Shrine Degree Team.
- 13 - Fairport Lodge - First Degree.
- 14 - Orpheus Lodge - Third Degree.
- 14 - Fame Lodge - Official Visit D.D.G.M.
- 14 - Flower City Lodge - Visit of Suburban Lodge of Buffalo.
- 14 - Henrietta Lodge - Open Meeting.
- 14 - F.L. Simes Lodge - Official Visit & Memorial Service.

- 15 - Union Star Lodge - Second Degree.
- 16 - Genesee Falls Lodge - Third Degree.
- 16 - Webster Lodge - Third Degree.
- 17 - Monroe Commandery - Regular Meeting.
- 17 - Inter Lodge Fellowship - Banquet.
- 20 - Corinthian Temple - Open Meeting. Guest Speaker Herman Sarachan - Dinner.
- 20 - Rochester Masonic Stamp Club. Regular Meeting and Stamp Auction.
- 21 - Charlotte Lodge - Third Degree - Dinner.
- 21 - Yonnonadio Lodge - Second Degree.
- 21 - Penfield Union - Third Degree.
- 21 - Seneca Lodge - Third Degree - Official Visit - Dinner.
- 22 - Ancient Craft - Third Degree.
- 22 - Germania Lodge - Business Meeting.
- 25 - Commandery - Zone Festival.
- 27 - Wakan Lodge - Third Degree.
- 27 - Rochester Lodge - Memorial Service & Second Degree.
- 27 - Etolian Lodge - Past Masters Night.
- 28 - Fame Lodge - Third Degree and Dinner.
- 28 - Henrietta Lodge - Third Degree and Dinner.
- 28 - East Rochester Lodge - Third Degree and Dinner.
- 28 - F.L. Simes Lodge - Second Degree - Past Masters.
- 29 - Union Star Lodge - Third Degree by Shrine Degree Team.

**MASONIC
STAMP
CLUB**

Monday, November 20, is the next meeting night of the Rochester Masonic Stamp Club. The meeting will begin promptly at 8:00 in the Club Room in the basement of the Masonic Temple. Let's make it a "must" for all you stamp collectors to attend this meeting.

A Special Feature of this meeting is to be a Stamp Auction, open to all. A portion of the proceeds from the Auction are to be given to the Brotherhood Fund. So bring out the material you've wanted to dispose of; we'll auction it for you, and you will also be helping a most worthy cause. Remember the date: Monday, November 20, 8:00 P.M. in the basement of the Masonic Temple. See the Bulletin Board in the Temple Lobby for further details, or contact The Secretary of the Club, A.O. Busch, 328-0304.

SHIP
On July 8th at Salmon Creek Country Club, Inter-Lodge Fellowship held the annual Golf Tournament with 10 noted stars in Masonry.
Class A - 1st J. Craib, 2nd J. Stahl, 3rd. B. Taylor.
Class B - 1st H. Kitt-ridge, 2nd. M. Beattie.
Class C - 1st E. Wickes, 2nd J. Booth.

The longest drive went to J. Craib, closest to the hole to B. Taylor and The boggy went to Al Abazzia. The coveted M:W: Clarence J. Henry Trophy went to J. Craib, taking it from J. Stahl, who held it for two years.

On Sept. 23 and 24 our first annual Camporee was held at Timberline Park near LeRoy, N.Y. Many games were played by young and old alike and after a POT LUCK SUPPER and slides were shown of camping areas, it was assured that all had a good time. Keep this in mind (for next year as more people are getting interested in camping.

Another First in Inter-Lodge Fellowship was the 1st Annual Trap and Skeet Shoot held at the Four Points Gun Club. Many visiting Brethren from outside the district, including one from Akron, Ohio helped to make this a must for next year. A wonderful Buffet lunch was served all day through the courtesy of the club. Shooters, keep this in mind for next year. Seventeen sharpies are:

Class A - 1st T. Dunn, 2nd T. Mattern, 3rd. R. Meyer.

Class B - 1st B. Smith, 2nd C. Dean, 3rd. D. Roberts.
Class C - 1st R. Thompson, 2nd K. Keller, 3rd. C. Jutson.

Class D - 1st J. Mears, 2nd F. Prince, 3rd. C. Carey.
Class E - 1st G. Lind, 2nd E. Lenge, 3rd. S. Humphrey.

Father and child division were:
1st - C & R Dean, 2nd G & S. Westerman.

It looks like the shutter bugs have hidden out as far as entries are concerned. Let's get those Plaque winners in before April.

That much talked about Bowling Party is coming up fast. The date is Sunday, Nov. 5th at 2 P.M. at Sunset Alleys on Chili Avenue. The Ladies are invited for the buffet lunch. The prices are Bowling and Supper \$4.00. Bowling only \$2.50. Supper only \$2.00. Applications for the State Bowling Tourney also are available from your Lodge Reps. This will be held at Clover Lanes on March 16-17-23-24-30-31 and April 6-7. Closing date for applications is Feb. 15th, 1968.

Inter - Lodge fellowship members banquet will be held at the Lyons Den Nov. 17th at 6:30 P.M.
Fraternally yours,
James Mc Garigle



Foreground: Bro. Charlie Jutsum starting the First Annual Trap & Skeet Shoot.



Some of the happy campers participating in the First Annual Camporee.

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DeMOLAY

GENESEE VALLEY DEMOLAY INSTALLS WALTER RONALD MASTER COUNCILOR

Before a near capacity audience on October 14th, Walter Ronald was installed as Master Councilor of Genesee Valley Chapter, Order of DeMolay. His fellow officers include David Norton, Senior Councilor; Brian Moran, Junior Councilor; Charles Hall, Scribe; Robert Gilmore, Treasurer; Ted King, Sr. Deacon; Tom Goodrich, Jr. Deacon; Terry Duke, Sr. Steward; Dan Campbell, Jr. Steward; Roger Baxter, Chaplin; Mark Brownell, Almoner; William Shaw, Marshal; Richard Reynolds, Standard Bearer; and Steve Brownell, Orator.

Outstanding in his last installation ceremony, was Steven Whitaker as The Installing Master Councilor, assisted by Arthur Mason, Installing Marshall, who also gave the Flower Talk to new members. Executive Officer Robert M. Walker, an unexpected, but welcome guest, obligated the Advisory Council.

Master Councilor Ronald introduced guests from the Shrine, Grotto, Constellation Triangle, Rochester DeMolay and several other organizations, including both District Deputy Grand Masters.

Q. In a newspaper which circulates among Masons, there recently appeared an advertisement for a political candidate which appealed that Masons should vote for him because he is a Mason. The ad gave all his Masonic affiliations. Isn't this improper?

It is much more than improper. One of our basic principles is that we do not use our Masonry for personal gain or benefit. From time immemorial we do not permit discussion of politics (or religion) within the Lodge room. With this as a basis, one of the questions which an applicant for membership must affirm is: Do you declare on your honor that ... uninfluenced by mercenary motives, you offer yourself a candidate ...

Our Grand Lodge has taken a strict position in implementing these principles. Section 509 of our Constitutions states, as follows: "No Lodge, or any member thereof, nor any Freemason within this jurisdiction ... shall directly, or indirectly, use or attempt to use Freemasonry for or against any political ... candidacy; and it shall be unlawful for any such Lodge or Brother, either personally or by written letter or circular, or in any other manner, directly or indirectly, to solicit ... votes for or against any candidate for political office ... for the reason that such candidate is or is not a member of the craft. Any violation of the provisions of this section shall be a Masonic offense.

Under the terms of this article in our Constitutions, the Brother or Brothers, who inserted this ad, if they are Masons, and the publisher of the ad, if he is a Mason, have committed a Masonic Offense.

Personally, I question the wisdom of inserting such an ad, even in a Masonic paper which has a general circulation. Suppose the non-Masons decided not to vote for him for the reason that he is a Mason!

Q. Back in 1942, our Lodge unaffiliated a brother for non-payment of dues. He has since been living in another city, and now wishes to affiliate with a Lodge in that city. Must we restore him to membership before he can petition the Lodge in his present city of residence?

A. Our Book of Constitutions is rather hazy about this. Section 367 states: "... Any unaffiliated Brother may be restored to membership at any stated communicated ... who has been unaffiliated five years or more ... by unanimous ballot." Section 369 makes provision for a Brother to withdraw from membership, who thus becomes a non-affiliate, and Section 340 makes provision for his affiliating with another Lodge. The implication might appear to be that an unaffiliate must first be restored, or at least voted upon for restoration to his original Lodge before he can petition another Lodge for affiliation.

Decisions of Grand Masters over the years have clarified this matter. Section 1102, Handbook of Masonic Law, states as follows: "Upon payment of the amount due at the time of his unaffiliation (or otherwise discharge it, see Section 824 in the Handbook) he may be restored to membership ... he may however wish to pay up his arrears without resuming membership in his home Lodge ... in (which case) he is entitled to a certificate showing that he has paid his indebtedness to the Lodge, and becomes a non-affiliated Mason in good standing ... He may apply to any Lodge for affiliation."

Section 340, sub-section 4 of our Book of Constitutions states that "The petition of a non-affiliated Mason must be accompanied by a dimit or by a certificate of the Grand Lodge showing the petitioner's status as a non-affiliated Mason."

It is therefore not necessary for you to restore the brother in question, after he has discharged his indebtedness to your Lodge, but merely to secure a Clearance Certificate from the Grand Secretary.



Pam Davis - DeMolay Sweetheart

Pam Davis was introduced as Chapter Sweetheart. Pam will compete for the title of Jurisdiction Sweetheart at the Fall Conclave on Nov. 10. She is a Senior at Fairport High School and active in several extra curricular activities, including President of the Latin Club, and is a member of Lilac Triangle.

The next meeting on Nov. 8th will not include Pam, but there will be an interesting speaker. Chapter opens at 7:30.

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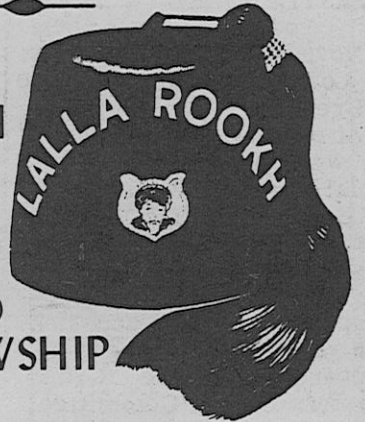
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TRESTLEBOARD

Nov. 14 - Visit of Suburban Lodge of Buffalo.

Brethren:

At our last communication we were honored by an official visit from R.W. Clinton S. Ballard, District Deputy, First Monroe District who brought us a message from the Grand Master and participated in our discussion and voting of the 28 questions prepared by the Grand Masters Survey Committee. A large number of the brethren turned out to welcome such a distinguished guest and had a very interesting and informative evening.

On November 14th, we are going to be visited by our very good friends from Suburban Lodge of Buffalo. This will be an opportunity for many of us to renew former acquaintances and also make some new friends. Our visitors are going to put on the First Degree for us which should prove to be very interesting.

Plan to be with us at our next communication and bring a fellow Mason along with you. Support us with your attendance.

CONGRATULATIONS

Bro. Samuel A. Katz has been appointed an account executive with the brokerage firm of Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith. Rt. Wor. Joseph E. Silverstein has been re-elected Vice President, and Bro. Morris Levinson, Treasurer of the Jewish Community Council.

Bro. Irving A. Brent, local group manager for Investors Planning Corp. of America, attended an International Managers Conference in Geneva, Switzerland.

Bro. Andrew Lovenheim has been appointed co-chairman of the Pac-Setters Division for the 1967 Campaign of the United Jewish Welfare Fund.

To Bro. and Mrs. Harold Altman on the marriage of their daughter Kathryn to Mr. Asher R. Greenhouse of Syracuse.

Bro. Norton Davis has been appointed a section leader in the Business and Industry Division of the 1967 United Welfare Fund Campaign.

Joan M. Rothstein, daughter of Bro. and Mrs. Harold Rothstein is working for one month as a Judy Weis Intern in the Office of Congressman Frank J. Horton in Washington.

We extend our sympathy to the family of our late Brother and Hon. Harry L. Rosenthal.

GERMANIA LODGE
No. 722
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren:

The brethren attending the visitation to Buffalo, enjoyed themselves immensely. I am sorry that more could not find the time to join us. Twenty-Five year certifi-

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cates were issued to Vance Walzack, James Kemp, and Raymond Hieligman. I congratulate them for their amount of service at the craft.

Congratulations are in order for the Senior Deacon Norman Routly and the Junior Warden Ronald Ogren for portraying the first and second degree, they did a wonderful job. I thank all the other brethren for their help in portraying these degrees.

On Nov. 8 the Senior Warden Russel Lane will preside in the East to perform the third degree. Come out and give him your support.

On Dec. 9 is our Christmas Party for the children. Since we are not soliciting thru advertisements, it will be necessary for the brethren from Germania Lodge and Germania Lodge of Perfection to contribute to the Christmas Booster Fund. Please mail all contributions to Wayne Cowell, 115 Hinckley Rd., Rochester, N.Y. Fraternaly yours, Joseph Minas

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Clarence Smith, home, 7 Herbert St.; Walter Lang, home, 345 Magnolia St.; James Kemp, home, 28 Carl St.; Lyell Adams, home, 64 Earl St.; James Pickworth, home, 185 Ripplewood Dr.; William Lauweret, home, 43 Wisconsin St.; Karl Gail, home, 93 Roth St.; Clarence Willink, 53 Mervin Ave; Julius Carper, 9125 Gibson St., Los Angeles, Calif.; Frank Flemming, 139 LaRose Ci., Lamesa, Calif.; Frank Walzer, 38 Loderdale Rd.

ODDS AND ENDS FROM THE SOUTH

I thank the members of the Fellowcraft Team for their attendance at our last rehearsal. There is still room for more brethren who are willing to join the team.

TRESTLEBOARD

Nov. 8 - Third Degree - Senior Warden Russell Lane in the East.

Nov. 16 - Fellowcraft Rehearsal.

Nov. 22 - Business Meeting.

Dec. 13 - Election of Officers.

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

FROM THE EAST

The Wardens and Members unite with me to express their appreciation of the conferral of the Second Degree by our Past Masters. Many thanks to all who participated and helped to make the evening a success.

The Fellowcraft Clambake satisfied all of the clam enthusiasts with both quantity and quality and everyone seemed to enjoy the affair. As usual the Telephone Com-

mittee did a fine job of contacting the membership and deserve all due credit for the good attendance.

We thank the Fellowcraft Club for giving up their meeting on the eve of the Grand Lecturer's Convention and for attending that Convention in a body to bolster our attendance record.

Two members of our "Half A Century" Club received their 50 year buttons from R.W. Robert Zabel, D.D. G.M., 2nd Monroe District during the time of his official visit to our Lodge, October 5th. We were pleased and privileged to honor Bro. Wm. J. Bailey and Bro. John R. Phillipson upon their completion of 50 years of membership and service. Bro. Edward W. Miller will be receiving his 50 year button at home in the very near future, we were sorry that his ill health prevented him from being in Lodge to be cited.

The Grand Master's Survey Committee Questions, answered "yes" or "no", must be in the hands of our District Deputy immediately after our Nov. 2nd meeting. Please come prepared to respond to the questions with a "yes" or "no" answer.

The committee in charge of our November 11th Ladies Night party at Logans, on Scottsville Road have reported that every effort is being made to provide the best in food, music and fun so that this will be the one you just don't want to miss.

The final class of the year will be signed into membership on November 16th. The Degree preceding will be conferred by our Senior Warden William Wilson. Degree Director W: Bro. Thomas Heller will hold a rehearsal November 13, in Doric Hall, Masonic Temple.

The Master, Wardens and members of Genesee Falls Lodge No. 507 join in this expression of deep concern for and sincere sympathy to W: Harold Metzler in his bereavement.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

The list published in the October issue remains the same with the exception of the Wetzel Brothers. They have switched positions. George is now off the list and Milton has joined it. Bro. Milton is in the Strong Memorial Hospital. Short visits from the Brethren would be welcomed. Also add David Lankton, 2 Howard Ave., E. Bloomfield, N.Y.

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

Bro. Cleo Wesley Brown, Life Member, 50 Year Button, Raised June 24, 1909, Called Home October 10, 1967 at Englewood, Fla. Respectfully & Fraternaly, Raymond "M" Ring

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

The agenda for the month of November is one of putting on the Degrees.

Nov. 7 - Second Degree with Jr. Warden John Borland in charge - 7:30 P.M.
Nov. 21 - Third Degree with Senior Warden, John DeVisser in charge. 6:30 P.M. This degree will be preceded by a dinner.

We are happy to welcome into our fraternity this, another class of candidates. The new members blended with all of the formers' members makes for a strong and active lodge.

Come and welcome our new members as they join our ranks.

Fraternaly,
Norman E. Vane, Master

OATKA LODGE
No. 759
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren:

It was great to see so many of our brothers out when our new candidates took the First Degree. I am sure it made them feel welcome to Oatka. We also took them to the school of instruction, so that they would understand the first degree better.

The repairs are coming along great on our building, but we could still use more help, so if you have a little spare time, try to come and help. If you can help out call me at 889-1435, to find out what nights we'll work.

Our official visit with R.W: Robert P. Zabel was very informative, he talked on all the things the Grand Master wants to do the rest of his time in office.

There will be a Third Degree Dinner put on by the Eastern Star on November 8th at 6:30. For reservations call 889-1435, or call Dennis Livingstone at 889-1670. We are in hopes that the Second Section will be presented by the Masonic War Veterans.

My brothers, the brotherhood fund drive is again asking you to contribute. Its not what you give that counts just as long as you give what you can. Please help put Oatka on top.

Under sickness, W: Bro. Howard Davison is in the Churchville Nursing Home. If any of the brethren know Howard, try to go and see him. R.W: Bro. George Wagar may have to go to the hospital for some tests. Fraternaly,
Gil Ralston

TRESTLEBOARD

Nov. 1 - Fellowcraft.
Nov. 3 - School of Instruction.

Nov. 8 - Third Degree.

Nov. 10 - School of Ritual.

Nov. 21 - Officers meeting at the home of W: Bro. Charles Webb at 7:30.

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

Brethren:
Many thanks to those of you who have completed your questionnaires concerning the Grand Master's Survey and returned them by mail so that they could be included in the report to Grand Lodge. Those of you who have not yet completed your copy, please do so and return it to either W: Brother Malcom Nulton or the Secretary, W: Brother Arthur E. Roberts by November 1st.

Congratulations to W: Bro. Milton E. Kingsley who, on October 2nd, was presented a plaque by R:W: Kenneth Kingston honoring him for 100 hours of service at Canandaigua Veteran's Hospital. Congratulations also to Bro. Al Cannon on his recent appointment to Lodge Chairman of the Brotherhood Campaign for the coming year.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. Harold Cockran has returned to work following his recent accident.

Bro. Bruno Hermann is recuperating at home following an operation.

Bro. Frank Morse has recovered from surgery.

W: Bro. C. Edward Main has returned to work following surgery.

Bro. William Hartwig Sr. is ill at home.

The sympathy of the Lodge is extended to W: Bro. Elmer Holly, who recently suffered the loss of his Mother; also to Bro. Irving Delinsky, whose sister-in-law passed away recently; and to Bro. William Neitzel on the loss of his brother.

At our meeting of October 16, 1967 summoned for the purpose of considering changes in the By-Laws it was voted to increase our annual dues for regular members to Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars effective January 1, 1968.

EAST ROCHESTER LODGE

No. 1020
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren:
As you all know we are now well into the fall season. We have a very busy schedule for this fall.

Our last meeting, Oct. 24, was a Second degree put on by the Junior Warden.

On Nov. 28 we will have the Third Degree preceded by a dinner. We would appreciate a good crowd. Fraternal yours, Stanley H. Wright, Master

CORINTHIAN TEMPLE LODGE

No. 805
1st and 3rd Mondays

FROM THE EAST

November finds our Lodge in full swing with many worth-while activities and dates you will not want to miss.

At our first meeting on November 6 we will confer the Second Degree with your Worshipful Master in the East. Let us come out, refresh our minds with the beautiful teaching of this degree, and meet our new Brethren.

What do you know about

the History of Masonry in New York State? Would you like to know more? If so, plan to attend Lodge, November 20, and hear our guest speaker, one of New York State's outstanding Masons, R:W: Brother Herman Sarachan speak to us on the subject, "The History of Masonry in New York State." Those of us who have heard R:W: Brother Herman Sarachan speak before, know we are in for a real treat, those brethren not having had this opportunity will want to avail themselves of it. Corinthian Temple is honored to have this distinguished Mason as our guest. Plan to attend our 6:30 P.M. Dinner this night, too. Make your reservation now with our Junior Warden, David Hoag.

On Wednesday, November 22, the Fellowcraft Degree Team under the direction of W: Brother Bertram M. Steen, has been invited to confer the second section of the Third Degree for Ancient Craft Lodge No. 943. This is the first time our Fellowcraft Degree Team has worked outside our Lodge in a number of years. Lets give them our support and enjoy the fellowship of visiting our Brothers in Ancient Craft Lodge No. 943.

Brethren, we have so much for which to be thankful. Our Freedom, our Prosperity, our Health, our Families and our Fraternity. Let every Brother pause on our national day of Thanksgiving and thank God for our many blessings.

Take a look in your wallet. Is there a 1967 Corinthian Temple membership card there. If not, why not get one from our Secretary soon.

Lets have our best attendance this month. I shall be looking forward to greeting you.

Fraternaly,
Frank F. Gordnier, Master

COMING EVENTS

- Nov. 6 - Second Degree.
- Nov. 20 - Guest Speaker- Herman Sarachan. Dinner at 6:30 P.M.
- Nov. 22 - Fellowcraft Degree Team at Ancient Craft Lodge.
- Dec. 4 - Third Degree.
- Dec. 18 - Annual Meeting, Election of Officers for '68.

SENECA LODGE

No. 920
3rd Tuesday



Nov. 21 - Regular Communication. Third Degree and Official Visit. Dinner at 6:15 P.M. Lodge opens at 5:30 P.M. for the First Section. Business, Official Visit and Second Section at 7:30 P.M.

Dec. 19 - Annual Communication. Reports and Election at 5:30 P.M. Dinner 6:30 P.M. Installation of Officers at 8:00 P.M.

FROM THE SECRETARY

Congratulations are in order for Bro. and Mrs. Clarence Beal who are celebrating their 50th Anniversary this year. We wish them many more happy years together.

Belated Birthday greetings to Bro. Leslie G. Heron

who, we are glad to report, is coming along very nicely after his illness.

Please notify the Secretary of any illness. Some of our Brothers have been laid up and we knew nothing about it. I would rather have three or four calls on a Brother's illness than none at all.

Don't forget to send your dues if you are in arrears.

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:
Those of you who do not have access to Rochester papers may not be aware of the fact that Seneca is adding two more 33rd Degree Masons to its already distinguished roster, W: Bro. Ward R. Turner and Bro. Paul Miller. I know I speak for the entire Lodge when I offer these two brothers my heartiest congratulations. Sincerely & Fraternaly, Ellsworth Van Graafeiland, Master

FAIRPORT LODGE

No. 476
2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren:
Fairport Lodge opened its fall meeting by discussing and answering 14 of the 28 questions of the Grand Master's Questionnaire. A very good number of brothers were present to discuss the questions at hand. I believe each brother present enjoyed working on the first night of lodge.

The second evening, Sept. 25, we completed the questionnaire was equally enjoyable.

On Sept. 19, the members of Fairport Lodge were invited by our Sisters of Fairport Chapter #444 to Master Mason Night. All who attended had a very enjoyable evening. Our sisters told of some Fairport Masonic history of Fairport Lodge. We are very fortunate to have such a willing organization to help us with our many chores. R:W: Clinton S. Ballard, D.D.G.M., will visit Fairport Lodge on Oct. 23.

The Past Masters of Fairport Lodge are now making the arrangements for the Past Master Debt Reduction Dinner. It is to be held at the Green Lantern Inn, Nov. 17th.

COMING EVENTS

- Nov. 3 - Fish Fry.
- Nov. 10 - Fairport Lodge Officers take part in Second Degree at School of Ritual.
- Nov. 13 - First Degree at Fairport Lodge.
- Nov. 17 - Past Masters Debt Reduction Dinner at Green Lantern Inn.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

W: Bro. Al Weber is in St. Mary's Hospital recovering from a serious heart attack.

W: Bro. Herm Steffer has had a pace maker installed. After he made it home for a few weeks he had to return to the hospital in a hurry for an operation. We hope things are looking better for these two brothers.

Fraternaly,
Robert W. Fell, Master

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

Brethren:

For those of you who were unable to attend the Fellowship Clambake, you missed an afternoon of Fun, Fellowship and food. Everyone present had a wonderful time. I think we owe Bro. Don Wilbur, his committee and their wives who worked equally as hard a "Thanks" for a job well done. We almost doubled our attendance and I hope next year will be greater yet.

In a very short time you should be noticing a dart board going up in the dining room. Our Junior Warden Bro. Jack Booth is starting a Recreation program, which I think is a good idea, but the way he feeds us he's going to have to come up with something a little more vigorous, so we can break even in the calorie department.

While we're on the subject of Bro. Jack let's not forget to come out to the Third Degree on November 21st when he will be in the East.

It seems that good news gets around regarding our Fellowcraft Team. They along with the officers line have been invited to put on the Third Degree at Orpheus Lodge on Tuesday, Nov. 14th in the Masonic Temple on Main Street. These men do an excellent job and I am very proud of them as I am sure you are, so why not go visiting that night, and give them your support.

I'd like to thank the Brothers who were able to accompany me at the Masonic Service for Bro. Mert Fredericks. Before his illness he very rarely missed a communication. He served as Custodian, Hospitaler, and Tiler of Charlotte Lodge. We have lost a good man and Mason.

Looking forward to greeting you in Lodge. Fraternally,

Walter Greenfield, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

Nov. 7 - Open - Entertainment.

Nov. 12 - Fellowcraft Team rehearsal at Masonic Temple, Lake Ave. Time 2 P.M.

Nov. 14 - Officers and Fellowcraft Team of Charlotte Lodge will put on the Third Degree at Orpheus Lodge. Lodge will open at 7:30 sharp. Members are cordially invited to support these men.

Nov. 21 - Third Degree Dinner by Ladies of O.E.S (Polish Ham) Lodge opens at 6:00 P.M. Dinner at 6:30 P.M. Please make your reservation with one of the following: Jack Booth - 621-6907; Gord Davidson - 663-3818; Bob Thrash - 254-9215; 'Doc' Vaughan - 663-6068. NOTE - NO cards will be sent out!

Nov. 28 - Officers Meeting - Lodge.

FELLOWCRAFT TEAM

The Fellowcraft Team had its annual Clambake, Sunday October 8, 1967 at Powder Mill Park. Also on this date we inaugurated the start of monsoon season! Even though the weather was bad, the attendance was very good. Sixty five enthusiasts were very busy inside watch-

ing the World Series, playing cards, thinking of Scrabble words, or just socializing. After partaking of our delicious repast, which was the main event of the day, there were numerous prizes given which added to our enjoyment. All of us who attended would like to thank a few of those who did most of the work, Don Wilbur, Dave Davidson and their wives, Keith Stambach, George Francis, Guy Reid, and Ed Ruoff for printing the tickets.

SECRETARY NOTE

Our Secretary would appreciate those few who haven't paid their 1966 dues, to please do so now. Summons will be sent out in November those who haven't. Many haven't paid their 1967 dues. We would like to remind you dues are payable in advance. The secretary has 1968 dues cards and anyone wishing to obtain his may do so by contacting 'Doc' Vaughan in the Lodge or by writing him at his address; 708 Beach Ave., Rochester, New York 14612. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

W: Bro. Harry Palmer, our Hospitaler has given me the following list of names to follow the above heading. Bro. Ronald Junior is home recuperating from an accident, in which he broke three ribs and suffered numerous cuts and bruises. He lives at 302 Ave. C and welcomes visitors.

Bro. R. Tullius is at the Monroe County Home. Visitors are welcome.

Our shut-ins include: Bro. C. Sweet, 995 Ridge Rd. West, East Webster; Bro. G. Allen, 99 Rand St.; Bro. J. L. Davenport, 1334 Hatch Rd., Webster; Bro. E. Hillfinger, Chimney's Nursing Home on Alexander St.; Bro. Rudy Bromstrup, 75 Florence St.

It was also learned before we close that W: Bro. Harry Palmer's daughter is now recuperating at home, under his watchful eye.

IN MEMORIUM

Bro. Merton C. Frederick was raised March 21, 1944. He was called to the Great Architect on October 10, 1967. The Lodge conducted a Masonic Service. They sympathy of the lodge is extended to the family of our departed brother.

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



TRESTLEBOARD

Nov. 3 - Ladies Night.
Nov. 7 - First Degree.
Nov. 10 - School of Ritual.
Nov. 21 - Second Degree.
Nov. 28 - Fellowcraft Club.

COMING EVENTS

November 3rd - Ladies Night - Ladies Night will be held at the Party House, 677 Beahon Road. If you have not made reservations by the time you read this, DO IT NOW. Call Bro. Sr. Deacon Ralph Smith at 889-4354 or Bro. Jr. Deacon Everett Hoak at 436-2853. No tickets will be sold at the door. Chairman Smith

has endeavored to make this event a memorable one. The social hour will be from 6:30 to 7:30 with a roast beef dinner to follow. W:B: Kenneth Hart will be Master of Ceremonies. There will be table prizes and the ladies will receive favors.

Dancing to the music of The George Gordon Quartet will begin immediately after dinner.

November 7 and 21 - Degree Meetings. Both Lodge meetings in November will be Degree Conferrals under the direction of Worshipful Master William J. Buchanan.

November 10 - School of Ritual - Yonnondio Lodge having won the attendance banner at the three previous Schools of Ritual this year has the honor of participating in the final School of 1967. Lodge members as well as Officers are encouraged to continue their attendance.

November 28 - Fellowcraft Club - The Fellowcraft Club presented the Third Degree dramatization at our last Lodge meeting improving upon their proficiency with every performance.

At our September Fellowcraft Club meeting a committee reported on costumes under consideration for purchase. The latest Club sponsored activity is the sale of fruit cakes for the coming Holiday Season.

PAST MEETINGS

October 3 - District Deputy Official Visit and Awards Night - R:W: Bro. Clinton S. Ballard was escorted to the East by R:W: Bro. Len Parker. Also in attendance from Grand Lodge were R:W: Bro. Robert P. Zabel, R:W: Bro. Harold W. Pixley, Grand Sword Bearer and R:W: Bro. Kenneth Kingston.

R:W: Bro. Ballard representing the Grand Master Frank C. Staples, delivered the Grand Master's message. R:W: Bro. Ballard assisted W:M: William G. Buchanan in presenting the awards.

Recipients of Sixty Year Certificates were: Bro. Martin Arno Beir; Bro. Clinton Stetson; Bro. Leo A. Beir; Bro. Edward V. Line; Bro. Frederick E. Bryant.

Recipients of Fifty Year Awards were: Bro. John H. Manhold; Bro. George R. Pinder; Bro. Clinton L. Stowe; Bro. Arthur C. H. Pohl; Bro. Peter A. Behage; Bro. William E. Beebee; Bro. Howard Ford; Bro. Henry M. Turnbull; Bro. William H. Holmes; Bro. Harry S. Cohen and Bro. Willard R. Defendorf.

Recipients of Life Member Certificates (Twenty-Five Years) were: Bro. Fred Wm. Hyde; Bro. Walter F. Roberts; Bro. William F. McKay; Bro. Arnold H. Schultz; Bro. Lawrence E. Case; Bro. Albert L. Breadner; Bro. Robert F. Knight; Bro. Henry A. Schwartz; Bro. Edmund Carl Schenk; Bro. James Park; Bro. James A. Smallridge; Bro. William D. James; Bro. Mitchell C. Rakus; Bro. Raymond A. Embrey; Bro. Louis Liestman and Bro. Aaron V. Snipes.

A Certificate of Appreciation was presented to W: Bro. Harold E. Weiser for his participation in the weekly visits to Canandaigua Veterans Hospital. W: Bro.

Weiser has made more than fifty (50) trips with this program and expresses the wish that more people would devote time to the shut-ins.

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

Dear Brethren:

At our next stated communication, on November 13 we will have an open meeting. On November 27, I will confer the Third Degree upon Brothers Mike Wilson and Don Gruenke. This meeting will be preceded by a dinner prepared by Irondequoit O.E.S. You will be contacted for reservations by one of the officers.

I announce with regret the passing of Brother Herb Lawrence III's daughter. The sympathy of the Lodge is extended to Bro. Herb Lawrence and his family.

Under sickness and distress, Bro. Walt Teasdale had cataracts removed from his eyes. We wish you a speedy recovery.

On Sept. 30, Brothers Ed Lange, Charlie Jutsum, and myself participated in the Inter-lodge trap shoot at Four-Points Gun Club. We had a ball -- I would have enjoyed more members from Wakan.

TRESTLEBOARD

Nov. 11 - Masters Ball.
Nov. 13 - Open Meeting.
Nov. 27 - Third Degree and Dinner.

Dec. 11 - Annual Meeting.

My year as Master is rapidly drawing to a close, and it is my sincere wish to see each one of you at one of our meetings. Let's make an added effort to visit your Lodge. Fraternally,
Gene Waddington, Master

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ROCHESTER LODGE
No. 660
2nd and 4th Mondays

Nov. 6 - Fall Fellowship Dinner. Reservations by Nov. 2.

Nov. 13 - First Degree-Bro. Gordon Wilson, Junior Warden will conduct lodge and confer the Degree.

Nov. 27 - Memorial Service and Second Degree. Bro. John Waldock will conduct Lodge and confer the Degree. Chairman of the Memorial Service Committee is C. Behage.

Dec. 11 - Annual Meeting. Election of Officers.

As our Centennial year draws near to the end, it is on the same strong note which has marked our activities since the beginning of the year. We urge the brethren to support your officers in their continuing efforts to keep our Lodge strong and active. 1967 has been established as a landmark under the strong leadership of Wor. Bro. Frank Fulreader but the brethren must help to keep the ball rolling. The Brotherhood Campaign is being organized and will need the help of everyone to be successful.

John Waldock, Senior Warden

ANCIENT CRAFT

LODGE
No. 943
2nd and 4th
Wednesdays



Brethren:

We have but a few meetings left in my year. One in particular will be the Third Degree on Thanksgiving eve. The Degree will be preceded by a dinner at 6:30. Please call Chuck Hanes for reservations at 235-3656. The Second Section of the Degree will be presented by Corinthian Temple Lodge so lets try and make it to Lodge that night.

The 1967 Masters have a project in mind for the future to do something for our sons and daughters in the service. I would like the names and addresses of the one's in our Lodge, please see that I receive them.

Fraternally,
Bernard L. Noll, Master

Called Home by the Supreme Architect, Brother Arthur R. Cassidy.

FAME LODGE
No. 945
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

FROM THE EAST

Brethren, our Congratulations and thanks go to Bro. John Ferraro for a most successful 50th year celebration and Ladies Night. One hundred and forty-eight people were in attendance. The M:W: Clarence J. Henry Past Grand Master was our honored guest and principal speaker.

Rt. Wor. Robert Zabel, D.D.G.M., will visit our lodge on November 14, to bring us greetings and a message from the Grand Master. Many of us know R:W: Zabel from his work as assistant director of the School of Ritual, and know him to be

an excellent speaker. Our own R:W: William Gavitt, Grand Director of Ceremonies, will accompany R:W: Zabel.

On November 28, we will confer the Third Degree on a class of six. These new members will be a real asset to our Lodge, and it is hoped that the lodge room will be full when they are raised.

A Roast Beef Dinner will be served by Culver Chapter O.E.S. at 6:30 P.M. Fraternally,
Everett White, Master

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bert Bushell is at home recovering from an ulcer operation. Fame Lodge acknowledges the passing of Bro. Harry C. Papka who was raised in 1925.

LODGE ACTIVITIES

Sat., Nov. 11 - Another one of those wonderful Card Parties by W: Bro. Niel Vanderzell!! Those who have attended any of these Card Parties know what a wonderful time it is to be had. Those of you who haven't, should come and find out. Wor. Bro. Niel goes all out to make it an enjoyable evening.

Tuesday, Nov. 21 - Third Degree rehearsal.

SPECIAL REPORT ON 50TH ANNIVERSARY AND LADIES NIGHT

This year was one of special significance. Our Lodge marked the 50th anniversary of its founding by having a combined banquet at the Wishing Well. The program prepared by Bro. John Ferraro was very well done. The food was excellent, and our guest speaker, Most Worshipful Clarence J. Henry P.G.M., was in his best form. An all girl dancing review could very easily have been the Rockettes, with precision dancing extrodinance. Upon conclusion of the show, a dance band served for an evening of ballroom and request dancing. During supper, we were graced with the dinner music of Joe Masucchi and his accordian.

As a remembrance, each member took home a plate with Fame Lodge, square and compass, and Lodge history embossed upon it.

At one point during the confusion, R:W: Bob Zabel was seen emerging from the female Powder Room. When it was brought to his attention, his only comment was "I thought it said, LADDIES". Some scotch (man) must have put him up to it.

This was, in your reporters thinking, one of the finest banquets FAME has ever enjoyed. Well planned, well presented, well attended, and well enjoyed.

Your Fraternal Reporter,
Bob Hebner

ETOLIAN LODGE
No. 479
2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren:

As we approach the end of the year we find that there are still several of our annual events to look forward to.

Nov. 13 - Father and Sons Night.

Nov. 27 - Past Masters Night.

Dec. 2 - Ladies Night.

On Nov. 13th, the Lodge will open at 7:30 P.M. and we will keep all business at a minimum so that we can adjourn to the entertainment shortly after 8 P.M. We have contacted John Temmerman, City Chemist and hope to confirm his presence soon.

Ladies night will be held again at the Three Acres Party House on Whittier Rd. We had such an excellent meal and all those in attendance enjoyed the square dancing so much that we decided to opper this type of program a second year.

On October 13, Stanley Lodge paid us its annual visit. It was very well attended with 44 members from Stanley and other Canadian Lodges and 52 from our own or other American Lodges. One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation to Etolian Lodge of a recently adopted Canadian Maple Leaf Flag. This gift was made by Bro. Fred Ramesbottom of Stanley Lodge and the new flag will be in the East at all Canadian Visitations.

I wish to thank all those who made the Canadian night such a tremendous success especially Brothers Septimius DiLauro, George Lynch, Raymond Burroughs, and Graydon Toates.

Under Sickness and Distress, W:B: G. Edwin Jackson is home recuperating from a recent operation and R:W: Bro. Harold Pixley's wife has been ill.

Fraternally,
William Farnsworth, Master

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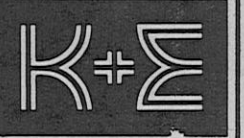
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**WEBSTER LODGE
No. 538**

1st and 3rd Thursdays

Brethren:

As I compose this column, it is with the realization that but a few short meetings remain before the year is gone. We have accomplished much these past months, but there is much to be done in the short time remaining. Among these items are the 1968 Brotherhood Campaign, the annual Childrens Christmas Party and the conferral of two Degrees. The Brotherhood Campaign will be starting in the near future and may I once again state that charity starts at home. So this year lets all get behind this worthy cause and make it the success it has been in years past. Our Chairman, Bro. Jim Wilson will accept any and all contributions at any time.

On October 14th, thirty eight of our Canadian brothers journeyed to Webster and were greeted by an equally large number of American brothers. After a fine repast we adjourned to the Lodge rooms to witness the conferral of the First Degree by our Canadian brethren upon Mr. Gurth Blackwell. After Bro. Blackwell was properly instructed and informed that he would have to prove his proficiency before he could receive his Fellowcraft Degree, the Lodge was closed and all brethren retired to the Firemen's Hall for a light refreshment and social hour. Upon returning to the Lodge we were served a wonderful banquet by our ever faithful Ruth Ballard and her capable staff of girls. All members of Webster Chapter #171 Order of The Eastern Star. Without them we would starve. Following remarks by W: Bro. Bern Walters, R:W: Clint Ballard and W: Bob Torrens and of course Yours Truly, we retired to the Lodge Rooms where we were entertained by Brothers Paul and Bob Hewlett and their sister Lorie. To them I am forever grateful. As a climax, W: George Curtice produced a number of colored slides of the previous years trip to Canada. At 9:15 P.M. the day went down in history. As I review the events of the past twelve hours it is with the realization that it could not have happened without the tremendous cooperation of all concerned. To name a few and extend my heartfelt thanks to all is the least I can do. To Brother Bill Schlegel, Paul Betlem, Gary Curtice, Dave Painter and the ones who assisted them during the hour of refreshment. To Brother Jack Braman and Charles Braun for their able assistance. To Brother Tom McEwen for his ability to procure the proper product and to all those who assisted in any way shape or manner, my deepest gratitude. A special thanks to Bro. Russ King and his capable crew for keeping the finances in line with our budget. To W: Brother's Walt Schattner and Bob Torrens for filling the vacant chairs at the time when I needed them. Also to Bro. Jim Hopper for the assistance at the outer door. Without the above mentioned and those who attended this annual affair, it would not

and could not be the success it was. Thank you one and all.

The traveling Plaque is again in our possession and in the Lodge room for all who would like to view it.

On October 5th the First Degree was conferred upon Brothers George Buckner, Horace Denton, George Farley, Leland Thompson and Thomas Welch. I once again urge that you attend the conferral of the Second and Third Degrees which will be November 2 and 16. Lets show these newly made brothers that attendance is one of the finer points of Lodge membership.

May I at this time urge each and every one of our members who is in arrears of dues to send them to your Secretary before he has to send you a letter of information to this effect. It's not that we are going broke, but according to the By-Laws we must not let anyone fall behind as the burden of catching up increases with each successive year. Please be prompt in this duty brethren.

In closing, a thought crosses my mind and for what it's worth I pass it on to you. Thomas Edison once said, "A hundred mistakes are permissible provided you learn something from each." To err is human my Brothers, and I hope we all are.

Fraternally,
David G. Allen, Master

COMING EVENTS

- Nov. 2 - Second Degree.
- Nov. 16 - Third Degree.
- Dec. 7 - Moving Up Night.
- Dec. 21 - Annual Meeting.
- Dec. 17 - Childrens Christmas Party.

**FRANK R. LAWRENCE
LODGE No. 797**

2nd Monday

The September and October meetings has seen the conferral of the First and Second Degrees by Jr. Warden Don Scrivens and Sr. Warden Frank Martin respectively. Judging from their excellent performance and also that of Senior Deacon Adrian DeVisser, we can be assured of good leadership in the near future. We are presently raising five brothers, one of whom we have the privilege of raising in behalf of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island. It is not too often that we have been called to help out of town jurisdictions and we feel it is a

great honor.

I hope that you will all make an effort to be on hand for the Third Degree because it will be conferred by the Shrine Degree team. I have heard nothing but great praise for their ability and, judging from its members, we will have an excellent performance. I'm sure you'll feel the evening well spent so save November 13th and come to Lodge.

The Lodge Clambake turned out to be a pleasant and fun day for those who attended. The weather, although cool, had periods of sunshine and, coupled with a good fire in the cabin, provided enough warmth to keep everyone comfortable. Hats off to Don Scrivens, Bob Leavitt, and their able helpers for a masterful job well done. It was good to meet a number of guests which looks promising for our future lodge functions. I hope you will all look back and recall the lodge activities you have supported and remember to support your future officers.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank Worshipful Raymond Ring and Genesee Falls Lodge for conferring the Second Degree upon Bro. Emerson C. Breth who missed our meeting due to business commitments. Thanks again Worshipful Brother Ray for a job well done.

It is with great pleasure that I can announce that Mr. Gregory Ford has received the Frank R. Lawrence scholarship award for the present school year. Mr. Ford is a bright young man and it gives us pleasure to be able to help him in furthering his education. Don't forget November 13th. Fraternaly,
Theodore J. Snyder, Master

**HENRIETTA LODGE
No. 526**

2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren:

The year 1967 is almost at a close, to the Brothers who have not attended lodge this year, why not try to make the effort before 1967 is over. Before closing for Summer recess, two classes of candidates had received their Degrees. Since Fall opening a First Degree has been conferred on a class. By the time you receive this publication the Second Degree will have ben conferred.

Our Annual Steak Roast at Mendon Ponds was a huge success.

Hope to see you all soon.

TRESTLEBOARD

- Nov. 14 - Open Meeting.
- Nov. 28 - Third Degree First Section 6 P.M. Dinner 7 P.M. Second Section 8 P.M.
- Dec. 12 - Election of Officers.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Brother Paul Tompkins is confined to bed at home, and would welcome visitors. Hope to have Brother Paul back with us in the near future.

To the Brethren who have not paid their dues, please remit to Bro. Joe Raab, Secretary. Fraternaly,
James Doig, Master

UNION STAR LODGE

No. 320

1st Wednesday

Brethren:

As you are well aware by this time your lodge has a very busy schedule for this fall session. You will be receiving many notices from the lodge secretary concerning these events. I would appreciate your cooperation in getting your reservations in on time. These are very important for our committee planning.

November 1st our regular communication will feature a Third Degree on our first class of candidates. Also to be discussed, "Lodge finances". November 4th Lodge Fall Party at Locust Lodge beginning at 6 P.M. Please make every effort to attend as I am sure you will enjoy this affair. November 15th Second Degree for Second

Class of Candidates. November 29th Third Degree for Second Class. This degree will be put on by the Shrine degree team and should be really worthwhile attending.

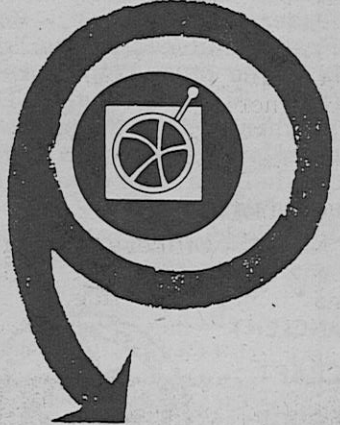
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Fraternaly yours,
William E. Clark, Master

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FRANK L. SIMES LODGE

No. 990

2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren:

Quite frankly, time has passed by so quickly these past 10 months that it doesn't seem possible 1967 is drawing to a close. It goes without saying the busier you are the faster time flies.

We will have two meetings in November, on November 14th a Regular meeting, Official Visit by our District Deputy R:W: Clinton Ballard and our Annual Memorial Service. This would be an excellent opportunity to get back in the swing of regular Lodge attendance.

On November 28th the Past Masters will confer the Second Degree on a class of four Brothers. W:B: George Stear will be in the East. If you want to see some excellent Ritual come watch this.

If there are any Brothers who have sons or daughters in the Military Service please contact the Lodge Secretary, W: Bro. Walter Schaffner.
Fraternally,
Ray Sterling, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

Nov. 7 - Officers Meeting.
Nov. 14 - Official Visit and Memorial Service.

Nov. 28 - Second Degree Pastmasters.

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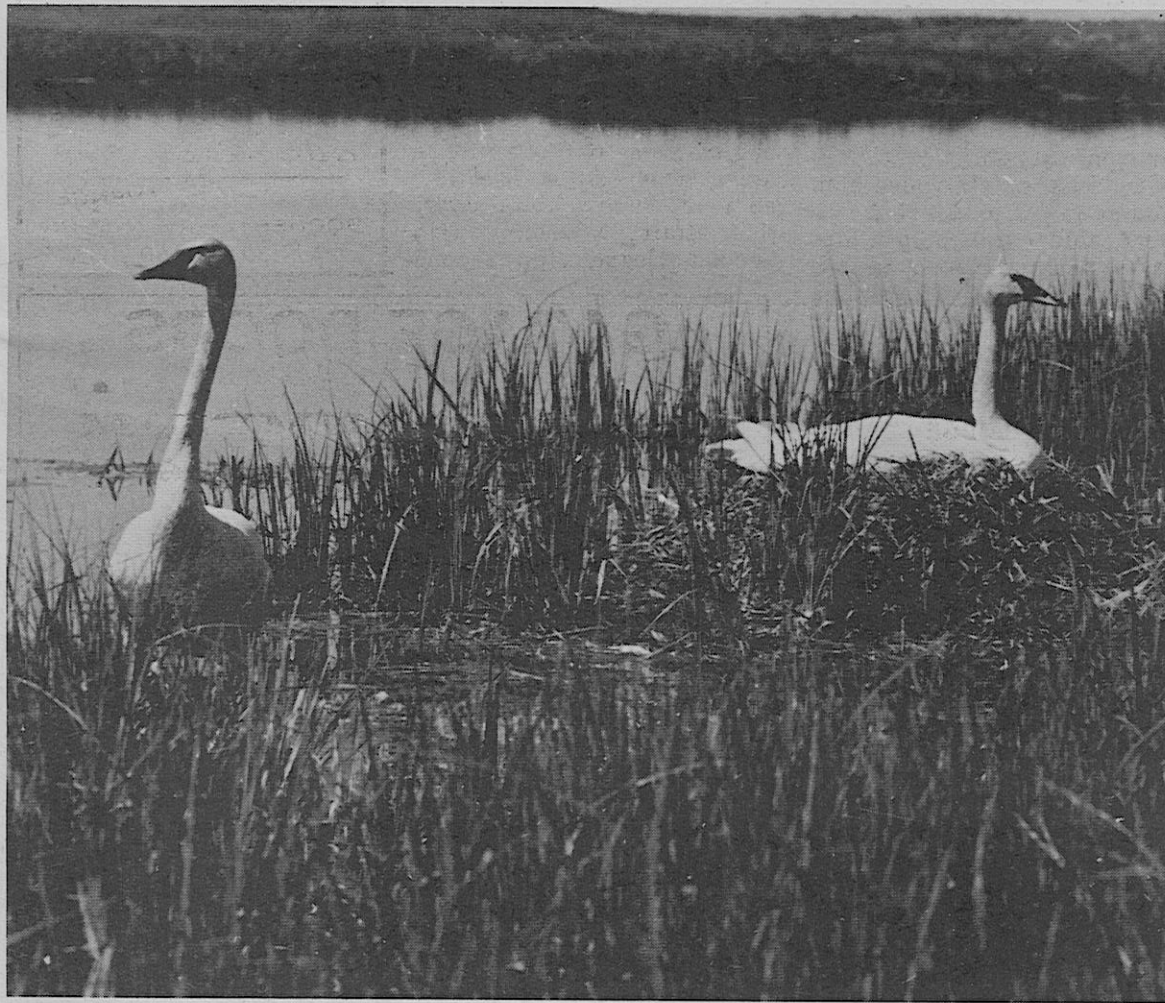


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These rare and beautiful Trumpeter Swans will be feature actors in Bro. Earl L. Hilfiker's Film *Realm Of The Eagles*.

HILFIKER SHOW FILMING

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Earl. She takes still pictures while he concentrates on motion pictures. It probably will be mid January when Earl returns.

At last count the numbers of whooping cranes was about 40. The full count will not be known until they reach their winter range in the Aransas Refuge. Whooping cranes were almost extinct, and still are in grave danger and unfortunately are so anti social that each family stakes out a territory of about a mile square in the winter refuge and guard it zealously against trespass by others of their kind. One critical factor is ever bringing back the whooping crane is to provide winter range that is large enough. The

breeding grounds are in the Sub-Arctic Northwest territories of Canada.

On his last trip to get the pictures to complete his film *Realm of the Eagles*, which will be at the Auditorium on February 3rd, Earl will show pictures of other species that have been almost exterminated, the buffalo, elk, pronghorn antelope and especially the trumpeter swan which was down to a few dozen individuals in 1930. In fact there are about as many whooping cranes today as there were trumpeter swans on that date. Even today, the trumpeter swan exists in small numbers in a restricted habitat in the Rockies.

The bald eagle which will

be one of the featured species in Earl's film *Realm of the Eagles*, is in grave danger. Sheep herders have been shooting eagles on sight and those that are left are failing to reproduce because the fish they eat are often loaded with DDT and the other pesticides which they got from eating smaller fish which they got from eating poisoned insects. The accumulated concentration of the chemicals makes them sterile and the eggs do not hatch.

Brother Earl is a very busy man these days. Before he starts his tour for the National Audubon Society he has 20,000 feet of film of the high Rockies to edit into his film for his show here on February 3rd. As usual it will feature an amazing variety of wildlife subjects.

**CYRENE
COMMANDERY
No. 39
KNIGHTS
TEMPLAR**



Well our 100th Anniversary is now past History. All of those who were present on October 7th had a very enjoyable evening and one too remember. The Master of Ceremonies was Em. Sir Roy E. VanDelinder Jr. Zone Commander of Zone 11, who also introduced the distinguished guests of the evening. Speaker of the evening was the Honorable Frank J. Horton, Congressman of the 36th District of New York. Frank is also Past Master of Rochester Lodge #660. The dinner, roast beef, was put on by the Caldron ladies and it was very tasty. Em. Sir R. Bruce Dayton, Gov. of Genesee York Rite College, presented a certificate to Em. Sir John Sherman for being the York Rite Mason of the year. Nice going John. The orchestra leader is one of Cyrene's members, Sir Knight Robert V. Brethren, who played for dancing and entertainment of those who attended. For those who attended many thanks and to those who missed it, sorry you could not make it.

On September 24 our Em. Commander H. William Earl, Sir Knight Willard Mengel and Sir Knight Glen Hudnut, both of Warren C. Hubbard Lodge, went for a boat ride. Both were 1st and 2nd winners in the Euchre tournament, held in February, 1967 and put on by Cyrene Commandery, held every year. Their host was Em. Sir Robert DuBert who has a Cruiser on the Lake. They came up the river from the Yacht Club under the Memorial Bridge and to a cove on the river where they had plenty of refreshments and played Euchre. They then returned to the boat dock where they again had refreshments. A grand time was had by all and a big thanks to Em. Sir Bob. Who will be the winner next time. It could be you if you attend.

Coming events in November: The 1st is the rummage sale held on Nov. 3rd and 4th at 192 W. Main St. Bring all the things that you want to get out of the way. Need some help so please come out. We will have one Conclave this month on Nov. 10th. Expect to have some pictures of the Grand Encampment Conclave held in Detroit. Should be very interesting so why not come out.

Let's all remember that we still have two Inspections yet in Zone 11. Zenobia Commandery #41 at Palmyra, New York on Nov. 15th, a Wednesday, and Penn Yan Commandery #17 at Penn Yan, New York on Dec. 12th. We should all attend if possible.

We are sorry to hear of the death of the father of Em. Sir C. Ray Hager, our Generalissimo. We wish to extend our Sympathy to the family and may God help you in your time of trouble.

The Zone 11 Fall Festival will be held on November 25th, Masonic Temple, Rochester, New York. Starting time is 2 P.M. We will have two Orders in the after-

York Rite News

**MONROE
COMMANDERY
No. 12**



**KNIGHTS
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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Monroe Commandery had 12 Sir Knights in attendance at the Zone 11 School of Instruction, Masonic Temple, Canandaigua, N.Y. This will give Monroe credit for a full form opening. It was a very informative meeting with Em. Sir Knight Sidney E. Friar, Grand Senior Warden, Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, State of New York doing his usual fine job of instructing.

Monroe Commandery's inspection Friday evening, October 6th, was well attended and according to the inspecting officer Em. Sir Knight, Albert E. Edwards, Grand Warden, all officers are to be commended for a job well done. There were 3 Grand line officers, 3 Rt. Em. Past Grand Commanders and all 3 Zone Commanders in attendance as well as Sir Knights from all Zone #11 Commanderies and 7 Sir Knights from Tonawanda #78 and Lake Erie #20, Commanderies.

Monroe Commandery is honored and proud to have 3 Sir Knights elected to receive their 33rd Degree.

This is the highest honor given in the Scottish Rite and well deserved by the following: Em. Sir Knight Ward R. Turner, Past Commander of Monroe Commandery, Sir Knight Robert Corbett and Sir Knight Paul Miller. I know Rt. Em. Sir Knight Jim and Eve Corbett are mighty proud to.

Congratulations to Cyrene Commandery #39 - 100th Anniversary. Their dinner dance was a huge success and Monroe was well represented.



Winners of the Euchre Tournament put on by Cyrene Commandery #39 were: Em. Comm. H. William Earl; Sir Knight Willard Mengel; Sir Knight Glen Hudnut.

noon, Dinner at 6 P.M. put on by Schicker Club Ladies, and The Order of the Temple in the Evening. Dinner is by reservation with our Recorder Em. Sir Kenneth R. Snyder. Please make them as early as possible. All should attend this Festival.

Now is the time to plan to attend our Annual Christmas Party in December and we will have more about that in the December Issue.

On October 13th we held our Inspection Conclave at 8 P.M. Our Inspection Officer was Sir Knight Ralph J. Ely, Em. Grand General-

DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturday, November 4th, Ladies Night - Rochester Yacht Club. We have a entertaining fun packed evening planned for all that attend. A good dinner, top speaker and dance band. Send in your return cards. Our Captain General Sir Knight S. Clark Place, Chairman is working hard to make this a banner night. All officers have tickets or phone Sir Knight Clark at 377-5855 or myself at 671-6792.

Sunday, November 12th., Council Officers meeting at 2 P.M. Garlock House, Palmyra, N.Y.

Saturday, November 25th, Zone Festival - Order of Red Cross, 2 P.M. by Geneva #29.

Order of Malta - 4 P.M. by Canandaigua #81 and Palmyra #41 combined. Dinner 6 P.M. Reservations to Em. Sir Knight Ken Snyder - Recorder Cyrene Commandery.

Order of The Temple - 8 P.M. - Monroe #12 and Cyrene #39 combined.

There will be a large class of candidates, Sir Knights your attendance and support is most welcome, see you there.

Friday, November 3rd - Regular Meeting.

Friday, November 17th - Regular Meeting and rehearsal order of the Temple.

Wednesday, November 15th - Palmyra #41 Inspection.

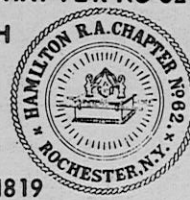
Monday, November 20th - Lake Erie #20 Inspection.

We pray that Em. Sir Knight Dr. Earle E. Maynard Past Commander, will recover soon from his very serious illness.

Our prayers are with Em. Sr. Knight Lawrence Johnson, Past Commander, who at this writing entered Genesee Hospital for a very serious operation. We all pray for your quick recovery and future good health Larry.

May God be with you. Sir Knight Walter B. Sanders, Commander Em. Sir Knight Ward R. Turner, Reporter

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HIGH PRIESTS MESSAGE

Companions:
The move up night went very well, as all of you know who were there. Ex. Ken Kimpton presided for the Mark Master Mason Degree, which was very ably directed by Ex. Ward Turner. Assistance was provided by R. Ex. Carl Roecker, R. Ex. Frank Allen, R. Ex. Herm Bennett, Ex. John Sherman, and Ex. Willis Henry. Brothers J.I. Benowitz, R.L. Brown, H.P. Hauck, E.I. Hormats, E.P. Lyon, B.R. Skolnik, N.G. Spry, L.P. Weston and J.R. Whitley received the degree. Congratulations to all who participated. The work was good, true, square and well received.

The Past Master Degree was very ably directed by R. Ex. Frank Allen. Ex. Herm Bennett and Ex. Willis Henry assisted the High Priest in the discharge of his duties. Our nine candidates were joined by H. Henry, L. Magee and E. Vanderbilt from Ionic.

On the 26th of October both your EHP and King will be attending to other duties and your Scribe will be in the East. The MEM Degree will be presented that evening, with V. Ex. R. Bruce Dayton presiding for the First Section and the ME Club doing Most Excellent work in the Second Section. The RAM will be presented on November 9th and we will assist Ionic on November 14th.

Gerry Miller resigned in order to attend Night School. Jim Doig was installed as RAC. Ward Turner and Bob Corbett were elected to receive the 33 Degree.

Ex. Earl Maynard was in General at this writing. Companion Weber was in St. Mary's. Companions, if you can't call, please write.

Companion Wetzel is now home.

Your King is now laying plans for 1968, please tell him how you will be able to assist.

Fraternally,
W.D. Staples, EHP

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issimo, of the Grand Commandery of the State of New York. We were very glad to welcome him that evening and hope that he enjoyed being with us. We had a very good Inspection and hope that he thinks so too. Thanks very much for attending and helping out. Enjoyed seeing you all.

Believe that is all for now but hope to see more of you at Commandery Conclaves. Come on out. Thanks.

Fraternally Yours,

Em. Commander,
H. William Earl.
Em. Roy E. Huff, Reporter

Ladies Organization NEWS



LET'S GO VISITING

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NOVEMBER 1967

- 2 - Oatka - Birthday Night.
- 2 - University Star - Early meeting - Card Party.
- 4 - Lilac Triangle - Installation of Officers.
- 4 - Jennie M. Lord Constellation - Official Visit.
- 6 - Amo - Regular Meeting.
- 7 - Nola - Past Matron's and Past Patron's Night.
- 11 - Fidelity Triangle - Installation of Officers.
- 12 - Patrons Association-Communion Breakfast.
- 12 - Flower City Link - Testimonial Dinner.
- 18-20 - Flower City Link-Rummage Sale.
- 16 - University Star-Regular Meeting - Pancake Supper.
- 16 - Oatka - Memorial Night.
- 18 - Amo - Bazaar.
- 20 - Amo - Regular Meeting-Master Masons Night.
- 21 - Nola - Memorial Night.
- 25 - Fidelity Triangle - Regular Meeting.
- 27 - Flower City Link - Meeting - Auction & Baked Food Sale.

PATRON'S ASSOC.

COMMUNION SERVICE

The Monroe District Patrons Association of the O.E.S. will hold their Annual Communion Breakfast, Nov. 12, 1967. The Communion Service will be held at the Central Presbyterian Church at 8:00 A.M. Breakfast will be in the Basement Dining Room of the Masonic Temple at 9:30 P.M. Honorable Norman W. Selke, Past District Deputy for Monroe District and a Judge of Family Court will speak. An excellent breakfast of juice, ham, eggs, coffee and sweet rolls will be served. Tickets may be obtained from the Patrons for \$1.00. Any Masonic affiliate or friend is urged to attend. For further information contact Bill Heberger at 254-6557 or Paul Gamble at 381-4861. Fraternaly, Paul Gamble, Chairman

UNIVERSITY STAR CHAPTER No. 797

Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Sisters & Brothers: November is the month of harvest and as workers in the order this is our time of harvest, too. On October 13-14 we had our fall rummage sale under the expert guidance of Sister Delilah Faryna and Sister Norma Conderman. Thanks to all of the contributors and workers on the sale we were able to collect \$136.00. Thank you, again to all participating. We now have two more money making projects in the offing. On November

2, there will be a card party in the Star Dining Hall and on November 16 we have scheduled a pancake supper. We need your support for for these projects either in person or by the gift of your money. Please respond and help us to make these affairs a success.

Tickets for the Communion breakfast on November 12 can be obtained from the Worthy Patron.

Our schedule for November is:

Nov. 2 - Card Party - 8:00 P.M. Early meeting- 7 P.M.

Nov. 9 - Officers Club at Sisters Frances and Betty Nazzaro's, 46 Foster Rd.

Nov. 16 - Pancake Supper. Regular Meeting. May everyone have a happy and blessed Thanksgiving. Following is the list of November birthdays:

S. Gertrude Rea, Nov. 6; W. Alice de Wolf, Nov. 20; W. Florence Peo, Nov. 20. Sincerely and fraternaly, Ruth Ball, W:M:

NOLA CHAPTER No. 368

Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Sisters & Brothers: I hope all of our members and their families had a pleasant vacation and are back in routine again.

I'd like to report that on September 19th, in honor of the Worthy Matron's birthday, we had a shower for the kitchen. Many much needed articles were received, such as an electric can opener and an electric clock and many towels and dish clothes and cleaning items. Many thanks to all who participated.

Our Birthday Charter Dinner on October 3rd was very successful with 68 present. Our Worthy Patron, Bro. Charles Daycock assisted by his wife, Doris had charge of the dinner. It was Nola's 62nd birthday.

Our special guest was W: Sister Emily Hill, who is our only living Charter member. Sister Emily gave the Chapter a picture of Nola Kron after whom our Chapter is named. Two members also received their life membership certificates. They were W: Sister Corrine Mayne and Sister Norma Vail.

October 17th is our Worthy Matron's report from Grand Sessions held in New York City last week. Many worthwhile things were heard at our meeting and new Grand Officers were installed for the 1967-68 year.

Next meeting on Nov. 7th will be Past Matron's and Past Patron's night. Let's have a good turnout as an interesting program is being planned.

Nov. 21st will be Memorial night with draping of the Altar and entertainment afterwards. Try to attend our November meetings.

Fraternaly, W:M: S. Annolee Daycock W:P: B. Charles Daycock

AMO CHAPTER

No. 547

Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Sisters & Brothers:

I should like to thank all the members of my chapter for allowing me to represent you at the 98th Annual Grand Sessions in New York City. The Sessions this year were both interesting and noteworthy for the amount of business transacted and the efficiency with which they were conducted by M:W: Grand Matron Lynn R. Thide. Sister Elsie Reed and I are most grateful for the opportunity which you gave us to attend.

W:S: Mabelle Atkinson was so pleased to receive the lovely Cheer Basket that you sent to her and is feeling much better. W: Bro. Larry Weber had a severe heart attack and is in St. Mary's Hospital but we are happy to report that he is now in fair condition and has been taken out of Intensive Care. We hope for his quick recovery. Please continue to send cards to our ill members and don't forget our shut-ins.

We are pleased to report that the request of W: Bro. Bob Burnett for re-instatement in our Chapter was approved by the members. We are very pleased to welcome him back.

Events for the month of November are as follows:

Nov. 6 - Regular Meeting.

Nov. 12 - Communion Breakfast-Church Service at the Central Presbyterian Church. Breakfast to follow at the Temple. Please give our Worthy Patron your support.

Nov. 13 - Past Matron's Club - at the home of W: Sister Pauline Spicer.

Nov. 18 - BAZAAR.

Nov. 20 - Regular Meeting. Master Masons Night and Memorial. Our Pal Dinner will precede this meeting. We will have entertainment during our meeting and urge every member to attend and bring your Masons.

Nov. 28 - Sistercraft at the home of Sister Carol Yungkurth.

We expect our Bazaar to be momentous this year. W: Sister Betty Cromwell has worked long and hard to make it outstanding but we need the help of every member to make it the success we hope for. The dinner will be put on by our MEN this year so please plan to attend. Fraternaly yours, W: Genevieve Gamble, W:M: W: Paul Gamble, W:P:

OATKA CHAPTER No. 320

Order of the Eastern Star

The attendance at our last two meetings has been most encouraging. It is very gratifying to see so many faces on the sidelines. Also, it was a real pleasure to have some of our visiting Matrons and Associate Matrons and Patrons in attendance on "Friends" night.

We are looking forward to a nice turnout when we will honor our Associate Matron, Nancy Murphy, On Thursday, October 19th. Many of the Associate Matrons and Associate Patrons of Monroe District, have assured us that they will be on hand for the occasion.

Finally, as Worthy Matron, I would like to say it was a great honor to represent Oatka Chapter at the



Fidelity Triangle New Members.

FIDELITY TRIANGLE

Sept. 22 - Fidelity Triangle girls served the "Kickoff Dinner" for the Masonic Brotherhood Fund Drive. R:W: George C. Dietel, State Chairman, was present at the dinner.

Sept. 23 - Eight new members were initiated, Cheryl Wolff, Carol Russell, Marie Giunta, Alice Smith, Rena Lowry, Susan Ayre, Bonnie Holzhauser, and Virginia Love. This makes 28 new members in 1967.

Sept. 27 - Fidelity Triangle presented the 23rd Psalm Degree, as a special feature for "Sister Night" at Culver Chapter O.E.S. A large attendance requiring extra chairs included many past and present Matrons, Patrons and Grand Officers. W:M: Gertrude Timmerman presented a scarf to each Triangle girl and Beloved Queen Arline Schutt presented a small Triangle Bible to the Matron.

Oct. 7 - Seventeen Triangle girls served the

Grand Chapter sessions in New York. I am deeply grateful to my Chapter for helping to make it possible for me to attend. Also, I would like to thank those who presided during my absence.

November's program is as follows:

Nov. 2 - Birthday Night.

Nov. 16 - Memorial Night.

Nov. 28 - Officer's and Member's Club Christmas Party to be held at the Top Hat, Scottsville, N.Y. Time: 6:30 P.M. All Chapter members and their friends are invited. \$1.00 grab bag. Please make reservations by calling 381-5392.

Art thou lonely, O my brother Share thy little with another Stretch a hand to one unfriended And thy loneliness is ended. Fraternaly, Ida Kern, W:M: Elmer Kern, W:P:

LILAC TRIANGLE

On October 7, Lilac Triangle #121 held Initiation. Five candidates were brought in and there names are Cindi Fritsche of 16 Cottonwood

"Cyrene Commandery Centennial Dinner."

Oct. 14 - 175 attended Queens Term Dinner including a delegation from Niagara Falls.

Nov. 11 - Fidelity Triangle Formal Installation of Officers, Cathedral Hall, 8 P.M. Refreshments Star Dining Room.

Nov. 18 - "Kanandaqua Triangle". A new Triangle. Formal initiation of Charter Members, Installation of Officers and Dedication Ceremonies at 8:00 P.M. in Masonic Temple in Canandaigua, N.Y. Everyone is invited. Parking in front and rear of Temple.

Nov. 18 - Is also the Birthday of our Beloved State Director, Past Grand Matron, Most Worthy Rose E. Scherer, who resides at 219-01 Ninety Ninth Ave., Queens Village, N.Y. 11429.

Nov. 25 - Regular Meeting. Term plans and social hour.

Nov. 29 - Fidelity Triangle will serve for Dinner and Bazaar of Bethany White Shrine.

Lane; Mary Boone of 67 Harper; Ruth Bardemer of 756 Pittsford-Victor Road; Marcia Emery of 24 Potter Place and Lynn Sheldon of 16 Wheatstone Circle. Also on that evening we affiliated a past member of Fidelity Triangle. Her name is Gayle Bowerman and she lives in Fairport.

At the Initiation we had Honorary guests. Mrs. Scherer the State Director of New York State Triangle, The Deputy State Director, Mrs. Mann, Senior Advisors Miss Overturf, and Mrs. Bandemer. We also had one Jr. Advisor, Judy Oakly.

The meeting was very successful.

On November 4th, Gayle Dezio will be installed as Beloved Queen of Lilac Triangle at 8:00 P.M. at the East Rochester Masonic Temple, East Commercial Street. All are cordially invited.

Barbara Rogers, Beloved Queen

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Order of the Golden Chain

Through a mistakenly misplaced decimal point, your October issue of this News reported a contribution of \$25.00 to the Israel Emergency Relief Fund. Please take note that the contribution was 25 hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) and the officers are very proud of the members who voted that sum, and who are now so diligently working to raise and replace that amount.

It was most gratifying to see so many members at the September supper and opening meeting, but we were saddened at having to add three more names to our Memorial Service in addition to our Charter Members Rose Grossman and Mollie Mirkin - Anna Schlacter and our latest member Judge Harry L. Rosenthal - and that of the Third Grand Matron of the Grand Order, Irene Weiss. Their memory will be with us at each Golden Moment of Memory observance.

The Past Matrons and Past Patrons were honored with pageantry and with beautiful gifts, and birthdays for July, August and September were observed, and commemorated.

When this news reaches you, our Official Visit will have come and gone. Our annual Open House supper will have been held in the dining hall of the Temple on the evening of Sunday, October 22. The Grand Staff of Officers will have been entertained by W:M: Naomi Friedman on Saturday evening, by D.D. Diana Brienstock for a Sunday Brunch, and by Rose and Issie Morgenstern for a Brunch and cocktail party on Monday.

Pageantry will have been presented by the Jewels and officers after a rehearsal on October 9, and several songs for the occasion will have been sung by Sara Bridge.

Our thanks to the Morgensterns for opening their home for the Open House Committee Meeting, and to all who attended in very bad weather, and who assisted at the Buffet supper.

November 12 - A Testimonial dinner will be tendered in honor of Diana Breninstock, D.D., at the Midvale Country Club. Past Matrons Frieda Davidson and Esther Warren are in charge of arrangements and will take your reservations at 271-5931.

Nov. 18-10-20- A rummage sale will be held at 200 West Main St. Call W:M: Naomi Friedman at 442-2679 for pick up of merchandise.

Nov. 27 - The meeting will be followed by an auction and Bake Sale with P:M: Rhoda Herzog in charge of the auction and P:M: Irene Averbach assisted by Gussie Salomon in charge of the baked goods. Call either of them for your contributions. As usual, our genial P:A: G:L: Chas. Goodman will be the auctioneer.

Our sympathy is extended to Tillie Stein on the sudden death of her husband, and to Minnie Edelman on the loss of her niece. May the balance of the year bring only happy tidings to all. Fraternally yours,
Naomi Friedman, W:M:
Eva R. Leve, Secretary



Bro. Otto Rosenhagen receives Award Certificate from Hard Post.

JENNIE M. LORD
CONSTELLATION No. 5

Sixteen members of the Constellation including our Exalted Star of Light and Love Virginia Thompson and District Deputy Grand Exalted Star Susan G. Wilson with several sponsors attended the Rochester Chapter of DeMolay Installation of their Officers, which was one of the finest Installations we have had the pleasure to witness. The Installing Officers from the Rochester Court of Chevelier were out standing in their work.

On Saturday, October 14, approximately the same number attended the Genesee Valley Chapter, Order of DeMolay at Fairport, New York, where we again witnessed a most impressive Installation of their Officers, done by the same outstanding team from Rochester Court of Chevelier. The constellation thanks both chapters for their invitations and extends best wishes for the ensuing year to the officers and members of the order of DeMolay.

Our Birthday banquet was well attended by both members and sponsors. After the banquet we held our regular meeting, at which time a very impressive Degree was put on by the Girls for Uncle Freddie Neussle, for all the wonderful things he has done, and the support he has given to the Constellation.

The Constellation was honored at its meeting by the presence of several members of the DeMolay. We hope you enjoyed yourselves at the meeting and will favor us with your presence at our future meetings.

On Saturday evening, November 4, 1967, District Deputy Grand Exalted Star of Light and Love, Susan G. Wilson will make her official visit to Jennie M. Lord Constellation #5, at which time ten new members will be initiated into our order. All Master Masons and Eastern Star members are most cordially invited to attend, and witness the fine Ritual work done by our Youth of today. Why not take the time to come? We are sure you be well rewarded for your time.

Meeting will be held in Room B, Masonic Temple 8:00 P.M. sharp.

JAMES A HARD POST 18
MASONIC WAR
VETERANS

2nd Thursday



The members of the James A. Hard Post, Masonic War Veterans held a special meeting and reception to honor Bro. Otto Rosenhagen, Spanish American War Veteran and a long time member of their Post. Bro. Rosenhagen who will be ninety in February spent a ten day leave in Rochester. He is presently a guest at the Bath Veterans Administration Home Care Center.

Bro. Rosenhagen was cited for his service to his country as well as his active participation in Masonic affairs. Past Commander General Ray Ring presented him with a Certificate of Appreciation in behalf of the members of the James A. Hard Post. The wives of the members served refreshments after the meeting which gave Bro. Otto an opportunity to renew acquaintances. The evening was one of the highlights of the year.

Letters of appreciation were received from Etolian Lodge for our participation in Spencerports Centennial Parade and Ark Lodge, Geneva for a Flag Dedication held on their 160th Anniversary.

Oatka Lodge #759 has asked that we assist them in conferring the Third Degree on November 8th. We will be doing the Second Section November promises to be a busy month as was October. So if we all pitch in, we can help our Post discharge its responsibilities.

Our schedule for the month is:

- Nov. 8 - Oatka Lodge, Third Degree, Second Section.
- Nov. 9 - Post meeting, 8:00 P.M.
- Nov. 11 - Color Guard, Triangle.
- Nov. 12 - Color Guard, Eastern Star Communion Breakfast, Canandaigua Veterans Hospital, 1:30 P.M.
- Nov. 18 - Color Guard, Canandaigua 7:30 P.M. Color Guard, Rochester Chapter, 7:30 P.M.
- Nov. 20 - Memorial Service, Valley Lodge.

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