

DISTRICT DEPUTIES TO AWARD TROPHY

Almost Made it in '70 - '71

Hats off! to Right Worshipfuls L. Alman and A. Mundy, plus each Lodge Chairman for a job well done in '70 - '71. With their leadership, and others like them, the masons of New York State almost reached the yearly goal, after some twenty years of trying, of one million dollars; - \$915,744.98.

Let's go over the hill in '71 - '72. A Mason is a dedicated Man, to his God, to his Family, to his Country, and to his Craft. Again, our Most Worshipful Grand Master, William R. Knapp is asking the Craft to give one million dollars for the work of the Brotherhood Fund. May the Masons of the two Monroe Districts not disappoint him.

We need a contribution from every Brother to attain our Grand Master's goal. The campaign starts October 15th or sooner if you wish. Check for the chairman of the Brotherhood Fund in your lodge in the list below.

There will be an area meeting of all Lodge Chairmen on October 1st., 8:00 P.M. at the Masonic Temple in Rochester.

Valley Lodge #109

Bro. David C. Clarke, 4 Brasser Dr., Rochester, N.Y.

Penfield Union Lodge #154

Bro. Carl L. Fischer, 449 Bouckhaart Ave., Roch., N.Y.

Yonondio Lodge #163

Bro. Robert Galloway, 4199 Mt. Read Blvd., Roch., N.Y.

Monroe Lodge #173

W: John T. Burr, 77 Gary Dr., Brockport, N.Y. 14420

Fairport Lodge #476

Bro. James Comstock, 5 Rockford Street, Fairport, N.Y.

Etolian Lodge #479

Bro. Arthur Rudig, 237 Hinkleville Rd., Spencerport, N.Y.

Webster Lodge #538

Bro. Ronald Turney, 66 Catalpa Rd., Rochester, N.Y.

Clio Lodge #779

Bro. James S. Cochran, 3431 Latta Rd., Rochester, N.Y.

Flower City Lodge #910

W: Stan S. Weingart, 64 Rhinecliff Dr., Rochester, N.Y.

Seneca Lodge #920

Bro. John Markus, 24 Little Spring Run, Fairport, N.Y.

Ancient Craft Lodge #943

W: Russell J. Schrader, 99 Howedale Dr., Rochester, N.Y.

Warren C. Hubbard Lodge #964

Bro. Emerson Lockhard, 27 Irvington Dr., N. Chili, N.Y.

Frank L. Simes Lodge #990

W: Gary E. Lind, 2071 Latta Rd., Rochester, N.Y. 14612

East Rochester Lodge #1020

Bro. Albert E. Patterson, 56 E. Lake Rd., Cand., N.Y.

Orpheus Lodge #1082

Bro. Albert Caplan, 54 Meyerhill Cir. W., Rochester, N.Y.

Union Star #320

Kenneth Buckland, 6923 Egan Rd., Honeoye Falls, N.Y.

Northfield #426

William Ramsdale, 2 Spruce Lane, Pittsford, N.Y. 14534

Genesee Falls #507

W: George Schneider, 200 Seth Green Dr. Apt. 2120

Henrietta #526

W: Roy E. Lloyd Jr., 581 Shore Dr., W. Henrietta, N.Y.

Rochester #660

Willard E. Garrett, 41 Albemarle St., Rochester, N.Y.

Churchville #667

Norman Morgan, 17 Dortmund Cir., Rochester, N.Y. 14624

Germania #722

W: Donald E. Freeman, 119 Meadow Cir., Rochester, N.Y.

Oatka #759

Robert F. Guelzow, 29 Greyson Rd., Rochester, N.Y.

Frank A. Lawrence #797

Harold R. Durbin, P.O. Box 239, Perry, N.Y. 14530

Corinthian Temple #805

• Daniel Nesbitt, 276 Park Lane, W. Webster, N.Y. 14580

Fame #945

Dan Gaston, 81 Green Moor Way, Henrietta, N.Y. 14467

Zetland #951

W: R. Kenneth Crawford, 495 Winton Rd., N. Roch., N.Y.

Co-Chairman

Frank VanBeltram, 129 Weldon St., Rochester, N.Y.

Craftsman #969

Stedman Suydam Jr., 639 McCall Rd., Rochester, N.Y.

John A. Robertson #1032

L. Edward Walker, 162 Campbell Pk., Rochester, N.Y.

Wakan #1054

Frank P. Denton, 154 Sylvester St., Rochester, N.Y.

Charlotte #1088

R:W: Everett VanPutte, 118 Centerwood Dr., Roch., N.Y.

COMMUNION SERVICE AND BREAKFAST TO BE HELD OCT. 31

The thirteenth annual Masonic Communion Services and Breakfast will take place on Sunday, October 31st, 1971. The Communion Services will be at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, corner of East Ave. and Vick Park B and the Lutheran Church of the Incarnate Word, 597 East Ave., at 8:00 A.M. The breakfast will follow immediately after the services.

Everyone will retire to the Auditorium Theater following the breakfast where the remainder of the program will be held. Welcome and presentation of guests will be made and the twelfth annual distinguished community service award will be presented.

The address of the morning will be given by M:W: William R. Knapp, Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York.

This should be an outstanding program and we hope that a large crowd will attend and show that masons are faithful to the craft and interested in the great teachings and high principles of the fraternity.

DINNERS FOR GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

Dinners have been scheduled for all four of the new Grand Lodge Officers. Times, places and the names of those to contact for information and reservations are listed below for your information:

George L. Wetzel - Friday, September 10 - Rowntowner Motor Inn - 6:30 P.M. - Call Ron Mertens at 482-0994; Donald E. Rockcastle - Saturday, September 18 - Lakeshore Country Club - 6:30 P.M. - Call Harry Hopkins at 225-1249; Roger E. Lowry - Thursday 16 - Pittsford Presbyterian Church - 6:30 P.M. - Call George Dennis at 924-5832; Paul E. Thone - Friday, October 8 - Ricks's Prime Rib - 6:30 P.M. - Call Ed Hoak at 436-2853.

COMING EVENTS

Oct. 28-29 - Grand Lecturers Convention
Dec. 28 - Investiture Service
Jan. 2-7 - Masonic Cruise
Jan. 8 - Masters & Wardens Winter Party
Apr. 15 - Masonic Grand Ball

ATTENDANCE AT LODGE DURING OFFICIAL VISIT OF D.D.G.M. TO BE REWARDED

Brethren:

R:W: Donald E. Rockcastle, D.D.G.M. First Monroe District and R:W: George L. Wetzel, D.D.G.M. Second Monroe District have established an annual award for attendance at the Official Visit of the District Deputy. The award is to be in the form of an appropriate Trophy or Plaque with the name of the Lodge and date of visit inscribed.

Determination of the best attendance will be by a point system, thereby being more equitable regardless of the actual size of membership. Points will be scored as follows: Present G.L. Officers and Committees, 0; Lodge Officers, 1; Past G.L. Officers, 2; P.M.s (not officers or R:W:) 3; Visitors, 4; MEMBERS, 5; 50 Yr. Members, 10; 60 Year Members, 20; 70 year Members, 30. Points will not be accumulative per member, highest category only will count.

ATTENDANCE.

1. Scoring: Present G.L. Officers and committees:	0 Points
Lodge Officers	1 "
Past Grand Lodge Officers	2 "
P.M. other than R:W:s, & Officers	3 "
Visitors	4 "
Members	5 "
50 Year Members	10 "
60 Year Members	20 "
70 Year Members	30 "

2. Judging: In case of identical point total of two or more Lodges, the Lodge having the majority in numbers of regular members shall be the winner. The District Deputy is to decide all other questions. In the case of a Lodge Officer being a R:W: P.M. or 50 year member, the points for the highest category only will count excluding the count as a member. (ie: 50 Year member, Past Master and present Chaplain = 10 points only)

MASONS ENTERTAIN AT SALVATION ARMY PICNIC

About one hundred underprivileged boys and girls at the Salvation Army Camp were made to feel that they were not forgotten by a group of Masons and their wives Saturday afternoon, July 31st

A series of races and games were run off and three prizes were given for each event. After that portion of the program, a generous supply of peanuts, suckers, pop, candy and dixie cups of ice cream was distributed to each

The Masonic Service Bureau has been doing this annually for more than twenty years and the satisfaction of bringing a little happiness to these young people more than makes up for the work and planning involved.

MASONIC SERVICE BUREAU

Our nice summer has passed so quickly and now we are about to enter into our fall activities. We in the Masonic Service Bureau sincerely hope that you and yours had the safest, healthiest and most relaxing vacation ever. Despite the nice, balmy weather, there were many calls for the loan of sick room equipment and many other requests which we were happy to care for.

Please do not forget to call on the sick, the shut-ins and the elderly members of your lodge as it means so much to them. They feel forgotten and neglected when no one calls

Fraternally yours,
Odell B. Kelly,
Executive Director

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Brethren:

As the rapidly approaching fall months bring the resumption of our many Masonic activities after the short lull of the summer, it behooves me to solicit the aid and assistance of all Masters, Wardens, line officers, and Brethren of every Lodge in the First Monroe District. With your assistance we can carry out our Most Worshipful Master William R. Knapp's desires, hopes, and programs placed upon the tressel board for the coming year.

DONALD E. ROCKCASTLE
 D.D.G.M.
 1st MONROE DISTRICT



At this point I will not express my thoughts concerning any particular program. You will, throughout my term as District Deputy, hear me express my feelings on Fellowship at the State and Local level. What has happened to our local Fellowship activities? Some of these were golf tournaments, bowling, euchre, skeet and trap, fishing contests and other events carefully planned by our local Fellowship Committee. The participation in these events has been poor in comparison to the number of members in Monroe County. Many hours of planning, organizing, and then running these events seems wated. Why not plan to participate this year in every event that you possibly can? Remember our State Golf Tournament being held September 10th through the 12th, the State Bowling Tournament downstate this spring, and our Communion Breakfast on October 31st, featuring our Grand Master William R. Knapp. Mark these important dates on your calendar.

My Brothers, as District Deputy I am ready to serve all Brethren in the First Monroe District in any capacity. Feel free to call upon me any time a problem arises. If I cannot solve your problem, I promise I will try to find someone who can.

Fraternally,
 Donald E. Rockcastle, D.D.G.M., First Monroe District

**OFFICIAL VISITS
 FIRST MONROE DISTRICT**

Sept. 7th	Tuesday:	Clio #799	8:00 P.M.
Sept. 14th	Tuesday:	Flower City #910	7:30 P.M.
Sept. 21st	Tuesday:	Seneca #920	
Oct. 5th	Tuesday:	Yonnonadio #163	
Oct. 7th	Thursday:	Webster #538	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 11th	Monday:	Etolian #479	8:00 P.M.
Oct. 12th	Tuesday:	Monroe #173	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 13th	Wednesday:	Ancient Craft #943	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 15th	Friday:	W.C. Hubbard #964	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 18th	Monday:	Valley #109	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 25th	Monday:	Fairport #476	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 26th	Tuesday:	East Rochester #1020	8:00 P.M.
Nov. 16th	Tuesday:	Penfield #154	
Nov. 23rd	Tuesday:	Orpheus #1082	8:00 P.M.
Dec. 14th	Tuesday:	F.L. Simes #990	

SECOND MONROE DISTRICT

Sept. 13th	Monday:	Rochester, #660	7:30 P.M.
Sept. 22nd	Wednesday:	Germania, #722	7:30 P.M.
Sept. 23rd	Thursday:	Zetland, #951	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 4th	Monday:	Corinthian Temple, #805	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 6th	Wednesday:	Union Star, #320	8:00 P.M.
Oct. 7th	Thursday:	Genesee Falls, #507	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 11th	Monday:	Frank R. Lawrence, #797	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 12th	Tuesday:	Henrietta, #526	8:00 P.M.
Oct. 18th	Monday:	John A. Robertson, #1032	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 27th	Wednesday:	Oatka, #759	8:00 P.M.
Nov. 4th	Thursday:	Northfield, #426	7:30 P.M.
Nov. 8th	Monday:	Wakan, #1054	7:30 P.M.
Nov. 9th	Tuesday:	Fame, #945	7:30 P.M.
Nov. 10th	Wednesday:	Churchville, #667	8:00 P.M.
Nov. 16th	Tuesday:	Craftsman, #969	7:30 P.M.
Dec. 7th	Tuesday:	Charlotte, #1088	7:30 P.M.

Brethren:

Many serious problems exist in our Fraternity that requires the immediate attention and ACTION of ALL of us. The task of being the personal representative of the Grand Master is a challenge that only those who have been in the position might truly understand, briefly it could be alluded to as the 'quarterback'. The Grand Master plans the Strategy, the District Deputy calls the signals and the Masters receive the Ball but unless the Members 'Carry the Ball' no touchdowns are made.

GEORGE L. WETZEL
 D.D.G.M.
 2nd MONROE DISTRICT



The Brothers who will take the time to read these messages each month are to be commended for their interest in the Fraternity. Whether the messages to appear here will be worthwhile, interesting, meaningful or inspiring will depend on the reaction it may create. At this early date, all that can be promised is a sincere effort, to promote an active interest in the attempt, thereby becoming worthy of this honorable position.

Grand Master William R. Knapp has placed his designs upon the Trestleboard, which you will find incorporated in the several other messages, regarding the many programs and projects, elsewhere in the News. I do not intend to repeat them because as Editor I realize the value of the space and brevity. You are urged to study these designs, volunteer an assignment and as workmen in the Craft to answer "Roll Call". It will please the Grand Master to have you sit in Lodge especially on the evening of the 'Official Visit' when his message will be delivered.

Fraternally,
 George L. Wetzel, D.D.G.M., Second Monroe District

THE MASONIC BROTHERHOOD FUND

FINAL REPORT: Contributions from June 10, 1970 to May 31, 1971

	Membership Dec. 31, 1970	No. of Contr.	Amount Contributed	%
FIRST MONROE DISTRICT				
109 Valley	499	144	\$ 1,040.50	28.9
154 Penfield Union	236	100	715.70	42.4
163 Yonnonadio	595	136	1,302.00	22.9
173 Monroe	248	77	432.65	31.0
476 Fairport	337	118	574.50	35.0
479 Etolian	406	116	645.50	28.6
538 Webster	498	74	788.50	14.9
779 Clio	338	79	428.00	23.4
910 Flower City	537	102	789.00	19.0
920 Seneca	457	126	1,323.00	27.6
943 Ancient Craft	279	83	446.00	16.0
964 Warren C. Hubbard	351	76	1,985.50	21.7
990 Frank L. Simes	258	72	626.00	27.9
1020 East Rochester	167	111	545.00	66.5
1082 Orpheus	127	23	211.50	18.1
Miscellaneous:				
Individuals		1	2.50	
Fidelity Triangle #4		2	200.00	
Masters & Wardens Assn.		2	23.61	
Past Masters Supper Club		1	25.00	
Gleason Mas. Club		1	12.50	
Damascus Shrine				
Clown Unit of Rochester		1	75.00	
Gothic Bowling League		1	17.40	
Irondequoit Chapt. #572, O.E.S.		1	5.00	
Lilac Triangle #121		2	20.00	
J. M. Lord Con. of Jr. Stars #5		1	100.00	
	5,333	1,450	\$ 12,334.36	27.2
SECOND MONROE DISTRICT				
320 Union Star	172	49	\$ 330.00	28.5
426 Northfield	196	141	810.00	71.9
507 Genesee Falls	641	203	3,205.76	31.7
526 Henrietta	262	59	316.80	22.5
660 Rochester	339	101	732.00	29.8
667 Churchville	133	130	528.00	97.7
722 Germania	349	60	471.00	17.2
759 O-at-ka	182	93	524.00	51.1
797 Frank R. Lawrence	166	62	649.00	37.3
805 Corinthian Temple	407	216	1,479.00	53.1
945 Fame	369	181	\$1,161.00	48.3
951 Zetland	228	91	642.11	89.9
969 Craftsman	291	94	641.31	32.3
1032 John A. Robertson	357	105	708.00	29.4
1054 Wakan	267	74	708.00	27.7
1088 Charlotte	584	237	1,391.50	40.6
Miscellaneous:				
Individuals		1	2.50	
Fidelity Triangle #4		2	200.00	
Masters & Wardens Assn.		2	23.62	
Past Masters Supper Club		1	25.00	
Gleason Mas. Club		1	12.50	
Damascus Shrine				
Clown Unit of Rochester		1	75.00	
Gothic Bowling League		1	17.40	
Irondequoit Chapt. #572, O.E.S.		1	5.00	
Lilac Triangle #121		2	20.00	
J. M. Lord Con. of Jr. Stars #5		1	100.00	
	4,943	1,906	\$14,778.50	38.6

LET'S GO VISITING

- 1 - Union Star - Open Meeting - Grand Lodge report.
- 2 - Genesee Falls - Apron presentation to D.D.G.M. George Wetzel.
- 7 - Clio - D.D.G.M. Official Visit.
- 7 - Yonnonadio - Open Meeting - Archery Demonstration.
- 8 - Ancient Craft - Open Meeting.
- 8 - Germania - Business Meeting.
- 8 - Churchville - Open Meeting.
- 9 - Hamilton Chapter R.A.M. - Open Meeting.
- 9 - Zetland - Open Meeting.
- 9 - James A. Hard Post - Regular Meeting.
- 10 - Cyrene Commandery K.T. - Conclave.
- 10 - Monroe Commandery K.T. - Conclave.
- 10 - Dinner for R:W: George Wetzel.
- 13 - Etolian - Open Meeting.
- 13 - Fairport - First Degree.
- 13 - Rochester - D.D.G.M. Official Visit.
- 14 - Webster Chapter R.A.M. - Open Meeting.
- 14 - Flower City - D.D.G.M. Official Visit.
- 15 - Union Star - Second Degree.
- 16 - Genesee Falls - First Degree by Corinthian Temple.
- 16 - Northfield - Dinner, reception and apron presentation for R:W: Roger Lowry.
- 16 - Webster - Open Meeting - Movie.
- 18 - Dinner-Dance for R:W: Donald Rockcastle.
- 20 - Corinthian Temple - Open Meeting.
- 20 - John A. Robertson - Ecology Nite.
- 21 - Charlotte - First Degree.
- 21 - Seneca - First Degree.
- 21 - Yonnonadio - First Degree.
- 21 - Germania Lodge of Perfection - Fourth Degree.
- 22 - Germania - D.D.G.M. Official Visit.
- 22 - Oatka - Third Degree.
- 22 - Churchville - Open Meeting.
- 23 - Hamilton Chapter R.A.M. - Mark Master Degree.
- 23 - Zetland - D.D.G.M. Official Visit.
- 23 - Tall Cedars - Regular Meeting.
- 24 - Cyrene Commandery K.T. - Conclave.
- 25 - Master & Wardens at Fame.
- 27 - Etolian - First Degree.
- 27 - East Rochester - Open Meeting.
- 27 - Fairport - Awards Night.
- 28 - Charlotte - Special Communication - Second Degree.
- 28 - 29 - District Convention.

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Dear Brother Herman

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

Q. You have no doubt been informed about the enclosed clipping which appeared in a column in the May 20th issue of a local newspaper. I am interested in the propriety of such publication, and would like your view point.

A. A number of brethren have been disturbed and have written or called about the items. For those who may not have seen them, the first told of an incident in a lodgeroom, when a line officer, who is a prominent city official, was to give the Historical lecture of the 3rd degree, and failed to appear. The second item, which appeared several days later, stated that the columnist had been "living in fear" ever since the article appeared, because of "what happened in 1826 to William Morgan." He then recounted the story of the disappearance of William Morgan and his abduction by Masons for threatening to expose their secrets. The columnist ends with the words; "Frankly, I'm scared. If this column ends abruptly one of these days, you'll know what happened."

The second item was undoubtedly written with tongue-in-cheek by one ill informed about Masonry. We question his judgement in printing it.

With regard to the first item, we agree without hesitation that it should not appear in the public press. However, we cannot condemn the columnist. To him it was a "juicy" story about a public official well known in the community. The person to be condemned is the Mason who passed the story on to the columnist. In my judgement this could be classified as a Masonic offense. What takes place in a tiled Lodge is "secret," and not to be discussed outside the lodgeroom, especially with a non-Mason.

We have taken the liberty of calling the attention of the Master of the Lodge to this breach of Masonic tradition. We have also written to the columnist in question, enclosing a copy of the "Primer of Freemasonry," and outlining some of the great humanitarian and charitable projects carried on or supported by Masons. The following reply was received:

Dear Mr. Sarachan:

Thank you for your letter of June 4 and the primer of Freemasonry.

Please be assured that there was no intention to "ridicule" Freemasonry. The original item seemed noteworthy because it involved a person of some prominence locally. I had not heard of the Morgan incident until some older people here told me about it, but I found it an interesting bit of American history and thought some readers would, too. I am sorry if the tongue-in-cheek approach disturbed you and some others.

I was somewhat familiar with the good works and services performed by the Masons, but I was glad to be reminded.

Thanks again for writing.

Sincerely

LODGE news and views

JOHN A. ROBERTSON

LODGE No. 1032

1st and 3rd Mondays

MASTER'S MESSAGE

My brethren have you taken stock of your Masonic ties during the past summer? Have you considered the many rich blessings that have been conferred upon yourself. The opportunities to increase our understanding of the fellow craft we enjoy are many but are up to you to decide. If you have, excellent-if not, as you read this article see if the principles we all learned don't still apply.

We live in a changing world - fact. All changes are relative to things as they were - fact. Change is necessary - debatable. All change is good - again debatable. Some discussion points: environmental changes from overpopulation will erode our quality of life. In a complex society laws that solve one problem but create others coupled with overworked enforcement personnel and a court system can bring very slow justice to human beings. Attitudes towards organized religion, drugs, sex, motherhood and just about anything else are being attacked from every direction. The double entendre songs attempt this. Biased statements by "authorities" attempt this. General doubt cast by derogatory minded people in an economic cycle can solidify rationalizations about or against almost anything. Almost anything but truth.

The truths I am referring to are those taught us in our degrees wherein lie our duties to ourselves, our fellow man and ones God. Masonry bids us to think and reflect upon these things and relate them to 1971 because Masonry didn't just happen when you were initiated. It is the culmination of the best of mans efforts to live together in harmony with a contemporary society. If we lose sight of what we stand for we stop growing. Therefore perhaps a rededication to the principles of Free Masonry might be in order this year for you.

If you recall my first message you will remember the Fellowship of getting together. Come on out and when the events planned permit - bring a friend. Fraternally, C. N. Hayner Master Brethren:

Much has transpired over the summer months, and I would like to take this opportunity to pass some news on to you.

August 28th was the date of our annual Corn and Sausage Roast at Bro. Ray Volk's farm. All who attended had a fine time amidst the atmosphere of good food and brotherhood.

Sept. 20 will be Ecology Night at John A. Robertson. The guest speaker will be an associate of ecologist, Wayne Harris.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Sympathies of the Lodge are extended to the following individuals in their moments of hardship: Brother Howard Lausen on the passing of his wife Rosalie, July 7, 1971 in Clearwater, Fla.; Brother Robert Aldinger on the loss of his father, Gustave, July 8, 1971; Brother Carl Silvio on the passing of his mother, Lean Silvio, July 13, 1971; Brother James Brethen on the loss of his sister, Martha Fehr, July 27, 1971; Bro. Clifford Minard on the passing of his mother Bertha A. Minard, August 8, 1971.

Also, Brother James D. McLair, Past Master of J.A. Robertson passed away on July 2, 1971 in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. A Masonic Service was held by the officers and brethren of J. Dewey Hawkins Lodge No. 331 of Ft. Lauderdale. Bro. McLair retired from the Kodak Engineering Model Shop in 1966.

Brother John N. Wright passed away August 4, 1971 after a prolonged illness. He retired from Kodak in 1967. Sympathies of the Lodge are extended to his wife, Mrs. Lorna Wright.

On a brighter note, Kathryn E. Slack, daughter of Brother John Slack was married July 17, 1971 in Irondequoit Church of Christ.

Brother Ronald Magregor spent part of the summer vacationing at Lake Arrow Head, South Carolina, and Brother Ronald Phillips recently celebrated his 25th Anniversary with Kodak.

Bro. Robert McIntyre and his wife took a coast to coast tour of the U.S.A. that covered 9,000 miles. Bro. Louis T. Benjamin and his wife Margaret of Seminole, Fla. celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary with Rochester friends and relatives. They were married in June, 1921.

Bro. Harold Markam and his wife spent 3 weeks vacationing in the Virgin Islands.

A reminder from our Secretary, there are 15 dues cards from 1970 and 43 cards for 1971 that have not been picked up yet. Your immediate attention to this matter will be appreciated.

On a closing note, it will be of interest to many Brothers to hear that Bro. Art Roberts is back in Rochester to stay. His address is 132 Graystone, Building 8, Apt. 5.

Hope to see you in Lodge on September 20th. Fraternally, Charles W. Thomas, Jr. Sr. Steward

CHURCHVILLE LODGE
No. 667
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren:
As the summer is drawing to a close, we hope everyone had an enjoyable vacation. We welcome you back to your Lodge as we start our fall session.

I would like to reflect for a moment on three activities we have enjoyed this summer. In late June, about 20 Lodge members with their families attended a baseball game at Silver Stadium. Then in July, the Masonic-Star picnic was well attended at Churchville Park main cabin. W: Leone Miller, W: Lucille Mason and Bro. Sim Daugherty are to be commended for their efforts in making this annual picnic a success. The Fellowship picnic was attended by about 15 members of the Club at Bro. Ray Volk's Cider Mill Park on July 29th. Many thanks, Bro. Ray!

I wish to extend my personal thanks to each of you who helped make it possible for Churchville Lodge to once more have won the Brotherhood Plaque for the Second Monroe District for the highest percentage participation in the Drive. A special thanks goes to Chairman Doug Varley and his committee for a fine job.

On September 8th, we will have a business meeting starting at 8 P.M. If you have a petition ready for presentation, please have it in at that time. Sociability and lunch will follow, with a possibility of some Euchre practice.

On September 22nd at 8 P.M. there will be the regular business meeting with a good prospect of a showing of Grand Lodge slides. For those of you who have not been to Grand Lodge, you will find these most impressive.

We are planning a Ladies Night in October, so please keep this in mind. The date will be announced very shortly.

Under Sickness and Distress, S:W: Doug Varley has been in Strong Memorial Hospital but is now recuperating at home. It was good to see W: Bro. Harvey Way at the Masonic-Star picnic.

If there are any Brothers in sickness or distress, please call me at 328-2472. I look forward to meeting with most of you during the fall and certainly hope you will support the Lodge with your presence as often as possible. Fraternally, Stanton A. Schmalz, Master

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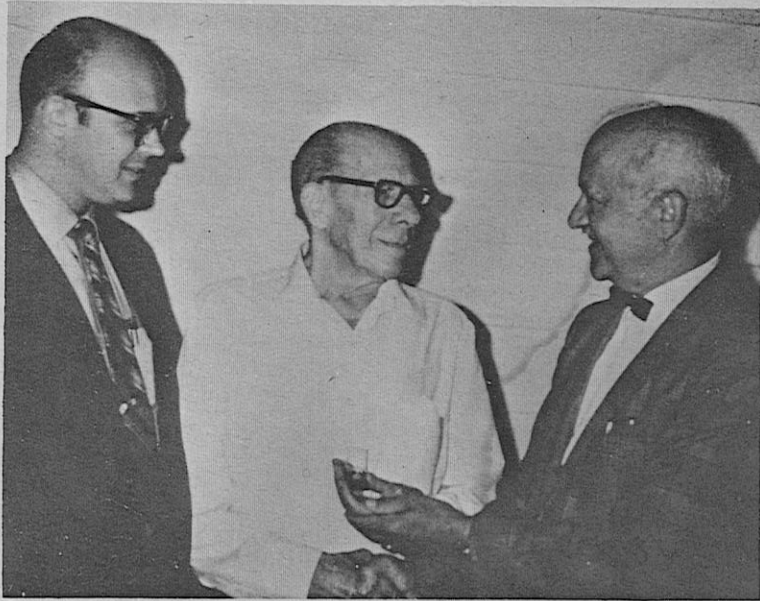
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**GENESSEE FALLS LODGE
No. 507
1st and 3rd Thursdays**

Brethren:
Our summer recess has come and gone very quickly and it is now time to resume labor. Our events during the summer months were all very successful and I thank all of you who made them so by your attendance and hard work. Fortunately we were blessed with good weather at the Steak Roast, Family Picnic and Red Wing game and the only disappointment was that the Red Wings lost.

However it is now time to turn our thoughts to the forthcoming events, and there are quite a few planned. I hope you will do your best to continue to support the activities of your Lodge as you have in the first part of the year.

Our first meeting in Sept. is on Thursday night, Sept. 2. At that time we will be presenting R:W: Bro. George Wetzel with his District Deputy's Apron. I hope you will be present to help make this night one that George will long remember.

On Friday, Sept. 10, there will be a dinner for R:W: Bro. George at the Rowntowner Motor Inn on Jefferson Rd. Social hour is at 6:30 P.M. and dinner will be at 7:30 P.M. This dinner is to honor George on his appointment as District Deputy and I expect Genesee Falls Lodge to be well represented. The speaker for the evening will be the R:W: Rev. I Vincent Lloyd, Grand Chaplain. Anyone who has ever heard R:W: Bro. Lloyd speak in the past knows that his messages are always most interesting and enjoyable. For reservations please call either Wor. Bro. Willard Mattern at 473-8772 or myself at 482-0994. The menu is Pot Roast of Beef Jardiniere, the cost is \$6.00 per person, and reservations must be in by Monday, September 6.

On Thursday, September 16, Corinthian Temple Lodge No. 805 will come to Genesee Falls Lodge for the purpose of conferring the First Degree on a class of two candidates. Let's have a good turnout of our own members to welcome our visitors and receive our new Brothers.

During the summer four of our members received their 50 year pins. The accompanying picture shows yours truly, Bro. Clarence Koch, and R:W: Bro. Wetzel at the time that

Bro. Koch received his 50 year pin in Warsaw, N.Y. Bro. Sydney Rosenberg and Rev. Bro. William McKee also went with us that evening and we were treated royally. We are all looking forward to returning to Bro. Koch's home again. Also this summer R:W: Bro. Wetzel, Wor. Bro. Tom Heller and myself went to Bro. Albert Bird's home to present him with a 50 year pin, and Bro. Charles Jay and Bro. John Wickens received their 50 year pins in Kentucky and Virginia respectively. Congratulations to all of these Brothers and may they enjoy many more Masonic years.
Fraternally,
Ronald D. Mertens

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

During the summer we have learned of several members that have been sick or shut-in. Please remember these Bro's. with your cards and visits.

Bro. Al Bird was in Northside Hospital but is now back home; Bro. "Billy" Smith was in Strong but may be home by now; Bro. Horace New was in Northside and is now home recovering from surgery; W: Bro. Fred Waltz is in Northside recovering from surgery; Bro. Warren Alhart will be going in the hospital next week for Surgery; Bro. Lynn Conover, 200 Seth Green Dr., Apt. 202, is not feeling well; Bro. Charles Jay, 2136 Tamarack Dr., Lexington, Ky., is confined with chronic arthritis; Bro. Harold Tobin, 951 Philco Dr., Dunedin, Fla., is recovering from surgery.

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

Bro. Leonard Turner, Raised Dec. 3, 1942. Called Home June 21, 1971. Bro. Arthur M. Gabel, Raised Oct. 2, 1913, 50 Year Button Oct. 1963, Called Home July 3, 1971 at the Masonic Home. W:Bro. William G. Wilson, Raised Nov. 17, 1960, Master of Lodge 1968, Called Home, July 7, 1971. Bro. Dale W. Holmes, Raised Dec. 11, 1924 in Pittsfield Lodge, Illinois. Affiliated Oct. 6, 1960, Called Home July 8, 1971. Bro. Gustave Aldinger, Raised April 5, 1923, Called Home, July 8, 1971. Bro. Glen L. Huling, Raised Nov. 30, 1944. Called Home July 14, 1971, Stockton, Cal. Bro. Charles F. Spies, Raised Nov. 3, 1910, 60 Year

**CLIO LODGE
No. 779
1st & 3rd Tuesdays**

Brethren:
It doesn't seem possible that summer is almost gone and the fall season is upon us.

One of the most interesting events of the summer was the Sesquicentennial Day at Fireman's Field, Hilton on July 31st.

Under the leadership of Bro. Harry DeHollander, Clio Lodge organized a Tug of War Team consisting of Right Worshipful, D.D.G.M., Donald Rocastle, Br. Harold Davis, Br. Norman Wright, W: Br. Harlan Morse, Br. Harry DeHollander, Br. Alan Rockcastle, Br. James Fallen, Br. Glen Longer, Br. Howard Garbutt, and Br. Kenny Mullen. R:W: Br. Dennison Wright acted as Coach. "Tiny" Miller, anchor man of the opposing team, proved to be just to much for our team.

Clio Lodge is starting the fall season by having the Right Worshipful, D.D.G.M. Donald Rockcastle here at Cleio on September 7th for his first Official Visit. This will be preceded with a Buffet Supper served by Leah Chapter #183 O.E.S. at 6:30 P.M.

September 12th is the date for the annual Family Picnic which will be held at the Braddock Bay State Park. Bring a dish to pass and your own table setting.

Another important date is September 18th. This is the Apron Presentation and Dinner-Dance Party for Right Worshipful, D.D.G.M. Donald Rockcastle at the Lake Shore Country Club.

Remember we have room for only two hundred reservations so please mail yours in early.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

The sympathy of the Lodge was extended to the family of W: Bro. Henry L. Miller who passed away July 5, 1971 and to the family of Bro. George D. Blair who passed away July 6, 1971. A large number of the Brethren were in attendance for both Masonic Services. Bro. Herbert L. VanGrafeiland is recuperating at home after heart surgery. W: Bro. Lee Hendershot is also recuperating at home after surgery. Bro. Harry DeHollander is home with the flu. We hope by this time they are all feeling much better.
Fraternally,
Harry Hopkins, Master

Button, Dec. 1970, Called Home August 4, 1971.

GENESSEE FALLS TRESTLEBOARD

Sept. 2 - Regular meeting. Apron presentation to D.D. G.M.

Sept. 10 - Dinner for R:W: George L. Wetzel-Rowntowner Motor Inn-Social Hour 6:30 P.M.-Dinner 7:30 P.M.

Sept. 16 - First Degree by Corinthian Temple Lodge 805.

Sept. 23 - Officers and Fellowcraft.

Oct. 7 - Official Visit of D.D.G.M. - presentation of 50 year pins.

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ZETLAND LODGE
NO. 951
 2nd & 4th Thursdays

MASTER'S MESSAGE

My Brothers:

Even before we depart for our summer vacation, I find myself writing the message for the beginning of the Fall season. The subtleness of time, like quicksilver, slips through our fingers before we can become aware of what is happening. I hope you, and yours, have had a happy and safe summer, with all the joys that were promised for this season.

The two annual events planned for the summer were more than successful. I quote our Sr. Master of Ceremony, Bro. Peter Jovan, on the Steak Roast. "We wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation to W:Bro. Steve Pool for so graciously providing us with his cottage and time in helping to put this affair together, and making it one of the most enjoyable events each summer." Along with this, I would like to say Bro. Dave Francis and his committee performed more than outstandingly. The Family Picnic, at Wadham's Cabin. Powder Mill Park, was also a highlight. Again, Bro. Dave Francis and his hard-working committee performed most admirably. I also take this opportunity to compliment Dave's "behind the scene" committee member, his lovely wife, Ginny, for her untiring aid in these affairs.

At this moment the Fall season promises to be busy, as well as extremely interesting. I hope that each and every member in the immediate area will attempt to attend at least one meeting a month; I am sure they will be more than pleased that they did. It also goes without saying, that without your support and dedication our Fraternity will limp along, and not soar to the heights it has achieved in the past; for you, my Brothers, are the key that will either lock or unlock the success of your Lodge. I pray that your decision will be the right one.

Our annual Clam-bake will be held at W: Gerry Cole's cottage in Canadice on September 11th. As in years past, this will be an affair you will not want to miss. More information about this will be coming your way. Be sure to get your reservations in early, for Bro. Al Fisher and his committee will need them to assure a success.

The Officers and myself hope to see you all in September.
 Fraternally,
 Bernard K. Hanson, Manager

TRESTLEBOARD

- Sept. 9 - Open Meeting - Officers's Informal
- Sept. 11 - Annual Clam-bake - Gerry Cole's Cottage
- Sept. 23 - Official Visit - Officers Formal

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

It becomes my sad duty to report the passing of: Bro. Edward Judson Horton Initiated May 12, 1912; Passed June 4, 1912; Raised June 25, 1912 in Oriental

WEBSTER LODGE
No. 538
 1st and 3rd Thursdays

Brethren:

I hope you have all had an enjoyable and relaxing summer. As fall approaches I wish to remind you that our first meeting will be on September 16. It is an open meeting, and we have arranged to show a Masonic film which should be most worthwhile.

On Saturday, October 2, we will host the Brothers from Ionic Lodge in Hamilton, Ontario. They will arrive around noon on that day for a lunch served by the Fellowship Club. We will then travel to R.G. & E.'s Ginna Station and Brookwood Science Information Center, at 2 P.M. for what should prove to be a most interesting program. We then plan to adjourn for a Social hour to be followed by dinner at the Temple served by the Eastern Star. Please set this day aside and join us for what promises to be a most enjoyable time.

Our new District Deputy Grand Master, Donald Rockcastle, will conduct his official visit on October 7, and we look forward to greeting him at that time.

I look forward to seeing you at our meetings this fall.
 Fraternally,
 G. Robert Witmer, Jr.
 Master

Lodge #241, Detroit, Michigan; Affiliated with Zetland Lodge #951, December 10, 1927; Called Home July 15, 1971. Bro. Gilbert Havens Hunt Initiated December 14, 1944; Passed January 25, 1945; Raised March 8, 1945; Called Home August 30, 1971. Both departed Brothers were Life Members.

To compound our sadness, it has been reported that Bro. Hunt's wife, as of this writing (8-4-71), is in Bethesda Hospital, Hornell, N.Y. with a broken hip. We pray that she recovers soon.

To the families of our departed Brothers, the Officers and Members extend our heartfelt and deepest sympathy.

BIRTHDAYS

The Officers and Members extend birthday greetings to the following Brothers who have birthdays in September: H. Sylvester Partridge, Sept. 4; William Wass, Sept. 5; Harry R. A. Hendrickson and Victor R. Herbert, Sept. 7; Eugene C. Bell and Glenn E. DeFraine, Sept. 8; John T. Farnar, Sept. 11; David W. Pool, Sept. 12; Dale A. Duclos, Sept. 13; John K. Graham, Sept. 14; Elmer N. Damuth, Sept. 15; Robert F. Dunlin, Robert M. Smith and Frank Van Beltram, Sept. 16; E. Wallace Pratt, Sept. 18; David G. Francis and Richard L. Travis, Sept. 19; Henry A. Harmin, Sept. 20; Alvah B. Lawson, Sept. 21; Bosh A. Speedy, Sept. 24; Raymond W. Doell, Sept. 27; Richard J. Sloman, Sept. 28.



Union Star Lodge No. 320. On June 2, 1971, 50 Year Awards were presented to Bro. Harland P. Moffit, W: Charles Lord, Bro. Stanley Stevers, Bro. Benjamin Austin. Presenting Awards, Rt. Wor. Francis J. Raab, D. D. G. M. and W: Richard F. Arnold.

UNION STAR LODGE
No. 320
 1st Wednesday

Brethren:

It is time for us all to return from refreshment to labor. I sincerely hope you all have had a very enjoyable summer but expect you will now turn your mind & bodies to the Lodge work ahead.

I am delighted to hear from so many of you that you missed not having a word from me in the June issue of this paper. It is rewarding to know you are reading the news that well.

At our Sept. 1 meeting I will tell you my views of Grand Lodge. For the many of you who will not be at Lodge, let me now say that I, from the bottom of my heart, thank you for the privilege of representing you at Grand Lodge. It is very unfortunate that all Masons cannot attend a session of Grand Lodge. As of this date I expect to have slides, to be shown Sept. 1, of my trip to Grand Lodge.

On Sept. 15 we will confer the 2nd Degree on a class of candidates. Our Jr. Warden, Bro. Ken Buckland, will be in the East. Please give Bro. Ken your support by attending.

On June 2nd we honored Brothers Harland P. Moffit, Stanley S. Stever, Benjamin Austin & W: Bro. Charles W. Lord with the presentation of their 50 year pins by Rt. W: Francis J. Raab.

I am very happy with your contributions to the Brotherhood Fund. We finished with \$330.00 from 50 contributors. Not too bad for only 1/3 the Lodge.

The Monroe Districts Communion Breakfast will be Oct. 31. Our Grand Master, M:W: William R. Knapp will be guest speaker. I have tickets now, donation \$1.75.

The family picnic in July was enjoyed by all attending. Bro. Harris Nesbitt did a fine job of organizing, and Bro. Jack McGird kept the kids busy with games and prizes.

In closing I want to thank Bro's. Ken Buckland, Harris Nesbitt, Ray Sipple, Ernie Johncox, & Ray Beadle for giving their time and energy cleaning the Lodge Room, Game Room, Dining Room, and Kitchen.

If you would like a ride to Lodge, call me at 244-3056 after 5 o'clock.

Expect to see you Sept. 1 and Sept. 15.
 Fraternally,
 Richard F. Arnold, Master

EAST ROCHESTER LODGE
No. 1020
 2nd & 4th Tuesday

Brethren;

I hope all of you enjoyed a delightful summer vacation but it is now time to get back to work in Masonry, so lets all try to attend Lodge meetings a little more often than we did before.

Our first meeting will be September 27th.

Our new brotherhood chairman is Albert E. Patterson for the year 1971 and 1972. I hope all the brethren will give him your full support.

I have a plan where any Lodge can raise funds without any work. I will give



East Rochester Lodge # 1020 presents 50 year pins. At the June 8, 1971 meeting R:W: Donald Rockcastle, D.D.G.M. of the 1st Monroe District assisted by R:W: Darwin Reed, past D.D.G.M. of the 1st Monroe, presented the pins to W: Bro. Charles Siefert and Bro. Harry McBride.

all the details at our first meeting.

Any brother in need of a ride to and from Lodge please call Bro. Robert Cartwright 334-4119 or myself at 232-2281

Fraternally,
 Walter Shafer, Master

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No. 805
1st and 3rd
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FROM THE EAST

It seems such a short time ago since I wrote my message in which I wished you all an enjoyable summer and yet here we have already reached the point when I sit down to write my message informing you that Lodge is about to open. While I do not look forward to the end of summer I do look forward to meeting many of you who have been out of touch during the recess.

I am extremely gratified with the support you gave me during the first half of my term as Master and look forward to a good second half. We have a full class of candidates for our fall class and your attendance at the Degrees will help show them that Masonry is still very much alive.

Our first meeting will be on Sept. 20th. The second meeting on October 4th will afford us the privilege of honoring our new District Deputy Grand Master R: W: Bro. George Wetzel as he makes his official visit. R: W: Wetzel is no stranger to the vast majority of Masons in Monroe County because if you have attended any Masonic event in the past it is a pretty safe bet that he was present. He is a devoted Mason and one who is worthy of all the support we can give him and I am sure he will have an interesting message for us, so please plan to attend. The meeting will be preceded by a dinner at 6:30 p.m. so call in your reservation to our Jr. Warden Bro. Blair Cosman 442-9191.

Don't forget our Ladies Night on October 23rd - more to follow on this.
Bernard Bonnington

FROM THE JR. WARDEN

September again - and time to remind you of some of the Lodge events coming up.

First, the Lodge Ladies' Night will be held this year at the Airport Sheraton Inn, 1100 Brooks Avenue, in the Salon de Richelieu. Save this date: Saturday, October 23; Time: 6:30 p.m. More details later.

Second, please plan for dinner preceding the Lodge Meeting on Monday, Oct. 4th. Dinner is at usual price of \$2.75 and by reservation only.

I should like to take this opportunity to thank the Fellowcraft Club, Dan Nesbitt, Bill Hinds, Maurice Clifton, Wor. Bro. Don Fox, Walt Gay, Peter Wyse and George Shayler.

Blair Cosman, Jr. Warden

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The officers of the Fellowcraft Club are looking forward to another successful season and intend kicking off with a clambake to be held in Powdermill Park on Sat. 25 September at 2 P.M.

Reservations can be made by calling me at 671-5829 and should be in by 19 Sept.

Hoping to see you all in Lodge and at the clambake. Fraternaly yours,
Al Falk

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

Brethren:

The year is far spent and very soon we will be called back to labor. I trust that each of you have enjoyed the summer and have accomplished all those things you had planned to do. Lodge will resume on September 13th at 7:30 P.M. All officers please be there by 7:15; full dress for a first degree and have your work ready.

Our meeting on September 27th will be awards night at which time Fairport Lodge will honor some of their members with awards for outstanding service to and in the lodge. Your awards committee have already met and after careful and lengthy consideration have come up with some names for this honor. This has been a difficult choice because there are many in Fairport who have contributed much and we feel that everyone should be recognized in this way.

We had a delightful Masonic-O.E.S. picnic at Mendon Ponds Park on August 14th. There was a fine turnout and we were very happy and pleasantly surprised to have Bro. Roy Lamb with us for this fine afternoon. Bro. Roy is looking very good and maintains that same old Masonic Enthusiasm which he always had. If any of you Brothers are able to do so; I am sure that Roy would be very glad to have you drop in and say hello sometime.

While you are visiting let us not forget to call on W: Bro. Herman Steffen; he will be heading back to Florida before long; so lets say hello before he goes. September 25th we have planned a Clam Bake, I trust that you will keep this date in mind and we will be looking for reservations soon for this. Also do not forget our auction on Oct. 2nd. Save anything that you have which can be sold for this. If you cannot store it until then please let one of the officers know and we will arrange to pick it up for you. I would like to report that W: Bro. Ralph Homan and myself took a trip to the Vet. Hospital in Canandagua to visit Bro. Willie Ewing in Aug. He was very happy and proud to see us. Plants have been sent to our sick and shut-ins throughout the summer. At present R:W: Bro. Hugh Arnold is in the Genesee Hospital, Bro. Robert Cameron's Father passed away around the middle of August. Even though it is a little late a card would be appreciated. One of our sojourners who at one time was quite regular in attendance at Fairport Lodge Passed away on Aug. 6th. Bro. Elmer Falb was well known to many in Fairport and had a host of friends in our lodge. We conducted a Masonic Funeral for him on Aug. 8th.

Bro. John Miller, although he is around and making many visits for the lodge, is still not feeling as well as we would like to see him. Lets get over and say hello and visit with him. There

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

Brethren:

Now that another summer is gone and vacation time is over, it's time to think about your Lodge and its meetings again. September 13, 1971, our first fall meeting, R:W: Bro. George L. Wetzel, D.D. G.M. for the Second District of Monroe, will honor us with an official visit. A dinner has been planned for 6:30 that night and W: Bro. Don Leisten personally guarantees that it will be delicious. Call him at 352-1103 for reservations. Our Past Masters will also be present and I'm sure you'll all want to be there to renew old friendships. This will be a fine evening and a good way to start the fall season, by breaking bread with your brothers.

We need petitions from you in order to make plans for a Fall class of candidates. Remember that without new members, your Lodge can't exist. If you know someone who has expressed an interest in Masonry, give him an opportunity to petition the Lodge for membership.

Don't forget, call W: Bro. Don Leisten at 352-1103 for dinner reservations Sept. 13. I'm looking forward to seeing you all that night.

Fraternaly:
Merritt Sweet, Sr. Warden

are many others and as I have stated in other communications to you, let us each be a committee of one and either visit, call or write a card to some one each week.

I do not feel it is too early to start our 1972 Brotherhood Campaign. I urge everyone to start saving a few pennies each day in a can or a jar for this very worthy cause.

Our new chairman, who has been selected by our Senior Warden, is Bro. James Comstock. This past year Fairport reached its highest percentage of donations in many years; I will feel very disappointed if we do not do much better than last year. It can be done if we each remember that we are our brothers' keepers and do this one little thing for him. I would like to leave a few thoughts with you: "If you have accomplished all that you have planned for yourself, perhaps you have not planned enough" "We would all find it easier to keep our faith if we would exercise it more" and lastly "Remember there has never been an over-production of kind words." Fraternaly,
Roger H. Scott, Master

**SENECA LODGE
No. 920
3rd Tuesday**



**MASTER'S
MESSAGE**

Brethren:

It is surely hard to believe that the long awaited Summer months are now behind us. Of course, September is often one of our nicest months and it does bring us back together in the Masonic fellowship of Seneca Lodge.

Our Meeting will be on September 21st at 7:30 P.M. following Dinner at 6:30 P.M. Work will be in the First Degree as we begin our Fall Class of candidates. As an added attraction, our newly appointed District Deputy Grand Master, Donald Rockcastle, will be making his official visit to Seneca Lodge at this Meeting. I sincerely hope that we can have a big turnout for our new District Deputy, as well as for our new candidates.

An important date to plan ahead for is October 23rd. On this weekend we journey north to Toronto, Canada for our once-every-four-year St. Andrew's Lodge visitation. Monday, October 25th, will be one of our new legal holidays, so it will be a long weekend for us. Check this out with your wife before the September Meeting because we have to get our firm reservations in to St. Andrew's Lodge well in advance of October 23rd. If you have never made one of these trips before, you just don't know what a grand time you're missing.

I hope that you all had a nice Summer and I look forward to seeing you at Lodge Meeting.

Fraternaly,
Culver K. Barr, Master

SENECA CALENDAR

- Sept. 21 - Lodge Meeting First Degree
- Oct. 23 - St. Andrew's Lodge Visitation
- Oct. 31 - Communion Breakfast

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Brethren:

I write this message as summer draws to a close and we are getting ready to resume our labors in the Craft. I hope each and every one of you has had a pleasant summer.

We had a fine turnout of members for the Corn and Sausage Roast August 21, and fun was had by all in the various games played. Many thanks to W: Brother Norman Hegadorn and his wife Irene, who did an excellent job of organizing the affair and preparing the food. I hope we have a good number of members in attendance for our first meeting September 8. On September 22, which is the second meeting, is our official visit from R: W: George Wetzel. Let's keep that date reserved for Lodge and give our New District Deputy from Grand Lodge a good welcome.

In June a meeting was held in my home by the Past Masters' and Officers for the purpose of planning our centennial year, which is next year. I believe we will have some enjoyable activity and hope to have good support by the members.

Modesta Visitation is scheduled for October 11. Reservations for going by bus must be in by October 1. For your reservations call my home 544-1149 or our Jr. Warden Heinz Gunkel at 377-5208.

Another Euchre Tournament is scheduled for October 9 at the Temple. We had a good turnout at our last one and we are hoping for a bigger turnout this time. There will be prizes and refreshments.
Fraternally,
Worship Master

NOTIFICATION

Summoned meeting of Germania Lodge No. 722 F. & A.M. will be held on Wednesday evening 7:30 P.M., Oct. 13, 1971 for the purpose of the third and final reading and for voting on the amendment to change Sections 19 and 23 of the By-Laws of Germania Lodge No. 722 to read as follows:

Section 19--The annual dues for each member of this Lodge are eighteen dollars (\$18.00) and must be paid in advance. Any future Grand Lodge or other special assessments will be automatically added to the dues.

Section 23--Any member of this Lodge who shall have performed his duties to this Lodge for twenty-five years and who shall have paid his dues during that time shall receive a certificate from the Lodge. Any member of the Lodge who shall have been made a twenty-five year member after Jan. 1, 1960 shall pay full dues until he is 65 years of age, after which he shall pay 2/3 of the current dues until he becomes 70 years of age, after which he will be exempt from all dues except assessments.

Donald E. Freeman,
Master
Vance B. Walzak,
Secretary

FROM THE EAST

Brethren:

With the summer vacations slowly drawing to an end and the fall sessions about to begin, I hope all Brethren had a successful summer as I have enjoyed. A few of us Fame Lodge Fishermen enjoyed a very successful weekend at Bro. Al Wagner's trailer at Point Vincent. We want to thank him for his hospitality. W: Bro. Robert Hebner is finishing up his third week in Canada and I am sure he will be back with some tall tales of his fishing trip.

The fall session is starting off with a full class for the First Degree on our first meeting, Sept. 14th with Bro. Fred Prince, our Sr. Warden, conferring the Degree. On Sept. 28th we will have the pleasure of a visit from the Kodak Square Club The Second Degree Class will be conferred on October 12th and should get us off to a busy but enjoyable session.

My next letter will have a complete fall program. I am looking forward to seeing a larger turnout of Brothers. By the way, come and see our new floor!

Fraternally,
John Zauner, Master

Died - W: Wallace G. Williamson, Bro. Harry Roessler. Operation - Jr. Warden, John Dense.

**GERMANIA LODGE
SICKNESS & DISTRESS**

W: Bro. Emil Dormeyer, Hill Haven Nursing Home. Bro. Harry Weiss, Baird Nursing Home, 2150 St. Paul St. The following Brothers are home: W: Bro. Reinhold Lietzau, 29 Carthage St., Bro. Walter Lang, 345 Magnolia St., Bro. Lyle Adams, 64 Earl St., Bro. Otto Bruns, 64 Ketchum St., Bro. Karl Gail, 93 Roth St., Bro. Walter Smith, 167 Barmont Dr., W: Bro. Arthur Taylor, 540 Ripplewood Dr.

**CALLED HOME BY THE
SUPREME ARCHITECT**

The sympathy of the Lodge has been extended to the bereaved families of: Bro. Herbert O. Mailander, Raised June 1921, Called Home May 19, 1971. Brother Edward Schroeder, Raised June 1920, Called Home May 26, 1971.

TRESTLEBOARD

Sept. 8 - Business Meeting.
Sept. 22 - Official Visit.
Oct. 9 - Euchre Tournament at Temple.
Oct. 11 - Tentative date for Buffalo Visitation.



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Brethren:

One of life's frustrations is penning a letter when news is apparently as scarce as hens teeth.

Weening myself from a pleasurable summer season I look optimistically to our Fall program. As you read this you probably have your Labor Day Weekend all prepared. I trust you all had a good summer and are tan and lean (that last word should not be in my vocabulary).

September means 1st and 3rd Tuesdays with Fellowcraft Club in between for good measure. Follow this prescription and you will experience a more rounded life.

Our official visit this Fall has been rescheduled to our November 16th communications. Thus on September 7th we will have the pleasure to hear our Executive Director Wor. Bro. Odell B. Kelly expound on "we Are Our Brother's Keepers." He may even give us a personal note on how well the Wheel Chair our Lodge and Fellowcraft Club gave to the Masonic Service Bureau last June.

Did you know that Bro. Chet Johnson's address was the Highland Hospital for a brief period in August? Happily he was disappointing the nurses by leaving in less than a week stay! When I saw him he looked like he enjoyed being waited on and being a man of leisure.

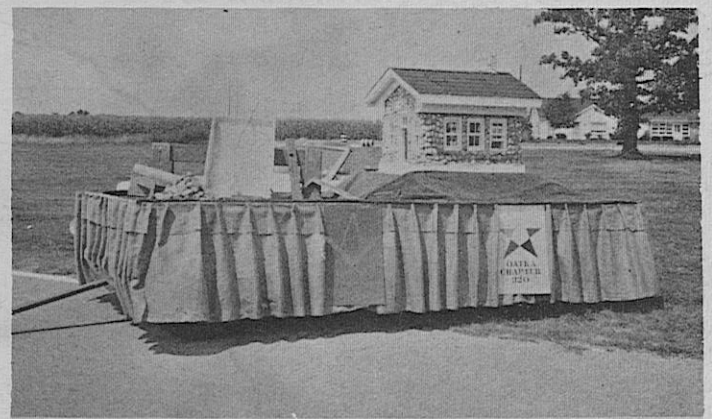
Married life must be agreeing with Wor. Bro. John De-Visser. He appeared like he was at peace with the world when I saw him at a Nurseryman's outing. In fact he informed me that he has decided to have his lovely wife start cutting the grass by moving from their apartment to a home. Need any help with the landscaping John?

The Smith's enjoyed a nice tour through New England and the Maritimes in July. We had beautiful weather to match the countryside. Don't ask me about mufflers and transmissions however. Likewise S.W. Harold Dobson enjoyed camping in Watertown this summer, but don't ask him about kitty litter!

Our illustrious sec. Wor. Bro. James Nielsen desires to have everyone under the dues paid column. ARE YOU?

My wife reminds me the O.E.S. Constellation Chapter #329 has their annual Harvest Dinner and Bazaar scheduled September 23, 5:30 to 7 at the Penfield Fire Hall. Our sisters have been busy all summer working on crafts for sale. The suppers of recent years have been sell outs, so don't miss this one.

Best way to end this patter is with this. (period)



150th Anniversary Parade float entered by Oatka Lodge

OATKA LODGE
No. 759
2nd & 4th Wednesday

Brethren:

During the summer just past, the Town of Wheatland celebrated its 150th Anniversary and held festivities for the full week of August 1st - 7th. Oatka Lodge participated in this celebration by planning and entering a float in the Grand Parade which was held on the final day, Saturday. The float depicted a miniature cobblestone building, a type of building that was put up by stone masons as the Erie Canal was. We tried to show the tools of the craft in position just as the masons completed their work. A picture of the float appears in this issue of the news. It was well received and came close to taking first prize. It reflected to the credit of Masonry and of our Lodge.

During the five days that a carnival was held, our Lodge had a clam booth in an effort to raise money. We would have liked to make more but the Lodge is financially further ahead because of the dedication on the part of a few members who worked hard in the preparation and during those 5 days. At the risk of missing some who worked when I didn't see them, I'd like to thank the following: W: Brs. Lindemuth Murphy, Livingstone, Ralston, Brs. Redmond, Hise, Moore, Gath, Laydon, Abbott, and Glassman. If I have missed any, please forgive me, and my thanks. I was elsewhere when you were there.

Our second meeting in Sept. (22nd) will be a 3rd Degree. Lodge opening at 7 P.M. - with Monroe Lodge, Brockport putting on the Second Section. We'll be pleased to see as many Brothers as can come. The early start is so we won't be in Lodge too late.

TRESTLEBOARD

Sept. 22 - Third Degree. Cordially,
Burt Brown, Master

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Brethren:
I hope everyone had an enjoyable summer. We must return to our labor. A few of us have been doing work outside of the Lodge and in the basement. A few do the work, it seems.

Bro. Ron Morthorst is trying to fix up the basement, but there are not many Brothers who will come out on a Tuesday night to help us.
W: Bro. Ray Cleveland is ill. Also, R: W: Bro. Joe Raab, Bro. Bob Sauerteig, and Bro. Mel Simmons have been ill but all are feeling better. These brothers would appreciate your cards. Also, I wish good health to any Brother who has been ill that I did not hear of this summer.
Your Master,
Harold W. Gruschow

Officers Meeting to be held Tuesday, September 14 - 7:15 sharp!

TRESTLEBOARD

- Sept. 7 - Fellowcraft Business Meeting.
- Sept. 14 - Open Meeting.
- Sept. 21 - Work Night.
- Sept. 28 - 1st Degree-Sr. Warden in the East.
- Oct. 2 - Steak Roast Annual Steak Roast at the Lodge. Tickets available from any officer or call 334-4196. Donation still \$4.00 each.

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

Bro. Richard Beresford, Jr. in June. Bro. Allen Clarke in July.
Fraternally,
Ron Morthorst

information will be forthcoming.

Brother Donald Hollenbaugh is in the Veteran's Domicile, Bath, N.Y. Brother Erle Laing is confined at home with a broken hip. Brother Arthur Case is in Rochester General Hospital. These brothers would all appreciate cards to cheer them up.

CALLED HOME BE THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

Brother Carl Stallman passed away May 28th, 1971. Brother F. Herbert McGee passed away May 31st, 1971. A Masonic Service was conducted by Ancient Craft. Brother William S. Fisher passed away June 28th, 1971. Brother Frank Harris passed away August 1st, 1971. A Masonic Service was conducted by Ancient Craft Lodge.

Our September meeting will be held on September 8th and it will be an open meeting. I am looking forward to seeing you all there.
Fraternally,
Earl C. Branch, Master

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ETOLIAN LODGE No. 479
2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren:
It doesn't seem possible that this year could be going so fast but never the less our summer recess is over and its time to put the working tools of Masonry back in action.

It is my sincerest hope that each and every one enjoyed a happy and safe vacation. We have had a busy and I hope somewhat successful year but your officers still have a full schedule ahead of them.

We have a full class for the three degrees, along with that - Stanley Lodge requested us to exemplify a Third degree when we visit them Nov. 6th. Everyone is aware of the work that is involved in degree work - so I am asking you for your support in any way that you can help. So don't be bashful step forward and volunteer. The more that become involved the easier and more enjoyable the meetings become for everyone.

I would like to thank all the members that helped in making our summer picnic a success. Especially Bro. Rudig, Bro. File and Bro. Livenstone.

COMING EVENTS

- Sept. 13 - Open Meeting
- Sept. 27 - 1st degree
- Oct. 11 - Official visit by D.D.G.M. R:W: Bro. Donald E. Rockcastle.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Bro. Clarence Kelly is improving in St. Mary's hospital after a long serious illness. W.B. Clark Kunes home after a minor repair job. Bro. Charles Schnapp at home. Bro. Duade E. Colvin improving after an auto accident. Bro. James Martin home after surgery.

Our sympathy extended to W.B. Sterling Peckham on the loss of his mother.

Masonic Funeral services were held for Bro. Wallace F. Waters called home by the Great Architect on June 11, 1971. We extend our sympathy to his family.
Fraternally,
Ray Burroughs

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This first issue of the Monroe County Masonic News for the fall season brings greetings from the Master and Officers, and they hope that each and every one of you have had pleasant vacations.

Please set aside the month of September for the Lodge. The first meeting is important insofar as we must discuss some very important matters. The second meeting will be devoted to a Dinner and Reception for R:W: Roger Lowry who has been appointed Grand Director of Ceremonies, of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York. We plan a Roast Beef Dinner at the Presbyterian Church, next door to the Lodge, the cost of which will be \$3.50, after which the apron presentation at Lodge will be made by his Dad, Earl Lowry. This is a very important evening and it is hoped that each of you will make a very special effort to attend. The date is September 16th. The time is 6:30 P.M.

During July, the 24th, we had our family picnic at Mendon Pond Park, and although it rained part of the time, we had a good time. The dishes of food contributed by the ladies was excellent as was attested by the fact that most present had "seconds." To all who attended, a special thank you from the committee, Frank R. McConnell and Lauri McConnell. To those who couldn't make it, you missed a good time.

The Master received a communication from Grand Lodge Secretary, R:W: Wendell K. Walker during the summer announcing the appointment of R:W: Harry H. Kennedy, Vice Chairman of the Brotherhood Fund Drive for the coming year of the Second Monroe District. Congratulations to you Harry and much success.

The Brotherhood Fund drive just ended, which activity was led by W: Louis R. Girke Sr. was most successful. Grand Lodge informed the Master that the Lodge had a participation rate of 72%. To all who contributed a sincere thank you for a job well done. Northfield was second highest in the District because of this effort, and we are most proud. Thanks for a job well done Lou, your Lodge is grateful!

Next years Chairman is William Ramsdale, give him your wholehearted support in this effort. Bill is well liked

FRANK L. SIMES LODGE
No. 990
2nd Tuesday

Brethren:

It seems as though another summer is drawing to a close. I hope that each of you have had a very enjoyable season. September is the month that everything seems to start up again. Company meetings, bowling leagues and sundry other things. I hope each and every one of you will make a special effort this Fall to attend at least one of your Lodge meetings.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

W: Bro. J. Clifford Lesslie is in the Veterans Hospital, Batavia, N.Y.

If any Brother knows of a Brother in sickness or distress please contact the W: Master, Secretary or any Lodge Officer.

In memory of - Hector Harmon who passed on July 3, 1971.

COMING EVENTS

Sept. 7 - Officers meeting at the home of W: Bro. Gary E. Lind, 2071 Latta Rd.

Sept. 11 - Fellowcraft Clambake, Bro. Ike Schippers Cottage, Kendall, N.Y.

Sept. 14 - Regular Lodge meeting, 7:45 P.M.

Sept. 21 - Fellowcraft Meeting. Place to be announced.

Oct. 2 - 2nd Annual Lodge Clambake. This event is for couples and will be held at Ellison Park.

Fraternally,
Gary E. Lind, Master

and will surely prove to be a success. Help him, and remember, its not what you give that is most important, but that you do gove to help those Brothers and Sisters who need your support in their twilight years.

By the time you receive this message, you will notice that the downstairs area will have been or will be in the process of being painted. The Eastern Star Chapter is attempting this job, and if any of the men can spare some time to help with the heavier work, they will appreciate it.

Last but not least, a Clam Bake is planned for Sept. 11th and you know how Harry Kennedy cooks clams. Now - don't eat for a few days before this event - leave plenty of room for clams, wear a size larger pair of pants, and get in touch with him cause he can't do it all alone.

See you at Lodge, bring a brother with you, don't forget these dates - mark them on your calendar. Take care of yourselves we need you, we have a lot to do before the end of the year. George

FLOWER CITY LODGE
No. 910
2nd Tuesday

Dear Brethren,

The days and weeks have passed quickly and I hope enjoyably so that our Summer now draws to a close and we can again look forward to the High Holidays and the busy programs being planned for Fall and Winter. I am certain there will be much to relate to each other after a full and eventful few months of vacation.

By the time this appears our annual picnic will be history, and our social event of the summer a happening. All too soon after Labor Day the Lodge again begins to function with its regular communications and other planned entertainment.

Flower City Lodge will hold its first communication on Tuesday September 14th, 1971 at 7:30 P.M. at the Masonic Temple. We are honored on that evening with the visitation of District Deputy Grand Master Right Worshipful Brother Donald E. Rockcastle who will bring the message form The Grand Master of the State of New York. I urge you all to attend what should prove to be an interesting and entertaining meeting.

We extend our sympathy to Worshipful Bro. Hy Goldstein, Bro. Arnold Goldstein, Wor. Bro. Joseph Goldstein and to their family on the passing of Rt. Wor. Max A. Goldstein. To Bro. Lester Levin and to his family on the passing of Bro. Norman Levin. To Major Bro. Bernard I. Weltman on the passing of his father. To Wor. Bro. Ellis I. Hormats on the passing of his wife, Helen. To Bro. Jacob Neudorfer on the passing of his wife.

Our congratulations to Bro. Cantor Samuel Rosenbaum who has been honored for 25 years of service with Temple Beth El; To Bro. William W. Lewis and his family on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Scott Alan; To Bro. Alfred P. Gupp and family on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Marci Beth; To Bro. Martin Lukacher and family on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Aaron; To Bro. Maurice Solomon and family on the Bar Mitzvah of their son: Richard; To Rt. Wor. Bro. Phillip Averbach and family on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Gail; To Wor. Joseph Goldstein who was honored by the Jewish National Fund at a dinner launching a Rochester Community Forest in Israel; To Bro. and Mrs. Leslie Tanzman on the engagement of Miss Deborah Scheckman of Manhasset, L.I. to their son, Murray; To Bro. Stanley and Roslyn Levinson on the forthcoming marriage of their son, Howard.

We pray for a speedy recovery from the recent surgery for Bro. David Berger; for Wor. Bro. Lenord Wolk; for Joan Osur, wife of Bro. Richard Osur.

Fraternally yours,
Stan S. Weingart, Master

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No. 1088
1st and 3rd Tuesdays

FROM THE SOUTH

Does it appear to you that the summers seem to be getting shorter, although at other times it has been a long time since we have seen our friends.

Our first meeting in Sept. will be the 7th, an open meeting. If the operations go according to plan we will call this meeting Golfer's Nite. We are to receive the trophy from Yonnandio Lodge for winning the Golf Match also from the Pontiac Motor Corp. Films of the Augusta Masters Championship. Maybe a little liquid refreshment would go good, especially if it is a hot night.

Jr. Warden

SECRETARY'S NOTEBOOK

IN MEMORIAM

Bro. Paul P. Kinch, riased Nov. 18, 1947, died June 17, 1971.

Bro. Earl L. Hughs, raised March 15, 1960, died August 7, 1971.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

During the summer recess, Bro. Carl Matthews lost his father, Bro. Robert Brindley lost his mother and Bro. Edwin Wise lost his wife Esther. Cards expressing the sympathy of our members were sent to these Brothers as well as to the families of our two departed Brothers.

During the summer a few of our Brothers were also laid up due to illnesses. Bro. Bill Denise, Jr. met an unfortunate swimming accident and is now in the Rochester General Hospital after undergoing spinal surgery. Bro. Denise will be laid up for quite awhile and therefore would appreciate cards and visits. It is good to know that Bro. Jack Riess is now up and around after surgery as well as Bro. Norm Standing. I am afraid that there were others about whom I did not know about. To all of you I hope that you will all enjoy good health real soon!

Our first communication will be on Sept. 7th and will be an open meeting. A First Degree for our 4th class will be held on Sept. 21st. With a special communication being held on Sept. 28th. The Second Degree for our third class of candidates will be held that evening. This class deserves your support, so make it a must.

It seems as though I am echoing "DOC" Vaughans previous columns but, there are still far to many dues cards to be picked up for 1971. Please attend to this obligation if you have not already done so!

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YONNONDIO LODGE
No. 163
1st and 3rd Tuesdays



MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:
It is indeed a pleasure to welcome you all back to Lodge after a summer vacation that seemed to fly by much too fast.

The time has now come to "get back into the harness" and support of fraternity with more enthusiasm, now that we've had our summer "siesta".

The calendar of events is starting to swell and I hope we have your loyal support of the program planned for the coming year.

At our first meeting in September, we will be honored by one of our own brethren, Brother Bob Palmatier, who is a teacher of archery. Bob will give us talk on archery as well as an actual demonstration. (Watch out for flying arrows!!!) Don't miss this interesting night.

Our second meeting will be a class of candidates for the First Degree. Junior Warden Len Morrissette will confer this degree.

I am sorry to report that the golf match between Yonnondio and Charlotte Lodge. They had all the Arnie Palmers, and I guess we had just a little less. The trophy will be awarded to them at their first lodge meeting in September. Oh well, we'll just have to wait until next year!!

The donkey baseball scheduled for September 18th has been cancelled due to conflicting dates between Yonnondio and Batavia Lodges. Look for a re-scheduled date in the next issue.

Our Lodge has been re-decorated -- Come and See the New and Bright Surroundings. See you soon.
Fraternally,
Everett E. Hoak, Master

FELLOWCRAFT NEWS

No news is good news. Since this is the start of a new year, we Fellowcrafters must once again get "our feet on the ground to make the rounds." If you are not a member and are interested, call Carl Uttrup at 328-4383 or V.P. Bob Laney, 225-7337, who will be most happy to answer any questions.

TRESTLEBOARD

Sept. 7 - Demonstration of Archery skills by Brother Bob Palmatier

Sept. 21 - First Degree

Sept. 28 - Fellowcraft Club

Oct. 8 - 7 P.M. - Testimonial and Apron Presentation for R:W: Paul Thone at Ricks Prime Rib House, 788 Howard Road. Menu - Prime Ribs or Stuffed Lobster Tail. Cost \$7, includes gratuities. Reservations must be in by Oct. 4th, limit 100. Please call Ed Hoak 436-2853 after 6 P.M. or Robert Youmans 225-9680.



On our June 1st Communication, had the honor of accepting a contribution from newly raised Brother, Howard McFiggins to the Brotherhood Fund. His donation was a savings of pennies that he had made during the months prior to the Third Degree -- this is certainly a donation "above and beyond the call of duty."

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Cedar Chips:

The lazy, hazy days of summer that we all enjoy so much are fast fading away. All of you, I trust, had a most relaxing summer.

Since our picnic in June things have been very quiet.

Our fall activities will start with our September meeting, on Thursday the 23rd at Fame Lodge Hall. Before then you will receive a flyer giving all the details of our Annual Clam Bake to be held at the Party House on Beahan Road on Saturday Oct. 2nd. This is the high light of our fall social activities, and guests are more than welcome. Naturally this includes our ladies, who are a vital part of all our social events.

Our bowling team urgently needs two enthusiastic bowlers to complete our roster. This will give us a 7 man team so that each of us can enjoy an occasional night off. We bowl in the Masonic Gothic League at Clover Lanes on Wednesday nights at 9:30 P.M. Contact any member of our team - Vern Bishop, Dick Holden, Frank Smith, Elden Tripp or captain Guy Williams.

Fraternally,
Guy D. Williams, G:T.C.

Hi Cedarettis:

Hope you had a wonderful restful summer. We saw a great many of you and yours at our annual picnic at Lorraine Harrington's lovely home on Honeoye Lake home on Honeoye Lake. Thanks Lorraine for your hospitality.

We will get the fall season started with our usual barbecue on Sunday Sept. 12th at Stuart Lodge in Mendon Ponds Park. Betty Fedrau will be sending you cards with all the pertinent information. See you there.

Cedarettely,
Yer Prez. D.Z.

GERMANIA LODGE OF PERFECTION



3rd Tuesday

Greetings Brethren:

It is my wish that you all had a good summer and that your vacation revitalized your spirit. We hope to have a good year with a large class of candidates. We need those petitions!

At the Annual Meeting in May, the Lodge set dues at \$5.50 per year. Please be prompt with your payment, as the assessments are automatic and we need the funds.

Your continued support is solicited and very welcome. Please attend and help welcome our new members.

Fraternally,
Edmund K. Lange
Thrice Potent Master

TRESTLEBOARD

Sept. 21 - 7:30 Fourth Degree

Oct. 19 - 7:30 Fifth and Sixth Degree

MASTERS AND WARDENS

The summertime activities of the Masters and Wardens are now concluded and from all reports, each one of them was a big success. The Family Picnic at Churchville Park on June 12 was well attended, and Don Leisten and his committee are to be congratulated for the fine job they did in providing a good time for all. The Masters group had a Family Picnic and a Steak Roast this summer and both events were well attended and enjoyed by all (except the losers in the Euchre games). The Sr. Wardens and the Jr. Wardens each had a Splash Party this summer and we understand that everyone had a great time and got wet one way or another.

The first meeting of the Fall is scheduled for Saturday, September 25, at Fame Lodge on Culver Rd. in Irondequoit. The men will have dinner at 6:30 at the Lodge followed by the meeting. The wives will be dining at restaurants in the area. Later in the evening the three groups will be socializing at the following homes: Masters at Cliff and Liz Hayner's, Sr. Wardens at Maurice and Sara Solomon's, Jr. Wardens at John and Karen Dense's.

JENNIE M. LORD CONSTALLATION #5

The Semi-annual Installation of officers of the Jennie M. Lord Constellation of Junior Stars was held in Cathedral Hall on June 5, 1971. The Installing officer was W. Mary Lou C. Spencer, and the Assisting Sponsors were Past Exalted Stars, Darlene S. Spears and Kristin Ball.

The following officers were installed:

Exalted Star of Light and Love, Miss Mirla Carol Shuetz; Star of Happiness, Miss Brenda Miller; Star of Mercy, Miss Sharon Switzer; Star of Kindness, Miss Lydia Birr; Star of Records, Miss Sue Minkoff; Star of Treasures, Miss Holly Partyka; Star of Reliance, Miss Kristin Ball; Star of Guidance, Miss Wendy Olson; Star of History, Miss Debbie Foote; Star of Music, Miss Debbie Weatherill; Star of the Nation, Miss Carol Birr; Star of Protection, Miss Brenda Johncox; Star of Devotion, Miss Linda Briars; Star of Truth, Miss Debbie Spatzer; Star of Friendship, Miss Carol Reitschky; Star of Faith, Miss Sue Felgner; Star of Sincerity, Miss Doreen Johncox; Star of Service, Miss Chris Buck; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Debbie Hawes.

Our new Exalted Star has as her Presiding Sponsor R.W. Mary Jane Thompson, "Aunt Midge."

As part of her installation evening, our Exalted Star chose to honor our beloved "Aunt Jean" Hudnutt who is retiring and moving to Florida. A beautiful degree was presented to Aunt Jean telling of the ways she has helped and inspired all the Constellation girls. She was then presented with her BARS for her active participation through the years.



Picture of group of officers Jennie M. Lord Constellation #5

TERM PLANS

Sept. 4 - Regular meeting 8 P.M. Room B Petitions
Sept. 17 - Progressive Dinner 6:30 P.M. prior to Get Together Exalted Stars 184 Travers Circle

Oct. 2 - Birthday Banquet 6 P.M. Star Dining room 7:30 Business meeting Balloting, Homecoming and reception for Grand Officer Elaine Yarger 8 P.M.

Oct. 15-16 - Charity Bazaar Greece Towne Mall

JAMES A. HARD POST #18 MASONIC WAR VETERANS



2nd Thursday

It's that time of year again when we again make plans for a busy Masonic year. Our Commander, Terry Flagg is looking forward to each and every member participating in some of our activities this year. Our first meeting of the Fall season will be held on Sept. 9th. BE THERE! 8 P.M. sharp.

This year we will have a wonderful opportunity to travel with both District Deputies but, especially R:W: George L. Wetzel, District Deputy Grand Master of the 2nd Monroe District. George has been an active member of our Post since it's formation having gone through our officer line and one who has always had the interest of the Post at heart. He will be looking forward to our escorting him on many of his official visits.

Our Masonic Supply activities are in need of some promotions so, speak about them at your Lodge meetings and let your Lodge Officers know about them.

Due respect was made on July 15th to the memory of James A. Hard. Eight members were present at his graveside on the occasion of his birthday.

Beginning on Sunday, Oct. 10th, we will be assisting with the Ward Parties at the Veterans Hospital at Canandaigua. We could always use more members at these parties. It is a real expression of your Masonic obligation and above all, a rewarding experience. Why not give it a try?

See you all on Sept. 9th!



Line Officers Jennie M. Lord Constellation left to right, Star of Kindness Miss Lydia Birr, Exalted Star of Light and Love Miss Mirla Carol Shuetz, Star of Happiness Miss Brenda Miller, and Star of Mercy Miss Sharon Switzer.

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WEBSTER CHAPTER

No. 296

Royal Arch Masons

Companions & Brethren:

I sincerely hope that every one had an enjoyable and pleasant summer vacation. With the month of September upon us plans for our fall activities have to begin and sometimes they are not as easy for us all to accept. The Chapter had enjoyed many activities since our last report in the Monroe Masonic News. Our combined Picnic with Ionic Chapter and Cyrene Commandery was very successful at the Webster Park on June 22nd. Over 60 companions Knights and their wives and family enjoyed the fine weather, the abundance of food, fun and companionship.

It was indeed a pleasure to have Rt. Ex Frank Gordineer Grand Master of the Second Veil of the State of New York as our guest speaker at our Master Mason Night, also to our newly awarded Meritorious Companion Earl E. Smith. The Companions and officers of the Chapter had a Farewell party for our King, Ivory Fish, who moved to Mass. to take on a new position there; we will miss Ivory and his wife Dorothy, but we wish them lots of luck in their new home. Companion Bob Wyble is recovered very well from his operation and I look forward to seeing him back in the Chapter. Webster Chapter has finally completed the pool tournament and our champion pool player is Jim Eaton, our Sentinel.

Webster Chapter was in deep sorrow to lose it's Chaplain Ex Companion Milton Hallauer who journeyed to the many mansions on June 20, 1971. Ex Companion Milton Hallauer was a Past Master of Webster Lodge and a true and faithful servant to Masonry.

Our next meeting will be on Sept. 14, 1971 at which time we will act upon the petitions for our new candidates. Sept. 28, 1971 the members of Webster Chapter will attend and participate in the Grand Lectures Convention at Ionic Chapter 210. Webster Chapter will welcome any Master Mason who is seeking more light in Masonry so please send the petitions in so we can act accordingly.

or as many as can, at our conclaves this fall. We need your support in our efforts to further the Knight Templars in their effort to do the good work which they are endeavoring to do. It really is worth all the effort put forth. He who helps himself to rise is blessed ten fold in the end. It always comes out to our advantage to do good where ever it is needed.

Our Recorder is happy again and that is pleasing to us. Can't do business without some of that green stuff you know.

Fraternally yours,
Em. Comm. Horace C. Porter
Em. S. Roy E. Huff, Reporter

**MONROE
COMMANDERY**

No. 12

KNIGHTS
TEMPLAR

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1st and 3rd Fridays

Sir Kts. - the first conclave will meet Sept. 10th in Ionic Hall (Room C) Masonic Temple at 7:30 P.M. (Note the one-week-later date than the regularly scheduled 1st Fri. in the month). This change is to avoid a conflict with the eve beginning Labor Day weekend holiday marks the close of summer recreational activities.

Grand Commandery Conclave approaches us very soon (Sept. 17th, 18th and 19th). Let us begin to actively plan to support Walter G. Fatch, Eminent Past Commander of Monroe #12 and Zone Commander of Zone #11 who has faithfully served as Monroe's Recorder and Templary in countless ways, who was at the June 4th Conclave unamously endorsed as a candidate for the Grand Commandery Line of Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, State of New York. I'm sure all Past Commanders and Council Officers of Zone #11 will join Monroe #12 in being present at Grand Commandery Sept. 17th, 18th and 19th to support Eminent Sir Kt. Walter G. Fatch (Zone Commandery of Zone #11) to vote for, and insure the success of our Candidate who so richly deserves this great honor.

Your Commander wishes to appeal to all members who can possibly attend our next conclave Sept. 10th, to meet for the purpose of assuming a share of the duties which are incidental to the hosting of the Zones #11 thru #13 at the Fall Festival to be held Nov. 20th here in Rochester Cathedral Hall. Monroe #12 and Cyrene #39 are Co-hosts. Our Jr. Past Commander of Monroe, Em. Sir Kt. Chas. L. Brown is Chairman of the Committee. The details require much help from every Sir Kt. in Zone #11. Our Excellent Prelate Em. and Rev. William J. Plews is in charge of the entire program in general, and Order of the Temple in detail. We need you all in one or more capacities.

Monroe Commandery #12 has the following members who have become very ill recently:

Our Excellent Prelate and Em. Past Commander, Sir Kt. Joel J. Johnson is undergoing treatment and later surgery, in General Hospital (Northside) at the present time; Most Excellent Companion and Sir Kt. Clarence (Pete) Grabb has suffered a severe fall, and has three broken ribs as well as multiple bruises. He is now recovering at home; Wor. Bro. and Sir Kt. Raymond Cleveland is patient in Strong Memorial Hospital for diagnostic tests and treatment.

Sir Kts., your Commander has shifted a considerable work load upon the shoulders



IONIC CHAPTER

No. 210

Royal Arch Masons

Brethren:

The High Priest, Robert Goodwin, hopes that each of you had a safe and enjoyable summer vacation. Now for the fall activities:

Sept. 14th, open meeting. Preparation for the 27th District Lecture Convention, of which we are the Host.

Sept. 28th, 27th District Lecture Convention. Won't you please come out and help make this a successful affair?

What is Freemasonry? "Masonry is a quieting experience like the whisper of a summer breeze. It is like the stealthy patter of July raindrops; yet, it fascinates like the roar of a waterfall -- the rumbling of distant thunder. It lights our way like a flash of sheet lightning in a dark night. It inspires confidence like the rhythmic pulsation of a marching column. It spreads a serenity like that of your own living room when you are doing just what you want to do. Its philosophy and lessons permeate one's very soul as surely as a ageless glacier moves toward the plain. Its beauties and allegories leave you entranced like your first eager but cautious scan from the rim of Grand Canyon." Kenneth R. Snyder, Correspondent

of our Generalissimo, Sir Kt. Ivan H. Ball to whom I wish to publicly express my great appreciation for his fidelity to duty and greater and still moral support. Your Commander asks you to cooperate in whatever commitments be requests at the earliest possible time for reservations in every case where returns are required.

Lets not delay getting our candidates lined up in so far as possible ready for Hamilton Chapter's degrees - the first of which begins October 28th (M.M.M. Degree). If you find conflicts in dates thereafter, remember sister chapters in this area are willing to resolve those conflicts, and confer degrees for your candidates. Bear in mind Monroe #12 and Cyrene #39 are co-hosts and Ionic Chapter, as are all in our area, is working together on the festival of Nov. 20th.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept. 10 - Conclave of Monroe #12 in Ionic Hall (Room #5)

Sept. 17, 18, 19 - Grand Commandery Conclave, Buffalo-Statler Hilton (Are Your Reservations In?)

Sept. 29 - Zone #11 School of Instruction - Held at Canandaigua, N.Y. (All Officers Be There)

Oct. 1 - Monroe Commandery #12 Conclave - Reports on Grand Commandery, and Congratulations to Em. Sir Kt. Walter G. Fatch on his election.

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HAMILTON CHAPTER

NO. 62

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Dear Companions:

I trust that each of you had a most pleasant and enjoyable summer and a reasonably busy one.

Now we are at the beginning of the Fall Season. How time marches on. Your High Priest has only a few months more of activity, and I invite, nay urge your help to make them successful by your encouragement and attendance.

The meeting on September 9th will be devoted to a discussion of plans for the remainder of the year. There will also be a program under the auspices of Comp. Melvin Simmons, Master of the Third Veil. On September 23rd, the program will be arranged by Comp. Richard McConnel, Master of the Second Veil.

During October and November we hope to confer the Chapter degrees. For these we need your help. Won't you talk up York Rite Masonry to your Masonic friends, and invite them to present Petitions. Your High Priest will be very, very grateful. Herman A. Sarachan High Priest

SECRETARY'S NOTES

The "ME" Club picnic at Henri Projanski's farm was a highlight of the summer. Thanks to our President and Vice President Wally Losinger and Richard McConnel the program and food was number one. No picnic could be a success without the help of Secretary Les Brown. If you missed this one, better plan to attend next year.

Two additional dates to remember this month. September 23rd, the Mark Master Degree. Let's swell the ranks of the class of candidates already forming. September 28th the Grand Lecturer's Convention for the 27th Lecture District is scheduled to be in Cathedral Hall.

Glad to hear Ray Cleveland is home from the hospital. Rumor tells me Mel Simmons had a heart attack this summer, but back on his feet. Bill Plews under the weather early this summer, but all ok now. Joel Johnson has had an operation this summer. Trust he is well on the road to recovery now. Any other Companions ill this summer? If so, the news didn't get to my desk. We all hope Bertha Allen, wife of our Past High Priest, Stephen Allen is improving.

With sadness I announce the death of the following Companions this summer: F. Herbert McGee, Exalted June 13, 1957, Died May 31, 1971; David L. Willey, Exalted June 24, 1926, Died June 1, 1971; and Dr. William S. McCann, Exalted March 24, 1960, Died June 10, 1971. The sympathy of the Chapter has been extended to the families of our departed Companions.

To those still lacking a 1971 dues card, please remember to pay in September. See you in Chapter.

Fraternally,
Frank F. Gordnier



DAMASCUS NEWS

WITHIN THE BLUE LODGES

The Past Masters Degree Team has several available dates for Lodges having Third Degrees scheduled for fall. Call Brother Fred Nielsen at 266-2353 for reservations.



President Ferrari of the Monroe County Legislature presenting a Proclamation to Damascus Clowns Unit for their active work in the many worthwhile causes in our Community.

SHRINE PICNIC HUGE SUCCESS



Dr. Ward L. Ekas, his daughter and grandchildren pictured with Potentate Leonard L. Parker enjoying the Shrine family picnic.

One of the greatest Shrine Picnics was held on Wednesday August 11th at Dreamland Park - Sea Breeze. The weather was good and over 1800 attended. Everyone had a good time - eating; drinking; reminiscing and watching the children enjoy the many rides and the fun that they were having.

All Units turned out and every Unit helped to make it pleasant for the old and the young. Many thanks to Chairman Bud Pfeifer and George Long who did a great job with the help of others in getting the picnic together. Dick Dixon and his helpers registered everyone while Ernie Kepler took over the guessing games which were enjoyed by many. Out thanks also to the Legion of Honor headed by Howard Clark who did a great job on relieving the thirst of the many hundreds who had their hands out all of the afternoon and the evening. Walt Shafer and Paul Kopp sat all day giving out peanuts that the Committee had bagged the previous night. Also over 1800 ice cream dishes were given out by Elmer Metz and Nelson Alderman.

The Clown Unit was very well represented and added to the pleasure of many children and grown-ups. They passed out suckers and many toys and it was fun to see the little children open their eyes and smile when receiving the gifts.

The Yoshi Unit was represented by Chuck Lewis and they did an excellent job selling tickets for the Red Wing Baseball Night at Silver Stadium on Thursday August 19, 1971.

Kodak Square Club headed by Bob Vandenberg served over 900 real juicy tender steaks. Many thanks for everyone's effort and while the line was long - under the supervision of Harry Phillips and the Divan - Max Krause and Karl Lembke and the help of others - an excellent job was done in moving; serving and trying to please the people that were in line.

The Damascus Band directed by Noble JOHN was enjoyed by all. Our thanks to all who helped make this a real success.

We were honored by guests from far away places - Ada and Frank Durbin also Irv Phillips and his lovely wife from Florida.

Hope you will enjoy each other the rest of the year in the many chores and the pleasures that we have ahead of us in order to make DAMASCUS a real success in the coming years.

CECIL T. HILL



Left Photo: Fidelity Triangle new members - Linda Stopp, Sandra Ashley, Barbara Little, Rita Gouger, Deborah Horeth, Bonnie Borsching, Cindy Miller, Beloved Queen Mary Walker, Valerie Lickers, Jr., Advisor Dorothea Struck, and Lynne Vandenberg. Right Photo: 26 Members of Fidelity Triangle. Jr. Advisor Dorothea Struck; Beloved Queen Mary Walker; Past Queen Katherine Weimer; Past



Queen Doreen Farley; Judy Meagher; Sandra Nazario; Shirley Saxton; Susan Swope; Terry Sloan; Evelyn Heller; Carolyn Vanderweel; Dolores Hill; Lynda Barge; Kathy Dimino; Joyce Struck; Debra Mason; Elaine Watson; Patricia Walker; Bonnie Holzhauser; Kristine Greene; Renea Seeber; Susan Riley; Roberta Altamore; Cheryl Freitag; Dawn Meagher; Diane Beard.

Ladies Organization NEWS

UNIVERSITY STAR

Dear Sisters & Brothers:
Sure hope everyone had a wonderful summer and enjoyed the nice weather, relaxed and had a real good time.

Well the fall meetings will start and I hope we get more of our sisters also brothers out to the meetings.

Keep Sept. 30th open for our Smorgasbord. You will be contacted for food donations. This is the fall project. It is early but sure you will want to support the project. W. Ruth Ball is the Chairman, Co-Chairman W. Teddy Ford.

How fast this year has gone so far. Pretty soon my year will be over and tucked in my book of memories. As one of the highlights of my life.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

I have heard of no sickness, so I hope that All that were sick are well on the recovery list. And everyone knew, I hope, that W. Teddy Ford's Mother passed away.

Hope to see all of you in Sept. Lets surprise everyone, come out to the Sept. Meeting and keep on coming.

BIRTHDAYS

September: Laura Bachman, 13th; Karen Ball, 10th; Grace Brown, 13th; Louis Case, 24th; Doris Cooley, 25th; Deliha Faryna, 10th; Gladly Hackett, 17th; Norman Jermyn, 4th; Arlene Arnsberger, 22nd; Elizabeth Smith, 7th; Julia Thatcher, 25th; Richard Clark, 9th. October: Mary Louise Cornett, 18th; Doris Culver, 11th; George Haines, 18th; Helen Mattson, 31st; France Miller, 3rd; Gertrude Richl, 31st.

Happy Birthday to All of You. Remember all with cards.

All who attended our Picnic way back in June sure must of had a good time. Food was real good. Weather also. Thanks to W. Louis Pasch.

Because your Friendship Means So much I pray that you and I Will always keep close in touch.

Come out and enjoy our Fall Meetings.
Fraternally.

W:M: Helen M. Hayes
W:P: George Haines

FIDELITY TRIANGLE

April 15 - Fidelity served Temple Social Luncheon.

April 25 - Obligation Sunday, 20 attended.

May 1 - Rummage sale netted \$165.00

May 8 - Grand Matron's Visit. Delegations from Fidelity & Lilac Triangles presented donations & personal gifts. The Grand Matron greeted each girl personally.

May 15 - Fidelity presented Mother's Day Degree for Rochester Chapter.

May 16 - 30 attended Roller Skate Party.

May 17 - Our Beloved State Director, Most Worthy Rose E. Scherer, visited Lilac Triangle. A large attendance filled the hall.

May 31 - Fidelity marched in Memorial Day Parade.

June 5 - Paper Party at Kathy Weimer's netted \$40

June 6 - Sr. Advisor Mrs. Bandemer held a Triangle District Swim Party & Picnic at her home, attended by 90 people. Many thanks to Mrs. Bandemer for a wonderful party.

July 11 - 75 attended picnic at Ellison Park.

July 17 - Past Beloved Queen Kathryn Slack & William Schultz, were married in a lovely ceremony at Irondequoit United Church of Christ.

June 18 - A paper Party at Joyce Struck's netted \$45

TERM PLANS

Sept. 10 - Fidelity will present degree for Charlotte Chapter.

Sept. 11 - Regular meeting, Initiation.

Sept. 12 - Bowling party at Olympic Park.

Sept. 25 - Queens Term Dinner 6:00 P.M. \$1.00, meeting 7:30 P.M. followed by Square Dance.



Mrs. Rose E. Sherer and Mrs. Hazel Koch visit Lilac Triangle.



New Members of Lilac Triangle.

LILAC TRIANGLE

On May 17th Lilac Triangle No. 121 was honored by a visit from Mrs. Rose E. Sherer and her daughter Mrs. Hazel Koch. The Twenty-Third Psalm Degree was presented that evening.

June 14th found all the girls from Lilac Triangle No. 121 present to initiate nine new members.

Pictured are the new members standing left to right:


Martha Tarpinion, Marlene Smith, Valerie Smith, Susan Gurney, Linda VanZandt, Holly McConnell, Debra Arthur, Karen Braun, Kim McConnell.

Seated are as follows: Debra Leipold, Guardian; Mrs. Ver How, Jr. Deputy; Sharon Russell, Beloved Queen; Ruth Bandemer, Sr. Lady-in-Waiting; Linda Whitmark, Chaplain; Not shown - Sheila Spear, Jr. Lady-in-Waiting.

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