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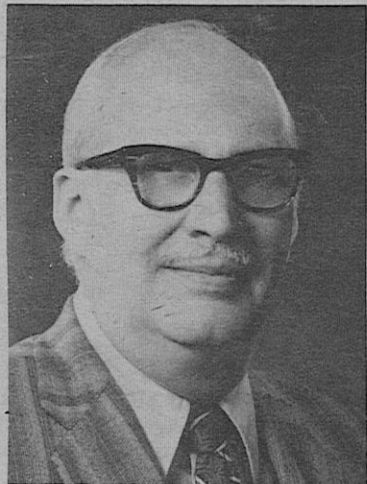
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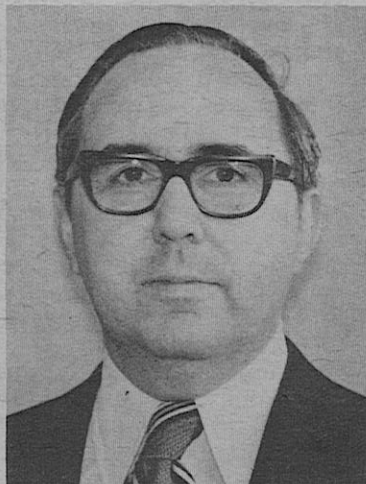
JUNE 1975

Dickinson and Avery New District Deputies

SCHATTNER and ORNE receive Staff Appointments



R:W: W. Kenneth Dickinson
D.D.G.M. 1st Monroe District



R:W: Robert W. Avery
D.D.G.M. 2nd Monroe District



R:W: Walter C. Schattner
Grand Steward



R:W: Robert K. Orne
Grand Sword Bearer

R:W: Bro. Dickinson lives at 63 Park Avenue in Brockport with his wife, Jean. They have two children; a son in Florida and a daughter who is town librarian in Huntington, N.Y. R:W: Bro. Dickinson retired as Assistant Manager of the Brockport branch of Lincoln First Bank in 1972. He was raised in Monroe Lodge No. 173 in 1943 by W: Eugene Stull, who later became a D.D.G.M. He served as Master in 1951 and since that time has been a Trustee of the Brockport Masonic Temple, serving as Chairman of that body for the past 2 years. He has been active in the Lions Club of Brockport, the Western Monroe Historical Society, and Brockport Presbyterian Church. His interests include bridge, gardening and cooking.

R:W: Bro. Avery hails from Carbondale, Penna., where he was Master Councilor of Palestine Chapter, Order of DeMolay and received the Order of Chevalier. He received a law degree from Cornell in 1953. He came to Rochester in 1955, where he established a private law practice. He joined the District Attorney's staff in 1967. A member of Hamilton Chapter, Doric Council, Monroe Commandery, Damascus Temple, and the Police and Firemen's Square Club, R:W: Bro. Avery was raised in Fame Lodge No. 945 in 1960, was Master in 1968, and served a 3-year term as Trustee. He and his wife, Barbara, reside at 133 Somershire Drive in Irondequoit with their 15 year old daughter. They have two sons in college.

R:W: Bro. Schattner was raised in Webster Lodge No. 538 in 1950, and was Master in 1960. He has been a Trustee of the Lodge since completing his Master's term, and is presently Chaplain. Although he was born in Macedon, N.Y., R:W: Bro. Schattner has been a resident of Webster for more than 30 years, and he and his wife, Ernestine, live at 746 Dewitt Road, in that village. They have three daughters, all married, and one grand-daughter. R:W: Bro. Schattner is a member of the West Webster Methodist Church, where he is retired from the Board of Trustees and now serves as Chairman of the Advisory Board. He has also served as Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Webster Community Chest. He is employed at Kodak.

R:W: Bro. Orne lives at 622 Bay Road in Webster with his wife, Gladys, and they have a married daughter, Nancy O. Watson. He is a retired Design Engineer from Kodak Park. He is a past officer of the West Webster Fire Department and Webster Little League. He attends Second Church of Christ, Scientist in Rochester.

R:W: Bro. Orne was raised in Wakan Lodge No. 1054 in 1950, served as Master in 1961, and is currently Treasurer of the Lodge. He received the 33° in 1971. He is a past Thrice-Potent Master of Germania Lodge of Perfection, past Most Wise Master, Knights of Rose Croix, past Grand Tall Cedar of Rochester Forest No. 133, Chairman of the Advisory Board of Rochester Chapter Order of DeMolay, DeMolay Honorary Legion of Honor, member of Damascus Shrine, and Assistant Grand Lecturer of the Second Monroe District. He is also a past President of both the Bureau of Masonic Education and the Masters and Wardens Association, and a Director of the Masonic Service Bureau.

GRAND MASTER RE-ELECTED

At the final session of the 194th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge held on May 8, 1975, the Most Worshipful Arthur Markewich was reelected and installed for a second term as the 83rd Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York. M:W: Bro. Markewich, who is an Associate Justice of the Appellate Division of the New York State Supreme Court, First Department, has previously served the Grand Lodge as Deputy Grand Master and as Grand Treasurer. At the same session, R:W: Albert W. Schneider of Illion, N.Y. in Herkimer County, was reelected and installed for a second term as Deputy Grand Master. R:W: LaVerne W. Getman continues as Senior Grand Warden, and R:W: John H. Wells continues as Junior Grand Warden.

Following the close of the Annual Communication, the Grand Master announced the appointment of R:W: W. Kenneth Dickinson as District Deputy Grand Master of the First Monroe District, and R:W: Robert W. Avery as District Deputy Grand Master of the Second Monroe District. Staff appointments announced by the Grand Master were R:W: Walter C. Schattner, Grand Steward, and R:W: Robert K. Orne, Grand Sword Bearer.

We congratulate these Brethren on their appointments and wish for them the very best in their coming year of service to the Fraternity. They will be formally invested by the Grand Master at the St. John's Day Service at the Masonic Home, Utica, on Saturday, June 21st.

A CHAIRMAN'S THANKS

The Freedom Train has come and gone, the excitement of the week is now a memory.

My "thanks", although this word seems hardly enough to all the people and organizations that contributed their time and talents to making this a very successful endeavor.

To the Shrine Pipers, my gratitude for an excellent job well done. To the Shrine Chanters, your group added that bit of Americanos the program needed. It was a great choice of selections. To the Masonic War Veterans, a splendid exhibition of Ceremonial excellence. Thanks men. To Bro. Bill Zufall, what

can I say. Without his assistance at the Market and in contacting the Grand Master, lining up the Master of Ceremonies, R:W: Frank Horton, and all the other dignitaries, there would not have been a program. To my committee for all their work, "great". To Don for scheduling "super", to the unloaders and loaders, "thanks". Last but not least, my fellow Senior Wardens and their lovely wives for keeping a sometimes lonely vigil for the entire week.

Fraternally,
Bill Baxter, Chairman
Masonic Program at the
Freedom Train for S:W:



FIDELITY TRIANGLE DONATES CHECKS AT INSTALLATION

The girls earned the money for these gifts by holding rummage sales, charity bazaars, waiting on tables, hat checking, collecting newspapers, selling candy, cookies, fruit-cakes and calendars. The retiring Queen presents the gifts from the money earned during her term.



W: William Zufall accepts \$125. for the Service Bureau and \$50. for the Monroe Masonic News from Beloved Queen Mary Ann Farrell.



R:W: Walter Lindemuth D.D.G.M. accepts \$200.00 for Brotherhood Fund from Beloved Queen Mary Ann Farrell.



W: M: Kenneth Hutchinson accepts a personal gift from Beloved Queen Mary Ann Farrell and her parents, for the Shrine Burns Institute in memory of "Shifty" Gears.

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LET'S GO VISITING

JUNE 1975

- 1 - Clio - Annual Communion Service at the Hilton Baptist Church. Pancake & Sausage Breakfast at the Lodge following the service.
 - 2 - Valley - Old Timer's Night.
 - 2 - J.A. Robertson - Past Masters Night - Dinner 6:30 P.M.
 - 3 - Charlotte - Open meeting with movies.
 - 3 - Yonnonadio - Wild Tie/ Shirt Night with entertainment.
 - 5 - Webster - Move-Up-Night and Short Shirt Night. Hot Dog Roast.
 - 6 - D.D.G.M. DINNER - honoring R.W: Septimius A. DiLauro and R.W: Walter Lindemuth at Logan's on Scottsville Road.
 - 6 - W.C. Hubbard - Open Lodge - Sr. Warden in East.
 - 9 - Wakan - Move-Up-Night and Sport Shirt Night. Strawberry shortcake.
 - 9 - Etolian - Third Degree.
 - 9 - Fame - Move-Up-Night and Sport Shirt Night.
 - 9 - Rochester - Past Masters Night.
 - 10 - Webster Chapter - Regular meeting-Euchre Tournament.
 - 10 - F.L. Simes - Open Lodge-First Degree.
 - 10 - Orpheus - Third Degree at 8 P.M.
 - 10 - Flower City - Open meeting - Sport Shirt & Joke Nite. Special refreshments.
 - 11 - Oatka - Third Degree.
 - 11 - Ancient Craft - Regular meeting - Sport Shirt Night. Strawberry shortcake.
 - 12 - Zetland - Third Degree by Shrine Past Masters Degree Team.
 - 12 - J.A. Hard Post - Post meeting - 7:30 P.M.
 - 17 - Yonnonadio - Regular meeting - "Abandoned Railroads for Recreation"-Wally Nielsen, Speaker.
 - 21 - St. John's Day at Utica, New York.
 - 23 - Fairport - Regular meeting - honoring Little League Baseball Team.
 - 28 - Interlodge Golf Tournament - Happy Acres Golf Club, Webster, N.Y.
- Have a Happy Summer.**

Dear Brethren:

My term as District Deputy is now over and as always there is much work left for my successor to do. It has been a busy year and I attended many events and Lodges. I thank all the people who extended such a warm welcome to me on these occasions and made my job a pleasure.

I have called on many Brothers to assist me in the past year and their cooperation has been great. The Grand Lodge Officers I've worked with are a credit to this Fraternity and real gentlemen. I have avoided mentioning names so far in fear of omitting someone but I must give two people special recognition. They are R.W: Walter Lindemuth who I have worked closely with from the beginning and R.W: Myron Dox who was such a help getting me started in the right direction. My sincere thanks to both these fine friends.

It has been my duty this year to appoint chairmen for numerous District Grand Lodge Committees. I want also to thank these Brothers for a job well done.

In my final report to the Grand Master, I said that Masonry is rolling again in our District. My travels this year have proven this to my satisfaction and my hope is that you will all realize this by getting out and actively supporting your Lodges.

During this year the Traveling Gavel has been held by the same Lodge for about seven months. It has moved seven times in the last seven months! Webster and Etolian Lodges brought and kept it in the First Monroe in April. Where next?

Once again I thank you all for your part in one of the most rewarding years of my life.

Fraternally,
Septimius A. DiLauro, D.D.G.M., First Monroe District

SEPTIMIUS A.
DI LAURO
D.D.G.M.
1ST MONROE
DISTRICT



Dear Brethren:

With the close of Grand Lodge which I attended with the 1975 Masters, my term as District Deputy Grand Master is about completed. The appointments of the new Grand Lodge Officers will be in this issue, and I urge you to give them the same support and cooperation we have received this year.

I have been truly blessed to have had R.W: Septimius DiLauro as an associate this year, I look forward for this relationship to continue for many years to come.

R.W: William Mason has been a help all year and I thank him for his loyalty. His chairmanship of the Brotherhood Fund for the Second Monroe was done efficiently and diligently, as I am sure the final results will prove.

I thank the Masters & Wardens Association for their support and the help they have been this year. May the friendships and fellowship continue as we travel on.

The Service Bureau and W: William Zufall are to be complimented for their services and the help they have been.

The A.G.L.'s of the First and Second Monroe have continued to do the same great job, we can be proud of the work of the schools and the people connected with them. Also, I would like to recognize the Monroe Masonic News and the cooperation from them this year.

In closing, may we walk amid the things of this world with eyes open to the beauty and glory of the eternal. Fraternally,

Walter A. Lindemuth, D.D.G.M., Second Monroe District

WALTER A.
LINDEMUTH
D.D.G.M.
2ND MONROE
DISTRICT



Interlodge Fellowship

The 1975 Annual Interlodge Golf Tournament will be held at the Happy Acres Golf Club, 440 Salt Road, Webster, N.Y. on Saturday, June 28th. Starting time from 8 A.M. till 10 A.M.

There will be a Buffet after the tournament is over but no later than 2:30 P.M. and beer will be served on the course.

Trophy and gifts will be awarded after the Buffet. Winners will be published in the Monroe Masonic News. All this and more for \$10.50 per person. Please send in your entry blank early, you may get the entry blank at your Lodge or send in this attached form.

I hope to see you at the Tournament.
Fraternally, John H. Decker, Chairman

Please send me _____ Copies of entry blanks.

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone No. _____

And mail to John H. Decker, 33 Cullens Run, Pittsford, New York 14534, or call me at 586-0648.

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

by Rev. William H. McKee

THE CHURCH DIRECTED HOME

In May, for the past half century, we have traditionally set aside the second Sunday to be observed as Mother's Day and a month later we tip our hats to the American Father. By comparison, the first has gone over much better than the June celebration. However in recent years, our religious leaders are emphasizing the whole family with one Sabbath set aside as the Festival of the Christian Family or whatever denomination you may be a part of. That is all to the good. When you divide any unit so that some are excluded, it detracts and divides which causes a weakening of that particular body. Galatian emphasizing unity 6:22 "Bear ye another's burdens and so fulfill the law of God". We are passing through a period of change and evolution in which the rights of many groups are being claimed and attainment sought immediately. Women's Rights amendment was daopted by Congress but still lack's a few states' affirmative vote to become part of the fabric of American law.

Women's rights are not a 20th Century innovation, for there have been many governments across the past vista of history where women ruled and men also ran. We do not have any newspapers or magazines extant from those long ago times and places which would tell us, but it is very likely that there was a men's liberation movement preceeding even as the opposite obtains today.

After any storm, there is always a time to clear up, reorganize, and go forward, each in his or her own way. The family is a unit in which everyone has special talents and abilities to share, some better than the others, but all together producing a most successful happy organization.

Our world is a great family endowed with differing gifts. We have varied resources, skills, aims, all of which when bound together, present a reflection of the great love and care of our one Creator, here on earth.

There is a great need of unity, that the families of the world, under the one Creator of all, may become one in living together, working together, and choosing brotherhood, all of mankind as a way of life.

Then the darkness of distrust, suspicion, and hatred will be replaced with the piercing bright love of our Heavenly Father - and we shall behold "A new Heaven and a new earth for the former shall have passed away."

TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON

MASONIC SERVICE BUREAU



ROCHESTER FOREST 133

The meeting of April 24th was preceded by a dinner at the Town Lounge. After a delicious prime roast of beef the meeting was continued at the home of the Grand Tall Cedar.

Coming events will be a bowling party at Dandrea's Bowling Hall on Lyell Ave. on May 31st and the stag picnic tentatively scheduled for June 17th at Elly Tripp's home in Webster. The members will be contacted by telephone for their reservations.

The Cedar Bowling team went to Binghamton in April where our own Senior Deputy Bob Johnson scored high games in both the singles scratch and in the handicap.

Called home by the Supreme Architect on April 30th was our Brother Charles Jutsum. In his passing the Fraternity has lost a dearly beloved Brother. He will be missed by everyone.

Have an enjoyable and secure summer vacation. I hope to see everyone in the fall. The first meeting will be Sept. 25th.

Fraternally,
Gene Brown, G.T.C.

CEDARETTES

We have had a good turnout for just about all our winter and spring meetings.

We hope to have a picnic this summer and members will be contacted by phone, have a good summer and we will start the fall season with a barbecue at the Brown's. Jean Ann Brown, President

I would like to extend a heartfelt thanks to all who supported our activities at the recent visit of the American Freedom Train. The generous contributions of time, effort and materials on the part of so many was indeed heartwarming. A very special thanks to Bro. Bill Baxter, Senior Warden of Churchville Lodge No. 667 for coordinating the extensive and valuable participation of the Senior Wardens group and generally chairing things for the whole week.

The annual picnic sponsored by Masonic Service Bureau for the underprivileged children at the Salvation Army Camp will be held on Saturday, July 16th. Camp Troutberg, along Lake Ontario just west of Hamlin Beach, is a beautiful spot for a picnic, playing games with the children, awarding prizes and distributing refreshments. The letters we received from the children last year were very touching and made us all feel that we had done something really worthwhile. Following the children's picnic, the volunteers enjoy their own picnic, including the use of the pool. We take our own picnic lunches, and the Salvation Army provides coffee. We need volunteers to help us on that day, so why not mark it on your calendar and plan to join us. We'd also appreciate it if you would call the Service Bureau at 473-4351 and let us know if you can help so that we will know how many volunteers we have. I assure you, it will be a very enjoyable and rewarding experience.

Fraternally,
William R. Zufall,
Executive Director

Family Style

ROAST BEEF DINNER

Livonia Lodge No. 778
Livonia, N. Y.

SUNDAY, JUNE 8
Noon til 3 P. M.

Adults \$3.00 - Children \$1.50



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. One of our members has been arrested and charged with a felony. What must we do?

A. The word "felony" is defined in the Handbook of Masonic Law (Sec. 7), as an offense which under the laws of the State of New York is punishable by death or incarceration in a state's prison, which constitutes a Masonic offense.

Since the Brother has just been charged, and has not been convicted nor pleaded guilty, there is nothing for the Lodge to do, but the Brother may withdraw from the Lodge. Likewise, if he pleads guilty to the charges, he may withdraw before sentence is imposed. (H.B. Sec. 1059.)

If he is convicted, he must be immediately suspended and the matter reported to the Grand Master, with all the facts. The Grand Master, at his discretion may order a Masonic trial by appointing three Trial Commissioners.

If the Brother should plead guilty, the matter should still be referred to the Grand Master, even if the Brother had withdrawn from membership. As a non-affiliate, he is still subject to Masonic discipline (H.B. Sec. 1058).

At the Masonic trial, the Grand Lodge Proctor serves as prosecuting attorney. The decision of the commissioners may be "innocent," or "guilty". If guilty, the sentence may be reprimanded, suspension or expulsion.

PAST MASTER'S SUPPER CLUB

Wor. Brothers:
The Past Master's Supper Club will hold its annual "splash party" for all Past Masters and their ladies on June 28th starting at 2:00 p.m. at the home of Wor. & Mrs. Bob Sanford, 30 Landing, Henrietta. For reservations, please contact any of the following:

- W: Ralph Gray at 624-3186.
- W: Harry Ketchum at 235-4215.
- W: Bill Buckman at 482-4382.

Have a safe and happy Summer and plan to join us at our next regular meeting on September 26th at the Moose Club on East Ave. Fraternally,
W: Jack S. Thibaut
President

DISTRICT DEPUTY DINNER

On Friday, June 6, 1975, the Past District Deputies of Monroe County are sponsoring a dinner honoring the retiring District Deputies, R:W: Septimus A. DiLauro and R:W: Walter A. Lindemuth.

Both of these men have done an outstanding job and we hope that you will be with us as we honor and show our appreciation for the service of these men to the Craft.

The dinner will be held at Logans on Scottsville Road. Make a reservation now thru your Master. Past District Deputies should make reservations with the chairman by calling 247-7766.
Fraternally,
R:W: Donald M. Walzer
Chairman

LODGE news and views

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



MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:

As you know, I attended Grand Lodge in New York City and what a wonderful experience it was and I'm real proud to have been your representative.

On June 21st we are having a Picnic in Ellison Park. On Sept. 20th our Annual Clam Bake at Ellison Park. Plan to join us for these outings.

On Sept. 15th we start our Fall session with an open meeting and a demonstration in High Speed Photography.

For those of you that can't attend these summer events, let me wish you the best summer ever.
Fraternally,
Daniel Nesbitt, Master

SECRETARY'S CORNER

When this column is read we will be in summer recess. I want to take this opportunity to wish all the members a healthy and enjoyable summer.

Belated Birthday congratulations to the following: Glenn Merritt 5/1; Robert Spaulding 5/2; James Graham, Elmer Keller 5/3; Clarence Avery, Earl Waltman 5/4; John Murphy, Lawrence Wilferth 5/6; W: Bernard Bonnington (Master 1971) 5/10; Norman Brown, Donald Gehm, Ernest Hillman 5/12; Robert Benson Jr., Cornelius Butler 5/14; Edward Hogle 5/15; Benjamin Silver 5/17; Donald Miller, W: Elbert Seigfred (Master 1951) 5/18; Harven Van Allen 5/20; William Cook 5/21; Ernest Maurer 5/22; Henry Lang-Knecht Jr. 5/24; Frank Phillips 5/25; Paul Caçy 5/26; Edward Capauldy 5/27; Alfred D'Annunzio 5/28; John Parker 5/29; James Gisleon 5/32. These were left out for May.

Congratulations to the following whose Birthday falls in June: Robert Liggett, Robert Maddison 6/1; DeForest Bush, John McMahon, Haddon Servis 6/2; Frederick Fincken 6/3; W: Edward Show (Master 1974) 6/7; James Jenkins, Raymond Van Wuyckhuysen, W: Fred Weidel (Master 1924) 6/8; Richard Mosman 6/9; Ralph Poling 6/10; Norman Coons, W: Donald P. Fox (Master 1968), Adolph Kennis 6/11; Mark Hoag 6/13; Edgar Borate, W: Walter Gay (Master 1972), Edward Hilbert, John Ladwig, Charles Slusser 6/19; William Baker 6/21; Clifford DeWitte 6/24; Bjarnes Iverson 6/26; G. Drexel Gridley, Ernest Lascell, Richard Perry 6/27; Max Lestin, William Smith, W: Warren Trimble, Jr. (Master 1958) 6/29; Summer birthdays are Howard Hall 7/6; Ralph Sandberg, Walter Schlosser 7/7; George Form, Michael Pallone 7/8; Josiah Forrest, Earl Hilfiker, William Laundry 7/10; George Lloyd, Donald Snyder 7/11; Robert Flint 7/13; Karl

FAIRPORT LODGE No. 476
2nd and 4th Mondays

Dear Brethren:

Since my last message I have attended the 194th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York. The text of my report will be found in the next issue of "The Trestleboard".

On Sunday, May 4th, prior to attending Grand Lodge, it was my privilege to accompany R:W: Septimus A. DiLauro, D.D.G.M., First Monroe District, who personally delivered and presented 50 Year Certificates and emblems to the following Brothers at their homes:

Elliot R. Fish, Kenneth R. Phillips and Shirley Williams.

R:W: Bro. DiLauro also accompanied me to the Baptist Home in Fairport where I presented a Life Membership Certificate to Bro. J. Gordon Ross.

In continuance of our program of community involvement, we will honor our Little League baseball team at our June 23 Communication. The food concession at the Perinton Art Show will again be manned by the members of Fairport Lodge on July 12th and 13th.

Bro. Stu Pederson is planning another "extravaganza" for the Fourth of July Parade. First prize this year, Stu?

On September 13th, Fairport Lodge will present and dedicate a memorial plaque to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the opening of the Erie Canal. Congressman and Bro. Frank Horton has consented to make this dedication. These events, Brethren, are well worthy your attendance and support.

I hope you all have a very pleasant summer and I look forward to greeting you in September.

Fraternally,
James E. Comstock, Master



Stoltz, W: Raymond F. Unger Jr. (Master 1956) 7/15; Howard Gardner 7/18; Harry Marshall 7/19; William Henry 7/21; Richard Hollenbeck, Samuel Ofowitz 7/22; W: John Hinds (Master 1970) 7/23; Arthur Underwood 7/25; Ralph Lamson 7/26; Robert Van Keuren 7/27; Arthur Benkwit 7/28; Joseph Fulton, Charles Scorse 7/29; Charles Wann 7/30; Arthur Holtzmar 7/31.

WHAT SAYING IS THIS?

When there is sufficient positive volition, a successful conclusion may usually be achieved.

Answer to last months saying

People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw stones.

DUES BOX SCORE

1974/1975 - 20
1965 - 35

Fraternally,
Bertram M. Steene,
Secretary

ZETLAND LODGE NO. 951
2nd & 4th Thursdays



Dear Brethren:

My trip to Grand Lodge in New York City on May 6, 7, and 8 was one of my most pleasurable experiences. Being Master of a Blue Lodge one does not really get to see the overall operation of our own Fraternity until one read all the committee reports and really see what Grand Lodge is involved in. I wish to thank the Brethren of Zetland Lodge for giving me this opportunity to serve Zetland Lodge and attend Grand Lodge.

The Lodge Brotherhood Fund Drive has just ended and we have received 49 donations in the amount of \$713.00. While this response was not as good as I had hoped for, it was still good for a year when the economic conditions were not the best.

Our Junior Warden, Bro. Donald Joseph will be sending out notices for the Fellowship Club Steak Roast in June which will be held at W: Steve Pool's cottage at Sodus Bay, and the Lodge Family Picnic which will be held in July at Powder Mill Park.

We are glad to hear that W: Steve Pool is feeling better and wish him a speedy recovery.

The Shrine Degree Team will put on the Third Degree for Zetland on June 12th. They do a wonderful job, and this will give any Brother who has not seen a Third Degree, an opportunity to see it at its best. There will also be a fine dinner at 6:30 p.m.

I wish all the Brethren an enjoyable vacation.

Fraternally,
Theodore Z. Theodor
Master

TRESTLEBOARD

June 12 - Third Degree - Shrine Past Masters Degree Team - Officers Formal - Dinner at 6:30 p.m.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Nicholas Varlan 6/7; Harold Norris, 6/11; John Hill, 6/19; Donald H. MacNab, Henry Webster, 6/20; Russell Fulmer, Edward May, 6/21; Carl White, 6/23; Harry Royster 6/25; Charles Ferner, Paul Wright 6/27; Frederick West 6/28; Donald Smith, Spiro Rousos 6/30.

George Berry 7/1; David Meier 7/5; Bruce Johnson, Willard Perkins, Charles L. Wilson 7/6; Isaac DeRoo 7/7; Elwood Schultz 7/9; Donald Thompson 7/11; Marvin Dye 7/12; Robert McHenry 7/14; Marvin Olderstyn 7/18; John Johnville 7/19; Anson Sherman 7/21; George Ross 7/22; Charles Archer 7/23; Wilbur O'Brien 7/24; Alphonse Kraus 7/25; Clarence Vanderzell, Jr. 7/29; Joseph Waidl, Jr. 7/31.

Henry Borchard 8/3; Byell Long, Russell Webster 8/4; Ralph Harter 8/8; R. Kenneth Crawford 8/9; James Gosnell 8/10; David Crawford, Arthur Evans 8/12; Myron Carl, Warren Heard 8/15; Fred Kummerow 8/16; Irving Hoffman, Fred Reinhard 8/19; Fillmore Bell, Carl Ernst, Bruce Genter 8/20; Charles Heard, Peter Jovan 8/24; Frank Webster 8/25; James Ferguson 8/28; Homer Baker Jr. 8/29.



GROTTO

The following is from a speech made at the 1973 Supreme Council by Past Grand Monarch Albert J. Dunlevy:

"As Grand Monarch, I have had the privilege of being a member of the Board of Directors of the United Cerebral Palsy Research Foundation and during our meetings I have listened with amazement to the many accomplishments that have taken place since we put a man on the moon. Our research has found uses for equipment that was used on the moon. Electronics have been developed to control the functions of the kidneys, and a wheel chair that will function both up and down the stairs without any assistance to the patient. The moon suit has been redesigned so that it can be of use to stabilize cerebral palsy and muscular dystrophy patients. So you see Prophets, the time and money we have spent on our two projects has not been in vain. So let us carry on, in a steadfast manner, to accomplish the good some of our predecessors worked at so diligently so that we, as Prophets of the Grottoes of North America, might have a part in the alleviation of the dreaded disease of cerebral palsy and the suffering it brings with it."

- SUPPORT THE GROTTO CIRCUS - OCT. 25-26 -

Brethren, many thousands of dollars have been spent in trying to control these dreaded diseases, and as our main philanthropies we must cheerfully continue to support them. These are some of the reasons that we are proud to "wear the Black Fez." Why don't you become one of us.

- SUPPORT THE GROTTO CIRCUS - OCT. 25-26 -

We hope you have enjoyed our column the past few months and as we close for the summer months, we hope that you will have an enjoyable vacation and look for us again in September.

Fraternally, George Francis, Publicity

CLIO LODGE

No. 779

1st & 3rd Tuesdays

Brethren:

Having just returned from Grand Lodge I continue to be most enthusiastic about our great fraternity and the able leadership provided by our Grand Master, the Most Wor. Arthur Markewich and that of our District Deputy Grand Masters Septimius A. DiLauro and Walter Lindemuth. Masonry is, in its ideals and concepts, made alive by practice in day to day relationships. These men indeed, help make me proud of our fraternity and of being a Mason.

Clio Lodge's Ox-Roast on April 26th under the direction of W: Harry Hopkins appeared to be the best yet, from the viewpoint of planning, coordination of effort and execution. W: Bro. Harry has acknowledged the cooperation and hard work of the Ladies, Brothers and friends who contributed their time and effort to make the event a successful one. Bros. Gordon McCoy, Guy Duel, Charlie Tucker and Kay Miller lead the list which is too long to reproduce here.

Hopefully, you will receive this message before Sunday, June 1st and you will be reminded that on that date Clio Lodge will sponsor its annual Masonic Communion Service. The time is 8:00 a.m. at the Hilton Baptist Church. Wives, children and friends are most welcome to attend with you. Please bring them along. Immediately following the Service, there will be a Pancake and Sausage breakfast at the Lodge at a cost of \$1.50 for adults, \$1.00 for children. Mr. John Woods, member of the Greece School Board and current President of the N.Y.S. School Boards Association, will share his thoughts on current concerns in public education with us following the breakfast.

On June 6th, we will honor our retiring District Deputy Grand Masters with a dinner at Logans. The cost for the dinner is \$7.50 per person. Please call in your reservation to me by May 31st so that Clio Lodge will be properly represented in acknowledging the outstanding job that these two men have done.

Leah Chapter, O.E.S., hosted 16 members of Clio Lodge at its Annual Master Mason's Night on May 13th. During the evening, Clio Lodge was presented with a contribution for the Brotherhood Fund which is being forwarded to our Chairman W: Bro. Si Hulse. At last report, we had 94 contributions for a total of over \$800.00. This contribution will help us toward our goal of 100 contributions and \$1,000.00. Please note Leah Chapter will be celebrating its 75th Birthday on June 14th at Braemar Country Club. Information and tickets will be available through the Chapter and also your Lodge Officers.

Camp Turk at Round Lake, a summer camp for youngsters between the ages of 14 and 16 will have three periods for boys (June 29-July 12, July 13-26, and July 27-Aug. 9) and for the first time, one period for girls Aug. 10-23. Children attending, must be of good character. The cost of attendance \$75.00 per week, will be parti-

ANCIENT CRAFT LODGE

No. 943

2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Dear Brethren:

My trip to Grand Lodge was one I shall always remember, and I was most happy to be there and represent our Lodge. It was a most interesting and informative Communication and all who attended had an excellent opportunity to see how Grand Lodge operates.

On May 10th we had our Annual Bowling Party. All who came enjoyed a fine evening of Bowling, which was followed by an excellent dinner at Barry's Restaurant. Several trophies were awarded and many gifts given out. My sincere thanks to our Jr. Warden, W: Bro. Lee Perkins for an outstanding job.

We also had a fine evening on May 28th when our Brothers from Corinthian Temple joined us for an evening of Euchre and fellowship.

My Brothers, our one and only meeting in June will be on the 11th. This will be sport shirt night to be followed by strawberry shortcake. Our annual Lodge Picnic will be held at the home of R:W: Bro. C. Lawrence Kilmer, on July 19th, starting around 2:30 P.M.

If during the summer, any Brother knows of any sickness or distress, please notify the W: Master or the Secretary. My best wishes to each of you for a most enjoyable summer.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

W: Bro. John Holt has not shown any improvement, and I urge all the Brothers to take time to visit him.

The Lodge has extended condolences to W: Bernard Noll on the loss of his father, who passed away a few weeks ago in Florida.

Fraternally,
Delmar H. Miles, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

June 11 - Regular meeting-Sport Shirt Night followed by strawberry shortcake.

July 19 - Annual Lodge Picnic.



ally underwritten by the Masters & Wardens Association, the exact amount depending on the number of youngsters attending. Please see me or the Secretary for an application if you have a youngster who would like to attend.

On June 17th, we will have a picnic supper at Fireman's Field in Hilton prior to Lodge meeting. The affair will begin about 5:30 p.m. Please let Jr. Warden Jim Cochran know whether you can attend and also if your wife would like to contribute one of her picnic specialties for the Brethren to enjoy. The June 17th meeting will be our last one before the summer recess.

Brethren, please let me or the Secretary know if anyone is ill or in distress. Also, if you can, visit one of our confined Brothers. He will enjoy it and you will benefit even more.

Fraternally,
Robert E. Stevens, Master



Ancient Craft Lodge - 50 Year pin and certificate to Bro. Charles T. Wordingham by D.D.G.M. R:W: Septimius A. DiLauro, left, and W: Bro. Delmar H. Miles, Master.

JOHN A. ROBERTSON

LODGE No. 1032

1st and 3rd Mondays

Dear Brethren:

This has indeed been a very busy month for me, having just returned from the 194th Annual Communication of Grand Lodge in New York. Needless to say it was a very impressive experience for all of us who attended, a complete report will be given by me at our May 19th meeting.

One thing that was particularly depressing was the lack of response by approximately 172,000 Masons in New York State to the Brotherhood Fund. If each of these Brothers would contribute a dollar or two, the Masonic Home in Utica would meet its goal, and not have to curtail any of its activities. To you who have not contributed, won't you please send your contribution to Bro. Frank Zaffino now!

Congratulations are in order to Senior Warden Skip Waterstreet, and all the Officers on "Move-Up-Night" while I was in New York. I understand each Officer was very proficient in his work. The Lodge also sends congratulations to our Secretary W: Bro. Merle Nulton and his wife Margery on their 50th Wedding Anniversary. A party in honor is being planned by his son, W: Bro. Malcom Nulton at the Marvin Country Club in Macedon, N.Y. on June 15, 1975. Merle and his wife were married June 19, 1925 in Wilkes Barre, Pa., and have been residents of Rochester since 1947.

The Lodge also wishes to congratulate Bro. Raymond Smith on his recent retirement from Eastman Kodak. Many happy leisure days to you Ray. Condolences of the Lodge were sent to Bro. Clifford Haskell on the recent passing of his wife.

We are happy to report that Larry Beufve is recovering from a serious illness, and hopes to return home soon.

Birthdays greetings are extended to the following Brothers whose birthday falls in June. I hope that I shall be able to chat with each of the local Brothers on their birthday: Harwood R. Ellis, 6/3; Clifford G. Minard, William Pressley, Jr., 6/4; Carl R. Lueck, 6/5; Jacob P. Mertens, 6/5; John C. Beach, William D. Ladd, Jr., 6/6; David Williams, 6/8; Elmer W. Holly, John W. Slack, 6/10; George W. Foote, Ed P. Fulmer, Victor H. Lilley, 6/11; John D. Brown, Malcomb M. Pollock, Fred L. Walker, 6/13; Fred J. Lang, Nerlo G. Peck, 6/16; Ronald

PENFIELD UNION LODGE

No. 154

1st and 3rd Tuesdays

Dear Brethren:

This month has been a truly exciting one for me. Our visitation to Parkdale Lodge in Canada was enjoyed by all who went. Certainly the bus ride alone was worth the "price of admission". It gave us the opportunity to sample W: Wayne Slack's "orange juice" ... he mixes it well! I congratulate W: John Borland and all other Brothers who took part in the floor work up there; they performed very impressively. Bro. Slack also gave bridge lessons on the way home. It appears to me that he must be a "ringer".

I was pleased to be your representative to the annual Grand Lodge meeting in New York City. It is quite apparent to all those in attendance, that the business affairs of Grand Lodge are in very capable hands. I will give a detailed report at our next meeting. The congeniality and hospitality of the Monroe Masters is very much appreciated and, I believe, surpassed by none.

I had the pleasure of visiting the DeMolay boys at one of their recent meetings. They are a hard working, serious, yet fun loving group. It is most important that we show these boys our support by attending their meetings whenever possible. You'll enjoy being there as much as they appreciate your interest.

Don't forget the annual picnic on June 7th at Ellison Park. Give Bro. Al Clark a call at 377-4683 and tell him you'll be there.

Fraternally,
Eric W. Zaenglein, Master

H. Acker, Willis H. Seville, 6/18; Bruce F. Hinkley, 6/19; Kay G. Estrup, 6/20; L. Benjamin, 6/21; George D. Armstrong, 6/22; Willard C. Attridge, 6/25; George E. Barlow, 6/26; George R. Reiber, 6/27; Norman E. Gausch, William C. Staats, 6/28; Philip Gordon, Ray W. Smith, 6/29; Erle F. French, Leonard J. Schmeer, Jr. 6/30.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 2 - Past Master's Nite. Dinner 6:30 p.m. Call Bro. Charles Thomas at 377-7209 for dinner reservations.

Aug. 23 - Corn & Sausage Roast - Ray Wolks Farm.

Oct. 25 - Anniversary Dinner Dance. Save this night so that we can have a large turnout.

As summer vacation is fast approaching, I want to wish all a very happy and safe summer.

Fraternally,
L. Edward Walker, Master

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No. 990
2nd Tuesday

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Ralph Smith, Secretary: Home - 334-3285, Work - 473-8080.

Please contact us if you know of any member who may be ill, shut-in, or in need of our aid or sympathy. We also would like to know of other bits of information or honors bestowed upon our members. We want to hear from you and your family.

PARTICIPATE

June 3 - Officers meeting at Temple - First Degree Rehearsal.

June 8 - Family Picnic at Northampton Park.

June 10 - Open Lodge 7:30 p.m. First Degree - Tux.

Sept. 13 - Fellowcraft Clambake - Ike Schippers Cottage at Kendall, N.Y. There is NO fellowcraft meeting in June, see you at the picnic.

I would like to thank those who attended our Tureen Supper for their support and especially thank those that did the work or helped out that evening, it was a very good meal. Who brought the jello salad? A number of the ladies want your recipe.

June 10th is the date set for our First Degree, I hope that your attendance will inspire your Officers. Also at this meeting the report from the By-laws committee should be ready to introduce their efforts, this is very important since this pertains to your dues, and the possibilities of financial consideration to 50 members.

For our Family Picnic on June 10th, we ask that each family bring a dish to pass and their own tableware and plates (we'll be looking for that jello salad again). The meat, beverage, chips, rolls, peanuts (again) and dessert will be supplied by the Lodge.

The Lodge congratulates Charlie and Doris Schrader on their 25th Wedding Anniversary.

I would like to remind you again of our October Fest at the German House on Oct. 11th, this will be limited to the first sixty reservations we receive. Set the date aside and let us know if you plan to attend.

The Officers and I wish to all a very happy and healthy summer recess.

Fraternally,
George "Tim" Gray, Master

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Bro. Joe Newman's wife and mother of Bro. Brownie Newman, suffered a massive stroke last November at their home in Florida. They are attempting to place her at Strong Hospital when an opening is available.

OATKA LODGE
No. 759
2nd & 4th Wednesday

Brethren:

We have one communication before we recess for the summer months. Let's all turn out for the June 11th meeting, when we will raise four new Brothers. As it is usually warm in Lodge at this time of year, you are invited to come in sport shirts, and take off your jackets for this meeting. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m., reservations are to be made with the Jr. Warden, Phillip Hise, 247-2625, no later than June 9th. Lodge opens at 7:30 sharp.

SMORGASBORD

A last minute reminder for you, your family, and friends to enjoy our 6th annual "Smorgasbord" featuring steamship round of beef, and specialties of the ladies. Serving 4:30 till 7:00 p.m. Saturday, May 31, at Oatka Lodge, Browns Ave., Scottsville.

STEAK ROAST

Don't forget to call Bro. Wayne Abbott at 889-2746 for reservations to the Fellowcraft Family Steak Roast on June 7th. Charcoal broil 16 oz. Porterhouse steaks to your own taste. Steaks, salads, baked potato, rolls, butter and beverage will be provided for \$4.50 per person. Cook at 6:30, come early to choose your steak, and help start the charcoal fire.

Bro. Warren Sperry of Bronx, N.Y. was unable to attend Oatka's Centennial Celebration on Mar. 8. However, he plans to attend the June 11 communication, at which time he will be presented with his 50 year award.

TRESTLEBOARD

May 31 - Smorgasbord - 4:30 till 7:00 p.m.

June 4 - Fellowcraft Club 8:00 p.m.

June 7 - Fellowcraft Family Steak Roast.

June 11 - Third Degree.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

Are you an active member, the kind that would be missed?

Or are you just contented that your name is on the list. Do you attend the meetings and mingle with the flock? Or do you stay at home and criticize and knock?

Do you take an active part--help the work along?

Or are you satisfied to be the kind who just belongs?

Do you work on committees to see there is no trick?

Or leave the work to just a few and talk about the "clique"?

So come to the meetings often and help with hand and heart.

Don't be just a member but take an active part.

Think this over Brother -- you know right from wrong.

Are you an active member or do you just belong?

Fraternally,
Ed Laydon, Master

FAME LODGE
No. 945
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Dear Brethren:

I know that I have written the same thought several times in the past but please forgive me, it is difficult for me not to repeat the praise that I feel for the enthusiasm and cooperation that the members of Fame Lodge have maintained throughout the year.

Our Master Mason Degree on April 22nd was again a joy to participate in. The dinner provided by Culver Chapter was excellent, the Degree work beautiful, a good crowd was on hand and four good men were raised.

The annual Fame-Charlotte Euchre tournament on Apr. 29th was another outstanding success (for Fame). We turned out 22 good Euchre players and recaptured the Golden Spade.

Report on Grand Lodge - The Master attended the Grand Lodge Convention in New York City, May 5-8. Several pieces of legislation that were passed will be of interest to the members.

1. Grand Lodge fees will be increased by \$.50 next year.

2. Grand Lodge fees will be increased an additional \$.50 in 1977.

3. Proposed Constitutional amendment lowering the legal age for entered apprentices was tabled until results from other Grand Lodges can be evaluated.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 9 - Move up night - Sport shirt night - Strawberrys and Ice Cream.

June 17 - 6:00 p.m. until??? Members and wives picnic. Lakeview Cabin No. 1 - Webster Park. Meat and coffee will be furnished - bring a dish to pass.

June 28 - Interlodge Fellowship Committee Golf tournament at Happy Acres, Webster. Tee off times 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. Fame will have several foursomes entered, we still need a few men to fill out others. Call Dale Lawson or Cy Walker for reservation forms.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

The following Brothers are reported to be under the weather: Len Johnson, Wm. Rehback, Jack Kessler and the good wife of R:W: Bill Gavitt. I know that they all would appreciate a word of encouragement.

PETITIONS

We still need several petitions in order to have a full class for September. If you have any prospects in mind please present their petitions NOW. They must be in at the June 9 meeting in order to make the Sept. 23 class.

Have a very happy Summer. Fraternaly,
Dale R. Lawson, Master

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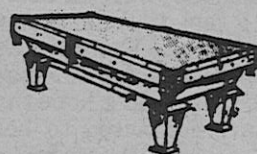
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No. 320
1st Wednesday

GERMANIA LODGE
No. 722
2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Dear Brethren:

The most noteworthy events occurring at the annual communication of Grand Lodge this year were as follows: The proposal to lower the age of eligibility to the Fraternity to eighteen was tabled pending solid facts from other Grand jurisdictions presently experimenting with this age limit. If the results in these jurisdictions show that the fraternity has much to gain from such action I am sure there will be favorable reaction in a year or two in our own Grand Lodge and that this proposal will be reconsidered in a very receptive manner.

The proposal to elect Masters and other elected line officers in June, to coincide with the installation of incoming District Deputies was soundly defeated. The Grand Master spoke of his desire to retain the present system to ensure that the new Masters and District Deputies both not be inexperienced at the same time. This was obviously the thought in most everyone's mind and the voting reflected it.

The second vote to increase the Grand Lodge per capita dues by \$.50 per member, payable for the first time at the end of this calendar year based on membership at the end of 1974 was passed. Also a first vote to further increase Grand Lodge dues by \$1.00 per capita payable for the first time in 1977 on membership as of December 31, 1976 was passed. I voted in favor of both these increases, realizing that it would not be popular with the Lodge. Nevertheless, I feel, after having heard the most cogent arguments by those Brothers charged with the finances of Grand Lodge, that the extra income is sorely needed and moreover, that they have kept the increases to the absolute minimum.

There was a proposal made which in effect would forbid any Master Mason from becoming a member of any concordant body for a minimum of one year after having been raised. This was defeated on the grounds that it is more fitting that the concordant bodies themselves exercise this control, an argument which could be debated.

It was a great pleasure and privilege for me to represent you at Grand Lodge and I thank you. I came away with the conviction that we are being served by one of the great Grand Masters of our lifetime, and much heartened by the dedication shown by his staff. I was particularly pleased to note Most Worshipful Arthur Markewich's continuing sense of humor especially as he referred to the Grand Lecturer by his new title, "The Duke of Fly Creek." This was an apparent reference to the passage of a proposal to appoint four assistant Grand Lecturers. It is to be sincerely hoped that this action will not mean the

Dear Brethren:

At our last communication April 22nd, the Past Masters put on a very good Third Degree and all were impressed with the fine work. After the Degree, Mrs. Suzmen, wife of one of our newly raised Brothers, surprised the Lodge with a birthday cake for her husband and a fine cake in the shape of a Bible with a square and compass on it, and a good time was had by all. By the time this article is read I will have made a full report on my trip to Grand Lodge. I might add at this time that it was an honor to attend Grand Lodge and represent you. I hope my report reaches all of you either through my next article in this paper or during your visits to Lodge. All in all, the trip was a good one.

I do hope by now all of our Brethren who have not as yet given to the Brotherhood Fund will do so right away.

My Brothers, I thank all of you for your donations and hope you will always continue to do your best.

Fraternally,
T. Formicola, Master



cessation of R:W: Pott's enjoyable visits to the Monroe Districts.

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

At the Fellowcraft Club meeting of April 24th, many things were discussed. Some were settled and others were left over for further discussion after a trial period. Although few were in attendance, I feel that much was accomplished. Committees were appointed for our summer activities and I hope that if you are contacted to help you will accept. Due to limited space here, I will inform you of the events, dates, places and times in the Master's Newsletter to be issued in the next week or two. However, I can assure that the events will be to your liking.

Fraternally,
Larry Geith, President

And finally, my Brothers, to all who are sick or otherwise indisposed, we offer an earnest hope for your speedy and complete recovery.

Fraternally,
Nobby Smith, Master

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:

As our summer recess is drawing near, it is hard for me to imagine that half of the year is almost gone. It has been a wonderful experience for me and I am grateful to all of you.

I would like to congratulate our Jr. Warden, Bro. Verne Halter for a splendid Ladies Night at the Newport House. I am sure everyone who attended enjoyed themselves.

The Brotherhood Fund Campaign is rapidly coming to a close. From the latest reports, Charlotte Lodge has done very well. For those of you who have not as yet given, please try and make an effort to get your contribution in. I would like to congratulate Bro. Albert Padget and his committee for the excellent job they have done. Hard work pays off.

During the first week of May it was my great honor and privilege to represent Charlotte Lodge at Grand Lodge. At this time, I want to thank all of you so very much. It was very gratifying to me.

In closing, I would like to wish each of you and your family, a very happy and safe summer vacation. I will look forward to seeing and greeting you in the fall.

Fraternally,
Len Mack, Master

FROM THE SOUTH

The month of June offers a pleasant change from our usual pace. June 3rd will be an open meeting with movies after.

June 8th - Family Spring Picnic at Braddocks Bay Park. Adults \$3.00, Children \$1.50. Each family bring a dish to pass, (salads, beans, cake, or whatever). Hots, Hamburgs, Beer, Pop, Coffee will be furnished. Come early and stay late, games and gifts for the Kids. Don't miss this one. Officers have tickets.

June 17 - Open meeting - Sport Shirt night.

This will be our last communication until Fall so I wish each of you a safe and enjoyable summer.

Fraternally,
Verne E. Halter, Jr. Warden

SECRETARY'S NOTEBOOK

With this issue being the last one until September, I wish each of you a most pleasant summer season.

Each year at this time I

Dear Brethren:

I would like to thank you for giving me the privilege of representing you and the Lodge, at Grand Lodge. It was a well planned program. It was very enjoyable.

Try to attend the June meeting. Grand Lodge stresses community service. I have met with the Temple Association. The reason being a youth group would like to use our second floor facilities. The subject will be discussed at the next meeting.

Fraternally,
Raymond A. Sipple
Master



review the dues records and again I find that quite a few of you Brothers continue to neglect to pay your dues. You already had notice in Dec. '74 relative to dues owed. Won't you please pay for them by return mail.

Some of you my Brethren, have asked for petitions and have not turned them in. You can help your Lodge and your Secretary by bringing them in for action.

The Organ Fund is now close to \$2,000. and \$2,500. is needed. Have you made your contribution? W: Bro. Gordon Davidson says, "Keep Those Donations Coming In."

Fraternally,
Everett Van Putte
Secretary

Dear Brethren:


June is the time we think of Summer vacations, fishing, swimming, hiking, picnics, etc.

Speaking of picnics, have you made your reservations for our Corn & Sausage Roast? W: Bro. Norm Hegadorn needs to know how many for the preparation of the food etc. June is not too early to make your reservations. The Roast will be held at Powder Mill Park in the "Powderhorn Cabin" on Aug. 9th. The cost is \$3.50 per person. Ladies are invited. Please call Norm Hegadorn at 637-6912 or Frank Arnold at 381-7411 for your reservations. No Children please.

If during the summer you know of a Brother in need of our aid or sympathy please do not hesitate to call as I am tied up in business and may now know of this.

I wish you and your family a safe and enjoyable summer.

Fraternally,
Frank J. Arnold, Master



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VALLEY LODGE
No. 109
1st and 3rd Mondays

**FROM THE
MASTER'S CHAIR**

Dear Brethren:
I have just returned from the 194th Annual Grand Lodge Communication in New York City.

The meetings opened with a very enlightening address by our Grand Master. During this address two important points were stressed.

1. Economic woes are eating into our ranks. During the 1974 year, our ranks increased by 3,118 who were initiated, 2,997 who were passed, 2,997 who were raised, 794 who were affiliated, 536 who were restored, for a total gain of 4,307. Also, during 1974 there were unaffiliated 3,536, died 6,674, withdrew 1,970, expelled 1, for a total of 12,181. Our losses, as you see, were much greater than our gains. The Grand Lodge Budget has increased while its assets have decreased.

2. A new spirit has taken hold of Masons across the state. The fraternity must be seen in "the public eye" if we are to grow. The fraternity will survive, but only with the hard efforts of all its members working with the community to make itself known.

During the evening session the Distinguished Service Award was given to the Hon. and R:W: Arthur Levitt, New York State Comptroller. He rewarded us with a very interesting address.

The business sessions brought to light several important questions to be noted upon. I will report briefly on these:

1. To change election of Officers from January to June with Installation in September (defeated).

2. Change petition age requirement from 21 years to 18 years. (No action taken - tabled.)

3. A proposal to add a question to the petition application: For the period of one year a Brother would not be allowed to join other Masonic bodies. (No action taken - tabled.)

4. Each Lodge shall pay additional sum of fifty cents per member based on membership of December 31, 1974, to pay the expenses of Grand Lodge. (Passed.)

5. To amend the Book of Constitutions to read, "that per capita dues annually paid to meet the expenses of Grand Lodge be increased from \$2.50 to \$3.50." (The first reading passed with second reading needed at the next communication.)

The final event was the election and installation of our Grand Master and Grand Line for a second term. If you wish further reports of Grand Lodge, all material received in New York will be on file with our Lodge secretary. Fraternally,
Dave Clark, Master

**WHAT'S HAPPENING
IN LODGE**

... Our second meeting in April entertained us with a provocative film entitled "The Mystery of Stonehenge". About 25 Brothers viewed the film and came away with varying opinions.

... Our Fellowcraft Club entertained its members with a steak roast on May 9th at

Mendon Ponds. Our Master Chef, W: Howie Belt, once again cooked the steaks into the Gods' Ambrosia.

... Our second meeting in May will see our Sr. Warden present the Second Degree. Also, at this time, several proposals will be presented for the Lodge to consider on how to contribute to the youth of our Order. This is one of my "pet" goals for my year as Master. The doors of your Lodge are always open - please come and join us.

"Feel left out and unwanted! Lonely and depressed, not one of the boys? Well, Brother wake up! Get moving! Join the Brotherhood Fund." Are you one of the 73% who have forgotten to give a contribution for this year? Don't be! Only a few weeks left! Send now!

TRESTLEBOARD

May 29 - The School of Lodge Administration.

June 2 - Old Timer's Night-Special night for those Brothers not seen in Lodge for a spell. Join us for a night of renewing acquaintances!

June 9 - Fellowcraft Strawberry Festival - "ice cream, shortcake, real whipped cream, coffee, and of course, real strawberries" - special entertainment - join us - call for reservations - W: Ivan Ball, 266-7346, or Bro. Ralph Leffler, 436-9070. Do it today!

June 21 - St. John's Day at Utica - Summer vacation for all.

APPEAL FOR THE LODGE

Brothers all, your Lodge needs help - it needs Masons in good standing - Brothers who are intelligent - enjoy their fellowman - are able to fill their obligations - you are needed now to take an active part in your Lodge. It needs officers now, not tomorrow, but today. Past Masters now are helping to fill up chairs in our line - the line needs new life to revive it. Can you help? Come, call, write and express your wishes now!

KNOW YOUR OFFICERS

Steward: Bro. William C. Merritt - His duties are: "To have in charge and subject to the orders of the Master and Junior Warden, the furniture, jewels, and other property of the Lodge; to provide light, fuel, and refreshments for the comfort of the Brethren; to have special care to cleanliness in the hall and ante-rooms."

Bro. Cliff's younger life was spent in the Mohawk Valley at Mohawk, N.Y., where he graduated from local high school. For a short time he worked as a section hand on the railroad before attending Hartwick Normal School. Here he trained as a quality control engineer. A short period of time was spent working at Remington Arms before coming to Rochester and working at Bausch & Lomb. For the past 25 years, "Cliff" has worked at the Teale Machine Company and now has retired as a licensed real estate broker.

Bro. Merritt is married to his lovely wife, Laura, and they together have raised 5 children. Cliff in his spare time enjoys Golf, bowling, and considers himself a pretty fair country bridge and tournament chess player. He also enjoys traveling throughout the country. For a short time during his younger life,

W.C. HUBBARD LODGE
No. 964
1st and 3rd Fridays

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Dear Brethren:

Our Third Degree was held on May 16th and I thank all those who helped make it such a nice one for our new Brother. I hope that we will have more good men petition the Lodge in the Fall class.

Bro. Stanley Cooley was the proud recipient of the Grand Lodge Dedicated Service Award in recognition of his many years as organist in our Lodge and five other Lodges. Congratulations, Bro. Stan.

As this will be the last article until Fall, I wish everyone a nice summer filled with much happiness and good health. The last meeting will be June 6th and starting in the Fall on Sept. 19th. Please contact me at 352-4014 if you hear of any member in need of our aid or sympathy.

One of the highlights for the Master is his trip to Grand Lodge Communications in New York City. I thank you all for giving me the opportunity to represent Warren C. Hubbard Lodge.

Have a nice summer, and I hope to greet you from the East at our first meeting in the Fall.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 6 - Open Lodge - Sr. Warden in East.

June 13 - Fellowcraft cancelled.

June 20 - Open Lodge cancelled.



he and another boy traveled the United States singing for their supper.

Bro. Cliff considers a great turning point in his life when he turned to the Masons. He says "Masonry was the great fulfillment of my life." Drop by the Lodge and say hello to friendly "Cliff".

Master of Ceremonies: Bro. Harold Bollotin - His duties are: "Employed in the preparation and conduct of candidates."

Bro. Harold is a Rochester native who received his education through local educational facilities. He attended and graduated from Benjamin Franklin High School, attended RBI and graduated from the U. of R. His early professional career was spent as an internal auditor at General Dynamics and now is self employed as a Certified Public Accountant.

Harold spends his evenings with his lovely wife, Sylvia, and his daughter. One of his great loves in life is "magic". Bro. Bollotin has performed before many audiences and spellbound them with his feats of "magic". He is the local treasurer of the Society of American Magicians and the International Brotherhood of Magicians.

Other hobbies include movie photography and stamp collecting. Harold loves to travel and has done so throughout the United States and Canada. He also is a member of Scottish Rite and the Shrine. As to why Bro. Bollotin joined Masonry: "The stature of the fraternity is the fulfillment of my life. It creates a feeling of brotherhood and high reputation." Say hello to Bro. Harold on your next trip to Lodge.

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The winner of Yonnonadio's dusty Euchre Trophy for 1975 is that "top competitor" R:W: Paul E. Thone. Yonnonadio's Euchre has, over the years, been an activity well organized, attended, and well played. If you have never entered a Yonnonadio Euchre Tournament, think about it - IT'S GREAT FUN!

YONNONADIO LODGE No. 163 1st and 3rd Tuesdays



Brethren:

The 125th Anniversary of Yonnonadio Lodge No. 163 was celebrated with the Grand Master of Masons of the State of New York, Saturday evening, May 31st, at the Masonic Temple. I would like to thank all the people, led by R:W: Barton S. Horner's committees, who made this such a memorable event.

The publishing of a keepsake, Yonnonadian, to celebrate this anniversary has been favorably received as indicated by many feedback letters. If you found the Yonnonadian a better communication tool, let us know by letter!

The business of running your Lodge has been an enjoyable one. The "ACE" and now "PACE" policies written in these communications are attempts to have all members take part in his Lodge activities. Please communicate all sick, shut-ins, deaths, possible or needed help, suggestions on activities, applicable news, and/or just to say hello from most anywhere. There is still room for any Fall candidate you may recommend to Masons.

The Brotherhood Fund is still receiving contributions!

The month of May's activities of a Yonnonadio Third Degree, Visitation to Webster Lodge by the Fellowcraft Club, Grand Lodge meeting in New York City, and the Gala 125th Anniversary Celebration made it a busy, but "most rewarding" month.

Have a great (super) summer.

Fraternally,
Robert P. Galloway,
Master

TRESTLEBOARD

June 3 - Wild Tie/Shirt Night - entertainment.

June 10 - Officers at Master's Home.

June 17 - "Abandoned Railroads for Recreation" - Speaker - Wally Nielsen.

Aug. 16 - Charlotte Golf Tournament (Saturday).

FELLOWCRAFT CLUB

The fixation of our Chaplin and Secretary's robes are complete and look real good. Attempts to purchase a quality Marshal's robe is underway.

The dramatization performed at Webster Lodge by Yonnonadio was well received by a full Lodge room. This successful effort of traveling is always a good time, with a special thanks going to our Club Director, Ryal DeVoiest who always comes through with a large individual effort of "putting it all together." The Club is always looking for new members and back-

CHURCHVILLE LODGE No. 667 2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Dear Brethren:

As our Spring session is coming to a close, I would like to thank the Brothers of the Lodge for their cooperation in the past months. It has been a pleasure to serve you and I am looking forward to the coming months ahead.

On my present trip to Grand Lodge in New York, as your Representative, it was a thrilling experience to see the workings of our Grand Lodge Committee's and to have the privilege of casting our vote of Churchville Lodge in matters pertaining to our great Fraternity. The reports of all the committees are to numerous to list in this communication, so they will be placed in Lodge for your examination.

Our Lodge will be dark for our summer recess and will convene again on Sept. 10th.

Don't forget the Annual Family Picnic on July 19th at Churchville Park. Hope to see a good turnout.

If you have overlooked your Brotherhood Donation, please find it in your heart to remember it as it is for a worthy and great cause. Time is growing short.

Have a safe and pleasant summer.

Fraternally,
George Simon, Master



up people for the several parts.

FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

My sincere thanks and appreciation is extended to all Brothers and their Ladies, who assisted in making our 125th Anniversary Banquet the success that it was. The attendance, cooperation and enthusiasm, - ace - is again evident and reflected a good time for all.

We are most grateful to the Grand Master, M:W: Arthur Markewich for being in attendance and bringing to us an inspiring message.

Our thanks also goes to the Damascus Temple Color Guard and the Damascus Temple Chanters for their part in our program. We thank the Potentate of Damascus Temple, Illustrrious O. Deane Erwood for making this possible. Another group, the Orchestra under the direction of Bro. Al Miller, kept us on our 'toes'.

To W: Robert Galloway, the Lodge Officers and Brothers, your support was invaluable and the feeling of Masonry was predominant.

The letters received from out-of-town Brothers were enjoyed by all, and your thoughts were appreciated.

As we look ahead, in our 125th year, plans are being made for more activities.

As previously mentioned, in other letters, the up-dated history and Roster of members will be available upon request. It will be mailed to you, as a limited supply was printed.

Soon we will start the Summer recess and may I extend to all, best wishes for an enjoyable summer season.

Fraternally,
R:W: Barton S. Horner,
Secretary



Bro. Irving Bridge (Center) Chaplain of Flower City Lodge, flanked on his right by R:W: Septimius DiLauro, D.D.G.M., First Monroe and on his left by W: Sy Kopen, Master, after being presented with the Dedicated Service Award of Grand Lodge.

FLOWER CITY LODGE No. 910 2nd Tuesday

TRESTLEBOARD

June 10 - Open meeting - Sport shirt night and Joke night with gifts and special refreshments.

July 13 - Family Picnic at Seneca Park.

Our final meeting before the Summer recess will take the form of a competition for the Sportiest shirt and the Funniest Jokes. Gifts will be awarded and we are promised special refreshments.

FAMILY PICNIC

This will take place on Sunday, July 13th, at Seneca Park. Full details will be forthcoming soon in the mail, and as usual, all arrangements are being handled by the Fellowcraft Club under the direction of our Junior Warden.

TRIP TO PALESTINE LODGE TORONTO, CANADA

Twenty of us, including the Master of Wakan Lodge, W: John Rees, and two of his Past Masters, and also a Past Master from Union Star, W: Don Magruder, journeyed to Toronto on April 23rd for what proved to be a very momentous and incident-laden evening. A capacity crowd of well over 300 gathered at the Masonic Temple in Yonge Street for the events of the evening. W: Sy Kopen, Master of Flower City Lodge, made the official presentation of the U.S. Flag to the Master of Palestine Lodge, together with a certificate, both of them with the compliments of R:W: and Honorable Frank Horton. We then witnessed the conferral of the Third Degree by a team from Scotland Lodge, in the Six-Nations Indian Reservation. Some of the work on the floor was of the highest standard, and created a very deep impression on those present. The general consensus was that our visit had been well worthwhile. On the return journey, the car containing our Senior Warden and group apparently decided to go to Montreal, but they then changed their minds and returned instead to Rochester.

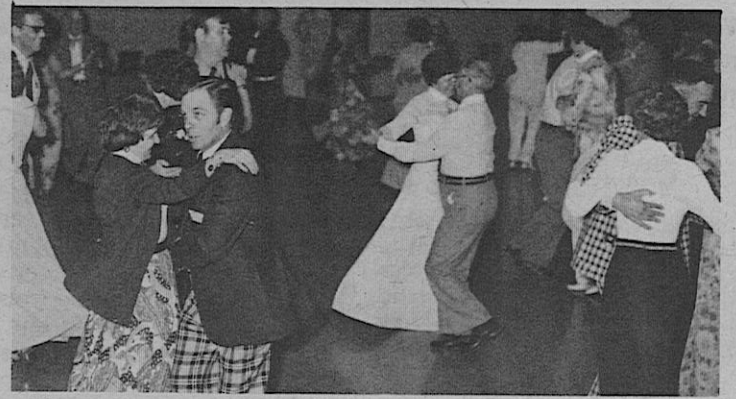
The car with the Wakan Officers had a malfunction with a non-stop tape recorder and they "enjoyed" a monologue all the way home.

The car with the Master, Sy Kopen and our Junior Warden, was buffeted for a long period by a remarkable series of gusts of wind, but they apparently weathered the "storm" and returned safely to home base.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Wor. & Mrs. Stan Weingart on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter, Amy.

To Wor. Abe A. Metzler,



They could have danced all night - and they did. Rochester and Humber doing what they know best - enjoying themselves.



Rochester Lodge: A good meal was enjoyed by all. First Row: W: Harold Donaldson and his wife Joyce from Humber. Second Row: W: Master George DeLong of Humber; W: Master George Adams of Rochester; W: James Case, Master of Humber in 1950 and Doris DeLong, wife of George.

ROCHESTER LODGE No. 660 2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren:

The visit of Humber Lodge of Weston, Ontario, Canada is in the past and will never be forgotten. This was the Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of our first meeting. In the afternoon the Canadian's exemplified their Third Degree in an excellent manner, to a large number of Rochester Brethren and visitors present, and was enjoyed by all. At the time of the meeting the Ladies were taken on shopping trips and tours of the City, ending the afternoon at the home of Bill and Kathy Sutherland for tea. In the evening we all sat down to a delicious Roast Beef dinner prepared by the Bettie B. Jurs Club. After dinner the dancing and wine tasting lasted until the wee hours of the morning. Worshipful Master George DeLong, of Humber Lodge, thanked the Rochester members and their Wives for their wonderful hospitality. Bro. John Scarr, Sr. Warden, announced that Humber Lodge would start plans for the return visit of Rochester Lodge in 1976. Also present was Bro. James Case who was Master of Humber Lodge in 1950 when the visits first started.

I would like to thank Wor. Bro. Donald Leisten and Wor. Bro. Gordon Wilson for a wonderful dinner they prepared for our "Awards Night" meeting. It was nice

on his forthcoming retirement from Prudential Insurance Co.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

We extend our sympathy to Bro. Alfred Gupp, in the passing of his father, Samuel.

Bro. Phil Weintraub is (or has been) in Strong Memorial Hospital.

Fraternally,
Wm. R. Dunsky, Hospitaler

We extend our sense of distress to our Jr. Warden, Erwin Newell, and his father-

to see the smiling face of Bro. Cosimo Ange at our meetings. Bro. Cosimo was absent for a long time because of poor health. Bro. Cosimo realized the Brothers missed him when they took all his pennies. It also was a treat to see Wor. Bro. Edward McCormick, who received his 25 year card.

Again this year Wor. Bro. Merritt Sweet has opened his home and pool for our Fellowcraft picnic on Monday, June 2nd at 6:30 p.m. Please call Jr. Warden Leo French at 288-6227.

The Annual Rochester Lodge Family Picnic will be held at Ellison Park Pavilion on the 23rd of June at 6:30 p.m. Plan to attend, all you need is a good appetite and a dish to pass. The Lodge will furnish hots, hamburgs, soft drinks and coffee. We will be mailing a card for reservations - so save the date June 23rd.

June 9th will be "Past Master's Night". We have 22 Past Master's of Rochester Lodge. I hope to see a goodly number of them in Lodge on June 9th.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 2 - Fellowcraft Picnic at Merritt Sweet's Home.

June 9 - Past Master's Nite.

June 23 - Lodge Family Picnic.

I hope all members of Rochester Lodge and their families have a most enjoyable summer.

Fraternally,
George M. Adams, Master

in-law, Bro. Irving Bridge, on their misfortune in business. Their premises, Great Lakes Automotive Supply, was gutted by fire, but happily as these lines are written, they are hopeful of being back in business within a few days.

On behalf of the Worshipful Master, I extend his best wishes to you all for a Healthy and enjoyable summer, and his sincere hope of seeing you in Lodge in September.

Fraternally,
Maurice Solomon, Past Master

WEBSTER LODGE

No. 538
1st and 3rd Thursdays

Brethren:

On April 22, nine members of Webster Lodge traveled to Fame Lodge and got the Traveling Gavel. May 1st, Sr. Warden Horace Denton was in the East to do his usual adroit execution of the Second Degree and Senior Deacon Scott Hollander doing a flawless job on the middle chamber lecture. Thirteen members from Etolian came in W: Bro. Bill Goodridge's Masonic bus to claim the traveling gavel.

I wish to thank all the Brethren for the privilege of representing Webster Lodge at the 194th Communication of Grand Lodge at the Statler Hotel and Masonic Hall in New York City on May 6, 7, and 8.

Attending the sessions should be a privilege enjoyed by all Masons. So all would have an idea of the wide scope of Grand Lodge activities. Since there is too much to cover here, my report will be entered in the minutes of our June 5th communication of Lodges.

I would also like to express the appreciation of Webster Lodge to our D.D.G.M.'s of both Monroe Districts. I feel both R:W: Sept. DiLauro and R:W: Walt Lindemuth did a fine job and worked so very well together.

Congratulations to our newly raised Brothers: Donald P. Asay, Elias P.A. Harb, Gabriel F. Ghali and Robert T. Rightmyer, on May 15th. The First section of the Third Degree was conferred by our Past Masters. W: Bob Galloway, Master of Yonnonidio Lodge and their Fellowcraft Degree Team visited Webster and conferred the Second Section. The evening of fine Degree work and fellowship will long be remembered. Unfortunately, I wasn't one of them. I got a liver infection while in N.Y.C. and was unable to attend the Third Degree. Thanks to Bro. Horace Denton and all, in making the evening run smoothly.

Bro. Horace reports as of 5/15/75, 188 contributed \$1,555.00 to our Brotherhood Fund. Thanks to all who contributed to this worthwhile cause.

Our June 5th meeting, the annual short sleeves and hot dog roast, will be move-up-nite or goof-up-nite. Where anything can happen and sometime does.

The Family Picnic on June 12th (Thursday) at 6:30 p.m. at the Fireman's Field. Bring a dish to pass, games afterward. More information to follow. This is another Social event we added to get wives and family out to Lodge activities. Plan to attend.

In closing our first half year, I wish each member of Webster Lodge and their families, a very enjoyable summer.

See you in Lodge.
Fraternally,
Ken Hutchinson, Master

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Irv Short has been in and out of the hospital. He requests blood be donated to the Red Cross in his name.

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

The sympathies of the Lodge are extended to the

ETOLIAN LODGE

No. 479
2nd and 4th Mondays

Dear Brethren:

On April 26, Etolian Lodge was host to our Canadian Brothers from Stanley Lodge No. 426 of Toronto. The First Degree was conferred on three candidates. Bro. D. Rankin, Jr. Warden, presided in the East. Bro. Sept. DiLauro, D.D.G.M., First Monroe District presented a 50 year pin to Bro. Hamilton Mercel. Bro. DiLauro also presented a special service award to Bro. Clarence Kelly one of four chosen in Monroe County to receive it on the basis of a Mason who has never been an Officer but has worked hard for the Craft.

Monday, April 28th was a regular meeting and W: Bro. William Zufall of the Service Bureau told us how our aid and assistance was extended to the community through the Service Bureau. Such as sick room equipment which is loaned to anyone in need of it without charge. Work at the V.A. Hospital in Canandaigua and assistance to our Lodges.

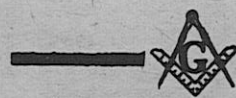
The color film on the George Washington Masonic Memorial was shown and the Lodge voted to purchase a Life Membership. Harold Pixley, P.O. S.B. also purchased a Life Membership.

April 27th, a Masonic Service was held for Bro. Howard G. Smith, who joined our departed Brothers above on April 25th.
Fraternally,
W: Wallace Lessord,
Assistant Secretary

Brother Will Goodridge returned from the Big City and Grand Lodge Convention in time to attend our regular meeting on May 12th which was Move Up Night. Bro. Goodridge enjoyed sitting on the sidelines. Bro. Dinger presided in the East.

June 9th will be a Third Degree. First Section at 5:30 p.m. Dinner will be salads, cold cuts and refreshments.

The picnic is scheduled for June 16th at Churchville Park starting at 6:30 p.m. Bring the family including grandchildren. This is the last event before summer recess. We have only eighteen meetings a year and we should be able to attend a few of them and support our Officers, and at least show them we are more than just joiners. If we don't see you have a nice summer. Drive 55 mph and save gas. If you hear of a Brother in need of our aid or sympathy call Clark Kunes or Will Goodridge.



families of Brother Herbert J. Rampert, raised July 3, 1919, and called home recently. Brother Irving G. DeMay, age 64, raised April 1, 1948, called home May 10, 1975.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 5 - Move-up-night - Grand Lodge report. Short sleeves and hot dog roast.

June 12 - Family Picnic - Webster Fireman's Field - 6:30 p.m.

Sept. 4 - Old Timers Nite - 50 Year Pins by D.D.G.M. Corn & Sausage Roast by Jr. Warden.



Clarence Kelly of Etolian Lodge in his Special Award Apron which he received for his many years of service to the Craft.

HENRIETTA LODGE No. 526



2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren:

If you are one who missed our "Past Master's Night" on April 8th, you missed one of the highlights of the year. We had hoped most of them could and would make it but they surpassed our imagination with 23 Past Masters turning out. What a good feeling it is for Brothers to meet, greet and enjoy old and new friendships. Brothers who haven't seen one another for years and meeting new Brothers.

After a turkey dinner, the Past Masters filled the stations and opened Lodge. Roll Call was made by R:W: Francis J. Raab and each Past Master gave a brief summary of his year as Master. As "Dean of Past Masters", R:W: George Benedict was presented a plaque by the Brothers and each Past Master was awarded an "Honorable Recognition certificate" and all were awarded "Grand Honors."

It was a night to be remembered and it was noted that W: Sam Zornow, Master in 1937, has been a member of the Lodge for 64 years. We pray that these men will be around for many years to come and that their health and that of their families will remain good. The Past Masters are the backbone of any Lodge.

After closing Lodge, the Past Masters got together and formed a "Henrietta Lodge Past Masters Club" with W: Frank Cromarty as President and W: Lou French as Secretary-Treasurer. They agreed to meet about twice a year.

April 20th, Henrietta Lodge had their annual Church and Communion Service followed by breakfast at the Genesee Valley Methodist church. Our appreciation goes to W: Bro. Gilbert L. Gilbert as Chairman and his helpers. Our D.D.G.M. was the speaker on the "Utica Home". I do hope you take time to visit the Utica Home.

April 22nd we raised four Brothers in the Third Degree. The Second Section was portrayed in Robes by our Past Masters. Our D.D.G.M. was with us and had a message from the Grand Master. It was good to see so many Past Masters back in Lodge for the Degree.

After the Degree, Hamilton Chapter No. 62 of Royal Arch Masons, served lunch for all.

Among our distinguished visitors was Brother Rev. William T. Plews, W: Brother Ivan Ball and W: Brother Ralph Bigger.

Our June 10th meeting will be our annual Family Night

with a dinner and entertainment by the Shrine Clowns. Let's all turn out and enjoy ourselves. A donation of \$1.00 per adult to cover the expenses will be collected. This will be our last meeting until September.

Have a good summer and may God Bless.

Fraternally,
Mel Simmons, Master

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

Brother George Colwell.

SECRETARY'S RAMBLINGS

My thanks to those Brothers who responded to my appeal for dues, however I am deeply concerned about a number of the Brothers of whom I have heard nothing. If it is an economic problem, then please let us know and I am sure that arrangements can be made to keep you in good standing. At least let us know that you are still interested in belonging. As of this date 3 Brothers owe for 3 years, 7 owe for 2 years and 31 owe for 1 year. Won't you please make an effort and clear yourselves on our books?

We welcome our new Brothers and invite them to attend as many meetings as their cable tow permits. Bro. Gerald LaFarge, Bro. Gale L. Gridley, Bro. Wilbur D. Orr, and Bro. Wendell H. Schilinger were raised to the sublime Degree of Master Mason and signed the By-Laws on April 22, 1975. Congratulations, my Brothers.

On April 26th, the Supreme Architect saw fit to call to his side Brother George H. Colwell, a 52 year member of Henrietta Lodge. We mourn his passing and extend our deepest sympathy to his family.

We also would like to extend our deep sympathy to Bro. Ray Beardsley, a member of Northfield Lodge, and his family on the loss of his son Gary. May God sustain them in their sorrow and comfort them in this, their time of grief.

And now my Brothers, until we meet again, God love you and keep you well.

Fraternally,
Francis "Joe" Raab,
Secretary

ORPHEUS LODGE

No. 1082
2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Dear Brothers:

The Grand Lodge Convention is now History; and I can unequivocally state, that it was a most inspiring and enlightening event. The magnitude and universality of our fraternal order, is demonstrated more forcibly at this gathering, than any other manifestation of the Craft.

With this issue, the 1975 Brotherhood Fund Drive comes to a close. How did we do? -- I'm happy to say that we have exceeded any previous year in our history, both as to number of contributors, and total amount. You all have my unqualified gratitude for your fine response.

During our meeting of May 13th, the First Degree was conferred upon a class of two candidates. Past Master and W: Bill Helmski was in the East. My compliments to him and the Officers of the Line for a job well done. As of this writing, a Second Degree is scheduled for May 27th. Also projected for the June 10th meeting is a Third Degree, which will be conferred in its entirety by our own members. Come on out for this one, and root for the home team.

Fraternally,
Bill Dworkin, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

June 3 - Rehearsal and Officers meeting - 7:30 p.m.
June 10 - Third Degree - 8:00 p.m.
Aug. 24 - Family picnic at Mendon Ponds Park. Watch your mail for more on this.

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WAKAN LODGE
No. 1054
2nd and 4th Mondays

Dear Brethren:

It was a great honor to represent Wakan Lodge at the Annual Grand Lodge Sessions in New York City during the week of May 5 through 9. On behalf of my wife and I, I would like to express my deepest thanks. This attendance at Grand Lodge must be one of the most memorable events of each Master's year.

On May 12th we were honored by the presence of R:W: Walter Lindemuth, D.D.G.M. of the Second Monroe District, who presented Past Master W: Joe Dimino with The Dedicated Service Apron and while in the East receiving the Apron, W: Joe in turn, handed R:W: Walt a check for \$250.00, the proceeds of the Garage Sale sponsored by the members of Wakan Lodge. Following the meeting Bro. Fred Star, District Manager of Heublein Wines International spoke to the members and wives on the subject, "All About Wines", with samples. My sincerest thanks to Bro. Fred and also to my wife Lillian and Nessi, the Senior Stewards wife, for preparing the bread and different varieties of cheeses. The Officers did a fine job of serving the wines, also, many thanks. It is a fact that we do encourage more members to Lodge when we invite the wives and families to participate in activities held after an open open meeting.

I would like to thank all who contributed and participated in the Garage Sale and made it such a success and a special thanks to W: Robert Orne and his wife Gladys who chauffeured us to the Airport prior to our departure for Grand Lodge. A very pleasant surprise.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Our Hospitalers report that our sick Brothers are about the same except that Bro. Charles Himmler has had to undergo surgery and is in St. Mary's and is as well as can be expected. They would all love to see visitors or receive cards. Get well soon.

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

A Masonic Service was held at Younglove Funeral Home for Bro. Charles F. Judsum on May 2nd and the wishes of his wife Kay fulfilled by the Lodge members acting as Pall Bearers at the funeral. Bro. Charles was, up to his illness, the Chaplain of Wakan Lodge, a devoted and well loved member, and will be missed by his fellow Brethren. Our deepest condolences to the remaining members of the family.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 9 - Officers Move-Up-Night and Sports Shirt Night followed by Strawberry Shortcake. Report on Grand Lodge.

June 27 - Lodge family picnic at Ellison Park.

Aug. 16 - Fellowcraft Steak Roast at W: Bob Zollweggs cottage at Honeoye Lake.

The committees on these forthcoming events will be sending out cards in ample time.

Fraternally,
John Rees, Master



Wakan Lodge No. 1054 - "Scotland goes to Wales" - Rochester Tartan Square Club visits Wakan Lodge to exemplify ritual "The Scottish Way."

NORTHFIELD LODGE
No. 426
1st & 3rd Thursdays



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Northfield Lodge - Left to Right: Rt. Wor. Lloyd McConnell, Wor. Walter Schleede and Wor. Harold Gleason, Master of Vero Beach Lodge.

Dear Brethren:

Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to Ray and Lila Beardsley and family in their sorrow over the tragic loss of their beloved son Gary. May they take comfort in the promises of immortality offered by the Supreme Architect of the Universe.

Bud Pierce now reports that we have received contributions to the Masonic Brotherhood Fund from 154 members or about 80% of our membership for a total contribution of \$843.00 to date. Even though the Brotherhood Fund Drive ends May 31, there are a few days grace left in June if you still have not sent in your donations. I would like very much to have Northfield Lodge show a 100% contribution this year.

It seemed very good to have such a wonderful turnout at our Third Degree on May 15. The Northfield Chapter of the Eastern Star chaired by W. Linda Zahn provided us with an excellent roast beef dinner. 44 members and 10 visitors were present at the meeting. At your first opportunity, please extend a hearty welcome to our new Brothers Donald Brown, Claudio Meluso, John Parker and Anthony Pfeffer.

R:W: Lloyd McConnell, Past Master of Northfield, presented Wor. Walter Schleede, also a Past Master of Northfield, with his fifty year pin at a Lodge in Vero Beach Florida.

Finally, don't forget the Northfield Lodge annual picnic on June 14, at Hopkins Point Lodge in Mendon Ponds Park. Festivities begin about 3:30 p.m. Bring a dish to pass. Hotdogs, hamburgers and beverages will be furnished. A nominal charge will be made.

Fraternally,
R.E. Phelps, Master

SENECA LODGE
No. 920
3rd Tuesday



MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren:

I have an idea that this issue of the Monroe Masonic News will contain many Masters' messages concerning, in part, at least, the Grand Lodge communication we all attended in New York City from May 6 through May 8. My message will be no exception. I found this annual meeting to be a truly inspiring, educational and entertaining experience. It is unfortunate that each of you will not be able to attend one of these communications, but obviously, space limitations make this impossible. I have never been one who enjoyed listening to one committee report after another, but in this instance, the meetings were run so smoothly and the reports given with such conciseness and clarity that everyone's interest was maintained. At this writing, we have not had our May communication at which I will give a report as to the business conducted at Grand Lodge.

Our June communication will be an open meeting at which time I had hoped to be able to have an unveiling ceremony of the display of the Grand Lodge aprons and jewels of R:W: William F. Strang and R:W: Clarence J. Henry. Unfortunately, we have not been able to locate R:W: Strang's apron and jewel although we are hot on the trail. Therefore, the ceremony will have to be delayed. I'm sure our Junior Warden, Larry Snodgrass, will come up with an interesting program for our June communication.

Fraternally,
Bruce E. Hansen, Master

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FIRST MONROE DISTRICT

I do know that this total is to be greater as quite a few of the Chairmen did not get their reports in to me in time to meet the News deadline. Please make sure that when June 1st reaches us, and this year's Fund is over with, I need reports from all the Chairmen so that I can send my final report to Grand Lodge. I appreciate all that you have done this year towards our goal. Thank you.

Fraternally,
W.G.K. Becker

	Member-ship	No. of Contr.	Amt. Contr.
109 Valley	413	110	831.00
154 Penfield	218	63	565.00
163 Yonnonadio	523	80	767.53
173 Monroe	214	42	327.75
476 Fairport	298	83	599.50
479 Etolian	372	69	458.00
538 Webster	465	94	1,205.50
779 Clio	316	87	815.95
910 Flower City	474	88	792.93
920 Seneca	423	121	1,431.00
943 Ancient Craft	237	55	539.00
964 W.C. Hubbard	313	42	359.00
990 F.L. Simes	247	56	627.00
1020 East Rochester	154	94	749.33
1082 Orpheus	104	29	298.50
MISCELLANEOUS			
Fidelity Triangle		1	100.00
1975 Past Masters		1	25.50
Federal Square Club		1	10.00
Fire & Police Square Club		1	5.00
K.P. Square Club		1	12.50
Masonic Gothic Bowling League		1	45.00
TOTAL		1,119	\$10,564.99

SECOND MONROE DISTRICT

	Member-ship	No. of Contr.	Amt. Contr.
320 Union Star	157	21	141.00
426 Northfield	196	94	716.00
507 Genesee Falls	537	246	1,908.00
526 Henrietta	234	78	579.00
660 Rochester	280	81	75.13
667 Churchville	125	45	235.50
722 Germania	310	64	562.00
759 Oatka	169	56	425.00
797 F.R. Lawrence	150	76	1,047.00
805 Corinthian Tem.	352	78	748.00
945 Fame	347	160	1,235.00
951 Zetland	214	46	663.00
969 Craftsman	271	104	1,099.00
1032 J.A. Robertson	311	130	1,015.68
1054 Wakan	253	73	887.00
1088 Charlotte	569	294	1,664.00
MISCELLANEOUS			
Genesee Falls Lodge to match member donations			2,000.00
Fidelity Triangle		1	100.00
1975 Past Masters		1	25.50
Federal Square Club		1	10.00
Fire & Police Square Club		1	5.00
K.P. Square Club		1	12.50
Tartan Square Club		1	100.00
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**MONROE
COMMANDERY
No. 12**

**KNIGHTS
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**IONIC CHAPTER
No. 210
Royal Arch Masons**

Companions:

By the time you read this the Degrees will have been completed and our May meeting will be a memory. The first half of the years labor completed, we are called from labor to refreshment for the Summer. May all have a happy vacation and be well rested for our fall labors, but don't forget our picnic on Sept. 7th. Bring the family and have fun.

World morality, social standards and respect for law and rights of others has regressed a whole century. Love, respect and belief in the Supreme Architect of the Universe are being ridiculed and smothered out of existence. My Brothers, Masonry has the manpower in Universal membership and the tools to shed the light, spread the word that by the experience of Brotherly Love we are taught to regard the human race as one family who created by our Almighty Father, inhabiting the same planet, should help aid and assist one another instead of destroying each other. We have the organization, why don't we promulgate the Universal Law that as you sow, so will you reap?

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT

Brother Ellis De Witt, Exalted January 22, 1935, Passed to the Great Beyond on April 7, 1975 at age 83 years. May Bro. Ellis obtain that blessed immortality He has promised us.

Fraternally,
Dean Airy; High Priest



may God Bless You.

NOTES FROM THE RECORDER

It is that time of year when we are ready for our summer recess. It is that time when thoughts turn to golf, gardening, fishing, hiking, and all the other pleasures of the season. I know that all of us would like to put our financial house in order before we begin to enjoy the pleasures of summer. Will each of you take a look at your dues card? Does it say the year '73, '74 or '75? You must remember that your fraternal house depends upon your financial support. If your dues card does not say 1975 on it, you should get in touch with me as soon as possible. I will be very happy to hear from you.

We have just installed a new slate of Officers with a new Commander. He has a wonderful program planned, but it needs you as a part of it. Come out next Fall and support your Commandery in its meetings and projects.

Have a good summer and come back refreshed and ready for a full Templar program.

Fraternally,
Melvin Simmons,
Eminent Commander
Walter G. Fotch,
Recorder & Reporter

**CYRENE
COMMANDERY
No. 39
KNIGHTS
TEMPLAR**



This is my first message to all Sir Knights as the Em. Commander of Cyrene Commandery No. 39.

I was very excited and glad that you decided to have me as your Em. Commander for the year 1975-76. I shall try to do my best always.

To all who attended our Installation on May 9, 1975, many thanks. To my wife and relatives, I am glad that you could make it and hope that you all had a grand time. I know I did.

To all Officers taking part, what could we do without you? To the ones taking part, many thanks. Rt. Em. S.K. F. William Young as Installing Officer; Em. S.K. Robert W. Case as Grand Marshal; Em. S.K. C. Leslie Brown as Captain General.

To the Ladies of the Schicker Club, thanks to all for your part and have a grand year with us.

For June we will have no Conclaves but we will have our annual picnic at the home of our Em. Commander. The date of the picnic is June 28 at 6 P.M., Howard Hornik, 1000 Silvercrest Dr., Webster, N.Y. Phone 872-3716. Hope to see you then.

The new Council Officers of Cyrene Commandery are as follows: Em. Com. S.K. Howard Hornik; Generalissimo S.K. Donald L. Evans; Captain General, S.K. Horace C. Porter, P.C.; Treasurer, S.K. C. Ray Hager, P.C.; Recorder, S.K. Gordon C. Mosher, P.C.

These are the Sir Knights who are our leaders this year. Let's give them the support that they need.

At this time we have no sickness to report or deaths to report to the Commandery.

Our Recorder would like to receive your dues.

As summer is just about here, have a good one, drive carefully and we will see you all in the fall.

Our first conclave in Sept. is the 12th and we will see all our Officers in the line. Soon after that is the Grand Commandery Convention to be held this year at Lake Placid on Sept. 20, 21 and 22. More about that in the Sept. issue. Please plan to attend.

This is all for now but have a good time during the summer.

Fraternally,
Em. Com. Howard Hornik
S.K. Roy E. Huff, Reporter

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



Congratulations are in order for W: Thomas Heller who was elected Adjutant General of the Masonic War Veterans of the State of New York. Our frequent visitor and friend W: John Naylor is now the Commander General.

Our Commander, W: Bro. "Chick" Becker also attended the Masonic War Veterans Convention

**HAMILTON CHAPTER NO. 62
ROYAL ARCH
MASONS**



**2nd and 4th
Thursdays
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Dear Companions:

Did you ever get the feeling, while attending a meeting, that this just had to be the best meeting and the most meaningful one in a long time? Well, on May 8th, this happened to me. It wasn't because of my very little part in it but, rather because the Past High Priests of Hamilton Chapter made it come true by the excellent work they did in opening Chapter and highlighting it with the presentation of an Apron to R:E: Hal Miller. With a foundation like our Past High Priests, Hamilton Chapter will never have to worry about falling. Thank you, one and all, for a job well done.

On May 22nd, we found ourselves in the very capable hands of Rev. Paul Gleason who did a miraculous job at our Memorial Service. Paul - words are not enough to thank you for the fine job you did. Although R:E: Bill Plews was unable to be with us that night we owe him a vote of thanks also for the work he did in laying out this service.

ANNUAL PICNIC TIME

When: June 12, 1975.
Where: Powder Hord Lodge at Powder Mill Park.
Time: 5:30 p.m. till? Dinner at 7:00 p.m.

For: The whole family. Yes, here we are again ready to celebrate our annual picnic. Don't let the family miss this. Just mark your calendar, bring a dish to pass and jump in the car on the 12th and join us. We will furnish dishes, drinks, coffee, meat and the best cooks in Western New York. Don't dress the children in their Sunday best, because Powder Horn Lodge is located near the sled and ski slope.

If you come into the Park via Rt. 96, off Expressway 490, you will be on Park Rd. At the Fish Hatchery turn left to Woolston Rd., turn right and the Lodge is on the right hand side of the road. Come and join your friends.

This being our last gathering for the Summer, and for those who cannot be with us at the picnic, I would like to wish you a very pleasant summer and we'll see you in the Fall at our Sept. 11th meeting.

Fraternally,
Ray Morgan, High Priest

The American Flag displayed at the Masonic display, Adjacent to the Freedom Train, was presented by the Post. Our Post also acted as the Color Guard at these ceremonies.

Incidentally, any member of the Post who will be attending St. John's Day at Utica on June 21st can assist with the Honor Guard along with members of the Grand Post.

Commander "Chick" Becker wishes each of you and your family a safe and enjoyable summer.

DATES TO REMEMBER
June 12 - Post meeting
June 20-21 - St. John's Day at Utica.

**WEBSTER CHAPTER
No. 296
Royal Arch Masons**

Companions:

Webster Chapter can take pride in having two of its Past High Priests, as outgoing and incoming Em. Commanders of Cyrene Commandery. Congratulations to both Excellent Companions, W. Scott Hollander and Howard Hornik.

You just can't keep a good Masonic worker out of the limelight. We found that out when hearing that Ex. Comp. Horace Denton had accepted the position of Education and Service Chairman for the 27th District.

On the 26th of April, Rededication ceremonies were held in Dansville, N.Y. for the 150th Anniversary of Dansville Chapter No. 91. Ex. Comp. Clyde Sterner and Comp. Richard Eades really made the evening a success. Here's looking forward to your 200th.

The 13th of May, saw our Chapter recognizing its Past High Priests. There were ten of them present, willing and able to give the highlights of their term. The Senior Ex. Comp. Walter L. Campbell (High Priest - 1934), related several interesting historical facts to those present.

The 17th of May, Webster Chapter had the pleasure and fun of putting on the Royal Arch Widows Degree at Medina Chapter No. 281. King Solomon (E.C. George Gerkin) and Grand Herald (E.C. Don Evans) were the leading actors, whom also lead about 20 other Companions and wives to the Apple Grove for an enjoyable feast. Thanks to Comp. Lou Hattler of Hamilton Chapter for his appreciated assistance in conferring that Degree.

Webster Chapter has given up three of its Companions to The Supreme Architect. Called Home were: Comp. H. J. Rambert, Comp. S.E. Humphrey and Comp. B.H. O'Dell. Resolutions of respect were made to their respective families.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 10 - Regular meeting followed by a Euchre Tournament.

June 24 - Family Picnic at Webster Park. For reservations, please call 315-926-5464, evenings; 716-872-5468 work days.

Fraternally,
James O. Hughes, Jr.
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DAMASCUS NEWS

WITHIN THE BLUE LODGES

PAST MASTERS DEGREE TEAM

During the month of May the Damascus Temple Past Masters Degree Team visited Charlotte Lodge No. 1088, and conferred the Third Degree on their class of Five Candidates.

Noble Harold Weiser, our President, was pleased with the excellent attendance and congratulates each member of the Team for their cooperation and fine work.

The Degree Team is sched-

uled to confer the Third Degree at Zetland Lodge No. 951 on June 12. Dinner will be served at 6:30 with the Degree at 7:30 p.m.

Any Lodge interested in having the Shrine Past Masters Degree Team confer the Third Degree may contact Harold Weiser at his home at 271-6763 or at his place of business at 232-3351. Fraternaly, Everett Van Putte, Secretary-Treasurer

A Week-end Ever to Remember

You are cordially invited to attend the Damascus Temple 100th Anniversary Ball at the Downtown Holiday Inn, June 21, 1975, honoring Illustrious Potentate O. Deane Erwood.

The Ball will start with the Social Hour at 6:00 P.M., dinner at 7:30 P.M. Dancing will be from 10-2, with Carl Dengler and his twelve piece ensemble, playing all your old favorites.

The cost is \$14.00 per person for dinner. Also there is a weekend package which includes the Ball, lodging for Saturday night and Sunday brunch all for \$53.00 per couple. Get your friends together and have a table reserved for your group. Send in your check with your reservations today and "Let's Have A Ball" to remember.

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Ladies NEWS

NOLA CHAPTER NO. 368

Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Members:

I sure was glad to see so many out to our Mother & Daughter Dinner. We had a very nice choice of food and everything looked good and tasted good (I know). I would like to thank the committee for the work they did, also the Gross sisters for the Blessing which they gave in song. Mary Shakeshaft and Holley Morris received a token for the eldest and youngest present.

Glad to hear Tim Heeg is improving and also Deforest Skelton is on the mend.

We did very well on the Bakeless Bake Good Sale and anyone who has not paid, please contact Sister Eleanor Dick. The out-of-town Sisters were happy to help and wrote notes which we enjoyed.

W: Lucille Mason and Committee put on a nice Masonic dinner. Thanks to all who worked and donated.

We draped the Altar in memory of R:W: Demaris Girven and Sister Sada Garrison.

On June 3rd we will have long form so would like all officers and members to attend. It is our last meeting until Fall. June committee-Mary Shakeshaft, Chloe Carmer, Ruth Riexinger and Gail Buck.

On July 19th we will have our Masonic and Star Family Picnic.

Anyone who has not paid their dues, please do so now.

Hope to see you all at Chapter.

Fraternaly,
Dorothy E. Erion,
Worthy Matron

JENNIE M. LORD CONSTELLATION No. 5

The month of April went very well. The homecoming for Brenda Miller, Grand Star of Reliance was very nice. We visited Jerry in Sonyea on April 20th and gave him presents which he loved very much. Because Jerry had been exposed to chickenpox, our Exalted Star, Heather Cooper, had to talk and see Jerry from outside through the window, but it was fun just the same. On April 25 we attended the Installation

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FIDELITY TRIANGLE



Fidelity Triangle New Line Officers: Guardian, Karen Metzler; Jr. Lady, Mary Kay Jackson; Beloved Queen, Dolores Hill; Sr. Lady, Patty Hutchinson; and Chaplain, Diane Reitz.

May 3 - Beloved Queen Dolores Hill and her staff of Officers were installed by Jr. Deputy Karen Leipold of Lilac Triangle who graciously substituted for Jr. Deputy Helen Paget who was partly incapacitated.

The Installing Marshalls were Past Queens, Mary Ann Farrell and Ann Hassoldt.

The organist was Daddy Martin Reitz and the soloist was Susan Daycock.

The Installing Chaplain was Past Beloved Queen Kathy Ogborne.

The Color Guard of the James A. Hard Post of the Masonic War Veterans presented and retired the colors.

Special guests included, Jr. Advisor Debbie Leipold; Rt. Wor. Walter Lindemuth, D.D.G.M.; Karen Leipold, Jr. Deputy of Lilac Triangle; W: William Zufall, Director of Masonic Service Bureau; Beloved Queen Debbie Arthur of Lilac Triangle; W: Kenneth Hutchinson, Master of Webster Lodge; Past Beloved Queen Kathy Ogborne; W: Horace New, President of Inter-Lodge Fellowship Committee; Mrs. Carol Metzler, Queen of Zama Temple, Daughters of the Nile; Mr. William Doud, Master Councilor of Rochester DeMolay; and Commander Becker of the James A. Hard Post.

A reception, social hour and refreshments followed the ceremony.

We give a special "Thank You" to Karen Leipold, for her help with the Installation and for her help at the Election of Officers.

of Bill Dowd, Master Counselor, of Rochester Chapter Order of DeMolay, which is always interesting and beautiful.

Our annual convocation was held May 1 through 4, at the Watson Homestead, in Painted Post, N.Y. Many of our girls attended as we greeted old friends and met new ones. Two of our girls received Grand Offices, Brenda Miller, District Deputy Grand Exalted Star of District No. 3, and Wendy Bock, a member of the Grand Advisory Board. Our congratulations to both girls. Linda and Elaine Beardsley and

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LILAC TRIANGLE



Beloved Queen Debbie Arthur and Eminent Commander, Sir Knight Howard Hornik at the Cyrene Commandery No. 39, Knights Templar Installation on May 9, 1975.

Many of our group attended the Grand Matron's Official Visit at Cathedral Hall in the city on April 26th.

Lilac Triangle joined in fraternal sisterhood with Fidelity Triangle for their Installation of Officers on May 3rd.

Our girls were usherettes for Cyrene Commandery No. 39, Knights Templar for the Installation of Howard Hornik on May 9. The Knights dress uniforms were very elaborate with feathered hats and with either a gold or silver sword. It is our understanding from S:K: Hornik that he is one of the few Commanders to possess his own personal sword. Also, might we add, it is a finely crafted one.

On the same evening of May 9th, some of our girls attended the Genesee Valley Chapter Order of DeMolay for the Installation of Bob Weed as Master Councilor.

Lilac girls served the Past Matron's Dinner in the city on May 15th.

On May 18th, our young ladies joined in a church service with our Beloved Queen Debbie Arthur, at the First Presbyterian Church in East Rochester.

May 19th, Lilac presented a fraternal Degree to Masons and to Eastern Star members at our meeting. Also, that evening, a Memorial Degree was presented, which was warmly received.

May 31st, we will have a car wash at the Country Club Plaza in East Rochester as a charity project. Bring your dirty car and receive a shiny clean car in return!!!

"Aunt" Lila Beardsley, were called home on Saturday because their brother (son) had died in an auto accident. The Jennie M. Lord Constellation would like to express their sympathy to the Beardsley family. Another of our sponsors, "Aunt" Midge Thompson, has just undergone surgery at Highland Hospital. We all hope she will be better soon.

Don't forget, June 7th is our regular meeting with Installation of Officers.

Karen Brethen
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