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District Deputy Grand Master, 1st Monroe District



R:.W:. Wayne H. Slack

R:.W:. Wayne H. Slack was raised in Winooski Lodge #49, Waterbury, Vermont, 1947. That same year he accepted a position with Stromberg Carlson Co. and moved to Rochester. He affiliated with Penfield Union Lodge #154 in 1959, was Worshipful Master in 1974, has served as Chaplain and is presently serving as Musician. He is a member of the Scottish Rite bodies of the Valley of Rochester, Hamilton Chapter #62, RAM, Damascus Temple, Lalla Rookh Grotto, Constellation Chapter #329, OES, and is presently serving as President of the Past Masters' Supper Club.

A veteran of World War II, Bro. Slack served as Post Commander of Doty Magill Post #771 of the American Legion in 1978

R:.W:. Bro. Slack attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, NY and, after moving to Rochester, attended night school and graduated from R.I.T. in 1953.

In 1947 he married Margaret Seifert of Troy. They have three children, daughters Virginia and Carol, and son Wayne W. who is also a member of Penfield Union Lodge. The family moved to their present home at 105 Peachtree Rd., Penfield, in 1952, where they are members of the Penfield United Methodist Church, which Wayne has served in many capacities, including as a Trustee, and a Church School Superintendent.

R:.W:. Bro. Slack retired from Stromberg Carlson in 1981. He is a member of the Genesee Valley Antique Car Society, and is presently restoring a 1925 Jewett.

Grand Master Re-Elected: District Officers Appointed



M:.W:. Ernest Leonardi

One of the highlights of the recently concluded 202nd Annual Communication of Grand Lodge was certainly the re-election of M:.W:. Ernest Leonardi as Grand Master and R:.W:. Calvin G. Bond as Deputy Grand Master. R:.W:. Arthur E. Smith was elected Grand Treasurer, replacing R:.W:. Robert Singer in that

Perhaps the most significant action taken by the members of the Grand Lodge during this session was an amendment to

the Book of Constitutions providing that the jurisdiction of all the Lodges over candidates residing in the State of New York shall be concurrent.

Following the close of the Annual Communication, the Grand Master announced the appointment of the following District and Staff Officers from the First and Second Monroe Districts:

R:.W:. Wayne H. Slack, D.D.G.M., 1st Monroe District R:.W:. Warren M. Trimble, Jr., D.D.G.M., 2nd Monroe

R:.W:. Robert E. Rudman, Grand Sword Bearer

R:.W:. John W. Dense, Grand Director of Ceremonies

These officers, along with other appointed and elected Grand Lodge Officers from all parts of New York State, will be formally invested at the St. John's Day service at the Masonic Home, Utica, on Saturday, June 18, 1983. They would be pleased to see and greet you there.

The Monroe Masonic News extends its sincerest congratulations to each of these honored Brothers, along with best wishes for a successful and productive year of service to Masonry and the Grand Lodge in the Monroe

District Deputy Grand Master, 2nd Monroe District



R:.W:. Warren M. Trimble, Jr.

R:.W:. Warren M. Trimble, Jr. was raised in Corinthian Temple Lodge #805 in May 1948. He served as Worshipful Master in 1958, then in 1960 he began an eleven year term as Secretary. He has also served as an officer in both Bethany Shrine #1, WSJ, and University. Star Chapter, OES.

Bro. Trimble is presently working as a volunteer in the Masonic Service Bureau office.

A member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Warren is a reader of the lessons, a member of the office guild, and an

He is a graduate of West

High School and Rochester Athaneum and Mechanics Institute (now R.I.T.). He retired with 31 years of service with the New York State Dep't. of Labor, where he was involved on the Albany scene with the preparation and passage of the first New York State Minimum Wage Law covering Farm Workers. He also co-developed an educational program for migrant farm laborers and co-authored a training/field manual for the staff.

R:.W:. Bro. Trimble resides at 533 Apple Ochard Lane in

Grand Director of Ceremonies



R:.W:. John W. Dense

R:.W:. John W. Dense was raised in Fame Lodge #945 in June of 1968, and was Worshipful Master just 5 years later. He is currently in his seventh year as Secretary of Fame Lodge. Bro. Dense is a member of the Metropolitan Police & Fire Square Club and the Kodak Square Club. In 1959 he received the Chevalier Award of the Order of DeMolay, and he served on the 2nd Monroe District Brotherhood Fund Committee in 1981-1982.

R:.W:. Br. Dense is a f Laurelton Pr sbyterian Church, and is a Rochester.

former elder of the church.

He is presently employed at Eastman Kodak Co., and is a member of Rochester Chapter of the American Society of Metals. He is a 1962 graduate of Syracuse University and a veteran of the US Army.

An active Volunteer Fireman since 1974, Bro. Dense is presently serving as Secretary of the Irondequoit Exempts.

Bro. Dense and his wife, the former Karen Pfrommer of Rochester live with their two children at 6 Highview Drive in

Dinner to Honor **Retiring Grand** Lodge Officers

Dear Brethren

It hardly seems possible that another full year has passed and we must again make plans for the annual dinner honoring our Grand Lodge Officers.

The dinner will be held at the Party House on Beahon Road on Friday, June 3, 1983. The attitude adjustment hour is set at 6:00 P.M. and dinner will be served at 7:00 P.M. While the details are not complete we feel that we can again enjoy a fine dinner at last year's price of \$10. per person.

Your committee is working

hard to plan a pleasant evening The only way in which we car show our sincere appreciation for the efforts put out by our Grand Lodge Officers is by showing up in goodly numbers.

Reservations should be made thru Phil Averbach - Phone No 458-1817. Remember a reserva tion made, is a reservation paid regardless of attendance.

We look forward to another great evening in fellowship with our many brethren.

> Fraternally yours Fred J. Belluscie Chairman

Grand Sword Bearer



R:.W:. Robert E. Rudman

R:.W:. Robert E. Rudman was raised in Monroe Lodge #173 in Brockport in 1963, and has served two terms as Worshipful Master; first in 1969 and subsequently in 1980. He is a member of the Rochester Scottish Rite Bodies, and has been very active in the establishment of Western Monroe Chapter of the Order of DeMolay, which he currently serves as Advisor.

R:.W:. Bro. Rudman is a member of Brockport United Methodist Church, where he has chaired several important committees.

A graduate of Brockport Central School and R.I.T., Bro. Rudman has worked for Rochester Gas & Electric since 1956, and is currently Superintendent of Gas Inspections and Operations. He is a member of several national and regional professional societies, and has served as chairman of several committees therein. He was a 1977 recipient of the Award of Merit of the American Gas Association.

R:.W:. Bro. Rudman and his wife, the former Dolores Bartlett of Clarendon, NY, have two children, a daughter and a son. They reside at 385 Washington St. in Spencerport,

Bro. Rudman is also a member of the US Army Reserves and the New York State National Guard.

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MASTER & WARDENS ASSOCIATION

The 1983 Masters, "Burgundy Bunch", "Purple" and "better halves" have travelled to and returned from "the Big Apple" and their Grand Lodge trip, May 2nd thru May 5th, 1983. All indications are that each of us will have fond memories of the fellowship and brotherly love that was exchanged during our four days together. "Hospitality" did abound, but not to intemperence or excess, and everybody enjoyed themselves, even though I sang for my supper. Isn't that right "Playboys" Don and Joe?

Prior to leaving for New York City the 1983 Masters came out in force to the April 23, 1983 meeting of the Masters and Wardens Association hosted by Clio Lodge #779 which was preceded by their annual Ox Roast dinner which, as usual, was excellent, as can be attested to by all who attended. During the meeting Worshipful Brother and Dad David Upham who had been invited to give a presentation on and an insight into the Order of DeMolay stresed that DeMolay is the lifeblood of Masonry and that it needs to be nutured and supported by all masons.

In my representative capacity as your President, I attended the April 29, 1983 Public Installation of the Officers of Rochester Chapter Order of DeMolay at the Hilton Masonic Temple and the Formal Installation of the Officers of Fidelity Triangle #4 held April 30, 1983 in Cathedral Hall of the Masonic Temple. Both installations were beautiful to behold and impressive to see 'our" youth performing ritual, especially the "Flower Talk" at the DeMolay installation. It was a distinct privilege and pleasure to espouse our support for the youth programs.

The Apron Presentation to our retiring Grand Lodge Officers will take place at the Party House on Beahon Road on June 3, 1983. Reservations and payment therefore are to be secured by each 1983 Master. These Right Worshipful Brothers have expended an enormous amount of time and effort on our behalf. Let us show these friends and brothers our gratitude by a large atten-

By the time you read this article our May 28, 1983 meeting at Churchville Lodge #667 and the Swiss Steak dinner, with all the trimming, prepared and served by Nola Chapter #368, O.E.S., preceding same will



GROTTO

At the Spring Ceremonial held on May 7, our Cast, under the able direction of Prophet George Knieram, exemplified the degree for 15 candidates. It was held in conjunction with Zuleika Grotto from Buffalo. George and his cast are to be highly congratulated for a superb show.

After the ceremony, pins were presented to the Prophets of Lalla Rookh. They started with 25 years and went up to 50. Congratulations to all.

At the dinner which followed at 6 p.m., there were 150 present and they enjoyed a delicious chicken dinner presented by Henrietta Chapter, O.E.S.

The Annual Ladies' Night followed at 8 p.m. in the Ballroom, and the 134 guests present enjoyed the refreshments, fine music, and lunch that followed.

Prophet Louis Hecht informs us that the first prize in the Euchre Tournament was won by P.M. Arlie Hazzard and P.M. Jay Painton, with second prize going to Harry Davis (our Chief Justice) and his brother Bob Davis. More winners to follow.

The Supreme Convention will be held in Indianapolis, Ind., on June 22-23-24, and we understand our Patrol will compete for the first time. Good Luck to the Patrol. And the E.S.G.A. convention will be held in Williamsport, Pa. on Sept. 22-23-24.

Our Chief Justice has appointed Fred Ambeau to again be Enchanted Lantern Ambassador for the next year. As you know, Fred will advance to the C.J. office next year and with this in addition to the Lanterns, he will be real busy, so let's make it a big year by buying all we possibly can. He'll like it.

We hear that Prophet Bill Melville (Band Leader) and Bill Holloway (Band) are in Northside and Genesee Hospitals respectively. Also that Percy Klingenberger was taken to Highland Sunday morning. (He should be home now.) So let's get a card out to these brothers. They'd really like it.

We also hear that the Band presented a concert for the residents of St. Ann's Home on May 10. Nice going, Band.

Don't forget the Outdoor Meeting on June 15 at Powder Horn Cabin in Powder Mill Park. Come out and greet your

P.M. Merch Merritt tells us that he is in the process of making 20 walkers for the Birth Defects Center at the Strong Memorial Hospital. Don't forget, Prophets, this is one of our favorite charities and Lalla Rookh can feel real proud that they have dedicated members who will paritcipate in this worthy cause.

Any Prophet wishing to nominate a brother for "Prophet of the Year" can do so writing his qualifications and mailing them to Ernie W. at your earliest convenience.

We understand that our Secretary got a call from one of our new Prophets on Sunday saying that he was very impressed with our ceremonial and that he should have joined the Grotto long ago. These are the things we like to hear, so let's get some more petitions in so more brothers can be enlightened.

Brethren, this is our last column for the summer. We'll be back in September. See you all at the Outdor Meeting - June 15.

George Francis, Publicity

AUDITORIUM THEATRE SCHEDULE OF PUBLIC EVENTS JUNE, 1983

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Saturday 4th Tentative Rock Concert	8:00 PM	
Sunday 5th Aquinas Commencement —	Afternoon	
Saturday 11th Celebrity Playhouse Revue	8:00 PM	
Friday 17th Arrington-Brunson Concert	8:00 PM	
Saturday 18th Little Red Dancing		
School Recital	7:30 PM	
Tues., Wed. 21-22 "EVITA"	8:00 PM	
Thurs., Fri. 23-24 (Eight Performances)	8:00 PM	
Saturday 25th	5:00 & 9:00 PM	
Sunday 26th	2:00 & 7:00 PM	

(May Be Held Over 5 Days thru July 2nd)

BALLROOMS — LOWER LEVEL A&B

Saturday 4th Williams Meeting - B 11:00 AM 4th Cruz Public Dance -8:00 PM 11th Chatman Reception - A Evening

have been held and enjoyed by all in attendance.

The next meeting of the Masters and Wardens Association will be held on September 24, 1983 and will be hosted by Charlotte Lodge #1088. Details will be incorporated in this column in the next edition of this publication.

At This time I extend each of you and your families best wishes for a healthy and enjoyable summer and look forward to seeing you soon.

> Fraternally, Cyrus Kloner President

15th ANNUAL Bicycle Rodeo

For Boys and Girls ages 6 thru 12. SAT., JUNE 4 9 A.M. to? At N.Y. State Police **Sub Station** Brockport, N.Y. Sponsored By Monroe Lodge #173

Just For Today...

"The Path of Prayer." By I. Vincent Lloyd

People who have formed the habit of Prayer, as they wend their way through life, have solved one of the most realistic pursuits toward happiness. They have simplified life and linked it to the Universe and to God.

Prayer is the source of all great power that has enriched human lives and made men and women strong and fearless in the face of doubt and difficulty. The effect of prayer on the body, as well as the mind, cannot be fully measured. It is the most basic aspiration that the human spirit ever experiences. All great leaders have been people of prayer.

People who pray show it in their faces, in the way they talk, and in the way they think. They are like lighted houses that stand out in the dark night. Prayer should be continuous --- all through the day and the last thing at night. It brings constant peace, fortifies the faith that we own, and makes us appreciative of all beauty and all creation. It lifts our lives to a higher plane of spiritual travel.

Take the path of prayer and you will not mind the rough spots, nor the difficult passes, for you are always accompanied by an invisible aid that guides and directs you ahead. When we pray we lose our selfish selves and are transformed into a being akin to the God who made us.

There is no refuge in the world like that experienced in prayer. It isn't the words that are experssed that count, but the sincere desire to be divorced from all material involvements. In prayer we gain the child heart, talking simply to the Father of us all.

Prayer is what gives to us our happy outlook - and our inward hope. Like the fresh rain that gives the grass its green and the trees their foilage, prayer gives to the human spirit its substance and its growth.

Future Event EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

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Masonic Fellowship Committee — Annual Statewide Inter-Lodge Fishing Tournament Compete for Grand Lodge **Trophies and Plaques** INSTRUCTIONS FOR ENTERING TOURNAMENT

SEE MAY 1983 ISSUE OF MMN

Masonic Youth Committee

Many thanks to those who attended the April/May meetings of the M.Y.C. A speical "thank you" to those young women and men who made the effort to enter the state wide "Totten Eassay" Contest. Sorry ... no winners from Monroe County this year. (Next year we'll take at least three of the seven prizes available...keep up the good work). Also a special "thank you" to the worshipful Master of several lodges who made the effort to enter nominations for the "Grand Lodge Service to Youth" Awards. Again, there were no finalists from Monroe County...but at least your help has sparked some much needed recognition from the Grand Lodge Committee on Youth for both of the Monroe Districts.

More "thank yous" are due to the Monroe County Masters & Wardens Assoc., and to W. Brother Dave Upham for the excellent program on DeMolay at Hilton. Thank you Mr. President, W. Brother Cyrus Kloner & all of the other Masters & Wardens for your tremendous support.

Congratulations are in order for the young men and young women who have been installed recently as leaders in their respective Masonic Youth organizations. It's a warm feeling to see those young men and women have such a fine opportunity to learn some of the fundamentals of leadership & organization. Keep up the good work!

Our young people recently had a TV spot on Channel 21. Thanks to Debbie & Gary Burke for their special efforts in getting the materials co-ordinated for this production; see the enclosed photo for a view of that spot.

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Steve Whittaker, Chairman Masonic Youth Committee; Rochester Chapter Order of DeMolay Master Council Robert Ashmead; Mayor Thomas Ryan; Gary Burke, Vice-Chairman Masonic Youth Comm. "Dad", Rochester Chapter.

cently signed a proclamation for DeMolay Week in Rochester. Congratulations to all of the est (and hopefully some in-DeMolay's & their advisors who creased membership) for all of work so hard.

Applications for summer camp at Round Lake are available from the secretary of each Masonic Lodge; don't delay in getting your spot reserved for two weeks of fun this summer.

Finally, thanks to all of the advisors for Consttellation, Installation on June 11, 1983. Triangle & DeMolay. It is your continued enthusiasm & support which insures uour young

Mayor Thomas P. Ryan re- people the opportunity to be part of our Masonic Family.

To help generate some interour youth groups, a "who are we ... what are our purposes...where are we...when do we meet...what do we do?" descriptive informational pamphlet is on the drawing board, more information to come.

A reminder...Constellation Steve Whittaker

Chairman Masonic Youth Committee

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The annual Golf Tournament is open to all Brethren and friends. To be held Saturday, August 20, 1983 at Pinewood Country Club (formerly Brookdale), 1189 Ogden-Parma Townline Road in Spencerport.

Tee-Off Times Starting 12:00 Noon Hots! Hamburgs! Salads! Beer! Pop! At Turn.

!!PRIZES!!

After a delightful day of dubbing, cursing, and missing, a Buffet dinner of Roast Beef and Guinea Hen will be served at approximately 6:00 p.m. You and your lady are invited to enjoy this gourmet repast and join in the fellowship.

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LODGE news and views

OATKA LODGE No. 759 2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren,

During the month of April, Bro. Walter Tallon was raised to the degree of Master Mason. I want to thank all the brothers who came and helped confer this degree upon him. Then, on the 4th Wednesday, Bro. Elliot sat in the East and conducted a regular meeting.

The first week in May, my wife Carm and I went to New York City, where I represented you at the 202nd session of Grand Lodge. All the committees submitted their reports, and the reports were favorably voted upon. Following are some of the approved items: A person may join a Lodge in any part of the State, without a waiver of jurisdiction. Another is that the Bible on the altar may be open at any public function in a lodge room. The Grand Master also expressed his wish that all Masters, on entering their Lodges, immediately put on their Master's hat, so that any stranger present may recognize the Master of that Lodge. The session concluded with the reelection and installation of our Grand Master, M.W. Ernest Leonardi, who took his obligation on that historic treasure, the George Washington Bible.

My wife and I wish to thank you for the Lodge contribution toward our expenses of that

As this is my last message before the summer recess, may I wish you all a very healthy, safe, sunny, and fun summer; and may the blessings of heaven rest upon you and yours.

Larry Dunn

ZETLAND LODGE No. 951 2nd and 4th Thursdays

As you read this article, only one more communication will be held before our long summer

On June 9 we haved scheduled our Past Masters Night with the R.W. Bro. R. Kenneth Crawford honoring us with his presence in the East. There will be a memorial service conducted for all those deceased Past Masters who labored so faithfully to preserve the honor and dignity of our fraternity. Also, we will be saluting all of our living past Masters.

An additional part of this evening's affair will be the current local recipients for 20 to 65-year awards. They have all been invited to attend and I hope they will be in attendance.

A dinner will be served in the Third Floor Dining Room at 6:30 p.m. It is hoped that a goodly number of our Past Masters will respond by being with their brothers on that occasion. For reservations, please call W. Bro. Ted Theodor at (342-7275) or our secretary, W. Bro. E. Wilson at (271-6987). Your call should be made before June 5.

I would call your attention to our summer social events. Please make note of them and jot them down on your calendar of Lodge functions. On Saturday, June 11, our family picnic will be held in Mendon Ponds Park at the Pond View Shelter. On Saturday, July 16, our stag steak roast will be held in Powder Mill Park at the Butternut Grove. On Thursday,

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August 11, we will meet to attend a Red Wing baseball game at 6 p.m.

It was certainly an honor and pleasurable experience to have been able to represent my Lodge at the recent Grand Lodge session in New York City. It is most unfortunate that more of our craft cannot attend. Our Grand Master, the M.W. Ernest Leonardi, is the most inspiring leader and possesses the ultimate in dedication.

To all my brothers I wish for you a most pleasant and enjoyable summer. Play your best golf game, operate a safe boat and auto, swim safely, travel wisely and enjoy your family.

> Fraternally yours, Hazen L. Coulter Master

HENRIETTA LODGE
No. 526
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2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren,

To our newly raised Brother, John Lindsay (Jr.) welcome to our Lodge, and may you find friendship and brotherly love throughout your service. To your esteemed Father, John Lindsay (Sr.) who has been in attendance throughout the Three Degrees, and raised you to the sublime Degree - it must have been one of the most important times in your life Father and Son - what a wonderful event. You must be a very proud man at this time.

The Third Degree, was preceded by the usual dinner provided by the Henrietta Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, and was heartily enjoyed by some 40 odd members and guests. It was an excellent repast in keeping with the usual high standard provided by these Sisters.

To Worshipful Brother Lloyd Weston, what a superb performance of the Third Degree absolutely perfect performed with dignity, devotion, reverence and true Masonic Light. I am very glad that all our young line officers were there to witness this Degree and the manner in which it was performed. W. Brother Lloyd Weston, the Lodge is proud of you - thank you for your work.

To our other Brothers who participated - well done indeed - as usual, word perfect - and just a word to Brother Thomas Rauber who, as Senior Deacon has a great deal to say and do in this degree - a performance second to none — thank you. Thank you, too my Wardens - well done. To the brothers from one or two other Lodges who made up the Workmen - thank you very much.

I feel at this time that I should include a word of thanks to our Organist musician, Worshipful Brother Marty Reitz for his work in connection with this Degree and, in addition for his music at all our meetings — the Musician should never be taken for granted — his music makes the rituals sound perfect in all respects - thank you Bro. Marty.

To those who represented the "Miscreants" well done, your cries of woe were very lifelike!!!

It is hoped to indulge in some First Aid later on - C.P.R. I understand it to be called - a long way advanced from my First Aid days, with "Mouth to Mouth and the resusitator". It is hoped to include members of the public and I hope that many members will attend. More to this later. In the Fall, I would like to entertain, at an open meeting the Wives of members, who may like to bring friends with them, together, to have a memorial service for those who have passed on, and maybe some of the widows of our brothers would like to attend. This also is in the pipeline.

One of our noteworthy Brothers, to whit, Al Rogers, our Junior Deacon, attains the state of connubial bliss on June 18th when he will be joined in Holy Matrimony. I must, therefore, with approval of us all at Henrietta Lodge wish him and his future bride the very best of everything - doubtless we shall be well represented both at the Church and Reception - to give the happy couple a good send off. In words we use in my County to describe an event such as this - "Jolly good show Al".

I have asked our President of Fellowcraft to, once again, provide some news of the goings on of this very live section, and to mention any other important event for which we require support.

By the time this news sheet reaches you all, a new Bible, that great Light in Masonry will have been donated by Brother Robert Norget in memory of his Father, and I hope to have full details of this great and important very personal event in the nextissue.

Brethren, please don't forget my request - please come to our Lodge and support our young officers.

A word or two to Brother Harold Schoefield - who has had a very serious stay in Genesee Hospital. Brother we have mentioned your name each meeting and have, prayed for your recovery. Unfortunatly when we have been to visit you you have either been under sedation or sleeping - we wish you well.

Brother Les Bilby has also suffered a stroke, but, we are glad to say is up and about. He comes to the Parks Dept. Senior Citizens each Tuesday and seems to be rehabilitating very well - we wish you, Les, recovery and hope you will be able to manage the stairs in the Lodge so that you can visit us. You will be most welcome, especially by my young Officers.

Picnics and other functions have been arranged by our very active Fellowcraft, details of this will follow my letter.

One meeting in June only and at that we shall discuss our future at length, this my Brothers is the end of the first half of the Season - Tempus fugit - inevitably of course. If any Brother has a suggestion to make, or a possible petition to bring forward, please do so at your earliest opportunity - the Lodge could do with some more new blood, and, the younger the better - we have very good instructors in ritualistic work and who, themselves are enthusiastic and devoted to the cause.

Fraternally, and sincerely Eric Hurrell, Master

Henrietta Fellowcraft Club

At the request of the W.M., here is an update on the club activities.

As reported in the last column, we did have a Euchre tournament with Seneca Lodge on Mar. 29th. Seneca proved to be the better players, taking the top players and top score trophies from us. However, Mert Drum and yours truly proved no one is our match when it comes to last place by taking the horse's --- trophies for lowest score. The Euchre bowl proved to be a very popular "donation" for almost everyone during the course of the evening. A great time was had by all, and we are looking forward to the rematch promised by Scott Schaefer of Seneca in the fall.

April 29th we hosted Wor. Bro. Harold Gruschow, who is Ex. High Priest of Hamilton Chapter this year and a good number of members and wives of the Chapter for a Roast Beef dinner. We hope all had a good time and hope to see them again.

Not to forget some of my more unpleasant duties, I must remind all members of OUR responsibility to maintain and repair the Lodge. Many brothers have already volunteered to perform the work listed on the sheet Joe D Vita started last business meeting. HOWEVER, AS USUAL there is much more that can be done. One problem that came up last meeting was solved quickly and simply by three members who volunteered to solve the problem at that time. My thanks to them for their time and interest in the Lodge.

COMING EVENTS so don't forget.

Annual Fellowcraft Steak Roast — June 7th. We are trying something new this year by inviting guests to this annual function in the spirit of the Grand Master's Operation "Turn — Around". We are going to have the usual excellent steak dinner with all the trimmings, a guest speaker, and the usual fellowship (no meeting I promise).

First Annual Family Picnic - August 28th. This new function is something that I think we all need to get the families and some inactive members familiar with the rest of us and the Lodge in general. The picnic is to be held at Salem Park, which is to the back of Olympic Park on Scottsville Road (no connection with the amusement park). The Fellowcrafts will supply meat (hots and burgers), rolls, pop and coffee. Due to the rules of the park, you must bring your own beverages other than pop or coffee, so B.Y.O.B. Also, we request a "Pot Luck" plate to pass.

Ham Dinners — We have gotten many requests for another dinner, but the members cannot see the way clear to have another before the end of Sept. Plan on one then, and if you haven't been, now is a good time to start!

PLEASE NOTE WELL!!!
Reservations are REQUIRED for the Steak Roast and the picnic due to the fact we must order and purchase the food in advance. If you wish to come or bring a guest to the Steak Roast, contact me at the Lodge or at

461-3216. In regards to the Picnic, more info will be in the next issue of the News.

In closing, thank you all who helped on the dinner Apr. 29th, your time was appreciated. Don't forget - the second "Bull — of — the woods" award is coming closer. Don't let Tom and me get away with it again this year — place your nominations in a plain brown bag marked to our attention. Bribes don't help, but are appreciated.

Respectully, Al Rodgers, President 1983

CLIO LODGE No. 779 1st and 3rd Tuesdays

Brothers,

My trip to Grand Lodge was very exciting and informative. My wife and I arrived in N.Y.C. Mon. morning and settled in for the meetings on Tues, and Wed. Most W. Grand Master Ernest Leonardi was re-elected along with the Grand Line for a second term, with the exception of the Treasurer. The general theme "Operation Turn -Around" is being projected further this year...more about this at my report during our meetings and through the Cable Tow. I was able to visit the archives of the Lodge and deposited current information, then toured the Temple. We enjoyed the remainder of the trip with the great company of the 56 masters and wives that made up our representation from Rochester.

Our annual Family Picnic will be on June 25th at Northampton Park Ski Lodge, off Rt. 31 on Hubbel St. This is a family fun event for all ages. Please plan to come and join in, by letting J.W. Paul Borsenberger know, 392-3065.

We are still attempting to organize a fishing trip for September. If interested, please call Mike Piccone 392-9370 or Don Everts 392-6340.

Thanks to all Brothers who worked hard to bring about the success of our Ox Roast. I have heard nothing but great reports from all who attended. A special thanks to the Eastern Star and DeMolay for their assistance.

Thanks to all for cleaning and painting the inside basement walls. It sure makes our hall a lot brighter. The DeMolay again, gave us a helping hand, while the Triangle Girls cleaned the kitchen...Thanks again!

Thanks to Tom Goodford and Bil Treuthart for installing the new kitchen door...it sure was needed.

On April 29th installation of DeMolay officers was held at the Temple. Many State and county officers were present to preside for this impressive occasion. We should be proud to host such an event. Special good luck to all the officers for their

On May 15th the 2nd annual Open House at the Temple was held. This was an informative meeting for the Public and is part of the "Operation Turn — Around" program. Our committee had an excellent program.

Our May 17th meeting with the Royal Arch was a great success and I wish to thank them for coming and making such an enjoyable evening. At this time I, again, wish to thank all the Brothers for the grand year I am having. Your participation in Lodge activities shows the true meaning of fellowship.

Our summer recess will be July and August. Have a safe and enjoyable summer and I will see you all on Sept. 6th.

TRESTLEBOARD

June 7th - Consellation visit Sept. 17th-Golf Tournament June 21st - Lodge Picnic/Bus. Mtg. June 25th - Family Picnic

July-Aug. - Recess Sept. 6th - Business Meeting Sept. 17th - Golf Tournament

> Fraternally Al Mercer, Master

FLOWER CITY LODGE No. 910 2nd Tuesday

The May 10th meeting of our Lodge was preceded by a Kosher spaghetti and meatball dinner after which we confereed the Third Degree on our class of brothers. At this time I again congratulate and welcome Brother Lawrence Jay Kloner, Brother Gary F. Fienberg, Brother Gerald Spero, Brother Marshall Raisman and Brother James Davies on being raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason and becoming a member of our Lodge.

Our secretary, R.:W.: Philip Averbach, presently has on his desk five (5) Petitions for Initiation and Advancement for the fall class which have been read and await the investigation committees reports and more are expected. It is anticipated that the balloting on these petitions will take place during the June meeting.

Our next meeting will be held June 14, 1983 at 7:20 P.M. and will feature Awards Nite, Sport Shirt Nite, Gin & Euchre Tournament Nite, Etc.

Our Lodge - Fellowcraft Club Steak Roast will be held on June 21, 1983 at 6:00 P.M. in Ellison Park at the Hazelwood Grove. The menu will include steak, potato, salad, pie, beverages, etc. all for \$10.00 per person. All members, their spouse or girlfriend, and prospective members are invited. Reservations MUS1 be made by calling Bro. Harold Silver at 473-6798 or W.: Bro. Gerald Greenberg at 586-0913 (work) or 381-3966 (home) no later than June 16, 1983. Reservations will be considered FIRM.

The Apron Presentation to our retiring Grand Lodge Officers will take place at the Party House on Beahon Road on June 3, 1983. Reservations and payment therefore are to be secured through your Master. These Right Worshipful Brothers have expended an enormous amount of time and effort on our behalf. Let us show these friends and brothers our gratitude by a large attendance.

As the Master of Flower City Lodge #910 and your representative I attended Grand Lodge which con-

1983. The trip was inspiring. The most important matter acted upon was the passing of the motion conferring concurrent jurisdiction on all lodges in New York State. Anyone interested in reviewing any of the reports can do so by contacting our secretary with whom they have been filed.

A new program has been instituted whereby old electric razors capable of repair are fixed and given to members of the Jewish Home and Infirmary. If you have an old electric razor lying around and are not using it or are willing to donate it please call Bro. David Berger at 271-8229.

SICKNESS AND DIS-TRESS: We extend our deepest and sincere sympathy to the family of Bro. George Rosenstein on his passing.

As I have stated previously the main vitality of our Lodge is your participation. Now that we are garnering many new and young members come out to the activities that have been planned for you and share the brotherly love and fellowship we expound. Look forward to seeing you soon, but if not, I wish you and your family a healthy and enjoyable summer.

Fraternally Cyrus Kloner Master

TRESTLEBOARD:

June 14, 1983 - Awards Nite, Sport Shirt Nite, Gin & Euchre Tournament, etc. with lunch afterwards in Basement "B"

June 21, 1983 - Lodge -Fellowcraft Steak Roast -Ellison Park - Hazelwod Grove at 6:00 P.M.

September 13, 1983 - First Degree in Gothic Hall preceded by dinner in Basement.

> VALLEY LODGE No. 109 1st and 3rd Mondays

Brethren:

April saw another successful month at Valley Lodge. Events of the month, in case you missed them were started with our first meeting with a very good pork dinner. Our second meeting of the month was our Second Degree with another

The high lite of the month was our First Event with the ladies. We went as a group to the Masonic Grand Ball and had an excellent time. Everyone including the Grand Master knew Valley was there. Anyone who missed this missed a real good time.

Also in the month of April we lost the traveling gavel which we hope to regain from Warren C. Hubbard who meet on first and third Friday. We plan to go on May 6.

Coming events for this month and next are Movies Nite May 3, May 16. Third Degree with dinner preceeding.

For June we have with Robertson Lodge a boat ride planned on Friday June 3. Call Herb Spencer for reservations at 271-8577. Also, on June 6 is our last meeting of the season

vened May 3rd thru May 4th, and it will be Sport Shirt Nite. Let's see who can have the loudest shirt.

> Don;t forget the Steak Roast in Powder Mill Park on August 7 in Rand Lodge.

It is almost as important to know what is not serious as to know what is.

> Fraternally Art Zilinski

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

Brethren,

I have just returned from the Grand Lodge sessions in New York and let me tell you it was quite an experience. There were in attendance, in addition to the current Grand line, seven past Grand Masters, and many Grand Masters and Grand officers from other various states and countries. I had the opportunity to peruse the Penfield archives and left in it a small token of my visit to the Grand Lodge. I am pleased to report that none of our group got "mugged" in the subway or elsewhere. I got my survival certificate for successfully driving in the New York "Kamikaze traffic" and my car sustained no injuries. Seriously, it was interesting to meet Masons from all over the state, to learn about the success and problems being encountered by other lodges around the States, and to see the strength of Masonry in general over a wide

I assume that move - up night was a success and that Brother Don Morgan and the other officers did a fine job in their "new" stations and places. Also, I will assume in advance that Past Masters' Night, preceded by W. Jesse Mattson's delicious Oyster Stew dinner was an enjoyable evening, since it will have been over by the time you are reading this.

Our last meeting before the summer recess will be June 7th. There will be a steak dinner beginning at 6 PM sharp. Reservations are required and can be made by calling me at 924-5297. The highlight of the evening will be that it is Dress - Down night. You are invited to wear to lodge whatever you happened to be wearing that day, T - shirt and bermuda shorts, swim trunks,? I must say that the lodge cannot be responsible for making bail for you, should you get arrested on the way in, for making your attire too original or too brief! There will be some type of entertainment after the meeting. So, mark this date on your calendar, get your dinner reservation in to me by June 4th, at the latest, and plan on having a good evening of fun and fellowship.

The plans are not finalized, but there will be some type of family picnic this summer. We expect to have a Ladies nite sometime this fall. Hopefully, over the recess, we can come up with several prospective candidates so that we can bring more good men into the fraternity. Also, we will continue our entertainment program. I will report more on these items as the plans and dates are finalized.

Finally, if you have any ideas on things that you would like to see at lodge meetings, such as

speakers, programs or entertainment, please contact me or one of the other officers. We will try to do what we can to act on your ideas and suggestions. Hope to see you in lodge.

Fraternally Gary Langdon, Master

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

Dear Brothers,

When you read this, June will be Bursting Out All Over what a beautiful time of the year! The Boat Ride on the Canal will be about to take place --- June 3rd --- and we'll be welcoming a new Brother into our Lodge --- June 6th.

As I write this, it is May 9 --deadline May 10 --- and publication on June 1st. So you see, there is a wide gap of days between deadline and date of publication.

It was a pleasure to greet so many of our Brothers at the delicious Swiss Steak dinner on May 2nd, There were Brothers George Adams, Skip Adams, George Armstrong, Archie Barbour, George Barlow, Harold Brion, John Brown, Al Connon, Tom Davis, Warren Doerrer, Newell Ferris, Norm Gauch, Sam Grover, Elmer Holly, Bill Huggett, Walt Johnston, Ed McKee, Norm Millard, Bill Miller, Merl Nulton, Ed Olsson, Ken Pierce, Malcolm Pollock, Cliff Smith, Bill Stark, Ed Start, Craig Telfer, Bob Traub, Ed Walker and Skip Waterstreet.

It was a wonderful occasion for good fellowship and good food which was prepared by the Ladies of the Caldron.

Later our Sr. Warden, WB Skip Waterstreet showed an excellent Kodak film on Great Britain and Ireland. Bro. Bob Traub entertained us with organ music. It was an enjoyable evening.

We are busy preparing for HARRY BARTH NITE on May 16. Of course this event will be history when this paper reaches you. Bro. Barth will receive his 60-year pin and certificate and it will indeed be "This Is Your Nite --- Bro. Harry Barth!". WB Skip Waterstreet will take pictures and show another outstanding Kodak film.

Our Family Steak Roast will take place on August 7th at Powder Mill Park. It will be a joint event with Valley and Corinthian Temple lodges. Cost will be \$5 per person. Please bring your family and friends for a wonderful time.

If you're watching a softball game, don't be surprised if the umpire is WB Skip Waterstreet!

WB Ed and Mary Walker saw the play "Hello Dolly" recently.

Bro. Raymond Ross and his wife love square and round dancing. They are going to the Canadian Maritimes with a Travel Trailer Caravan in June.

WB Malcolm and Ellen Pollock are vacationing in sunny Florida.

Bro. Henry Michaloski will drive his 1977 Bronco to a 50th Anniversary celebration in Connecticut.

Bro. Ed Roberts is serving his last year as secretary of the Barnard Fire Dept.

Bro. Harold Russell is far

from being retired --- very busy working on a textbook.

Brethren who are ill or convalescing: Bro. John Slack is still recuperating at home --- 221 Belcoda Dr., Rochester, N.Y. 14617. Bro. Young Willia is getting stronger and now uses a cane --- 205 Dake Ave., Rochester, N.Y. 14617. Bro. Willis Seville was in Highland Hospital but is now home ---596 Meadowbriar Rd., Rochester, N.Y. 14616. Bro. Rudy Elliott had an operation on his gums --- poor guy can only eat soup for awhile! Bro. Jim Gee, just back from Florida, has a ruptured disc in his back.

Bro. Beecher Jeffery has trouble with his heart and lungs and is confined to his home. I urge all Brothers to send Bro. Beecher a card or visit him at 15827 West Brockville Rd., Albion, N.Y. 14411. It would mean a lot to him.

Bro. Charles Swift passed away Dec. 25, 1982 in Livermore, Calif.

The next issue of the Masonic News will appear Sept. 1st. May you all have a most enjoyable summer and may we strive daily to demonstrate the principles of Free Masonry.

> Yours for more Fellowship and Brotherly Love, Paul A. Robertson, Master

EAST ROCHESTER LODGE No. 1020 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren:

November 5, 1983, is the scheduled date for a dinner to be sponsored jointly by East Rochester Lodge and the East Rochester Knights of Columbus. The dinner will be for couples and will be open to Knights and Masons from throughout Monroe County. More information will come in

Those of you who have visited the temple in the last few months have seen the water stains on the ceilings and carpets. We patched the roof last year, but this year we have had to face up to replacing it. R.W. Gordon Hoag has gotten us a good deal on materials and we have some volunteers to do the labor. The total cost will be about \$5000. Lea Court Chapter is helping us out with a sum which will be used as a down payment. We will then have sixty days to pay the balance. If you have not already received it, you will soon get a letter asking for a donation. At the end of the sixty day period the amount of the balance not covered by donations will have to be borrowed from a bank. One way or another, the roof will be paid for by us, the members of the Lodge. We can pay now or we can pay later with interest.

June 14th will be sport shirt night. There will be prize for the loudest. This will be the last meeting before going dark for the summer. The fall season will start with a First Degree on September 27th. Rehearsal for the degree will be on Sunday the 25th at 1:30. As is usual for degree work we will open early on the 27th, at7:30.

Have a good summer.

Fraternally, Pat McNenny Master

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32 Smallwood Drive Pittsford, N.Y. 14534 SENECA LODGE No 797 3rd Tuesday



Although summer is almost here, we still have several opportunities to get together during June. On Friday evening, June 3rd, we will be gathering at the Party House on Beahan Road to honor the retiring Grand Lodge Officers from the Monroe Districts. As the Master is responsible for the reservations from his Lodge, please call me as soon as possible for your seat. Price will be about \$10. Also, there is to be a testimonial dinner honoring R.W. Fred Seuffert. This affair, sponsored by the Scottish Rite, will be held at the Burgundy Basin Inn, on Thursday, June 9th. R.W. Seuffert is a dual member of Seneca Lodge, and I think we should have a good representation of our members present. Contact the Consistery Office for tickets.

Saturday, June 11th is an opportunity for you to participate in one of two events, or both if you are ambitious. First is the Inter Lodge Golf Tournament. I know that there is a lot of talk at Lodge meetings about the skill of Seneca golfers. I hope they plan on being at Happy Acres to show us how it's done. Second, this will be the date of a new family event Thanks to Bro. Dod Rowe, we will venture to Hiram Lake, near Arcade, New York, to participate in a Family Fishing Party. We have a recreation hall available, and hots and hamburgers will be served. Cost will be between \$5 and \$10 per family. Don't forget your fishing poles, as Hiram Lake is stocked with trout.

Tuesday, June 21st is the last meeting of Seneca Lodge until September. The meeting will be short, to handle any necessary business. We will then open the Lodge Room to families and guests, as we honor those members of our craft who are celebrating anniversaries. We will also recognize one of our brothers, whose service to the fraternity, and Seneca Lodge, has earned him the Dedicated Service Award. Those being honored are: 60 years - Wor. W. Russell Chapman; 55 years -Bro. Emil Muller, and Wor. Arthur W. Schuster, Sr.; 50 years - Bro. William N. Babcock, DSA; 45 years - Wor. July. Due and timely notice will Thorold G. Smith, and Wor. be given. Leonard C. Stenzel; 40 years -Bro. Colin M. Crockett, Wor. Raymond E. Harley, Bro. Dodworth P. Rowe, Wor. George F. Wadleigh, and Bro. Harold M. Weber. Bro. Stanley C. Brown, DSA will be presented his apron and certificate at this meeting. This promises to be one of the highlight meetings this year. Plan on attending! The dinner menu will be stuffed shells, and will include wine tasting. Following the presentations, join us in congratulating the honorees and have fun with a "make - your own ice cream sundae bar. While we are holding our short business meeting, our ladies and guests will be treated to a unique and facinating presentation by a "Kiwi Bird". If

you have traveled and always

seem to have problems packing enough clothes, don't miss this presentation by a former American Airlines Flight Attendant.

I hope to see you at least for one of these events. By the time of our next communication reaches you, it will probably be September, and our trip to visit St. Andrews' Lodge in Toronto will be only six weeks away. I would appreciate hearing from any of you that are contemplating going with us on October 21-23. This is not a firm reservation, but a way for us to make plans with Wor. Vic Harding of St. Andrews'. The Grand Masters of New York and Ontario are both going to be present. We have only 80 rooms available for both St. Andrews' and Seneca's use. I have brochures available on the hotel, so let me know if you are interested in participating in this special and historical weekend. Best wishes for a safe and enjoyable summer.

> Fraternally, Frank Johnston, Master



Brethren,

May! The month for Grand Lodge meeting and a trip to the "Big Apple". It was a different experience, and a very enjoyable one, even if yours truly did almost lose his camera equipment. That is a story in itself, which will be told at the last meeting before the summer

On June 3rd, a Friday evening, there is planned a canal boat ride in conjunction with John A. Robertson and Valley lodges. The cost will be \$10 per person which will include a box lunch and a beverage. If antifreeze, is needed or wanted, it may be obtained at the cash bar on the boat. Attendance is limited to forty persons from each lodge. I hope we can have the limit from Corinthian Temple for this event. Let's all get out and support our entertainment committee.

August 7th the three lodges will again join for a family picnic and outing at Powder Mill Park. Details will be forth coming.

The workers outing is epected to be in the middle of

It was a real pleasure to see so many Past Masters at the last Adrian P. DeVisser, Wor. meeting in April. Wor. Horace Porter put on a program of degree work, with the Past Masters in the chairs, that was greatly enjoyed by all in attendance. Thanks, Wor Horace.

Brethren - I have prevailed upon Bro. Nick Ylahos to join the line of officers as soon as we can find a replacement Tiler. If any member is interested in this position, which carries with it a small honorarium, please call Wor. Jim Smith at 436-3842 for information.

In closing let me say it was nice to see Wor. Bros. Horace Porter and Daniel Nesbitt at meeting. They have both been under the weather. It was also nice to see Wor. George Shayler and Bro. Bob Mulcock back from sunny Florida.

I hope everyone has a wonderful summer and much enjoyment in whatever activity you participate in. Have a good time and I hope to see as many as possible in September.

Fraternally, Wor. James W. Smith, Master

From the West.

It was indeed an honor and a pleasure to sit in the East on May 2nd, Move Up Night, although I wasn't thoroughly proficient as the Master, I still enjoyed the privilege of being in the East.

The Euchre tournament against Henrietta Lodge was a close match. We lost by 6 points: 131 - 137, so they retain the trophy until our match in the Fall, when we are host.

On August 7th, on Sunday, we are having a Steak Roast at Powder Mill Park, serving steaks. Approximately at 5:00 p.m. We are joining Valley and Robertson Lodges in this social event. Please call Bill baker at 227-4329 or Harry Ellender at 342-7184 for further information and reservations.

Enjoy your summer and attend our joint social event in August.

> Fraternally yours, S.W. Harry W. Ellender

SECRETARY'S CORNER

I want to take this opportunity to wish all the members a healthy, safe and pleasant summer. Remember that the first meeting for September is Labor Day and we do not meet on holidays. September 19th will be our only meeting for the month.

Birthday congratulations to the following Brothers who celebrate during the month of June: Robert Maddison 6/1; John McMahon 6/2; Wor. Edward Shaw (Master 1974) 6/7; James Jenkins, Raymond Van Wuyckhuyse 6/8; Ralph Poling 6/10; Wor. Donald Fox (Master 1968) 6/11; Edgar Borate, Wor. Walter Gay (Master 1972, 1977), Leonard Hilbert, John Ladwig (83) 6/19; William Baker 6/21; Bjarne Iverson 6/26; G. Drexel Gridley, Ernest Lascell 6/27; and Wor. Warren Trimble, Jr., D.S.A. 6/29 (Master 1958).

During the month of July: Howard Hall 7/6; Ralph Sandberg 7/7; George Form 7/8; Earl Hilfiker (81), W. Clifford Laundry 7/10; George Lloyd 7/11; Robert Flint 7/13; Wor. Raymond Unger, Jr. (Master 1956) 7/15; Harry Marshall (91) 7/19; William Henry, Jr. (82) 7/21; Savuel Ofsowtiz 7/22; Wor. John Hinds (Master 1970) 7/23; Ralph Lamson (90) 7/26; Robert Van Keuren 7/27; Arthur Benkwit (83) 7/28; Joseph Fulton, Charles Scorse (89) 7/29; and Charles Wann 7/30.

During the month of August: Granger Green, Roswell Strong (83) 8/2; John Jones 8/6; Ronald Bishop, Henry Langknecht, James Starkey, Jr. 8/7; Herbert Altemoos 8/8; Alfred Bork, 8/12; Edward Kramer 8/13; Ara Ballarian (93) 8/17; Kenneth Kimmel 8/20; George Pettinger 8/21; and Earl Clark 8/27.

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH - Those who command themselves, command others.

> Bertram M. Steene, Secretary

ETOLIAN LODGE No. 479 2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren,

On April 25th we conferred the Third Degree with a full class of Candidates. The work was well done and in keeping with the high standards set long ago as a norm for Etolian Ritual. The evening was capped by the fine chicken dinner which was prepared and served by Etolian Chapter of the Eastern Star. Our thanks and a tip of the hat to the ladies.

Our spring Sunday Breakfast was well attended. It was prepared by Bro Ed Gillott with the assistance of Bro Jim Stuewe and Bro Brad Goodridge. They also received an unexpected but welcome hand from Wor Bro Jim Powell. Breakfast consisted of eggs, pancakes, sausage, bacon, toast, juice, milk, coffee and tea. It was excellent and well received.

This year's Brotherhood fund has topped the \$2000 mark for the first time. My personal thanks go to all who have contributed. I know of no more worthy cause for your charity. Please continue to give in the future as you can. We can be thankful that we have the means to share.

Our thoughts and sympathy go out to Wor Bro Bill Baldwin, whose Mother was called home by the Supreme Architect of the

I would like at this time to extend the good wishes of the Lodge to our retired Brothers and their families. Our list of addresses extend from Florida to California, and from Arizona to North Carolina. We miss seeing you in Lodge, but we know you are enjoying your well earned vacations. Why not send us a card? We'd like to hear from you from time to

May 9th is Move up Night. A talk on the History of Masonry is planned.

On May 23rd Wor Bro Paul Robertson will be our guest speaker. He is a member of group that "ran across the USA". The talk will include a slide presentation.

June 13th is Old Timers, Sport Shirt and Awards Night. Come one, come all. Bring a friend. If you need a ride, call any officer.

June 20th is Family Picnic at Churchville Park. Time 5:30 PM until.....Bring table setting and a dish to pass. Hamburgers, hot dogs and coffee and soda pop will be supplied. We hope you'll participate in the games. Fun for all.

On May 2nd Patty and I went to New York. Grand Lodge was in session on Tuesday and Wednesday, and I was proud to represent Etolian Lodge at this session. Also attending was our own Rt Wor Bro Will Goodridge, Grand Director of Ceremony, whose lovely wife, Marge, contributed much to the group occasion.

Several items including the 1982 Historical Report were deposited in the Archives, and the History of our Lodge was reviewed. It was an enjoyable and inspiring visit. A report will be given in Lodge.

Fraternallly, Ruel R. Lovett Master YONNONDIO LODGE No. 163 1st and 3rd Tuesdays

New York, New York - what a lovely town. The '83 Masters have waited for three years to get there as representatives of our lodges. I want to thank each of you for having confidence in me and allowing me to represent you at Grand Lodge.

I was particularly impressed with the enthusiasm of our Grand Master and the entire Grand Line. Operation Turnaround has been a success this past year. The Grand Master feels that through our continuing efforts we may once again develop a strong and vital craft in New York State.

The year is half over with one of our big events scheduled for June 7th. We will have a Special Father's Day Program which will include a presentation by DeMolay. Let's turn out in large numbers to support this important youth program.

Yonnondio is again having a Table Lodge this year. It is scheduled for Oct. 13th. There is a major difference this year however. We will be joined in Table Lodge by our brethren from Fame Lodge #945, Charlotte Lodge #1088 and Valley Lodge #109. This will be an excellent opportunity to participate in a social ritual rich in history and filled with fun. It will be an event in which you may truely enjoy the fellowship of the craft. Tickets will be available through the Masters and Senior Wardens of each lodge. Plan now to attend reservations will be required.

The Golf Tournament has been set for Aug. 20th at Pinewood Golf Course. Tee off time is 12:00 noon for a fee of \$25.00. Please note the announcement in this issue of the news for full details.

Please confirm with your Master reservations for our Family Camping trip to Hamlin State Park on June 17, 18, and 19.

Arrangements for our Lodge Picnic are being finalized and an informational mailing is forthcoming.

Brothers, you have all accepted the challenge of Masonry. Accept it fully - support it with your gifts but most importantly by your participation. Attend your Lodge and its activities.

Enjoy your summers and travel safely that you will return to Lodge in September.

Fraternally W. Warren Easton

FROM THE SECRETARY

The Supreme Architect of the Universe has taken from our midst Brother Marcenus McMaster, November 1982. He was a 60 year member of the Lodge. Again we were just notified of his passing.

Brother Earl Grau, now living in Wisconson was ill for a while but is on the road to recovery. Brother Harold Suhr, a long time member of the Lodge is recovering from a long illnes. Brother Arthur Kohls is doing very well after his neck surgery in March. Each brother in need of our aid or sympathy let us know.

Some of the brothers have sent in their dues, many have not, please take a moment and send them in. If you have a special situation please communicate with your secretary, we can and will help, but we must know if a situation exhists.

This completes my first six months as your secretary. I would like to thank the many brothers who have given assistance when asked and patience when needed. It is appreciated. A very special thanks goes to W: Bro. Gordon Mosher his wise willing council has been and continues to be appreciated.

COMMUNICATE: Remember, don't take for granted someone knows about an ill brother, or in need of our aid or assistance. Take a moment to contact a Lodge officer. Remember these are your brothers in your Lodge, the officers are willing to do their part, how about you?

Fraternally Lawrence K. Canfield Secretary

Warren C. Hubbard Lodge No. 964 3rd Friday

Our Lodge is about to adjourn for another summer recess, June 3rd is our last official gathering until fall.

Although we meet together as a Lodge for only one more evening before our summer recess, I should like to impress upon you the fact that Freemasonry and the position of Master in particular, is not a part time job. What I want to emphasize is the services of your Master are available to you whether or not the Lodge room itself is open. Please feel free to call upon me at anytime with any problem Masonic or otherwise, I will try to aid you all I can. My new phone number is 473-3764.

Although our Lodge room will be closed, let me remind you that the shutting of the door to the Temple does not mean the extinguishing of the Great Light of Freemasonry within our hearts. The teachings of Freemasonry extend far beyond the portals of our lodge room into the hearts of all true and loyal Masons and they are evident in all their dealings with their fellow men. Let us close, therefore, with the determination to make the coming months fruitful ones in the extension of our individual practice of the great principles of Freemasonry. May the coming summer months be filled with enlightening Masonic experiences for all of us.

On June 3rd, the night has been set aside in honor of those men we all know and admire so much, our Past Masters. So please make a special effort to attend. Also on June 3rd we will hold our first Photo Night. Our color photo catagories will be the "most unusual" and "friendship" and our black and white catagory will be an open field. Please have all photos framed or matted. Remember you can enter as many photos as you choose. If you have any questions please feel free to call Brother Larry S. Kaler at 482-1724.

June 5th at 1:00 PM we will be having our Family Picnic at Webster Park, Hilltop Lodge. I hope to see everyone there.

Before I close I should like to thank all the Officers for the splendid and inspiring work on May 5th in advancing a station in the chairs. The officers did an excellent job.

Our first Meeting after the summer recess will be on Sept. 16, 1983 with dinner at 6:30

> Fraternally, Kenneth D. Jermyn Master

Trestleboard

June 3rd - 6:30 PM Dinner -Past Masters 7:30 PM Meeting - Past Masters Night After Meeting More for the past Masters & Photo Night June 5th - 1:00 PM Dinner 7:30 PM Meeting

GENESEE FALLS LODGE No. 507 2nd Thursday

As your Master, I had the honor of visiting New York City and representing our lodge at the Grand Lodge. It was very impressive and informative. It gave me a chance to meet each Grand Officer personally. I especially felt I was a part of this Grand body, when I presented the Brotherhood checks from Genesee Falls Lodge to M.W. Grand Master, Ernest Leonardi. He was very receptive and acknowledged our lodge with a hearty "THANK YOU"

While I was there I visited the library and museum on the 17th floor. It was very interesting to see all the information collected from the different lodges. I took the opportunity to examine the archives file of Genesee Falls. It was most interesting. It was dated from the year the lodge was constituted in 1860 to the present time.

I want to Thank Gladys Geith and Harriett Riggs for setting up and preparing the ham. A thank you also, to all the ladies for preparing the food. Everything was delicious and made our family night a success. Snacks were once again enjoyed, courtesy of J.W. Harry Edick. A big thanks to him along with our Jr. Deacon, John Bryce and his assistant for entertaining us with their magic acts. Everyone certainly enjoyed it, especially the children.

I would like to extend my thanks to the Shrine Degree Team for the excellent they put forth on presenting the 3rd degree for our newly installed brother, Terry W. Wihlen.

Brethren, mark your calendars right now for our Old Timers Night on June 9th and please put forth a little extra effort to bring an Old Timer with you. Let's make this a meeting to remember. Any brother who needs transportation, please give me a call at 671-3542 and I'll make arrangements for you to get to

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Walton M. Kinney is recovering nicely from his operation and hopes to get back to lodge soon. A nice thank you card was received from him for the flowers. We extend our deepest and sincere sympathy to the family of Brother Willard G. Bruckner who was called home

by the Supreme Architect on April 13, 1983.

In closing, I would like to thank our S.W. Jay Riggs for the wonderful job he did on the Brotherhood Fund campaign. Well Done Jay, Thanks.

Fraternally Harry R. DeWitt Master

TRESTLEBOARD

June 9 - Old Timers Night - No Dinner June 23 (Please Note) - Ladies

Night (cancelled till later date) July 24 - Steak Roast - Salem

August 20 - Chicken BBO -Salem Park

FRANK L. SIMES LODGE No. 990 2nd Tuesday

Brethren:

Roe and I have just returned from Grand Lodge Convention in New York. We both had a very good time, but are glad to be home.

The new Grand Lodge appointments will be made on St. John's Day weekend in Utica. I will have a report later. If the 1983 Masters could generate as much enthusiasm about Masonry, and Operation Turnaround, as the Grand Master, membership in New York State would be 2 Million, instead of 200,000.

We had a Second Degree at our May Communication with J.W. Bro. Gary Burke, in The East. Everyone did a fine job putting on the Degree.

On June 18 we will have our Annual Lodge Picnic at Webster Park. It is at Old Mill Creek Shelter, starting at 1:00 P.M. Please bring a dish to pass and your own place setting. Call J.W. Bro. Gary Burke for reservations at home 865-4785 or work 546-3900.

Our Lodge received several compliments on the large attendance at the Grand Ball which was also our Ladies Nite. I would also like to thank J.W. Bro. Gary Burke for a fine job on Ladies Nite.

A note from the secretary. For those who do not know the Simes - Orpheus Lodge Merger has been approved. For those who have not paid their dues yet, they are payable to our secretary W. Ray Seward at 482-0620. They are \$34.35.

Best wishes to W. Arthur Tiemerson who is recovering from foot surgery. Hope to see

TRESTLEBOARD

June 3 - Retiring District Deputy Dinner

June 7 - 3rd Degree rehearsal 7:30 P.M.

June 14 - 3rd Degree - Tux -7:30 P.M.

June 18 - Lodge Picnic - Old Mill Creek Shelter Webster Park 1:00 P.M. Bring a dish to pass and your place setting. Call Gary Burke for Reservations at 865-4785 home or 546-3900 work.

June 21 - Fellowcraft at Hank Massecars for the Pool Party. Bring your lady. The address is 1190 Scandia Drive, Webster. 872-5727.

Sept. 13 - Reg. Meeting - Tureen Dinner - Past Masters Nite. HAVE A NICE SUMMER.

Fraternally yours, George D. Hornung Master

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Brethren:

Having just returned from the Grand Lodge Communication in New York, I must express my gratitude to all the Brothers for the opportunity of representing them, and for the 'good times' experienced as well. I expect to prepare a report to the Lodge, but it would be too lengthy to report here.

In my absence for the Grand Lodge meeting, W. Lou Hattler conducted an efficient "Move-up Night" on May 5 (Thanks Lou!), which was preceded by our annual Spaghetti Dinner and Wine Tasting Party. I'm told that we have quite a wine expert in Bro. Paul Fritsche, both entertaining and informative (Thanks to you, too Paul!) I will be looking forward to attending next year's event myself.

May 19 saw our 3rd Degree conferred, and much recognition must be extended to those participating. It was effective, and I'm sure it was impressive for our new Brothers. My thanks to all members of the Degree Team, and to Linda Zahn and her staff of volunteers for the delicious beef dinner.

On May 20, we honored our wives and sweethearts at the Annual Ladies Night at the Island Valley Party House, sharing the fun of the evening with our Brothers in Rochester Lodge #660. We have some "fun" traditions going now, and the one we developed at Ladies Night gave some recognition where it ought to be with our wives, who put up with a lot so we can practice Masonry. Thanks to W. Earl Cooley and his committee for their efforts in the arrangements and program for the evening.

I regret having to announce that W. Grant Matthews has passed to the Celestial Lodge; his surgery had given him some momentary relief only. May our prayers go with him always.

The Northfield Temple Association action to determine the condition of our Lodge Building is going to result in activity for all those who may have the desire to help. We have some significant repairs to make to the building structure - I will not attempt to describe them here. However, we will be discussing our needs during the June 2 meeting (hot dog roast, sport shirt night), and ypu can learn a lot more by coming out for the evening. Some of the work to be done will be strenuous, but certainly not all, if you would like to volunteer some time, please contact myself or W. Bob Campbell (248-2425).

Incidentally, let me emphasize the Hot Dog Roast and Sport Shirt Night for the June 2 meeting. Make it a loud shirt, in case it is cool outside.

Immediately following the June 2 meeting (June3-5), Pittsford will hold its Colonial Days Celebration. Northfield Lodge will (as last year) share the task with the American Legion Post of manning a Sausage-Peppers & Onions stand, next door to

the bank. Volunteers are needed here, also, to cook and sell (Contact W. Dave Bishop, 381-6920), but come out and have some of the most delicious sausage you have ever tasted.

Keep our Annual Strawberry Festival in mind, to be held on the front lawn of the Northfield Temple on Wednesday, June 23 - assuming the strawberries are at their peak. We will confirm thru posters - and the newspaper. This is a great opportunity to have your supper with your friends, neighbors and Brothers in a pleasant picnic atmosphere. (Naturally, it never rains.)

Plans are still in the making for our Annual Golf Tournament, tentatively scheduled for Saturday, June 18. At last report, however, we were having a little trouble getting tee-off times at our favorite club. Please call me (248-5170) if you want to participate, and I will be sure you get all the particulars when we know them. We usually plan on golf carts (riding) for those who would like to use them.

Last but not least, Saturday, June 25, will be the Annual Clean-up Day at the Lodge minor tasks this year because of the expected Lodge rennovation. Come out at 9 a.m., and stay for lunch.

This will probably be the last newspaper communication until Fall. May you all have a safe and enjoyable summer.

Two dates to remember:

Lodge Picnic on July 16, at the home of W. Bud Pierce, Charter Oaks Dr.

Past Masters Night on September 15, at the Lodge.

Fraternally, W.Don Smith

CHURCHVILLE LODGE No. 667 2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Brethren:

Summertime is approaching fast and that means this body will be dark for the months of June, July and August. However that does not mean our activities will stop. Make sure you put August 19 on your calendar for our annual picnic. Brother George Simon is yet to set the date for the annual visit to King George Lodge at Chippawa, Canada. As soon as he informs me of that date I will activate the call list so every brother is informed.

Churchville will be holding a 3rd degree on May 25 with a dinner planned by our Eastern Star. Reservations are a must.

Our fall program consists of a surprise speaker in October, Euchre Tournament in November and our annual Communion Breakfast in December.

The trip to Grand Lodge was enjoyable and fun. The Grand Master's message informed us that operation turnaround was working well. He set aside Aug. 13 as family day in Utica. Congratulations were extended for all those who worked on the Brotherhood Campaign, a job well done. He reminded us also that the concordinate bodies were made up of Master Masons and that it was our duty to support our Blue Lodge.

The information I found about Churchville in the Grand Lodge archives indicated that the brothers of Churchville are very hard working and close fraternal members. It indicated

that Masonry was indeed a part of each and every Mason's lifestyle. I do hope that in the future this will continue to grow; as everyone knows Masonry needs operation turnaround to continue.

Don't forget the dates for the summer events and I will see you at our communication in September.

> Fraternally yours Charles Mockham Master

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

Brethren:

Our one and only meeting in June will be Wednesday the 8th and will be our annual strawberry shortcake and sportshirt night. Following a summer of warm sun and all that goes with it we will meet again on September the 14th and begin what may be later remembered as the most important months in the history of Ancient Craft Lodge. Expect to be called upon between now and then.

CALLED HOME BY THE SUPREME ARCHITECT OF THE UNIVERSE: In West Palm Beach, Fla., Brother Harry R. Harman. In Tucson, Ariz., Brother Lewis D. Saunders. In Rochester, N.Y., Brother Andrew Mutch. The sympathy of the lodge goes to the families of each of these departed brothers.

Fraternally yours, Al Johnson, Secretary

FAIRPORT LODGE No. 476 2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren:

Well last month I said, "The season has changed and we are now in Springtime." Obviously I was looking at the calendar and NOT out the window! In early May it was twenty degrees colder than it was at Christmas 1982. Oh well, I never said I was a weatherman.

I want to let all my brothers and their wives know that New York City is as exciting and as fine a place to visit as it was on my last trip years ago. If any of you want a super weekend, try New York City!

We masters learned much at Grand Lodge. An enjoyable session it was. My only suggestion would be: "turn on the air conditioning for Grand Lodge." (It did get hot.)

At Fairport we expect to confer the 3rd degree on two candidates, Monday, June 13.

Those of you in this and all lodges who are delinquent in your 1982, 1983 lodge dues, please, please pay to date. Pay up my brothers, become a current card carrier in your lodge and do your part in Operation Turnaround. Introduce your neighbors, friends, co-workers and acquaintences to the "Wonderful World of Masonry."

Let us know of any ill, or inturned brother or just bring up the name of a brother who would like to attend lodge, to let them know, WE CARE!

Upcoming events for this year

that will require your volunteer assistance to insure their success include Fairport Village Days, Arts & Crafts Festival, July 4th and maybe the Fairport Octoberfest. Would you help

The officers and staff of your lodge remind you of our "Lodge Fellowship" that follows all lodge meetings. If you work till 9 p.m., plan on attending our after-lodge fellowship.

If you are able to attend our communications as well, we earnestly solicit your attendance on Monday nights.

> Fraternally James O. Merrick Worshipful Master

FAME LODGE No. 945 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

Brethren,

I would like to thank you all for helping to sponsor my trip to Grand Lodge. My wife, son and I had a great time.

In recap of last month's events, Bro. Wes Hagadash took his third degree with the able assistance of his father Woody. On May 10th, S.W. Joe Kovacs had move-up nite and I know he did a superb job because I am writing about it before it happened. During Awards Nite, the following received recognition:

60 year Certificates Bro. George H. Bryant W. Joseph L. Petz Bro. Louis C. Petz Rev. William T. Plews

25 year Certificates Bro. Merlin F. Blakely Bro. Joseph Granata Bro. Ronald Redshaw Bro. Donald E. Stein Bro. Herman Vener

Distinguished Service Apron Bro. Peter VelleKoop

Congratulations to all the brothers especially Bro. Peter "the Greeter" for his fine work.

Last month we also received an anonymous contribution for a new altar Bible which has been ordered and I would like to thank the person so contributing. We are also looking to replace our Lodge aprons contributions will be welcome.

June 14 will be our last meeting of this session — Crazy Sport Shirt/Strawberry Festival. Remember Lodge will open early (6:15 p.m.) and the surdaes will be served from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. for the convenience of those with younger children.

Brethren, it saddens me to report the passing of Bro. Clarence Vanderburgh who was raised Nov. 21, 1939 and who passed on April 15, 1983. The Lodge would like to extend its prayers and condolences to his family and friends.

This being the last article before the summer break, I would like to wish you all a safe and enjoyable summer

> Fraternally Marshall A. Ferguson Master

Trestleboard

June 14 - Crazy Sport Shirt/Strawberry Festival Sept. 10 - Family Picnic Sept. 13 - DDGM Visitation Sept. 27 - First Degree/Dinner Oct. 9 - Bill's Football Trip (tentative) Craftsman Lodge No. 969 F.&A.M. 1st and 3rd Mondays

Brethren:

The 202nd Annual Convention of the Grand Lodge of F. and A.M. of the State of Ne York is now history. The convention convened on Tuesday May 3, 1983 at 9:00 A.M. and on Wednesday the next day we adjourned. Just prior to adjournment the Grand Lodge Officers for the ensuing year were nominated, elected and installed in their respective stations and places. The most Worshipful Ernest Leonardi was re-elected as Grand Master for his second consecutive year. After his installation speech, the minutes of the convention procedings were read, approved and adopted. The convention then adjourned. I felt it a great honor in having attended the procedings.

For the month of June we will have two open Lodge meetings, June 6th and June 20th. Wild Shirt and Past Masters night as well as the final Lodge meeting until the Autumn season will take place on June 20th.

The final fellowcraft meeting until the Autumn will take place June 13th at 8:00 P.M. at the Webster Temple.

On Sunday, June 12th, the Lodge will hold a Lodge Picnic at Mendon Ponds Park.

On Friday, June 3rd, the banquet for the retiring Grand Lodge Officers will be held at the Party House on Beaham Road. The time will be 7:00 P.M. with cocktails at 6:00 P.M.

May. I wish all (54) of our Brethren who have Brithdays in the months of June, July and August Happy Birthday greetings and many more in the years ahead.

May I wish all our Brethren a happy and enjoyable summer and may we all see each other again in the Fall.

Fraternally, Clifton Field Worshipful Master

WAKAN LODGE No. 1054 2nd and 4th Mondays

Brethren,

The Annual Wakan wine tasting under the learned direction of our Senior Deacon, Bro. Charles Tijou was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by our members and their ladies. My thanks to Bro. Charles and all who assisted him for a fine job well done.

The Annual Sports shirt and strawberry short cake night will take place on June 13, our last meeting before the summer recess. We look forward to a fine attendance for that night as well.

The family picnic will be at Parkview Lodge in Webster Park on Saturday, June 25, beginning at 1 p.m. Officers will call their lists for reservations please plan to be there and enjoy the fellowship. I would like to take the opportunity at this time to wish all of you a really great summer and am looking forward to seeing you in lodge again in the Fall.

Our congratulations to Bro. Carl R. Johnson who received his fifty year pin at our meeting in May. It is an honor to be able to recognize a brother dedications to the craft.

Frternally, Michael Adamus, Master

NEWS AND VIEWS

First let us all wish our Master, W: Michael Adamus a very Happy Birthday, we will not go into the number of years involved at this time, we feel that discretion is the better part of valor.

R:W: Fred Neilsen is still in hospital and progressing slowly. We understand that his wife Bernice is staying with her daughter in Canton and making regular visits to Fred. Keep you chin up Fred you'll be back with us soon.

Mrs. Sue Farrell, wife of W: Charles Farrell, was taken to hospital with a severe back spasm but is now home and taking bed rest.

As the sun sets slowly in the west we will be waiving a fond goodbye to two of our staunch supporters shortly, Bro. Norman Fedrau and Betty and Bro. Fred Kittleberger and Ruth will shortly be relocating in Ocala, Fla. They will be close to Bro. George Waterman who lives there now.

W: Derek and Regina Wiseman are leaving for a visit to Germany, have fun both. Have a good Summer, enjoy your rest and come back to lodge full of vim and what not ready for a great Fall season.

W:A: John Tijou

GERMANIA LODGE No. 722 2nd and 4th Wednesdays

Greetings Brethren:

Well spring has finally arrived, at least temporarily, and summer is only about 21 calendar days away. Hard to believe but that means we're almost ready for our summer recess. Before then, however, we'll wrap up this half of the year with our annual visit from our brethren from Modestia Lodge of Buffalo.

Buffalo Night will be June 8th. We're expecting a big group from Modestia and it sure would be nice for us to have a good turnout that night. We'll be having a short meeting followed by our usual super lunch and entertainment. There is no charge for this lunch but we need reservations so we know how much food to prepare. Please call Doug Spencer (227-0283) or me (467-1677) as soon as possible and before June 3rd.

Thanks to all the brethren who gave to the Brotherhood Fund this year and special thanks to brother Bruce Howland, chairman, for a job well done. If you would still like to make a contribution to the Brotherhood Fund this year, or the Think Big and Build campaign, I'm sure they will accept it gratefully.

Things don't stop just because it's summer at Germania Lodge. Our annual Corn and sausage roast will be Saturday, August 6th, at Wolfgang Piaskowski's home, 286 Burnett Road out in Webster. Call Doug Spencer or

me to make your reservations for this annual enjoyable event.

Guess that's about all for now. Hope to see you at Buffalo Night and/or the Corn and Sausage Roast. Last but definitely not least, Happy Birthday to all of you with summer birthdays. A happy and safe summer to you all.

> Fraternally and sincerely, David N. Foster, Master

TRESTLEBOARD

June 8 - Buffalo Night August 6 - Corn and Sausage Roast

LET'S GO VISITING June 8 - Buffalo Night

> UNION STAR LODGE No. 320 2nd Monday

Brethern:

I am sorry we had to reschedule the second degree from May 16 to May 23. We did this so out-of-town relatives of one of our candidates would be able to attend. We have three candidates so far for our fall class, let's see if we can bring that number up to five.

The remodeling of our second floor hall is complete. Please come to lodge, take a look and give us your comments. Would you like to see the same application applied to the stairway and the third floor hall? We welcome your advice.

Under one of our community involvement projects, we are sponsoring a little girls softball league. Let's all of us come out and support them. We will also have an open house at the lodge after one of their games for them and their parents. Pizza and pop will be served. If there is any project you would like to see us involved in, contact myself or Ken Buckland.

By the time you get this letter, we will have had our officers and past masters supper. We hope to have several more later this year. The date for our steak roast will be announced at our June meeting. We are looking for a large turnout. See you in lodge.

Fraternally W. Dennison Ripley Master

No. 660 2nd Monday

FROM THE SECRETARY

Bro. Harold L. Dublin died April 29, 1983, he was a member of Rochester Lodge for over 65 years. The sympathy of the Lodge was extended to his wife Margaret.

Bro. Nelson "Barney" Nelius is back home after two stays in the Hospital for blood clots in the leg. W.B. Leo French is back home after a stay in the Hospital. He must be on Oxygen for most of the day and night.

Congratulations to the following Brothers who celbrate their birthday in June and July: Frederick Cooper 6/2; Herbert Hammerbeck 6/9; Berthel Johnson 6/10; Simon Feldman 6/11; Lowell Chapin 6/11; Louis Rund 6/13; George Knierim 6/16; Leo Ellickson 6/19; Christian Jacobsen 6/20; George Dunehart, Jr. 6/21; John Conley 6/21; William Joyce 6/23; Raymond Mac Nally 6/23; Wayne Moore 6/25; Milton Asmuth 6/28; Robert

Jeffers 7/4; Arthur Pound 7/9; Wor. Sherman Anderson 7/9; Gus Lanasa 7/10; Robert Fertig 7/10; David Borlen 7/11; John Yockel who will be 95 on 7/14; Verner Burns 7/16; George Kingston 7/19; Frank Reynolds 7/20; Wor. Thomas Baird 7/22; Bruce Wright 7/24; Dr. Samuel Brenner 7/24; Frank Bradbury 7/25; Kenneth Jewitt 7/26 and Willard Baxa 7/28.

Bro. E. Greenleaf Stewart received his 70 year pin in Clearwater, Florida. Bro. George Kingston who suffered a stroke a year ago received his 60 year pin at his home. Bro. Milton Asmuth spent the month of April in Florida. When he gets settled down he will receive his 60 year pin.

Bro. Edward Smith and his son are in Canada hunting Bear, then he will be on his way to Bermuda to rest up. Bro. Donald Woodruff's daughter got married May 7th after the wedding Don and Joyce headed for Florida. Bro. David John retired from Kodak Park. Bro. Ronald Bertie's daughter Christine was installed as Queen of Fidelity Triangle.

Enjoy you summer vacation and return home safe and sound.

George M. Adams, Secretary

No. 538 1st and 3rd Thursdays

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IONIC CHAPTER No. 210 ROYAL ARCH MASONS 2nd and 4th Tuesdays

May 24th 1983 was the Official Visit of R.E. Stanley V. Peterson D.D.G.R.M. of the 27th Capitular District of our Chapter. This is his Official visit to our Chapter and we always are glad to have him with us. More about that in the Sept. Issue.

Our Ex. High Priest, Robert C. Pettit and his wife wish all a very lovely summer, good weather and a safe time in your vacations. Thanks all for their support the 1st half on the year. There will be no meeting in June so the next one will be Sept. 27th in the Masonic Temple. Have fun.

On May 6th, Friday our E.H.P. Robert C. Pettie took C. A. John Tijou as a candidate and following members of the Council, Horace C. Porter, Walter Simpson and John Waldock to Hornell in his plane for the S. & R.M. degrees in the Council. The weather was excellent for flying so they made it in 37 minutes going down but coming back in 20 minutes as they had a tail wind. It does help. A good time was had by all. This being the 6th candidate for E. Horace Porter this year in the Council he is entitled the Honor of the Ishodi degree. More about that in the next

There will be a picnic on July 24th Sunday at the home of our E.H.P. Robert C. Pettie at 2:30 P.M. This is the workers party so be advised as such. Will contact before that time. His address is 4213 St. Paul Blvd., Rochester, N.Y. 14617.

There being no new sickness at this time so let's remember them with cards and paying them a visit when you can. It gets rather lonesome when you are confined to a home. Remember them in your prayers.

Our dues are still due the Chapter by members so please ASAP. Don't want to loose you because of that at the end of the year. We need you in our work and you need us also. We each help one another.

As reporter I want to wish all a safe and a happy summer and to be ready for some interesting and educational work for the Chapter in September. Believe that is all for now but this saying: "God likes the prayers I send Him because His business is me!". Have fun.

THE ROYAL ARCH SCHOLARHSIP FUND in the 27th District is in progress right now. The need is the continuous assistance for our children and grandchildren for their education. If you can help please do. The campaign Chariman for Ionic Chapter is E. Lawrence E. Hood. Information about the scholarship fund can be obtained by contacting him. Telephone # (617)586-7659. The grants are distributed at an area meeting in June. Not much time left to help so hurry.

Roy E. Huff, Sec. & Reporter

DORIC COUNCIL No.
CRYPTIC
MASONS
4th Monday
Chartered in

The Annual Meeting of D was held on May 9th, 198 Ionic Hall, Masonic Ter Rochester, N.Y. The follow members were Elected and stalled:

Ill, Master, Raymond Morgan. Deputy Master, L R. Hattler. Principal Condu of the Work, Frederick Holderle. Treasurer, Roy Huff. Secretary, John Waldock, Chaplain, William Angold. Captain of the Gu L. Edward Walker. Condu of the Council, Donald Evans. Steward, Robert Gr Marshal, Ronald D. Ber Sentinal, Donald S. Ballou stalling Officer Was Raymond R. Beardsley. In: ing Marshal was I. Stanle Peterson. Inst. Chaplain I. W. Nulton.

Our Ill. Master names Committeee for the year wished them success. Be that they will all do a very job this year. He thanked a Installing Officers for work well done and the Officers, enjoy your time us and we will help all we ca

A message from our n Elected Master. This is month we look at na blooming and starting new But as we look at the Mas Activities we see them clo up for the summer. As happens I hope that you o put your Masonic mind at but rather continue to more about this Great Or, zation. What a better time t this than sitting in the sun a beach or even in a boat fis Hope you catch some. Our meeting brought into Council a new line of Off for the year. Wish them al luck in the duties as officers you have a friend that is no in Council? If you do, why get him interested and bring into the Council to be with

We have no new sickner report but when you please pray that they may well again. Send cards and when you can. Have no do to report at this time. Any needing help during the sun can contact our Ill. Master Secretary. Will carry it there.

Dues are still due and to to who have not paid as remember we can't opera helping you if you are r member. Please corpo Thanks.

To all members of Ge York Rite College #25 ther be our Annual meeting on 11th, 1983 at the Ma Temple in Webster. Pla bringing your wife or f with you. This is just a rem and all should have rec notices by now. Thanks.

To all, have a safe and good summer and will see at our first meeting in Sep 26th.

Believe that is all for now except this saying: "When I pray for another person I have the opportunity for God to also heal me too". Until next time have fun. Enjoy it.

Ill. Master Raymond H. Morgan P.I.M. Roy E. Huff, Reporter

CYRENE COMMANDERY No. 39 KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

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Our Installation of Officers for the year 1983-84 was held on May 13th 1983. Wish to thank all who attended the Public Installation and hope that they were impressed with the way the Installation was conducted. The following Officers were Installed as elected on April 22nd 1983. Appointed Officers will be in next Issue.

Em. Comm. Lawrence E. Hood. Captain General, Donald Evans, P.E.C. Generalassimo, P.E.C. Horace C. Porter. Treasurer, P.E.C. Stanley V. Peterson. Recorder, P.E.C. Frederick Holderle. Trustee 3 years, P.E.C. Roy E. Huff.

These are your elected Officers for the year. May you all give them your support and aid them when you can.

At the Zone II Festival held on April 29th 1983 we Initiated into our Commandery the following candidates:

S.K. A. John Tijou. S.K. Norman A. Mundt. S.K. Wm. J. Kuehne. S.K. Joh C. Tyler. S.K. Charles A. Tijou. S.K. Leonard Parker. S.K. Charles A. Tijou is the son of S.K. A. John Tijou. The Orders was put on by the Officers of Zone II and the Commanderies in this section. Job very well done. We welcome the new members into our commandery and hope they will enjoy their stay with us. Come on out and be with us.

On April 22nd at our regular conclave we received S.K. Louis R. Hattler as a dual member. We welcome him into our commandery and glad that he is with us. Congratulations.

May 13th was our last conclave until September 9th 1983. We wish all a happy and a safe summer time and have fun enjoying what you do.

There will be a picnic on Sunday June 26th 1983 at the home of our Em. Comm. Lawrence E. Hood and his loveley wife Marg. They live at 62 Parkridge Dr., Pittsford, N.Y. 14534. Members will be contacted before then with what to bring to pass. It will be at 2 P.M. Save the time and date to be with us.

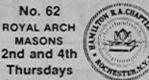
There are still some dues out and time is now so let's all make our Recorder happy again. Thanks.

We have no new sickness as of now. Please make calls or send cards. No deaths to report.

Believe that is all for now except this saying: "When God stirs my nest there's a reason for it and I will look for it." Until next time have fun.

Em. Comm. Lawrence E. Hood P.E.C. Roy E. Huff, Reporter.

HAMILTON CHAPTER No. 62 ROYAL ARCH MASONS



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Companions: As I write this column the sun is shining and summer is around the corner.

Our family night at Henrietta Lodge was a very nice affair. We had Steamship round and all the fixings and Laoian dancing girls for entertainment. Many inquired about their culture.

I have helped many immigration people in getting furniture and appliances and helping to move them into apartments. They cannot thank you enough. It is a great consolation to be able to help these less fortunate people.

I can report that the Auditorium in the Temple is doing better financially with good shows. Thanks to John Moriarity.

The 27th Capatular District is offering symbolic Lodges to dramatize the Royal Arch Degrees. It is called Fervency and Zeal. We have had a very favorable response. We will have travelled to Clio Lodge May 17th and Henrietta Lodge May 24th.

There will be no meeting in June, as we have our Picnic at Powdermill Park, Thursday June 9th at Powder Horn Cabin, dinner at 6:30 PM. Bring a dish to pass and your own utensils.

I wish each and everyone a pleasant and safe summer.

Sometimes, Oh Lord, when I cannot pray I sit very still with nothing to say but never the less I know you are there and I know that I am never walking alone.

Harold W. Gruschow Ex. High Priest





Brethren,

It has been a great pleasure for me to see so many new roots taking hold in our Forest. Attendance at our meetings and dinners has increased. Participation at our activities has increased and our Forest is winning honors locally and in the Supreme Forest. We have won First place in the bowling league which seemed to make Guy Williams eyes twinkle! We have also captured the eye of our Supreme Forest officers with our calendar. For the past two communications they have had a Supreme Officer in attendance and so stated, "they want to assist in the further implementing of our activities.

Great! Fantastic! Beautiful!

My thanks to all of you Brothers, for your assistance and support. Together we have Cedarism growing in Rochester Forest and New York State.

On Thursday, June 16, Rochester forest will hold a Sausage Roast at Tripp Acres. Time will be at 5:00 P.M. at 566 Bay Road. For reservations, if you were not contacted by the Calling Committee, call Guy Williams at 342-1505 or myself at 964-8118.

During the Sausage Roast our lovely ladies of Cedarism, the Cedarettes, will be going out for dinner. In the past they have nourished themselves on oriental food at a local Chinese Restaurant. If you have a lovely lady who would be willing to partake in the fun with the Cedarettes, please call Romana DiMino at 342-4893.

I hope everyone will have an enjoyable summer recess and that when we're convened for the fall schedule you will be with us.

Looking forward to the Fall, on September 17 at 2:00 P.M. (Saturday) we will be having a Wing Ding in Jamestown. (This replaces this year our annual Sept. Corn and Sausage Roast). If you wish to stay over night please let the Calling Committee know so reservations can be made at the Holiday Inn.

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Ladies Organization NEWS

FIDELITY TRIANGLE



R:.W:. Robert Pettit D.D.G.M. and W:.A:. John Tijou Chairman of Brotherhood Fund, receive check for \$200.00 for Brotherhood Fund from the retiring Queen Deborah Hirsch.



W:. Maurice Solomon Vice President of the Masonic Service Bureau receives check for \$200.00 from retiring Queen Deborah Hirsch.

April 30 - The formal installation of new officers of Christine Bertie; Senior Lady, Susan Hirsch; Junior Lady, Wendy Stubenrod; Guardian, Julie Borden; Chaplain, Peggy Echevarria.

Hirsch & Karolann Midgley.

The organist was W. Martin Reitz & the soloist was Melvin

The installing Chaplain was past Queen Karen Hutchinson, & the Honor Guard was members of Fidelity Triangle, Lilac Triangle, Cyrene Commandery, Monroe Commandery, and DeMolay. The prayers were given by the Reverend Edward Linaker.

The Honorable, Frank W. Horton; Congressman and Grand representative to the Grand Lodge of Ohio; presented new American Flags, to Fidelity Triangle, to Mrs. Hazel Koch for the organization of Triangles, and to Mr. George Newbury for DeMolay. Mr. George Newbury; Past sovereign Grand Commander of the Northern jurisdiction of the friendship circle at the end of Scottish Rite; gave a very interesting & informative talk.

Other guests included - Mr. Hazel Kock, State Director of



W: Albert Johnson Editor of the Monroe Masonic News, receives check for \$50.00 for the Masonic News from retiring Queen Deborah Hirsch.

Triangle; Miss Pauline Overturf, Deputy State Fidelity Triangle was held in Director; Richard Miller, Senior Cathedral Hall. The new line Advisor Council; Patricia officers are; Beloved Queen, Simons, Triangle State Representative; Wanda Watson, Jr. Advisor; Mrs. Debbie Fisher, Jr. Deputy of Lilac Traingle; Diane Barrett, Queen of Lilac Triangle; Mrs. Ruth Sims, Jr. The installing Marshalls Deputy of Lockport Triangle; were, past Queens Deborah Mr. Gary Thompson, Commander of Cyrene Commandery; Mr. Charles Hager, Grand Sword Bearer of the Knights Templar; Mr. Stanley Peterson, D.D. High Priest of Royal Arch Masons; Mr. Ronald Brown, Grand Zone officer of Knights Templar; Mr. Donald Cook, Grand Warder of Knights Templar; Mr. Cyrus Kloner, President of Masters &: Wardens; Mr. Glen Doud, D.R.M.C. of DeMolay; Mrs. Barbara Apano, Matron of Rochester Chapter O.E.S.; Mrs. Virginia Johnson, Matron of Sunshine Chapter O.E.S.; Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Rhodes, Matron & Patron of Culver Chapter O.E.S.; and past Queens, Diane Thompson, Carol Mewhirter, and Karen Midgley.

> There were 30 girls in the the meeting.

Thank You for the Donation-Editor

Fellowship Chapter No. 685 Order of the Eastern Star

Our sympathy goes out to Peg Mingus with the death in her family. The following members have been sick lately, S. Ruth Knope, S. Nora Massett, S. Georgina Forbes, S. Edith Neitzel, and it would be nice to remember them with cards and notes.

We wish to thank the Rochester Chapter Order of DeMolay for coming to our May 10 meeting and putting on such a lovely Mother's Day degree for us. These young men where such a delight and pleasure to enjoy watching them in their degree work.

At our May 24th meeting we draped our Altar in memory of our departed members. Wish to thank all the members who came to the meeting that night.

Our dinner was a great success and thanks to all the members who work the various areas to make it work. Will be having another one in the fall.

Girls remember to be making bazaar items over the summer. The more items we have on out table in the fall the more profit will make. We do have a group that meets during the day once a month to make items etc. For more information about getting into this group to help please contact S. Betty Reisinger.

Our next meeting will be on June 14th.

> Respectfully Submitted Barbara Wheeler Press Secretary

NOLA CHAPTER No. 368 Order of the Eastern Star

Dear Members,

We are looking forward to June 7th and Past Matron's and Patron's night.

Our Chapter was saddened with the loss of S. Nellie Aradine. Our sympathy is extended to her family.

A speedy recovery to S. Helen Kishlar and husbands of S. Carol Pickworth and S. Eleanora Dick. We hope to see W. Susan Prevost in Chapter soon and feeling better.

A belated Happy Birthday to W. Harriet Anderson in Florida and in her young nineties.

Our Next - to New - Sale and Baked Food Sale is June 3rd - 12 to 8 and June 4th - 10 to

The Past Matron's picnic is June 29th at 6:30 at Volk's Park.

Make part of your summer a nice days trip to Oriskany for the Annual Bazaar July 23rd.

This will be our last letter until fall. Kindly let us know of anyone that should be remembered during recess.

We will see you Sept. 20th for regular meeting and Sept. 27th at Officers Club.

At Last, the happy day arrives---the waiting weeks are gone, and we are off to unknown parts for two short weeks of fun - for two short weeks that go so fast we hardly know they're here, and once again we're waiting for vacation time next year.

May you and yours have a very happy and healthy summer.

Fraternally, R. W. Susan Skelton W.M. W.B. Wm. Baxter W.P.

LILAC TRIANGLE



Beloved Queen of Lilac Triangle, Diane Barrett.

The busy April through November 1983 term of Lilac Triangle #121 got off to a rousing start, April 9th with the installation of Beloved Queen Diane Barrett. On April we presented a 23 Psalm degree for the Culver chapter OES. A dinner was served for the Rebecca's on April 22. Money was also raised by serving an anniversary dinner. We enjoyed the Fidelty installation and several of us were in Christine's honor guard. (Congratulations Christine!) The triangle is looking forward to being in the Motion choir at the Grand Matron's Visit. A new candidate was innitiated on May 9th, congratulations to Susan Maisel. We hope you will have the fun and good times we have enjoyed. A car wash is planned for May 28th at County Club Plaza. Our triangle cleans the East Rochester Temple on a regular basis. On June 13th we are having a flag degree. All Masons are cordially invited. June 27th is Past Beveloved Queen night and a graduation degree will be given.



Beloved Queen and her honor guard.



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JUNE									
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY			
RETIRING GRAND LODGE OFFICERS DINNER, JUNE 3RD, BEAHON PARTY HOUSE		1	NORTHFIELD — Sportshirt night	BANQUET FOR RETIRING GRAND LODGE OFFICERS W.C. HUBBARD — Past Masters night FAIRPORT — 3rd deg. NOLA CHAPTER — Next to new/baked food sale	NOLA CHAPTER — Next to new/baked food sale				
5	CRAFTSMAN — Reg. mtg. VALLEY — Sportshirt night J.A. ROBERTSON — Reg. mtg.	YONNONDIO — FATHERS DAY/DeMolay CLIO — Constellation night PENFIELD UNION — Dress down night NOLA CHAPTER — Past Matron & Patron night	GERMANIA — Buffalo night ANCIENT CRAFT — Strawberry/sportshirt night	ZETLAND — Past masters/swards night GENESEE FALLS — Old timers night TESTIMONIAL DINNER — RW Fred Souffert	10	ANNUAL MASONIC GOLF TOURNAMENT			
12	ETOLIAN — Old timers/sportshirt/awards night WAKAN — Strawberry/sportshirt night LILACTRIANGLE — Flag deg.	FLAG DAY FAME — Strawberry/sportshirt night F.L. SIMES — 3rd deg. E. ROCHESTER — Sportshirt night FLOWER CITY — Sportshirt/awards night FELLOWSHIP CHAPTER — Reg. mtg.	GROTTO — Outdoor mtg.	16	17	18			
19 FATHERS DAY	CRAFTSMAN — Wild shirt/Past Masters night	SENECA — Awards/family night	22	23	24	25			
26	LILAC TRIANGLE — PBO	28	29	30	INVESTITURE AND ST. JOHN'S DAY, JUNE 18, MASONIC HOME, UTICA				

TEMPLE CIVIC CENTER TRUSTEE NEWS

May 15, 1983 From our minutes of May 11, 1983

- 1. Reported absent were the representatives of Cyrene Commandry and John A. Robertson Lodge.
- 2. The treasurer reported that W. C. Hubbard was two months behind in rent, Doric Council was one month behind in rent, and Damascus Temple was two months behind in rent.
- 3. Note: We are short of cash and had to pay penalties on our bills, so the people who are late are causing unnecessary expenses.

4. As a result of a report concerning vibrations in the balcony area, the city engineers suggested that the balcony seats be limited to 500 maximum until we can prove that the balcony area can hold the maximum number.

Because of this mostly unsubstantiated report and bad mouthing, we have to spend \$2,000 to have structural tests made. We have until about May 25, to get the test results in or suffer accordingly.

5. The house committee reported that microfilm negatives of the plans of the building are being made.

- 6. A Question was raised about a potential winter closing and its problems. The House committee will give as much advance notice as possible in such event. (Personally, this writer will oppose such closing). Also, plans to close the fifth floor are being considered and as information is available, it will be disseminated.
- 7. There is a possibility that bulletins boards in the lodge ante rooms may (not will) come to pass.

8. The legal committee reported on their progress concerning the situation of a recent

robbery problem.

9. Fritz Friedrich has agreed to head up one of our fund drives. President Walzer put each trustee on that committee and expects full cooperation from them. We also need some more volunteers. How about some of you out there?

10. This is the third time that this column is reporting that parking tickets are available to masons on a reduced basis. The building manager has them in this office. Apparently fewer people read this column that I thought.

By Gerald J. Glaser

11. The house committee, working on space allocations, reported that in going back over the minutes, that since 1972, it has been reported that that particular year would be the last year that our temple would be

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