



W.: Bro. William H. Russell Appointed Grand Representative

Rt. Wor. Bro. William H. Russell has been appointed Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Belgium near the Grand Lodge of New York.

Rt. Wor. Bro. Russell was born in Rochester, New York, graduated from East High School and attended Rochester Institute of Technology. He was raised in Seneca Lodge #797 in April 1961, and served as Master in 1973 and Trustee 1974-1977. He was Third Degree Ritual Advisor from 1977 through 1982 and Overseer of all Lodge Ritual 1983-1984.

In 1984 he was appointed Assistant Grand Lecturer of the First Monroe District and continues to serve in that capacity.

His other Masonic activities include serving as Secretary of the School of Instruction in 1977, membership in the Rochester Consistory, Damascus Temple, Damascus Patrol, Shrine Past Masters Degree Team, where he served as President in 1979; Ionic Chapter #210, Royal Arch Masons, Rochester Hi-Twelve Club #619 and Rochester Court #3, Royal Order of Jesters.

Rt. Wor. Bro. Russell is retired after 41 years of service



Rt. W.: William H. Russell
Grand Representative

in the Kodak Research Laboratories. He is a life member of the Kodak Pioneer Club and Kodak Management Club. He is a member of the Episcopal Church of the Ascension where he has served as President of the Men's Club and several terms as a Vestryman. He and his wife Helen reside at 361 Brookview Drive in Irondequoit. They have two daughters and two grandchildren.

Intergovernmental News Up-Date Now Available

The statewide publication, "Intergovernmental News Up-Date," containing state agency news highlights, toll-free hotline telephone numbers and extensive information on government-related opportunities throughout New York State is now available from Assembly Speaker Stanley Fink's Rochester Regional Office.

Published by the Speaker's Office for Intergovernmental Relations, the "News Up-Date" provides a monthly compilation of state and federal publications, grant announcements and educational and employment opportunities.

Persons wishing to obtain free copies of "Intergovernmental News Up-

Date" should call 716-546-1011 or write to the following address: Speaker's Regional Office, 305 Irving Place, 30 West Broad St., Rochester, New York, 14614. The office will also provide answers to questions on state law, information on proposals before the state legislature and help in cutting bureaucratic red tape.

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Contact Kathleen Muscato at 716-546-1011.

Purple Club to Hold Annual Retiring Grand Lodge Officer's Dinner Friday May 30, 1986

The Purple Club will hold a dinner sponsored by the Masonic Service Bureau to honor the Grand Lodge Officers that have served the First and Second Monroe Districts during the year.

The dinner will be held at the Party House at 677 Beahan Road with a social hour at six and a dinner at seven. There will be a choice of Filet of Sole or Choice Roast Beef. Cost of the dinner will be \$13.00 per person.

Send reservations with dinner choice to your Lodge Master.

The dinner is open to all masons and, this year for the first time, wives and/or guests are invited which will add much to the

The plaque recipient this year will be Rt. Wor. Brother William G. Lennox, of Ancient Craft Lodge #943. The presentation will be made to the 1940 DDGM, 1st Monroe, in appreciation of his contributions to the Craft.

occasion.

We are looking forward to a large turnout on May 20th as an expression of our appreciation for the service given to the craft by these brothers.

Mark your calendar now. Tickets will soon be available from the master of your lodge.

From Grand Lodge:



Grand Master To Rededicate Memorial

To commemorate Masonic Day at Clermont State Historic Park, Germantown, Columbia County, New York, the Grand Master will rededicate the Robert R. Livingston Masonic Memorial and participate in the Tercentenary 1686-1986, Manor of Livingston, at 2:00 p.m., on Sunday, May 25, 1986.

Clermont, the home of our first Grand Master, Most Worshipful Brother Chancellor Robert R. Livingston and seven generations of the Livingston family, is now a Registered National Historic Landmark administered by the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation.

Masonic Day will be hosted by brethren and ladies of the Columbia and Dutchess Districts. Plan now to attend this important Masonic event. All Masons, families, and friends invited.

Masonic Pilgrimage To the Holy Land November 10, 1986

A unique opportunity for Masons in the Rochester area has arisen to join with brethren and their ladies from Canada to embark on a Masonic Pilgrimage to the Holy Land. A committee of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, headed by the Grand Master, M.:W.: Lou Copeland, has organized a tour which will start out on November 10, 1986, and involves visits to most of the historic sites so sacred to Masons and the religious Faiths — Caesarea, Acre, Nazareth, Tiberias, Mount of Olives, Gethsemane, the site of King Solomon's temple, etc.

The group will fly direct from Toronto to Israel on El Al Airlines (universally regarded as the safest in the world from the security standpoint), departing from Toronto on November 10, and return to Toronto on November 24, with the option of extending the tour for a 6-day journey to Egypt.

The price of \$1,995.00 (Canadian), which is the equivalent of approx. \$1,400.00 in U.S. funds, includes 5-star accommodations throughout, 8 days sightseeing in air-conditioned motor coach with English-speaking guides, and a farewell banquet in the presence of the Grand Master of Israel. Anyone interested should contact R.:W.: Maurice Solomon (716-271-5435) for fuller details.

V.A. Hospital to Honor Two Masonic Brothers



Rt. Wor. Harry Kennedy



Wor. Bro. Don Yorks

On May 14 at a Volunteers' Banquet, the V.A. Hospital will honor Rt. Wor. Bro. Harry Kennedy, Deputy Representative & Volunteer, for 750 hours of service. At the same banquet, Wor. Bro. Donald Yorks, Volunteer, will be honored for 500 hours of service. I know that all the Masons of Monroe County join me in congratulating these Brothers for the work they have done and continue to do in the name of Masonry.

It is a pleasure to welcome as new volunteers: Sylvia and Harold Bollotin, Blair Cosman, Stanley Deneering, Randall Dibble, John Dudley, June Moon, Doris and Paul Robertson and James Smith. We have need of more volunteers during the week. If you would like to join our ranks please call me and I will see to it that you are registered and assigned a place of service. Home: 671-8089.

Fraternally,
Warren Trimble
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Alumni Reunion Planned

Masons; We Can! We Will!

The above emblem may bring back memories to many in our Masonic Order. Some of us remember "Hillside Home for Children," which is now known as Hillside Children's Center.

I have been asked to serve on a committee to plan an alumni reunion as part of Hillside's 150th Anniversary in 1987. If you ever lived at Hillside, or know anyone who did, we would like to hear from you!

Many of you remember me, Jay Painton, and remember the wonderful times we had at the New Year's-Christmas party given for us by the Masonic members. And I always looked forward to the "Joy Ride" every June to Sea Breeze Park for a day's outing and fun. Those of us whose lives were touched by Hillside have memories — many happy, some sad. We'd like everyone who shares these memories to be a part of Hillside's special celebration next year.

If you are a Hillside alumnus, please call Barbara Schmucker at Hillside (244-HILL) with your name and address. If you'd like to help in planning the event, we'd like to know that, too. Our small committee (Barbara, Jim Sauers, Art

Bruckman, Denny Powell, Pam Schrank from the Board, and myself) need lots of help.

Tracking down the hundreds and hundreds of people who were once "Hillsiders" will be a tremendous task. Even if you do not care to join in the celebration, your help with contacts and addresses will be greatly appreciated. I'm counting on the help of all our Masonic brothers and sisters to accomplish this job.

Sincerely,
Jay Painton
Craftsman Lodge 969

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**Inter-Lodge
Fellowship**

The second meeting of the Interlodge Fellowship Committee was held on Friday, March 21, at the downtown temple. The following lodges were present:

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| Yonnonadio | #163 |
| Northfield | #426 |
| Fairport | #476 |
| Genesee Falls | #507 |
| Henrietta | #526 |
| Webster | #538 |
| Rochester | #660 |
| Churchville | #667 |
| Craftsman | #969 |
| John A. Robertson | #1032 |
| Charlotte | #1088 |

The committee got a late start this year so the number of events will be limited. The calendar for the balance of this year is as follows:

- May 31 - Golf Outing
 - June 6 - Canal Trip
 - Mid-June - Baseball Night
 - October 17 - Euchre Tournament
 - Early December - Festival of Lights
- "Shorty Buchanan of Charlotte Lodge is again acting as chairman for the Golf Out-

Retiring Grand Lodge Officers Dinner

DATE: Friday May 30, 1986
PLACE: Party House-677 Beahan Road
TIME: Social Hour 6:00 P.M.
Dinner 7:00 P.M.
CHOICE: Filet of Sole
Choice Roast Beef
PRICE: \$13.00 per person
TICKETS: From Master of your Lodge

Make your calendar now, make a date with your lady and enjoy an evening of good fellowship at the Party House.

ing. Because of the date, this may be the only notice you receive for this. It will be held at the Victor Hills Golf Club, 1460 Brace Road in Victor on **May 31, 1986**. Cost will be \$18.00, with hots and hamburgers at the turns included in the cost. This has always been a fun day so get your reservations in quickly. Your start time will be based upon when you place and pay for your reservation.

This year, we will join John A. Robertson Lodge on their scheduled canal trip on Friday, June 6, at 6:00 p.m. Cost will be \$10.00 per person. Please con-

tact W. Paul Robertson, the chairman of the event, at 266-3074 for reservations, or your lodge representative.

R.W. "Chick" Becker will be announcing the date for the Rochester Red Wings baseball night soon.

Most of the events for 1987 are now being planned. A list and approximate dates will be sent to all lodges before Fall. This will allow the incoming Master to properly plan for the events in their scheduling.

Vernon L. Goodrich
Chairman, Interlodge
Fellowship Committee

Masonic Gothic

Bowling League

By **W. R. Adrian Soloman**

Masonic Gothic Bowling League

Going into the final month of the season, the Quadrants have a commanding lead, with the Mauls solidly in second place. There is a very tight race for 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th places. Ashlar is currently in third place, with Lawrence and Flower City hot on their heels.

The bottom half of the league is led by the Brothers Five Plus, and Henrietta I close behind, then All Stars and Tall Cedars. Last, but not least, is the Hubbard team.

The last week of bowling will be April 9, with the annual banquet and trophy presentations the following week, April 16. There are plenty of openings for any men who wish to bowl in the league, either regularly, or as substitutes. Remember, it is no longer a requirement to be a Mason to be a bowler. However, each team is limited to at most two non-masons, and non-masons are not eligible for the annual Statewide Tournament.

Our apologies. Due to circumstances beyond our control, this column has been missing for the past few issues.

TEAM STANDINGS

POSITION	TEAMNO/NAME	GAMES WON	GAMES LOST	TOTAL PINS	TOTAL POINTS
1	1 QUADRANTS	50	31	66537	136
2	4 MAULS	44.5	36.5	65836	127
3	8 ASHLAR	45.5	35.5	61221	117
4	2 LAWRENCE	45.5	35.5	63465	115
5	7 FLOWER CITY	41.5	39.5	59763	113
6	9 BROTHERS 5 PLUS	38	43	62312	108
7	3 HENRIETTA I	39	42	63443	104
8	6 ALL STARS	37.5	43.5	54995	91
9	10 TALL CEDARS	33	48	59985	90
10	5 HUBBARD	29.5	51.5	60553	79

TEAM	HIGH SERIES	TEAM	HIGH SERIES/HDCP
QUADRANTS	2729	QUADRANTS	3257
MAULS	2726	MAULS	3206
BROTHERS 5 PLUS	2603	ASHLAR	3122
HENRIETTA I	2552	LAWRENCE	3082
LAWRENCE	2545	FLOWER CITY	3079
ASHLAR	2504	HENRIETTA I	3066
FLOWER CITY	2451	BROTHERS 5 PLUS	3053
TALL CEDARS	2379	ALL STARS	3007
HUBBARD	2367	TALL CEDARS	3003
ALL STARS	2362	HUBBARD	2942

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Lodge Notice Items

Washington Masonic Monument
Flushing Meadow Park, Queens
Sunday, May 4, 1986

2:00 p.m.

This has been an annual Masonic visit since the close of the New York World's Fair 1964-1965, and is now in charge of the Queens Masonic Association. Grand Lodge officers and members attend in regalia; all brethren and their families and friends are cordially invited. There is always a short concert by the Kismet Temple Shrine Band; the St. John's Washington Bible is on display; the Grand Master lays a wreath at the statue; there are one or two brief speeches; refreshments are available. It is a nice day.

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**District Deputy
Grand Master**

R.:W.: Martin J. Reitz



**To My Dear Wife,
Eleanor — Thank You**

Brethren:

My year as District Deputy is rapidly coming to an end and new Grand Lodge Officers will soon be installed. It has been a most rewarding and exciting year for me, and the many new friends I have made and the many Brothers that I have met in my travels in the District have left a lasting impression.

R.:W.: Jack Thibaut and I have traveled together on most of my official visits throughout the Second Monroe District, and I owe R.:W.: Brother Jack a debt of gratitude for insuring that correct protocol was observed and making the visits thoroughly pleasant. It has been a joy and a privilege to work with R.:W.: Thibaut who represents Masonry at its finest.

I should like to thank R.:W.: Gerald Becker and R.:W.: Alexander Arthur for their great cooperation in making the Monroe Masonic team work smoothly. In addition, my thanks to the Assistant Grand Lecturers for both Districts, R.:W.: A. John Tijou and R.:W.: William H. Russell, for their work with the schools.

I am deeply grateful for the opportunity to have served as District Deputy Grand Master and I thank all who had the confidence to support me in this important position. Thanks are also due to my dear wife, Eleanor, for her support and patience during the past year.

Fraternally,

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R.W. Alexander Arthur, Jr.

Get Behind the Grand Master's Programs

This is my last article as your staff officer. The year has slipped away fast. It has been a good year, and one that I will cherish the rest of my life. I have visited many Lodges in both 1st and 2nd Monroe Districts; some of which I had not been privileged to visit previously. I renewed many old friendships; and made many new ones that I hope will continue to grow. It was a pleasure working with three other dedicated Grand Lodge officers. We worked well as a team, and I'm happy to say we never had an upsetting word among us. I am looking forward to a close friendship of this Masonic family for many years to come. I again would like to thank East Rochester Lodge; the Purple Club; and the Most Worshipful Calvin G. Bond, for giving me the privilege of serving you as a staff officer this year. Thank you to all who have been by my side and gave me the advice and support I needed. A Grand Lodge officer needs an understanding wife behind him. My wife, Flora, had many dinners and evenings alone and never once complained while I was carrying out my duties. Thank you for your love and support.

If any of our Brothers have a boy or girl going to Camp Turk, please read the April issue of the Monroe Masonic News for details. If you need more information call R.W. Ron Mertens, 482-0994, or W. Cy Kloner, 436-8216 or 454-1550. If, in your travels this summer, you happen into the Round Lake area, stop in and see what a beautiful inspiring atmosphere Camp Turk is located in.

Congratulations to R.W. William Russell on his appointment to the Grand Lodge of Belgium.

One of our Grand Masters programs is the Widows Program. Let's all get behind this program like Fairport Lodge did. If you would like to know what they did, call the Worshipful Master Richard Scott or D.D. R.W. Gerald Becker for more information. When one of our Brothers has passed away, their widow should not be forgotten.

It was a pleasure being in Webster Lodge March 20th to see the Grand Master pin four 60-year pins on members of their Lodge. It was interesting to hear these Brothers talk of their many years in Masonry.

For those who like to think ahead, Masonic Family Day at West Point is Saturday, September 27th, 1986. I have the forms for anyone that wishes them.

The Grand Ball was a successful evening. We had only 143 total attendance, and of

School of Ritual 1986



RW A. John Tijou
A.G.L. 2nd District

R.:W.: William Russell
A.G.L. 1st District

Please note that all four of the meetings of the School of Ritual during 1986 will count for the attendance banners which will be presented at the Grand Lecturer's Convention in October 1986.

September 19
Webster Lodge

October 29
District Convention

1st Monroe

District Deputy Grand Master



R.:W.: Gerald K. Becker



Working on Plans For Masonic Night At Silver Stadium

My Brethren:

At this time I would like to thank all of you who sent me cards and made phone calls while I was laid up with a slipped disc. I really appreciate it and guess that is what Masonry is about. I am back to work now, but not fully recovered.

R.:W.: Marty Reitz tells me that the last two schools were a real success. As I have stated many times: you can visit a Lodge and tell who the Brethren are that do attend the several schools. You and I not only gain knowledge but by taking part we also gain more confidence in ourselves.

W.: Larry Geith and myself would like to regroup the James A. Hard Post #18 Masonic War Vets. We are looking for those who served our country to join us. A good many of our roster have moved to our southern states or have passed on. I know there are quite a few Vietnam vets out there. The post used to help out in memorial services; also help the youth groups and community service work. If interested, call Larry at 328-5580, or myself at 223-7636.

I would like to thank Valley Lodge 109 for the 40 some people they had at the Grand Ball. They sure helped to make it a success. What a beautiful evening at the ball. For you who did not attend, you lost out. Our Deputy Grand Master, R.:W.: Robert Singer was at his best. He is very dynamic as a speaker and it comes from the heart. His wife is also a very lovely and enjoyable lady. Between May 17th and Nov., he plans on being in and around the Rochester area, I believe, six times. R.:W.: Bob is working and planning to help bring Masonry back. He has great plans and ideas but we must help also.

With your gift of \$5.00 to the G.L. per capita, we can bring his ideas to reality and also show the public what we stand for and our aims and way of life. It is a reality that within a year or so we can hold G.L. here in the Flower City. As before I stated, I LOVE NEW YORK MASONRY. I WILL WORK TO HELP IT GROW AND EXPAND. WILL YOU, MY BROTHERS, HELP ME?

R.:W.: Ron Mertens and I are working on a Masonic Nite at Red Wing, or rather, Silver Stadium. We hope it to be Wed. Nite, June 18th. This, of course, will be thru the Interlodge Fellowship Committee. More info on this later.

Peace & Love

that amount 40 were from Valley Lodge. Thank you Valley for your support. The Deputy Grand Master Robert Singer gave a brief but interesting talk. He stated that Masons of North America have given 3.3% of the amount needed for the Statue of Liberty renovation. This is the largest amount given by any group outside of corporations. He stated that he will be here for the Masonic Interfaith Breakfast in November. A big thanks for a job well done goes to W. Richard Scott for chairing and arranging the Grand Ball.

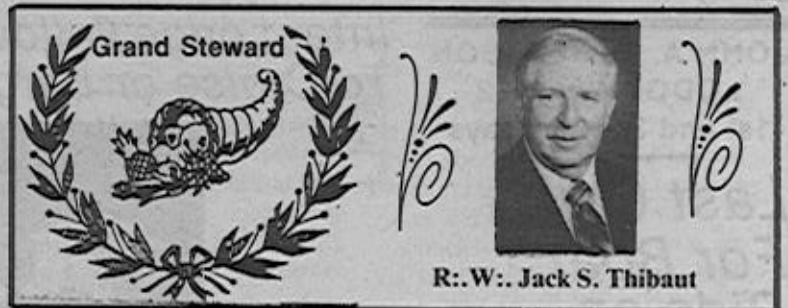
I convey my warmest congratulations to the new Grand Lodge officers, and hope your

School of Lodge Administration

October 17, 1986 — Host Eto-
lian Lodge — Spencerport, N.Y.
November 7, 1986 — Host
Penfield Union Lodge — Pen-
field, N.Y.

R.:W.: Ralph Biggar has decided that this year he will change the format from how to handle the Administration of the Lodge to the things that the Master, Officers and Brethren are NOT allowed to do in handling the Administration of the Lodge.

This approach sounds very interesting and I hope that there will be a better attendance than in the past. Remember, Brethren: R.: W.: Ralph puts quite a bit of time in preparing these sessions and I do believe they are worth the time spent in attending.



R.:W.: Jack S. Thibaut

My Dear Wife "Rosie" Thank You So Much;

For Your Love, Support, Patience and Understanding

Brethren:

Alas, too soon the end of my term as Grand Steward approaches. It has been an honor and my pleasure to serve in this capacity. I have renewed many friendships and gained innumerable new friends during my visits, and all of you have richly enhanced my year. We may not have the quantity of Brothers we once had, however the quality remains as high as ever. I thank each of you for your generous hospitality, and for the friendship and brotherly love you have shown us this past year.

I would like also to thank my lovely wife Rosie for her patience and understanding as I could not have had such a rich and full year without her love and support.

I wish you all continued success.

God bless each of you,

Fraternally,

Masters & Wardens Association

W: Charles A. Tijou

President

The Grand Ball at the Wishing Well in April was a gala event with great food, good music and exceptional fellowship. It was a particular honor and privilege to have R.:W.: Robert C. Singer, our next Grand Master and his lovely wife, Elna, present. Many thanks to W.: Brother Dick Scott for his fine efforts as M.C. and general organizer. Also thanks to the 87s and 88s for their fine work in making this affair extremely successful. We appreciate the great support that we have received from all the Wardens in all of our activities.

Remember that all Masters will be attending Grand Lodge May 6 and 7. All the arrange-

ments have been made — if you have any changes to make at this late date, contact Marty and Betty Zillman.

Our next meeting will be on May 24th at East Rochester Lodge. We look forward to seeing all of you there.

Our sympathy to W.: Dave Averback on the loss he suffered last month of his material possessions in a fire at his apartment.

Fraternally,

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Dear Brethren:

In just a few more weeks, the Packet Boat, *Emita II*, will be getting underway from the Town Landing in Fairport for an enjoyable and exciting 3-hour evening cruise. This cruise is open to all Brethren, ladies and friends.

It started as a John A. Robertson Lodge event three years ago, then Tri-Lodge — now it comes under Inter-Lodge Fellowship and is county-wide. So, it is now a BIG EVENT.

Several reservations have already been received. The boat can accommodate 125 passengers, so **make your reservations NOW.**

The *Emita II* is a double-decked (glass-enclosed lower deck), 65-foot-long Packet Boat. With Capt. Peter Wiles at the helm, we will cruise through Pittsford and on to Clover Street where we will have the exciting experience of going through the lock and beyond. Capt. Wiles will fascinate us with his stories of the canal and points of interest along the way.

If you desire a box lunch, the cost will be \$4. It must be ordered with your reservation. Or you may bring your own lunch. Coffee and tea will be provided.

The deadline for reservations is May 23. Please make your check payable to John A. Robertson Lodge and send it to: Paul A. Robertson, 149 Amerige Park, Rochester, N.Y. 14617. Phone: 266-3074.

We want this to be a huge success, just like the Valentine Party in February and the Sunday Brunch in March. **THREE BIG ONES IN A ROW!!**

DATE: Friday Evening, June 6, 1986.

TIME: 6 p.m. SHARP. Boarding at 5:30.

PLACE: Fairport Town

Inter-Lodge Fellowship To Cruise on Barge Canal June 6



The Inter-Lodge Fellowship Committee invites all Lodges for a 3-hour evening cruise aboard the *Emita II* on the Barge Canal June 6.

See John A. Robertson Lodge message for details.



Brethren and their ladies cruising aboard the *Emita II* on the Barge Canal. Capt. Peter Wiles is at the helm.

Landing (East of the bridge).

FOOD: Box lunch can be ordered for \$4. Or you can bring your own. Coffee and tea provided. Boat has its own bar.

COST: \$10.00 per person.

YOU WILL LOVE THIS CRUISE! It will be a memorable experience! Space is limited, so get your reservations in right away!

WB ED WALKER NITE — Monday, May 5, Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Our Illustrious Secretary, who is also President of the Masonic Stamp Club, has graciously agreed to give a slide presentation on his fine collection of Masonic stamps. You may be sure that all our ladies are invited, as well as the Brethren and ladies of Valley and Corinthian Temple Lodges.

CANANDAIGUA VETERANS HOSPITAL — Sunday, May 11, 1 p.m., at Bldg. 7. This is our monthly visit, along with our ladies and the Masonic Service Bureau, to show our concern for the War Veterans who served Our Country and now reside at the hospital. You'll be giving up a few hours, but, oh, how good it will make

you feel! Call me at 266-3074 and say you'll go!

FIRST DEGREE — Monday, May 19; Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Yes, this will be a First Degree. Unfortunately, our candidate was out of town on April 7 and couldn't get back in time for the Degree. We might have more than one candidate. Be sure to bring your lady for dinner.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION — Thursday, May 29, 7:30 p.m., Rochester Lodge, Pittsford Masonic Temple, 17 Church St., Pittsford, N.Y. All Brethren will benefit by attending.

TRI-LODGE STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL — Monday, June 2. Dinner with our ladies and friends at 6:30 p.m. This is also Sport Shirt and Sport Blouse Nite. Wear your flashiest attire and win a prize! This is a Doubleheader Event — don't miss it!

TRI-LODGE STEAK ROAST AND PICNIC — Sunday, August 24, at the East-West Lodge, Churchville Park. This is an event you won't want to miss! It was marvelous last year. It will be delicious, colossal and stupendous this year. Mark the date on your calendar now!

Looking Back... The Tri-Lodge Sunday Brunch at Webster Park was a huge suc-

cess. The weather was ideal and everybody had a Wunderbar time! Many thanks to WB Bill and CeCe Baker, WB Harry and Ethel Ellender and Doris Robertson who served on the committee, ordered the food, provided the pots, pans, kettles, etc., lugged everything out to the park, did the cooking along with Esther Smith and Bro. Duane King, served the Brunch — AND made over 80 people very happy! WB Bill played his accordion and everybody sang. What a marvelous time!

GOOD NEWS — Our Secretary, WB Ed Walker, becomes Ill. Master of Doric Council on the 26th of this month. Congratulations, WB Ed!

WB Cliff Hayner's son, David, recently became an Eagle Scout. Congratulations, David!

SICKNESS OR DISTRESS — WB Ed Walker's son, Thomas, was seriously injured in a bad automobile accident on April 6 and taken to Strong Hospital. The following evening at our First Degree, WB Ed, who, at this writing will have eye surgery on April 18, not only performed his duties as secretary, but also served as Marshal; answered the Questions, and also gave the long Lantern Lecture! We didn't know about Tom's serious accident until after Lodge was closed. We're so fortunate to have such a devoted and dedicated Brother — a real Brother Mason, another Merl Nulton! What more can I say.

Bro. Harry Barth was suddenly taken to Highland Hospital. No more information at this time.

Bro. Sam Lloyd, after returning from Florida, fell on concrete steps and broke four ribs.

MEMO FROM BRO. SAM GROVER — Some more famous Masons — Robert Burns, Adm. Richard Byrd, Cecil B. DeMille, Thomas E. Dewey and Richard Dix. Bro. Sam also had a story on the 4th oldest Lodge in the nation, St. Patrick's Lodge of Gloversville which celebrated its 220th anniversary. How about that!

IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID YOUR DUES or contributed to the Brotherhood Fund — Please send your check to our Secretary, WB Ed Walker, 162 Campbell Pk., Rochester, N.Y. 14606. Phone: 647-2382. Thank you.

Yours for More Fellowship and Brotherly Love,
 Paul A. Robertson
 Worshipful Master

TRESTLEBOARD

- May 5 - WB Ed Walker Nite. Dinner at 6:30 p.m.
- May 11 - Visit Canandaigua VA Hospital, 1 p.m., at Bldg. 7
- May 19 - First Degree. Dinner at 6:30 p.m.
- May 29 - School of Instruction, Rochester Lodge, Pittsford Masonic Temple, 17 Church St., Pittsford, N.Y., 7:30 p.m.
- June 2 - Tri-Lodge Strawberry Festival. Dinner at 6:30 p.m.
- June 6 - Boat Ride on the Canal, Fairport Town Landing. Underway at 6 p.m.

BIRTHDAYS

By Don DeBack
 Jr. Deacon

Earlier in this century, composer and brother Sigmund Romberg wrote a beautiful operetta about May-time and love.

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



Corinthian Lodge Is to Merge With Charlotte

LODGES VOTE FOR MERGER — NEW NAME TO BE CHARLOTTE-CORINTHIAN LODGE NO. 1088

Brethren, the vote of the two lodges, Charlotte No. 1088 and Corinthian Temple No. 805, has been taken and both voted to merge. Charlotte had a unanimous vote of 35 to 0. Your Lodge voted in favor of the consolidation by a 2/3 vote. It is too bad that we were not able to have a unanimous vote but each man must vote as he sees fit. With passing of the agreement between the two lodges we can now go ahead with our plans to make our new home more habitable. Plans are now afoot to build a large storeroom in the temple and lay new carpeting on the lodge room floor. Many ideas have been thrown around about making Charlotte Masonic Temple a showpiece in Monroe County. Plan to attend their functions and meetings as it will introduce you to your new Brothers. CORINTHIAN can still be a moving force in Monroe County by taking an active part in the activities of the new Lodge and being available to act in any capacity when requested by the Worshipful Master. CHARLOTTE-CORINTHIAN LODGE NO. 1088 should be a moving force in the county and every one of you should make it your Masonic Duty to help out in every way that you can. Your Committee has selected a Lodge that you can be comfortable with and the activities there are those that we have had for ourselves in the past. A new leaf is being written in Masonry in Monroe County and it should be up to the combined membership to see if it flourishes by careful nurturing by the Officers, Committees and members. The effective date of the merger is still down the road as the Judge Advocate is tied up in court with business apart from Grand Lodge. We are probably looking at an effective date in September. Plan to read the column from Charlotte Lodge and take part in their activities.

Perhaps in keeping with our tri-lodge Love Boat theme for '86, it is appropriate at this lovely time in May to send these John A. Robertson Brothers a happy birthday wish with love!

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| Bert R. Scarlett | May 11 |
| Paul A. Robertson | May 11 |
| John A. DeBack | May 15 |
| Raymond G. Pinder | May 16 |
| Andrew W. Kanaby | May 19 |
| Ronald H. MacGregor | May 19 |
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**PENFIELD UNION LODGE
No. 154
1st and 3rd Tuesdays**

**A TUREEN
Family Dinner
May 17, 6:30 p.m.**

Our Sunday Brunch was another great success. The Lodge's thanks go out to Brother Bo Medlin and his crew of cooks and helpers. Again this year R.W. Wayne Slack was high ticket salesman.

W. Donald Morgan is hoping for a good turnout for the tureen family dinner. It will be held at the Lodge May 17th with dinner at 6:30 p.m., followed by euchre or bridge or whatever. We haven't been able to find out what the whatever is.

Penfield will confer the 3rd Degree on two brothers on May 20th. There will be a dinner preceding the Degree. The dinner will be held at the Penfield Tavern at 6:30 p.m. After the dinner, we will proceed across the street to the Lodge rooms for the evening's activities. If any brother would like to take a particular part in the Degree work, please let me know.

Word has it that R.W. Fred Wolf has returned from his trip to the west coast. Last year he was also away on a trip south. It seems that both years R.W. Fred Wolf was away at the same time the Lodge held its Sunday Brunch. We hope that next year he will be able to attend the brunch because our cooks are starting to wonder if he ever eats breakfast.

R.W. Bruce Brainerd held a finance committee meeting on April 8th. We will be looking forward to his report to the Lodge on how to invest money.

Remember our brothers in sickness or distress.

**Fraternally,
Peter Shurn
Master**

From the Record

Penfield Union Lodge #335 was chartered in 1821 and operated until sometime in 1827 when, under the pressure of the anti-Masonic fervor due to the Morgan incident, the Lodge stopped meeting. In 1849 members of the old Lodge applied for a charter from the Grand Lodge of New York and operated under Dispensation in August of 1849. Penfield Union

Receives 60-Year Certificate



Bro. Sidney R. Towe, left, receives from D.D.G.M., R.W. Gerald Becker, right, 60-Year Certificate from the Grand Lodge of the State of New York.

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



**W.: Earl C. Branch
Receives Dedicated
Service Award**

My Dear Brothers:

I have been telling you since the first of this year that we may be struggling, but we are not dead. I know that there are still a few of you, both outside of Rochester, but also within a few minutes of attending your Lodge on a regular meeting night, but have seemed to be out of the habit. There may even be a few who have brought your shovels to the cemetery and are ready to fill in the grave. With pleasure, I can tell you, you'll have to wait. Your Lodge and especially one of our most dedicated Past Masters, has received a first for our history.

It is with great pleasure to inform you that Wor. Brother Earl C. Branch has received the Dedicated Service Award from the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of New York. Earl is a tireless worker within our Lodge, now serving as Chaplain, active on the Past Master's Degree Team, and a Grand Lodge officer for the Eastern Star. These are only a few of vast contributions to Free Masonry and his fellow man. A special apron presentation by the District Deputy Grand Master of the First Monroe District, R.W.: Gerald Becker, took place on April 23, 1986. I know many of you join with me in congratulating W.B. Earl Branch on this historic occasion.

As further evidence that we are alive and strong, I suggest you read some of the other articles in this Masonic News, for another special and outstanding award to be presented to R.W.: William Lennox. I will be off to the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, and will report on its proceedings in next month's article.

Remember, my Brothers, we need and appreciate your support.

**Bruce Brainerd
Secretary**

**Fraternally,
W.M. Franklin Granata**

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

As my year as your Master gets well underway, my year as Grand Director of Ceremonies is coming to an end. My heartfelt thanks go to you, my Brothers of East Rochester Lodge, for proposing my name for a Grand Office. It has been a memorable year that I will long cherish in my years ahead in Masonry. Once again, thank you for putting up with my absence while I fulfilled my duties as G.D.C., and while my wife and I vacationed in Hawaii. Thanks to W. Bro. Merle Rodgers, R.W. Gordon Hoag, and W. Bro. Pat McNenny for capably filling the Masters chair in my absence. It's great to be back to the warmth and fellowship of the Lodge; but not to the cold weather. Also my appreciation to Bro. Donald Moore goes without saying, for the great job he did writing the March Masters column for the Monroe Masonic News in my absence. He is the "gabby" of our Lodge as Bro. Bert Winbrenner stated, and we all look forward to his news.

May 30th, 1986 will be the retiring dinner for the present Grand Officers. W. Bro. Pat McNenny will represent our Lodge as speaker in my behalf. I hope some of my brothers and their ladies will be able to attend and give me your moral support.

I still have a few copies of the updated membership lists. If you would like one, let me know by mail or phone 586-7498.

Brothers, I don't like dwelling on the same subject, but we need you in Lodge. We would like to plan some entertaining evenings, but without sideliners to benefit from such an evening the efforts of our officers are fruitless. All we are asking is that you put aside TV for one or two nights a month, and come back to Masonry. You would also be pleased to see the improvements that are being made to our beautiful building.

I had a nice note from Bro. Jack Henrie, who stated he has had two heart attacks since leaving East Rochester. He lives

in Buck Grove, Ind., for 6 months and Largo, Fla., for 6 months, now that his health has returned. He doesn't know how long he'll be able to afford this though. I also received a note from the wife of Bro. Thomas Wilson. She says Br. Tom was 97 in February and has to be in a wheelchair. He also cannot see or hear very well. They send their best to all their friends in East Rochester. Bro. George Davis dropped me a note saying it was nice to hear from someone in East Rochester and congratulating me on my two offices. They are now enjoying life in Arizona, and the only interest they have in snow is not seeing it.

Brothers, in the request for the Brotherhood Fund, I sent a self-addressed envelope; even if you cannot see your way clear to give to the Fund, drop me a note like our other three brothers and let the Lodge know how you're doing. I know we go into darkness after the 2nd Tuesday in June until the 4th Tuesday in September, but if you are in the East Rochester area during the summer, please call me at 586-7498 and I will be glad to go to the Lodge Hall with you and show you some of the improvements we have been able to make thanks to the generosity of a late brother and his wife. I also had a nice phone call from Bro. George Steuber who asked about the Lodge and some of the brothers. I hope to see and talk with some of my brothers if you travel through this way this summer. Please do call me. That's all for now folks!! Hope to see you in Lodge.

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Lalla Rookh GROTTO

By George Francis

Make Plans Now For the Sept. 6 Magic Show

Prophets:

Again this month the news must be turned in before our Grotto meeting is held. The April meeting was the annual "Spring Ceremonial" which was held in the Auditorium. Our cast, as usual, did a superb job and we can be really proud of them. I have only one complaint about this lavish production: WHY DON'T OUR PROPHETS SUPPORT IT? This Degree entails an awful lot of work by the officers and the cast and it doesn't seem right or fair to the members who participate when you don't turn out.

The ladies of Lalla Rookh Caldron held their Prophets' Night on Thursday, April 10.

After their regular Caldron meeting, they adjourned to dining room B where, to their surprise, they found 17 Prophets in attendance.

A slide show was presented and alter all enjoyed a delicious lunch. Our congrats go to MCO Murlean Bueg and her committee.

"Stonewall" Jackson informs us that his wife recently underwent an operation on one hand (for arthritis) and as soon as it is healed, she will have the other hand done. Get well soon, Grace.

Our Grotto recently bought a new microphone for use over the altar in Cathedral Hall. This is one spot in the hall where speakers have trouble being heard, and we know our Chaplain will like this as he won't have to speak so loud.

P.M. Fred Ambeau tells us that the year for Enchanted Lanterns ends in June, but he is continuing as Ambassador and he has plenty of stamps and Lanterns to sell. This is towards our favorite charity and it is hoped that all will support it.

On April 5th, Bill Hartwig and Dick Jackson attended the Chief Justices' conclave in Buffalo. They both said that it was a learning experience and very enjoyable.

The Show committee reports that plans are shaping up. Phones have been installed and calls are being made. This is for the "Magic Show" to be held on Sept. 6 in the Auditorium Theater. This will be a "Magic" show put on by Houdini Productions and promises to be very interesting. More to follow.

Lou Heck informs us that the annual Euchre Tournament will be held at the May meeting, May 21. All players are requested to sign up early. Call either Lou or Ernie W. or fill out the form in the Grotto News.

On Sat., Aug. 16, a bus trip has been planned to Toronto to see the Blue Jays play baseball. It will be a Trailways trip and the price is \$36.00. They will leave at 8 a.m. and only 44 can be accommodated, so let's get in early. Call Mike Stewart or the Grotto office for reservations.

P.M. Merch Merritt tells us that he recently delivered a fruit basket to Prophet Elmer Ellis, who is recuperating at home.

Prophets, when you get a chance, drop a card to our Monarch's wife, Ellie. She will be very pleased to hear from you all.

The sympathy of the Grotto is extended to the family of Prophet Norris McLeod, who passed away recently.

Important Upcoming Dates:

- May 21 - Annual Euchre Tournament
- Aug. 9 - Stag and Doe Steak Roast
- Aug. 16 - Bus trip to Toronto (Baseball Game)
- Sept. 6 - Magic Show, Auditorium

That's all for now, Prophets. More in our next issue. See you at the Euchre Tournament in May.

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May 12 Meeting Move-Up Night

Brethren:

It was most gratifying to see our worthy Brother James Willis receive the Dedicated Service Award and to have R.:W.: Jack Thibaut present at our first meeting in April to present Bro. Jim with his apron. This Brother has been a faithful worker in the quarries of Masonry for many years and is most deserving of this award.

On April 28th our Spring Class received the Third Degree. The meeting was preceded by an excellent dinner served by the Ladies of Irondequoit Chapter No. 572 O.E.S.

Our May 12th meeting, which will be the only meeting this month, will be move-up night and all officers are requested to prepare themselves for this event.

A number of members are still two years in arrears in their dues, and many still owe the current year's dues. Please — remit your dues to the Secretary promptly as these funds are needed to operate the Lodge.

W.: Charles A. Tijou
Master

News and Views

A large contingent of brethren and their ladies from Coronation Lodge of Weston, Ontario, Canada were present at our annual Ladies Night last month, and all had a wonderful weekend. The Tartan Square Club entertained the brethren on Saturday afternoon while the ladies went shopping and then in the evening we had a dinner-dance at the Country House. Then, on Sunday morning, all enjoyed brunch at the Rochester Plaza Hotel, after which our Canadian visitors left for home.

Mark down the date! October 25-26 will be the weekend when we will visit Coronation Lodge in return. Toronto, here we come! More information will be forthcoming later.

We understand that W.: Vern Bishop has qualified for the Demolition Derby. Vern, really!! Two bent cars!! We thought it was bad enough that Belva Pettit bent one!

What's the matter with all you brethren? Here I am trying to get a column together and no one tells me anything. Let me hear from you — please?

R.:W.: A. John Tijou

MASONIC NOTES

Have you returned your envelope with your donation to the Bureau yet? If not, please make a special effort to send it in right away.

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Genesee Falls To Celebrate 125th Year

Grand Master
Here June 12
For Awards

The Most Worshipful Grand Master of the State of New York will be at the Masonic Temple, Rochester, New York, on June 12, 1986. This meeting will be open to the public. There will be a dinner at 6:00 p.m. Reservations are a must.

Open meeting will start at 7:30 with awards presentation and 125th anniversary program.

Refreshments will be served following the program.

YONNONDIO
LODGE
No. 163
1st and 3rd
Tuesdays



We Play Golf May 31st, Charlotte Lodge

Brethren:

I am looking forward to seeing some of our Brothers that go south for the winter. I'm sure that they will be coming home to enjoy their families and friends and I would like to see them join us in Lodge.

I will be leaving for New York Monday, May 5th, and returning Friday, May 9th, during which time I will be attending the Grand Lodge Annual Communication. Please remember May 6th is Move-Up Night and Brother Brion Phelps will be sitting in the East. Please come and support him and the rest of the officers.

May 10th is the day that we will be traveling to Toronto to visit our Sister Lodge, Joseph A. Hearn Lodge #685 G.R.C. They will be conferring the Master Mason Degree that day and we have been told by the Secretary, Br. Ed Mitchell, that it will be similar to our Third Degree, but different. I'm sure it's going to be quite interesting.

Please set aside May 31st, as that is the day of our Golf Tournament. This year Charlotte Lodge and Yonnondio Lodge will again compete for the coveted Fur-Lined Pot. The place will be Victor Hills Country Club, located on Brace Road, Victor, NY. Starting time will be 10:30 a.m. For more information, call me at 247-4480 or Mike Cassata at 1-669-2354. Our golf tournament will be in conjunction with the Interlodge Fellowship Golf Tournament.

I was glad to see W. Br. Norm Mundt attend our officers meeting on Tuesday, April 8, and glad to see he's almost back to his normal self. Norm, you were dearly missed.

Sunday, April 4th, W. Br. Emil Schirano and I visited Br. Carl Uttrup at Park Ridge Hospital. Br. Carl had surgery on his hip. We all wish Br. Carl a speedy recovery.

I would also like to wish E. Don Carlile's wife, Jo, much health and a speedy recovery. I heard she was at Rochester General for some test.

A visit was paid to Br. Ryal Devoist last month by W. Br. Emil Schirano, Br. C. Raab, Br. Brion Phelps and myself. We had a very pleasant evening and

UNION STAR LODGE
No. 320
2nd Monday

Last Call For Brotherhood Fund Drive

The Officers Meeting this month provided us with several future projects.

First, Joe Cotteleer is sending out the letters for a fishing party at Bud Ripley's summer home at Sodus Point. The date is Saturday, May 4th.

Following the April meeting we will have a demonstration on CPR. Come and see how we all can save a life.

On May 12, the Line Officers hopefully will have "Move-up" night. Also at the May meeting, we will have a Monroe County Sheriff Department officer speak on drug abuse.

Brethren, our last call for the Brotherhood Fund Drive is upon us. Please get your contributions to Paul Spillane.

Fraternally yours,
Richard H. Dye
Master

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it was very nice seeing Ryal and his wife again.

Last, but by all means not least, I would like to take this opportunity to wish all the mothers and wives a very, very happy Mothers' Day.

Fraternally,  
Lou Campaniello  
Master

### TRESTLEBOARD

- May 6 - Move-Up Night; Br. Brion Phelps in the East
- May 10 - Visit Sister Lodge; 3rd Degree (Toronto)
- May 13 - Officers meeting; Past Masters invited; Home of W. Br. Norm Mundt, 12 Wingate Dr., Rochester, NY 14624
- May 20 - Meeting; Report on N.Y. trip
- May 27 - Fellowcraft Club; place to be announced

### FROM THE SECRETARY

Lawrence K. Canfield

It seems like the year just started and now we are talking about the soon to come summer break.

Several of our Brothers have undergone surgery or been ill:

W. Norm Mundt is well on the way to recovery and we are sure glad to hear he is up and around.

Bro. Carl Uttrup underwent hip surgery and is doing well.

W. Bro. Donald Carliles wife, Jo, had surgery and came through with flying colors.

Brothers, please take a moment and check your dues card. If it says 1985, please take a moment and send a check. The Lodge depends on your support to carry the Master's programs out and meet the cost of doing business.

Br. George Goetzman is now our TCC alternate representative, replacing W. Don Carlile who has elected to step aside. Bro. Goetzman is a very capable replacement and we will keep you posted.

So for now I will sign off, but please come out and support the Lodge.

P.S. Congratulations to the Sr. Warden Brion Phelps on his retirement from the Rochester Police Dept., and the best of luck on his new career venture.



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

**Lodges Approve  
Consolidation**

Brethren:  
The days are growing brighter and so is the future of your Lodge. Both Charlotte Lodge and Corinthian Temple Lodge have approved the consolidation of their respective bodies to form a new Lodge. Subject to the approval of Grand Lodge, a new Lodge will be formed to be called "Charlotte Corinthian Lodge, No. 1088". At the summoned meeting of Charlotte on April 1st, the consolidation proposal met with unanimous approval. On April 7th, the brothers of Corinthian Temple Lodge No. 805 met at their summoned meeting and approved the consolidation by the necessary two-thirds vote. All the required papers have been sent to Grand Lodge and all we can do at this stage is wait for their approval.

A lot of work was accomplished by the consolidation committees of both Lodges. The committee for Charlotte consisted of our trustees: Wor. Stan Geer, Wor. Tom Paglia, and Wor. Keith Stambach, our secretary, Bill Flemming and myself. A special thanks to Rt. Wor. Bert Steene, secretary of Corinthian Temple Lodge. Bert was the sparkplug of the team and kept us going through the reams of paperwork. Thanks are also due to the brothers who we sought after for advice, consultation and questions we could not readily answer. Among them are Wor. Tom VanLare, our treasurer; Bro. Dave Jones, our Sr. Warden; and Wor. Don Freeman, our Jr. Warden.

The second School of Ritual of the year was held at Clio Lodge in Hilton on March 14th. Charlotte Lodge had seven members present to bring our count up to 13 for the year. Etolian Lodge is right behind us with a count of 11. Those from Charlotte who were present were Wor. Don Freeman, Brothers Ed Holdgate, Bill Collier, Harry Lake, Dave Jones and Eino Laasko. The third School will be held at Charlotte on April 18th.

There was a Lodge fix-it party on Saturday, March 15th. It was kicked off by a pancake and sausage breakfast with Sr. Warden Dave Jones at the grill. We attempted to rehang some of the past masters aprons but ran into some difficulty when we discovered the way we were hanging them up was not very safe. Back to the drawing board on that idea. We did manage to get the mailing ready for the summoned meeting and some odd-jobs done. There was a crew assisting Wor. Tom Paglia installing the ceiling fans. There was about 15 brothers who showed up for the party including Rt. Wor. Warren Trimble and Rt. Wor. Bert Steene. A few days later Wor. Tom finished the installation of the fans. So next time you come to Lodge, look up and see a job well done. Thanks to all who came on Saturday and especially to Tom Paglia for installing the ceiling fans.

On March 18th, a Second Degree took place with Bro.

**A Very Warm Welcome**



Wor. Brother William Baker, left, Master of Corinthian Lodge 805, is being welcomed by Wor. Brother Joseph Privitera, right, Master of Charlotte Lodge 1088.

Dave Jones in the East. Dave opened the meeting for me while I was away in Boston on a business trip. I heard that the degree went fine and everybody did an outstanding job. Brothers Patsy Monaco and Joe Marinelli did the questions and answers. Brother Bill Flemming did the working tools. Wor. Duane Manchester did an excellent job as protom Sr. Deacon. A special thanks to Rt. Wor. Bill Zufall of Genesee Falls Lodge for coming in and doing the Middle Chamber Lecture with only a few days notice. We ran into a last minute problem and fell back on the letter sent by the Purple Club which offered assistance in ritual work. I knocked and Rt. Wor. Bill answered.

While I was in Boston, I visited "Boston University Lodge" which meets in the Grand Lodge Building of the State of Massachusetts. I was told that to become a member of this Lodge, one must be either a graduate of, or teaching at, Boston University. They exemplified the first half of the Third Degree for their visiting District Deputy. The hospitality of the brothers made me feel at home in unfamiliar surroundings.

There will be a euchre tournament between Charlotte and Fame Lodges on April 29th at 7:30. It will be held at Fame Lodge on Culver Road. This is for the golden spade. So you euchre players better get out there so we can bring the spade back where it belongs.

Here is a date that you must put down on your calendars: May 20, 1986. Three of our youth organizations will be putting on degrees after the meeting. The Lodge meeting will open at 6:30 p.m. for business and will be closed by 7:45 p.m. The program will start at 8:00 p.m. The three youth organizations are the Jenny M. Lord #5 Constellation Junior Stars, Fidelity Triangle #4, and the young men of the Order of DeMolay. The DeMolay group will be doing the "Rose Talk". I urge you all to come out and support our youth. Remember, this is an open program for everyone, so bring the wife and family.

Brother Shorty Buchanan, who is chairman of our Interlodge Fellowship Committee, has asked me to announce that the Interlodge Golf Tournament will be held on May 31st. Part of this tournament will contain the contest between Charlotte and Yonondio Lodges for the fur-lined pot. You all know what the loser of this contest gets. If it has

slipped your mind, you will find it on our ant-room wall. I am very anxious to give this back to Wor. Lou Campaniello of Yonondio Lodge in trade for the fur-lined pot. Scoring will be by the Calloway system. There will be hamburgs, hots, Italian sausage and all sorts of liquid refreshments including soft drinks. There will be golf balls and tees to be given away. The wives are invited to be part of this social event. The cost of this function is \$18. So make your reservations with Shorty as soon as possible. He can be reached at 865-2979 or better yet, come to a Lodge meeting and make your reservation then.

Another date to remember is Sunday, June 1st. That is the date of our annual Lodge picnic. It will be held at Braddock State Park. The pavilion has been reserved in case of cloudy weather. Some of the brothers from Corinthian Temple Lodge will be there along with some of our widows of Masons. The cost will be a dish to pass plus \$3 for adults and \$2 for children under 12 years of age. Children under 6 will be free. Family cost will be no more than \$11.00. The cost to the widows of Masons will be zero. Call Ron Langworthy at 865-4995 for reservations and types of dishes to pass.

Remember our brothers in sickness and distress in your prayers and please remember the Brotherhood Fund.

Fraternally,  
Joseph Privitera  
Master

**Trestleboard**

- May 6 - Move-up Night
- May 20 - Mothers' Day and Youth Program
- May 30 - Retiring Grand Lodge Officer Dinner
- May 31 - Interlodge Golf Tournament; Charlotte Lodge vs. Yonondio Lodge for the Fur-Lined Pot
- June 1 - Lodge Picnic at Braddock State Park
- June 3 - Open Meeting - Sport Shirt Night and Card Party

**THINK  
BIG  
AND  
BUILD**

**Police and Fire  
Square Club  
Make Awards**

**Ceremony Held on Annual  
Ladies Night April 14th**

Dean F. Marsaw  
Executive Secretary

The Metropolitan Rochester Police and Fire Square Club, an organization of police, fire and public safety personnel who serve/live in the Greater Rochester area and are Free and Accepted Masons, held an award ceremony at its annual Ladies Night on Friday, April 4, 1986. The guest speaker was the Honorable Frank Horton, United States Congressman, a Square Club honorary member since 1982.

The following persons received awards:

**As Honorary Members**

The Honorable BARBER B. CONABLE, JR. (33° - Attica Lodge), of Alexander - United States Congressman (retired) and President-elect of the World Bank. For dedicated service to the public as a member of the U.S. House of Representatives representing the people of the Greater Rochester area; and his ongoing interest, support and leadership in public service organizations.

JOHN C. (JACK) SLATTERY (Lansing, MI., Lodge, Valley Lodge of Rochester, Damascus Temple), of Pittsford - For dedicated service to the public as an on-the-air personality at WHAM-AM Radio since 1956 and as a leader and advisor to public service organizations serving the entire Western New York area.

**As Life Members**

ERIC HAYWARD HURRELL, P.M. of Henrietta Lodge #526, Rochester - For dedicated service as a police sergeant (retired) Metropolitan London (England) Police force, 1930-1960. Assisted many U.S. servicemen in the Bow Street Station area of London during World War II. Instructor at the world-renowned Peel House, now known as Hendon Police College.

CHARLES McCLARY of Zetland Lodge #951, Brighton - For dedicated service as a firefighter for the City of Rochester starting in 1950. Recently retired at the rank of captain, assigned to the Training Academy. McClary was responsible for conducting fire academy training and advisor for most of the industrial fire brigades in the county. Those

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**SQUARE CLUB**

brigades include personnel at Eastman Kodak Company, Bausch and Lomb, University of Rochester and Monroe Community College.

**Dedicated Service Award**

MICHAEL E. POLLOCK of Brighton (Phoenecia Lodge #531 Detroit; Valley of Rochester 32° A.A.S.R.; Damascus Temple Shrine) - received this Masonic organization's DEDICATED SERVICE AWARD. Pollock, a state corrections officer, has served as an officer on the Square Club's Executive Board since 1979. Pollock has also served as a leader and advisor to many other public service organizations in the Greater Rochester area.

SHRINE  
Past  
Masters  
**Degree Team**  
By Pat McNenny

Brethren:

We continue our road trip into June. We will visit Humanity Lodge in Lyons on May 14th, Port Byron Lodge on May 21st, and Lydonville Lodge on June 3rd.

Car pools for Port Byron will meet at Eastview Mall by the Rochester Community Savings Bank drive-in between 5 and 5:30 p.m.

Car pools for Lydonville will meet at Long Ridge Mall by the Sears Auto Center between 5 and 5:30 p.m.

Contrary to popular belief, we are authorized to do work in Monroe County Lodges. To schedule the team call one of the officers. The officers are: Joe Minas, president, 671-1917; Pat McNenny, vice president, 461-1254; and Bill Dworkin, secretary-treasurer, 271-8835.

Fraternally,

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**MONROE COMMANDERY**

No. 12  
KNIGHTS  
TEMPLAR  
1st and 3rd  
Fridays



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## Open Installation To Be May 16th

Sir Knights:

As you all know, it's that time of year again — when it's time for me to say farewell. By the time you get this letter, all the new officers will be elected. Many of you will not know them, and they feel that a Commandery is made up of Officers only. I have told them different, but they want to see proof. So, as the new year comes along, don't think of excuses why you shouldn't go to meetings. Think of excuses why you **should** go to meetings. We have all new officers in the seats and make this turnaround in Knighthood successful. Your support would add a lot. So let's renew old friendships, old Knighthood, and Brotherly love and get things rolling like it used to. I'm telling ya, you can do it a lot easier than these new officers. Enjoy your summer vacation and when the fall returns, be there like Sir Knights you are and greet your new officers back to work. The next letter you will read will be from your new Commander. So don't slow his heartbeat up. Stand behind him and get him rolling.

May God be with and bless each and everyone of you.

### Dates to Remember

- May 2 - Monroe Inspection
- May 16 - Open Installation of officers in Canandaigua; Supper before Installation
- May 17 - Wheeler's Chicken BBQ. Get tickets from me, 266-5275. Let's support our Brothers
- May 26 - Memorial Day Parade. We'll meet at American Legion at 8 o'clock for coffee and doughnuts; 9 o'clock for parade start
- May 31 - Commandery Degrees in Geneva. Monroe to do Malta
- June 8 - Masonic Marathon

Birthdays wishes are in order for:

George R. Cone, Charles B. Ferner, John W. Fotch, Russell Fulmer, Christopher Gagliano, Paul R. Gleason, Donald H. McNab, Hugh W. Robertson, Fred L. Walker.

Hope you all have many, many more. You're not getting older, you're getting better, guys.

May God bless,

Fraternally Yours,  
Harry C. Coates  
Commander

**DORIC COUNCIL No. 19**

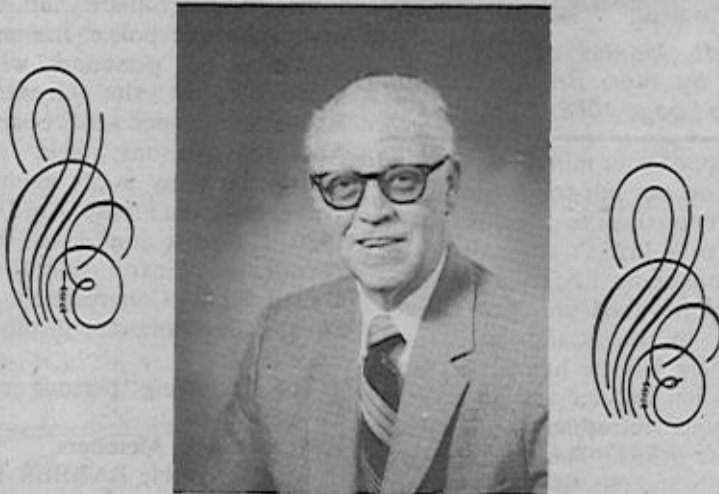
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Grand Council of Cryptic Masons  
Most Illustrious Raymond R. Beardsley, Grand Master

Doric Council No. 19 is celebrating 125 years as a member of the Grand Council of Cryptic Masons of the State of New York. It is noteworthy that since its organization in the year 1861 there have been nine Most Illustrious Grand Masters chosen from this Council. They are M.I. Glidden, 1884-85; M.I. Bradt, 1902-03; M.I. Hatch, 1914-15; M.I. Colton, 1928-29; M.I. Westbury, 1936-37; M.I. Dobson, 1948-49; M.I. Dayton, 1962-63; M.I. VanDelinder, Sr., 1970-71; M.I. Beardsley, 1985-86.

The planning for the 1986 Grand Assembly is progressing well. The announcements and reservation procedures should have reached you in April. Send in your reservations promptly. An early reply is an assist to our planning.

There has been a modest response to the appeals for financial aid to help in the funding of the Grand Assembly. If you have been meaning to send in a contribution but just haven't done it, why not do it now while it is fresh in your mind. We will look for your response.

**"YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING OF DORIC COUNCIL #19 ON MAY 12th, 1986, FOR THE PURPOSE OF READING OF REPORTS, ELECTION & INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS, ETC. THIS IS A SUMMONED MEETING."** - Ill. Master Frederick S. Holderle. The meeting will be in the Masonic Temple, Rochester, NY at 7:30 p.m.

Our Ill. Master Frederick S. Holderle and his wife, Dorothy, wish to thank all for their support they gave them during his year of service to Doric Council #19. He has enjoyed being Ill. Master and now wishes that all of you support the new Ill. Master Ed Walker during his year.

May 12, 1986 will be our last meeting until Sept. 1986 and that will be in the June issue.

We are now planning for the M.E. Raymond R. Beardsley's reception in August. Final news will be in the June issue.

The dues for the Council are coming in very good but to those who have not done so, please make the effort ASAP. Thanks.

Under sickness Donald S. Ballou has been back to some of the meetings again and is better. No deaths to report at this time. If you can pay a visit to someone who is sick, please do. The days and nights are real long. Send cards anyhow.

As reporter for the Monroe Masonic News, I want to wish the new officers coming up good luck for the coming year. I am ready to help when I can. Let's give them all the support we can. Thanks.

Believe that is all for this time except this saying: "The Holy Spirit is giving me a new power for living." Have fun till next time.

Fraternally,  
Frederick S. Holderle  
Ill. Master  
R.E. Huff, Reporter  
P. Ill. Master

**CYRENE COMMANDERY**

No. 39  
KNIGHTS  
TEMPLAR  
2nd and 4th  
Fridays  
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Zone II is having an open conclave for Installation of Officers for the year 1986-87 May 16, 1986. The place is Masonic Temple in Canandaigua. This is the third Friday in May. There will be a dinner before at 6 p.m., with Installation at 8 p.m. If you are a member, the ladies are invited to attend also. Should be very interesting. Contact your Em. Commanders or your Recorder for reservations. Phone: 266-6348. This is our conclave for May for our Commandery. The other one is on the schedule for June.

The Em. Comm. Ronald Bertie and his wife wish to thank all for their support during his year as Commander. He is going to be the Em. Comm. again, for the second time. Let's come out and give him the much needed support that he deserves. Thanks.

Sunday, June 1, 1986, there will be a Zone II picnic at the home of Em. Comm. Ronald Bertie, 79 Jefreelind Drive, Rochester, NY, 14616. Telephone: 225-6348. Contact him for reservations. Time will be 12:00 p.m. Bring your working tools for the dinner. Should be a good one and it is for all members in the 6 Commanderies of Zone II, plus the ladies.

We are planning a cruise to the bay sometime in June. Write me to let you know about it in the June issue.

Planning to go to the races in Batavia this fall and you will also have more information on that. Last time we went, we had a very good time. Some went and some did not. Luck of the Irish.

On April 26, 1986, Cyrene Commandery and ladies attended by invitation the Commandery breakfast of Rochester Council #178 K of C. Many thanks to them for this privilege and a grand time was had by all.

There is no new sickness to report at this time. Please send cards or pay a visit. Deeply appreciated.

If you have not paid your dues for the year as yet, please do it ASAP and thanks.

Believe that is all for this time except this saying: "God likes the prayers that we send to Him because His business is with us." Believe this is true. Have fun till next time.

Fraternal  
Em. Comm. Ronald J. Bertie  
P. Comm. R.E. Huff  
Reporter

IONIC CHAPTER  
No. 210



**SENECA LODGE**  
No 797  
3rd  
Tuesday



**R.W. William Russell Appointed to Office -Grand Representative**

I wish to thank all of our officers and past Masters who once again exemplified the Second Degree for our new Brothers with the same high caliber of work to which we have become accustomed. Brother Bob Green, who labored from the East for the first time, and Brother Wayne Hoover who took our new Brothers on their journey into the Middle Chamber of King Solomon's Temple, are especially to be complimented for their fine work. If you have been unable to be present at either of our first two degrees, I would urge you to attend our regular communication on May 20, 1986 to give support to the raising of our new Brothers to the degree of Master Mason.

As many of you are already aware, yet another member of our craft has received long overdue recognition for his many contributions. Our own Worshipful William Russell (currently Assistant Grand Lecturer of the First Monroe District) was recently informed by Grand Master Calvin G. Bond of his appointment as Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Belgium. I know all of you join with me in extending to Right Worshipful Bill our heartfelt congratulations on receipt of this most distinguished honor.

Two upcoming events should also be stressed. On May 4, 1986, our Lodge will be hosting a Masonic Information Program for individuals who have expressed an interest in learning more about Free Masonry. Please submit names of individuals you know who might have such an interest to Brother Gregg Obenauf. Second, our Dinner Dance program will be held this year at the Century Club on May 17th. Those of you who attended this event two years ago will recall the excellent cuisine and fine entertainment held within the historic elegance of this 19th Century setting.

I am also pleased to report that our Lodge could well break its record of giving to the Brotherhood Fund. I understand that Seneca members have thus far contributed in excess of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00) to the Fund. While we can take pride in that accomplishment, there are many in our craft who have yet to give. Every contribution, no matter the size, helps to insure the ongoing efforts of New York Masons to improve the quality of living for those in need.

Finally, I would urge any member who has not attended Lodge recently because of transportation problems, to give Brother Gregg Obenauf a call. There are many of our Brothers who are eager to provide such transportation and are simply waiting for an opportunity to be of service.

**Fraternally,  
Paul A. Vick  
Master**

**New Display Case Is Dedicated to P.D.D.G.M.**

**Thirty Ladies Receive Widow Pins at Fairport, Instituted by Grand Lodge**



*Dedicating his year as Master to Strengthening the Masonic Family, new Master of Fairport Lodge, Richard W. Scott is shown with his father and installing Master, R.W. Roger H. Scott, left, and his father-in-law and installing Marshall, W. Walter E. Derrenbacher, right, of Sodus Lodge, Sodus, New York.*



*The 1986 officers of Fairport Lodge include S.W. Dwight Turner (left, seated) and J.W. David Mawhiney along with their new Worshipful Master.*



*At a ceremony of public installation the new Master of Fairport Lodge is accompanied by his wife and family, including in-laws, many of whom are involved in Masonic organizations. From left, Worthy Beth Derrenbacher, Past Matron, Sodus Chapter; Worthy Paul Derrenbacher, Past Patron, Sodus Chapter; W. Walter E. Derrenbacher, Past Master, Sodus Lodge and Past District Lecturer, Wayne District; Rt. Worthy Marjorie Derrenbacher, Past District Deputy, Wayne District; the Worshipful Master's son, Eliot; his wife, Priscilla, a member of Fairport Chapter; his son, Geoffrey; Worthy Jessie Scott, Past Matron, Fairport Chapter; R.W. Roger H. Scott, Past Grand Steward and Past District Lecturer, Monroe District; the Master's niece, Marni Scott; and his sister, Janette Scott.*

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

The month of March provided us at Fairport Lodge with an array of opportunities to explore the meaning of Masonic fraternalism, and I personally will long remember our shared experiences of this time with much fondness. Our annual memorial night held on March 10 proved most meaningful as we shared "A Night of Remembrance" in an open ceremony which was well attended by members and guests. After a service of memorial to honor those brothers who passed away in 1985, a service of dedication was held to dedicate a new display case for the Lodge as a memorial to R.W. Darwin E. Reed, Past District Deputy of the First Monroe District. The presentation was made by his widow, Worthy Sister Pauline Reed, Past Matron of Fairport Chapter #444 OES, with members of the Reed family and many Past Masters of his year as deputy in attendance. The display case will prove a most fitting memorial to a man well loved and respected by the members and friends of Fairport Lodge. It will be accompanied by the framed District Deputy's apron worn by R.W. Brother Dar which was presented to the Lodge on behalf of the Reed family by W. Al Steffen earlier in the evening.

The evening was climaxed with a service of recognition in which Fairport Lodge honored the surviving widows of our brothers who have passed on. Out of the approximately thirty widows of Fairport Lodge Masons, ten were able to be present to receive the new Widow's Pin instituted by Grand Lodge. Pins will also be sent to the other widows who were not present but whose names were read during the ceremony. I am grateful to our secretary, R.W. Roger Scott, for helping to compile the list and to the members of the Fairport OES for supporting this most meaningful event by their attendance.

My thanks also go to those members of the Lodge who spent one Saturday morning helping to tackle some of the odd jobs which needed to be done in and about the Lodge room. I know their efforts were greatly appreciated by our trustees; but let's also be sure to thank our trustees who were also able to help out on this occasion. W. Ed and W. Tom Goodrich were able to make some lighting improvements in the preparation room and W. Dave Tabor worked overtime arriving early and staying late to oversee the operation. Word has it that another work day might be planned for late spring to add to the accomplishments of the day and I am sure it will

**HENRIETTA LODGE No. 526**  
**1863 1986**  
**2nd and 4th Tuesdays**

**Ham Dinner Sat., May 3**

**Help Wanted**

Brethren:  
Ambitious young men to help in kitchen and dining room at ham dinner May 3, 1986. Come and enjoy the fellowship of Brothers working together. Contact Brother Don Purcell at 328-6636.  
Brother Ted L. Diehl, Jr. Warden, had the privilege of sitting in the East April 8th, and the evening was enjoyed by everyone present.  
Keep the dates of May 3rd (Ham Dinner) and June 8th (the Open House) open and plan to attend.  
**Fraternally,  
Lloyd Weston  
Master**

**Trestleboard**

- May 3 - Ham Dinner
- May 13 - Sr. Deacons Night
- May 27 - 3rd Degree
- June 8 - Open House
- June 10 - Life member presentation
- Recess for Summer

be equally as successful.  
On March 24, the Second Degree was conducted by our Jr. Warden, Dave Mawhiney, who did an outstanding job; as did our Sr. Deacon, Wayne Beckwith, who presented the Middle Chamber lecture. Bro. Dwight Turner displayed his exceptional abilities as he capably filled the East for the balance of the evening. I am grateful to all the brothers who contributed to the success of the evening and I was glad to be able to share a part of it from the sidelines.  
**Robert W. Scott  
Master**

**TRESTLEBOARD**  
**Mon., April 28 - Third Degree (Dinner at 6:30; contact Dave Mawhiney, 377-1569)**  
**Mon., May 12 - Grand Lodge Report and Masonic Youth Night, 7:30 p.m.**

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**NOLA CHAPTER  
No. 368  
Order of the Eastern Star**

Dear Members:  
We all enjoyed our Assoc. Matron, S. Ruth Morgan in the East on April 1st.

Remember our family tureen May 6th at 6:30. Bring your family, dishes and a dish to pass.

Our best wishes to S. Lepha Pringle, W. Jessie Zorn, W. Charlotte Bayne who have been in the hospital.

Our Chapter rooms will be in a little bit of a mess during remodeling and painting. It's going to be nice when it's all done, thanks to our Brother Masons. We will have a "Next to New Sale" and baked goods June 6th-7th. There will be more details later.

Happy Mother's Day!

Fraternally,  
W. Avis Theis, Corres.

LIVONIA MASONIC LODGE 778  
**ANNUAL ROAST BEEF DINNER**



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SUNDAY JUNE 1  
NOON TO 3:00 P.M.  
ADULTS \$5.50  
CHILDREN (5-12) \$2.75**  
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**Masonic Interlodge Fellowship  
Annual Golf Tournament**  
— Ladies & Mens Divisions —  
**Saturday, May 31, 1986**

**PLACE: Victor Hills Golf Club  
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— Free Golf Balls —  
Prizes & Awards for Low Net  
Low Gross — Longest Drive  
Closest to pin (par 3's) All Ladies & Men

Entries accompanied by Greens Fees must be in by May 24, **Please!** Tee off times will be assigned on first paid, first out basis, same as last year! **Please!** List your phone no. So I can call on your starting time. Requested by Victor Hills — please arrive 15 min. early to check in & get golf carts. Golf carts (suggested) must be reserved through me by May 22 if possible. Cost 13.00 (2 persons)

**Mail Your Reservations To:  
Interlodge Fellowship or Ian Buchanan  
147 Holyoke St. #12  
Rochester, N.Y. 14615**

For info. call Shorty (Ian) 865-2979 or 458-2550 x-294 wk. or Lee Perkins 924-5657

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# Ladies Organization News

## FIDELITY TRIANGLE



**Officers Table at Term Dinner**  
Leslie Vaillancourt, Chaplain; Ann Marie DiJames, Junior Lady in Waiting; Gretchen Rist, Beloved Queen; Deborah Thompson, Senior Lady in Waiting; Laurie Ferguson, Guardian.

**Triangle Officers Elected;  
Installed April 12,  
Cathedral Hall, Masonic Temple**  
*Public Installation of  
Deborah Thompson, Queen Elect,  
And Her Staff Officers*

March 8 - Our regular semi-annual "Queen's Term Dinner", was served at 6:00 p.m. in the second floor dining room. The menu was baked chicken, browned potatoes, string beans, fruited jello salad, coffee, tea, or milk, french bread, ice cream and fruit cake. The dinner was followed by our regular meeting, which was held in room A at 7:30 p.m.,

with a special program for our Supervisors & Daddies. Guests included W.: Richard Miller, Senior Advisor; Christine Bertie, Past Queen & Junior Advisor; W.: Ronald Bertie, Commander of Cyrene Commandery; R.: W.: Martin Reitz D.D.G.M., who also played the organ for us; W.: Herbert Hirsch, Master of Northfield Lodge; and W.: Louis DiJames, of the Tall Cedars. Refreshments followed the meeting.

March 15 - Our regular meeting was held at 8:00 p.m. in room B, with election of new officers for the ensuing term. The newly-elected officers are: Beloved Queen, Debbie Thompson; Senior Lady in Waiting, Ann Marie DiJames; Junior Lady in Waiting, Laurie Ferguson; Guardian, Leslie Vaillancourt; Chaplain, Kimberly Curtis; Marshall, Heather Lathers; Asst. Marshall, Tobi Curtis; Recording Secretary, Christine Lathers; Financial Secretary, Anna Kuerneland; Flag Bearer, Christine Chandler; Standard Bearer, Susan Hirsch; Trustee, Gretchen Rist; Musician, Danine Nilsson; and pro-tem officers, Esther DiJames and Michelle Gratto.

March 24-25-26 - Fidelity Triangle participated in the Charity Bazaar at Long Ridge Mall, where they sold a variety of homemade articles made by the girls and mothers to raise money for their charity program.

April 3-4-5 - Fidelity Triangle also participated in the Charity Bazaar at Greece Town Mall.

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# Sun's Ray Cause Skin Cancer

The incidence of skin cancer is increasing every year and almost all of the more than 400,000 new skin cancer cases each year are sun-related. Skin Cancer incidence has more than doubled in the last 25 years.

The best way to lower your risk of skin cancer is to avoid overexposure to the sun. That doesn't mean that you have to stay inside and spoil your summer fun. Just use common sense and protect your skin.

It's the sun's ultraviolet rays that harm the skin, and these rays are strongest from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. during the summer. You can protect yourself by wearing lightweight clothing with long sleeves and long pants when possible. Wear a broad brimmed hat or bandanna - even gloves can help!

If your skin will be exposed to the sun, use a sunscreen lotion. The SPF (Sun Protective Factor) appearing on sunscreen labels is a guide to the amount of time you can safely soak up the sun's ray using a particular product, compared to no protection at all. The higher the SPF number (2-15), the more protection it provides. Basically, it means you can be out in the sun two to 15 times as long without getting sunburned - depending on the SPF number of your sunscreen - as you can with unshielded skin.



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## DAMASCUS TEMPLE SHRINE LUNCH CLUB

- May 5th - Speaker - Linda Spear - Topic, "Rochester Eye (and other parts) Bank".
  - May 12th - Speaker - Ed Briggs - Topic, "Defensive Driving". Ed is from the Rochester Safety Council.
  - May 19th - Speaker - A representative from George Eastman House - Topic, "What's New (not what's old) at the George Eastman House".
  - May 26th - No Meeting - Memorial Day
- All Masons are welcome!  
Chapin Blake  
May 1986 Program Chairman

Don't forget Shrine Lunch Club Picnic - Monday, June 2nd

# TEMPLE TRUSTEES NEWS

By Gerald J. Glaser

At the April meeting, two trustees were reported absent. The Treasurer reported on the budget to date which shows a slight drop for the month of March due to low Auditorium rentals. This was anticipated and mentioned at the March meeting. However, we anticipate about \$15,000 in April, which

should more than compensate for this problem. A preliminary proposal to purchase the Temple complex and lease back the third, fourth and fifth floors to the Trustees Association on a long term basis was received. A second proposal from a second group is forthcoming. As soon as they are received, the Executive Committee will meet and start movement in the proper direction. Modifications to the area around the Shrine Office will be made in order to rent and utilize that space. The Insurance Committee has met with our insurer in an attempt to reduce our premium.



**GENESEE FALLS LODGE  
No. 507  
2nd Thursday**

**Brotherhood  
Fund Drive  
Ends May 31**

Spring is here. It is just about time for all our Brothers who winter in the warm weather to come back home. As your Master, I will be looking forward to meeting you at our meeting.

Now that the Grand Ball has passed, I would like to tell you all what a good time our group had. The food at the Wishing Well was great. The Willi Adams Band played to the delight of all who attended. As always, the friendship and Brotherly love was the best.

In my last article, I made a mistake about the Brotherhood Fund. The deadline for the Brotherhood Fund is May 31, and not March 31. Brothers, remember to send your gift today to our Brotherhood Fund Chairman, S.W. John Bryce, 154 Randolph St., Rochester, NY 14621.

I would like to thank R.:W.: Bill Zufall for the very nice history program on the early years of our Lodge.

This month's Lodge history program will be given by W. Tom Heller. I know that Brother Tom will do his usual good job. Brothers, this is part of our 125th Anniversary program.

Brothers, it is my sad duty to report the passing of Samuel S. McKinley.

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Brother McKinley was a Mason for 61 years.

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Fraternally,  
Robert T. Uderitz  
Master

**TRESTLEBOARD**

May 8 - Reg. Meeting  
May 30 - Retiring Grand Lodge  
Officers Dinner, Party House

Dear Brethren:

Thank you for your contributions to the Brotherhood Fund. We are still far from our goal. I received one contribution which was very small. A letter was with it. Our Brother said he was sorry it couldn't be MORE. Brothers, if only one dollar was sent to the Fund each month from every member, we would have way over \$3,000 for the year. So, please don't be sorry if you can't send in more. Every little bit helps. With all my heart, I wish to thank all of

**A Moment of  
Your Time,  
Please!!!!**

A quick note about one of our sick members. Our companion and brother, Willis J. Henry, has a terminal illness. Naturally, he is somewhat downcast. Right now, his future hope is to be so that he can get outdoors this summer and enjoy some of the sunshine. Even more than that, he would like to hear from some of the Masons with whom he has spent so much of his time. Is it too much to ask of ourselves to take a moment to call him? If you will, his number is 425-2542.

**HAMILTON CHAPTER**

No. 62  
ROYAL ARCH  
MASONS  
2nd and 4th  
Thursdays



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Chapter affiliation) and "Reach Out and Touch Someone".

After you've written your check, turn your attention and thoughts back to Chapter. THERE IS MORE THAN JUST A MEETING ON CHAPTER NIGHTS!! May is just the month to prove this statement. On the 8th of May you'll discover that it is Scribe's Night. Companion Jerry Jones has been planning this particular night for over a year. Two weeks later (May 22) is the night our District Deputy Grand High Priest visits Hamilton Chapter. Those of you who know R.E. Raymond Morgan owe it to yourselves to be in attendance that night. The night of the visit of the Deputy is always one of the most interesting chapter nights of the year. Don't miss it.

Congratulations to our new companion Tom Goodford who was exalted on March 31st.

Fraternally,  
Don Wright  
High Priest

you who have contributed. I thank all of you for at least trying. Please reach deep down for at least \$1.00. The Fund really needs us and we need it.

Thank you and God bless you all.

Yours truly,  
John Bryce, S.W.

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Stephen R. Whittaker  
Grand Lodge  
Youth Committee

**Craftsman Lodge**

No. 969

F.&A.M.

1st and 3rd

Mondays

**From the Secretary**

Bill Wood is home after his experience in the hospital. I am sure he'd appreciate a phone call or visit from the Brethren. Congratulations to our Illustrious Rt. Wor. Tony Schatzlein who will turn 98 on April 13th. Here's hoping for many more of the same. The Masonic Brotherhood Fund has a short time to go. Anyone who has not donated, please do so promptly, making checks payable to The Masonic Brotherhood Fund, and mail to yours truly at the address below. A reminder to those who still have their 1985 dues card: Take a moment to send in your check to me. Thank you. Any Brethren who are ill or in need of assistance, please feel free to call me at 247-7178 or Dave King at 621-8096. A special thanks to Bro. Jack Grover and his wife, Fran, for hosting Fellowcraft April 14th at their home.

Sincerely and fraternally,  
Robert F. Ogden  
35 Greenbriar Drive  
Rochester, NY 14624

**R.W. Robert C. Singer  
Deputy Grand Master,  
Guest Speaker May 17**

Ill. Robert C. Pettit 33°  
To be Commander-in-Chief,  
Valley of Rochester, A.A.S.R.



R.W. Robert C. Singer  
Deputy Grand Master

R.:W.: Robert C. Singer, Deputy Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York will be in Rochester on May 17th on the occasion of the Open Installation of the Officers of the Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of Rochester. As all Masons are aware, R.:W.: Singer will be our next Grand Master and this will be his first visit to this area after his installation in that office.

In addition to our next Grand Master, the Ill.: Robert F. Case 33°, Deputy for the State of New York, will also be in attendance, as well as Ill.: Joseph Savage 33°, Active, and other dignitaries.

The Open Installation will be in Cathedral Hall of the Masonic Temple, 875 East Main Street, at 3:30 p.m., to be followed by a reception in the fourth floor lounge. At 6:00 p.m., there will be a sit-down roast beef dinner in Ballroom A at a cost of \$12.00 per person. Reservations MUST be made through the Scottish Rite Office, 271-0715, by May 12th. A fine turnout of Masons, their families and friends is expected.

Ill.: Robert C. Pettit 33°, will be installed as Commander-in-Chief of Rochester Consistory; Donald J. Carlyle 32°, as Thrice Potent Master of



Ill. Robert C. Pettit 33°  
Rochester Lodge of Perfection; Robert G. Helmes 32°, as Sovereign Prince of Rochester Council, Princes of Jerusalem; and Roderick C. Meier 32° as Most Wise Master of Rochester Chapter of Rose Croix; as well as all other elected and appointed officers.

**1983 Masters**

On May 17th, our own Robert C. Pettit 33°, who is one of our "Burgundy Bunch", commonly known as the Wine-O's, will be installed as Commander-in-Chief of Rochester Consistory at an Open Installation to be held at the Masonic Temple at 3:30 p.m., and that a roast beef dinner will follow at 6:00 p.m. If you plan on attending, please call either Sue of Cy at 454-1550 or 436-8216 and we will reserve a table for your group. Any Wine-O attending should wear their burgundy ensemble. Please make reservations no later than May 9th.

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

**Bowling Party With the Ladies On May 17th**

Brethren:  
By now, most Florida vacationers should have returned to enjoy the summer in our beautiful Rochester area. We really can not complain; the winter was not that bad when you think of all the disasters in other parts of the country.

The Grand Ball on April 5 was a success. I think everyone, including me, had a good time. Our honorable guest and speaker for the evening was our Deputy Grand Master of the State of New York, the R.W.: Robert C. Singer. His speech was well accepted.

On March 14, 1986, the Officers of Germania Lodge presented the first part of the Second Degree at the School of Rituals. I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all who participated for a job well done.

On Monday, April 7, I had the pleasure to be present at the Germania Chapter of the Eastern Star for the Master Masons night. It was indeed good to see that the Eastern Star is very much alive, and I urge every Master Mason to take the time and attend some of their functions.

Now, let's look at some of the upcoming events. Saturday, May 17, we will have our bowling party with the Ladies at the Red Mens Club on 1001 Lexington Ave., starting at 1:00 p.m., dinner at 2:00 p.m. - \$7.50 per person. Bowling lanes will be reserved at \$1.00 a game. Shoes can be rented for \$.50. Reservations must be made by May 7, 1986. So let's get the ladies out, have a good time, and renew old friendships. For reservations call: Oscar Reber, 392-2641; Bob Dibble, 427-7229; or me, 671-4144.

Buffalo Night is on June 11, 1986, the last meeting before our summer break.

Happy birthday to all born in the beautiful month of May.

To all you Brothers who are ill: As always, a speedy recovery so you may be able to participate in our activities.

I will be leaving for New York on May 5th for the annual Grand Lodge Communication, and report on it at our May 14th meeting. No Officers meeting on Tuesday, May 6.

And here is something to compare: think of a tree without leaves, and then think of a Lodge room without side-liners! Both would look empty. See you all in Lodge on our next meeting, May 14. Please remember the Brotherhood Fund.

Fraternally,  
Paul G. Krueger  
Master

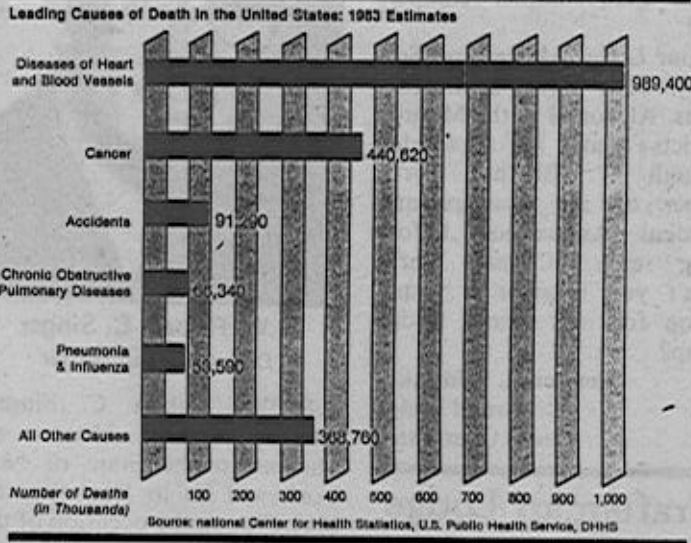
**LET'S GO VISITING**

**TRESTLEBOARD**  
May 14 - 7:30 p.m., regular meeting  
May 17 - 1:00 p.m., bowling party with the Ladies, Red Mens Club.  
May 28 - 7:30 p.m., meeting. Moving-up night. All Officers move up one chair.



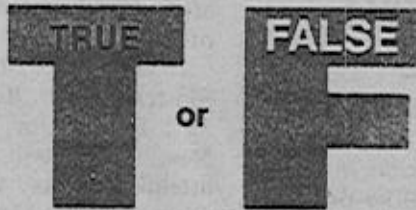
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Mark each of the following statements T for True, or F for False, in the box at its right. For correct answers, see below.

- The Brotherhood Fund was initially created to support the Masonic Medical Research Laboratory.
- The Masonic Medical Research Laboratory although situated on the Masonic Home Grounds is administratively and financially a separate entity.
- The Laboratory is involved in clinical studies.
- Every Mason knows about the Laboratory's research.
- Research at the Masonic Medical Research Laboratory led to the development of the artificial pacemaker.
- The Laboratory is strictly a research facility.

**For the Asking**

For the past six months a new brochure about the Masonic Medical Research Laboratory has been in the works with the assistance of the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Secretary, Directors and staff. The most up to date information about the Laboratory is now available to the members of the Craft.

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

**R.W. Matt Gingold Receive Award for Meritorious Service**

Brethren:  
The Masonic Grand Ball on April 5, which was held at the Wishing Well, went very well. Everyone had a grand time at the Ball. There were 136 Brethren and their ladies who attended. R.W.: Robert C. Singer, Deputy Grand Master of the State of New York and his wife also attended the Ball. Valley Lodge had the most attendance, 40 Brethren and their ladies. I would like to thank all who participated in doing a great job in preparing this grand event.

I had a response from a birthday card I sent out from Br. Theodore G. Hansen's wife. It turned out that Bro. Theodore has been ill all winter. He had a fractured spine. We are all praying for you to get well. Also, Bro. Theodore and his wife Helen celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on April 11. Our congratulations and many more.

The Second Degree, at which Bro. Richard Giedd was in the East, went very well. I thank all of the officers, Rt. W. Bros., W. Bros., and Bro. who participated in doing a fine job.

Rt. Wor. Gerald K. Becker presented Rt. Wor. Matt Gingold a certificate for Meritorious Service for participating in the Red Cross Blood Drive. Rt. Wor. Bill Russell A.G.L. and Rt. Wor. John Tijou visited Valley Lodge to observe the Lodge and degree work. We made some mistakes but I guess we're all not perfect.

The Third Degree, which will be on May 19, will be done by the Damascus Temple Past Masters Degree Team.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

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|--------|---------------------|
| May 1  | Carl H. Piggage     |
| May 3  | Harold W. Wing      |
| May 7  | J. Boyd Mullan      |
| May 8  | Robert A. Wilson    |
| May 9  | Arthur F. Smith Jr. |
| May 15 | Robert Banquer      |
| May 15 | William O. Wright   |
| May 18 | Paul Hoover         |
| May 20 | George J. Sausville |
| May 20 | David J.T. Rogers   |
| May 21 | Clinton A. Roberts  |
| May 24 | Timothy A. Babcock  |
| May 24 | Robert B. Deckard   |
| May 25 | Richard P. O'Brien  |
| May 27 | Daniel Miller       |
| May 29 | Russell E. Garrison |
| May 29 | John C. Hart        |
| May 30 | Carl A. Vander      |

God Bless.

Fraternally,  
George Bundoc  
Master

**TRESTLEBOARD**

- May 5 - Move-Up Nite; S.W. in the East
- May 30 - Retiring Grand Lodge Officers Dinner, Party House, 677 Behan Rd.; Social Hour, 6 p.m.; Dinner, 7 p.m.; Ladies invited; \$13.00 per person
- June 2 - Tri-Lodge Strawberry

**FLOWER CITY LODGE**  
No. 910  
2nd Tuesday

**Bro. David Berger Receives Award — 'Meritorious Service'**

A fine meeting was held on April 8th preceded by a great dinner we shared with Frank L. Simes Lodge. Only \$5.00 for a delicious swiss steak dinner with all the trimmings and dessert. Hopefully more of the same fellowship with another Lodge in the future and, I hope, larger turnouts.

The D.D.G.M. of the First Monroe District, R.W.: Gerald Becker, visited also that evening to bestow a "Meritorious Service" award to Bro. David Berger for his many years of service to "The American Red Cross Blood Bank and to all mankind." Would you believe Dave was speechless? Dave is a tireless worker for Masonry and I couldn't think of a nicer gentleman to receive this award.

The Fellowcraft Bowling Team went to the N.Y. State Masonic Tournament last month and, as of this writing, we are in 2nd place in team events, even though Bro. Jack Levy rolled his first ever 600 series. Are you listening, Gary? Oh, well, wait 'til next year.

The Fellowcraft Steak is scheduled for Sunday, June 22. Keep the date open. Flyers will be sent.

As this is May, I will be giving a full report on Grand Lodge sessions at the regularly scheduled meeting on May 13th. A new Grand Master will be elected and the \$5.00 increase in Grand Lodge per capita fees will be voted on. Please try to attend the meeting on the 13th.

Congratulations to Bro. Sam Fagenbaum's daughter, Rona, on her upcoming marriage in May. Also to W.: Gerald Glaser on his grandson's Bar Mitzvah in May.

Fraternally,  
Gordon Dodge  
Master

**TRESTLEBOARD**

- May 6, 7 - Grand Lodge
- May 13 - Regular Stated Communication
- May 20 - Officers Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- May 20 - Fellowcraft Meeting 8:00 p.m.
- May 30 - Outgoing G.L. Officers Party, Party House, 6:30 p.m. Ladies Invited

**Let's Go Visiting**

- May 17 - Palestine Ladies Nite - Toronto
- May 19 - John Robertson
- May 26 - Etolian
- May 28 - Germania Festival and Sport Shirt Night; Dinner and Ladies Nite, 6:30 p.m.
- June 6 - Tri-Lodge Boat Ride on the Barge Canal; Packetts Landing, Fairport, 6 p.m.

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Brethren:  
The Degree of Entered Apprentice was conferred upon Brothers Robert Proventure and Gregory Haight on April 8 with Sr. Warden Kenneth Campbell in the East. The Apron presentation was made by Worshipful William Stull. The questions and answers were given by Worshipful Walter Johnson and Bro. Michael Socha. Continuing with our instruction toward full Masonic Light we shall confer the Fellowcraft Degree to these Brothers at a special communication on May 14th. Sr. Warden, George Brege will be in the East and we are particularly pleased that Worshipful John Burr will give the Middle Chamber lecture. We appreciate our Past Masters joining us on these occasions and their participating in the Degrees with us and also for their instruction to us. It would be good if more of you would join us in our labors.

We are considering making the gift of a double room to the Lakeside Memorial Hospital for the Lodge with the Wood-Quackenbush Fund. Other things are being considered by the Fund Committee all of which will be presented to the Lodge before any action is taken. Those who have suggestions are asked to submit them to Worshipful Robert Rudman so that we can consider them.

It was a pleasure to present the Past Master's apron to Worshipful Melvin Doverspike at our recent communication. We also enjoyed the ladies of Mary Jane Holmes Chapter OES for Master Mason Nite at their last regular meeting. As usual the dinner preceding was also enjoyed by all.

June will be a busy month for us with our conferring the 3rd Degree and the Bicycle Rodeo. Sr. Deacon Bill Gilliam is chairing the Rodeo again this year. We need your assistance in calling upon the local merchants for their support. We trust those of you who have worked with us in the past will do so this year; if we can impart the importance of bicycle safety we will have done well. Look forward to seeing you in Lodge. The best way to support Masonry is by your presence, and if you wish to actively participate in any way please let me know.

**Roy D. Goold Master**

**Retired? ... Not Yet**



Wor. Bro. Larry Geith, seated at the computer, is volunteering his time to update the Monroe Masonic News address list on our computer. The computer listing was begun by Rt. Wor. Bro. George Wetzel. With Larry's help we will soon be able to provide each Lodge Secretary with a printout to the end that there will be no missing names in our system. Many hours of work remain to bring this new system to life, but with the dedication of our volunteer the task will be accomplished. The Editor, Bro. Paul Rogers, takes time from his busy schedule to keep tabs on the work in progress. Bro. Paul has spent hours revising the program that had been built into the computer. Paul's program is much easier and quicker to use than the original. We thank all involved for their work and dedication.

**Warren Trimble  
Executive Director**

The cup on top of the hard disk is NOT liquid...Rubber Bands. Ed.

**OATKA LODGE  
No. 759  
2nd and 4th Wednesdays**

**Kangaroo  
Promised  
To OATKA**

From the Secretary's Desk:  
Brethren, as of this writing, our Worshipful Master should be thoroughly enjoying himself

**Can you answer  
these questions?**

Answers to  
Questions

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- TRUE:** The Brotherhood Fund was originated in the spring of 1948. Its stated purpose, at that time, was to serve as the life blood of the Masonic Medical Research Laboratory enabling it to pursue with vigor the worthwhile purposes for which it was created.
- TRUE:** The Laboratory is one of two great projects in Utica supported by the Brotherhood Fund complete with our own Board of Directors, staff and budget.
- FALSE:** The Laboratory is not engaged in clinical research and has NO DIRECT contact with the guests at the Home.
- FALSE:** Unfortunately, most Brothers are unaware that the Laboratory conducts important biomedical research that contributes to life saving medical advances. In fact, the Laboratory has an international reputation and is highly respected in the scientific and medical community.
- FALSE:** The pacemaker was invented long before the Laboratory was built. We are responsible for research that greatly enhanced modern day understanding of the cellular mechanisms responsible for cardiac rhythm disturbances.
- FALSE:** The Masonic Medical Research Laboratory is also an educational institution with close ties to Syracuse University, Utica College, the State University's Upstate Medical Center in Syracuse and other schools nationwide. Nearly 200 students have participated in our Summer Fellowship Program, 7 have received M.S. or Ph.D. degrees under our Predoctoral Program, and over 40 postdoctoral students have studied at the Laboratory from all over the world.

"down-under" in Australia. He is hoping to visit 1 or 2 Lodges while he is there. He also promised to bring back a kangaroo as a mascot for Oatka Lodge, but I think the closest he'll come to getting a kangaroo is a picture of one.

I am happy that there is still time to remind you of the meeting to be held on June 11, 1986. I mentioned the meeting in last month's Monroe Masonic News. At that meeting the Worshipful Master is planning to hold the communication in the large room on the 1st floor of our Temple. This will give all the brethren who have had difficulty climbing the stairs to the 2nd floor a chance to attend at least one meeting this year. As I said in last month's Monroe Masonic News, if there is a good turnout of members on this night, I am sure it will turn into a yearly special meeting. This will be an evening for all of the members of Oatka to attend and visit with old friends. You will also see how all the 1st floor rooms have been remodeled, thanks to the efforts of the Lodge brothers.

There is one more item I feel I must bring to your attention! I have hesitated to even bring the subject up. But...as an officer in Oatka Lodge I feel I must at least try. The increase in the 1986 dues was to enable the Lodge to pay its monthly bills. The dues plus the Ladies Nite and St. Patrick Dinner-Dances would have made the Lodge solvent in 1986. Unfortunately, it was discovered the roof needed to be repaired immediately. The bill was more than \$2,200, which the Lodge paid. We are now struggling to find ways to pay our monthly bills. I am, therefore, asking any brother who finds that he is able, to send a donation, no matter how small, to the "Oatka Lodge Roof Fund", and mail it to me at 25 Evergreen Dr., Rochester, N.Y. 14624. This will be the only time a request will be made for help on the repair of the roof.



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**W. Stephen R. Whittaker  
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Remember: Oatka Lodge, Wednesday evening, June 11, 1986, 7:30 p.m.

**Fraternally,  
Lawrence Dunn  
Secretary**

**TRESTLEBOARD  
May 14 - Meeting  
May 28 - Meeting**

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**CHURCHVILLE LODGE  
No. 667  
2nd and 4th Wednesdays**

Well, I hope the absences are over. For the Past Masters Night, the Treasurer, the Secretary and the Master were all out of town. I felt sorry for Brother Lafferty, who carried three heavy cases of his collection of airguns to the Lodge and did not have the attendance that was expected.

Our meeting on May 14th will be preceded by a dinner at 6:30 p.m. The Ladies of the Eastern Star will do their usual fine job. The dinner is to honor Brother Rick Erickson, who will be receiving his 50 year pin, and Brother Dwight Vail, who received his 50 year pin earlier. Our D.D.G.M. Martin Reitz will be there for the presentation. Let's see if we can get some of the homebodies out for this one. The phone call list will be activated to collect your reservations.

Our meeting on May 28th will feature Sportshirt Night. This seems appropriate for our last meeting before summer. Maybe this year we will hear about a trip to Chippewa for strawberries. It's a little early yet, but we should start making plans. Also, a Family Picnic is tentatively scheduled for July 19th. This replaced the Steak Roast last year and I understand it was well received.

**Fraternally,  
Rod Meier**

**TRESTLEBOARD  
May 14 - Dinner and 50 year pin  
presentation  
May 28 - Sportshirt Night  
July 19 - Family Picnic**



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# MASONIC CALENDAR

May 1986

| SUNDAY                                        | MONDAY                                                                                                                                    | TUESDAY                                                                                                                                     | WEDNESDAY                                                                                                                           | THURSDAY                                                         | FRIDAY                | SATURDAY                                     |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------|
|                                               |                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                     | 1<br>WEBSTER - 3rd Degree - Formal - Dinner                      | 2                     | 3<br>HENRIETTA - Ham Dinner                  |
| 4                                             | 5<br>Shrine Lunch Club<br>JOHN ROBERTSON - W. Ed Walker Night, Dinner 6:30 p.m.<br>VALLEY - Move-Up Night<br>CRAFTSMAN - Business Meeting | 6<br>CHARLOTTE - Move-Up Night<br>YONNONDIO - Move-Up Night<br>FLOWER CITY - Grand Lodge                                                    | 7<br>FLOWER CITY - Grand Lodge                                                                                                      | 8<br>WEBSTER - Fellowcraft Club<br>GENESEE FALLS - Reg. Meeting  | 9                     | 10<br>YONNONDIO - Visit our Sister Lodge     |
| 11<br>JOHN ROBERTSON - Visit to V.A. Hospital | 12<br>Shrine Lunch Club<br>CRAFTSMAN - Fellowcraft<br>WAKAN-HUBBARD - Move-Up Night                                                       | 13<br>YONNONDIO - Officers Meeting (see Trestleboard)<br>HENRIETTA - Sr. Deacon Night                                                       | 14<br>ANCIENT CRAFT - Business Meeting<br>GERMANIA - Reg. Meeting<br>CHURCHVILLE - Dinner - 50 year presentation<br>OATKA - Meeting | 15<br>WEBSTER - Grand Lodge Report - DSA Award - Pot Luck Dinner | 16                    | 17<br>GERMANIA - Bowling Party               |
| 18                                            | 19<br>Shrine Lunch Club<br>JOHN ROBERTSON - 1st Degree - Dinner 6:30 p.m.<br>CRAFTSMAN - Business Meeting                                 | 20<br>CHARLOTTE - Mothers' Day & Youth Program<br>YONNONDIO - Meeting<br>FLOWER CITY - Officers Meeting, 7:30;<br>Fellowcraft Meeting, 8:00 | 21<br>GROTTO - Euchre Tournament                                                                                                    | 22                                                               | 23                    | 24                                           |
| 25                                            | 26<br>Shrine Lunch Club<br>MEMORIAL DAY - Observed                                                                                        | 27<br>YONNONDIO - Fellowcraft Club<br>HENRIETTA - 3rd Degree                                                                                | 28<br>ANCIENT CRAFT - Business Meeting<br>GERMANIA - Move-Up Night<br>CHURCHVILLE - Sport Shirt Night<br>OATKA - Meeting            | 29<br>JOHN ROBERTSON - School of Instruction, Pittsford Temple   | 30<br>See Block Below | 31<br>CHARLOTTE - Golf Tourney w/ Yonnonidio |

## WEBSTER LODGE No. 538 1st and 3rd Thursdays 100 Brothers Attended Awards Night

Brethren:  
Over 100 Brothers attended our awards night to see the Most Worshipful Grand Master present 60-year service awards to four of our Brothers. The meeting was preceded by an excellent dinner by Webster Chapter #171 O.E.S. The whole evening was enjoyed by all.

Brother Junior Warden, Stoian Ellia, put together a delightful evening on March 22 for us and our ladies. We thank Brother Stoian for his efforts and hard work.

On April 3rd, our Junior Warden was escorted to the East for the purpose of conferring the Degree of Fellowcraft. He and the officers performed in a manner consistent with the excellent tradition of Webster Lodge.

It was reported that Mrs. Neal Kelley is in Rochester General Hospital.

I hope that we will have a good turnout for our Third Degree on May 1st. To say the least, it disappoints me that the Shrine has chosen once again to have the circus workers party on a Webster Lodge meeting night. As your elected representative, I had attempted to resolve this conflict through verbal communication with the Potentate.

Please plan to attend the May 15th meeting when Brother Wesley J. Beard will be presented with the prestigious Distinguished Service Award. There will be a Pot Luck Dinner at 6:30. Please bring a dish to

pass.

Fraternally,  
L. Warren Patterson  
Master

### TRESTLEBOARD

May 1 - Third Degree - Master - Formal - Dinner  
May 8 - Fellowcraft Club  
May 15 - Grand Lodge Report - D.S.A. Award - Pot Luck Dinner

### Events

June  
5 - Hot Dog Roast - Sport Shirt Night  
12 - Fellowcraft Club  
19 - Red, White & Blue Picnic w/Craftsman Lodge  
\*\*August  
14-16 - Webster Good Neighbor Days (Webster Lodge Festival Tent)  
September  
4 - Corn & Sausage Roast w/Craftsman & Ladies - Casual attire  
DeMolay Degree & Ladies Program  
11 - Fellowcraft Club  
13 - Webster Lodge Visits Ionic Lodge - Hamilton, Ontario  
18 - First Degree - Sr. Warden - Formal  
October  
2 - Past Masters Night - Dinner  
9 - Fellowcraft Club  
16 - Second Degree - Jr. Warden - Formal  
November  
6 - Official Visit - Dinner - Formal  
13 - Fellowcraft Club  
20 - Third Degree - Master - Formal  
December  
4 - Move Up Night  
10 - Fellowcraft Club Annual Meeting - Whistle Stop Elections  
18 - Annual Meeting - Dinner - Formal

\*\*Webster Lodge will participate in the Red Cross Blood Drive in August - date to be announced.

LET'S GO  
VISITING

## FAME LODGE No. 945 2nd and 4th Tuesdays Tureen Supper, Special Program On for May 27th

The Worshipful Master asked me to write his column for him as he would be enjoying the sunny southlands at deadline time. He didn't tell me what to say or not to say so the following "does not necessarily reflect the opinions of management."

Thanks and a tip of the "old top hat" to Frank Jacobi and his crew for the excellent weiner stew dinner. Frank is doing one fine job as Jr. Warden. The refreshments are good and the entertainment has been interesting.

It is also nice to see the sidelines full. If you haven't been out lately, come on out and get in on the fun.

Mark June 6th on your calendar for a night of enjoyment. This is the Packet Boat ride on the canal. We will meet in Fairport. Reservations are a must.

The second annual early morning breakfast and picnic have been scheduled for August 17 at Webster Park. It will be

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CHARLOTTE - Retiring Grand Lodge Officers Dinner  
VALLEY - Retiring G.L. Officers Dinner  
GENESEE FALLS - Retiring G.L. Officers Dinner  
FLOWER CITY - Outgoing G.L. Officers Party 6:30 @ Party House - Ladies Invited

the same menu as last year. If you want to know how great it was, ask anyone who attended. I would tell you myself except as chairman of the whole thing I don't want to sound like a braggart. Get the message?

May has two good programs for you:  
May 13 - this is awards night and Grand Lodge report - important decisions.  
May 27 - Tureen Supper - program is special, to be announced by W.M.:

Thanks go out to Manny Siracusa and Phil Interleccia for the fine job of water runoff repairs. I just want to know which one played the role of "Ed Norton", sewer expert, from "The Honeymooners".

Culver Chapter treated us to another delicious roast beef dinner April 22nd. If you missed it, you are the loser.

See you all in Lodge.  
Fraternally, Bob Hebner, for W.M. Clarence E. VerStrete

## FRANK L. SIMES

LODGE  
No. 990



2nd Tuesday

AGENDA, 1986

May 13  
"Nuclear Winter Theory"  
Social Hour 5:00 p.m.  
Open Lodge 5:45 p.m.  
Dinner 6:30 p.m.  
June 10  
Open Lodge 5:30 p.m.  
Maplewood (Dinner) 7:15 p.m.  
September 8  
Past Master's Night  
Social Hour 5:00 p.m.  
Dinner 6:00 p.m.  
October 14  
Official Visit  
Social Hour 5:00 p.m.  
Open Lodge 5:45 p.m.  
Dinner 6:30 p.m.  
November 11  
"Move up Night"  
Honor the Deceased Brethren  
Social Hour 5:00 p.m.  
Open Lodge 5:45 p.m.  
Dinner 6:30 p.m.  
December 9  
Nomination of Officers  
Social Hour 5:00 p.m.  
Open Lodge 5:45 p.m.  
Dinner 6:30 p.m.

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