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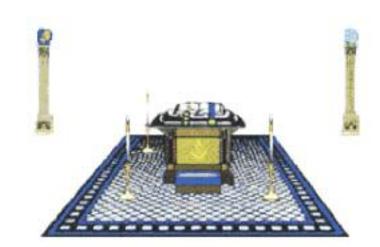


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- Meeting second Monday (7:30PM) Dinner 7:00PM God our obligation to 2 Masonry



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TRESTLE BOARD **"ON THE LEVEL"**

MARCH 6010

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Notes From the East

Did you notice how our Advertisements stand out with the new colors? We commend Larry Jones, owner, of "Printing By Designs." Please support our advertisers as it pays for our Trestle Board.

We have had a busy month, our regular meeting,2 Degrees, and our traveling to retrieve our flag, capture the gavel, and visits to North Carolina Lodges.... On Feb. 20th yours truly traveled to St Johns Lodge #1 in Wilmington to a breakfast meeting and a Master Masons Degree. The 3 Fellow Craft that visited our Lodge to observe our EA Degree in January were raised. It was different. The same format, but different dialogue. It gave me the opportunity to meet Brother Masons and see how other jurisdictions operate. I suggest you may wish

to attend Degrees in No. Carolina to expand your knowledge of Masonry....On Feb. 23rd Mickey Trexler and Matt Davis took their Fellow Craft Degree. They recited their catechism in open Lodge. A first for our Lodge. We had the honor of receiving RWBro. Hugh "Hugger" Peteet who praised our Degree work and gave greetings form the Grand Master. He advised us that it was the request of the Grand Master that we recite for proficiency in open Lodge. He also said that it was the Grand Masters request that Genes and flip flops not be worn in Lodge. We had a good crowd of 24 members and 6 guests to enjoy an excellent Chicken Bog prepared by Worshipful Master Wilson Rankin. Bro. Tommy Bennett did an excellent job sitting in the East for the Degree. All officers followed suit and performed well. They are to be congratulated. WBro.Steve StClair, a Certified Lecturer, and RWBro Rawl Scheibler gave the lecture and Charge and WBro Rhett Vereen explained the "Letter G"....On Mar.1st we took a trip out to Aynor in force and the Worshipful Master led the way to retrieve our flag. Another had their flag, but we not only got ours, . but we brought home the Traveling Gavel. If you haven't seen it before it is worth reading the inscription. It is hanging on our wall. We had WBroWilson, RWBro Dale, Wbros Chris, Steve, Jim Griffth, Roger Bonner, and Bros George, Pops, James Grey, Gordon, Buddy, and Jack Welsh. It was nice to meet their new officers. They have a rejuvenated group and are traveling with enthusiasm. I don't think we have seen the last of them.....On

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Addressing the Chair

The rules of order in Freemasonry do not permit discussion, during a Communication, among the Brethren. The Brother who has anything to say to the Lodge, whether it be to enter discussion or to make or second a motion , must rise to his feet, make the sign, and address the Worshipful Master, retaining the sign until seated.

Mar.4th Socastee had an EA Degree. RWBro Dale, Wbro Chris, Bros George, Walter Vick and Our EA Nick Henderson arrived on there door step to enjoy a good turkey dinner and an EA Degree and take home their flag.....On Mar. 8th we had our regular communication with an excellent turn out of 33 members and 11 guests from Mich, Ontario, Pa, NY, NC and England. Roger Bonner who has been signing in from England now claims residence in NMB as we voted to accept him as an Affiliated Member in good standing. Welcome Wbro Roger. He has been visiting other Lodges with the Travelers. In addition the Master assigned 5 investigation teams. We heard Bro Nick Henderson recite for his proficiency in the EA Degree. He did an excellent job. We voted on him and the Master set the date for the FC Degree on Mar 23rd, Practice on Monday the 22nd at 6PM . We also voted for Mickey Trexler and Matt Davis to take their Master Mason Degree on the 30th of Mar., practice 6PM on the 29th. We had Masonic Instruction given by our Secretary Wbro Del Vereen. One must fill out the middle name on the application for Affiliation. " Dad gum it, it says right on the form 'middle(not middle initial)". Prior to our meeting we had a good South Carolina fish fry. BroBuddy Best was up to his elbows in butter milk and corn meal. and Bro Gordon was frying them as fast as Buddy could get them to him. Hush puppies and cole slaw, cakes and ice cream topped if off. No body went away hungry.

When we meet we eat. We are trying to entice more Brothers to come

Thoughts and Prayers

"The light of God surrounds us. The love of God enfolds us. The power of God protects us. The presence of God watches over us. Wherever we are God is and all is well."

Dear God , please lay your hand upon our sick and grieved. If it is your will heal them and comfort them and their families. Especially; Bro E.L. Lovette who is in the hospital. Bro Robert Schwelnus who is recuperating from a knee replacement and Wbro David Finn's wife also recuperating from a knee replacement. Wbro Haywood Fowlers wife is in the hospital for a tumor operation.

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"It is nice to be important,

but it is more important to nice". Sarah Hughs, Gold Medal Olympic Skater, 2002

Lodge Activities

2nd Monday of the Month.... REGULAR COMMUNICATION 3rd Monday of the Month....Master and Wardens Club

Dates to RememberFellow Craft DegreeNick HendersonTuesday March 23 Supper 7:00 PM Work 7:30PM
Monday March 22 practice 6:00PM

Master Mason Degree Mickey Trexler/ Jody Blackburn/Matt Davis Tuesday March 30 Supper 7:00PM Work 7:30PM Monday March 29 practice 6:00PM

out . If you need a ride call us we will come get you or call one of your Brothers to pick you up. Join the Brotherhood. Your Trestle Board just gives you the highlights. Join in on the fun. The Travelers also visited Shallotte Lodge on the 9th and an instructional at 353 on the 11th. We will report on that next month as I am running out of room.....Yours in the bonds of Masonry. Your Editor Chris Holland Tele;280-5430

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