

Volume VI

FEBRUARY, 1953

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CALENDAR

- FEB. 11 Executive Meeting, 8 P. M., Stone House Inn.
- FEB. 21 Regular Meeting, Takoma Park Masonic Temple,
8 P. M. Open Night. Special Entertainment.
- FEB. 28 5th Annual Square Dance, 8:30 P. M. to 12 Midnight
Eastern Suburban Junior High School - Old
Bladensburg Road and Franklin Avenue.
- MAR. 11 Executive Meeting, Stone House Inn, 8 p. m.
- MAR. 21 Spring Ceremonial. Prologue and Royal Court
Exemplified.
- APR. 18 Sidonian Degree.

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PROCLAMATION

By virtue of the power and authority in me vested by the Supreme Forest, Tall Cedars of Lebanon of the United States, I hereby call a meeting of Montgomery Forest No. 134, to be held in the Takoma Park Masonic Temple, Maple and Carroll Streets, Takoma Park, on Saturday, February 21, 1953, at 8:00 P.M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may come before the Forest.

J. MYRON JONES, Grand Tall Cedar.

Attest:

ERNEST C. SHAFFER, Scribe.

District Representative: NEWMAN SMOOT LEE, P.G.T.C., 139
District No. 20

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETS SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT STONE HOUSE INN

Consists of all Officers and Past Grand Tall Cedars, Past Scribe, Past Treasurer, and three members of the Forest appointed by the Grand Tall Cedar.
All members of the Forest are welcome to attend.

PAST GRAND TALL CEDARS OF MONTGOMERY FOREST

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Layton H. Miner.....	1949
George T. Heilman.....	1951
J. Dwight Cook.....	1952

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Prince Georges Forest No. 139 meets first Saturday of each month at Hyattsville Masonic Temple 43rd and Gallatin Streets, Hyattsville, Maryland.

Capitol Forest No. 104 meets second Saturday of each month at Northeast Masonic Temple 523 Eighth Street, Northeast, Washington, D. C.

Temple Forest No. 136 meets fourth Saturday of each month at Henry Knox Field Masonic Temple, Mt. Vernon Ave. in Del Ray, Alexandria, Virginia.

If you know of a Brother Tall Cedar who is sick, please report his case at once to our chairman of the Sick Committee, Brother Luther C amer, 1007 Elm Ave., Takoma Park, Maryland, Phone: HE 4-6215, or the Scribe, Brother Ernest C. Scaffer, 214 Dale Drive, Silver Spring, Md., Phone: JU 5-1543.

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Brother Cedars:

Montgomery Forest #134 started out with a bang this year by celebrating our fifth anniversary at our first meeting in 1953. I didn't see a fire cracker but I smelled the smoke.

Believe me, it was a thrill to see all of our Past Grand Tall's present. When Bill Anyheart our first G.T.C. cut our birthday cake while members and visitors sang "Happy Birthday" to the Forest, it brought back memories. I am truly sorry that many of you were not present. You missed a real treat.

I do hope that all those who were present were as inspired as I was when we received five new Tall Cedars who helped celebrate our fifth birthday. It was a highlight that will long be remembered. We are batting a 1000, five for five.

May I extend my thanks to all of those Cedars who helped make our evening a success by bringing the new members in and my hearty congratulations to these new Cedars. May you always enjoy your membership in your Forest.

We are looking forward to our next meeting when we will have open house for all Master Masons. We are planning special entertainment and our Steward and his committee have a real treat in store so come out and get a surprise.

Our cast and stunt team are fully prepared and await a large class for our Spring Ceremonial in March and Sidonian degree in April.

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- Gladys Thompson, WT
- Irene Dolgos
- Carolina Harries
- Gertrude Gindlesperger
- Mrs. Al. Kroll
- Elisabetha Krams

\$1.00 will help cover the cost of this bulletin and put your or your wife's name here.

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The ECHO wishes a speedy recovery to the wife of our J.D.G.T.C., Kay Engelhardt, who at this writing is in the hospital with penicillin poisoning.

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Tact is when a woman proposed to a man in such a way that he thinks he did it himself.

SICK SICK * * * * * SICK SICK

Earl Disney, Leroy Hill, Howard Stein, Rex Giles
The Forest wishes you a speedy recovery.

3 CONVENTION ATLANTIC CITY MAY 21, 22, 23, 24

The Hotel Committee visited Atlantic City Jan. 23 & 24 to inspect accommodations that had been offered by several hotels. An agreement was reached with management of the EASTBOURNE HOTEL at INDIANA and PACIFIC AVES. and a block of rooms has been reserved.

We are now prepared to take reservations and by the next meeting will have a list of rooms including the facilities in each. Reservations will be accepted with the payment for the expected stay on the basis of \$3.50 or \$4.00 per person per night, two to a room or \$5.00 per person per night, one in a room. You have a choice of rooms and bedding, either twin or double beds. All prices quoted include bath. However, the \$3.50 rate is based on a two room suite with bath between, minimum of four persons per suite. All prices are subject to 3% city tax and must be collected with the reservation.

By collecting in advance for your hotel lodging neither you nor the hotel will be bothered with collecting or paying bills on an individual basis. If you are eligible for part payment of your lodging by being a member of one of the Forest's Units, contact your Unit Head for the method that will be used.

NO RESERVATIONS CAN BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT PAYMENT FOR YOUR FULL EXPECTED STAY INCLUDING TAX. All checks should be made payable to the Forest.

Floor plans will be available for inspection later.

The Hotel selected is conveniently located to all convention activities and is one short block off the boardwalk directly behind the Claridge Hotel. It is 3 blocks from the Warner Theater and 5 blocks from Convention Hall. It has 97 rooms, 90 with bath.

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1953 MASONIC TAG INFORMATION

New Maryland auto tags will be issued in March.

We (Masons) have been assigned a complete block of numbers. Let's do all we can to promote and advertise this project so that we can use the entire block of numbers.

In order to obtain tags in the block of numbers assigned to us, it will be absolutely necessary that the following instructions be complied with:

If your address is changed, notify the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles immediately.

We will not accept applications requiring change of address or new titles.

Fill out application for tags and be sure to SIGN YOUR NAME.

Write on the back of the application the name and location of your Lodge and 1951 tag number and also indicate if you are a Master or Past Master.

Turn in completed application with money to your lodge representative or to the undersigned as soon as possible after receipt of application card from the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles. Make payable to cash or to the representative, or to Roy T. Fowkes.

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Attach to your application a self addressed envelope, stamped, Post Office size #13, (3 3/4 X 6 3/4 or larger, so that we may mail you the "Who's Who Directory", listing all the names and tag numbers of our members.

Only applications registered in the name of a Mason, his Wife, his Unmarried Widow, his Unmarried Daughter or his son under 21, will be received. The number will be assigned to the Mason involved.

Address all communications in connection herewith to:

ROY T. FOWKES
3105 Perry St.
Mt. Rainier, Md.
Phone: UNION 4-0491

P.S. We need some help, can you assist in this project? If so, please phone me, a few hours occasionally will help a lot.

s/ Roy T. Fowkes
P.M. West Gate #220

GOOD EATS ARE HERE



The Forest wants to thank its new Chief Steward, Johnie O. Youngblood for the good eats at the January meeting. Also many thanks to the men on his committee who are helping to make his plans a success. Watch February!

Parking is free to all hotel guests and this alone is a savings of \$2.50 to \$3.00 per car over previous accommodations. Rooms are reasonably large well furnished and (attention Bro. Miner) have LARGE closets. Bathrooms are available with either shower stall, tub and shower or tub. Connecting bathroom suites have a wash stand in each bedroom.

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Let's all go to the convention for a swell turnout and a good time.

Members of the committee that went to Atlantic City and made the above arrangements were:
G.T.C. J. Myron Jones, P.T., Everett B. Terry, P.G.T.C., J. Dwight Cook and P.G.T.C., George T. (Coco-Cola) Heilman.

Everett B. Terry, P.T.
Chairman, Convention Committee

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In order for any Forest to grow
-- -- -- there must new saplings
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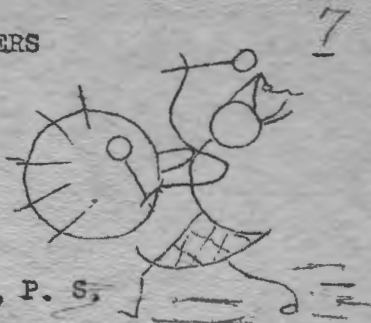


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Undertaker: "That's true--however, I thought it only
right that the relatives should be informed first."

NOTES FROM THE JANUARY MEETING

Our thanks to Eric Persion for the wonderful
color slides and movies of the 1950 and 51 convention.

Our thanks to our first Grand Tall for cutting
the beautiful 14 lb. birthday cake that the Forest had.

Our Grand Tall can really be TALL now with the
present he got last meeting. Ask him.



Let's get them there dues

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please. Send to the Scribe,

Ernie Shaffer!

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Let's Go Cedars! Our Open Nite, next meeting, will be a golden opportunity to get new members. Jim Rhodes and his membership committee together with every Tall Cedar in the Forest will please endeavor to get those petitions in. Let's lead the District this year.

It is good to see harmony and good fellowship existing in our Forest and the splendid spirit also existing between the Forests in District 20. This is as it should be and may it ever continue.

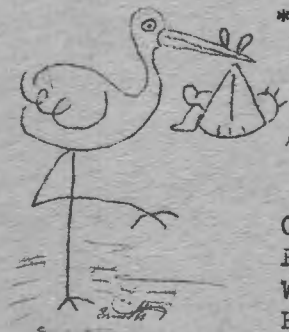
Always remember that by attending every meeting you will be one of those cedars who will help make your own Forest grow.

Cedarly,

Myron

Myron

G.T.C.



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