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The Power of Prayer.

Some of our Brothers and their families have experienced difficult times this past year.

We know that Brother John Leisenring has had some problems in his ability to walk.. Though he is doing better, we must remember that we need to be concerned for their daily activities. We also are concerned with the family of R.H. Charles Titus. Brother Charles laid down his working tools after a long and distinguished career in serving his fellowman.

Many were in attendance at his funeral. Worshipful Charles McCarty is recovering after the passing of his wife this year. And Dr. Keefe of Pawley Island, South Carolina, who at the age of 96, laid down his working tools after a long and distinguished career of helping others. If you will, take a moment and give a silent prayer for the families of these brothers, and of any other ones that might be in need of your thoughts and prayers.

AAH, THE DIGEST

A Secretary’s Lot is never an easy one. Regulation 22.06 in our Masonic Digest requires that a Past Due Notice be mailed to each member who is six months delinquent in paying his annual dues. How quickly time passes.

While the spreadsheet reflects that most brothers have paid their 2015 annual dues, and that we all become busy at times and good intentions are replaced with other activities.

We find that five brothers have failed to remit their2015 annual dues . We have notified them , allowing a 90 day period for remittance. If they have failed to comply with this Regulation, they will be subject to suspension for Non-payment of annual dues.

 THOUGHT

What’s popular isn’t always right. And then again, what is right is not always popular.

 THAT FIRST DAY

If you could create a holiday, what would it be called? What day would you choosefor your hoiday? Peter McGuire, a carpenter and labor union leader was the person who came up with the idea for Labor Day. He thought American workers should be honored with their own day. He proposed the idea to the

Labor Union early in 1882, and they agreed with him.

With four long months between Independence Day and Thanksgiving,, he suggested a month halfway in between. But, then what date would they choose?

The very first Labor Labor

 Was held on Tuesday

September 5th 1883 in

New York City, with ten

Thousand workers in

In attendance.

Congress passed legislation on 1884 making

Labor Day a national hoiliday.