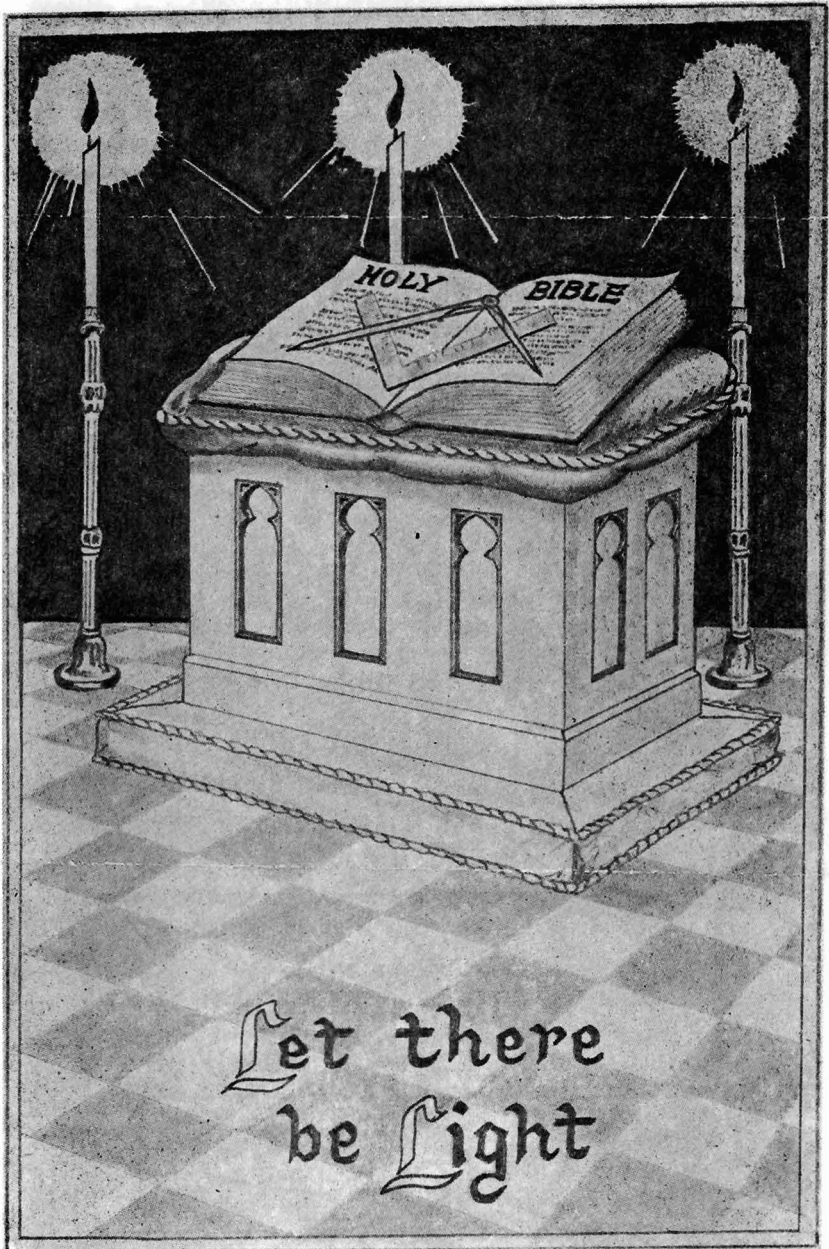


SHEKINAH LODGE No. 58

Free and Accepted Masons

Millville, New Jersey

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Let there
be Light

Brethren:

It has been a long hard winter and the return of spring is most welcome in many quarters. Generally, we look upon spring as a rebirth of many things which have been dormant through the winter months. It is hoped that the Masonic spirit which each of us has professed has not become inactive or dormant; but, in case it has, perhaps we can have a rebirth of that spirit and watch it flourish, as with all things in nature at this time of year. It certainly is wonderful to view all the works of creation and it would be equally rewarding to watch a blossoming of the Masonic spirit, according to the designs laid down upon the trestleboard by the Supreme Architect of the Universe.

On the same theme, the birth of a new Mason is the moment when a man finally asks the right question of a Master Mason. However, a person has no way of knowing much about the Fraternity unless a Master Mason makes it available to him. On this score, I have read the pamphlet from the Grand Lodge committee on Information and Instruction concerning "What I can tell my non-Masonic Friends". I am sure that many Masons don't realize how far they can go in telling a friend about our Fraternity. Ours is not an secret organization; but an organization of secrets. Therefore, don't be afraid to let anyone know you are a Mason. You can also tell him that Freemasonry is a fraternal organization, religious in character, based on the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man. You cannot tell him anything of the ritual, etc. but you can tell him the things printed in the Manual. These are just a few items; but anyone interested in how much more can be told to the profane should see me, and I will make my information available to them. Im sure that we could see the birth of many new Masonic lives if more non secret information were available.

Fraternally yours,

RUSSELL A. ROBERTS

Worshipful Master

In Memoriam

CARL WEBER NIXON

Raised June 17, 1949

Died March 11, 1971

HARRY ROBERT SMITH

Raised November 24, 1916

Died March 18, 1971

OFFICERS 1971

Russell A. Roberts	<i>Worshipful Master</i>
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Sheppard W. Hogan, P.M.	<i>Treasurer</i>
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George Carty	<i>Junior Deacon</i>
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William H. Stiles	<i>Junior M. of C.</i>
Ronald N. Spiels	<i>Senior Steward</i>
Norman H. Peek	<i>Junior Steward</i>
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Daniel W. Hand, Jr.	<i>Historian</i>
Edward L. Grau	<i>Tyler</i>
John M. Robinson, P.D.D.G.M.	<i>Director of Work</i>

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Norman H. Fowler, P.M.	Two Years
Walter S. Earling, P.M.	Three Years

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		Robert T. Shannon, P.M.

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LIVING PAST MASTERS

Sheppard W. Hogan	1917	Howard R. Earling	1944	John M. Robinson, PDDGM	1958
Edward C. Morrison	1921	Marshall H. Roe	1946	Parren S. Knarr	1959
Harold Headley	1922	Kenneth H. Sheppard	1947	William S. Stagg, Jr.	1961
Lester M. Hand	1928	Lewis E. Ferguson, Jr.	1949	Merrill S. Cottrell	1962
Shirley D. Haines	1931	Kenneth H. Whilden	1950	Herbert W. Dunham, Jr.	1963
Justus Llewallyn	1932	Samuel Davidson, PDDGM	1951	William H. Bowen	1964
Delbert Pfeiffer, PGC	1934	Charles F. Finch	1952	Robert D. Barber	1966
Herbert W. Dunham, Sr.	1937	James J. Molloy, Jr.	1953	Vernon C. Minkwitz, Sr.	1967
Edmund K. Reeves	1938	Norman H. Fowler	1954	F. Edward Barsuglia	1968
Walter S. Earling	1939	Robert T. Shannon	1955	Harry H. Potter	1969
Joseph P. Hogan, Jr.	1941	Harold E. Nichols	1956	William H. Goshen	1970
Frank B. Lutz	1943	John A. Shea	1957		

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