# Brethren:

The last week of February and the first week of March have been a very busy time for both Shekinah Lodge and myself.

On February 24 we had the Official Visit of Most Worshipful Earl F. Sutton, Grand Master of Masons for the State of New Jersey, and Reception to Right Worshipful E. Lee Myers, Grand Chaplain. Right Worshipful Brother Lee has been a tremendous asset to Shekinah Lodge. Lee is a quiet man, but that quiet hides a love of Masonry and a love of Shekinah Lodge that shows in all he does. He is always ready to lend a hand anytime it is needed. Lee did a fine job as an officer and proved to be an excellent Master and it was my extreme honor and pleasure to serve as his Junior Warden. Lee, we hope that you enjoy the remainder of your time on the Grand Staff, and the remainder of your Masonic life. We enjoy having you in Shekinah Lodge.

On March 3, the membership of Shekinah Lodge balloted on the merger of Neptune Lodge with Shekinah. The ballot was unanimous, 41-0, to accept the merger. Neptune Lodge was a fixture in this area. It had a rich and storied history and will be sorely missed. I would like to express my thanks and gratitude to Worshipful Brother Rich Hinckley, Worshipful Master of Neptune Lodge, for the magnificent job he did in bringing the merger of Neptune Lodge to a close with honor and dignity. I would also like to welcome the Brethren of Neptune to Shekinah Lodge. I look forward to having the Brethren of Neptune join us in Lodge and would urge them to attend as often as possible. I believe that all would enjoy the Masonic Communion and together we can begin a new chapter in the history of Shekinah Lodge.

A breakfast was held at the Lodge on March 5. It was well received and I would like to thank those who attended and especially those who helped. The helpers worked very hard and are the reason the breakfast was successful. I hope to have a full report on the breakfast at out regular meeting in April.

In closing, I would urge everyone to strive to make this transition period as smooth as it can be, and I would ask the members of Shekinah to make an extra effort to welcome our Brethren from Neptune. I look forward to many years of Masonic Brotherhood.

# Fraternally, BRIAN THOMAS, WM

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# Brethren:

You are cordially invited to attend the following communications:

# **REGULAR COMMUNICATION**

**April 7** — Regular Business meeting. Brother F.C. Lewis Martin Dutton and Brother F.C. Joseph John Derella Jr. will be examined in the Fellow Craft Degree.

**April 21** — Master Mason Degree to be conferred on Brother F.C. Lewis Martin Dutton and Brother F.C. Joseph John Derella, Jr. Dinner at 6:30 p.m., Meeting at 7:30 p.m.

# DATES TO REMEMBER

**April 1** — Annual trip to Phoenixville to visit the Brethren of Phoenix Lodge. The program this year will be on the Lindberg Kidnapping. We will leave the Lodge at 3:30.

**April 15** — Bus trip to Radio City Music Hall to see the Easter Show. We will depart from the Lodge at 8 a.m. and make a quick stop on the way up. We will attend the Noon show, enjoy a couple of hours of free time, and then return to the bus to return home. We will stop for dinner on the way home. The cost of the bus amd the ticket is \$55.00. Dinner will be on your own.

**April 26** — Wednesday, Grand Lodge Banquet at Annual Communication in Atlantic City. Open to all brethren and their ladies. Social Hour 5:00 p.m., Dinner 6:00 p.m. at the Trump Regency Hotel. Tickets \$25.00 per person, prime rib. Reservation deadline April 14th.

**April 27** — Thursday, 1:00 p.m. Grand Masters open installation at Convention Hall, Atlantic City.

**April 29** — Sub Sale at the Lodge from 11 a.m. til 1 p.m. Italian and American Subs will be available. The cost is \$3.50 each. The officers have tickets.

**May 6** — Master Mason Degree to be conferred at Grand Lodge. If you are interested in taking part or going to witness this event, please contact the Worshipful Master.

May 7 — Sunday, Grand Masters Church Service, Reception and Banquet, Crescent Temple, North Clinton Avenue, Trenton. Church Service 12:30 p.m., Reception 2:30 p.m., Social Hour 4:00 p.m., Banquet 5:00 p.m. Tickets \$22.00 per person. Make checks payable to Williamstown Lodge #166 - Mail to Ernest Jones, 18 N. Central Avenue, Sicklerville, NJ 08081 with a self addressed stamped envelope.

**May 20** — Saturday, There will be a day of painting the lodge rooms. We need all the brothers to help in this project. Let the trustees know that you will be there.

May 29 — Memorial Day Parade - Details to follow.

ATTESTED: Milton Moroz, PJGD, Secretary

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Lewis E. Ferguson, Jr.	1949	William H. Goshen	1970		
Charles F. Finch	1952	Russell A. Roberts	1971		
James J. Malloy, Jr.	1953	Richard A. Jervis	1972		
Robert T. Shannon	1955	Robert F. Andrews	1973		
John A. Shea	1957	William H. Stiles	1975		
William S. Stagg, Jr.	1961	Ronald N. Spiels	'91-1976		
Herbert W. Dunham, Jr.	1963	Norman H. Peek	'90-1977		
William H. Bowen	1964	J. Douglass Abdill	1978		
Robert D. Barber	1966	Robert W. Estell	1979		
F. Edward Barsuglia	1968	J. Roy Oliver	1980		

Leonard R. Potter, Jr.	1982
Paul N. Pantelis	1983
William C. Parr, Jr.	1985
Marvin White	1986
Gary R. Lawson	87-1988
Floyd G. Taylor	1989
Howard Young	1992
E. Lee Myers	1993
Robert Thornborough	1994

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1948	Anthony Padilla	1974	Terry Sherman	.88-1989
1962	Theodore S. Levin	'64,'741977	C. Randall Quay	1970
1964	John G. Keeler	1982	Thomas H. Litterer	1977
1971	Albert L. Smith	1986	Randall C. Quay	1982
1969	William S. Davis	1993	Richard A. Hinckley	1994
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