

Dear Brethren,

I would like to welcome you all back from summer break. I hope each and every-one of you had a fun filled summer as I have! Now it's back to business. We have a busy fall ahead of us, and it will take everybody to chip in and make it work. I feel our first 9 months have been successful, so let's not back down now and lose what we have gained!

We have two trips planned, 1st in September we will head up to Phila. for a Dinner Cruise on the Spirit of Phila. We are planning to car pool this trip to keep the cost down. 2nd in October we will head to Baltimore Inner Harbor, for a fun filled day at the Harbor and the Aquarium, then a dinner stop at Horn & Horn. Next in October we will have our Annual Table Lodge held at Shekinah. Dinner will be Ham & Oysters, and of course, two different kinds of juice, one weak and the other strong!

We will also be entering new men in our Lodge, in the hopes of bringing them up in the next two months, for our Past Masters to raise in November.

So please try and attend as much as possible. I hope to see many new faces, and faces I have not seen in a long time!

Finally brethren, keep up the good work, and take care of one and another. And if there is any brethren out there, with their cabletow coiled up in their hands, extend it out and you will see how good it feels to help someone!

Fraternally yours,  
**Wm. Anthony Loteck**  
*Worshipful Master*

## In Memoriam

FRANCIS J. YOUNG

E.A. - June 2, 1953 F.C. - September 29, 1953 M.M. - December 8, 1953  
Raised on High - May 20, 1997

ROBERT G. CROSS

E.A. - April 9, 1971 F.C. - May 21, 1971 M.M. - June 25, 1971  
Raised on High - May 30, 1997

MILLARD W. CAMP

E.A. - April 6, 1965 F.C. - May 10, 1965 M.M. - June 29, 1965  
Raised on High - July 31, 1997

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August 15, 1997

Dear Brothers,

I have been asked to serve as a representative of The Masonic Service Association Of The United States, at the New Jersey Memorial Home, also known as The Old Soldiers Home located in Vineland N.J.

Upon visiting the home, it has been brought to my attention the need for volunteers to assist the staff and patients. There are many things that could be done and I am trying to set-up a volunteer service to fulfill some of these needs.

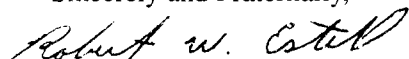
Rev. Bill Speer, the Chaplain at the home, has requested that I try to institute an escort service so that the patients could attend church services every Sunday morning. This is now impossible for the staff to do, as they have other duties at this time! Services are at 10 AM. The escort service would consist of five volunteers starting at 9:45 AM Till 10:45 AM, who would pick-up patients in their rooms and take them to and from the chapel. I would like to get enough volunteers, so that they would only have to go once or twice a year, but to get started as quickly as possible it may consist of once a month or once every other month, until we get more people .

The home is also equipped with a state of the art bowling facility, which is being utilized very little, if at all! They need six volunteers to run the facility and have one or two events a year. This is a very big event for the patients and they really look forward to these nights with enthusiasm. The bowling would be held on weekdays between the hours of 6 to 9 PM. Would it not be great to get enough volunteers to run this event once or twice a month , or maybe more!

Although this is a Masonic sponsored undertaking, we would welcome help from anyone, male or female, member or non-member. I hope that you will join me in trying to make these "OLD SOLDIERS" which I might add, are both male and female, just a little happier. Let us not forget what we were taught : "The greatest of these is CHARITY; for faith is lost in sight, hope ends in fruition, but charity extends beyond the grave, thru the boundless realms of eternity."

If you or anyone you know can help, please contact myself or RW Richard Westergaard, DDGM of the 22nd Masonic District.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,



Robert W. Estell

Brethren, You are cordially invited to attend the following communications:

### **REGULAR COMMUNICATION**

**Friday, September 5th, 1997 - 7:30 PM** – Business meeting. Refreshments and social get-together following the meeting.

### **EMERGENT COMMUNICATION**

**Friday, September 12th, 1997 - 7:30 PM** – The Entered Apprentice Degree will be conferred on all eligible candidates in waiting. Refreshments and social get-together following the meeting.

### **REHEARSALS**

**Thursday, September 4th, and 11th, 1997 - 7:00 PM**

All officers are required to attend, brethren welcome.

### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Tuesday, September 9th, 1997 - 7:30 PM** – District Lodge of Instruction at Elmer Lodge #160, Elmer, N.J.

**Tuesday, September 16th, 1997** – Come cruise with us on the Spirit of Phila., on their Mardi Gras Theme Night. Tickets will be \$45.00 per person, \$90.00 per couple; includes admission on the ship, dinner, and dancing plus party favors. We will car pool the trip from the Lodge parking lot, we are planning to leave the Lodge at 5:15 PM. Ship departs at 7:00 PM.

**Saturday, October 4th, 1997** – Baltimore Inner Harbor Trip. Bus leaves Lodge at 8:00 AM and returns around 9:00 PM. Cost is \$42.00 per person, which includes admission to Aquarium and Buffet Dinner at Horn and Horn Restaurant. Bus will leave Harbor around 5:00 PM to head to dinner.

**Saturday, October 4th, 1997 - 3:00 PM** – Official Visit of M.W. Gerald H. Grosskopf, G.M., and OPEN Reception for R.W. Ferris O. Tryon, J.G.W. OPEN RECEPTION - 3:00 PM, SOCIAL HOUR - 5:00 PM (reservation required), DINNER - 6:00 PM (reservation required). Scottish Rite Cathedral, Valley of Northern New Jersey, 99 Two Bridges Rd., Lincoln Park, N.J. Reservations for Social & Dinner \$25.00 per person, make checks payable to: BS-MT-MD #35, and mail to: Frank W. Nordlander, 15 Fountain Rd., West Milford, NJ 07480, with a self-addressed stamped envelope. Deadline: Sept. 17th.

**Sunday, October 19th, 1997 - 10:00 AM to 12:00 NOON** – Grand Lodge Special Communication at Crescent Shrine Temple, N. Clinton Ave., Trenton, N.J. The discussion of various topics will commence at 12:00 Noon and will continue as long as necessary. Coffee and buns will be available prior to the meeting, and a "PREPAID ONLY" Box Lunch will be available for \$5.00. Sandwich choices are: Ham & Cheese on Rye or Turkey on a Roll. Make checks payable and send to: Adrienne Assembly #68, Order of Rainbow for Girls, 1011 Central Avenue, Westfield, N.J. 07090.

**Monday, October 27th, 1997 - 7:00 PM** – Official Visit of M.W. Gerald H. Grosskopf, Grand Master, and reception for R.W. Richard W. Westergaard, D.D.G.M. at Vineland Lodge #69, Vineland, N.J. Dinner at 6:30 PM.

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1948	1972	1982
Lewis E. Ferguson, Jr. ....	Robert F. Andrews .....	Paul N. Pantelis .....
1949	1973	1983
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1952	1973	1985
James J. Malloy, Jr. ....	William H. Stiles .....	Kirk A. Karrer .....
1953	1975	1985
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1957	89-1976	88-1987
William S. Stagg, Jr. ....	Norman H. Peek, PDDGM ..	Robert A. Tesoroni, Jr., PGC
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F. Edward Barsuglia .....	J. Roy Oliver .....	Robert Thornborough .....
1968	1980	1994
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1970	1982	
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