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THE MASTER'S LETTER

Dear Brethren:

In this my first letter I wish to thank you for the honor of serving Golden Rule Lodge as your Worshipful Master.

To those who helped make the installation a memorable experience for me, a hearty thank you. It is an experience that I will never forget.

To my father, words cannot express my feelings, I only hope those on the sidelines could feel the emotion of father and son brought closer together by the bonds of Masonry. For those who do not know of what I am referring to, you had better attend lodge this year as it has been a long time since we have had the pleasure of your fellowship.

Congratulations to Art Davidge and John Williams on being installed as Master of Fraternity and Ann Arbor Lodges, may you both have an enjoyable year. You put together a great installation, Art.

The holiday season is now behind us so brothers it is time to roll up your sleeves and help support Golden Rule Lodge. Remember brothers, it is your lodge, it takes more than just the officers to make a lodge run smoothly.

January will be a full month so keep Thursday nights open for lodge. Our regular will be on Jan. 4th. On the 11th the DeMolay Boys will be up to put on the DeMolay Degree, so please come up and support these fine young men. It will be an early evening and on a regular lodge night, so let's fill up the sidelines.

On the 18th we will have a Fellowcraft

On the 25th we will have our annual Trowel Club Dinner at the Grotto Club, 6:30 p.m., so come on out and hear our

Craft Team Directors discuss the coming year. Remember, they are always open for suggestions and looking for help.

Thanks to all who rang bells for the Salvation Army and helped make Christmas brighter for many families.

To those in sickness, a speedy recovery, and may God's Blessings be with you and yours.

> Fraternally yours, David I. Gates Worshipful Master

SCHEDULE FOR JANUARY

Jan. 4th—Regular Communication, 7:30

Jan. 11th—DeMolay Degree, 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 18th-Fellowcraft Degree, 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 25th—Trowel Club Dinner, 6:30 p.m.

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THE MASTER'S LETTER

Dear Brethren:

In my first letter as your Master I would like to thank you for the vote of confidence that you extended to me and the rest of the officers of your lodge.

Congratulations and best wishes to Brothers Dave Gates and Dick Williams and their officers for a most successful year!

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all those who helped make Tri-Lodge Installation 1972 a success. Ruth Novess and the ladies of the Daughters served an excellent dinner. The buffet, taken care of by the Rainbow girls was likewise excellent. A most hearty thank you goes to all of the Past Masters from all three lodges for their parts and cooperation in Installation. As I'm sure we've all said and continue to say, it's sure nice to have Past Masters! Thanks a lot men.

The end of an old year and the start of a new one is always a time for both reflection and anticipation. While Fraternity Lodge has a great potential, we also are faced with what seems to be a declining active membership.

The past year saw the start of a renewal of family involvement with Fraternity; plans call for this to continue and hopefully to expand. But, my brothers, all the plans and hopes go for naught without your participation. My question to you is: Where do you want Fraternity Lodge to go? As I said at the start of this letter, this is vour lodge. The next few letters will contain some ideas that I have for Fraternity. I'd like very much to know yours.

January will be a rather active month with one Fellow-Craft and at least two Entered Apprentices. Athough each of these letters will contain a schedule of

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ANN ARBOR LODGE, No. 544, F. & A. M.



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HAROLD GREGG

THE MASTER'S LETTER

Dear Brothers:

It is with a great feeling of humility and honor that I begin this new year as your Worshipful Master and the responsibility to help our Blue Lodge thrive and grow. The responsibility is not mine alone. It requires the aid and assistance of all the line officers you have elected to assist me and your participation and attendance at every meeting.

The Tri-Lodge Installation, conducted by P.G.M. & M.W.G.S. Newton Bacon, P.G.M. & G.C. Robert A. Hockstad and their fine assisting line officers, was most impressive and the work was excellently presented. My congratulations to Worshipful Masters Arthur Davidge, Fraternity Lodge No. 262 and David Gates, Golden Rule Lodge No. 159 and to their line officers for 1973. We wish you and your lodges a most successful year.

Ann Arbor Lodge mourns the loss of Brother Robert W. Smith, Secretary of the lodge for 21 years. Brother Bob was called home by the Grand Architect of the Universe on December 8, 1972. Our prayers and sympathy go to his wife, mother and family. Brother Bob was an outstanding example of a man and a Mason and will be sorely missed by those who were fortunate enough to have had contact with

This is the first letter of the year and the designs on the trestle board are not complete for the month. Please check the Ann Arbor News, local briefs section, for any last minute changes in the lodge schedules.

In closing my brethren, Mrs. Williams and I wish to thank each and every one of you for your concern for her welfare after her auto accident the Monday before installation. She is recovering satisfactorily and hopes to be fully active soon.

Our congratulations also go to Glen Novess, P.M. of Ann Arbor Lodge, for his election to serve as Monarch of Zal Gaz Grotto, No. 34.

To all brothers that are ill at home or in the hospital, we wish a speedy recovery. Remember "The Blue Lodge is the place

to be in '73".

Fraternally, John R. Williams, W.M.

JANUARY CALENDAR

Jan. 3-Regular Communication.

Jan. 10-Dark.

Jan. 17-Officers Meeting and School of Instruction.

Jan. 24-Fellowcraft Degree.

Jan. 31-Dark.

Templar Colored Movie

This film was developed by the Grand Encampment, Knights Templar of the U.S.A., who made 15 prints for circulation from their office, for which there is continually a long waiting list. Past Grand Commander Charles S. McIntyre has now donated a copy for the sole use of Michigan, states Grand Commander Maurice L. Johnson.

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1973 Schedule

Jan. 7-Ann Arbor No. 544

Jan. 14-Fraternity No. 262

Jan. 21-Golden Rule No. 159

Jan. 28-Washtenaw Chapter No. 6 Feb. 4-Ann Arbor Council No. 86

Feb. 11—Ann Arbor Commandery No. 13

Feb. 18-White Shrine No. 54 and DeMolay

Feb. 25-Eastern Star No. 122 and Rainbow

Mar. 4-Ann Arbor No. 544

-Mar. 11-Fraternity No. 262

Mar. 18-Golden Rule No. 159

Mar. 25-Washtenaw Chapter No. 6

April 1-Ann Arbor Council No. 86

April 8-Ann Arbor Commandery No. 13

April 15-White Shrine No. 54 and **DeMolay**

April 22-Eastern Star No. 122 and Rainbow

April 29-Ann Arbor No. 544

May 6-Fraternity No. 262

May 13-Golden Rule No. 159

May 20-Washtenaw Chapter No. 6

May 27-Ann Arbor Council No. 86

June 3-Ann Arbor Commandery No. 13

June 10-White Shrine No. 54 and DeMolay

June 17-Eastern Star No. 122 and Rainbow

June 24—Ann Arbor No. 544

July 1-Fraternity No. 262

July 8-Golden Rule No. 159

July 15-Washtenaw Chapter No. 6

July 22-Ann Arbor Council No. 86

July 29—Ann Arbor Commandery No. 13

Aug. 5-White Shrine No. 54 and **DeMolay**

Aug. 12-Eastern Star No. 122 and Rainbow

Aug. 19-Ann Arbor No. 544

-Aug. 26-Fraternity No. 262

Sept. 2-Golden Rule No. 159

Sept. 9-Washtenaw Chapter No. 6

Sept. 16-Ann Arbor Council No. 86

Sept. 23—Ann Arbor Commandery No. 13

Sept. 30-White Shrine No. 54 and **DeMolay**

Oct. 7-Eastern Star No. 122 and Rainbow

Oct. 14-Ann Arbor No. 544

Oct. 21-Fraternity No. 262

Oct. 28-Golden Rule No. 159

Nov. 4-Washtenaw Chapter No. 6

Nov. 11-Ann Arbor Council No. 86

Nov. 18-Ann Arbor Commandery No. 13

Nov. 25-White Shrine No. 54 and **DeMolay**

Dec. 2-Eastern Star No. 122 and Ranibow

Dec. 9-Ann Arbor No. 544

Dec. 16—Fraternity No. 262

Dec. 23-Golden Rule No. 159

Dec. 30-Washtenaw Chapter No. 6

ARBOR SHRINE No. 54, W.S.J.



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ARBOR SHRINE NO. 54

Hi Sojourners:

I trust every one had a safe and Happy Holiday. May I be the first to wish you a Happy New Year and may the blessings of God go with you throughout the Year.

Special congratulations go out to David Gates, Arthur Davidge, John Williams, who are the new Worshipful Masters in their Lodges. And to Glen Novess, Monarch of Zal Gaz Grotto. May each of you have a very successful term.

I would like to thank Sojourners Florence Hollaway and Emilie Mills and their kitchen crew for all the help they gave for the Christmas Dinner. It was a delicious banquet and your help was indeed appreciated. I also would like to thank the DeMolay boys for serving our dinner for us and also for cleaning up. Soj. Ruth Gates did a superb job on decking the halls, they were absolutely beautiful. I plain would like to thank everyone who had a hand in it.

On January 9th Sojourner Sadie Edmonds will be out to speak on the material objective, so let's every one turn out to hear what she has to say.

This month we have a candidate so we will be having a ceremonial. We will be honoring the West and Worthy Chaplains on January 31.

To all our shut-ins and those ill at home or in the hospital we wish for you a speedy recovery. May God's blesings go with you always.

Carole Kramer, W.H.P.

FRATERNITY LODGE No. 262, F. & A. M.

events, please keep in mind that this is being written prior to the fifteenth of the month before you read it. In other words, its a tentative schedule to say the least. The local briefs in the local paper will generally have our week's activities listed in either the Wednesday or Thursday edition. Also feel free to check with any of your officers to see what's going to be happening at 327 S. Fourth Ave. on Friday night.

Well brothers, you've heard from me, now let us hear from you.

Fraternally, Arthur W. Davidge, W.M.

TENTATIVE JANUARY SCHEDULE

Jan.	5—Regular Communication.
Jan.	12—Entered Apprentice Degree.
Jan.	19—Fellow Craft Degree.
Jan.	26—Entered Apprentice Degree.

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EASTERN STAR NEWS

HAPPY NEW YEAR! I would like to wish everyone a very happy and prosperous New Year, may each and everyone of you be blessed with good health and may all your plans be realized. While you are making your new year's resolutions, why not include one to attend a meeting of Eastern Star and renew old acquaintances and meet some new ones.

Mark January 3 on your calendars, that is when we will have our School of Instruction, to be given by our Grand Worthy Matron.

I would like to thank Florence Hollaway, our Junior Past Matron for all her help at our Christmas party. She prepared the Turkey, which as usual was delicious, and also for the beautiful Christmas tree in the buffet room.

On behalf of Ann Arbor Chapter, I would like to congratulate David Gates of Golden Rule, Arthur Davidge of Fraternity and John Williams of Ann Arbor Lodge on being installed as Worshipful Masters of their respective Lodges. We wish for you much success and happiness.

The Chapter extends sympathy to the family of Olga Goetz, and also to Rita and Clyde Smith, P.M., on the death of their husband and son, Robert.

To our shut-ins and to those ill at home or in the hospital, we pray for you a speedy recovery. May God bless each and everyone of you.

> Nellie Keaton, Worthy Matron