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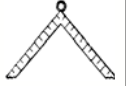
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Tyrian Lodge #73 A.F. & A.M. From the East



Our installation on the 7th of January was conferred by DDGM Barry Gates with Worshipful Peter Drumm as Marshall. Worshipful Joshua Armstrong, DDGM Barry Gates and Worshipful Peter Drumm gave the charges to the officers. Refreshments were served afterwards by Brother Mark Stevens.

On the 19th of January we held our first Entered Apprentice degree with Junior Warden Mark Stevens sitting in the East. I would like to welcome our newest Mason Jeffrey Martin. Thanks to Brother Stevens and the officers for the excellent job on the degree. On the 16th of February we will be working a Fellow Craft degree on Brother Joe Lemm with Senior Warden Tim Stevens sitting in the east.

At our stated meeting in January we discussed the addition of a lighted sign that can be added to the road side of the lodge. Thanks to Worshipful Armstrong for donating the sign and Hodgkin Well Drilling for donating the post for the sign. This sign is intended as a means for the different bodies to communicate special events to the passer by.

It is time to begin thinking about the different activities that will be going on this year. Brother Bob Smith is ready to start accepting items for our Yard Sale. Tickets will soon be available for our annual Pig roast. There are many things to do this year and ample room for people to get involved.

In closing, I want to thank the officers for their support and excellent work on the Stated Meetings and the EA degree. I would also like to thank those who have come and sat on the side lines in support of our lodge.

Fraternally,

Wor. Jeffrey L. Breton
Worshipful Master

St Andrews Royal Arch Chapter No.51



Our scheduled meeting in January was cancelled due to a power failure.

We will be conferring the Mark Master Mason degree on Brian Carrier at the next Stated Meeting on February 15th. The meeting will be preceded by a 6:30 PM Pot Luck Supper.

Dwinal Chapter #28

Order of the Eastern Star



Hello Dwinal Members;

First of all, I would like to say I'm sorry for not getting some news in last month. Trying to do for Grand Chapter as well as my own Chapter, the time went by so fast. Before I knew it the date went by.

Last month I honored PM & PP. We had about 21 or 22 there. We all had a nice time. In December, Dwinal Chapter gave me an honor night. The officers read a verse and gave me a teddy bear. The appointive Grand Officers tried to make an angel out of me; "didn't work." The Chapter was full and everyone had a lot of laughs. It was a wonderful night because I love to see people laugh. Thank you very much Dwinal Chapter.

We also honored PGM's & PGP's. They liked that very much.

This month, February 8th, I am honoring Secretary & Treasurer. Without them, where would our Chapter be? Their job is a thankless job and they should be appreciated a lot more. I am also going to thank my protems that I had all year. Without them taking an office and filling in, it would be a bad meeting.

In December, Cynthia Larrabee and Janet Tedford came to Chapter and received their 25 year pics. I sent Mary Sleeper, Valerie Hamlin, Brenda Bergeron, and Patricia Abbott theirs. Congratulations Ladies. You have hit a milestone in your life.

It is an illusion to think that more comfort means more happiness. Happiness comes from the capacity to feel deeply, to enjoy simply, to think freely, to be needed.

Supper Committee—Judy Callahan & Marion Hall. Thank you ladies.

In Star Love,
Charlene Pelletier, WM
Bruce MacDonald, WP

Colfax Rebekah Lodge #27



February 13th—Regular meeting at 7PM at church. Bring Heart envelope w/ \$3.00 for Heart Fund.

February 27th—Past Noble Grands Night. Regular meeting and donate to March of Dimes.

Mary Jones

From the Secretary's Desk

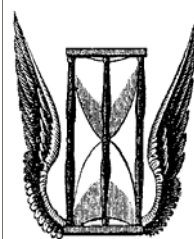


Just a reminder to all brethren who have not paid their dues for 2006. Tyrian Lodge has to pay the Grand Lodge of Maine \$12.75 per member due on February 1st. We have to pay this whether or not you have paid your dues. Each year we have to go into our investments to be able to make this payment. If you have not paid your dues yet, please do so at your earliest convenience.

Ill, Injured or Deceased

If you know of any Tyrian Lodge Brother who is ill or has passed on, please notify Secretary Eugene Chandler @ **207-345-9579** or E-mail **gene73@megalink.net**

Our Sympathies To the families of:



Bro. Edroy Curtis who passed away on December 31, 2005. Tyrian Lodge conducted a Masonic Service on January 2nd, 2006.

Bro. Ellsworth Blair who passed away on January 5th, 2006. There will be a Masonic Service at the Spring Burial.

Mrs. Dora Withers, Mother of Worshipful Bruce Withers passed away on December 26th, 2005.

Mrs. Doris Carlin, wife of R.W. Kenneth Carlin passed away on January 1st, 2006.

Bro. Earl R. Barker who passed away on January 14th, 2006. Mrs. Edeena Barker, 28 Bryant Rd, Dexter, ME 04930-1302. Bro Barker was also the brother-in-law of Bro. Maurice & Sara Robbins.

Mrs. Helen Sawyer widow of Bro Burchard Sawyer passed away sometime in late 2005.

Illness:






RW Les Buzzel is at home recovering from a fall.

Bro Robert Scribner is now at Market Square Health Facility, 3 Market Square, So Paris, ME 04281. He would love a card or two.



February 2006



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5	6	7	8 Dwinal OES Stated	9 Tyrian Stated	10	11
12 FC Rehearsal	13 EA School of Instruction 	14 	15 St Andrews Stated & MMM	16 Tyrian FC Degree	17	18
19	20 	21	22	23	24	25
26	27 Officers Assoc Meet	28				


Schedule of Events

- Feb: 8th—Dwinal OES #28—Stated Meeting
- 9th—Tyrian #73—Stated Meeting—6: 30 Supper
- 12th—Tyrian #73—FC Rehearsal 2:00 PM—All officers please attend
- 13th—Tyrian #73—EA School of Instruction— Tyrian is Host Lodge—6: 30 PM Supper—all masons welcomed
- 13th—Colfax Rebekah #27—Regular meeting 7:00 PM
- 15th—St Andrews RAC #51—Stated Meeting & MMM Degree—6: 30 Pot Luck Supper—Please support your Chapter. We desperately need you.
- 16th—Tyrian #73—FC Degree—6: 30 Supper
- 23rd—Colfax Rebekah #27—Regular meeting 7:00 PM
- 23rd—23rd Masonic District Assoc—Stated Meeting @ Tyrian 7:00 PM

Upcoming Events:

- March 13th—Masonic Holding Corp Meeting—7:00 PM
- March 17th—23rd Masonic District Assoc.—Annual District Meeting with the Grand Master—Auburn Masonic Hall
- April 14 & 15—Shrine Circus at the Lewiston Colisee

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<p>Bro. & Mrs. Paul Andrews In Memory of: William W. Andrews, Sr.</p>	<p>Sons & Grandsons In Memory of: Bro. Roland S. Downing</p>	<p>Mrs. Frances E. Jordan In Memory of: Thomas B. Mitchell</p>	<p>Pat Nash In Memory of: Wor. W. Ballard Nash</p>	<p>Wor. Robert T. & Susan M. Smith</p>
<p>Betty Bement P.M. Magnolia Chapter #16 Winsted, CT</p>	<p>Bro. Aubrey Emery In Memory of: Bro. Alvria Emery</p>	<p>Bro. Tauno Kaustinen in Memory of his wife: Abbey A. Kaustinen</p>	<p>Bro. Fred H. Perry In Memory of: Bro. Woodrow W. Dubay</p>	<p>Bro. Mark Stevens</p>
<p>Joseph H. Bement St. Andrews Lodge #74 Winsted, CT</p>	<p>Bro. Aubrey Emery In Memory of: Bro. James Emery</p>	<p>R. Keene & R. Gonhue In Memory of: Bro Richard H. Keene</p>	<p>Bro. Fred H. Perry In Memory of: Bro. Verner H. Rowe</p>	<p>Bro. Gardner C. Stone In Memory Of: Bro. John W. Stone</p>
<p>Wor. Richard & Tamra Bergeron</p>	<p>Mrs. Gloria Finch In Memory of: Kenneth Finch</p>	<p>Bro. Richard Keene In Memory of: Maisie Keene</p>	<p>Colfax Rebekah Lodge #27</p>	<p>Mrs. Viola Stone In Memory Of: Bro. Gardner C. Stone</p>
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<p>Mrs. Ruth Davis In Memory of: Bro. Robert E. Davis</p>	<p>Bro. Paul & Louise Goss</p>	<p>Bro. Wayne M. Logan</p>	<p>Bro. Claude E. Rounds</p>	<p>Mrs. Alverna Strout In Memory of: RW Clifford H. Strout</p>
<p>Mrs. Ruth Davis In Memory of: Bro. Steven B. Davis</p>	<p>Bunky and Marion Hall</p>	<p>Bro. Jim & Irene Lovely John & Cathy Lovely</p>	<p>RW Rod & Gail Santos</p>	<p>Mrs. Erma R. Sturgis In Memory of: Bro. Deane M. Sturgis</p>
<p>Bro. & Mrs William Diehl In Memory of Bro. Alvria F. Emery</p>	<p>Bro. Herbert L. Hartshorn In Memory of: Bro. Jack Johnson</p>	<p>Wor. James E. McKinley In Memory of: Bro. Lynwood W. McKinley</p>	<p>RW Rod & Gail Santos In Memory of: Bro Ellsworth T Fricker</p>	<p>Mrs. Hazel Thurlow In Memory of: Bro. Alfred M. Thurlow, Jr.</p>
<p>Bro. Buster & Susan Downing</p>	<p>Bro. Herbert L. Hartshorn In Memory of: Wor. Phil Prince</p>	<p>Wor. John G. & Barbara Merrill</p>	<p>Jeremy "Pip" Setford In Memory of: Father Lt. L.A. Setford R.N.</p>	<p>RW Gene & Mary Eva Welenteichick, Sr.</p>
<p>Mrs. Marjorie F. Downing</p>	<p>Mrs. Frances E. Jordan In Memory of: Merrill Peter Jordan</p>	<p>Bro. & Mrs. Kevin Moore</p>	<p>Wor. Peter M. Setford In Memory of: Gladys & Michael</p>	<p>Mary Jane Whittier In Memory of: Bruce M. Whittier</p>
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Tid Bits

From the "Assembler of Words"

Masonic Holding Corporation

The Masonic Holding Corporation held its annual meeting on January 16th however, there were not enough Directors present to be able to conduct business.

Any member of Tyrian Lodge can become a member of the Holding Corporation. There are **NO DUES** required to join. You simply need to attend a meeting and sign the by laws. We are in needs of new blood on the Holding Corporation. There are things that we would like to do to our lodge in the months and years to come.

The President of the Holding Corp, Erland Torrey, has called for another meeting on Monday, March 13th at 7PM. On the agenda is the acceptance of the Treasurer's and Secretary's reports for 2005, the addition of a lighted sign by the road side, and a recommendations to update the by-laws.

The meetings are casual and usually end by 8 or 8:30. Please come out and let your voice be heard.

What's Happening in the 23rd District

There are 8 Lodges in the 23rd District; Tyrian #73 in Mechanic Falls, Cumberland #12 in New Gloucester, Nezinscot #101 in Turner, Webster #164 in Wales, and four lodges in Auburn; Tranquil #29, Ashlar #105, Rabboni #150, and Ancient Brothers #178.

Most of the Lodges will be having their installations sometime in January and all should have a new slate of officers in time for the EA School of Instruction on February 13th. Tyrian Lodge will be hosting this event. All officers are required to attend. Any brother wishing to attend is also welcome. We will be having a supper at 6:30. The lodge with the most in attendance takes home the Traveling Trowel. Come on down and join us.

Presently, the Traveling Gavel is held by Tranquil Lodge. Their next meeting will be their Stated Meeting on February 8th at 7:30 PM. It would be nice to bring the gavel back to Tyrian.

Cumberland Lodge in New Gloucester has recently initiated quite a few new candidates. There may be an opportunity for brethren throughout the District to help Cumberland's line officers. The Master of Cumberland, Frank Palmer, has stated that they will be holding 5 MM Degrees; one on each of the following dates, 3/11, 4/8, 5/6, 6/10, and one for the outdoor degree

in September. He is potentially thinking about one night for a Grand Lodge Officers Night, and one for a 23rd District Past Masters Night. More information to follow as soon as I know more.

Shrine

Kora Temple in Lewiston recently held its annual communication. III. Edward Moulton was elected and installed as the new Potentate for 2006. Kora offers quite a few opportunities for brethren to give back to their communities. If you're not a Shriner and would like more information, call James McKinley, Membership Chairman at 998-5311 or visit Kora's website at <http://www.korashriners.org>.

Tyrian's Newest Mason



On Thursday, January 19th, Tyrian Lodge #73 initiated Bro. Jeffrey Martin (left). Wor. Jeffrey Breton (right) sat in the South for the evening while Bro JW Mark Stevens sat in the East. This was the first degree held by the officers of 2006 and was probably one of the best conferred in quite a while.

Come and join us at Lodge on Thursday, February 16th when we will be conferring the FC Degree on Bro. Joe Lemm. Come on down and show your support.



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23rd Masonic District
www.bluelodges.com/districts/ME/Dist23

Kora Temple
www.korashriners.org

Masonic Anniversaries:

Fred Callahan—60 yrs
Willis King—59 yrs
Arnold Leavitt—59 yrs
Donald Keene, Sr—52 yrs
Edward Parker—49 yrs
Joseph Paul—49 yrs
Donald McGlaufflin—41 yrs
Daniel Callahan—36 yrs
Benjamin Llewelyn, Jr—29 yrs
Lloyd Boyd, Jr—26 yrs
James Strickland—25 yrs
David Walker—25 yrs
Robert Taker—24 yrs
Bryce Bryant—19 yrs
Thomas Vining—19 yrs
Brian Craig—14 yrs
Harold Paine—6 yrs
Timothy Stevens—4 yrs

Birthdays this month

Robert Abbott—2nd
Mrs. Janice Staples—4th
Dean Campbell—10th
Carroll Stevens—10th
Kenneth Parsons—11th
Mrs. Peter Jordan—15th
Mrs. Herbert Roberts—15th
Aldrof Stone—15th
Richard Charity—16th
Michael Morneau—17th
Richard Wing—17th
Donald Keene—17th
Matthew Callahan—21st
William Diehl—23rd
Mrs. Viola Stone—24th
Carl Gagnon—24th
Kenneth Taylor—24th
Robert Merrill—25th
Douglas Larrabee—26th
Mrs. Pat Nash—28th