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Sun., March 8 – Daylight Saving Time, Set Click Ahead

Fri., March 13, 6:00 p.m. – Inspection Dinner

7:00 p.m. – Stated Meeting, Inspection, Fellow Craft Degree

Tues., March 17 – St. Patrick's Day

Thurs., March 18 - Spring!

Fri., March 20, 7:00 p.m. – Fellow Craft Team and Officers Meeting

Fri., March 27, 7:30 p.m. – Stated Meeting

Hello brethren! I would like to start off by saying thank you to all of you who have been able to come and join us as we have been getting a few more brethren each meeting. Our biggest goal this year is to see more or all of you in lodge, as YOU are our backbone to success as a fraternity!

We had a very good evening Friday, February 14th for St. Valentine's Day. A big thank you again to all the ladies who came with you as you are the support we need to continue to be able to come to lodge and do the things we do! If we can continue to see more of you in lodge each meeting, we can together see McKinley Lodge grow and prosper into the future.

Inspection season is rolling so let's get together as a group and travel around the 21st District and bring home the "Traveling Award" to McKinley Lodge! Our Stated Meetings in March will be Friday 13th and Friday 27th, the 13th being Inspection Night. Please come and support the lodge and our brother to be passed to the degree of Fellow Craft and give him the evening he deserves and also witness our core of officers confer an excellent degree. We will be having dinner before at 6:00 p.m. and lodge to open promptly at 7:00 p.m. So far this year we have had several educational programs from our L.E.O. and we look to continue in this direction so come out and see us and have a night of fellowship with your brothers as well as a very good meal from our stewards!

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Thurs., March 5, 7:00 p.m. – Inspection, Master Mason Degree

Sun., March 8 – Daylight Saving Time, Turn Clocks Ahead

Tues., March 17 - St. Patrick's Day

Thurs., March 19 – Spring!

7:30 p.m. - Stated Meeting

Sat., March 28 – Visitation, Travel to 18th District, Clarington Lodge No. 597
Master Mason Degree

Hello Brethren! As you know, Trinity No. 710 had a Benefit Spaghetti Dinner January 23rd. We would like to thank those who came out to support the families as well as those of you who helped make this such a huge success. It was a surprisingly wonderful turn-out. The families were so appreciative of the generosity of the Lodge as well as the support from all others. Thank you again!

The Brethren of Trinity Lodge have been working hard practicing the Master Mason Degree in preparation for the upcoming Inspection, Thursday, March 5th at 7:00 p.m. I will personally thank all the Past Masters for all the help and support they have given me. It is greatly appreciated with their willingness to share their knowledge and expertise with me.

It was heart warming to see all that were able to gather in fellowship at the Valentine's Day Dinner which was held at Towne Center Café last month. All had a great time.

The plan is: to gather a group of brethren and travel to the 18th District in support of those at Clarington Lodge No. 597, as they confer the Master Mason Degree on Saturday, March 28th. Please contact myself, S.W. John Haslam or J.W. Chris Kinback if interested in traveling and supporting our Brethren. It would be nice to see the 21st District travel to support them.

The gun raffle that was held to raise money for Trinity No. 710 was a huge success. We would like to thank all that purchased tickets to support our lodge. The winner of the 22 Golden Boy was Gary Witzberger. Congratulations Gary!

In closing: "Let your LIGHT SHINE. Be a source of strength and courage. Share your wisdom. Radiate Love."

Ron Haslam, Worshipful Master

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Tues. March 3, 7:30 p.m. - Daughters of Mokanna, Stated Meeting

Sun. March 8, 2:00 a.m. - Daylight Savings Time, Set Clocks Ahead

Wed. March 11, 5:30 p.m. - Social Hour

6:15 p.m. - Dinner

7:00 p.m. - Stated Meeting, Note New Start Time

Tues., March 17 - St. Patrick's Day

Sat. March 21 - National Grotto Day

From The Monarch

Welcome back Prophets! It has been a while since we last met. We need to start planning for our Friday Steak Fries and we need all the help we can get to make these fundraisers successful.

Our membership is not getting any younger so if you know of any Brother who would like to be a Prophet, bring them to a Stake Dinner and we'll get them information about the Nazir Grotto community work and fun.

Yours in Good Fellowship,

Tom Richards, P.M.

Secretary/Treasurer Notes:

Welcome back, it's been a long time since we last met. Even though Nazir has been dark our Prophets have been traveling. We visited six Installations, a few Stated Meetings and the OGA's February Conference.

As Monarch, Tom mentioned above, we need assistance with our Steak Fries. If we can not get enough assistance we can't provide the best steak dinner in the realm. Please come to a meeting and let us know if you can assist us.

Yours in Good Fellowship,

David A. McIntyre, P.M., S.C.D.D.

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Mon., March 2, 7:00 p.m. – Practice, Royal Arch Degree
Son., March 8. 2:00 a.m. – Daylight Savings Time, Set Clocks Ahead
Mon., March 9, 7:00 p.m. – Practice, Royal Arch Degree
Mon., March 16, 7:00 p.m. – Practice, Royal Arch Degree
Tues., March 17 – St. Patrick's Day
 7:00 p.m. - Stated Meeting
Thurs., March 19 – Spring!
Tues., March 24, 7:00 p.m. – Inspection, Royal Arch Degree
 Refreshments to follow

Greetings Companions! Our inspection is on Tuesday, March 24th at 7:00 p.m. If you are in the degree, please try to attend all the practices if at all possible.

Ty Youngman, High Priest

March 21st District Inspection Schedule

Tues., Mar. 3, 7:00 p.m. Hoover 770, Entered Apprentice, Ref. After, Muehlenbein, Myers
Thurs., March 5, 7:00 p.m. Trinity 710, Master Mason, Ref. After, Herbert, Lautzenheiser
Sat., March 7, 9:00 a.m. Hudson 510, Entered Apprentice, Lunch After, Zabor, Wilson
Fri., Mar. 13, 7:00 p.m. Wm McKinley 431, Fellow Craft, Ref. After, Herbert, Lautzenheiser
Sat., March 21, 7:00 p.m. Meridian Sun 69, Master Mason, Din. Brfore, Herbert, Osborne
Wed., March 25, 7:00 p.m. Ashlar 639, Master Mason, Ref. After, Zabor, Wilson
Mon., March 30, 7:00 p.m. Mt. Akra 680, Master Mason, Ref. After, Zabor, Osborne

April 21st District Inspection Schedule

Wed., April 15, 7:00 p.m. Canton 60, Master Mason, Ref. After, Herbert, Osborne
 Mon., April 20, 7:00 p.m. New Philadelphia 177, Entered Apprentice, Ref., Rhodes, Myers
 Tues., April 21, 7:00 p.m. Conrad 271, Entered Apprentice, Ref. After, Herbert, Osborne
 Tues., April 28, 7:00 p.m. Barberton 750, Master Mason, Ref, Muehlenbein, Lautzenheiser
 Wed., April 29, 7:00 p.m. Wayfarer 789, Master Mason, Ref. After, Rhodes, Wilson



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Mon., March 2, 7:00 p.m. – Inspection, Canton Council, Select Master Degree
Tues., March 3, 7:00 p.m. – Inspection, Loyalty Council, Royal Master Degree
Sun., March 8, 2:00 a.m. – Daylight Saving Time, Set Clocks Ahead
Mon., March 9, 7:00 p.m. – Inspection, Union Council, Select Master Degree
Tues., March 10, 7:00 p.m. - Eighth Arch Quarterly and Deputy Masters Meeting,
Canton Masonic Temple
Sat., March 14, 9:00 a.m. – Inspection, Cuyahoga Falls Council, Royal Master Deg.
10:00 a.m. – Inspection, Akron Council, Select Master Degree
Tues., March 17 – St. Patrick’s Day
7:45 p.m. - Stated Meeting
Thurs., March 19 – Spring!

Greetings Companions! The month is finally here for our inspection. I hope everyone is ready. That said, we have many other Companions going through the same thing. It’d be great to have a few Companions travelling to the other Councils to maybe give them a hand and support as much as we can.

Also, don’t forget to have fun this month. The weather is getting warmer and of course there’s St. Patrick’s Day on our meeting night. Maybe I’ll wear my green blazer that night.

As always, please keep those less fortunate than ourselves in your prayers especially those who can’t be with family because they’re either serving in the military or are first responders.

Fraternally,
Bob Wiley, Illustrious Master



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8:30 p.m. - Stated Meeting
- Thurs., March 19 – Spring!

Sir Knights! This has been a wet winter up until now. I know I’ve had enough rain! As you can see from our Trestle Board spring finally arrives on Thursday, March 19th. That means baseball and lawn mowing season are back.

Please try to attend our Stated Meeting on the 17th of March as it is also St Patrick’s Day. We won’t be having green beer, but maybe some green kool-aid.

We have been asked to post the Colors for the Grand Masters “One Day Class.” It will be on May 9th at 9:00 a.m. at the Canton Masonic Temple. A large turnout of Sir Knights from the surrounding area would be great as well as from the North Central Division and the North East Division. My goal is to have 20 Sir Knights with us that day.

Dave Newkirk, Commander



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Fraternally,

Derek Netzly, Worshipful Master

Editors Thoughts on labor and Labor Day

I realize Labor Day has already passed, celebrated early in September, but let us take a closer look at Labor Day because as I sit here enjoying the after glow of a 2019, several things bounce through my mind that need let into the world of “telling it like it is.” The Grotto Magazine” delivered by mail today had an article which sparked the thought process which is the theme of this spontaneous comment. Labor Day! a day which labor takes a rest. Well what about all the lazy blokes who do not choose to work and sponge off society, or the critically handicapped who have a real challenge with work even if they wish too, or even those who are retired and do not choose to work? What is the meaning of a Labor Day to them? Is this the day they should try their utmost to work? I’m retired and I have chosen this as a Labor Day to clean the garage.. it’s heated! repair lawn mowing equipment, you know - change the oil, sharpen, new string in the in weed wacker. After all are completed, started and stored away; now that’s a real Labor Day! Now back to the Grotto Magazine, The article I refer to is about meetings with the state youth leadership of the three Masonic youth groups with congratulations centered on their successes in their rolls. My question is...where are these youth groups at the Canton Masonic Temple today? What did we do as adult Masons to drive them away? There are just as many youths today as there was in yesteryear. There is a reason the children, even the children of Masons, have chosen not to come the Temple any longer! I realize times may have changed...or have they? Are there really that many more things today to burn off teenage energy and take up their time? School time has not changed. Television verses cows to milk and farm duties. Running the streets verses walking a mile or so to town to view a movie with friends! Cell phone or computer use verses a local Halloween partys bobbing for apples or a school rivalry football game. Children still need adult supervision and a place to vent. Why have they chosen to abandon the use of our facilities? A big beautiful building, full of empty rooms where once young voices were heard! Are we so busy... and do we care? There was a letter recently circulated, from the Masonic Association regarding helpers for the monthly work detail, who are trying to keep the Masonic Temple in good working

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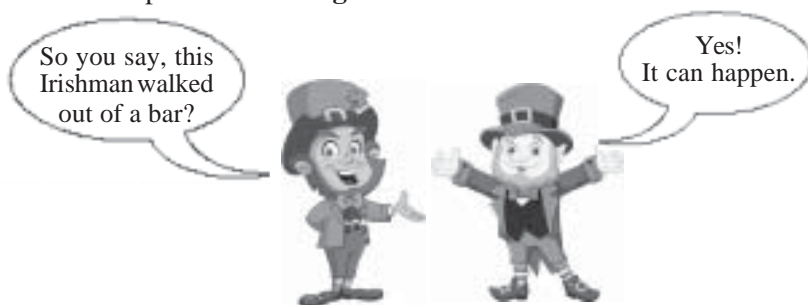
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condition, asking why we no longer care. Of course we care! even those of us who are considered too old to help any longer. Think of your degree work; “building a Temple with a sword in one hand and a trowel in the other” and imagine a cane in one hand and a paint brush in the other. This, changes the playing field when it comes to labor and/or Labor Day! even though I’m sure where there’s a will there’s a way; and it could very well be that with some guidance and a little patience, the missing youth could be encouraged to reenter this grand old building and give a helping hand with some jobs relating to maintenance. Masonry teaches that the old teach and guide the young and it may be that a pointing cane may very well show the way to a job well done and also, a large Pizza for lunch would probably go far in the process as well. Geese! I hope we figured this out before there’s another generation that doesn’t know what labor or Labor Day really means or another youth falls to the pitfalls of what’s offered on the streets of this community.

Your Editor: **Bobel** 🍷

Yeas ago, needless to say, personal hygiene left much room for improvement. As a result, many women and men had developed acne scars by adulthood. The women would spread bee’s wax over their facial skin to smooth out their complexions. When they were speaking to each other, if a woman began to stare at another woman’s face she was told “**mind your own bee’s wax.**” Should the woman smile, the wax would crack, hence the term “**crack a smile.**” Also, when they sat too close to the fire, the wax would melt and therefore the expression “**losing face.**”



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Conrad Lodge
10:00 a.m. Monthly Meeting

Greetings to all Master, Wardens and Deacons. On the half chance you are not aware of the meetings or what all we do at Master, Wardens and Deacons, my contact information is as follows: cell (330) 204-1530 and ty_youngman@yahoo.com is my e-mail. I am looking forward with improved participation and growing our fraternal bonds.

Ty Youngman, President

McKinley Stamp Club of Canton

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