The musical instruments donated to the Masonic Homes at Elizabethtown have 15 openings for orphaned secondary boarding school for boys who have lost either one or both parents through death.

The entrance requirements are:
- Sons of Master Masons receive first consideration.
- Must be between 14 and 18 years old and have completed the eighth grade.
- Must be of good character and mentally and physically capable of participating in academic and vocational courses.
- Must be sponsored by a Masonic Lodge recognized by the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Pennsylvania.

Those desiring further information should contact Dr. John W. Kopp, superintendent, Patton Masonic School, Elizabethtown, Pa., 17022.

A second printing of the brochure on Patton School is now off the press. Those desiring copies should write to Dr. Kopp.

The young people at the Masonic Homes at Elizabethtown have been used to great advantage. Additional instruments could be used if made available.

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**Special Loan Exhibit Featured in Museum At Masonic Memorial**


This special loan exhibit will remain at the George Washington Masonic National Memorial for a period of several months supplementing the many rare items of the permanent exhibit in the new Museum Room opened to visitors just two years ago.
Grand Master Challenges Craft to Work for Universality, Understanding, Harmony and Faith in Freemasonry

The Grand Master's address, given after he was installed as R. W. Grand Master of Masons of Pennsylvania, will be printed in full in the Proceedings.

Highlights of the address of Bro. John K. Young, follow:

"My hope is that every Lodge in this jurisdiction will have an outstanding Masonic educational program."

"I plan to request the Committee on Landmarks to study the changes offered by the Grand Lodge of England and those adopted by the Grand Lodge of Scotland and, if warranted, to recommend that the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania should also give consideration to the explanation of the penalties."

"The finances of your Grand Lodge are under the control of capable Trustees and Committees. Changes made by my immediate predecessor, are in my judgment, progressive and beneficial."

"Many serious problems confront the Committee on Masonic Homes. These problems deal with questions of finance, building, personal, state legislation, and others. The growth of the Committee is impressive."

"Our Masonic Temples reflect an image of Freemasonry in local communities. Therefore, it behooves each Lodge to help improve our image by improving its building."

"Our Masonic Temples are under the control of capable Trustees and Committees. Changes made by my immediate predecessor, are in my judgment, progressive and beneficial."

"In 1976 we will celebrate the 200th Anniversary of our Independence as a Nation. Many of our Masonic forebears had important roles in the founding of our Republic. A Committee should therefore be appointed to decide on the role Pennsylvania Freemasonry will play in this celebration."

"It is interesting to note that our Masonic Temple, the home of our Grand Lodge, is one of the outstanding Masonic structures in the world. On June 24, 1868, the cornerstone was laid. We must remember this is not the Philadelphia Masonic Temple, but the Temple for every Mason in this jurisdiction. It is the home of your Grand Lodge. As we look to the future, our Temple should be further improved and modernized. This need not be delayed."

"Our seventy District Deputy Grand Masters are the working force of Grand Lodge. Their services are invaluable and essential. Each Grand Master must count on his Deputies to use their best judgment and discretion on each problem as it arises."

"As I start my work as Grand Master, I hope each of you will labor with me, using the common gown as we are taught, so that every Pennsylvania Mason will become a perfect ashlar, available as a stone fit for the Master Builder's use. May He protect and guide us in all our efforts."

"Let us reaffirm our faith in this great Fraternity and work for universality, not sectionalism — harmony and not disorder — and understanding, not destructive criticism. We should remember that knowledge that men must work together to build in harmony and peace."

Brethren may obtain a complete copy of the Grand Master's address by writing to the Committee on Masonic Culture, Masonic Temple, One North Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 19107.

From the Grand Secretary's Office

December Quarterly Communication, December 6, 1967

Close to 1000 Brethren, the largest number in many years, attended this interesting Communication. All of our living R. W. Past Grand Masters were present. Distinguished Guests were formally received from South Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Delaware, Ohio, District of Columbia, Maine, Wisconsin, Canada (Ontario), the Scottish Rite and Masonic Service Association. Many of the prominent Masons were introduced.

The Officers elected at the Annual Election are listed elsewhere in this issue.

The proposed amendments to the Articles of the Constitution, submitted at the March and June Communications, were adopted and went into effect immediately. These amendments were fully explained in previous issues of The Pennsylvania Freemason.

The financial report is now a Warranty for a new Lodge to be known as Southminster Lodge, No. 856. This Lodge was Constituted on February 10, 1958.

The merger of St. Paul's Lodge, No. 49, with St. George's Lodge, No. 61, is approved. This was the second merger of the year, and others are being considered.

Many interesting annual reports have been distinguished Grand Lodge.

Bro. Morgan T. Morris, Jr., M. W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Jersey, spoke in a most impressive and thought-provoking manner.

Bro. Robert E. Deyoe, the outgoing R. W. Grand Treasurer, briefly reviewed the financial report, which is interesting Communication.

Grand Lodge was charged with the care and protection of the property of its Lodges and members. The Budget Report includes a review of the financial status of the Grand Lodge, and statements and budgets of the various Districts, Grand Councils, and Scottish Rite Districts.

The Budget Receipts and Expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1967, show a revenue of $616,377 and an expenditure of $628,813. The largest expenditure will be for the Masonic Homes at Elizabethtown, and the Temple, and will be printed in the Annual Proceedings.

The Grand Lodge, in an effort to improve the image of Freemasonry, will continue to work on the program of Universality, Understanding, Harmony, and Faith in Freemasonry. The annual reports which were briefly discussed will be printed in the Annual Proceedings.

As there may be occasions when both or either the R. W. Worshipful Grand Treasurer or the R. W. Grand Secretary are not available, a resolution was adopted whereby Grand Lodge checks may be signed by two elected Grand Lodge Officers.

Fraternally,

Ashby B. Paul
R. W. Grand Secretary

New Lodge Constituted in 8th Masonic District

Southampton Lodge, No. 806 was constituted on February 10 in Masonic Temple, Philadelphia, by Bro. John K. Young, R. W. Grand Master, and other Grand Lodge Officers.

Lodge No. 806, organized under the direction of Bro. Robert W. Hassell, District Deputy Grand Master, and other Grand Lodge Officers, was organized in the 8th Masonic District, was assigned to that District.

The Warrant Members of Lodge No. 806 are: Bro. Robert W. Hassell, District Deputy Grand Master, and other Grand Lodge Officers.

Stated Meetings of the Lodge will be held in the Masonic Temple, the third Monday of the month.

The Officers Select of the Southampton Lodge are:


The Trustees are Bro. Edward H. Kuyken, and Bro. William H. Griffith.

The Appointed Officers are: Bro. Henry Dayer, Chaplin; Bro. Henry Cole, Senior Deacon; Bro. William P. Miller, Junior Deacon; Bro. John Cranz, Senior Master of Ceremonies; Bro. Ray Girard, Grand Stewards; and Bro. Frank E. Whitman, Pursuant; and Bro. Stephen Horvat, a Member of Lodge No. 410, Tyler.

Statute of Ownership

Statement of Management and Control

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Grand Master Names New Floor Officers
Following his installation on December 27, 1967, Bro. John K. Young, R. W. Grand Master, announced the appointment of the following Grand Lodge Officers:


Bro. Delbert D. Dennis, Past Master of Lodge No. 727, New Castle, Grand Chaplain.

Bro. Willis R. Michael, Past Master of Lodge No. 266, York, Grand Steward.


Bro. George N. Holmes, Past Master of Lodge No. 787, Pittsburgh, Grand Marshal.


Bro. William E. Flath, Past Master of Lodge No. 384, Dornsomm, Lackawanna County, and Past District Deputy Grand Master, Grand Pursuivant.


Bro. Paul R. Wertman, a Member of Lodge No. 308, Fort Washington, Past Master of the Lancaster County, 27th Masonic District.

Bro. William A. Hall, Past Master of Lodge No. 175, and Joppa Council, 3rd Masonic District.

Bro. John E. Miller, Jr., Past Master of Lodge No. 759, Baldwin, Allegheny County, Grand Secretary.

Bro. Elmer C. Swain, Past Master of Lodge No. 401, California, Washington County, 3rd Masonic District.


Bro. John E. Swank, Past Master of Lodge No. 414, Elysburg, Northumberland County, 38th Masonic District.

In accordance with the Ahiman Rezon, the following Brethren, having served as District Deputy Grand Masters for ten years, were created Past District Deputy Grand Masters:

Bro. Elmer C. Swain, Past Master of Lodge No. 401, California, Washington County, 3rd Masonic District.


Bro. John E. Swank, Past Master of Lodge No. 414, Elysburg, Northumberland County, 38th Masonic District.

The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania was saddened on December 21, 1967, by the death of Bro. Louis Bacharach, R. W. Grand Treasurer. Bro. Bacharach had served as R. W. Grand Treasurer from 1951 until his death. Initiated in Montgomery Lodge, No. 19, Philadelphia, on December 3, 1913, Bro. Bacharach was soon inquired to take an active part in the Ritual and Lodge Work of his Lodge. He maintained this same active interest in Freemasonry during his 67 years of Masonic membership.

Born in Philadelphia in 1890, Bro. Bacharach became active in the retail clothing business. He also became associated with a real estate firm. For many years he was vice president of the Mid-City Federal Savings and Loan Association of Philadelphia.

Long active in many phases of Freemasonry and several civic endeavors, Bro. Bacharach was often the recipient of special recognition for his devoted services to mankind. He was coronated an Honorary Thirtieth Degree Scottish Rite Mason in September 1962.

Funeral services, including Masonic services, were held December 24, 1967, in the Chelten Hills Chapel, Washington Lane, Philadelphia.

New District Deputy Grand Masters Named
Eleven new District Deputy Grand Masters have been appointed by Bro. John K. Young, R. W. Grand Master. They are:

Bro. Robert W. Castor, Past Master of Lodge No. 456, Philadelphia, Masonic District "G."

Bro. Alfred K. Mills, Past Master of Lodge No. 385, Philadelphia, Masonic District "E."

Bro. George Nichols, Past Master of Lodge No. 666, Philadelphia, Masonic District "I."

Bro. David J. Godschall, Past Master of Lodge No. 571, Lansdale, Montgomery County, 9th Masonic District.

Bro. Floyd P. Norman, Past Master of Lodge No. 350, Bloomsburg, Tioga County, 17th Masonic District.

Bro. John E. Miller, Jr., Past Master of Lodge No. 759, Baldwin, Allegheny County, 38th Masonic District.

Bro. Everett J. Elliott, Past Master of Lodge No. 577, Leechburg, Armstrong County, 27th Masonic District.

Bro. Frank F. Troop, Past Master of Lodge No. 635, Penn Hills Township, Allegheny County, 38th Masonic District.

Bro. Elmer C. Swain, Past Master of Lodge No. 401, California, Washington County, 3rd Masonic District.


Bro. John E. Swank, Past Master of Lodge No. 414, Elysburg, Northumberland County, 38th Masonic District.

Bro. William A. Hall, Past Master of Lodge No. 175, and Joppa Council, 3rd Masonic District.

Introducing . . .
Our R. W. Junior Grand Warden

He served as District Deputy Grand Master for Masonic District "E" from 1954 to 1964 when he was created a Past District Deputy Grand Master.

He also served as a trustee and secretary of the Thomas Rittenhouse Masonic Institution for Boys from 1959 to 1965. The Grand Master has recommended Bro. Woodall as a Trustee of Patton School.

In York Rite Masonry, Bro. Woodall is a Member of University Chapter No. 256; Joppa Council No. 46, and Mary Commandery No. 36, all in Philadelphia.

In Scottish Rite Masonry, Bro. Woodall is a member of the Scottish Rite Bodies, Valley of Philadelphia; Most Wise Master of Kilwinning Chapter of Rose Croix in 1965-66; trustee of the Benjamin Franklin Convent; and presently serves his Scottish Rite Bodies as chairman of the Membership Committee.

For his outstanding Masonic work, Bro. Woodall was coronated an Honorary Thirty-Third Degree Scottish Rite Mason in 1962.

He is also a member of Lu Lu Shrine Temple and other allied Masonic organizations.

Born in Yonkers, N.Y., Bro. Woodall moved to Philadelphia when a youngster and completed his education in the Philadelphia public schools. He also completed two years of commercial law.

Bro. Woodall, after being elected to the Grand Lodge line, retired as secretary of Kahn Furniture, Inc., Philadelphia.

He is a member and trustee of Days Memoria and the United Presbyterian Church and the Presbyterian Social Organization.

Bro. Woodall and his wife, Clotilde, live in Wyncote, a Philadelphia suburb.

Sectional Meetings Set
For Rehearsal of Work
So that more of the Brethren may attend and observe the rehearsal of the authorized work, Bro. Raymond H. Grimm, Instructor of the Ritualistic Work, announces the following Sectional Meetings of the School of Instruction:

New Castle — March 16th.
Uniontown — March 23rd.
Harrisburg — March 30th.
Everett — April 6th.
Allentown — June 15th.
Meadeville — September 21st.

The R. W. Grand Master will attend the Sectional Meeting held at Allentown on June 15th.

The day for the Sectional Meeting to be held in the Philadelphia area will be announced later.

Introducing Our

He succeeds Bro. Louis Bacharach, Past Master of Lodge No. 10, deceased.

Bro. Diamond is the M. E. Grand High Priest of the Grand Holy Royal Arch Chapter of Pennsylvania.

He is a member of Keystone Chapter No. 175, and Joppa Council, No. 46.

Bro. Diamond is a member of the Scottish Rite Bodies, Valley of Reading. On September 23, 1967, he was nominated to receive the Thirty-third Degree in Scottish Rite Masonry.

He is a member of the Lu Lu Shrine Temple and other allied Masonic organizations.

Bro. Diamond, an engineer, is a member of many professional engineering societies.

Please Notify Your Lodge Secretary Promptly
If and When You Change Your Address!
If you have, or are planning, to change your address, please take the time to notify your Lodge Secretary. You will want to keep your mailing list current and, in turn, will be able to notify us so we can make the necessary correction in our general mailing list. "The Pennsylvania Lodge," your prompt and continuous attention in this respect will be greatly appreciated. You will help us eliminate those costly Postmaster returns and will assure yourself a copy of each issue of "The Pennsylvania Mason." And incidentally, always include your ZIP Code when reporting a change of address.

Thank You.
Seek and Ye Shall Find . . .

The seeking of a Freemasonry consists in a concerted course of education, of training, and of character forming. While it may be accepted that it is in the interest of everyone, followed by obligations that make one a Member of the Craft, yet in a minor form and bitter sense, a man is never a Freemason until truthfully and loyally lives up to his obligations. And he cannot do that until he understands them, and eventually knows their scope and reality.

Freemasonry can very well be divided into many phases. Its landmarks, its customs, its constitution, and its laws, just to mention a few, if studied earnestly, must provide a most interesting course for the Master Mason seeking Masonic knowledge. Its historical background can provide an interesting program of investigation to the Member attracted to a desire for study.

One peculiarity about Freemasonry is that it will send investigation. The deeper the research, the more extensive the knowledge of its hidden art and secret theories, the more highly it is appreciated. A Member of the Craft who takes his degrees in a fearless, careless sort of manner, and then remains as just a spectator at Lodge meetings, may hold to the opinion that Freemasonry offers little to other societies. To the contrary, the Master Mason who studies Masonic literature, takes a lively interest in every part of the Ritual and Lodge Work, and learns the origin, meaning and moral bearing of the symbols cannot possibly fall into such an error. To him Freemasonry has a refining and elevating influence not to be found in the ordinary run of societies.

The philosophies of Freemasonry, when discovered and then accepted and practiced, provide that simple but profound solution to the problems of human relationships. May it be accepted that Freemasonry is a way of living to the Master Mason who is interested enough to appraise and value the wealth that is his, and alongside, by virtue of his Masonic membership.

The best informed Master Mason is the Master Mason who reads and studies. Consequently, if we want Freemasonry to be of practical usefulness and cultural attainment, we, as Freemasons, must not neglect our Masonic reading, our Masonic studying and our search for more Masonic Light.

A typical scene of the several blood donor sessions then far conducted by the newly organized Masonic Blood Donor Club of Southwestern Pennsylvania, in one of the basement rooms of the Masonic Temple, Philadelphia. Nearly 2,000 Brothers of the Lodge in the Philadelphia area have expressed their willingness to participate in either giving blood or providing a substitute donor. The interest in this new Masonic Blood Donor has encouraged The Masonic and Sons of Southern Pennsylvania to include an area within 100 miles of Philadelphia. Members of Pennsylvania Bodies requiring Masonic membership are eligible.

One of our young peers at the Children's Home at the Home is shown "dying cut" a shiny crimson ruff, and one of the many musical competitions donated by the Masons of Pennsylvania is responsive to a recent appeal for musical competitions for the Children at the Home, following the "singing" of the girls at a right service. The W. R. W. DeLoro Grand Master, Robert W. Woodside, Jr., Member of the Committee for Masonic Home Bros. Russell S. Miller Commodore of the Masonic Temple and Bros. Walter F. Wells, also a member of the Committee on Masonic Homes.

Nearly 700 Attend Testimonial Banquet Honoring Grand Master


Rev. Young is a Past Master of Lodge No. 295, approximately 100 Grand Lodge Officers, District Deputy Grand Masters and Post District Deputy Grand Masters accompanied the Grand Master.

Officers of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council and Grand Commandery, Knights Commandery, Knights Masonic and York Rite Bodies were formally received by the Grand Master.

Following the Special Meeting, Malta Lodge held a testimonial banquet in Rev. Young's honor at Marriot Hotel, Philadelphia, at which nearly 700 Brethren represented Masonic Lodges, York Rite Bodies and Scottish Rite Bodies attended.

Five-Month Itinerary of GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

Grand Lodge Officers have a very busy schedule for the first five months of 1968. It includes:

January 6 - Grand Master received in his Lodge, Malta Lodge No. 295, Philadelphia, followed by testimonial banquet for Bros. John K. Young, R. W. Grand Master.

January 20 - Grand Master, Masonic Night, sponsored by Lo Ve Temple, Philadelphia.

February 3 - Grand Lodge Officers, meeting, Committee on Masonic Homes, Elizabethville.

February 9 - Grand Lodge Officers, Grand Lodge No. 295, headquarters.

February 15 - Grand Lodge Officers, meeting, Committee on Masonic Homes, Elizabethville.

February 19 - Grand Lodge Officers, Grand Lodge No. 295, headquarters.

February 24 - Grand Lodge Officers, special meeting of Coll. Henry Bimbo Lodge No. 787, Pittsburgh, presentation of District Deputy Grand Master.

February 26 - Grand Lodge Officers, special meeting of Masonic Homes, meeting of District Deputy Grand Master.

March 2 - Grand Master, Masonic Night, sponsored by Byrke Temple, Pittsburgh.

March 22 - Grand Lodge Officers, Committee on Finance, Philadelphia.

March 29 - Grand Lodge Officers, meeting of District Deputy Grand Master and March Quarter Master, Philadelphia.

March 30 - Grand Lodge Officers, meeting, Committee on Masonic Homes, Elizabethville.

April 6 - Grand Master, 15th Anniversary, Otho Lodge No. 128, Philadelphia.

April 9 - Grand Lodge Officers, meeting of Franklin Lodge No. 292, Philadelphia.

April 15 - Grand Lodge Officers, meeting, Committee on Masonic Homes, Elizabethville.

April 21 - Grand Master, 15th Anniversary, Rite Lodge No. 40, York.

April 29 - Grand Lodge Officers, meeting, Committee on Masonic Homes, Elizabethville.