The Annual Grand Communication of Grand Lodge will be held Monday, December 28, in Masonic Temple, One North Broad Street, Philadelphia. The Annual Grand Lodge is being held on December 28 this year because St. John the Evangelist's Day is a Sunday, December 27.

The Grand Lodge will open at 10 a.m., with highlights of the Communications from the installation of the Grand Master and other Grand Lodge Officers. All interested Masons are invited to attend. Lunch will be served at approximately 1:30 p.m.

New Hours Announced For Library and Museum

New hours have been announced for visitors to the Library and Museum of the Grand Lodge in the Masonic Temple, Philadelphia.

Beginning December 28, 1970, the Library and Museum will be open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, except during July and August when the hours will be 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The Library and Museum will be closed Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays.

Bro. Frank W. Bobb, Librarian and Curator, said special visits may be arranged outside of the regular hours.

December Quarterly Set for Philadelphia

The December Quarterly Communication of Grand Lodge will be held in Philadelphia.

The Grand Lodge will open at 10 a.m., Wednesday, December 2, in Masonic Temple, One North Broad Street.

Bro. Hiram P. Ball, Right Worshipful Grand Master, has reminded that this Communication takes place at which the election of Grand Lodge Officers is conducted.

After lunch for the Brethren at 12:30 p.m. in the Temple, the Grand Lodge will resume its labors at 2 p.m., concluding approximately at 3:30 p.m.

Two More Field Agents Appointed to Veterans Hospital Visitation Program

With the appointment of Bro. Edward L. Vice, Field Agent at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Lebanon, and Bro. William R. Brown, Field Agent at the Butler Veterans Hospital, Pennsylvania now has six Masonic Service Association Field Agents ministering to the needs of our hospitalized veterans.

Bro. Vice, a member of William S. Saylor Lodge, No. 756, Harrisburg, is a veteran of World War I and II. Now retired, he has been engaged in various business enterprises, each dealing in a service to his fellow men. Just recently, he was chosen “Marine of the Year” by the United States Marine Corps League in recognition of his many services to veterans and their families.

Bro. Brown, a member of Theodore Roosevelt Lodge, No. 697, Pittsburgh, served as a Petty Officer in World War II. He has enjoyed a zestful active life both in business and as a civic leader.

He served as Mayor of Fortville, Butler County, Associated with various insurance firms for years, he later became self-employed as an income tax consultant.

Our other Field Agents include Bro. Paul Casselman, Field Agent at the Veterans Administration Hospital in U.S. Naval Hospital in Philadelphia, Bro. Everett F. Ackermann at the Army General Hospital, Valley Forge; Bro. Julian V. Reilly, Field Agent at the Oakland U.S. Veterans Hospital, Pittsburgh, Veterans Hospital, and Bro. Thomas A. Cook at the Aspinwall Union Hospital.

This Hospital Visitation Program is being conducted by our Grand Lodge. Members interested in assisting our Field Agents should contact Bro. William C. Edmunds, Chief Field Agent, Masonic Service Association, 724 Ninth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001.

Grand Lodge Library to Mark 100th Year

The Library of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania is preparing to celebrate its 100th anniversary this year. The Library has one of the most rare collections of Freemasonry in the world today.

From its beginning in 1871, when it had nearly 50 Masonic reference volumes on the shelves, the Library's collections today have grown to over 75,000 volumes. Bro. Frank W. Bobb, Librarian and Curator, said the Library's collection is one of the most interesting and important collections of Masonic literature in the world.

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Something To Think About!

Sectional Meetings in 1971:
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Eight District Deputy Grand Masters

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Masonic Temple

Masonic Homes at Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania

The Pennsylvania Freemason

Keep busy in and for your Lodge.

Please Notify Your Lodge Secretary When You Change Your Mailing Address

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Grand Master's Day at Masonic Homes

More than 4,000 Symbolic Lodge Officers visited the Masonic Homes this past Summer. Representing each of the four Symbolic Lodges throughout the Jurisdiction, they participated in the large gymnasium and two of the larger shop rooms, conducted in one of the four "Grand Master's Days at the Homes." Special guided tours of the Masonic Homes' grounds and buildings and also Patton School were conducted in the early afternoon hours. Packets of informative literature about the "call-off period." It was the first visit to the Homes for more than 2,000. It required 110 large buses to transport the Freemasons to the Homes. For two hours in the morning, the successful "Grand Master's Days at the Homes."
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Needs Real Boost!

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During the morning hours, between 9:00 and 10:30 A.M., more than 400 private passenger cars converged on the parking area set up adjacent to the Patton football field. It was quite a sight watching the Brethren "pulling in" from all sections of the jurisdiction. The Patton students, wearing their stylish monogrammed jackets, were on hand to greet and welcome the Brethren to Patton.

The students mingled with the Brethren throughout the day.

As they arrived, the Representatives and District Deputy Grand Masters were bused to the Diane Auditorium at the Masonic Homes where they attended an orientation session conducted by Bro. Hiram P. Ball, R. W. Grand Master, and the Trustees and Superintendent of Patton Masonic School.

At noon, the Brethren were bused back to Patton campus where a lunch was served in the spacious gymnasium and the Electronic Shop. Following the luncheon, the Representatives were escorted through each of the buildings at Patton where members of the Staff and Faculty were on hand to describe various features and answer questions.

At 4:00 P.M., most of the Representatives joined the special guided tours of the Masonic Homes' grounds and a few buildings before leaving for home.

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