

MASTER'S MESSAGE

BRETHREN:

As we go into this, the last quarter of the year, we should each pause and reflect on the world situation today, the position of Masonry in this world-shaking, history-making cataclysm of humanity, and our duties as individual Masons to God, our country, our neighbors, and ourselves.

Needless to emphasize the tragedy of suffering humanity caused by the present world conflagration. As bad, as horrible, as inhuman as the present conflict is, the things to come will be infinitely worse if we do not win. If we fail, it will mean misery, oppression, and slavery not only for us but for our children and generations yet unborn. The enemies of our country, by the very nature of their teachings and ideals, are even more so the enemies of Masonry and its principles. If we lose, it will mean the doom of Masonry and the end of all of those things which Masonry stands for.

Contemplating these things, it seems to me that we should each reaffirm, not with parrot-like words, but with our very souls, our allegiance to our flag and our country, and rededicate ourselves to the teachings of Masonry and the cause of humanity.

It is not enough to resolve to do these things, but our good intentions must be translated into dynamic action, with courage and determination to make whatever sacrifices necessary, to carry on with fortitude wherever our duty may take us, and to bear nobly whatever pain, sorrow and suffering which may befall us until victory is won.

In closing, may I urge your regular attendance at our meetings, and active participation in our activities. Start the fall season right by attending the dinner and stated meeting on Thursday evening, September 17. Have you sent in your card for your dinner reservation?

Finally, as this is the last bulletin for the year, I am taking this opportunity to express my pride in, and appreciation for, the splendid and whole-hearted cooperation which all of the officers, committeemen and members have accorded me. You have never failed to respond with your very best in every task, be it ever so important or so trivial. "Thank you" in a dozen different languages would not be enough, but let me humbly say, "I am sincerely grateful."

ARTHUR L. HILDERBRAND, *Master*.

WATCH THE LOCAL PAPER FOR ANY CHANGE IN THIS SCHEDULE OR SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

CALENDAR

- Sept. 17—Stated meeting. Dinner for members and their ladies at 6:30. Following the stated meeting we will observe "Constitution" and will have an interesting address, "A Clergyman Interprets the News." This meeting will be open to the ladies. Be sure you send in your reservation for the dinner.
- Sept. 24—First degree at 7:30.
- Oct. 1—Second degree at 7:30.
- Oct. 8—First degree at 7:30.
- Oct. 15—Stated meeting.
- Oct. 22—Third degree at 7:30.
- Oct. 29—First degree at 7:30.
- Nov. 5—Third degree at 7:30. Past Masters' Night and presentation of the 25-year emblems.
- Nov. 12—First degree at 7:30.
- Nov. 19—Stated meeting.
- Nov. 26—No meeting. Thanksgiving Day.
- Dec. 3—Second degree at 7:30.
- Dec. 10—Second degree at 7:30.
- Dec. 17—Stated meeting. Annual reports and election of Officers.
- Dec. 24—No meeting. Christmas Eve.
- Dec. 31—No meeting. New Year's Eve.
- Jan. 7—No meeting. We join with Sun Garden Lodge No. 530 in their Open Installation at I.O.O.F. Hall.
- Jan. 14—Open Installation at 8:00 p.m. Masons, friends and ladies invited.

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