

CENTURY LODGE No. 190, AF&AM TRESTLE BOARD

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Dispensation:

August 2, 1961

Chartered:

January 23, 1962

Meeting Place:

Masonic Hall
2532 9th Ave.

Greeley, CO

1st & 3rd

Thursdays

7:30 p.m.



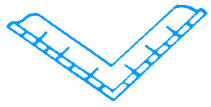
**TO MAKE THE
BEST BETTER**

Upcoming Dates:

- Century Stated Communications: 1st & 3rd Thursdays
- Masonic Hall Assoc.: 4th Thursday

See calendar for Greeley Masonic Bodies' regular meeting days.

Master's Message



Greetings Brethren,

Mary and Joseph did not know what plans God was about to reveal to them for the coming years or know Jesus was to be the center of their lives. As we all just celebrated the birthday of our Lord and Savior, we can look back over the past year with great satisfaction. We can all be thankful for the accomplishments that have added up to be the ending of a positive year for Century Lodge No. 190. We, the officers, are not sure exactly where this next year will lead us, but we are looking at the beginning of another very positive and exciting year.

I am pleased to say we started on a positive note with a fantastic turn-out in attendance for the Installation of Officers. Over thirty-five officers, family members, and friends enjoyed excellent ritualistic work by the Installing Officers, after which, we enjoyed a delicious lunch of lasagna and enchiladas. Several Masonic brothers from the Denver area came up to share the day, as well as the current Grand Royal Matron of the Grand Court of the Amaranth of Colorado, Honored Lady Alice Chapman, wife of our Secretary. Job's Daughters Bethel #10 honored us with their presence as they did a lovely Bible Ceremony by presenting and retiring our Bible and they graced us with their closing formation while singing, "Nearer My God, To Thee". It was a grand day.

At our Stated Communication of December 15, we read three petitions. Starting the year off with a bang, we will have an Entered Apprentice degree on January 5. The appointed commit-

From the Secretary's Desk



On January 21 there is a Zone Meeting at the Fort Collins Temple. Breakfast at 8 a.m. and the meeting at 9:00. A donation for the food will be accepted; if you do not have the funds, you are still welcome to have breakfast so please attend. The topic will be genealogy of our great nation and Masonry's role in its forming.

You have until January 5, 2017, to submit your Dues. Please contact me if there is a problem or anything else I may be able to assist you with.

The question for last month was, "What happened on December 21, 1620?" Answer: The Pilgrim Fathers arrived (and from there the rest is history). When and where was the Liberty Bell cast? What did George Washington do on September 18, 1793?

See you in Lodge!

Robert R. Chapman, PM
Secretary



Master's Message, cont.

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tee will investigate our candidate before a 6:30 p.m. pork dinner served by the Sisters of the Eastern Star; the meeting will start promptly at 7:30. If you wish to attend the dinner, please call Jonas Pearson, JW (970-531-8055) or Kent Craven, SW (970-371-8330) before January 3.

We have a few annual events we, as a Lodge, would like to continue. To name a couple: We will continue to clean up 65th Ave between 20th Street and the Highway 34 Bypass. This is a Lodge project and is only done every six months. Please be on the lookout for the next scheduled cleanup day.

Senior Warden Kent is diligently working on reinstating Public Schools Night. I am sure he would appreciate any and all volunteers for this worthwhile event. It is hard to believe as soon as the students return to school after their winter break, they will begin to complete the numerous scholarship applications available to them. Please call Bro. Kent to offer any assistance and guidance from years past.











To obtain Honor Lodge is another goal of mine. We already completed one item on the list as Brothers Kent, Joe Cox (SD), and I attended the Joint Installation of Officers of #192 and #18 in Fort Collins. I would encourage each of you to attend Installations and regular Stated Communications as well, to reacquaint yourselves with the ancient traditions of our Craft.

On New Year's Eve, Garden City #3 OES, will host a party at the Masonic Hall. They will start off with a potluck dinner at 6 p.m., followed by the fun of playing a variety of games. Door prizes and kids activities will also be available. All members of ALL the Masonic Bodies are invited to attend. Please invite your families and friends. It will be an evening filled with food, fun, fellowship, and games. I hope to see you there. Please have a safe New Year's Eve and may the ensuing year bring you good health, success, joy, and love of family and friends.

Gary Lindblad, PM
Worshipful Master

January 2017

Greeley Masonic Bodies

<i>Sun.</i>	<i>Mon.</i>	<i>Tues.</i>	<i>Weds.</i>	<i>Thurs.</i>	<i>Fri.</i>	<i>Sat.</i>
1	2	3	4	5  Century 190	6	7
8	9	10  Eastern Star	11  Job's	12	13  White Shrine	14
15	16	17  York Rite	18	19  Century 190	20	21  Amaranth
22	23	24  Eastern Star	25  Job's	26  MHA, 7 p.m.	27	28
29	30	31				



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