

BLUE HEN COUNCIL No. 388, A.M.D.

May 2, 2009

Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware

Blue Hen Council No. 388 was opened in form at 9:45 am with the following officers present:

Sovereign Master	Gilbert Greenfield
Senior Warden	G. Thomas Taylor - pt
Junior Warden	Arthur Loveless
Secretary-Treasurer	Mark E. Irwin, P.S.M.
Senior Deacon	Sheldon L. Edwards, Sr.
Junior Deacon	John B. Dorsey - pt
Chaplain	James B. Walsh
Sentinel	Wayne T. Slack - pt

Members present as per register. Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was done. The Sovereign Master welcomed all present.

Regrets were received from Brothers Littleton, Schutz and McVey

The Treasurer reported a balance of \$2527.26 in the checking account.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to allow the Secretary/Treasurer to pay the bills that may arise between now and the next meeting.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to meet the same date as the other bodies, which was determined to be October 17, 2009 at a lodge in District 1.

SM Greenfield recognized the following PSMs: Elliott, Herrington, Edwards and Slack.

SM Greenfield presented a certificate and membership card for the Red Branch of Eri to PSM Wayne T. Slack. He also presented a Red Branch of Eri membership card to PSM Sheldon L. Edwards Sr. and an Installed Sovereign Masters card to PSM James T. Elliott. PSM Mark Irwin presented SM Greenfield with Installed Sovereign Masters card.

The following were proposed for membership: A. Tony Maxwell and Lionel Hunter. A motion was made, seconded and passed to give them the benefit of the ballot. They received individual ballots that were found to be fair and they were declared elected to be received as members of Blue Hen Council.

The following dignitaries were introduced:

M.E. James R. Herrington, Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons in Delaware

M.I. James B. Walsh, Most Illustrious Grand Master of Cryptic Masons in Delaware

R.E.D. Mark E. Irwin, Grand Governor for Delaware of the York Rite Sovereign College, Chief Adept, Delaware College S.R.I.C.F. and Puissant Sovereign, Delaware Conclave Knights of the Red Cross of Constantine

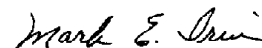
Ill. James T. Elliott, Jr., 33°, A.A.S.R. for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction and Active Member for Delaware and Eminent Prior Jesse Green Priory #70, KYCH

Discussion was held on what the Allied Masonic Degrees were and what could be done to increase interest in the Council and how we could serve the fraternity as a whole.

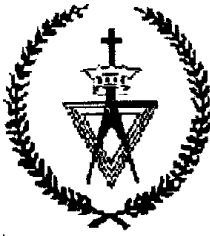
The minutes of the meeting were read and approved as read.

There being no further business, the Council was closed in form at 10:50 am.

Respectfully submitted,



Mark E. Irwin, P.S.M.
Secretary



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ALLIED MASONIC DEGREES**

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	NAME	OFFICE	COUNCIL IF VISITOR	LOCATION
1	John G. Saylor	S. M.		
2	Wayne T. Slack	PSM		
3	James P. Kempter	PSM		
4	Glendon Shuler		PSM	
5	John B. Spruce			
6	Arthur G. Snelson			
7	Jan B. Webb			
8	Dick Ward			
9	Jim Ry			
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