## **Delaware Council No. 18, Knight Masons**

May 4, 1996 Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware

A meeting of Delaware Council No.18 was opened in form at 1:10 pm with the following officers present:

Excellent Chief Frank A. Battaglia
Senior Knight Harry M. Sullivan, Jr. - pt
Junior Knight Charles H. Lengel, Jr.

Scribe-Treasurer Mark E. Irwin, PEC Senior Warden Eugene R. Small

Junior Warden Harold T.J. Littleton - pt Priest Warren F. Schueler, Sr.

Director of Ceremonies James T. Elliott Sentinel Wayne M. Schutz

Members present as per register (22).

The Excellent Chief welcomed all present.

The minutes of the last meeting of October 28, 1995 were read and approved as read.

A motion was made seconded and passed to approve the bills that were paid since the Secretary-Treasurer assumed office and to approve any expenditures that may arise during the summer with a full report to be given at the next meeting.

A motion was made, seconded and approved to permit the Secretary-Treasurer to move the bank accounts to a bank closer to his home.

EC Battaglia recognized the following Past Excellent Chiefs: Sullivan, Thomas, Hutchins, McVey, Patterson, Johnson, Pletz, and Irwin.

EC Battaglia called the Sir Knights to order and asked for a moment of silent prayer to the memory of Most Excellent Great Chief Walter Merritt McCracken.

A motion was made, seconded and passed that a donation of \$20 be made to the Dover Masonic Hall Company.

A motion was made passed and seconded to meet on October 26, 1996 at the Masonic Temple, 818 Market St., Wilmington, Delaware at 3:00 pm.

The nomination of Companion Herb Fulmer was made by Sir Knight Albert Westerside.

The following distinguished visitors were presented:

PGM.'s Schueler, Hutchins, Littel, Pletz, Littleton, and Westerside.

EC Battaglia presented PEC Mark Irwin with his Past Excellent Chief's jewel and certificate.

There being no further business the Council was closed in form at 1:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark Irwin, PEC Scribe