JESSE GREEN PRIORY No. 70 October 10, 1992 Masonic Temple Wilmington, Delaware

The Priory was opened in form at 10:05 A.M. followed by the Flag Ceremony with the following officers present:

Prior

Dep. Prior

Harry M. Sullivan, Jr., KYGCH

Horace G. Patterson, Jr., KYGCH

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Donald D. Thomas, KYGCH

C. Ray Scarborough, KYGCH, P.P.

Prelate

T. Eugene Womach, KYGCH

Orator

Richard A. Scarlott, KYGCH

Herald Richard E. Wise

Also in attendance was PP Henry G. Law, as well as Knights Franklin R. Townsend, James Richardson, C. Granville McVey, William J. Littel, and James A. Pletz.

The Eminent Prior welcomed all present.

Grand Marshal Henry G. Law presented the Grand Master-General at the Altar where he was greeted by the Prior and then escorted to the East where he was presented with the Mace of Authority. He then seated the Knights.

S.K. James Albert Johnson, having accepted the invitation and his fee having been paid, was announced in waiting and was received into membership in Jesse Green Priory No. 70. The Ceremony of Reception was conferred by Prior Harry M. Sullivan, Jr. assisted by the other officers, with the lectures being given by Donald D. Thomas, KYGCH - LODGE; C. Granville McVey - CHAPTER; James Richardson - COUNCIL; Franklin R. Townsend - COMMANDERY. The members jewel was presented by the Prior, Harry M. Sullivan, Jr. B.P. Sullivan thanked all for attending and for the hard work by those having parts. Knight Johnson thanked all for the honor given to him.

Grand Master-General Carney was called on. He congratulated the new member on his acceptance. He stated that there were 76 Priories in the U.S., Canada, Philippines and Mexico, ranging from 10 members to about 1,300 (Ohio). He expressed pleasure to come back and said that he had helped constitute Jesse Green Priory.

The Minutes of the annual meeting held on September 14, 1991, and the business meeting held on July 20, 1992, were read and approved as read. The Treasurer's report showed a current balance of \$1,891.74.

A moment of silent prayer was observed for P.P. Richard H. Thomas who died January 10, 1992, and P.P. Harry V. Felmey who died March 7, 1992.

A motion was made, seconded, and passed that the elective officers advance one station, the Prelate be advanced to Warder, and Henry G. Law be elected Registrar-Treasurer. All elected officers accepted. Prior-elect Patterson appointed the following officers: Prelate - Richard A. Scarlott; Orator - Richard E. Wise; Herald - James Richardson.

With Grand Master-General Albert S. Carney acting as Installing Officer and P.P. C. Ray Scarborough as Installing Marshal, the following officers were installed:

Prior Horace G. Patterson, Jr.
Deputy Prior Donald D. Thomas
Warder T. Eugene Womach
Registrar-Treas.
Prelate Richard A. Scarlott
Orator Richard E. Wise
Herald James Richardson

E.P. Patterson thanked all for being elected and stated that this was the first body where P.P. Henry G. Law had not installed him.

Dep. Prior Thomas reported that a tentative date in February had been selected to meet in Newport with Judge Centelle as the speaker.

P.P. Scarborough reviewed briefly the history of Delaware Knights serving as Priors in Philadelphia Priory No. 12, with F. Irving Crow being the first and he probably being the last.

Knight William J. Littel congratulated the new Prior and other officers and P.P. Henry G. Law as Grand Marshal in Convent General.

Grand Marshal Law stated that E.P. Horace G. Patterson, Jr. was the first nondual member to serve Jesse Green Priory as Prior.

There being no further business, the Priory was closed in form at 11:40 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,