KEYSTONE COUNCIL No. 113, A.M.D. October 28, 1995 Masonic Temple, Wilmington, Delaware

Keystone Council No. 113 was opened in form at 11:00 a.m. with the following officers present:

Sovereign Master	Harold T.J. Littleton
Senior Warden	John A. Irwin
Junior Warden	Frank A. Battaglia
Secretary - Treasurer	Mark E. Irwin, P.S.M.
Senior Deacon	C. William Tulloch
Junior Deacon	Warren F. Schueler, Sr.
Chaplain	Charles H. Lengel, Jr.
Sentinel	Herbert J. Atkinson

S.M. Littleton asked for a moment of silent prayer for Brothers Richard Wolf and Vernon Quay, from Pennsylvania, longtime supporters of all the appendant bodies in Delaware, who passed away during the summer.

Members present as per register. (12)

The Sovereign Master welcomed all present.

Regrets were received from Brothers Hutchins and Sullivan.

The minutes of the previous meeting (May 6, 1995) was read and approved. The Treasurer reported \$39.49 in the checking account and \$866.70 in the savings account. A motion was made, seconded and passed that the Treasurer's report be received.

It was reported that Richard E. Wise had asked for a demit, which was granted by S.M. Littleton. A motion was made, seconded and passed to meet the same date as the other bodies which was determined to be May 4, 1996, in the Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware at 11:00 am. It was reported that David Harman had received Emeritus status from the Grand Council. It was reported that Brother Carl Dreisbach had accepted the invitation but was unable to be present due to a trip out of town. Brother Richard Garland declined his invitation. Current nominee Franklin R. Townsend will be invited in the spring. The following were proposed as new members:

Haywood I. Buck by C. William Tulloch James T. Elliott by James A. Pletz Benjamin Lloyd by Warren F. Schueler, Sr. Glenn Davis by Frank A. Battaglia Randall C. Mullen by Harold T. J. Littleton

SM Littleton presented a report that he is working on dealing with Patriotic and Masonic Myths which dwelt with many claims that have been made over the years where some doubt has been raised to the validity of the claims.

A motion was made, seconded, and passed that the Senior Warden be advanced to Sovereign Master, the Junior Warden to Senior Warden, the Senior Deacon to Junior Warden, and the Secretary-Treasurer be re-elected. All officers accepted their stations.

A motion was made, seconded, and passed that the Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to cast a unanimous ballot for the nominees.

The Council was called at ease so that the Installed Sovereign Master could be conferred on Sovereign Master elect John Irwin. After a brief time the Council resumed its labors and it was reported that Installed Sovereign Master degree had been conferred on Brother Irwin.

Brother James A. Pletz installed the following elected and appointed officers:

So	vereign Master	John A. Irwin
Se	nior Warden	Frank A. Battaglia
Ju	nior Warden	C. William Tulloch
Se	cretary-Treasurer	Mark E. Irwin, P.S.M.
Se	nior Deacon	Warren F. Schueler, Sr.
Ju	nior Deacon	Charles H. Lengel, Jr.
Ch	naplain	Herbert J. Atkinson
Se	ntinel	John B. Dorsey
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The following distinguished member were recognized:

P.G.M.'s Schueler, Littleton, Battaglia
M.E.G.H.P. C. William Tulloch, Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Delaware
P.G.H.P.'s Schutz, Pletz, Barkins, Lengel, McVey
M.I.G.M. Charles H. Lengel, Jr., Grand Council of Cryptic Masons of Delaware
M.I.P.G.M.'s Pletz, Barkins and McVey
Deputy for Delaware Harold T.J. Littleton, A.A.S.R.
Active for Delaware Warren F. Schueler, Sr., A.A.S.R.
P.S.M.'s McVey, Barkins, Mark Irwin
C.N. C. Granville McVey, Two-By-Two Lodge #15, R.A.M.
E.C. Mark E. Irwin, Delaware Council No. 18, K.M.
P.S.G.M. S. Flory Diehl, Grand Council of A.M.D.

There being no further business, the Council was closed in form at 11:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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