

**KEYSTONE COUNCIL No. 113, A.M.D.**

October 24, 1998

Masonic Temple, Wilmington, Delaware

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

Sovereign Master	Warren F. Schueler, Sr.
Senior Warden	Charles H. Lengel, Jr.
Junior Warden	Herbert J. Atkinson
Secretary - Treasurer	Mark E. Irwin, P.S.M.
Senior Deacon	Franklin R. Townsend - pt
Junior Deacon	James A. Pletz
Chaplain	Haywood I. Buck, Jr.
Sentinel	Wayne M. Schutz

Members present as per register. (15)

The Sovereign Master welcomed all present.

Regrets were received from Brother Littleton and John Irwin.

The Treasurer reported \$199.89 in the checking account and \$945.92 in the savings account.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to change the dues to \$4 above Grand Council assessment.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to meet the same date as the other bodies which was determined to be May 1, 1999, in the Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware at 11:00 am.

S.M. Schueler presented a paper on morality and how it should apply in our times.

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 and that the Sovereign Master be directed to cast a unanimous ballot. All officers accepted their stations.

Companion Dorsey reported that the Grand Commandery golf tournament was a success and with a donation from Companion Atkinson, made at this meeting, the total towards the Holy Land Pilgrimage was \$1000.

PSM Thomas reported on the \$20,000 grant presented by the Grand Encampment Eye Foundation to Dr. Duncan at the University of Delaware.

The following Distinguished guests were recognized:

P.S.M.s Irwin, Thomas, Patterson, Sullivan and Little

M.E. Haywood I. Buck, Jr. – Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Delaware

M.I. Franklin R. Townsend – Illustrious Grand Master of the Grand Council of Delaware

R.E. James A. Pletz – Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Delaware

V.E.D. C. Granville McVey – Grand Governor of Delaware for the York Rite Sovereign College

P.S. C. Granville McVey – Puissant Sovereign, Delaware Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine

P. Harry M. Sullivan – Personal Representative District 4, Convent General K.Y.C.H.

Ill. Donald D. Thomas – Intendant General Knights of the Red Cross of Constantine

CN Charles Lengel – Commander Noah, Two by Two Lodge #15, Royal Ark Mariners

The Council was called at ease so that the Installed Sovereign Master could be conferred on Sovereign Master elect Charles H. Lengel, Jr. After a brief time the Council resumed its labors and it was reported that Installed Sovereign Master degree had been conferred on Brother Lengel by P.S.M. Mark E. Irwin.

P.S.M. Mark Irwin installed the following elected and appointed officers:

Sovereign Master	Charles H. Lengel, Jr.
Senior Warden	Herbert J. Atkinson
Junior Warden	John B. Dorsey
Secretary-Treasurer	Mark E. Irwin, P.S.M.
Senior Deacon	James A. Pletz
Junior Deacon	Haywood I. Buck, Jr.
Chaplain	Wayne Schutz
Sentinel	James Elliott – William J. Littel - proxy

The minutes were read and approved.

There being no further business, the Council was closed in form at 11:50 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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