

Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22

February 1980

FROM THE EAST

Brethren,

As we approach the 248th anniversary of the birth of our namesake, Ill. Bro. George Washington, it is a fitting time to pause and reflect. The world around us seems to be in a constant state of chaos and turmoil and many people seem to be apathetic, but remember my Brethren, we have taken solemn obligations to do what is right. Granted, one voice may seem lost in the wilderness but try to visualize the world today if Wor. Bro. Washington had remained silent and taken the attitude - I am only one voice, WHAT CAN I DO?

The month of February is always a busy one for our Lodge and this year is no exception. On the 11th, Grand Lodge will convene in Richmond and your officers will be in attendance. Wor. Bro. Pugh (548-0569 home - 549-9234 office) has kindly agreed to serve as my contact should any Lodge business come up while I am in Richmond. You have heard all the Grand Lodge resolutions discussed by Rt. Wor. Bro. Robey at our last meeting and I would appreciate your thoughts and opinions prior to Grand Lodge.

At the stated meeting on February 14th, Grand Lodge reports will be given by the officers who were in attendance.

Tickets for the Washington's Birthday celebration are in the hands of the officers. Please purchase your tickets early. The days schedule appears elsewhere in this. I ask you to please try to be with us for all the Trestleboard events.

At our last stated meeting this month, Rt. Wor. Bro. Simmons, Grand Lecturer, and Rt. Wor. Bro. Robey will be presenting both 50 and 60 year veterans' emblems, if the eligible Brethren can be with us on this date.

Sincerely and fraternally,

James R. Freeman



Worshipful Master

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FEBRUARY 1980 - TRESTLEBOARD

Day	Time	Activity
Mon 02/04/1980	7:00 pm	LODGE SCHOOL - All members urged to attend
Thu 02/07/1980	7:00 pm	CALLED MEETING - Work in E.A. and F.C. Degrees
Mon 02/11/1980	9:00 pm	GRAND LODGE - Richmond Virginia
Thu 02/14/1980	7:30 pm	STATED MEETING - Grand Lodge reports and Educational program
Mon 02/18/1980	9:00 am 4:00 pm 6:00 pm 7:30 pm	LAY WREATH at Mt. Vernon, followed by refreshments at Collingwood STATED MEETING - Official visit of Grand Master DINNER AT GWMNM TEMPLE - Tickets available from Officers PROGRAM - Entertainment and guest speaker
Thu 02/28/1980	7:30 pm	STATED MEETING - Presentation of Veterans' Emblems and birthdays

STATED COMMUNICATIONS: Second and Fourth Thursdays
 of each month except Thanksgiving, Observance of
 George Washington's Birthday and December 27th

We meet at 7:30 unless otherwise stated.
 GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL

AREA EVENTS

Day	Time	Activity
Mon 02/19/1980	7:30 pm	REINVESTURE OF D.D.G.M. - Henry Knox Field Lodge
Sat 02/23/1980	6:00 pm	GRAND MASTER OFFICIAL VISIT to Glebe Lodge No. 181
Tue 02/26/1980	7:30 pm	GRAND MASTER OFFICIAL VISIT to Concord Lodge No. 307

FUTURE EVENTS TO NOTE

Day	Time	Activity
05/23/1980 through 05/25/1980		VISIT OF LIBERTY LODGE, Beverly Mass.
06/28/1980		PICNIC, Ft. Hunt park area "A"
10/14/1980 through 10/20/1980		VISIT OF CONSTITUTIONAL LODGE, Beverley England
10/18/1980		COMBINED RECEPTION AND LADIES NIGHT - Bolling AFB Officers Club