

BLUE HEN COUNCIL No. 388, A.M.D.

May 5, 2018

Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware

Blue Hen Council No. 388 was opened in form at 9:50 am with the following officers present:

Sovereign Master	A. Tony Maxwell
Senior Warden	John W. Merkley
Junior Warden	Peter Tyrrell
Secretary-Treasurer	Mark E. Irwin, P.S.M.
Senior Deacon	
Junior Deacon	
Chaplain	James R. Herrington, PSM-pt
Sentinel	

Members present as per register. Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was done. The Sovereign Master welcomed all present.

Brothers Stefan Darczuk and Michael Pizzola were received and presented their membership cards.

Regrets were received from Brothers Horn and Button

The Treasurer reported a balance of \$628.55 in the checking account, \$1,316.29 in the savings account and \$1,006.93 in the Life Member savings account for a total of \$2,951.77.

The Secretary reported that he successfully filed the 2017 990 tax return for the Council.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to allow the Secretary/Treasurer to pay the bills that may arise between now and the next meeting and to contribute \$25 to the Dover Masonic Hall Co. for the use of the room.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to meet the same date as the other bodies, which was determined to be November 10th at 9:30 am at the New Castle Masonic Temple.

SM Maxwell recognized the following PSMs: Herrington, Laucius, Loveless, Walsh, Cottrell, Hunter and Gadsby.

There was the following nomination for new member: Ruben Kelly by Jon Cottrell. He was given the benefit of a ballot which was found fair and he was declared elected to be received into the council.

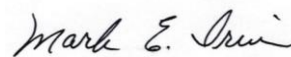
The following dignitaries were introduced:

- M.E. Fred Palmer, Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons in Delaware
- R.E. Mark E. Irwin, Deputy General Grand High Priest-Northeast Region, General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons International
- R.P. James B. Walsh, Northeast South Deputy General Grand Master of the General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons International
- E. James B. Walsh, Eminent Prior, Jesse Green Priory #70, KYCH
- Frater Mark E. Irwin, Chief Adept, Delaware College, M.S.R.I.C.F.
- K.C. David H. Laucius, Intendant General, Division of Delaware Conclave, Knights of the Red Cross of Constantine

The minutes of the meeting were read and approved as read.

There being no further business, the Council was closed in form at 10:45 am.

Respectfully submitted,



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