

FIRST STATE YORK RITE COLLEGE No. 45
April 8, 1978
Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware

A regular meeting of First State College was opened at 1:05 P.M. in full form with the following officers present:

Gov.	Samuel A. Wise	Prec.	Lewis J. Blackwell
Dep. Gov.	Charles W. Barkins	Sen.	Donald D. Thomas, acting
Chan.	Raymond A. Howard	Mar.	Donald F. Young, acting
Sec.-Treas.	C. Ray Scarborough	Sent.	G. Plitt VonEiff, Jr.
Primate	Harry V. Felmev, acting		

The minutes of the Nov. 30 meeting were read and approved as read. The Treasurer reported a balance in the checking account of \$219.37.

It was reported that J. Maurice Miller and Clifton A. Lutz had received their Gold Honor Awards but J. Paul Slaybaugh was out of town.

It was regularly moved, seconded, and passed that the College donate \$15.00 to the Masonic Hall Corp. for rent. It was also moved, seconded, and passed that the College purchase 12 rituals and 25 lapel pins.

Knight Of York Raymond A. Howard raised the question of life members and S.K. Henry G. Law and C. Ray Scarborough were appointed a committee to investigate and report at the next meeting.

MEGHP Thomas again asked for support from the College in 1978. SK Donald Young mentioned providing speakers and to request the Sovereign College for information how other Colleges assist.

The following were proposed for membership:

Robert M. Bair, David B. Harman, Joseph P. Miller, Henry Y. Lutton

It was regularly moved, seconded, and passed that the elected line officers be advanced one station, the Primate be advanced to Chancellor, and the Sec.-Treas. be re-elected.

The following dignitaries were recognized:

MEGHP Donald D. Thomas
EC Henry G. Law, St. John's Commandery No. 1 and Commander Noah of
Two-by-Two Lodge No. 15.
SM Charles W. Barkins, Keystone Council No. 113, AMD
IM & HP Lewis J. Blackwell, Hope Chapter No. 7 & Joppa Council No. 3
Grand Org. Harry E. McBride
Henry N. Waltz, Pennsylvania College No. 11

The following candidates were initiated in full form by cast listed on attached sheet:

Winfred T. Mason, Vernon E. Quay, Joseph Chacko
The new Knights of York expressed their appreciation.

Grand Governor C. Ray Scarborough ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ congratulated the cast on the degree work conferred under adverse conditions. He also stressed the necessity of gaining strength in membership in order to confer the degrees and to assist York Rite Masonry in other ways.

The following officers were installed by Grand Governor Scarborough with Samuel A Wise acting as Marshall:

Gov.	Charles W. Barkins
Dep. Gov.	Raymond A. Howard
Chan.	Samuel B. Rash, Jr. with J. Chacko proxy
Prim.	Lewis J. Blackwell
Pres.	William J. Littel with V. Quay proxy
Sen.	Clifton A. Lutz with W. Mason proxy
Mar.	G. Plitt VonEiff, Jr.
Sent.	James I. Crouse

The proclamation was made by the Installing Marshall and Grand Honors given.

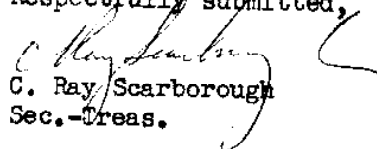
Pre. Gov. Barkins expressed his appreciation and announced that the next meeting would be held Nov. 11, 1978 at 1:00 P.M. at the Masonic Temple in Wilmington, Del. He appointed the following committee on awards:

Lewis J. Blackwell, Chmn., Samuel A. Wise, Donald D. Thomas.

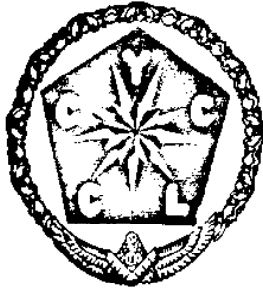
Past Gov. Wise thanked the officers for their support during the year and the officers and last minute substitutes for their efforts in conferring the Knight of York degree.

There being no further business, the College closed in form at 3:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,


C. Ray Scarborough
Sec.-Treas.

Lunch preseded the meeting.



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Degree Cast

4/8/78

Opening, Closing, 1st & 3rd Sections

- 1] Governor - Samuel A. Wise
- 2] Deputy Governor - Charles W. Barkins
- 3] Chancellor - Raymond A. Howard
- 4] Primate - ~~Samuel B. Rash, Jr.~~ HARRY V. FELMEY
- 5] Preceptor - Lewis J. Blackwell
- 6] Seneschal - ~~William J. Little~~ DONALD D. THOMAS
- 7] Marshall - ~~Clifton A. Lutz~~ DONALD YOUNG

2nd Section

- 1] Athelstan, King of all England - Henry G. Law
- 2] Prince Edwin - Donald D. Thomas
- 3] Lord Chancellor of the Court - Raymond A. Howard
- 4] Lord Archbishop of England - ~~Samuel B. Rash, Jr.~~ HARRY V. FELMEY
- 5] Lord Preceptor of York University - Lewis J. Blackwell
- 6] Lord Grand Commandery of Chivalry - ~~William J. Little~~ JAMES L. CROUSE
- 7] Lord Mayor of York - ~~Clifton A. Lutz~~ HENRY N. WALTZ, PA. No. 11
- 8] Knight Commander - Charles W. Barkins
- 9] Overseer - Donald Young
- ?] Knights - Members
- ?] Craftsmen - Members

Prologue - (Page 6) - Harry FelmeY

Lecture - (Pages 31-34) - ~~To be assigned.~~ RAYMOND A. HOWARD

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Clay Scarborough Sec.
Subsack DG

Samuel A. Wise, Gov.

Clay H. Law PG

Raymond M. Lane

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Harry E. McBride

Ronald G. Young

Raymond A. Howard, Chancellor

Quinn Blackwell, Preceptor

came to house

Henry H. Katz # 11 Pa.

A. Pitt Vorhoff Jr. Sen.