

Jesse Green Priory Number 70
Knights York Cross of Honour
October 28, 2000

Eminent Prior James A. Pletz opened the Annual Conclave of Jesse Green Priory No. 70, K. Y. C. H. at 12:10 P.M. on Saturday, October 28, 2000 at the Masonic Temple, Wilmington, Delaware. The following officers and members were found to be present:

Prior	- James A. Pletz, KYGCH
Registrar/Treasurer	- Donald D. Thomas, P.P., KYGCH
Orator	- Haywood I. Buck, Jr., KYGCH

Past Priors Mark E. Irwin, Franklin R. Townsend, Horace G. Patterson, and C. Granville McVey, and Knights John B. Dorsey and Warren F. Schueler, Sr. and Past Prior Harry M. Sullivan, Jr., Personal Representative of Most Eminent David H. Volkman, Grand Master-General, Convent General, Knights of the York Cross of Honour.

The Eminent Prior expressed his sincere appreciation to those in attendance for joining with him for the Annual Conclave of the Priory.

At the request of the Prior, the minutes of the May 11, 2000 meeting were accepted without reading.

The Registrar presented the financial report for the year in brief, which showed:

Balance 1/1/2000	1,938.02	
Receipts		3,035.63
Disbursements		3,383.65
Balance 10/25/2000	1,455.00	

It should be noted that the disbursements include a transfer of \$500.00 to a maturing CD which was re-invested at Sovereign Bank for a term of 13 months at a rate of 6.53% (versus the matured rate of 4.10% at Wilmington Trust Company). This new CD, investment value of \$1541.04, will mature on November 20, 2001. In addition, the donation to the Masonic Home was increased to \$500.00 (from \$300.00) per direction of the Prior in concurrence with the membership. This donation was made to the Home during the Annual Session of Grand Lodge. The Treasurer's report was accepted as presented in brief.

The Registrar then noted that he had found a supplier of KYCH jewels at a much reduced cost than that previously experienced. As such he did not believe it was necessary to increase the joining fee from \$135.00 to \$200.00. He then moved that his earlier motion to enact such an increase be withdrawn. The Priory duly seconded and heartily approved the motion.

Upon motion duly, made and seconded, the following officers were elected to serve this Priory for the forthcoming year:

Prior	William J. Littel, KYGCH
Deputy Prior	James A. Johnson
Warder	Charles H. Lengel, Jr., KYGCH
Registrar/Treasurer	Donald D. Thomas, P.P., KYGCH

The following Knights were then appointed to the stations noted:

Prelate	Haywood I. Buck, Jr., KYGCH
Orator	Sheldon L. Edwards, Sr., KYGCH
Herald	John B. Dorsey, KYGCH

All but Knights Haywood I. Buck, Jr., and John B. Dorsey being absent because of illness (Littel and Johnson) or other Masonic duties (Lengel and Edwards), the officers presented were regularly installed in their respective stations by P.P. Donald D. Thomas, assisted by P.P. Harry M. Sullivan as Marshal.

The Registrar then reported that he was in receipt of a Acceptance of Membership from James Thomas Elliott, Jr. which he found to be in due order. Prior Pletz noted that he would be in touch with Prior-elect Littel to determine an expeditious time wherein Brother Elliott could be received into the Priory. The Prior then recognized the following Brethren:

Knight Companion Donald D. Thomas, Intendant General for Delaware, UGIC, RCC and
Active for Delaware, AASR

Illustrious Warren F. Schueler, Sr., Active Emeritus, AASR

Brother C. Granville McVey, Grand Governor For Delaware, YRSCNA

The Prior then recognized Past Prior Harry M. Sullivan who brought the greetings of the General Grand Master and complimented the Prior and the Priory for their continued labors on behalf of the fraternity.

Nothing further claiming the attention of the Priory, it was closed with Peace and Harmony prevailing at 12:25 P.M.

Fraternally submitted,

Donald D. Thomas, P.P. Registrar

KYCH Check Book

Date	Income	Expense	Interest	Balance	Check #	Comment
01/01/96				2165.16		Starting Balance 1/1/96
01/01/97				2660.42		Starting Balance 1/1/97
01/01/98				2496.27		Starting Balance 1/1/98
01/01/99				2525.07		Starting Balance 1/1/99
01/01/00				1938.02		Starting Balance 1/1/00
01/01/00				1,938.02		
01/13/99		13.20		1,924.82		Ck No. 135 40 Stamps
01/31/00	126.00			2,050.82		9 ticket sales McLeod
01/31/00	210.00			2,260.82		15 ticket sales McLeod
01/31/00	918.00			3,178.82		65 Ticket sales McLeod plus \$8.00 - bad \$20.
01/31/00			3.38	3,182.20		Interest
02/24/00	294.00			3,476.20		21 Ticket sales
02/29/00			5.21	3,481.41		Interest
03/02/00		1,387.50		2,093.91		OES 185 Dinners-136
03/13/00	1,294.00			3,387.91		Deposit -McLeod
03/16/00	18.00			3,403.91		Deposit -McLeod
03/31/00			5.05	3,408.96		Interest - 2.05%
04/28/00			5.69	3,414.65		Interest - 2.05%
05/10/00		488.95		2,925.70		137 J.A. Pletz - McLeod Expenses
05/10/00		45.00		2,880.70		138- W. McLeod Travel Expenses
05/31/00			5.48	2,886.18		Interest - 2.05%
06/01/00		100.00		2,786.18		139 - 5 Points Chapter - OES
06/29/00		100.00		2,686.18	141	141- KYCH Med Resch Fndtn
06/30/00			4.63	2,690.81		Interest - 2.04%
07/27/00		75.00		2,615.81	140	140 Convent General - Barnes
07/31/00			4.51	2,620.32		Interest 1.99%
08/31/00			4.41	2,624.73		Interest 1.99%
09/29/00			4.27	2,629.00		Interest 1.99%
10/04/00		500.00		2,129.00	142	142 - Masonic Home
10/20/00	135.00			2,264.00		Fee - James T. Elliott
10/20/00		500.00		1,629.00		Cash Transfer To Sovereign CD
10/25/00		174.00		1,455.00		Simpson's -4 PP, 4 KYCH jewels, Pins 143 and Ribbons and 10.00 postage - DDT
Totals	2,993.00	3,383.65	42.63			
Year Total	2,993.00	3,383.65	42.63			
In	3,035.63					
Out		3,383.65				
Year In	3,035.63					
Year Out		3,383.65				
Net	-348.02					
Plus 1 year CD worth \$1000.00 at 4.10% opened October 20, 1999						
10/20/00				1000		
10/31/00			41.04	1041.04		Closed WTC CD @4.10%
10/20/00	500			1541.04		Opened Sovereign CD 13 months @6.53