

**TWO BY TWO LODGE No. 15, R.A.M.**

May 7, 2016

Masonic Temple, Dover, Delaware

A Lodge of Royal Ark Mariners was opened in form at 11:00 am with the following officers present:

Commander Noah	James B. Walsh - pt
Senior Warden	A. Tony Maxwell
Junior Warden	G. Thomas Taylor, III, PCN - pt
Secretary-Treasurer	Mark E. Irwin
Conductor	Fred Palmer - pt
Inner Guard	Neal J. Sobocinski - pt
Outer Guard	Jon Cottrell

Members present as per register. All were welcomed by CN Walsh.

The Royal Ark Mariner degree was conferred on Brother John Merkley. Brother Merkley was presented with his aprons and membership card.

Regrets were received from Brothers Marshall, Slack, Ward

The minutes of the previous meeting of November 14, 2015 were read and approved as read.

The Treasurer reported a balance of \$642.28 in the bank account.

A motion was made, seconded and passed that the Secretary be allowed to pay such bills that may arise during the summer with a report of expenditures at the next meeting.

A motion was made, seconded, and passed to meet with the other bodies, which was determined to be at 11:00 am, on November 19<sup>th</sup> at St. Johns Lodge.

There were no nominations for new members:

CN Walsh recognized PCN's Irwin, Schutz, Herrington, Loveless, Taylor, Laucius and Horn.

The following dignitaries were introduced:

M.E. David H. Laucius, Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons in Delaware

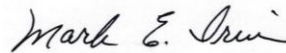
R.E. A. Tony Maxwell, Grand Commander Knights Templar in Delaware

Frater Mark E. Irwin, Chief Adept, Delaware College, M.S.R.I.C.F.

Donations totaled \$85 .

There being no further business, the Lodge was closed in form at 11:45 am.

Respectfully Submitted,



Mark E. Irwin, PCN  
Secretary