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Grand Master's Corner

On Wednesday, September 10, Nell and I drove to Charlotte to attend the Fall Fiesta of the Charlotte Scottish Rite Bodies. This was another wonderful meeting, as all of us who know



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Brother Ed Burierr have come to expect of any meeting arranged by him. There were more than 6,000 Scottish Rite Masons and their ladies present, and it was evident that this delightful occasion was enjoyed by everyone. This is an annual affair,

and I'm satisfied there is not another meeting of its kind held in this country that could come close to it.

On the following evening we held a District Meeting in Erwin where we had good attendance from the brethren in that area. Following this meeting our group traveled to Raleigh where we had a meeting of the Board of General Purposes the next day, in addition to meetings of the committees on Finance, Publication, and Wardens' Training; as well as the Board of Custodians. That evening, many of us attended a dinner meeting of the Society of Rosicrucians, where we heard an inspiring talk delivered by Brother Bob Bass.

In last month's column I mentioned the work being done by the Special Committee on Area Education. This time I want to report on the Special Committee on Wardens' Training, headed by Brother Leon Gray. Brother Gray started out by asking each member to go into a "think tank" and outline his conception of the training needs for a Warden to be prepared to be Master of his Lodge. Since that time they have been in the process of putting all the ideas together, and I am sure

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Left to right Brothers W. B. Beasley, P.M.; R. Haywood Faulkner, Master and Les B. Hornaday, Greensboro Lodge No. 76. Seated Brother John A. Hornaday, P.M.

Henderson Masons Honor Brother John A. Hornaday

Henderson Lodge No. 229 A. F. & A. M. honored one of its prominent members, Brother John Albert Hornaday, Past Master, on Tuesday October 21, 1969. The Worshipful Master designated this as John Albert Hornaday night in Henderson Lodge No. 229. Brother W. Barney Beasley presided at the ceremony.

Brother Les B. Hornaday from Greensboro Lodge No. 76 Greensboro, N. C., presented to his brother, John, on behalf of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina, a fifty year service award certificate and pin for faithful and continuous service to Masonry.

Brother Charles E. Crawley, Secretary of the Lodge read to the lodge Brother Hornaday's masonic history.

Brothers T. Elliot Stegall, J. W. Rogers, J. E. Hite, Abner B. Cobb and Donald C. Seifert gave some high lights on the faithful service to Henderson Lodge No. 229 that Brother Hornaday had rendered over the past years.

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Cornerstone Laid For New Temple at Lucama

On Saturday, October 18, 1969, at 2:30 p.m., an Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina was held for the purpose of laying the cornerstone for the new Temple of Lucama Lodge No. 527, A. F. & A. M. Most Worshipful Brother William A. Hooks, Grand Master, presided, assisted by the following:

R. W. Eunice S. Sasser (M-527), as Deputy Grand Master; R. W. Alonzo Honeycutt, P.M. (527), as Senior Grand Warden; R. W. Berl M. Khan, P.M. (112), Junior Grand Warden; R. W. Millard Watson, P.M. (527), as Grand Treasurer; R. W. T. Wathew Woodard, P.M. (527), as Grand Secretary;

W. James W. Bissette, P.M. (527), as Senior Grand Deacon; W. John Roy Godwin, P.M. (527), as Junior Grand Deacon; W. Robert P. Dudley, P.M.

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NOTICE!

Sometime during December we will send to each lodge in North Carolina (at no cost to the lodge) 3 copies of a new book—HAND BOOK FOR THE MASTER.

We ask that the secretary deliver these books to the newly elected Master and Wardens of his lodge, with the request that each Master deliver his copy to the new Junior Warden when his year is completed.

Additional copies of this handbook may be obtained from the Grand Secretary's office at a cost of 30 cents per copy.

Charles A. Harris
Grand Secretary