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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

New DeMolay Chapter Is Sponsored By Zebulon Shrine Club

A Zebulon man and a Wendell man noted for their outstanding work in Masonry during their life times have been honored by having a DeMolay chapter named for them. They are W. A. Allman of Zebulon and P. C. Stott of Wendell, both deceased.

The Allman-Stott chapter was instituted Sunday, January 10, by John A. Verdery, DeMolay executive officer for North Carolina. Twenty-nine youths from Rolesville, Wendell, Archers Lodge, Middlesex, Zebulon and Wakefield were initiated into the Order of DeMolay.

The degrees were conferred in the Masonic Temple in Raleigh by the Raleigh Chapter, Order of DeMolay. (Continued on Page Two)

Pioneer Lodge Installation Aids Home and Orphanage

BY A. EDWARD FEY, Sec.

This year Pioneer Lodge No. 685 No. 344. supplemented their usual open installathe 'fixins', served by the ladies of Cam- in a phase of Masonry since that time. el Shrine No. 5. After the dinner the 150 members and guests contributed a total of \$200 to be presented to the Oxford Orphanage and the Masonic and Eastern Star Home.

The members and guests then moved to the large lodge room to be entertained with several renditions by Brother R. R. Triplette on the new Baldwin organ recently donated to the Masonic Temple by Twin City Chapter No. 60, O. E. S.

It was good to see the lodge room nearly filled to capacity for the installation of W. Brother A. R. Slovenz, Master, and his corps of officers by W... Brother F. W. Waitineck, P. M.

Assisting in the installation ceremony (Continued on Page Three)



M.: W.: Arnold J. Koonce, P.G.M., presents 50-Year Membership Award to Brother B.

Venerable Mason Honored For Fifty Years Of Service

In impressive ceremonies recently in Numa F. Reid Lodge No. 344, High Point, M. .. W. .. Arnold J. Koonce, P.G. M., presented to Brother B. G. Leonard a pin and certificate for fifty years of devoted service to Masonry. In addition Brother Leonard was presented a Life Membership in Numa F. Reid Lodge

tion by having a turkey dinner with all career in June, 1920 and has been active

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NOTICE

Grand Lodge Meeting Place Changed

The annual communication of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. originally scheduled to be held in Winston-Salem has been changed to Raleigh, April 20-21, 1971.

Winston-Salem has made this change mandery Order. Companions and Sir necessary.

Greenville Lodge No. 284 Hosts Joint Installation

At its regular stated communication held on Monday, January 4, 1971, Greenville Lodge No. 284 as host lodge was joined by Crown Lodge No. 708 and William Pitt Lodge No. 734 in a joint installation of officers.

M.'. W.'. Maurice E. Walsh, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina was the installing officer. This was an open installation for the families and friends of the officers to be installed. M. W. Bro. Maurice E. Walsh, assisted by M.'. W.'. Bro. James W. Brewer, P.G.M.; W. Brother Leslie H. Garner, Grand Steward, and W. Brother Pete Dudley, as Marshals installed the following officers for each of the three lodges as follows:

Greenville Lodge No. 284; Stacy J. Evans, Master; Lloyd Nixon, Senior (Continued on Page Two)

Wilmington York Rite Completes Fourth Class

By George F. Hunt, Sec.-Rec.

The Wilmington York Rite Masonic Brother Leonard began his Masonic Bodies completed its fourth class of the year by conferring the Degrees and Orders on a class of nine candidates on In addition to the above, the follow- Saturday, December 12, 1970. All the degrees and orders were conferred beginning with the Mark Master at 8:00 A.M. Lunch and dinner were served in the Temple to the candidates and the large number of degree workers present for the occasion.

Companion and Sir Knight, Cecil W. Henderson R.:.I.: Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Council of North Carolina was General Director of the Festival assisted by George F. Hunt, Jr., P.H.P., Director of the Chapter Degrees; Companion Alvis R. Hardy, Director of the Council Degrees; Sir Knight William The sale of the Robert E. Lee Hotel in G. Houck, P.E.C., Director of the Com-(Continued on Page Two)