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Las Palmas-Ponderosa Lodge #366, F&AM

September 1994

From the East

Brethren.

September has come and we're back to work. The officers are completely set with a full line of degrees. During the next couple of months we will be working in advanced stations and I am



proud to say everybody is ready to go.

In September, the theme for the Stated Meeting will be "The Ugliest Tie Contest," which the winner will receive from me \$25.00. So, clean out the closet for that ugly tie!!

I would like to report that we're working within our budget and we should finish our year (if everything goes right) in the black, with some type of carry over of funds to the next year.

Shortly the Lodge will be selling "Lodge Jackets" which will be red in color for those Bulldog Games to come. This will have the square and compass on the back and our Lodge name on the front. They will be nylon and lined for around \$20 - \$25. Please contact the Secretary's office for yours.

> See you in Lodge! Tip Banks, Master

NOTICE

We have 54 Brothers who have not paid their 1994 dues and are subject to suspension Non Payment of Dues.

In accordance with the California Masonic Code Sec. 27070 dated October 16, 1991 and revision dated 4/94.

A member shall not be expelled from Masonry for non-payment of dues, but may be suspended from all its rights and privileges.

In case any member has not paid his dues during a period of 12 months, and after notification by the Secretary, unless at the next Stated Meeting either his dues are paid or sickness or inability to pay is shown as the cause for the failure to pay, he shall be declared by the Master to be suspended, unless for special reasons shown, the Lodge shall remit his dues or grant Him further time for payment.

From the South

Brethren:

Summer is over and it is time to return to the scheduled activities of our Lodge. As we begin the last few months of this year let us renew our interest and efforts toward the completion of Wor-



shipful Tip's term. The officers will be working in advanced stations. Please check the calendar and plan on attending these important lodge activities.

Thought for the Day: "....if all we did was to concentrate on helping, caring and Brotherly love: if all we did was to live in reality the life our Ritual enjoins us; if all we did was proudly to take care of ourselves and others; Masonic membership would take off like a rocket...." (Scottish Rite Journal, June

Looking forward to seeing you in YOUR Lodge and mine...

Cline "Cub" Jack, Junior Warden

NOTICE

Reservations are being taken for Marble Quarry RV Park in Columbia. April 21, & 22, 1995. The cost is \$23.40 per night. The Spaces are on a first come first served basis, and must be paid in advance. For additional information call the Secretary at 2682303 8:30 to 11:30 daily.

Calendar for September

Sept. 1	1st Degree
Sept. 8	2nd Degree
Sept. 15	Stated Dinner 6:30 p.m.
Sept. 22	Grand Master's Dinner
Sept. 29	3rd Degree

NOTICE

If you are suspended for NON-PAYMENT of dues, You will be suspended from Scottish Rite, York Rite, Shrine and the Eastern Star. If you are a dual member, Your home Lodge will be informed of your suspension for non-payment of dues and you will be subject to suspension.

PRÖCLAMATION

CONSTITUTION OBSERVANCE MONTH

When we study the history of our great Fraternity, we are continuously impressed with the prerequisite of *liberty*. And once the role of liberty is fully understood, the true meaning of the *free* in Freemasonry becomes apparent and, then, the importance of our annual **Constitution Observance** program is made abundantly clear. For without a free society there would be no Freemasonry.

The goal of this annual Masonic program is simple. Every lodge or district develops its own program. One which will encourage membership and community support for the protection, securing, and understanding of the Constitution of the United States of America.

The freedom we now enjoy was not easily won nor will it be so easy to retain. Freedom demands the very best we have to give. Duty and responsibility must be constantly exercised by each and every citizen or apathy will surely separate us from our precious freedom. Have we really delivered this message throughout our jurisdiction? Can we rest until we have done so?

I, therefore, proclaim the month of September, 1994 to be:

U.S. CONSTITUTION OBSERVANCE MONTH

and direct every lodge in California to hold public ceremonies during this month, commemorating the signing of the U.S. Constitution on September 17, 1787.

Also, I direct that this Proclamation be read at the August and September Stated Meetings of each lodge and, when convenient, that it be published in the lodge bulletin.

Dated: July 12, 1994

ATTEST:

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Grand Master

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