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DISPENSATION:

August 2, 1961

CHARTERED:

January 23, 1962

MEETING PLACE:

Century
Masonic Hall
2532 9th Avenue
Greeley, CO
1st & 3rd
Thursdays
7:30 p.m.

UPCOMING DATES:

- *Century Stated Communications:*
1st & 3rd Thursdays
- *(CMHA)*
Century Masonic Hall Association
4th Thursday
January 25 6:30
Election of Officers

MASTER'S MESSAGE



Dear Brethren,

We have again seen the end of one year come to a close, and the start of a new year open before us. This month we will be quite busy as we have a 3rd degree on the 18th with a dinner at 6:30. I encourage all of you to attend a dinner as they are all delicious and made by the ladies of Garden City #3. We all know how special raising a Brother is. Please call Jonas Pearson for your dinner reservation. 970-531-8055

Also, I strongly suggest that each brother make an effort to attend one of the two meetings this month. This year at the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge the Jurisdiction of Colorado, we will be voting on adopting a new Constitution. The Wardens and I would like to hear from the membership as to which way to vote for our Lodge. This can be done one of two ways. The first, and my preferred option, would be that the brothers attend a meeting to discuss it in Lodge. The second option would be to email me your opinion at craven.masons@yahoo.com. I would let the officers and attending brothers know of your thoughts so that those in attendance can better understand where the Lodge, as a whole, stands. I, myself, and our Jr. Warden, WB Gary Lindblad, are of a favorable opinion of the proposed Constitution. We gleaned a better insight when we went to the Constitution workshop before the budget meeting back in August.

Finally, as we start the new year, let us try to make a new goal for the Lodge. Let that goal be to make this year one of the most attended years by the Brothers of the Century Lodge #190. Let us show each other that we still have pride in our Lodge and in ourselves as Masons. The goal is not a hard goal to reach. In fact it doesn't take much effort at all. All that is required is two nights a month for 2-3 hrs. And what is gained is unmeasurable. Friendship, Fellowship, and Brotherly Love can have such a deep impact on all of us. Don't be complacent with being just a Mason — be an active Mason in the Lodge. Take up a seat in the Lodge and be there for the Lodge.

Happy New Year,
Brother Kent Craven
Worshipful Master



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK



HAPPY NEW YEAR and welcome to 2018! It's amazing how quickly 2017 left and so much happened, some good and not so good. On December 19th Brother Moody and myself represented Century 190 at a masonic funeral and celebration of life for Brother and Past Master Robert Short from Apache Lodge #69 in Mesa Arizona. He was a 60 year plus member of masonry and it was his last request that his service be in a lodge. There were many friends and family in attendance and Brother Larry did an outstanding memorial service for him. The family asked many questions about our craft and were very appreciative that we would do this for their father even though we did not know him. He was a brother it was our privilege to preform the ceremony.

For those brothers who wish to attend the Annual Grand Lodge meeting, it will be January 25, 26, and 27 in Colorado Springs. If you wish to attend please see Brother Kent for further information especially for the motel information. I now have 24 dues cards that need to be with their owners, so please mail me your 2018 payment or hand it to me on January 4th (which is when all dues must be paid). I will be mailing out 2nd notices in January sometime. In Decembers TB I said that brother Al Young from Acacia Lodge #11 would be visiting Century 190 to invite all EA's, FC's and Master Masons to the Robert Burns Table Lodge on December 21st but weather in Cheyenne did not cooperate and so he will be with us later in January.

I hope all had a Merry Christmas and time spent with your family was very enjoyable. Century will have degree work this month for Brothers Nagy and Kemp so please come to lodge and support these brothers. In the last TB I asked what does the word Constitution mean. I did not get any response so I will let it stand with an answer later. What is the week of February 8-11th? If you have a Knights Templar calendar you will find the answer. At this time I want to say Thank you for having the confidence to elect me to continue as your secretary. I am proud of Century Lodge and all of our brothers. Hopefully 2018 will be a better year for all! See you in Lodge!

Robert R. Chapman, PM, Secretary

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Greeley Masonic Bodies

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
	1	2	3	4  Century 190	5	6
7	8	9  Eastern Star	10  Job's	11	12  White Shrine	13
14	15	16	17	18  Century 190	19	20  Amaranth
21	22	23  Eastern Star	24  Job's	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

