

THE NARRATOR

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FRIDAY NITE -- JANUARY 31, 1969

Now that you know what it is and when it is, what does it all mean as far as you're concerned? Simply this -- you've re-vitalized yourselves after the Holiday Season, but you are now beset with the mid-winter doldrums. We've got just the remedy--a chance to kick up your heels at our Fourth Annual Reunion Dance.

Where: Springvale Country Club on Canterbury Rd., North Olmsted. Canterbury Rd. runs south off Butternut Ridge, between Dover & Columbia Rds.

Time: 9:30 PM til 1:00 AM

Music: By Mike Jacobs -- a 4-piece combo -- This band is prominently known aboard the Cruise Ship, S.S. Goodtime.

Tickets: \$4.00 per couple

Refreshments: BYOB Set-ups available.

Dress: Informal

Chairman: Bill Ceck Co-Chmn: John Bovenzi

Door Prizes: For the lucky people

Reservations: Call Bill or Joan Ceck at 884-2302

or John or Sue Bovenzi at 777-4309

If you wish to reserve a table and a guaranteed seat, please do so early as there is a limited number of tickets. We are trying for a large advance sale of tickets. You have plenty of time to plan ahead for the DANCE so that other plans do not interfere.

Another thought--take your Sweetie out for an early Valentine Treat by attending the DANCE.

GET YOUR BABY-SITTERS LINED UP; GET YOUR LADIES OUT OF THE HOUSE; AND WE'LL SEE YOU ALL AT THE DANCE !!!

## SOME RAMBLINGS

Our Membership Goose, Gertrude, has been temporarily retired from the firing line, and is currently enjoying a well-deserved rest on a nearby farm. However, Membership Chmn., Henry Klienhenzo, advises not to relax too much as Gertrude is subject to recall and be put back on the circuit any time.

Things to do: The Council will be putting together a new Membership Roster for mailing in the near future. Also, how about our Advertisers for the Narrator?

Condolences and Prayers are offered for the following deceased and next of kin:

Ed Kimmick's Father who passed away on Dec. 9th.

Jean Kucharick's Mother, Mary Jersan, who passed away on Dec. 20th.

Edwig Zoldesy's Mother, Rose, who deceased on Dec. 21st.

Lee Raisgaitis's Father, Michael, who passed away on Jan. 6th.

The Council's Current Budget was approved at our Dec. 18th Meeting.

Lucky Door Prize winners at the Potluck were Bob Kubinski, Lenore Hepner, Ed Majoros, Rose Sharkin, and both Frolos (Joe and Alma). Winners of the Raffle Baskets of Cheer were Ray Lieb and PGK Hugh Patton (he needs it?).

## COMING EVENTS

Jan. 15 - Regular Council Meeting. 8:00 P.M. Exemplification of the Second Degree.

Jan. 20 - Isabella Guild Meeting. 8:00 P.M. Southwestern Savings and Loan.

Jan. 31 - Annual Reunion Dance. 9:30 til 1:00 Springvale Country Club. Tickets at \$4.00 per couple. BYOB, Band will be Bro. Mike Jacobs from Brooklyn-Parma Council. Chmn: Bill Ceck, 884-2302

Feb. 2 - District Major Degree and Dinner. Fr. Ragan Council--Avon Lake, Ohio.

Feb. 5 - Regular Council Meeting. 8:30 P.M.

## AFTER THE HOLIDAY BLUES

Do you folks feel like a deflated balloon or perhaps a wet noodle? Suffering from sheer exhaustion? Glad to be back to some normalcy with the required discipline and order? Well, join the crowd. Comes the middle of the month and the bills. Sincerely hope everyone enjoyed the Holidays, which seem to become more frantic and hectic as each season comes and goes.

Sorry that you received an abbreviated edition of the Narrator in Dec. Your Editor was knocked out of the box with the King Kong flu as was most everyone else, and the paper was put together under the most trying circumstances to meet the deadline.

At any rate, HAPPY NEW YEAR !!!

## FINAL STATE YOUTH REPORT

As previously mentioned in the last issue, the Council enjoyed the finest and most financially successful State Youth Campaign in our history. A special note of thanks to the Chairmen, PGK Ray Hepner and Joe Skory, for engineering the whole matter. A total of 694 were sold and turned in (our quota was 693). This is quite remarkable considering the fact that 41% of the Membership didn't even bother to sell one little itchy-bitsy ticket. Therefore, it is in order to recognize the Brothers who pulled their weight. We are also cognizant of the fact that some men sold only one or two books, probably at a personal sacrifice of their own money, and it is not intended to minimize their efforts in the least by not listing their names.

The big seller was our Chancellor, Dave Wolfe, with 111 books, which is a new Council record as well as a personal record for Dave. Dave was presented with and gratefully received the Top Seller prize at the Potluck Dinner. You will most likely find him ensconced in front of the portable 19" Motorola TV.

The 2nd and 3rd highest sellers were Mike Vespoli and Harry Reagan, with 67 and 33 books respectively. These gentlemen were presented with tape recorders, so watch what you say as it might end up on tape.

Continuing on, we list the following and the number of books sold:

23 - Bill Bonner	18 - Joe Dickey
22 - John Dodd	16 - Vince Amaddio
21 - GK Joe Kucharik	14 - Norm Mlady
19 -	13 - Jim Cancilla
12 - Len Lucas, Tiny Vitello & Bill Harmon	
10 - Joe Skory	

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STATE YOUTH cont'd

- 9 - Carm Piscitello and Dick Tayfel
- 5 - Bill Varga, Joe Hoehn, Joe Kolick, Leon Lasky, Ray Hepner, Henry Klienhenz, Phil Barzen, Len Emery, and Fran Murray
- 4 - Ted Mack, Tony Savarino, Jerry Geiger, Tom Wolff
- 3 - Dick Waytko Jack Montean  
 Gus Muhlhahn Charles R. Paluch  
 Joe Peterka Tom Smith  
 John Weiskittel Vic Siebeneck  
 John Bovenzi Carl Kessler  
 Ed Kimmick R. Krecic  
 Dick Kusak Frank Costanzo  
 Adam Hessert Bob Johnson  
 Joe Lutz Ed Majoros  
 Mike Scanlon Fr. John Lesniak  
Msgr. Korab Dick McKenney  
 George Mealey Frank Zinser  
 Henry Kobak Don Kobak  
 John Hudecek Al Swinglish  
 Leo Lasky Bernie Becks  
 Bill Brehm Al Creter  
 Jim Wilkins Joe Arnold  
 Pete Castle Don Worden  
 Pat Sutton Ace Spakowski  
 John Skvarek Joe Rozek  
 Don Traci Clare Tyler  
 Sam Aquino Vince Bianchi  
 Tony Colnar Babe Denk  
 Ed Gareau Ed Hanood  
 Jay Ellis Dick Dietrich  
 Ed Stryker Bob McFarlane  
 John Kmieck Joe Frolo  
 Frank Kagel John Horchy  
 Ed Franczak Gabe Zsigo  
 Ray Lieb Bob Connors

Charles Copple

Attending the Drawing in Akron were the Wolfes, Skorys, Wordens, Wilkins, Bonners, Arnolds, and the Kuchariks.

In case you'd like to know, very briefly, who the Award Winners were:

- \$102.00 Month for Life- Mrs. Wanda Plata  
 4323 Bruening Dr.  
 Parma, Ohio
- Cadillac - Mary M. Mazzoleni, Youngstown, O.
- Dodges - R. A. Sherman, Elyria, O.  
 Ted Vedrinski, Columbus, O.
- Mustangs - R. F. Donahoe, Urbana, O.  
 Adelma Glueck, Cincinnati, O.
- Chevys - R. E. Thomas, Moorestown, N. J.  
 Barbara Jelen, Salem, O.
- 14-Day Vacations - Stanley Ringer, Marion, O.  
 Miss Mary Sespriro, Ashtabula, O.
- \$500 - James Wilson, Toronto, O.  
 Charlotta Murray, Youngstown, O.  
 Mike Sarmier, Dayton, O.  
 Carlos Adams, Jr., Ripley, O.  
 Lee Witengier, Columbus, O.
- \$100 - Robt. E. Keffer Jr., Garrettsville, O.  
 Paul Konys Sr., 3653 W. 159, Cleveland  
 Scott Butler, W. Richfield, O.  
 T. A. Ogle, Chardon, O.  
 R. W. Dorsey, Martins Ferry, O.  
 Margaret A. Paumier, Louisville, O.  
 Francis Pitcavage, Columbus, O.  
 Pat Larocca, Canton, O.  
 Bill Williams, Youngstown, O.  
 Kathleen Dunphy, Cincinnati, O.

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 NEW ADVOCATE

Congratulations to Dick Kusak who was elected to fill the position of Council Advocate on 12-18-68. Dick has held this job previously, so he is experienced.

MEMBERSHIP

We welcome and extend a somewhat belated greetings to the following men who were initiated in the First Degree at Brooklyn-Parma on 11-14-68:  
 Charles J. Szabo Sr. (Gemma)  
 Charles J. Szabo Jr.  
 30837 Bradley Rd., N. Olmsted 777-5317

The Szabos also received the Second Degree of the Order on the same date together with Mike Kagel, Dan Butkiewicz, Dave Fallaro, Pat McCafferty, Joe McCauley, Carmen Savarino, Bill Skory, and Dale Walters.

Initiated in the First Degree on 12-18-68 were the following men:

- Tony Vitello (Ruby), This is Tiny's Father.  
 12212 Carrington, Cleve., O. 44135 252-2451
- Kenneth Vosniak  
 29534 Schwartz Rd., Westlake 44145 871-5598
- Don R. Boll (Janis)  
 1331 Mathews Ave., Lakewood 44107 228-4064
- Daniel P. Dalessandro (Adna)  
 24908 Kennedy Ridge Rd., N. Olmsted 777-1198
- Patrick J. Lyons  
 4124 Root Rd., N. Olmsted 777-0112
- Lee C. Rasgaitis (Mary)  
 6683 Charles Ave., N. Olmsted 777-3566

We offer our congratulations to all you men and sincerely hope you take an active role in the K of C. We're certain that if you do become an active member that you will receive a large amount of personal gratification. You will derive from the K of C proportionately to your participation.

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 FROM THE DESK OF MEMBERSHIP CHMN.

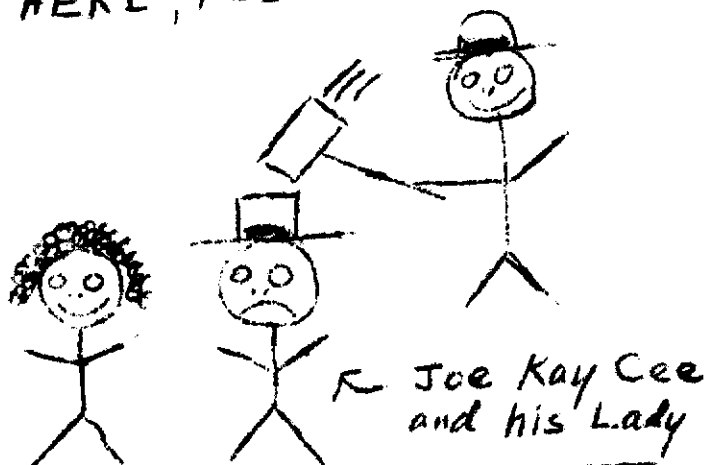
DGK Henry Klienhenz reminds us not to forget the Second Degree following the brief, regular Meeting on 1-15. You will note the Regular Meeting is advanced from 8:30 to 8:00 to accommodate the Degree. Our own Team will initiate, and this will be the very last time that any of the Members will see the Second Degree Exemplified in the manner dating back to the inception of the Order. Drastic changes have been made to be effective no later than March 29, 1969.

Major Degree When: Sunday, Feb. 2  
 Where: Fr. Ragan Council, Avon Lake, O.  
 Time: 1:00 P.M. All Candidates are expected to be at the hall at this time.  
 Program: Cocktails from 7 to 8:00 P.M.  
 Dinner at 8:00 PM  
 Cost: \$3.50 per person. Candidates will not have to pay for their dinner. They will have to pay for their wives or girlfriends, However.  
 Guest Speaker: Robert Lackner, Ohio State Council Treasurer. Bob is one of the most entertaining and informative speakers in the State.

Toastmaster: PGK Bill Bonner  
 The Candidates will be properly advised before Feb. 2nd by Henry Klienhenz as to all the necessary details. The Candidates and Members are urged to attend the Dinner with their Ladies. This is a District Major Degree and again we remind one and all that this is the very last time you will see the Major Degree conducted as we know it. The Major Degree will be changed along with the First and Second Degree.

On Sunday, March 16, 1969, there will be conducted in Columbus at the Fair Grounds the New First, Second, and Third Degree. This is to be a State-wide affair.  
 A friendly reminder: All Third Degree Knights should be proud to wear the K of C Emblem. Let's get out the lapel pins and wear them!

MAY WE HAVE ATTENTION  
HERE, PLEASE



FLASH BULLETIN  
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From the huts of:  
Bill Cech, Chmn.  
John Bovenzi, Co-  
Chmn.

Get a load of Joe Kay Cee.  
He forgot about it, <sup>she</sup> didn't (smiles). Or maybe  
you didn't know about our  
GREAT BIG DANCE. You can  
smile too, friend. Just  
read on

WHAT: FOURTH ANNUAL REUNION DANCE  
WHEN: FRIDAY NITE JANUARY 31, 1969  
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Canterbury rd., North Olmsted. Canter-  
bury runs south off Butternut Ridge, be-  
tween Dover and Columbia Rds.  
TIME: 9:30 PM til 1:00 AM  
MUSIC: Mike Jacobs and his 4-piece combo who'll  
play anything you want to hear.  
COST: \$4.00 per couple  
REFRESHMENTS: BYOB Set-ups available  
DRESS: Informal  
DOORPRIZES TOO!!!!  
RESERVATIONS: Call Bill or Joan Cech at 884-2302  
or John or Sue Bovenzi at 777-4309

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## AND GUESS WHAT?

North Olmsted Council was Chartered on Feb. 1, 1959, so this is just the beginning of our Year-Long Tenth Anniversary Celebration. We'd like to see all the remaining Charter Members at the Dance-- The Acquinos, the Boyers, the Gareaus, the Giffords, the Lyons, the Macks, the Brohms, the Malloys, the McLaughlins, the Muhlans, the Novotnys, the O'Haras, the O'Neills, the Pattons, the Scanlons, the Schmotzers, the Spakowskis, the Stolls, the Tayfels, the Tylers, the Woiskittels, the Wilkins, the Zarns, the Zsigos, the Kmiecks, the Wm. Kanos, the Boessnecks, the Robt. Cases, and the Harry Geigers.

This is an empty space.  
Color it GO!

This isn't the fanciest flyer you ever got, but you have to admit one thing for sure---it's the worst art work you've seen in a long time. We'll let you do the coloring--let your imaginations run wild.

Just a word to the wise for the guys (the last of the big spenders)--you can cleverly kill 2 birds with one stone. You can bring your Gal to the BIG DANCE and take care of Valentine Day at the same time (no charge for this timely bit of info.)

Who's Welcome? Everyone!! Members, Friends,  
Neighbors, Relatives

P.S. Don't forget the Major  
Degree and Dinner on Feb. 2