

## COLUMBIA LODGE #31 F.&A.M.

### APRIL 2008 NEWSLETTER

#### LODGE CALENDAR

April 7 <sup>th</sup>	Order of the Temple 6pm
April 10 <sup>th</sup>	EA Degree 7pm Lawrence Frances Gallagher II
April 11 <sup>th</sup>	OV – Benton 111 7pm
April 12 <sup>th</sup>	OV – Spring Hill 124 Eat @ 6pm
April 17 <sup>th</sup>	FC Degree 7pm Jared Todd Kellum
April 21 <sup>st</sup>	District 10 Meeting Mt. Pleasant Community Center 6pm
April 24 <sup>th</sup>	Official Visit 7pm Eat @ 6pm
April 28 <sup>th</sup>	Chapter/ Council / Commandery Stated meeting 6:30pm
May 1 <sup>st</sup>	Lodge Stated Meeting
May 6 <sup>th</sup>	OES Stated meeting

**District 10 Meeting April 21<sup>st</sup> 2008 6pm Mt. Pleasant Community Center**

**Official Visit April 24<sup>th</sup> 2008 7pm Eat @ 6pm James E Duncan - Joe C Foster – Thomas J Piper – Robert W Yahola up for proficiency renewal.**

“Make no little plans. They have no magic to stir men's blood and probably themselves will not be realized. Make big plans; aim high in hope and work, remembering that a noble, logical diagram once recorded will never die, but long after we are gone will be a living thing, asserting itself with ever-growing insistency. Remember that our sons and grandsons are going to do things that would stagger us. Let your watchword be order and your beacon beauty. Think big.”

--Daniel Burnham, Chicago architect (1864-1912); Architect of the Chicago Masonic Temple, which was, in 1891, at 22 stories, the tallest skyscraper in the world.

Brethren,

Thank you for helping make the breakfast fundraiser a success. I am not one who usually has breakfast, much less one to get up and cook (or watch Bro. Ronnie and Bro. Marty cook), but it was a good time. Also, thank those of you who had the opportunity to attend Grand Lodge last week.

In honor of Mule Day, I have been considering replacing the traditional goat with a mule. Hopefully that won't scare off potential members. I hope everyone enjoys the festivities.

John Ray Caldwell Jr, WM

#### NEW PETITIONS

John Louis Fischer  
Trevor Houston Cayce  
Terry Lynn Kellum Jr

#### DEGREES SET

Jared Todd Kellum – FC  
Lawrence Frances Gallagher II – EA  
Michael Wayne Bridge - EA

#### DEMITS GRANTED

None

**2008 Dues are Past Due  
There are 20 members who have  
not yet paid 2008 Dues. Please send  
check Payable to:**

**Columbia Masonic Bodies  
PO Box 835  
Columbia, TN 38402-0835**

**OES Country Ham Breakfast  
Mule Day April 5<sup>th</sup> 2008  
6 am till 10 am  
\$6.00 a person**