Ring 29 International Brotherhood of Magicians THE RING LEADER

7:30 p.m.

Meeting First Thursday each month at Grace Luth. Church, Hillcrest & Kavanaugh, L. R. Ark.

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Lt. Gene Walther, President

December, 1973



A N N U A L B A N Q U E T
Thursday Dec. 27th
6:30 p.m.
COACHMAN'S INN DISPLAY ROOM

The Menu:

Roast Beef Au jus Green Salad Baked Potato Broccoli Lemon Ice Box Pie



Banquet Notes:

- a. The cost of each plate is set at \$4.46 which includes tax and tips. Because of the generous gift of Mr. Nolan Blass \$2.00 can be deducted from this initial cost.
- b. The Inn will also provide a bar (\$10.00) and set-ups for a small fee. The cost per couple including food and set-ups will amount to about \$5.50 per couple.
- c. The Banquet will be held in the Display Room. Its ideal. Plenty of room for each Magi to do his thing in magic.
- d. Please call Rev. Bird for reservations. We must have 25 in attendance. Its a social for the entire family. Wives expected.

IN THE INTEREST OF MORE FELLOWSHIP :

The highlight of the Dec. 6th meeting was a report of Dr. John Mc. Smith. He read the following: "Because I think more social contact outside of Ring Meetings and more social contact will be helpful to the growth and solidarity of Ring 29, I would like to make a contribution to our Ring of \$300. for that purpose. Up to 1/5 of the sum (\$60.00) may be spent in each of the next five calendar years

for food, beverages and other expenses for one or more parties, picnics or similiar "get togethers" to which the wives or dates of the members must be invited. Any prospective member may be invited."

Signed:

Nolan Blass

Other stipulations were read and defined. The response of the members accepting the offer of Mr. Blass was more than tepid as all present were loud and firm in their affirmative response. The acceptance vote was followed with recommendations to express our thanks to Mr. Nolan Blass for his planning for the welfare of the Ring.

Notes: The Vice Chairman appointed Col. Frank Seymour and Mr. Jim Nolting on the Committee for the Annual Banquet...Andy Stirman brought glamour to the meeting as he introduced his bride of a few weeks. Congratulations and best wishes were extended to both...Al Houpt introduced the lecturer with the remark: "He gives attention to little details and makes them significant". That he did ! Big Frank Caple in his wonderful and lucid style made every little move a significant manipulation. How about that Linking Ring Routine ! Frank makes it look so easy we'll all be doing it by the next meeting.

We express for all our deep concern in reporting that t. D. Boyer is home following a stay at the Baptist Hospital.