

Quincy Branch Library

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Library Hours:

Sunday / Monday - Closed

Tuesday - 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday - 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Thursday - 12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Friday - 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday - 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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It's a New Year with NEW HOURS!!

Thanks to the August millage vote passing, all six of our library buildings are able to be open more hours. Quincy can restore the Thursday's we had to close plus a bit more. We were down to only being open 25 hours, but now we will be open 32 as follows:

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Closed Sunday and Monday

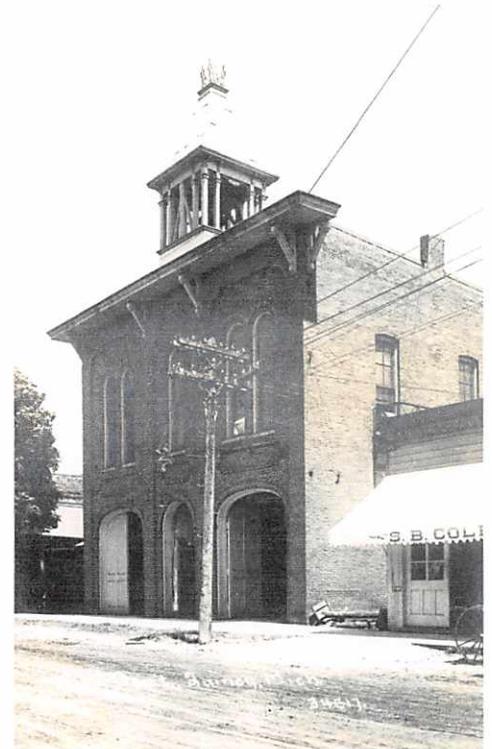
Attention One and All!

Join us Tuesday, April 21 at 6:30 pm for the Annual Friends of the Library get-together at the Quincy Branch! Light refreshments will be served by the Quincy Friends.

The Quincy Friends next meeting will take place Tuesday, April 28 at 4 pm in the lower level. We welcome visitors!

Would You Like to Volunteer??

The Quincy Library needs an individual to look through each Wednesday Shopper's Guide for Quincy resident obituaries. They would need to be cut out and mailed or dropped off at the library.



A postcard of the Quincy Fire Department. Article discussing the building dedication is on page 4.



WILLIAMS (11)

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Ode to Filmography –

Did you know our area boasts some influential people in the film industry?



Frederick Truesdell, born 1872 in Coldwater, Michigan, died May 9, 1929 in Quincy, Michigan was an actor in the following films:

The Black Sheep, 1912
The Poisoned Pool, 1912
The Return of Lady Linda, 1913
Nobody's Love Story, 1913
The Little Mother of Black Pine Trail, 1913
The Telegraph Operator, 1913
The Great Unknown, 1913
The Mad Who Dared, 1913
The Stronger, 1913
The Thirst for Gold, 1913
From the Beyond, 1913
Firelight, 1914
The Deep Purple, 1915
Alias Jimmy Valentine, 1915
Arrival of Perpetua, 1915
Hearts in Exile, 1915
The Cotton King, 1915
Camille, 1915
The World Against Him, 1916
The Man Who Forgot, 1917
The Greatest Power, 1917
Beloved Adventuress, 1917
Daughter of Maryland, 1917
My Own United States, 1918
A Man's World, 1918
Hearts of Love, 1918
Great Victory, Wilson or the Kaiser? The Fall of the Hohenzollerns, 1919
The Love Piker, 1923
Chastity, 1923
The Beauty Prize, 1924

NEW YORK TIMES BEST SELLER LIST

COMBINED PRINT & E-BOOK NONFICTION

1. **UNBROKEN**, by Laura Hillenbrand. (Random House.) /An Olympic runner's story of survival as a prisoner of the Japanese in World War II.
2. **AMERICAN SNIPER**, by Chris Kyle with Scott McEwen and Jim DeFelice. (Morrow/HarperCollins.) A former member of the Navy SEALs discusses his battlefield experiences during the Iraq war. Kyle was shot to death in Texas in 2013.
3. **WILD**, by Cheryl Strayed. (Knopf.) A woman's account of a life-changing 1,100-mile hike along the Pacific Crest Trail during the summer of 1995.
4. **KILLING PATTON**, by Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard. (Holt.) The host of "The O'Reilly Factor" recounts the strange death of Gen. George S. Patton in December 1945.
5. **YES PLEASE**, by Amy Poehler. (Dey Street/Morrow.) A humorous miscellany from the comedian and actress, the "S.N.L." alumna and star of "Parks and Recreation."

COMBINED PRINT & E-BOOK FICTION

1. **GONE GIRL**, by Gillian Flynn. (Crown.) A woman disappears on the day of her fifth anniversary; is her husband a killer?
2. **ALL THE LIGHT WE CANNOT SEE**, by Anthony Doerr. (Scribner.) The lives of a blind French girl and a gadget-obsessed German boy before and during World War II.
3. **GRAY MOUNTAIN**, by John Grisham. (Doubleday.) A lawyer joins a legal clinic in a small Virginia town, and becomes involved in litigation against the coal mining industry.
4. **HOPE TO DIE**, by James Patterson. (Little, Brown.) Detective Alex Cross's family is kidnapped by a madman who wants to turn Cross into a perfect killer.
5. **THE ESCAPE**, by David Baldacci. (Grand Central.) John Puller, a special agent with the Army, hunts for his brother, who was convicted of treason and has escaped from prison.



MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR
DATE: 10/15/54

RE: [Illegible]



In Appreciation...

In Memory of...

Colin Albright
Union Church Women's Society

Larry Backus
Carolyn VanRiper
Sheila Alley
Linda Clemenson
Zenie Hilton

Gertrude Baldauf
American Legion Aux. Quincy Unit #157

Margaret Benoit
Mikki Bowerman
Rick & Ann Lown

Betty Bishop
Ron & Kathy Will

James R. Bowers
Don & Teddy Sinclair

Mary Burlew
Quincy Library Board
Jeff & Lisa Wood
Jeanne Berg
Raymond & Ina Burlew
Ray Jr. & family
Randy & family
Rodney & family
Sherman & Lucia Carpenter
Ronald & Kathleen Will
Stephen & Nancy Runyon
Hank & Dorothy Risk
Mr. & Mrs. Roger Messenger
Roy & Shirley Tappenden
Mary Dawn Dobson
Keith & Paula Preston

Carlton & Norma Cook
Chuck & Diane Cook

Donald Daniels
Pete & Diane
Rick & Ann

Norm Gilbert
Mike & Ann Nowicki

Margaret (Smead) Hutchins
Joyce Klepack

Ray Kranz
Mary Jo Kranz

Karen MacCheyne
Jill Stewart Sluyter

Barbara McLain
Shirley Brand
Teddy Sinclair
Union Church Women's Society

Ralph & Connie Natusch
Chuck & Diane Cook
Mary Jo Kranz

Frank Parkinson
Mary Jo Kranz
Union Church Women's Society

Edward Raugh
Don & Teddy Sinclair
Union Church Women's Society

Winifred B. Shaw
Jennings Staff

Ted Sims
Mikki Bowerman
Rick & Ann Lown

Willard Smead
Paul & Carol Zook
Todd & Darcie Zook
Brad & Ann Zook

Marge Stempien
Jill Stewart Sluyter

Bob Stempien Jr.
Jill Stewart Sluyter

Doug Thompson
Ann Lown
Regina Ewers
Union Church Women's Society

Joan K. Wirtz
David & Renee Hardy

Correction from our last newsletter: In Memory of - Steve & Juanita Berry (not Stan)

In Honor of...

Connie Karney
Dan & Judy Dobson

Donations to the Jane Baldwin Endowment Fund...

In Memory of...

Jane Baldwin
Pete & Marie Baldwin
Dan & Judy Dobson
David & Holly Stephenson

Donations:

Ron & Kathleen Will for the purchase of "True Dusk", by I.C. Atwell (local Isaac Veysey-White)

Thank You:

Dennis Smith, Sue Webb, Shirley Haver, Donna Ford, Shirley Tappenden, Jackie Deline, Rita Carpenter, Linda Bailey - for their assistance during the Book Sale.

Mary Dawn Dobson - for unearthing treasures from Quincy's past newspapers.

Sue Webb, Bonnie Frick, Judy Bevard, Shirley Tappenden, Carol Kahaian, Barb Rockhold, Renee Hardy - for helping during the Quincy Lights event and for helping with the cookies at the Swallow's Nest or providing cookies for the event

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50 States / 50 Books

Alabama – *To Kill a Mockingbird*

Alaska- *Into the Wild*

Arizona – *The Host*

Arkansas - *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings*

California – *The Year of Magical Thinking*

Colorado - *The Shining*

Connecticut – *The Stepford Wives*

Delaware – *Fight Club*

Florida- *Skinny Dip*

Georgia – *The Color Purple*

Hawaii – *Descendants*

Idaho – *The Blacker the Berry*

Illinois – *Divergent*

Indiana – *The Fault in Our Stars*

Iowa – *A Thousand Acres*

Kansas – *Dark Places*

Kentucky – *And One Last Thing*

Louisiana – *Dead Until Dark*

Maine – *Carrie*

Maryland- *The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants*

Massachusetts – *Running with Scissors*

Michigan – *Middlesex*

Minnesota – *The Long-Shining Waters*

Mississippi – *The Help*

Missouri – *Gone Girl*

Montana – *The Horse Whisperer*

Nebraska – *Eleanor & Park*

Nevada – *Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas*

New Hampshire – *Horns*

New Jersey – *Are You There God? It's Me Margaret*

New Mexico – *Tiger Eyes*

New York – *Extremely Loud & Incredibly Close*

North Carolina – *Safe Haven*

New Hampshire – *Round House*

Ohio – *Beloved*

Oklahoma – *The Outsiders*

Oregon – *Wild*

Pennsylvania – *The Silver Lining's Play Book*

Rhode Island – *My Sister's Keeper*

South Carolina – *The Notebook*

South Dakota – *61 Hours*

Tennessee – *The Firm*

Texas – *Friday Night Lights*

Utah – *Under the Banner of Heaven*

Vermont – *Pollyanna*

Virginia – *Flowers in the Attic*

Washington – *Where'd You Go*

West Virginia – *Rocket Boys*

Wisconsin - *Brokeback Mountain*

I'm sure some of you have seen on Facebook "How many states have you visited?". So here is a new one: "How many of these books have you read?"

Did You Know?

- "The first news paper published in Branch County was the Michigan Star, the first number of which was issued at the village of Branch, then the county seat in May 1837." (*The Courier*, Coldwater, Michigan, August 7, 1905)
- Crocodiles never outgrow their enclosure
- Coins thrown into the Trevi fountain in Italy are collected for charity
- French fries are originally from Belgium
- Enamel is the hardest substance in your body
- There are 31,557,600 seconds in a year
- In a deck of cards the king of hearts is the only king without a mustache
- The most commonly forgotten item for travelers is their toothbrush
- Coca Cola launched its 3rd product Sprite in 1961
- Apples are more effective at waking you up in the morning than coffee
- Room temperature is defined as between 20 to 25C (68 to 77F)
- An octopus pupil is rectangular
- The hyoid bone in your throat is the only bone in your body not attached to any other
- The movie *Pulp Fiction* cost \$8 million to make with \$5 million going towards actor's salaries
- The movie *Wayne's World* was filmed in two weeks
- There are only 4 words in the English language which end in 'dous' (they are: hazardous, horrendous, stupendous and tremendous)
- Cats can't move their jaw sideways
- It's physically impossible for pigs to look up at the sky
- The most sensitive finger is your index finger (closest to your thumb)
- 'Bookkeeper' and 'bookkeeping' are the only 2 words in the English with three consecutive double letters
- The word "strengths" is the longest word in the English language with 1 vowel



The Board of Directors of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company has the honor to acknowledge the interest and cooperation of the stockholders in the work of the Company during the year 1950-1951. The Board is particularly indebted to the stockholders for their support of the Company's policy of expansion and modernization of its facilities, which has resulted in the Company's continued growth and success.

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Quincy Herald newspaper

January 26, 1905

CASTLE HALL

The Elegant New Quarters of Quincy Tent, Knights of Pythias, to be Dedicated Friday, Jan. 27th.

Last summer J.N. Salisbury and Will Iles formulated a plan to build the first story of a business block on the east side of North Main street, occupying the lots between the rear of the business block facing on Chicago street and S.B. Cole's tin shop, just south of village hall. They had no trouble in interesting the K. of P. Lodge in joining them in the project and building the second story, to be owned and occupied by that popular and rapidly growing order as their lodge and club rooms.

The building was started early in the fall, but some delay was occasioned in getting the material and the lower story was completed and occupied about a month ago, the south store by Mr. Iles as a feed store and the north store by Mr. Salisbury for the storage of sash, doors, blinds, etc. in connection with his extensive lumber business. The building has a frontage of 45 feet on Main street and a depth of 65 feet, with brick walls, the front being red pressed brick. The block is a handsome and substantial one, a credit to the projectors and the thriving and progressive village in which it is located.

Work has just been completed on the interior of Castle hall and the fine suite of rooms fitted up in connection therewith make it one of the most convenient and up-to-date lodge homes to be found in the state. A double acting swing door gives entrance from street to stairway 3 ½ feet wide between the Salisbury and Iles' store, with four foot landing at top, from which entrance is made to cloak room 7x12 feet. From the cloak room or hall doors enter the club room and ante room, the former being 19x22 feet and the latter 7.10 feet. The club room occupies the front over the Iles' store and is a fine large well lighted room, and a handsome body brussels carpet and appropriate furniture makes it look cheerful and home-like. This is accessible at all times to members of the order and will afford a pleasant place to while away leisure moments. Back of the club room is a fine dining room, 16x25 feet, and back of this and the ante room is a large kitchen, 22 feet by an average of about 10 feet, the cut-off for alley on southeast corner of building making this room irregular in shape. The lodge room over the Salisbury store is 22x50 feet, with double six foot slide door entrance from club room and 4 ½ foot slide door from ante-room. The lodge room is nicely fitted up with a fine lot of new chairs, the officers chairs being especially handsome. The alter and pedestals in front of the officers chairs are made of black walnut, triangular in form and on each of the three sides the monogram of the order, F.C.B. is carved. Back of the Chancellor Commander's chair on the wall is an oval shape ellipse, with the shield and other designs painted in the colors of the order, in the centre, and the words "Quincy Lodge No. 261" in a silver scroll underneath, all being enclosed in a wide gold band, and is an appropriate and attractive ornament for the Lodge room. Will Houghtaling is the artist and the work reflects credit on his ability and good judgment.

Back of the hall is a large property room and lavatory and closet. The main hall and club rooms are finished in oak and the other rooms in ash. Steel ceilings also adorn these rooms. All the doors except the one at the foot of the stairs are made of Washington red cedar, which are of a rich dark color finished in natural wood.

Quincy Lodge No. 201 was organized Oct. 28, 1897, with the following charter members: Dewitt Babcock, J.C. White, C.H. Young, Clinton Joseph, G.J. Fillmore, Walter Haight, E.D. Lockerby, C.H. Hallack, Steve Clark, Chas. Leiving, Chas. Morey, George Barker, Orrin Bills, F.E. Powers, C. W. Owen, Burley Shoemaker, Chas. Stepper, S.D. Caldwell, Emmet Hephner, J.C. Joiner, L. L. King, Havens Farwell, A.T. Mallory, C.C. Jones, George Trott, C.F. Crouch and A. M. Griffin, 27 in all. Of these only one death is reported, that of J.C. Joiner. A few have moved away, but nearly all the charter members retain their membership with Quincy Lodge. The Lodge has made rapid growth, especially during the past few months, and is made up mostly of the vigorous and active young men of the community. The membership is now 97, six new names being added to the roster Tuesday evening.

The committee of arrangements for the dedication of Castle Hall tomorrow (Friday afternoon report good progress and no effort will be spared to make it one of the most notable and enjoyable events in the history of Pythianism in Michigan. Large delegations are expected from neighboring Lodges, with their ladies, and ample preparations are being made to entertain all visitors in a royal manner.

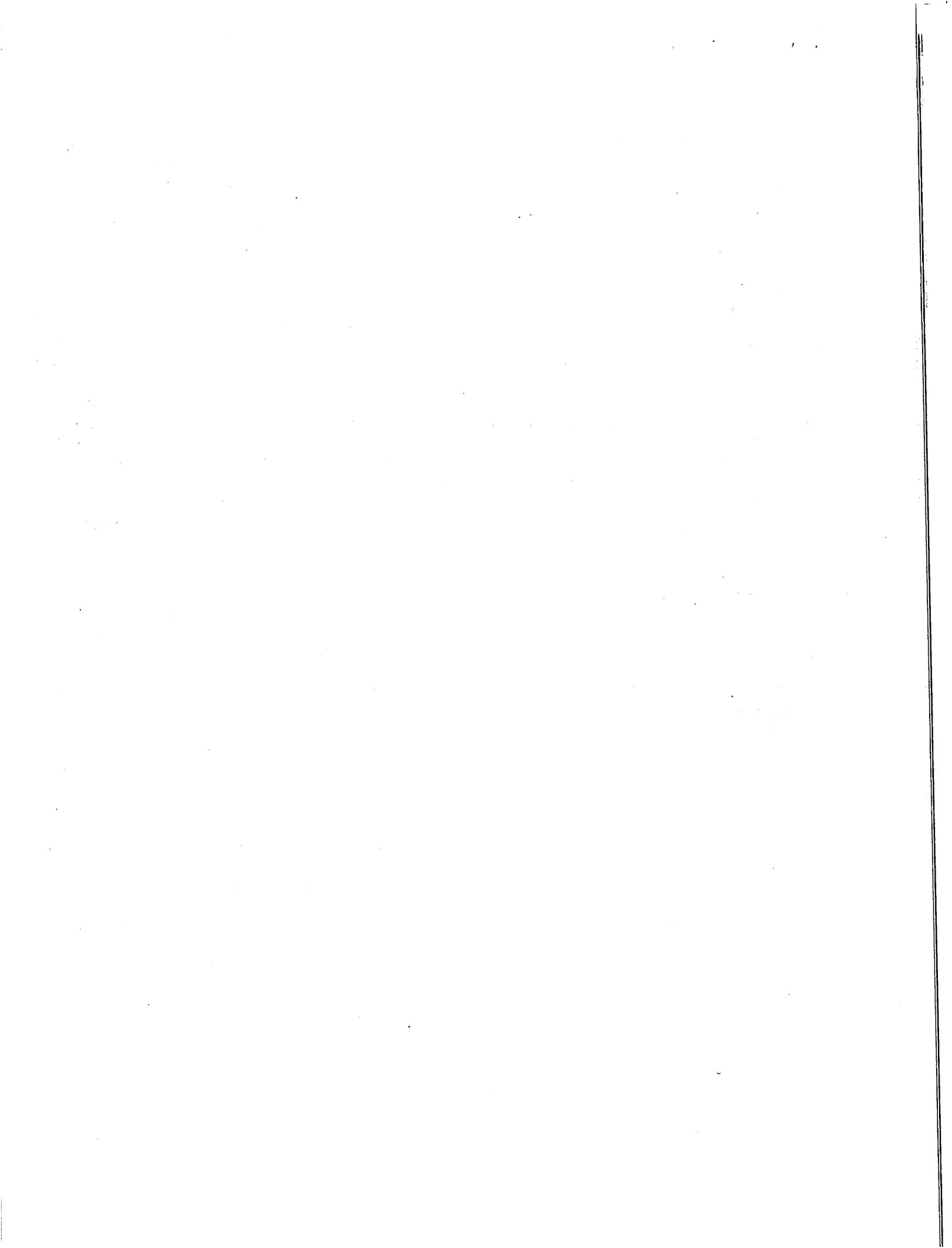
The dedicatory exercises will begin at the new hall at 2:30 p.m., and will be in charge of the Grand Lodge officers. Initiatory work will also be done in the evening, a suitable candidate being reserved for that occasion, when it is expected he will get his money's worth.

Lady visitors will be cared for at the opera house during the afternoon, a fine program having been prepared for their entertainment there. The banquet will be served at village hall at 5:30, and the day's activities will close with a grand banquet at the opera house in the evening, which will be neatly decorated for the occasion. The Quincy orchestra will furnish music at the banquet and also for the dance. Local K.P. ladies will entertain visiting ladies at the opera house during the afternoon.

Arrangements have been made for a special train to run to Hillsdale to take the visitors from the east home after the dance at night.

Quincy business men have been very generous in contributing to the fund for fitting up the new hall and also for the entertainment of visitors, which is greatly appreciated by members of the order.

The accompanying cut affords a good view of the east side of North Main street, as it now appears, beginning with the new K.P. block north to railroad grounds and city park.



Annual Friends of the Library Membership Drive

The Friends of the Library invites you to renew or begin your membership. The membership begins January 2015. Please complete the below information, enclose a check payable to the Friends of the Library and either send it to the library or to Teddy Sinclair at 490 Clarendon Rd., Quincy, MI 49082. The Friends of the Library are responsible for the continuance of the newsletter and assisting with many of the library's programs.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____

Membership: \$5.00

I am interested in contributing an additional \$ _____ for the continuance of this newsletter.

2015 Quincy Library Board

Teddy Sinclair – President
Barb Rockhold – Vice President
Connie Karney – Treasurer
Judy Dobson – Secretary
Bonnie Frick - Trustee
Carol Ludlow – Trustee

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