

At a Respectable Meeting of Master Masons
Desirous of forming a New Lodge, to be named Mariners
Lodge.

Brother George Arnold was called to the chair
And Brother John Dudley appointed Secty.

Resolved that Br. Tho. D. Johnston be the
First Treasurer, Br. John Dudley be the first Secty.,
Br. Jacob Moore Jr. Be the first Senior Deacon
Br. George S. Hazelton be the first Junior Deacon
Br. Thos. Knapp and Br. Br. Ebenezer Petty be the first
Masters of Ceremonies Br. John Harrison and Br.
Moses Woods be the first Stewards and Br. Wm.
G. Henshaw be the first Tyler.

Resolved that a committee of three be appointed to
wait on the Rt. Wpl Grand Secty to obtain a dispensation(s)
for our organization. Brs. Arnold, Dudley & Moore are
appointed on that committee.

Resolved we adjourn this meeting until
Thursday evening the 17th at 8 o'clock to meet at
Union Hall.

Signed George Arnold
Chairman
John Dudley Secty.

Union Hall Tuesday Evening
15th Aug. A.D. 1825

At a meeting of Respectable Master Masons called
By Resolution of the meeting 15th inst.(?) held at Union Hall

Br. George Arnold in the Chair
And Br. John Dudley Secty.

Br. Arnold appointed Br. Jacob Moore to furnish
Mariners Lodge No. 385 with 50 common aprons
Br. Arnold appointed Br. John Wilkie Master of St.
Johns Lodge no. 9 to furnish Mariners Lodge no. 385 with
one thousand notices.

Meeting adjourned 10 P.M. Union Hall Thursday
Evening 8th Sept. 1825

John Dudley Secty.

Union Hall New York Saturday Evening
10th Sept A.D. 1825 A.L. 3825

At a meeting called by the Wpl. P.M. Hampton Dunham agreeable to a letter of dispensation from the Most Worshipful Grand Master Martin Hoffman Esq. (Deputy Grand Master from 1804 to 1819. Was named Deputy Grand Master when the City Lodges broke away in 1823, voted Grand Master 1824, stepped down June 1826) authorizing him to do the same for this purpose of Installing Mariners Lodge No. 385 under a warrant granted on the first Wednesday the Seventh day of Sept., the last regular quarterly communication of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York to be held in the City and county & State of New York.

Present as M.W.G.M. Hampton Dunham P.M. Silencia (No. 360) ((New York City, chartered Jun 13 1823.))

As Rt. W.Dpty. G.M. John Wilkies W.M. St Johns No. 9

As Rt. W. G.S.W. Drake Wilson member of La Fayette Lodge

As Rt. W G. J.W. Wallace (otherwise blank)

As Rt. W. G. Secty. Thomas A. Duffy S.W. Franklin Lodge

As R.W. Grand Trer. Thad(es) Whitlock P.M. St. Andrews NY

Who with a number of Brethren assembled agreeably to previous notice when a Grand Lodge was opened in form.

The Officers and Members of Mariners Lodge No. 385 being present and Satisfied with the Officers appointed they were severally Installed into their respective offices.

To wit Br. George Arnold W.M.

“ Samuel Morton S.W. by proxy Br. Fleming

“ James T Harding J.W.

“ John Dudley Secty

“ Thos. D Johnston Trear.

“ Jacob Moore Jr. Senr. Deacon

“ George L Hazelton Jun. Deacon

“ William G. Henshaw Tyler

The Grand Lodge was closed in ancient form and Wpl. Master Arnold took his seat as Master of Mariners Lodge No. 385 after being regularly installed and called the other officers to their respective Stations.

A petition for charity was presented from Br. Wm. Damorum which was laid on the Table for further consideration. Br. Johnston proposed for Initiation Mr.. Olliver(sic) Barrow profession Ship Master age 26 Years Residence New York. Resolved that his name be handed to a committee for Investigation.

Brs. Dudley Moore and Johnston were appointed that Committee. Mariners Lodge closed in the M.M. degree and opened in the E.A. degree.

Lodge called from Labor to refreshment for a short space of time and from thence to labor again.

No other business appearing the Lodge closed in true Masonic Love & Harmony to meet on Tuesday evening the 13th inst. (?) at 7 oclock.

John Dudley Secty.

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No 385 held at Union Hall Tuesday evening 13th Sept. A.L. 5825

Present Br. George Arnold W.M.

“ James T. Harding S.W. P.S.

“ Jacob Moore Jr. J.W. P.S.

“ John Dudley Secty.

“ Tho. D. Johnston Trear.

And a number of brothers duly convened an E.A. lodge was opened by direction of the W.M. Resolved that the minutes of the last meeting be dispensed with-Resolved that we meet in Union Hall for the dispatch of our business.

Resolved that a committee of three be appointed to furnish Mariners Lodge with the necessary Books for Secty. And Trear. And all other Books and Stationary requisite for said Lodge- Brs. Dudley Johnston & Moore appointed on that committee.

Resolved that a committee of five be appointed to form the Bye(sic) Laws of Mariners Lodge. Br. Dudley, W.M. Arnold, Br. Harding, Br. Johnston & Br. Moore appointed on that committee by voice of the Lodge- Br. Harrison proposed for Initiation Mr.. Dudley Gillet profession Ship Master aged 32 Years- Resolved that the candidate's name be handed over to the present committee for investigation.

Resolved that a regular Standing Committee of three be appointed by the W.M. before our next election for officers- Committee appointed Br. Harding Br. Johnston and Br. Harrison.

Proposed by Br. Wm. Fleming Br. Robert H.(?) O'Neal as a ajoining member.

Resolved that the ajoining fee of this Lodge be Five Dollars- Resolved that the proposition fee of this Lodge for Candidacy be two dollars.

Resolved that we have 500 Hope and Anchor & 500 Ship & Pilot Boat Masonic notices from W.M. Br. John I Wilkies of St. John's Lodge no. 9-

Resolved that we have a Ship under full Sail printed on the bibs of the Aprons of this Lodge with the name and number of Mariners Lodge- Br. Johnston proposed as an ajoining member Br. Wm. Miller formerly of I.R.A. no. 2. no other business appraising the Lodge closed in true Masonic love and Harmony.

Collected from Br

John Dudley Secty

Harrison & Fleming \$4

The amount of thei proposition fees

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge held at Union Hall Saturday Evening 24th Sept. A.L. 5825

Present Br. Geo. Arnold W.M.
 “ Jas T. Harding S.W. P.S.
Master Franklin “ W.M. Br. Cleave J.W. P.S.
 “ Dudley Secty.
 “ Spencer Treas. P.S.

Who with a number of Brethren being duly convened an E.A. Lodge was opened in ancient form- The minutes of the evening of our Installation were read and approved the Minutes of the 13th inst. were read and approved.

Resolved that Mr. Dudley Gillet and Mr. Olliver Barrow be balloted for on the report of the Standing Committee the balls being distributed were found in favor of both the candidates admission- Received and read a communication from Silertia Lodge No. 360 dated Sept. 5th A.L. 5825 that John M Allen has been suspended by a resolution of that Lodge for nonpayment of dues signed E. Wolf Secty.

Resolved that Br. Wilkie and Grays bill pass for payment if found correct-Mr. Olliver Barrow being duly prepared received the E.A. degree in ancient form

Received and read a communication from St. Johns no. 9 that W.P.M. Alexander Divver was suspended for unmasonic conduct dated 15 Sept. 1825 signed by A H. Bennet Secty.- Received and read a communication from Washington Lodge no. 84 that Thos. Blake of Patterson by occupation Butcher made application to said Lodge for Initiation and was unanimously rejected signed Lewis S. Ford Secty.

Mr. Dudley Gillet being duly prepared recvd. The E.A. degree in ancient form. E.A. Lodge closed and F.C. Lodge opened. Brs. Barrow & Gillet, being duly prepared, received the F.C. degree in due form.

Resolved that Brs. Miller & O'Neal be balloted for- they were both admitted(sic) as ajoining members of Mariners Lodge no other business appraising the Lodge closed in true masonic Love & Harmony to meet tomorrow at 3 P.M. by order of the W.M.

Previous to closing the Lodge Br. Johnston proposed for Initiation Mr. Jacob Mull occupation Sail Maker Mr Joseph Hickman Mariner and Mr. Sacket Leveredge Grocer also Br. Stephen Jennings late of Trinity no. 39 as an ajoining member
Br. Moore proposes as an ajoining member Br. Banister Midgett formerly Washington Lodge N. Carolina.

John Dudley Secty.

Collected from

Br. Barrow \$18

“ Gillet \$18

“ Miller \$ 5

Proposition for Mull, Hickman 8 \$4 total (scrolly mark)

Leveredge & Jennings (nothing listed)

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Sunday 3 P.M. 25th Sept.
A.L. 5825

Present Br. Geo. Arnold W.M.
 “ Jas S. Harding S.W. P.S.
 “ Jacob Moore Jr. J.W. P.S.
 “ John Dudley Secty.
 “ Wm Fleming Treas. P.S.

And a number of Brethren duly convened a F.C. Lodge was opened in due form.

Resolved that the reading of the minutes of the last meeting be dispensed with- resolved that Br. Gillet receive the 3rd degree of Masonry this afternoon. Resolved that a committee of three be appointed to procure a Seal for the use of this Lodge. Brs. Arnold Dudley & Johnston appointed on that committee by vote of the Lodge. F.C. Lodge closed and M.M. Lodge opened Brs. Gillet & Barrow being duly prepared was (sic) raised to the Sublime degree of M.M.- Br. Miller proposed for initiation Mr. Thos. Darnton occupation Rigger aged 32 years residence 305 Front Street

The minutes of this meeting were read and app. No other business appearing the Lodge closed in true masonic love & harmony

John Dudley Secty.

Collected propn. Fee \$2

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Thursday Sept. 20th A.L. 5825

Present Br. Geo. Arnold W.M.

“ S.D. Johnston S.W. P.T

“ Mr. Miller J.W.P.S.

“ Ino (John) Dudley Secty.

“ Wm. Fleming Trear. P.S.

Who with a number of Brethren being duly convened an E.A. Lodge was opened in due form.

The minutes of the preceeding (sic) & last meeting were read and approved.

Resolved that Br. Heller's bill for refreshments pass for payment if found correct Amt. \$12.63.

Received a written communication from Br. Thos. S. Morton Secty. Of Mecanic Lodge 153 that Br. Peter Robinson a transient member has regularly withdrawn from said Lodge dated 27th Sept. 1825.

Br. Harrison proposed for initiation into the mysteries of our order Elizler (?) Foster profession Rigger, aged 27 years, residence Lombardy St.

Resolved that Brs. Dudley Gillet receive a traveling certificate from this Lodge.

The minutes of the Lodge were read no other business appearing the lodge closed in true masonic love & Harmony.

John Dudley Secty.

Collected from

Br. O'Neal \$3

Proposition for Mr. Foster 2

Dispensation for Mr. Albert 5 \$10

Returned five Dollars to Donnelly Albert p Br. Johnston Trear. (initials)

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at union Hall Saturday evening 8th Oct. A.L. 5825

Present Br. George Arnold W.M.

- “ S.D. Johnston S.W.P.S.
- « W. Miller J.W.P.S.
- « Jas (on). (?) Webster Trear. P.S.
- « John Dudley Secty.

Who with a number of Brethren duly convened an E.A. lodge was opened in due form. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved by the alteration of Mr. Donnelly Albert's name was struck off the minutes and the amount of \$5 be remitted. Mr. Jacob Mull being favorably reported of by the Standing committee the balls being distributed were found unanimously in favor of the candidate's admifsion.

Mr. Mull being duly prepared received the first degree of Masonry in ancient form.

Mr. Thos. Darnton being balloted for the balls were found unanimously in favor of his admission.

W.M. Br. George Arnold proposed for initiation Mr. John M. McIntosh aged 26 years profession mariner Residence New York.

Mr. Thos. Darnton being duly prepared received the E.A. degree in ancient form.

Br. Johnston proposed as an ajoining member Br. John St. David late of No. 39 residence James St.

Resolved that a committee of three be appointed to furnish the Lodge with a set of Jewells (sic) and hangings and be invested with full power to procure all the necessary furniture of this Lodge. Brs. Arnold, Harding and Dudley appointed on that committee.

No other businefs appearing the Lodge closed in masonic love and harmony.

John Dudley Secty.

Collected from Br. Darnton \$18

Mull 5

Proposition for McIntosh 20 total

Albert and Davis

John Dudley Secty.

At a Regular Meeting of Mariner Lodge No 385 held at union Hall Sat. Evening 15th October
A.L. 5825

Present George Arnold WM
John Dudley SWPT
Wm. Whitman JWPT
Thos. J. Morton Secy PT
Br (blank) Treas P T

Who with a number of brethren duly Convened an EA lodge was opened in Ancient form, the Minutes of the last Regular was read & approved. Rec'd the report of the S.C. who reported favorably of Mr. Elish Forster, the Balls being distributed were found in favor of the Candidates admifsion. On Motion Resolved if the Grand Lodge permits we acquiesce with Franklin Lodge no. 380 to be Consecrated together on Friday Evening next 28th we paying a proportional part of the Expense of said Consecration

Mr. Elisha Foster being duly prepared rec'd the first degree of Masonry in due & ancient form-

On motion Resolved that Br. Mull, Darnton & Foster Receive the 2nd degree of Masonry this Evening. E.A. Lodge closed & F.C. Lodge opened.

On Motion Resolved that Br. Andrews be admitted a member of this Lodge on paying \$5 as an Original member. Brs. Mull, Darnton & Foster, being duly prepared rec'd the Degree of F.C. in due & Ancient form.

On motion resolved that the Report of the S.C. be rec'd in favor of Br. Jennings & John F. Davis, late of Trinity Lodge no. 39 be balloted for this Evening the balls being distributed were found unanimously in favor of both Candidate's admifsion. Rec'd a Communication from Br. Wm. O'Leary Secy. Of Trinity Lodge no. 39 that Br. Stephen Jennings late of that Lodge has regularly withdrawn from said Lodge and paid up his dues dated New York 25th Sept. 1825. The Minutes of this Evening were read no other businefs appearing the lodge Closed in true Masonic Love & Harmony

Collected from Br. Elisa Foster \$10

John Dudley Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Saturday Evening 22 Oct. A.L. 5825

Present

Geo Arnold WM
J T Harding SWPT
Andrews JWPT
J Dudley Secy
Thos. D. Johnston Trer

Who with a number of brethren being duly Convened EA lodge was opened in due form. The minutes of the last regular was read and approved. The Report of the S.C. of M. John McIntosh being rec'd. the balls being distributed were found Unanimously in favor of the Candidate's admifsion. The S.C. report Being read respecting Br. Banister Midgett late of Washington Lodge North Carolina as an ajoining Member. The Balls were found in favor of the Brs. Admifsion Unanimously. Received a Communication from Br. Wm. O;Leary Secy of Trinity Lodge No. 39. that Brs. John F. Davis and John G. Andrews has regularly withdrawn from Said Lodge dated 22 Oct 1825 or AL 5825.

Mr. John McIntosh being duly prepared rec'd the first degree of masonry in due and ancient form. EA Lodge Closed and that of a M.M. opened. Brs. Darnton, Mull and Foster Being duly prepared was raised to the Sublime degree of M.M. in due & ancient form. The S.C. report of Mr. Sackett Leveredge being read & Rec'd. the Lodge proceeded to ballot the balls being distributed were found Unanimously in favor of the Candidate's Admifsion.

A Motion Resolved that the Lodge meet Tomorrow afternoon at Union Hall for the purpose of Raising Br. John McIntyre. No other Businefs appearing the Lodge Closed in true Masonic Love & Harmony.

John Dudley Secy.

Collected

From Stephen Jennings	\$3
Bannister Midgett	3
John F. Davis	3
John G Andrews	5
Br. Foster	8
Br. Mull	13
Total	\$35

JD Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Sunday 23 Oct. A.L. 5825
Present

Geo Arnold WM
Jas T Harding SWPT
Ino G Andrews JWPT

And a number of Brethren duly Convened FC Lodge opened in due form. On Motion Resolved the minutes of the last meeting be dispensed with this time.

Br. McIntosh being duly prepared Rec'd the F.C. degree in Ancient form. F.C. Lodge closed and M.M. Lodge opened. Br. McIntosh being duly prepared was Raised to the Sublime degree of M.M. in ancient Form.

Br. Miller proposed Capt. Matthew Reeves of the ship Louisa as a Candidate for the Mysteries of our Order .

Resolved that his name be Entered on the Minutes, & handed over to the S.C. for Investigation Nothing further Lodge Closed.

M. OLeary

Secy p Tem

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 a Conjunction with Franklin Lodge No 380, held at Union Hall Friday Evening Oct. 28 AL 5825

Present WM Cleaves, in the Chair
Brs. Duffy & Miller SW p Tem
“ Wilson & Harding JW (p Tem, erased)
“ Greerand & Dudley (Secys &
“ Therwillegher (?) & Johnston (Treasr

Who with a number of brothers Assembled a M.M. Lodge was opened in form. At 7.30. the Grand Lodge was Announced to be in form at 7.45 the M.W. G. M. took the chair at 8.41 got through the Installation and paid the Grand Honors.

A candidate for Franklin Lodge was duly proposed and the proposition duly recd the Lodges were called from Labor to Refreshment and from thence to Labor again. Nothing further offered the Lodge closed.

John Dudley Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Wednesday 9th Nov. A.L.
5825

Present Geo Arnold WM
 Samel. Morton SW
 Jas. T Harding JW
 Jno. Dudley Secy
 Thos. D. Johnston Treasr

Who with a number of brethren duly Convened an EA lodge was opened in due form. The Minutes of the last Regular were read and approved of. Rec'd a Communication from the Grand Secy informing the WM it is the request of the M.W.G.M. in Concurrence with the Grand officers, that Mariners Lodge join in the Public reception of the Festival of St. John the Evangelist on 27th Dec. next. EA Lodge closed & M.M. Lodge open'd. Brs. Reeves & Hickman being duly prepared was Raised to the Sublime degree of M.M. Resolved that the lodge go in Mourning and the members who walk in the public procefsion on the 27th Dec. wear Crape on the left arm as a token of Respect for our late Br. George S. Hazelton who was Shipwrecked on the coast of Georgia & all hands perished.

No other businefs appearing the Lodge Closed in true Masonic Love & Harmony.

John Dudley Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Saturday evening 19th Nov. A.L. 5825

Present	Geo Arnold WM
28.75	Saml. Morton SW
25.94	Jms. F. Harding JW
55-	John Dudley Secy.
_____	T D Johnston Trer.

109.69

Who with a number of Brethren being duly Convened an EA Lodge was opened in ancient form, the Minutes of the last regular was read & approved of. On Motion resolved that Brs. Stewart & Adams be considered as original members of the Lodge. Br. Stewart was unanimously admitted as an Adjoining member. Br. Adams was also admitted as an Adjoining member. On Motion Resolved that Br. Matthew Reeves receive a traveling Certificate from the Lodge. On the report of the S.C. being rec'd. favorably of mr. La Coste the balls being distributed were found unanimously in favor of the Candidate, Admifision.

Br. Moore proposed for Initation Mr. Ariel Gerard Profession Ship Master aged 33 years.

Resolved that the Lodge meet on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays as regular in this lodge Room until further notice

On motion resolved that Br. James Wilkie, John J Wilkie & Saml. B. Fleming past masters of St Johns Lodge no. 9 be proposed for adjoining members of this Lodge, provided it be Constitutional, their names to be Entered on the minutes and handed over to the S.C. for Investigation.

Br. Montgomery's bill for Stationary amtg. To \$28.75 Br. Wells bill Amtg. To \$25.94 & Br. McIntosh's bill amtg. To \$55. Passed if found correct. No other businefs appearing the Lodge Closed.

Collected from Br. Hickman	\$3
Gerards proposition	1
Morton	5
La Coste	2
Total	\$11

John Dudley secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Wednesday Evening 23th
Nov. A.L. 5825

Present Geo. Arnold WM
 Saml Morton SW
 Jacob Moore JWPT

Who with a number of Brethren being duly Convened An EA Lodge opened in due form. On a Motion Resolved that the Minutes of the last meeting be dispensed with. A dispensation been obtained from the M.W. Grand Master of Masons of the State of New York for the purpose of Conferring the three first degrees of Masonry on Mr. Robert A Dofsey this evening. on being read it was resolved the same be acted upon and Mr. Robert A. Dofsey being duly prepared rec'd the first degree of masonry in ancient form. E.A. Lodge Closed and F.C. opened. Br. Dofsey (Dossey) Being duly prepared was advanced to the F.C. degree in ancient form. F.C. lodge Closed and M.M. Lodge opened. Br. Dofsey being duly prepared was Raised to the Sublime degree of M.M..

On Motion Resolved that Br. R c (?) & Dofsey Become a member of this Lodge. Br. Miller proposed for initiation Capt. Benj'm Tunis aged (blank) years profefsion Ship Master Resident 319 Pearl St. deposited the usual sum \$2. nothing further offered Lodge Closed.

Collected of Br. Dofsey \$20
Br. Miller proposition fee 2
Total \$22

John Dudley secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Saturday Evening 28th Nov. A.L. 5825

Present Geo Arnold WM
Sam'l Morton SW
Jno T. Harding JW

And a number of Brethren being duly Convened an EA Lodge was opened in due form. A Dispensation from M.W.G.M. of this state was read authorizing us to confer the first three degrees of masonry on Benjamin Tunis, which was Accepted of. Mr. Benj'm Tunis being duly prepared rec'd the EA degree in due form. Mr. Adolphus T J LaCoste Being duly prepared Rec'd the Ea degree in Ancient form. EA lodge Closed & FC Lodge opened. The Minutes of the two last Regular Meetings were read & approved of. On motion Resolved that the names of Brs. James Wilkie John J Wilkie & Sam'l B. Fleming P.Mstrs. of St. Johns Lodge no 9 have leave to Withdraw their names off of our Minutes as adjoining Members. Br. Tunis & LaCoste being duly prepared rec'd the F.C. degree in due & ancient form. FC lodge closed and M M. Opened. Br. Tunis being prepared was raised to the Sublime degree of M.M. On the retiring of W.M. Arnold Br. Morton took the chair. On Motion resolved that a Committee of three be appointed to wait on W.M. Arnold to know if he will accept of the Chair for the ensuing Year. Brs, Johnston Moore & Knapp were appointed on that Comm'te. The Comm'te on their return report that WM Arnold will accept the chair if it the pleasure of the Lodge. Br. Miller proposed for initiation Mr. Samuel D. Jones aged 24 Years profession Mariner residence Brig Day, laying at Elephant's Wharf.

Resolved that his name be handed to the S.C. for Investigation. On Motion resolved that Br. Benj'm Tunis be a member of this Lodge. The Minutes of this Evening were read & approved. No other Businefs appearing the Lodge Closed in harmony

Collected from Br. Tunis \$18-
Ye Jones proposition 2
Rec'd br. Moore 1

John Dudley Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Wednesday Evening 30th Nov. A.L. 5825

Present Geo. Arnold WM
Sam'l Morton SW
Jas. F Harding JW
John Dudley Secy
Wm. Miller Tres PT

And a number of Brethren Being duly Convened an EA lodge was opened in due form- The minutes of the last Meeting were read & approved of. A dispensation from the M.W.G.M. of the State of New York was read authorizing us to Confer the first Three degrees of Masonry on Mr. Sam'l D Jones. On Motion Resolved that the same be acted upon this Evening. received and read a communication from Clinton Lodge No. 143 that Br. Joel Jones, was Suspended from said Lodge for improperly Withholding the funds of said lodge dated 26 Nov 1825 signed Joseph Ferris Secy. Recd a Communication from the Sec'y of St. Johns Lodge No. 9 that Br. Alexander Divver was restored to all the privileges of masonry dated 28 Oct. 1825. Mr. Sam'l D. Jones being duly prepared Rec'd the EA degree in due & ancient form.

EA Lodge closed & FC Lodge opened. Br. Jones being duly prepared rec'd the FC degree in due & Ancient form. FC lodge closed & MM Lodge opened. Brs. Jones & LaCoste being duly prepared was raised to the Sublime degree of M.M. On Motion resolved that Br. Saml. D. jones become a member of this Lodge. The minutes of this Evening were read & approved of.

No other businefs appearing Lodge closed in Harmony
Collected from Br. Jones \$18 John Dudley Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Saturday Evening 3 Dec.
A.L. 5825

Present

Geo Arnold WM
Js T Harding SW P Tem
Thos Knapp JW P Tem
Jno Dudley Secy
Benjm Tunis Treas'r p tem

Who with a number of Brethren being duly Convened an EA lodge was opened in due and ancient form. The Minutes of the last Evening being read, were Approved of. A Dispensation from the MWGM of the State of New York was read authorizing us to confer the three first degrees of Masonry on mr. James King.

Resolved that the same be acted upon this Evening.

Br. Knapp proposed as an adjoining member Br. Philip Sharpe late of Roxborough Lodge No. 135 Pennsylvania. Residence 135 Washington St. mr. James king being duly prepared. Rec'd the EA degree in due & ancient form.

Resolved that Br. Henshaw's bill for Lodge Candles Amtg. To \$2.50/1000 pafs for payment EA lodge closed & F.C Lodge opened. Br. James King Being duly prepared rec'd the F.C degree in due and Ancient form.

FC lodge closed & MM Lodge opened. Br. James king Being duly prepared was raised to the Sublime degree of M.M. Resovled that Br. James King's name be entered on our Minutes proposed as a Member of this Lodge.

Nothing further offered the Lodge Closed in Harmony
Collected from Br. James King \$20 John Dudley secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Saturday Evening 10 Dec.
A.L. 5825

Present Geo Arnold WM
Saml Morton SW
Jas T. Harding JW
John Dudley Secy
Thos. D. Johnston Treasr.

And a number of Brethren duly Convened a M.M Lodge was opened in due & Ancient form.
The Minutes of the last Meeting was read & Pafs'd with the alteration of Br. James King be a
Member of this Lodge in place of adjoining Member.

Br. Robert A Dofsey & Br. Benjamin Tunis were unanimously admitted by ballot as members of
this Lodge.

Mr. Aziel Gerard being Reported favorably by the S.C. the Balls being distributed were found
unanimously in his favor. Br. Johnston proposed for Initiation Mr. John Waydell profesion
Cooper. Residence 31 Pell St. deposited the Usual Sum. On Motion Resolved the Secy of this
Lodge have power to Issue Certificates to members with Consent of the presiding Officers.
Resolved that the Bye Laws as read this Evening pafs as Correct. On Motion Resolved that Br.
Harding and Br. Wilkies bills pafs for payment. Harding's bill for Swords Am. To \$48.75/100 &
Wilkes bill for 100 D(i)ngers (?) Amtg. To \$2

No other Businefs offered Lodge Closed.

Collected Proposition fee \$2 John Dudley Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Wednesday Evening 14 Dec. A.L. 5825

Present
Geo Arnold WM
Saml Morton SW
Jas T. Harding JW
John Dudley Secy
Thos. D Johnston Trear

And a number of Brethern duly convened an EA Lodge was Opend in Ancient form. The minutes of the last Meeting was read and Approved of. Rec'd a Communication from the Grand Lodge dated 7 Dec. AL 5825. Respecting the Mode of Election of officers Lodges under its Jurisdiction in this State---

Br. Johnston proposed for Initiation Mr. Matthew Thompson aged 29 Years profession Mariner. Resident New York deposited \$2. resolved the report of the Comm'ee for Investigating the Secy & Treasrs Books be Received

EA Lodge closed & MM Lodge opened and proceeded to Election for Officers. Br. Geo Arnold was re-elected as Master Br. Saml Morton re-elected as Sr. Warden. Br. Js T Harding re-elected as Jr. Warden. Br. John Dudley re-elected as Secretary. Br. Wm Miller elected as Treasurer. Jr. Jacob Moore Jr. Elected as Sr. Deacon. Br. Jacob Mull as Jr. Deacon. Br. Jno Harrisson & Thomas D Johnston Elected as Masters of Ceremonies Brs. Foster and Darnton as Stewards. Br. Wm G Henshaw Tyler

Standing Commee
Elected
WM Arnold
Br. Wm Miller
Br. Jno McIntosh &
Br. Harrisfon

Resolved that Mariners Lodge walk in prosefsion with the Grand Lodge St. John's Day the 27th Jn

Resolved we meet in Conjunction with Franklin Lodge on Friday the 22nd. Resolved that Mr. Sackett Leveridge proposition fee be Refunded. Resolved that Mr. Durelly Alberts name be laid over until the S.C. have notice of his Arrival No other Businefs appearing the lodge Closed in Harmony John Dudley Secy

Collected from	Br. Miller	\$.. 75
	Darnton	75
	Mull	50
	Davis	25
	Tunis	25
	Jennings	50
	Mc Intosh	50
	Jones	25
	La Coste	\$18.25
Proposition Mr. Thompson		2.00
Stewart		5.00

Br. Foster	50
	\$29.50
Refunded Leverich	2.00
	\$27.50
	JD Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 in Conjunction with Abrams Lodge No. 83
Held at Union Hall Friday 2 PM 16th Dec. A.L. 5825

Present	Jas A. Reynolds	WM
	John Hawley	SW
	WM Arnold	JW P.T
	James Webster	Treasr

And a Number of Brethren Convened an EA Lodge was opened in due & ancient form. The Reading of the Minutes of Mariners Lodge was dispensed with. A Dispensation from the M.W.G.M. of the State of New York was read Authorizing Mariners Lodge No. 385 to Confer the three first degrees of Masonry on Mr. Matthew Thompson at any one meeting in said Lodge.

Resolved that the Same be Rec'd an acted upon. Mr. Matthew Thompson being duly prepared rec'd the EA degree in ancient form. E.A. Lodge closed & FC Lodge opened. Br. Thompson Being duly prepared Rec'd the FC degree in due form. Abrams Lodge Closed & Mariners Lodge opened in the 3d degree Br. Thompson being duly prepared Rec'd the Sublime degree of M.M. in due and ancient form. No other business offering Lodge closed.

Collected of Br. Thompson \$18 John Dudley Secy

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 in conjunction with Clinton Lodge No. 143 held at Union Hall Saturday Evening 24th Dec. A.L. 5825

Present

Br. Hoyt WM

W.M. Arnold SWPT.

Dudley JWPT

And a number of Brethern duly convened an EA Lodge was Open'd in due form the reading of the Minutes was dispens'd with. EA Lodge closed and F.C. Lodge opened. F.C. Lodge closed & M.M. Lodge open'd. Br. Waydell being duly prepared was raised to the Sublime degree of M.M. in Ancient form. nothing else appearing the lodge Closed in True Masonic love & Harmony .to meet at 10 o'clock on the 27th Jns(?)

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 in conjunction with Franklin Lodge & Hiram Lodge held at Union Hall 1/2 past 11 o'clock AM Th (Tuesday) 27th Dec. A.L.
5825

Present Br. Thos A. Duffey WM
Js D. Wilson SW
Js T Harding JW

And a number of brethern duly Convened MM lodge was opened in due form for the purpose of Celebrating the festival of St. John the Evangilist, and proceeded in procefsion to the park 15minutes after 2. the lodge returned to Union Hall and Closed in true Masonic Love & harmony

John F. Davies Secy P Tem

At a Regular Meeting of Mariners Lodge No. 385 held at Union Hall Wednesday Evening 28
Dec.. A.L. 5825

Present

Geo Arnold WM

Js D Harding SW

Sebrey JW p T

And a number of Brethren Convened a EA lodge was opened in due form the minutes of the last
two last meeting was dispen'd with. Br. Moore proposed as an adjoining Member.

Having no other Businefs the lodge Closed in masonic Love & Harmony.

David Funck Secy ptem