CHEERS TO YOU
Jill Kempie, an assistant director on the George Eastman Circle team, created this tangy, refreshing beverage in honor of George Eastman’s favorite dessert, lemon meringue pie.

Lemon Drop Cocktail

2 ounces vodka
½ ounce triple sec
1 ounce simple syrup
1 ounce lemon juice
Ice (optional)
Sugar or lemon peel (optional)

OR, TRY A MOCKTAIL:
1.25 ounces lemon juice
¾ ounce simple syrup
2.5 ounces club soda, chilled
Ice (optional)
Sugar or lemon peel (optional)

COAT the rim of a cocktail glass with sugar and set aside. (Do this a few minutes ahead of time so the sugar can dry and stick to the glass.)

ADD all of the ingredients to a shaker, with ice.

SHAKE until well-chilled and then strain into the prepared glass.

GARNISH with lemon peel.