

THE YORK RITE
of
FREEMASONRY
of
ALABAMA

2001



GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER
GRAND COUNCIL, ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS
GRAND COMMANDERY, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

RECEPTION

An informal reception was held on Sunday afternoon, February 25, 2001 in the Clarendon Room of the Holiday Inn - Homewood, Birmingham, Alabama, as members and guests were registering in the Main Hall Area. Hostess was Mrs. Irma Locke, wife of Right Eminent Grand Commander, Jesse W. Locke. She was assisted by many other wives of Alabama Grand York Rite members, and a superb reception with many sweet treats was enjoyed by everyone.

DIVINE SERVICE

The Annual Divine Service of the Grand York Rite was held on Sunday afternoon, February 25, 2001. The Message was delivered by the Grand Prelate, Right Eminent Bobby R. Terry.

The Sir Knights marched in to the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers." After the message was delivered, the Right Eminent Grand Commander Jesse W. Locke announced that the offering received would be donated to the Knights Templar Eye Foundation.

THE GRAND YORK RITE BANQUET

The Grand York Rite Annual Banquet was held on Sunday evening in the Ballroom of the Holiday Inn - Homewood. After the Invocation, a delicious steak dinner was enjoyed by all.

The three Presiding Grand Officers introduced their Families, and a few Distinguished Guests who would not be present on Monday morning to be introduced.

Maurice C. "Bud" Himes, General Grand Principal Conductor of the Work and Personal Representative of Charles F. Van Etten, General Grand Master of the General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons, International was introduced and asked to present the General Grand Council Cryptic Mason of the Award to the recipient, Companion Phillip J. Sherman, a member of Decatur Council No. 81. Companion Sherman accepted the award with appreciation. The recipient of the General Grand Council Adult Leadership Award, Companion James C. McGee, a member of Florence Council #74 was unable to attend the Banquet and the Award will be presented at a future date.

The Right Eminent Southeast Department Commander of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar, Sir Knight Samuel Tenneyson was introduced by the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Jesse W. Locke and asked to present the Knight Templar Cross of Honor to the recipient, Sir Knight Brent R. Haller, a member of Mobile Commandery #2. Sir Knight Haller's name will be added to the list of previous recipients. Sir Knight Tenneyson then presented a Past Grand Commander Placque to Right Eminent Grand Commander Locke and informed him that he now was a permanent member of the Grand Encampment.

Right Excellent Grand King, MacArthur Davis, presiding for Most Excellent Grand High Priest, J. C. Brady, who was in the hospital then introduced Emory J. Ferguson, Regional Deputy Grand High Priest for the Southeast Region and Personal Representative of Most Excelleng William J. Shoene, General Grand High Priest of the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, International who presented the General Grand Chapter Distinguished Service Medal to

Companion Arthur C. Harding, a member of Woodlawn Chapter #146. Companion Harding accepted the high honor with appreciation. His name will be added to the list of previous recipients.

LADIES ENTERTAINMENT

The ladies attended a brunch on Monday morning held in the Lounge of the Holiday Inn-Homewood. The Hospitality room was open on Monday and Tuesday where the ladies met to partake of the many sweet treats and other refreshments furnished by the Wives of the Alabama Grand York Rite.

On Monday a number of the ladies went shopping at the nearby mall while others relaxed in the hospitality room or their rooms.

The twelveth annual Craft Shop with donated hand-made items was open throughout the Grand Session. The Craft Shop was again organized with Mrs. Sarah Garrett and Mrs. Bobbie Ferguson as Co-Chairpersons. The proceeds of this sale were equally divided between the three Grand York Rite charities.

KNIGHT MASONS

Vulcan Council No. 22, Knight Masons of Alabama, held their Seventeeth Annual Banquet on Monday evening, February 26, 2001 in the Dining Room of the Scottish Rite Temple. Following the Banquet, the Council of Anointed High Priests, the Order of the Silver Trowel and the Knight Crusaders of the Cross held their meetings and conferred their degrees and orders in the Small Lodge Room of the Scottish Rite Temple.

**ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH
ANNUAL CONVOCATION
OF THE
GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER
of
ALABAMA
HELD FEBRUARY 25, 26 AND 27, 2001**

**HOLIDAY INN - HOMEWOOD
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA**

PRESIDING 2000-2001

**MacArthur Davis, *Right Excellent Grand KING*
4291 Grissett Bridge Road, Brewton, AL 36426**

**Arthur C. Harding, *Right Excellent Grand Secretary*
P. O. Box 100333, Birmingham, AL 35210**

ELECTED 2001-2002

**MacArthur Davis, *Most Excellent Grand High Priest*
4291 Grissett Bridge Road, Brewton, Alabama 36426**

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH
OF THE
GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA

The One Hundred and Seventy-Fourth Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama was held in the Ballroom of the Holiday In-Homewood, Birmingham, Alabama February 26, 2001, A. I. 2531.

Right Excellent Grand King, Companion MacArthur Davis declared the One Hundred Seventy-Fourth Annual Convocation open after ascertaining that a constitutional number of Subordinate Chapters were represented. The following Grand Chapter Officers were present and in their stations:

| | |
|--|--------------------------|
| Companion J. C. Brady (Absent)..... | Grand High Priest |
| Companion MacArthur Davis..... | Grand King |
| Companion Bobby W. Cheney..... | Grand Scribe |
| Companion Fred W. McCluskey, Jr..... | Grand Treasurer |
| Companion Arthur C. Harding..... | Grand Secretary |
| Companion Rev. Brady. E. McCullough..... | Grand Chaplain |
| Companion Horrall B. West..... | Grand Marshal |
| Companion Teddy R. Grogan, Jr..... | Grand Capt. of Hosts |
| Companion Jesse W. Locke..... | Grand Prin. Sojourner |
| Companion James F. Vaughan.... | Grand Royal Arch Captain |
| Companion Roger A. Simmons.... | Grand Master of 3rd Veil |
| Companion Jimmy D. O'Dell..... | Grand Master of 2nd Veil |
| Companion Louis W. Meyer, Jr.. | Grand Master of 1st Veil |
| Companion Arlice O. Stanford..... | Grand Sentinel |

The Invocation was given by Excellent Companion Brady E. McCullough, Grand Chaplain followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

INTRODUCTION OF PAST GRAND HIGH PRIESTS

The following Past Grand High Priests of the Grand Chapter of Alabama were escorted to the East for introduction:

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| McMurray L. Griffith..... | 1972-1973 |
| Fred W. Vaughan..... | 1976-1977 |
| Erskine K. Smith..... | 1977-1978 |
| Sam L. Garrett, Sr..... | 1982-1983 |
| Joseph D. Brackin..... | 1986-1987 |
| William M. Newsome, Jr..... | 1988-1989 |
| Charles R. Pate..... | 1989-1990 |
| Robert T. Crawford..... | 1992-1993 |
| Bobby Ray Terry..... | 1993-1994 |
| Emory J. Ferguson..... | 1996-1997 |
| Calvin C. Snow..... | 1998-1999 |
| Charles W. McDonald..... | 1999-2000 |

**ADDRESS OF MOST EXCELLENT GRAND HIGH
PRIEST
J. C. BRADY
2000 - 2001**

*To the Officers, Past Grand High Priests, Companions, and
Distinguished Guests of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:*

It is truly my honor and pleasure to welcome each of you to this One Hundred and Seventy-Fourth Annual Convocation of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama. For those Companions who are attending for the first time, I hope this will be just one of many such visits. To our Distinguished Guests from other states, we offer you our best Southern Hospitality and hope that your visit to our Fair State will be an enjoyable one. As always, we enjoy the company of our local Distinguished Guests and equally hope we can accommodate your stay as well. Feel free to call on us at any time if assistance is needed or desired.

STATE OF THE CRAFT

In my review of annual addresses from Past Grand High Priests it is very obvious that the constant decline in membership is a continuing concern facing our fraternal order. I wish I could tell you, unlike my predecessors reports, I am reporting an increase in membership. Unfortunately, as in the past, this has not been the case during my tenure. This phenomenon is not limited to our order but our Great Nation as a whole is experiencing a general decline in religious, fraternal, and civic participation. While the United States can boast of a booming economy, it also has to face the shortcomings that accompany prosperous times. A "fast lane" environment, job conflicts, and other personal demands tend to compete with the time and energies needed to belong to organizations such as ours.

We, however, must also face shortcomings within the realm of our order that tends to promote lack of participation. As an example, we can always expect a loss of membership due to death and non-payment of dues. That's a given. Other events such as the recent changes in the by-laws of the Shrine, which allows membership in that order without prior membership in the York or Scottish Rites will also surely affect membership levels. Only through our efforts of promoting the values and benefits of the York Rite, will we be able to overcome our losses and experience gains.

NECROLOGY

It is my sad duty to report to you that the Grand Architect of the Universe has called home our beloved Companion, the Most excellent Past Grand High Priest, Luther Lee (1997-1998). Our prayers and deepest sympathy are extended to his family.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES APPOINTED TO REPRESENT ALABAMA NEAR OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS

Indiana.....Douglas O. Fegenbush
Iowa.....Charles D. Evans

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES NOMINATED TO REPRESENT OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS NEAR THE GRAND CHAPTER OF ALABAMA

Delaware.....Owen E. Gore
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DISPENSATIONS GRANTED

During the year I granted dispensations to several Subordinate Chapters to receive and ballot on petitions out of Statutory Time.

REVIEW OF BOOKS

On November 27, 2000, I authorized our Grand Secretary, Right Excellent Companion Arthur C. Harding, to secure the services of William M. Tate, CPA of Birmingham, Alabama to review the books of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama for the year 2000.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Increased membership can only be accomplished by establishing closer ties with the Blue Lodges throughout the State. The Blue Lodge is the lifeblood of the York Rite and every effort should be made to strengthen the brotherly bond between the two. In order to establish a better rapport between the York Rite and the Blue Lodge, it is recommended that the York Rite form Blue Lodge degree teams to assist Lodges in degree work. Thereby, offering our valuable assistance where it is needed most. This group would be known as the York Rite Blue Lodge Degree Team.

CONCLUSION

During the past year it has been an honor and privilege to serve as the Grand High Priest of Alabama. My only regret is that failing health has hindered me from visiting many of the activities, as I would have preferred. A half-blind, 82 year-old man is not as welcome on the highways as they once were. I have to include, however, that when I was able to attend York Rite and other Masonic functions, both in and out of State, I was cordially treated with all due respect afforded to my position as Grand High Priest.

I would especially like to thank the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Mississippi for their gracious hospitality during my visit with them. Further, I would like to thank Laymon Stricklin for taking me to visit the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Mississippi, in addition to numerous other activities. He and a host of other friends have offered me many hours of fellowship during our travels. Their friendship and brotherly love will always have a special place in my heart.

I must also recognize and thank Grand Secretary Art Harding and his wonderful wife, Charlotte, for the hard work and dedication they have given to the York Rite throughout the years and the help they have given to me during the past year. Finally, I would like to thank Companion McMurray Griffith and the members of the Birmingham Metro York Rite Bodies for their continued support and understanding.

As for my successor, my prayers and encouragement will always be with you. I wish You and all of your Companions good health and God's Speed.

Fraternally,

J. C. Brady
Grand High Priest

Attest: Arthur C. Harding
Grand Secretary

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Fraternally,

J. C. Brady
Grand High Priest

Attest: Arthur C. Harding
Grand Secretary

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Most Excellent Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:

Submitted below is my Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the year ended December 31, 2000.

RECEIPTS;

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| Dues | \$15,873.00 |
| Fees | 515.00 |
| Interest | 11,730.60 |
| Sale of Supplies | 467.10 |
| Sale of Banquet Tickets | <u>900.00</u> |
| Total Receipts | \$ 29,485.70 |

DISBURSEMENTS;

| | |
|---|---------------------|
| Operating Expenses | \$ 26,066.16 |
| Purchase of Supplies for resale | <u>515.62</u> |
| | 26,581.78 |
| Less transfer to Triennial Reserve | <u>525.00</u> |
| Total Disbursements | <u>26,056.78</u> |
| Excess of Receipts over Disbursements | 3,428.92 |
| Cash on Hand - January 1, 2000 | <u>\$213,406.60</u> |
| Cash on Hand - December 31, 2000 | <u>\$216,835.52</u> |

Cash on Hand - December 31, 2000 consists of the following:

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|--|---------------------|
| Petty Cash | \$ 50.00 |
| Checking Account | 21,885.21 |
| Certificates of Deposit and Savings Accounts | <u>194,900.31</u> |
| Total Cash on Hand - December 31, 2000 | <u>\$216,835.52</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.
Grand Treasurer

At this time I would like to extend my appreciation to Companion Arthur C. Harding, Grand Secretary, and his office assistant, Charlotte, for their cooperation and assistance throughout the year in helping me to do my work efficiently. I wish to thank the members for the opportunity to have served you this past year as your Grand Treasurer

GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Most Excellent Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:

Companions: Herewith is my Annual Report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2000.

Membership as of January 1, 2000.....4,016

ADDITIONS:

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| Exalted | 85 |
| Affiliated | 15 |
| Reinstated | 28 |
| Adjusted | <u>5</u> |

Total Additions..... 133

LOSSES:

| | |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| Died | 122 |
| Demitted | 21 |
| Suspended N.P.D. | 148 |
| Adjusted | <u>17</u> |

Total Losses..... 308

Total Net Membership as of December 31, 2000..... 3,841

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|----------------------------------|-----|
| Loss in membership for 2000..... | 175 |
| Chartered Chapters..... | 15 |
| Chapters Reporting..... | 15 |
| Chapters Under Dispensation..... | 0 |

APPRECIATION

I would like to express my appreciation and thanks to our Most Excellent Grand High Priest, J. C. Brady, the Grand Line Officers, and the Secretaries of the subordinate Chapters for their help, support and assistance rendered during this past year.

Fraternally submitted

Arthur C. Harding
Grand Secretary

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS

| CHAPTER NO. | NAME | 1/1/2000 MEMBERSHIP | ADJUSTED | EXALTED | AFFILIATED | REINSTATED | DIED | DEMITTED | SUSPENDED | 12/31/2000 MEMBERSHIP | GAIN/LOSS |
|-------------|------------------|------------------------|----------|---------|------------|------------|------|----------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|
| 1 | TUSCALOOSA | 149 | +3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 153 | + 4 |
| 5 | EUNOMIA | 246 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 234 | - 12 |
| 6 | CYRUS | 185 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 12 | 182 | - 3 |
| 21 | MOBILE | 345 | -17 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 0 | 11 | 309 | - 36 |
| 22 | MONTGOMERY | 275 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 5 | 7 | 265 | - 10 |
| 38 | DECATUR | 169 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 17 | 164 | - 5 |
| 76 | BIRMINGHAM METRO | 1090 | 0 | 23 | 4 | 4 | 32 | 3 | 47 | 1039 | - 51 |
| 86 | COOSA | 173 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 8 | 163 | - 10 |
| 105 | ANNISTON | 237 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 14 | 219 | - 18 |
| 107 | DeKALB-JACKSON | 297 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 283 | - 14 |
| 111 | PIEDMONT | 78 | +2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 72 | - 6 |
| 113 | DOTHAN | 159 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 158 | - 1 |
| 146 | WOODLAWN | 428 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 423 | - 5 |
| 149 | PHENIX CITY | 116 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 107 | - 9 |
| 170 | MONROEVILLE | 69 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 70 | + 1 |
| TOTALS | | 4,016 | -12 | 85 | 15 | 28 | 122 | 21 | 14 | 3,841 | -175 |

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

*To the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Grand Officers, and
Companions of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:*

Your committee has examined the records of the Grand Chapter and submits the following report. The Review of Grand Chapter finances as submitted by William M. Tate, CPA, we find to be in order and recommend that it be accepted. In addition, we offer a proposed budget for the year 2001 for your consideration. We commend the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary for their reports, and thank the Most Excellent Grand High Priest for giving us this opportunity to serve the Grand Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles R. Pate, K.Y.G.C.H., Chairman
Michael L. Jones, K.Y.G.C.H.
Erskine K. Smith, K.Y.G.C.H.

Adopted.

GRAND CHAPTER BUDGET

| <u>ACC'T #</u> | <u>ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION</u> | <u>BUDGET</u> 2000 | <u>SPENT</u> 2000 | <u>BUDGET</u> 2001 |
|----------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 800 ... | Payroll Taxes | 700.00 | 757.70 | 760.00 |
| 801 ... | Telephone..... | 800.00 | 581.10 | 800.00 |
| 802 ... | Postage & P. O. Box..... | 500.00 | 526.25 | 550.00 |
| 803 ... | Contingency Fund..... | 500.00 | 304.00 | 600.00 |
| 804 ... | Gen. Gr. Chap. Per Capita Tax..... | 1,900.00 | 1,807.20 | 1,800.00 |
| 805 ... | Grand Secretary Salary..... | 4,200.00 | 4,200.00 | 4,200.00 |
| 806 ... | Grand Treasurer Expense..... | 300.00 | 300.00 | 300.00 |
| 807 ... | Grand High Priest Expense..... | 1,200.00 | 1,200.00 | 1,200.00 |
| 808 ... | Office Ass't. Salary..... | 4,464.00 | 4,464.00 | 4,464.00 |
| 809 ... | Printing Grand Proceedings..... | 1,600.00 | 1,475.28 | 1,600.00 |
| 810 ... | Stationery, Printing & Office Supplies.. | 500.00 | 737.71 | 600.00 |
| 811 ... | Review of Books..... | 400.00 | 390.00 | 400.00 |
| 812 ... | Office Rent..... | 1,800.00 | 1,800.00 | 1,800.00 |
| 813 | Apron & Case for Grand High Priest..... | 350.00 | 326.81 | 350.00 |
| 814 ... | Insurance - Bonds, Fire, etc..... | 400.00 | 324.80 | 400.00 |

GRAND CHAPTER BUDGET

| <u>ACC'T #</u> | <u>ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION</u> | <u>BUDGET</u> 2000 | <u>SPENT</u> 2000 | <u>BUDGET</u> 2001 |
|----------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 815.... | Triennial Reserve (First three Grand Officers & Sect'y Max. 450.00 ea. Dais officer & 225.00 Sect'y) | 525.00 | 525.00 | 525.00 |
| 816.... | Donation - DeMolay | 300.00 | 300.00 | 300.00 |
| 817.... | Donation - Order of Rainbow for Girls | 300.00 | 300.00 | 300.00 |
| 818.... | Southeastern Regional York Rite Conference (Dais Officers and Grand Sect'y only. \$100 ea. Grand Sect'y pro-rated ea. body) | 335.00 | 84.00 | 335.00 |
| 819.... | Grand Secretary Travel Allowance. | 2,760.00 | 2,760.00 | 2,760.00 |
| 820.... | Office Ass't. Travel Allowance | 360.00 | 360.00 | 360.00 |
| 821.... | Presiding Grand Officer Stationery | 50.00 | 45.36 | 50.00 |
| 822.... | Ladies Lunch or Brunch | 300.00 | 283.05 | 350.00 |
| 823.... | Distinguished Guests (2 Nights) | 800.00 | 769.84 | 850.00 |
| 824.... | Banquet (Net-Cost less tickets sold) | 500.00 | 544.06 | 550.00 |
| | Totals | <u>25,864.00</u> | <u>25,166.16</u> | <u>26,204.00</u> |
| | Under Budget | | <u>\$697.84</u> | |

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ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

Mr. J. C. Brady
Most Excellent Grand High Priest
Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama
Birmingham, Alabama

I have reviewed the accompanying statement of financial position - cash basis of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama (a non-profit organization) as of December 31, 2000, and the related statement of activities - cash basis for the year then ended, in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. All information included in these financial statements is the representation of the management of the Chapter.

A review consists principally of inquiries of personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data. It is substantially less in scope than an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements taken as a whole. Accordingly, I do not express such an opinion.

Based on my review, I am not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in conformity with the cash basis of accounting, as described in Note A.

My review was made for the purpose of expressing limited assurance that there are no material modifications that should be made to the financial statements in order for them to be in conformity with the cash basis of accounting, as described in Note A. The information in the accompanying schedule of expenses - cash basis is presented only for supplementary analysis purposes. Such information has been subjected to the inquiry and analytical procedures applied in the review of the basic financial statements. This information is presented on the cash basis of accounting, and I am not aware of any material modifications that should be made thereto.

WILLIAM M. TATE
Certified Public Accountant



Hoover, Alabama
February 19, 2001

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
CASH BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 2000

ASSETS

| | |
|---|---------------------|
| <u>Current Assets</u> | |
| Cash on Hand and in Bank | \$21,935.21 |
| Certificates of Deposit and Savings Account | 194,900.31 |
| Inventory - Supplies for Resale | <u>583.54</u> |
| Total Current Assets | \$217,419.06 |
| <u>Property and Equipment</u> | |
| Office Equipment | 10,487.66 |
| Less: Accumulated Depreciation | <u>9,606.15</u> |
| Net Property and Equipment | <u>881.51</u> |
| Total Assets | <u>\$218,300.57</u> |

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Net Assets</u> | |
| Unrestricted Net Assets | \$216,875.57 |
| Temporarily Restricted Assets | <u>1,425.00</u> |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets | <u>\$218,300.57</u> |

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - CASH BASIS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

Unrestricted Net Assets

| | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| Revenue | |
| Dues | \$15,873.00 |
| Fees | 515.00 |
| Sale of Banquet Tickets | 900.00 |
| Interest | 11,730.60 |
| Sale of Supplies | \$467.10 |
| Inventory - January 1, 2000 | \$465.40 |
| Purchases | <u>515.62</u> |
| Inventory - December 31, 2000 | 981.02 |
| | <u>583.54</u> 397.48 <u>69.62</u> |
| Total Revenue | 29,088.22 |
| Expenses - Cash Basis | (25,541.16) |
| Other Change in Unrestricted Net Assets | |
| Transfer to Triennial Reserve | <u>(525.00)</u> |
| Increase in Unrestricted Net Assets | 3,022.06 |
| <u>Temporarily Restricted Net Assets</u> | |
| Transfer from Unrestricted Net Assets to Triennial Reserve | <u>525.00</u> |
| Increase in Net Assets | 3,547.06 |
| Net Assets - January 1, 2000 | 214,753.51 |
| Net Assets - December 31, 2000 | <u>\$218,300.57</u> |

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2000

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

A. Basis of Accounting

The organization's policy is to prepare its financial statements on the cash basis of accounting. Under this method certain revenue and the related assets are recognized when received rather than when earned, and certain expenses are recognized when paid rather than when the obligation is incurred. Accordingly, the accompanying financial statements do not purport to present financial position and results of operations in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

B. Inventories

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost determined by the first-in, first-out method, or market.

C. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are recorded at cost and were depreciated over the estimated useful lives of the related assets. Depreciation was computed on the straight-line method for financial reporting purposes.

NOTE 2 - TAX STATUS :

The Chapter is exempt from federal income taxes under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c), and from state income taxes under Alabama Code Section 40-18-32. An informational return is filed each year on IRS Form 990.

NOTE 3 - TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS:

Temporarily restricted net assets are reserved to cover expenses for specified officers to attend the Triennial Meeting. During the year an additional \$525.00 was designated as a transfer from unrestricted net assets to temporarily restricted net assets.

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES - CASH BASIS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| <u>Grand Officer Expenses</u> | |
| Apron and Case for Grand Officer | \$326.81 |
| Grand High Priest's Expense | 1,200.00 |
| Southeastern Regional Conference | 84.00 |
| Stationery - Presiding Grand Officer | <u>45.36</u> |
| Total Grand Officer Expenses | \$1,656.17 |
| <u>Grand Secretary's Office Expenses</u> | |
| Salary - Grand Secretary | 4,200.00 |
| Salary - Office Secretary | 4,464.00 |
| Allowance - Grand Treasurer | 300.00 |
| Insurance - Bonds, Fire, Theft and Liability | 324.80 |
| Payroll Taxes | 757.70 |
| Rent | 1,800.00 |
| Printing and Office Supplies | 737.71 |
| Postage and Post Office Box Rental | 526.25 |
| Telephone | 581.10 |
| Annual Accounting Services | 390.00 |
| Travel Allowance - Grand Secretary | 2,760.00 |
| Travel Allowance - Office Secretary | <u>360.00</u> |
| Total Grand Secretary's Office Expenses | 17,201.56 |
| <u>Annual Convention Expenses</u> | |
| Expenses for Distinguished Guests | 769.84 |
| Banquet | 1,444.06 |
| Ladies Brunch | <u>283.05</u> |
| Total Annual Convention Expenses | 2,496.95 |
| <u>Miscellaneous Expenses</u> | |
| Per Capita Tax - General Grand Chapter | 1,807.20 |
| Special Award - Demolay | 300.00 |
| Special Award - Rainbow | 300.00 |
| Printing Annual Proceedings | 1,475.28 |
| Contingencies | <u>304.00</u> |
| Total Miscellaneous Expenses | <u>4,186.48</u> |
| Total Expenses | <u>\$25,641.16</u> |

See accountant's report.

GRAND CHAPTER ROLL CALL OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

ALASKA Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.
ALBERTA, CANADA *James E. Stutts
ARGENTINA Robert D. Moseson
ARIZONA *Billy H. Brackin
ARKANSAS Sam L. Garrett, Sr.
BELGIUM L. C. Minks
BRITISH COLUMBIA Franklin L. Moon
CALIFORNIA James W. Battle
COLORADO Michael L. Jones
CONNECTICUT Bobby Warren Cheney
DELAWARE Owen E. Gore
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA William C. Havens
FINLAND J. C. Brady
FLORIDA Howard E. Hayes
FRANCE Arthur C. Harding
GEORGIA McMurray L. Griffith
GERMANY (WEST) **James R. Bromley
GREECE Deceased
HAWAII *James A. Tyus
IDAHO **George W. Busby
ILLINOIS Erskine K. Smith
INDIA Charles L. Turk
INDIANA Billy R. Maloy
IOWA Wayne D. Jordan
IRELAND *Calvin C. Snow
ISRAEL William D. Barr
ITALY *Johnny A. Baker
KANSAS Joe D. Lee
KENTUCKY Robert T. Crawford
LOUISIANA James F. Vaughan
MAINE ***John R. Appleton
MANITOBA, CANADA **Robert Daniel Maddox
MARYLAND ****Anthony M. Deming
MASSACHUSETTS Jesse W. Locke
MEXICO Robert B. Dixon
MICHIGAN *Joe Heyward Lee
MINNESOTA Brent R. Haller
MISSISSIPPI *W. Malcolm Killingsworth
MISSOURI C. Horace Hampton
MONTANA Jimmy D. O'Dell
NEBRASKA **Lamon C. Griffin
NEVADA Billy A. Rikard
NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA Thomas F. Craig
NEWFOUNDLAND ****William Jesse Bice
NEW HAMPSHIRE William M. Newsome, Jr.
NEW JERSEY ****George L. Marshall, Jr.
NEW MEXICO Maurice C. Himes
NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA ****Gene M. Day
NEW YORK *Henry B. Tyra, Jr.
NEW ZEALAND Oliver L. Moore, Jr.
NORTH CAROLINA Lincoln H. Townsend
NORTH DAKOTA Brady E. McCullough
NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA Roger Simmons
OHIO Paul L. Allen

OKLAHOMA..... ***Henry Garner Terry
 ONTARIO, CANADA..... Louis W. Meyer, Jr.
 OREGON..... Fred W. Vaughan
 PENNSYLVANIA..... William J. Loerch
 PHILIPPINES..... Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.
 QUEBEC, CANADA..... Ronald E. Scarborough, Sr.
 QUEENSLAND, AUSTRALIA..... ***Hugh T. Shaw
 RHODE ISLAND..... Phillip J. Sherman
 SASKATCHEWAN, CANADA..... Charles Sterling Hughes
 SCOTLAND..... Emory J. Ferguson
 SOUTH CAROLINA..... *Calvin C. Snow
 SOUTH DAKOTA..... Roman Hochhalter
 SWITZERLAND..... Charles W. McDonald
 TENNESSEE..... Joseph D. Brackin
 TEXAS..... Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.
 UTAH..... *James L. Gossett
 VENEZUELA..... William J. Sirmon, Jr.
 VERMONT..... Charles R. Pate
 VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA..... Clarence F. Rhea
 VIRGINIA..... Bobby Ray Terry
 WASHINGTON..... MacArthur Davis
 WEST AUSTRALIA..... Bobby C. Park
 WEST VIRGINIA..... Ned Cox
 WISCONSIN..... *Maurice M. Chastain
 WYOMING..... Lance C. Anthony

* Denotes number of consecutive years absent from Grand
 Convocation

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|----------------------|------------------------|--|-----------------------|---|
| Alaska | Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr. | 1190 County Road 120 Section, 35771 | Forbes L. Baker | Fairbanks |
| Alberta, Canada | James E. Stutts | 612 East Pasadena Ave. Muscle Shoals, 35660 | E. Jesse Carr | 1727 6 Street Cold Lake TOA OVA |
| Argentina | Robert D. Moseson | 4400 Bridgewater Circle Phenix City, 36867 | Henry Ortner | Buenos Aires, Argentina |
| Arizona | Billy H. Brackin | 735 Prospect Street Florence, 35630 | Johnnie M. Wagener | Sierra Vista |
| Arkansas | Sam L. Garrett, Sr. | 1402 Melanie Lane Phenix City, 36867 | Thomas E. Mason | Osceola |
| Belgium | L. C. Minks | 607 Meadowlake Drive Ozark, 36360 | Pierre Boesmans | Sint Maartensstraat 58, 3000 Leuven |
| British Columbia | Franklin L. Moon | Route 3, Box 608 Ashford, 36312 | David B. Milne | Powell River, British Columbia |
| California | James W. Battle | 1029 Sherbrooke Drive Birmingham, 35209 | Grover T. Halbrooks | 2028 Rincon Ave. Riverside 92506 |
| Colorado | Michael L. Jones | 1711 Cagle Avenue Decatur, 35601 | Grant M. Sanders | 2395 Paramount Louisville 80027 |
| Connecticut | Bobby Warren Cheney | 335 Hope Hull Drive Hope Hull, 36043 | Bruce R. Bellmore | Hamden |
| Delaware | Owen E. Gore | 1680 Highway 78 Leeds 35094 | Glen D. Conley | Bear |
| District of Columbia | William C. Havens | 5708 Deerwood Drive Mobile, 36618 | William T. Cox | Springfield, Virginia |
| Finland | J. C. Brady | 721-B Lloyd Nolan Pkwy Fairfield, AL 35064 | Antti Kolehmainen | Hameenkatu 30 C 30 20700 Turku |
| Florida | Howard E. Hayes | 540 Camellia Road Birmingham, 35215 | Paul W. Friend | 351 S.W. Fairway Ave Fort St. Lucie, 34983 |
| France | Arthur C. Harding | 309 Sun Valley Road Birmingham, 35215 | Jean Charles Foellner | Neully-sur-Seine, France |
| Georgia | McMurray L. Griffith | 433 Sunset Drive Birmingham, 35216 | James C. Bentley, Jr. | Quitman |
| Germany | James R. Bromley | 7337 Pinewood Drive Theodore, 36582 | Dennis D. Duncan | Berlin, West Germany |

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| Greece | Deceased | | Eustace H. Liakopoulos | Athens, Greece |
| Hawaii | James A. Tyus | P. O. Box 692 Pell City, 35125 | Reginald E. Gulliver | Hawaii National |
| Idaho | George W. Busby | P. O. Box 365 Pelham, 35124 | David Triplett | Park Boise |
| Illinois | Erskine K. Smith | 1835 Cheaha Drive Oxford, 36203 | Joseph H. Border, Sr. | 135 S. Hamilton St. |
| India | Charles L Turk | P. O. Box 4 Uriah, 36480 | Dr. P. C. Chunder | Centralla, 62801 Calcutta, India |
| Indiana | Billy R. Maloy | 1506 Fourth Street Daphne, 36526 | Douglas O. Fegenbush | 9901 Pendleton Pike #73 |
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| Ireland | Calvin C. Snow | 1201 Oldwood Road Huntsville, 35802 | J. C. Milliken | Pleasant Hill 50317 22 Mountfield Dr. |
| Israel | William D. Barr | 111 Bracewell Avenue Dothan, 36301 | Selwyn Golomb | Coleraine BT52 1TW Haifa 34791 |
| Italy | Johnny A. Baker | P. O. Box 11037 Chickasaw, 36611 | Raoul Orvieto | Israel Livorno, Italy |
| Kansas | Joe D. Lee | 405 Roundabout Drive Trussville, 35173 | Joe W. Atkins | Arkansas City |
| Kentucky | Robert T. Crawford | 911 - 4th Terrace Pleasant Grove, 35127 | Dundee Fulford | Hopkinsville |
| Louisiana | James F. Vaughan | 190 Azalea Drive Gadsden, 35901 | Billy West | Vinton |
| Maine | John R. Appleton, Jr. | 207 Broadway Street Hartselle, 35640 | John D. Baggett | R. R. 2, Box 219 |
| Manitoba, Canada | Robert Daniel Maddox | Route 11, Box 334 Jasper, 35501 | Milton W. Coghill | Bucksport 04416 Winnipeg |
| Maryland | Anthony M. Deming | 130 Shoal Creek Road Hayden, 35079 | Frank Olah, Jr. | 872 Mildred Ave. |
| Massachusetts | Jesse W. Locke | 4907 Summerville Rd. Phenix City, 36867 | Richard E. Monroe | Baltimore 21222 Reading |

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| Michigan | Joe Heyward Lee | 753 Gene Reed Road Birmingham, 35235 | Ernest L. Welsh | .08048 M-40 North Gobles 49055 |
| Minnesota | Brent R. Haller | 5767 Zeigler Boulevard Mobile, 36608 | Barnes A. Sharitt, Jr. | South Saint Paul |
| Mississippi | W. Malcolm Killingsworth | 1801 Fern Drive Dothan, 36301 | T. Edwin Hightower | .107 Woodland Dr. Vicksburg, 39180 |
| Missouri | C. Horace Hampton | 388 Riverside Drive Gadsden, 35903 | Danny L Ferguson | .217 Fewel, Box 96 Leeton 64761-0096 |
| Montana | Jimmy D. O'Dell | 630 So. Hollingsworth Rd. Anniston, 36201 | Clayton R. Wolff | Forsyth |
| Nebraska | Lamon C. Griffin | 4006 Eastwood Drive Florence, 35630 | Vernon T. Chicoine | Chadron |
| Nevada | Billy A. Rikard | 2236 2nd Place Birmingham, 35215 | Frank Kihara | Winnemucca |
| New Brunswick, Canada | Thomas F. Craig | 1000 Lexington Street, SE Huntsville, 35801 | Robert W. Stokes | .109 Helen Street Woodstock, NB E7M 1W6 |
| Newfoundland | William J. Bice | 9049 Beverly Drive Birmingham, 35206 | Clarence Gerald Melendy P. O. | Box 909 Grand Bank, NF AOE IWO |
| New Hampshire | William M. Newsome, Jr. | 1600 - 45th Street Phenix City, 36867 | Dwight V. Meader | .71 Estes Road Rochester 03867 |
| New Jersey | George L. Marshall, Jr. | 161 Anna Kathryn Drive Gurley, 35748 | Thurman C. Pace | .518 St. Marks Ave. Westfield 07090-1344 |
| New Mexico | Maurice C. Himes | 1314 Fern Road Slolomb, 36375 | Glen W. Burtram | .1957 Osage Lane Santa Fe 87501 |
| New South Wales | Deceased | | Brian Stead Bainbridge | .85 Esrom St. Bathurst, 2795 |
| New York | Henry B. Tyra, Jr. | 906 Chatterson Road, SE Huntsville, 35802 | Paul R. Tansey | N. S. W., Australia .344 Kilroy Road |
| New Zealand | Oliver L. Moore, Jr. | Box 521, County Road Killen, 35645 | A. G. A. Jeffrey | Auckland, New Zealand Oxford 13830-1344 |

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| North Carolina | Erory J. Ferguson | 1615 Lakeview Dr., N.W. | W. Berry Rigdon | 194 Rigdon Lane Waynesville 28786 |
| North Dakota | Rev. Brady E. McCullough | Cullman, 35055 P. O. Box 5 | Herbert O. Johnson | P. O. Drawer "J" Northwood 58267 |
| Nova Scotia, Canada | Roger Simmons | Eva, 35621 P. O. Box 268 | Irving C. Brooks | Smith's Cove Digby Co. |
| Ohio | Paul L. Allen | Newton, 36352 | Raymond E. Loose | Upper Sandusky |
| Oklahoma | Henry Garner Terry | 1223 Halsey Gadsden, 35901 | Donald W. Rimmer | Norman |
| Ontario, Canada | Lewis W. Meyer, Jr. | Tuscaloosa, 35405-2842 2530 39th Street | Edwin F. Joyce | 171 Heslop Road Milton 19T 1B6 |
| Oregon | Fred W. Vaughan | Birmingham, 35228 | Dwayne W. Adams | P. O. Box 1086 St. Helens 97051 |
| Pennsylvania | William J. Loerch | 108 Harwood Drive Gadsden, 35901 | Richard W. Roell | 3243 Gaylord Avenue Pittsburgh 15216-2315 |
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| Portugal | William D. McNeal | Birmingham, 35215 708 5th Avenue, N.E. | | |
| Quebec, Canada | Ronald Scarborough, Sr. | Jacksonville, 36265 | Hugh Taylor | Montreal, Quebec, Canada |
| Queensland, Australia | Hugh T. Shaw | 900 29th Avenue, N.E. | John Charles Burnell | Cairns, Queensland |
| Rhode Island | Phillip J. Sherman | Birmingham, 35215 P. O. Box 916 | Dewey Lamar Smith | 90 High Street Bristol, 02809 |
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| Scotland | Emory J. Ferguson | Route 1, Box 139 Ozark, 36360 | John Hunter | Paisley |
| South Carolina | Calvin C. Snow | 1615 Lakeview Drive, NW Cullman, 35055 | Robert W. Kendrick | P. O. Box 102 Fountain Inn 29644 |
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| Texas..... | Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. | Dothan, 36303 83 Crimmon Tide Drive..... | Robert H. Waters..... | Garland |
| Utah..... | James L. Gossett..... | Piedmont, 36272 117 Meadow Pass, N.E..... | Vernon R. Borgeson..... | Clearfield |
| Venezuela..... | William J. Sirmon, Jr..... | Huntsville, 35811 1238 Barcelona Drive..... | Alberto Aman Ch..... | Caracas, Venezuela |
| Vermont..... | Charles R. Pate..... | Mobile, 36609 1905 Canterbury Square.... | Charles K. Waters..... | 209 Orange Avenue Fairhope, AL36532-1401 |
| Victoria, Australia..... | Clarence F. Rhea..... | Anniston, 36207 2104 Scenic Drive..... | Edwin Leslie Page..... | Yarraville |
| Virginia..... | Bobby Ray Terry..... | Gadsden, 35901 2031 Highway 20..... | John E. Foster..... | Chesterfield |
| Washington..... | MacArthur Davis..... | Decatur, 35603 4291 Grissett Bridge RD.. | Norman F. Campo..... | 823 High Avenue Bremerton 98337-1058 |
| West Australia..... | Bobby C. Park..... | Brewton, 36426 1577 Oscar Patterson Rd.. | Samuel L. Nicholas..... | |
| West Virginia..... | Ned Cox..... | New Market, 35761 P. O. Box 244..... | Leo L. Bowers..... | Inwood |
| Wisconsin..... | Maurice M. Chastain..... | Florence, 35630 1250 Garland Street..... | LaVern W. Hansen..... | Wautoma |
| Wyoming..... | Lance C. Anthony..... | Mobile, 36608 P. O. Box 3050..... | David S. Tanner..... | Riverton |
| | | Phoenix City, 36868-3050 | | |

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION

*To the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Grand Officers and
Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama:*

We your Committee on Credentials and Registration, submit the following report:

There are present and registered with this Committee 11 Grand Officers and 14 Past Grand High Priests of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama.

There are 15 Subordinate Chapters which comprise the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama, and of these 15 Chapters are registered with this Committee for this 174th Annual Convocation.

We have examined the credentials of Chapter Officers or their Proxies, and the following is our conclusion:

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| TOTAL OFFICERS OR PROXIES PRESENT..... | 40 |
| TOTAL PAST HIGH PRIESTS PRESENT..... | 68 |
| TOTAL QUALIFIED TO VOTE..... | 108 |

We wish to thank the Grand Secretary and the Grand High Priest for their support and assistance in making our work easier at this Grand Chapter. We have enjoyed the privilege of serving the Grand Chapter on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Owen E. Gore, Chairman
William D. Barr

Adopted

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA

*High Priests, Kings Scribes, and/or Proxies present from
Subordinate Chapters.*

| | | | |
|-----|------------|--|---------------------|
| 1. | Tuscaloosa | William Carter *William Carter | High Priest King |
| | | *Ronald L. Konya | Scribe |
| 5 | Eunomia | Earl Reed James S. Blanton | High Priest King |
| | | *Wayne D. Jordan | Scribe |
| 6. | Cyrus | *Robert B. Dixon John H. Hicks | High Priest King |
| | | *Robert B. Dixon | Scribe |
| 21. | Mobile | *Lewis L. Childs, Jr. Billy R. Maloy | High Priest King |
| | | L. Patrick Wetzal | Scribe |
| 22. | Montgomery | H. Spencer Stewart *William J. Loerch | High Priest King |
| | | *Bobby W. Cheney | Scribe |

*High Priests, Kings, Scribes, and/or Proxies present from
Subordinate Chapters. (Continued)*

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| 38. | Decatur | Thomas L. Collins *Brady E. McCullough *George F. Mills | High Priest King Scribe |
| 76 | Birmingham-Metro | Jack C. Wade *John R. Maynard, Jr. *John R. Maynard, Jr. | High Priest King Scribe |
| 86 | Coosa | *James F. Vaughan Horace Hampton *Fred W. Vaughan | High Priest King Scribe |
| 105. | Anniston | *Erskine K. Smith *Charles R. Pate *Charles R. Pate | High Priest King Scribe |
| 107 | DeKalb Jackson | *Floyd Hambrick, Jr. Not Represented Not Represented | High Priest King Scribe |
| 111. | Piedmont | *Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. *Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. *Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. | High Priest King Scribe |
| 113. | Dothan | Hiram W. Davis *William D. Barr *L. C. Minks | High Priest King Scribe |
| 146. | Woodlawn | James O. Tidmore *Ronald E. Scarborough, Sr. *William E. Baggett | High Priest King Scribe |
| 149. | Phenix City | Not Represented Charles L. Ingram, Sr. *Lance C. Anthony | High Priest King Scribe |
| 170. | Monroeville | *MacArthur Davis *MacArthur Davis *Charles L. Turk | High Priest King Scribe |

*Denotes Proxy.

EXCELLENT PAST HIGH PRIESTS PRESENT

1. Tuscaloosa: None.
5. Eunomia: Ray C. Dunn, Wayne D. Jordan, Emory J. Ferguson, Boyd L. Neblett, Thomas F. Craig.
6. Cyrus: Robert B. Dixon, V. Lloyd Lewellen, Ned Cox, Oliver L. Moore, Jr.
21. Mobile: William C. Havens, Charles W. McDonald, Brent R. Haller, Lewis L. Childs, George W. Murrill, Jr.
22. Montgomery: Roman Hochhalter, Bobby W. Cheney, William J. Loerch, Robert L Schick, Dennis E. Thompson.
38. Decatur: Bobby R. Terry, Robert E. Dumas, Bobby C. Park, Phillip J. Sherman, Michael L. Jones, George F. Mills, William H. Lakey, Olin Rosier, Brady E. McCullough
76. Birmingham-Metro: McMurray L. Griffith, Joe D. Lee, James W. Battle, Olin E. Gore, Robert T. Crawford, Louis W. Meyer, Jr.

EXCELLENT PAST HIGH PRIESTS PRESENT

(Continued)

86. Coosa: Fred W. Vaughan, Clarence F. Rhea, Paul L. Allen, James A. Vaughan, Horace Hampton.
105. Anniston: Charles R. Pate, Jerry D. O'Dell, Erskine K. Smith.
107. DeKalb-Jackson: Floyd Hambrick, Jr.
111. Piedmont: Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.
113. Dothan: Roger A. Simmons, Franklin L. Moon, Hiram W. Davis, Maurice C. Himes, L. C. Minks, Joseph D. Brackin, William D. Barr.
146. Woodlawn: Arthur C. Harding, Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., Howard E. Hayes, Thomas L. Cooley, Jr., William E. Baggett, Ronald, E. Scarborough, Sr.
149. Phenix City: William M. Newsome, Jr., William C. Snyder, Jesse W. Locke, Charles L. Ingram, Lance C. Anthony, Sam L. Garrett, Sr., Robert D. Moseson, Richard M. Wright.
170. Monroeville: MacArthur Davis, Charles L. Turk.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CAPITULAR WORK

To the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Grand Officers, and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama:

Although we are certain that there are Royal Arch Chapters in Alabama that need clarification and assistance in the conferral of the degrees of the Chapter, this committee has received no request for assistance in any manner. We are concerned that there may be only obligating candidates in the degrees and we are certain that there are some Chapters reading from the ritual to confer the degrees and abandoning the need to recite the ritual from memory. Certainly the candidates deserve more!

This committee has a purpose but without request from the Chapters or the membership for guidance we as a committee cannot fulfill that purpose. We are willing to help when needed.

Respectfully submitted,

Emory J. Ferguson, KYGCH, Chairman
William M. Newsome, Jr., KYGCH
MacArthur Davis

Adopted

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GRAND HIGH PRIEST'S ADDRESS

To the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Grand Officers and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama:

We, your committee to whom was referred the address of our Most Excellent Grand High Priest submit the following report:

We recommend that portion of the address referring to necrology be referred to the Right Excellent Grand Chaplain.

We recommend that portion of the address referring to dispensations be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

We recommend that portion of the address referring to the Review of the Books of the Grand Chapter be referred to the Committee on Finance.

We recommend that all remaining portions of the address not herein referred to be approved.

We thank Most Excellent Grand High Priest, J. C. Brady, for the privilege of serving on this committee and wish for him a speedy recovery.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert T. Crawford, PGHP Chairman

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUTH

To The Most Excellent Grand High Priest and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Alabama:

We your committee on the youth beg to make the following report.

The committee has been very busy this year attending the various events of the Alabama Grand Assembly of the Rainbow for girls and the Alabama DeMolay. We specifically attended the Grand Assembly annual meeting and Alabama DeMolay Conclave in June. We were very pleased to witness the conferral of the DeMolay Legion of Honor on Grand Master Anthony this year. Both youth groups have made progress this year in membership and program planning. The Rainbow girls started a new assembly in Killen and the DeMolay reactivated the Birmingham Chapter. Both organizations sincerely appreciate the funding made possible by the Grand York Rite bodies. The Rainbow Girls use the donation to offset the cost of their insurance, the DeMolay use the funds for the trophies at their annual conclave and to pay for background checks on the adult workers. The Rainbow Girls and the DeMolay in Alabama have made progress this year but a lot remains to be done. I would like to encourage every companion to visit one meeting of each organization this next year. If you are having any function that the Rainbow or DeMolay may assist with please give your local Assembly or Chapter a call. I know they would love to help out.

Fraternally submitted,

James C. McGee, Chairman
R. Reid Morgan, III
L. Patrick Wetzel

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

To the Most Excellent Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama:

Nothing has been referred to your committee during the recent York Rite year with the exception of a memorandum concerning the request for a dual membership of a present member of a Chapter and Council of Maryland and a former member of a Chapter and Council in Alabama who in 1990 signed an agreement to not place his Demit with any York Rite body in Alabama. I have attached a copy of the agreement concerned. I will this agreement. "To whom it may concern: This to confirm with the committee from Montgomery York Rite Bodies that I will not place my Demit with any York Rite Body within the State of Alabama. I hereby so state. Signed James E. Sexson"

This Committee makes no recommendations as to the disposition of this matter.

We recommend the approval of those Dispensations granted by the Grand High Priest.

Respectfully submitted,

Fred W. Vaughan, PGHP, Chairman
Joseph D. Brackin, PGHP
McMurray L. Griffith, PGHP

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

To the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Grand Officers, and Companions of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:

As of the writing of this report, I have received one report of Correspondence with other Grand Chapters. This was from Companion Thomas Craig who has communicated with his counterpart from New Brunswick, Canada, Companion Robert Stokes.

Brethern, I know that a lot more of us are communicating with our counterparts in other states, please let your Correspondence Committee know what you can about what is going on in other areas.

I thank the Most Excellent Grand High Priest for allowing me to serve on this committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Phillip Sherman, Chairman

Adopted

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR RESEARCH ASSISTANCE

To the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Grand Officers, and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama:

First, I would like to commend you Companions, our contributions to the Royal Arch Research Assistance, Inc. increased this past year over the previous year and for those Chapters that made this possible I say thank you. We had 5 Chapters that donated at least \$1.00 per member and received a 100% certificate from the General Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons International. We also had a great deal of help from the Grand York Rite Ladies and their crafts room and a number of our appendant bodies and we are certainly grateful to them. Still we are averaging only \$0.48 per member but that is up from \$0.29 per member the year before. What an improvement! Keep up the good work.

We had 6 Chapters that made no donation at all last year. In a letter dated January 28, 2001 I appealed to those 6 Chapters for consideration of a donation to our philanthropy. I hope that they will comply.

As of the reading of this report I have received only one contribution for this year and that came from Anniston Chapter #105 in the sum of \$250.00.

For your information: Phenix City Chapter No. 149 has received 10 100% certificates, Anniston Chapter No. 105 and Eunomia Chapter No. 5 in Huntsville have received 9 each and Monroeville Chapter No. 170 and Mobile Chapter No. 21 have received 3 each. No other Chapters in Alabama have received 100% certificates. How does your Chapter receive a 100% certificate? Donate \$1.00 per member to the charity.

Respectfully submitted,

Emory J. Ferguson, Executive Officer/Alabama
William C. Havens

Adopted.

REPORT ON NECROLOGY

To the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama, Most Excellent Grand High Priest, and esteemed Brethren:

My Brethren, we have lost this past year 122 companions who have passed from this life to eternity, one of whom was our Most Excellent Past Grand High Priest, Luther E. Lee. Let us pray. *What a wonderful privilege it is to stand with our heads bowed and our hearts lifted up to God and ask your Blessings upon the Families these precious, preprecious ladies who have lost their husbands. Dear Father, this evening as we stand with our heads bowed and our hearts lifted we know and realize Father that without Thee we can do nothing but with Thee all things are possible. This evening Father we pray that you will visit the families of these precious ones that have lost their husbands and have gone on to be with Thee. Dear Father we pray that you will lead, guard and direct them in everything that they should do. Give them comfort. Give them joy. Give them peace, Father, as only You can do. And Dear Father, when you are through with us here*

in this world and we have done all that You have assigned us to do, we pray that You will receive us into Thy presence where we can praise Thee more perfectly in a world that shall never end for we ask these things in Thy Precious and Holy Name. Amen.

Right Excellent Grand King, I move the adoption of this report.

Fraternally submitted,

Brady E. McCullough
Grand Chaplain

Adopted.

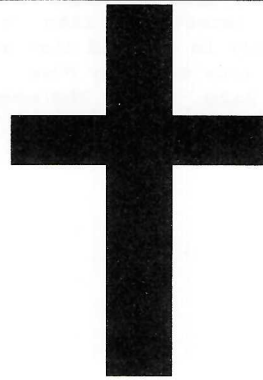
IN MEMORIAM

LUTHER E. LEE

MOST EXCELLENT GRAND HIGH PRIEST
1997 - 1998

BORN: FEBRUARY 22, 1927
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

DIED: SEPTEMBER 3, 2000
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA



Inscribed to the Memory

of

Our Honored Dead

and in Memory

of the

Deceased Companions

in

Other Grand Jurisdictions

MINUTES OF LAST CONVOCATION

Companion Arthur C. Harding moved that the minutes as published in the Proceedings of 2000 be accepted as the minutes, and that they be approved as printed.

Motion seconded and carried.

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER CONVOCATION - 2002

It was moved that the next Grand Royal Arch Chapter Convocation be held in the Birmingham, Alabama area on February 24, 25, and 26, 2002.

Motion seconded and carried.

General Grand Chapter

R. A. M.

Distinguished Service

Award



PRESENTATION OF THE GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER MEDAL OF HONOR

The Grand High Priest, J. C. Brady, selected Companion Arthur C. Harding, Woodlawn Chapter, #146, to receive the General Grand Chapter Bronze Distinguished Service Medal. The Presentation was made during the Grand York Rite Banquet on Sunday Night by Right Excellent Companion Emory J. Ferguson, Deputy General Grand Master for the Southeast Region of the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, International. Companion Harding will be added to the list of recipients in Alabama who have received this high honor.

RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA OF THE GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER MEDAL OF HONOR

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|----------------------------|------|
| Arthur Henry Dailey..... | 1952 |
| *John C. Patterson..... | 1953 |
| *Charles L. Campbell..... | 1954 |
| *Troy Jackson Roberts..... | 1955 |
| †Robert L. Harrison..... | 1956 |
| †Jimmy Brasfield..... | 1957 |
| *Thomas W. Love..... | 1958 |
| *Miles Sellers Lee..... | 1959 |
| †Howard D. Lindsay..... | 1960 |
| *Milton Lee Fegenbush..... | 1961 |
| *A. Murray Weems..... | 1962 |
| *Alfred Edward Little..... | 1963 |
| *J. H. Scarbrough..... | 1964 |
| *Major Whisnant..... | 1965 |
| *Charles D. Miller..... | 1966 |
| *Rodney W. Martin..... | 1967 |

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| *Lawrence Kline | 1968 |
| *Woodrow W. Williams | 1969 |
| *Fred J. Gentry | 1970 |
| *Charles A. Long, Sr. | 1971 |
| *John Sebastian Gamundi | 1972 |
| *George Edward Tremelling | 1973 |
| *Earl Pervine Woodall | 1974 |
| *Clifford James Turner | 1975 |
| *Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Sr. | 1976 |
| *Lee Martin Bidby | 1977 |
| *John H. McCollister | 1978 |
| Charles William McDonald | 1979 |
| Paul E. Drinnon | 1980 |
| *Henry Miller | 1981 |
| Fernwood Morris | 1982 |
| *George R. Schnitzlein | 1983 |
| *James Leslie Allen | 1984 |
| Robert F. Elkin | 1985 |
| Claude Calvin McGraw | 1986 |
| Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Jr. | 1987 |
| Michael Leoid Jones | 1988 |
| *Mark Heber Ward, Jr. | 1989 |
| *James Paul Gray | 1990 |
| Maurice Clifford Himes | 1991 |
| *J. Woodrow Smith | 1992 |
| Steven Glynn Lee | 1993 |
| *Richard Sim Hamilton | 1994 |
| Franklin Lafayette Moon | 1995 |
| Robert B. Dixon | 1996 |
| Henry Burleson Tyra, Jr. | 1997 |
| Howard Enoch Hayes | 1998 |
| James Eugene Goss | 1999 |
| Frank Thomas Butler, Jr. | 2000 |
| Arthur C. Harding | 2001 |

*Denotes deceased.

†Denotes suspended

**KNIGHTS OF THE YORK CROSS OF HONOUR
ALABAMA PRIORY NO. 31**

Officers, March 2000 to March, 2001:

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|-------------------------------|--------------|
| James L. Gossett..... | Prior |
| W. Malcolm Killingsworth..... | Deputy Prior |
| Phillip J. Sherman..... | Warder |
| Emory J. Ferguson..... | Registrar |
| Arthur C. Harding..... | Prelate |
| MacArthur Davis..... | Orator |
| Charles W. McDonald..... | Herald |

Alabama Priory No. 31, Knights of the York Cross of Honour, held its Annual Conclave on Saturday, March 10, 2001, at the Birmingham Metro York Rite Temple in Birmingham with Prior James L. Gossett presiding.

The regular order of business was conducted and the following Sir Knights were proposed and elected to be extended an invitation for membership in the Priory: William Earl Baggett, Thomas L. Collins, Hiram William Davis, Kenneth Lemoyne Lowmiller, Jr., Billy Ray Maloy, Boyd Lewis Neblett and Baker Rogers Turk.

New officers were elected and installed with all officers being advanced one station and Knight Ferguson retained as Treasurer-Registrar. Knight Wayne D. Jordan was elected Herald.

The Officers were installed by Eminent Knight Steven Q Steel, Past Prior of the Miami Priory No. 10 and the Grand Master-General's Personal Representative for District No. 7, as Installing Officer, Eminent Knight Emory J. Ferguson, Past Prior and Grand Sentinel of the Convent General, as Installing Marshal and Eminent Knight Brady E. McCullough as Installing Prelate.

The Knights of the York Cross of Honour is a very select group. To become a member one must have served as the presiding officer of a Masonic Blue Lodge and of each of the three York Rite Bodies, and then, by invitation only.

The next Conclave of the Alabama Priory No. 31, K.Y.C.H. will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2001 at the Birmingham-Metro York Rite Temple in Birmingham beginning with lunch at 12:00 noon.

**ALABAMA PRIORY NO. 31
MEMBERSHIP LIST AS OF MARCH, 2001**

| | |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Michael Eugene Addams | *Emory Jay Ferguson |
| Dalton Claude Aldridge | Noah Haywood Flanagan |
| Paul Lewis Allen | Billy Jim Gallahar |
| George Macon Anders | *Sam Lawrence Garrett, Sr. |
| Macon Wayne Anders | Owen Earl Gore |
| Lance Coleman Anthony | James Lathern Gossett |
| John Robert Appleton, Jr. | Fred Lebrun Graham |
| William Alexander Atwood, Jr. | Lamon Carlton Griffin |
| William Lloyd Barnes | *McMurray Logan Griffith |
| William Damascus Barr | Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Jr. |
| James Watson Battle | Frank Edgar Hadder |
| Bernice Belcher | Kenneth Leon Hamilton |
| Van DeWitt Bell, Jr. | Wayne Richmond Hammond |
| Abraham Benefield | Charles Horace Hampton, Jr. |
| William Jesse Bice | Arthur Cleveland Harding |
| John David Biddy | Johnson E. Harris, Jr. |
| Patrick Bertram Bleakley | Howard Colvin Haskell |
| Anthony James Bolter, Jr. | William Curtis Havens |
| George Nathan Boyd, Jr. | Howard Enoch Hayes |
| Billy Hayes Brackin | James Earl Hedgepeth, Jr. |
| *Joseph Daniel Brackin | Thomas Hugo Heinig |
| J. C. Brady | Ralph Harris Henderson, Sr. |
| Charles Terry Bray | *Maurice Clifford Himes |
| William Floyd Bridges | Robert Travis Howle |
| William Henry Brooks | Charles Buren Hudson |
| Frank Allen Brown | Herman Clifton Hurter |
| Timothy James Burgett | Charles Lewis Ingram, Sr. |
| George William Busby | *Michael Leoid Jones |
| Joe Reid Bush | Wayne Dee Jordan |
| Kenneth Eugene Bush | James Augustus Kile |
| Wallace Ray Byrd | Warren Malcolm Killingsworth |
| William Wayne Calloway | William Harmon Lakey |
| William Aubrey Carter | Charles Thomas Lambert |
| Maurice McKinley Chastain | Wyler Wallace Ledbetter |
| Bobby Warren Cheney | *Joe David Lee |
| Lewis Leroy Childs, Jr. | Joe Heywood Lee |
| Billy Allen Clark | Thurman Willard Lee |
| Thomas Lowery Cooley, Jr. | Thomas Lemons |
| Ned Cox | James Lawson Little, Sr. |
| Thomas Franklin Craig | *Jesse Walten Locke, Sr. |
| Robert Thomas Crawford | William John Loerch |
| Kenneth Carter Damp | Robert Daniel Maddox |
| Darren O'Neal Davis | *Thomas Wallace Mann |
| MacArthur Davis | Obed Cornelius Manning |
| Gene Monroe Day | Thomas Cary Marriott III |
| William Floyd Dendy | George Leon Marshall, Jr. |
| Robert Brank Dixon | Fred William McCluskey, Jr. |
| Ray Edwin Dotson | Brady Emerson McCullough |
| Laverne Carmon Drinkard | Charles William McDonald |
| Paul Edward Drinnon | Claude Calvin McGraw |
| Frank Taylor Dugger | William David McNeal |
| Lloyd D. Durden | Richard William Mebius |
| *William Hiram Ealy | Louis William Meyer, Jr. |
| Robert Frank Elkin | George Flavious Mills |
| Wesley Ray Ensey | L. C. Minks |

ALABAMA PRIORY NO. 31
MEMBERSHIP LIST AS OF MARCH, 2001 (Continued)

Robert Harvey Moore, Sr.
 Ronald Dale Moore
 Ray Reid Morgan, III
 Fernwood Mitchell Morris
 Robert Duane Moseson
 George Walter Murrill, Jr.
 *William Montee Newsome, Jr.
 Edwin Gibson Northcutt
 Bobby Clyde Park
 *Charles Robert Pate
 Charles Fleming Rawls
 *Clarence Frost Rhea
 Charles Seaman Rice
 Billy Alwyn Rikard
 Douglas Lee Rogers
 Olin David Rosier
 Frank Lewis Roton
 Charles Edward Searcy
 Hugh Taylor Shaw
 Phillip Juan Sherman
 Jessie Carey Shinn
 Roger Arlis Simmons
 William Joseph Sirmon, Jr.
 *Erskine Knox Smith
 Walter Lowell Smith, Sr.
 Calvin Coolidge Snow
 Arlice O'Neal Stanford
 Bernie Hobart Steele
 George Thomas Stephens

William Histaspas Stewart, Jr.
 Lewis Donald Tapscott
 Charles Gary Taylor
 Hermon Webb Taylor
 Rodney Ray Taylor
 Roy Wayne Taylor
 *Bobby Ray Terry
 Henry Garner Terry
 James Tesney
 George Albert Thompson
 Aubrey Wayne Thrasher
 Bryan Edward Thrasher
 Homer Lee Tidwell
 John Genearl Tuberville
 Charles Labon Turk
 Henry Burleson Tyra, Jr.
 James Arthur Tyus
 *Fredrick William Vaughan
 James Frederick Vaughan
 J. B. Wade, Jr.
 George Thomas Waldrop, Jr.
 Amos Glenn Welborn
 Clifford Dewel Williams
 James Godfrey Williams
 Joe Wesley Williams
 Roy Nelson Williams
 Gerald Eldon Wilson
 James Terrell Wofford
 Frederick Ellison Zoes

**Denotes Past Prior*

ELECTION OF GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS
FOR 2001 - 2002

There being no further business to come before this Annual Convocation, the Grand Chapter proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year. All the officers, except the Master of the First Veil, were elected by acclamation. The Grand King, MacArthur Davis was advanced to Grand High Priest, the Grand Scribe, Bobby W. Cheney was advanced to Grand King, the Grand Captain of the Hosts, Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. was advanced to Grand Scribe, Grand Treasurer, Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., was re-elected and Grand Secretary, Arthur C. Harding was re-elected, the Grand Principal Sojourner, Jesse W. Locke, was advanced to Grand Captain of the Hosts, the Grand Royal Arch Captain, James F. Vaughan, was advanced to Grand Principal Sojourner, the Master of the 3rd Veil, Roger A. Simmons, was advanced to Grand Royal Arch Captain, the Master of the 2nd Veil, Jimmy D. O'Dell, was advanced to Grand Master of the 3rd Veil, the Master of 1st Veil, Louis W. Meyer, Jr. was advanced to Grand Master of the 2nd Veil.

Companion Robert D. Moseson of Phenix City Chapter #149 was elected to Master of the 1st Veil by secret ballot. All of these Companions accepted.

After prayer this Grand Chapter was declared at refreshment for the purpose of open installation of the Grand Officers at 11:00 A.M.

INSTALLATION OF GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS
FOR 2001 - 2002

At the conclusion of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council, and the Grand Commandery annual business sessions on Tuesday, February 27, 2001, at an open meeting, the Grand Chapter Officers were duly installed by Past Grand High Priest McMurray L. Griffith, assisted by Past Grand High Priest Fred W. Vaughan as Installing Marshal and Past Grand High Priest, Joseph D. Brackin as Installing Chaplain.

The new Grand High Priest, Companion MacArthur Davis, was invested with the jewel and apron of his office.

All business of Annual Convocation being concluded, Companion MacArthur Davis, declared the 174th Session of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama duly closed after the chaplain had pronounced the benediction.

Attest: *Arthur C. Harding,*
Grand Secretary



MacArthur Davis
Most Excellent Grand High Priest
2001 - 2002

MacArthur Davis
MOST EXCELLENT GRAND HIGH PRIEST
2001 - 2002

MacArthur Davis was born February 7, 1943 in Century, Florida to Mitchell O'Neal and Beatrice Lambert Davis. He was the youngest of four children, having two sisters and one brother. He attended Public School in Escambia County, Alabama and graduated from Escambia County High School in Atmore, Alabama in 1961.

He served in the U. S. Army for three years and was discharged in May of 1964.

He married Nancy C. Grissett on September 18, 1964 and they are the parents of two children, Pamela Davis Cousins (David) and Darren O'Neal Davis (Wanda). Three granddaughters: Danyell, Courtney and Haley.

Companion Davis retired on January 31, 2001 from the Alabama Department of Corrections where he had served as an Investigator for over 25 years. Prior to Corrections, he served as a Policeman in Atmore, Alabama and was Chief of Police when he resigned to go to work with Corrections. Companion Davis retired with a total of 40 years and 7 months in the Retirement System of Alabama.

Companion Davis is a Member, Deacon and Adult Sunday School Teacher in New Bethel Baptist Church located at Barnett Crossroads, Alabama.

MASONIC HISTORY

MacArthur Davis petitioned Carney Lodge in Atmore, Alabama in 1968. He was initiated an Entered Apprentice on October 23, 1968, passed to the degree of Fellowcraft on December 3, 1968 and raised to the Master Mason Degree on January 28, 1969. He served as Master of Carney Lodge in 1972. He also served as Secretary of Carney Lodge for 9 years prior to transferring his membership to Local Lodge #779, Huxford, Alabama in 1987. Companion Davis has been Master of Local Lodge for 3 terms and is presently the Secretary.

He has served the Grand Lodge of Alabama as a member of the Youth Committee, Jurisprudence Committee, Credentials Committee and was Grand Orator in 1996/97.

He has been active in both the York Rite of Monroeville, where he serves as Secretary-Recorder and the Scottish Rite of Mobile. He has served as presiding officer of all three York Rite Bodies of Monroeville and was honored by receiving the K.Y.C.H in Alabama Priory #31 in 1990. He was Coroneted a 33° in 1991 in the Scottish Rite and is a Noble of Abba Shrine Temple in Mobile.

Companion Davis also has been active in the Appendant Bodies. He is a Past Sovereign of St. Bernard Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine and is a member of Jerusalem Tabernacle XXXII, H.R.A.K.T.P., Royal Order of Scotland, Vulcan Council #22, Knight Masons, Clayton Chapter #306, O.E.S., Tall Cedars and Al Hassen Grotto. He is also a member of the Philalethes Society - Gulf Coast Chapter and received the Most Excellent Master Degree in 1996 in Akin, SC.

He serves as Grand Representative of the Grand Chapter of Washington near the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama. The Grand Representative of the Grand Commandery of Oregon near the Grand Commandery of Alabama and Grand Representative of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Greece near the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama.

Companion Davis has received the Honors of Knight Commander of the Temple, the recipient of the Knight Templar Cross of Honor in 1990, the Legion of Honor-Order of DeMolay and Knight Templar Membership award #101 and The Order of Purple Cross in the York Rite College.

Companion Davis is presently the Grand Standard Bearer of the Grand Commandery and the Grand Principal Conductor of the Work in the Grand Council of Royal & Select Masters of Alabama. He also is serving in the Officer Lines of Jerusalem Tabernacle XXXII, Vulcan Council #22, Knight Masons of Alabama, Priory #31, K.Y.C.H. and the Knight Crusaders of the Cross.

Companion Davis' Family are all involved in Masonry. His wife, Nancy, is a member of S.O.O.B. and a Past Matron of Clayton Chapter #306, O.E.S. and presently serving as Treasurer. Daughter Pamela is a Past Matron of Clayton Chapter #306, O.E.S. and a member of Amaranth in Montgomery. Son Darren is also a K.Y.C.H. in Alabama Priory #31 and a K.C.C.H. in the Mobile Scottish Rite. Darren is presently serving his third term as Master of Local Lodge #779 in Huxford, Al.



GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS FOR 2001 - 2002

Seated Left to Right:

Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., MacArthur Davis (Most Excellent Grand High Priest) Bobby W. Cheney, Jesse W. Locke

Standing Left to Right:

Arthur C. Harding, Charles L. Turk, Wallace R. Byrd, Louis W. Meyer, Jr., Jimmy D. O'Dell, Roger A. Simmons, Robert E. Moseason

GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS 2001 - 2002

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STANDING COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS
 FOR 2001-2002

Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama

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FOR 2001-2002 (Continued)
Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama

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YOUTH:

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**PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF ANOINTED
HIGH PRIESTS OF ALABAMA**

The One Hundred and Twenty-Ninth Annual Convocation of the Council of Anointed High Priests of Alabama was held at Scottish Rite Center, Birmingham, Alabama on February 26, 2001. Excellent President, Bobby W. Cheney, opened the meeting in short form.

The business of the Council was deferred until after the election and the Anointing of candidates.

The Degree Team was as follows:

Bobby Terry Excellent President
 Michael Jones Excellent Vice President
 Phillip Sherman Excellent Chaplain
 Emory J. Ferguson Excellent Master of Ceremonies
 Robert T. Crawford Excellent Herald
 Wayne Jordan Excellent Conductor

Those Anointed were as follows: William A. Carter, Earl Reed, Billy Maloy, H. Spencer Stewart, Thomas Larry Collins, Jack Colin Wade, Emmett Cormutt, Jr., Hiram W. Davis, James O. Tidmore and Baker R. Turk.

Our visiting Companions were introduced and made Honorary Members of this Council.

The minutes were adopted as printed in the 2000 proceedings.

The following officers were elected and then installed by Excellent Companion Emory J. Ferguson:

James W. Battle *Excellent President*
 Billy A. Rikard *Excellent Vice President*
 Joseph D. Brackin *Excellent Treasurer-Recorder*
 J. C. Brady *Excellent Chaplain*
 Robert T. Crawford *Excellent Master of Ceremonies*
 Brent Haller *Excellent Conductor of the Council*
 Charles Ingram *Excellent Herald*
 Phillip Sherman *Excellent Steward*
 Wayne Jordan *Excellent Sentinel*

Joseph D. Brackin, K.Y.C.H.
 Excellent Treasurer/Recorder

**REGISTER OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OF ALABAMA
JUNE, 2000 - 2001**

| NO. | NAME | LOCATION | HIGH PRIEST & ADDRESS | SECRETARY & ADDRESS | CONVOCACTION DATE |
|------|-------------|------------|--|---|------------------------|
| 1. | Tuscaloosa | Tuscaloosa | William A. Carter 7102 Harperwood Northport, 35476 | Thomas A. Henderson 4901 15 th Place Tuscaloosa, 35404 | 2nd Friday 7:30 P.M. |
| 5. | Eunomia | Huntsville | Earl Reed 314 Everett Road Huntsville, 35811 | Wayne Dee Jordan 929 Tascosa Drive Huntsville, 35802 | 2nd Tuesday |
| 6. | Cyrus | Florence | Billy H. Wilkes 255 County Road 261 Florence, 35633 | James E. Stutts 612 E. Pasadena Avenue Muscle Shoals, 35661 | 1st Tuesday |
| 21. | Mobile | Mobile | Billy Maloy 1506 Fourth Street Daphne, 36526 | Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36606 | 2nd Monday 7:00 P.M. |
| 22. | Montgomery | Montgomery | H. Spencer Stewart 117 Forrester Drive Prattville, 36066 | William J. Loerch 208 Pine Forest Drive Wetumpka, 36093 | 1st Thursday |
| 38. | Decatur | Decatur | Thomas Lary Collins 107 Sunset Acres Avenue Decatur, 35603 | Bobby R. Terry 2031 Highway 20 Decatur, 35603 | 1st Thursday |
| 76. | B'ham Metro | Birmingham | Jack C. Wade 54 Huntmaster Lane Alabaster, AL 35007 | Joe D. Lee 405 Roundabout Drive Trussville, 35173 | 3rd Saturday 9:00 A.M. |
| 86. | Coosa | Gadsden | Emmett Cornutt, Jr. 21 Winona Avenue Gadsden, 35904 | Jared Lee Phillips 1525 Lakemont Drive Southside, 35907 | 1st Thursday |
| 105. | Anniston | Anniston | James E. Goss 2138 Harrel Drive Oxford, 36203 | Charles R. Pate 1905 Canterbury Square Anniston, 36207 | 1st Thursday |

REGISTER OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OF ALABAMA
JUNE, 2000 - 2001 (Continued)

| NO. | NAME | LOCATION | HIGH PRIEST & ADDRESS | SECRETARY & ADDRESS | CONVOCATION DATE |
|------|----------------|-------------|---|--|--------------------------------|
| 107. | DeKalb-Jackson | Scottsboro | Not Reported | Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr. 1190 County Road 120 Section, 35771 | 1st Wednesday |
| 111. | Piedmont | Piedmont | Not Reported | Jerry W. Mobley 225 Bear Mountain Road Piedmont, 36272 | 2nd Thursday 7:00 PM |
| 113. | Dothan | Dothan | Hiram W. Davis 3108 Clybourne Road Dothan, 36303 | Joseph D. Brackin 2102 Hardwick Drive Dothan, 36303 | 3rd Thursday |
| 146. | Woodlawn | Birmingham | James O. Tidmore 7450 Weems Road Pinson, 35126 | Frank T. Butler, Jr. 965 Parkway Drive Birmingham, 35215 | 7:30 P.M. 2nd & 4th Tuesday |
| 149. | Phenix City | Phenix City | Donald D. Gilbert 606 Lee Road 238 Phenix City, 36869 | Lance C. Anthony P. O. Box 3050 Phenix City, 36868-3050 | 3rd Tuesday |
| 170. | Monroeville | Monroeville | Baker R. Turk 4140 Semirah Springs Road Uriah, 36480 | MacArthur Davis 4291 Grissett Bridge Road Brewton, 36426 | 4th Friday |

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**DISTRICT DEPUTY GENERAL GRAND HIGH PRIEST
SOUTHEAST REGION**

Emory J. Ferguson
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**65TH TRIENNIAL CONVOCATION
GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER
ATLANTIC CITY, NEW JERSEY**

OCTOBER 13-15, 2002

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| Year | Grand High Priest | Deputy G. H. Priest | Grand King | Grand Scribe | Grand Treasurer | Grand Secretary |
|------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 1823 | a | *Dugald McFarlane | *John Elliott | *William B. Fattou | *A. P. Bagby | *John B. Hogan |
| 1824 | b | *Israel Pickens | *John Elliott | *S. H. Garrow | *John B. Hogan | *John B. Hogan |
| 1825 | | *Israel Pickens | *John Elliott | *James H. Weakley | *Charles Steele | *John B. Hogan |
| 1826 | | *Amrod E. Benson | *Harry I. Thornton | *Thaddeus Sanford | *Andrew McByrde | *John B. Hogan |
| 1827 | c | *John Murphy | *Horatio G. Perry | *Benjamin B. Fontaine | *Henry A. Snow | *John G. Aikin |
| 1828 | d | *John Murphy | *Harry I. Thornton | *Benjamin B. Fontaine | *Henry A. Snow | *John G. Aikin |
| 1829 | e | *John Murphy | *Harry I. Thornton | *Charles O. Foster | *Henry A. Snow | *William D. Stone |
| 1830 | f | | *James Penn | *Anderson Hutchinson | *Henry A. Snow | *John G. Aiken |
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|------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| 1871 | *Henry Clay Armstrong | *James B. Luckie | *James M. Dedman | *Myles Jefferson Greene | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1872 | *Myles Jefferson Greene | *James M. Dedman | *James Milton | *James E. Cobb | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1873 | *Myles Jefferson Greene | *James M. Dedman | *James Milton | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1874 | *James E. Cobb | *James Milton | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *William Story Foster | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1875 | *James E. Cobb | *James Milton | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *William D. Wadsworth | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1876 | *James E. Cobb | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *William D. Wadsworth | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1877 | *James Harvey Joiner | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *John R. Goldbwaite | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1878 | *James Harvey Joiner | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *John Gideon Harris | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1879 | *James Harvey Joiner | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *John Gideon Harris | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1880 | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *James Tait Beck | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1881 | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *John A. McKinnon | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1882 | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Lucky Walker Jenkins | *Henry Clay Wiley | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1883 | *William Story Foster | *William W. Screws | *William W. Screws | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1884 | *William W. Screws | *William W. Screws | *William W. Screws | *Josiah Jernigan | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1885 | *William W. Screws | *William W. Screws | *William W. Screws | *Edward S. Gatchell | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1886 | *Joseph Henry Johnson | *John Gideon Harris | *John A. McKinnon | *George F. Moore | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1887 | *John Gideon Harris | *John Gideon Harris | *John A. McKinnon | *Charles R. Bricken | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1888 | *John Gideon Harris | *John Gideon Harris | *John A. McKinnon | *Basil Manly Hill | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1889 | *James Tait Beck | *John A. McKinnon | *Henry Clay Wiley | *Francis H. Bates | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1890 | *John A. McKinnon | *John A. McKinnon | *Henry Clay Wiley | *Lev Lazarus | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1891 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *Robert W. Southerland | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1892 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *John B. Christian | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1893 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *William E. Bingham | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1894 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *Lawrence H. Lee | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1895 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *John B. Lyons | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1896 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *Albert E. Pace | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1897 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *Norman Gunn | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1898 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *William Walter Ransom | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1899 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *Henry F. Reese | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1900 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *Joseph Dixon Matlock | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1901 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *John Philip Melvin | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1902 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *William L. Lee | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1903 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | *Robert T. Ward | *William Henry Dingley | *Daniel Sayre |
| 1904 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | | | |
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| 1914 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | | | |
| 1915 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | | | |
| 1916 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | | | |
| 1917 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | | | |
| 1918 | *John A. McKinnon | *John Gilbert Smith | *Andrew J. Nunnally | | | |

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|---------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1919 | *John Philip Melvin | *William L. Lee | *Robert T. Ward | *Jacob Bley | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1920 | *William L. Lee | *Robert T. Ward | *Jacob Bley | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1921 | *Robert T. Ward | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1922 | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *John B. Betha | *Joseph A. L. Johnstone | *Siddons Stollenwerck | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1924 | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *John B. Betha | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *Leonidas W. Kolb | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1925 | *Siddons Stollenwerck | *Leonidas W. Kolb | *Siddons Stollenwerck | *Leonidas W. Kolb | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1926 | *Leonidas W. Kolb | *Woolsey Finnell | *Woolsey Finnell | *Woolsey Finnell | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1927 | *Woolsey Finnell | *James M. Frazier | *James M. Frazier | *James M. Frazier | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1928 | *James M. Frazier | *Julian F. Spearman | *Julian F. Spearman | *Julian F. Spearman | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1929 | *Julian F. Spearman | *Charles O. Rolfe | *Charles O. Rolfe | *Charles O. Rolfe | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1930 | *Charles O. Rolfe | *William H. Stewart | *William H. Stewart | *James J. Douglas | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1931 | *William H. Stewart | *James J. Douglas | *James J. Douglas | *Edward Houston Wills | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1932 | *James J. Douglas | *Edward Houston Wills | *Edward Houston Wills | *Edward Houston Wills | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1933 | *Edward Houston Wills | *Elmer Lee Moss | *Elmer Lee Moss | *Walter Smith | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1934 | *Elmer Lee Moss | *Walter Smith | *Walter Smith | *Henry C. McGee | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1935 | *Walter Smith | *Henry C. McGee | *Henry C. McGee | *Roscoe O. Fleming | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1936 | *Henry C. McGee | *Roscoe O. Fleming | *Roscoe O. Fleming | *Roscoe O. Fleming | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1937 | *Roscoe O. Fleming | *William C. Davis | *William C. Davis | *William C. Davis | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1938 | *William C. Davis | *Llewellyn R. Hillier | *Llewellyn R. Hillier | *Llewellyn R. Hillier | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1939 | *Llewellyn R. Hillier | *Julius L. Layman | *Julius L. Layman | *William D. Hawkins | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1940 | *Julius L. Layman | *William W. Waldo | *William W. Waldo | *William D. Hawkins | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1941 | *William W. Waldo | *William D. Hawkins | *William D. Hawkins | *William D. Hawkins | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1942 | *William D. Hawkins | *William A. Hood | *William A. Hood | *Newman S. Cryer | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1943 | *William A. Hood | *Newman S. Cryer | *Newman S. Cryer | *Newman S. Cryer | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1944 | *Newman S. Cryer | *Ency F. Yeilding | *Ency F. Yeilding | *Ency F. Yeilding | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1945 | *Ency F. Yeilding | *James M. Jones, Sr. | *James M. Jones, Sr. | *James M. Jones, Sr. | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1946 | *James M. Jones, Sr. | *Allen P. Mize | *Allen P. Mize | *Robert S. Wildsmith | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1947 | *Allen P. Mize | *John S. Robinson | *John S. Robinson | *John S. Robinson | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1948 | *John S. Robinson | *Oliver B. Hall | *Oliver B. Hall | *Oliver B. Hall | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1949 | *Oliver B. Hall | *Edgar M. Gober | *Edgar M. Gober | *Edgar M. Gober | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1950-51 | *Edgar M. Gober | *Veimar A. Meadows | *Veimar A. Meadows | *Veimar A. Meadows | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1952 | *Veimar A. Meadows | *Emrys W. John | *Emrys W. John | *Emrys W. John | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1953 | *Emrys W. John | *Claud Stallworth | *Claud Stallworth | *Emrys W. John | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1954 | *Claud Stallworth | *Radford H. Ellis | *Radford H. Ellis | *Claud Stallworth | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1955 | *Radford H. Ellis | *Hoyt McClendon | *Hoyt McClendon | *Hoyt McClendon | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1956 | *Hoyt McClendon | *Earl D. Holmes | *Earl D. Holmes | *Earl D. Holmes | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1957 | *Earl D. Holmes | *James T. McRae, Sr. | *James T. McRae, Sr. | *James T. McRae, Sr. | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1958 | *James T. McRae, Sr. | *Arthur H. Dailey | *Arthur H. Dailey | *Arthur H. Dailey | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1959 | *Arthur H. Dailey | *Samuel F. Jackson, Jr. | *Samuel F. Jackson, Jr. | *Samuel F. Jackson, Jr. | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1960 | *Samuel F. Jackson, Jr. | *D. Shelby Vaughn | *D. Shelby Vaughn | *D. Shelby Vaughn | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1960 | *D. Shelby Vaughn | *Charles A. Guthrie, Sr. | *Charles A. Guthrie, Sr. | *Charles A. Guthrie, Sr. | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1961 | *Charles A. Guthrie, Sr. | *Joseph R. Brown | *Joseph R. Brown | *Joseph R. Brown | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1962 | *Joseph R. Brown | *Frank Albert Gillette | *Frank Albert Gillette | *Frank Albert Gillette | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |
| 1963 | *Frank Albert Gillette | *Hoyt McClendon | *Hoyt McClendon | *Hoyt McClendon | *John Wilson Terry | *Guy T. Smith |

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| 1864 | *Joseph R. Brown | | Loyd D. Duden | *Guss H. Gadd | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1865 | Loyd D. Duden | | *Guss H. Gadd | *Troy J. Roberts | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1866 | *Guss H. Gadd | | *Troy J. Roberts | *Sidney B. Morris | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1867 | *Troy J. Roberts | | *Charles B. Morris | *Charles C. McCoy | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1868 | *Sidney B. Morris | | *Charles C. McCoy | *V. Nash Carmichael | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1869 | *Charles C. McCoy | | *V. Nash Carmichael | *Chas. L. Campbell | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1870 | *V. Nash Carmichael | | *Chas. L. Campbell | Mckurray L. Griffith | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1871 | *Chas. L. Campbell | | Mckurray L. Griffith | *Arthur C. Wilson | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1872 | Mckurray L. Griffith | | *Arthur C. Wilson | Richard H. Clam | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1873 | *Arthur C. Wilson | | *Holden B. Norwood | *Ray Rutledge | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1874 | *Holden B. Norwood | | *Ray Rutledge | Fred W. Vaughan | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1875 | *Ray Rutledge | | Fred W. Vaughan | Erskine K. Salth | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1876 | Fred W. Vaughan | | Erskine K. Salth | William H. Ealy | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1877 | Erskine K. Salth | | William H. Ealy | *Garin S. Stout | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1878 | William H. Ealy | | George W. Busby | *W. Hollis Smitherman | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1879 | George W. Busby | | *W. Hollis Smitherman | *Charles J. Adams | *Hoyt McLendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1880 | *W. Hollis Smitherman | | *Charles J. Adams | Sam L. Garrett, Sr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1881 | *Charles J. Adams | | Sam L. Garrett, Sr. | *George E. Tremelling | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1882 | Sam L. Garrett, Sr. | | *George E. Tremelling | *Ray R. Morgan, Jr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1883 | *George E. Tremelling | | *Ray R. Morgan, Jr. | William O. Farmer | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1884 | *Ray R. Morgan, Jr. | | William O. Farmer | Joseph D. Brackin | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1885 | *William O. Farmer | | Joseph D. Brackin | George L. Marshall, Jr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1886 | Joseph D. Brackin | | George L. Marshall, Jr. | Anthony J. Bolter, Jr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1887 | George L. Marshall, Jr. | | William W. Newsome, Jr. | William W. Newsome, Jr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1888 | William W. Newsome, Jr. | | Charles R. Pate | Anthony W. Deming | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1889 | Charles R. Pate | | Anthony W. Deming | *Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1890 | Anthony W. Deming | | *Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. | *Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1891 | *Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. | | Robert T. Crawford | Robert T. Crawford | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1892 | Thomas W. Mann (Honorary) | | Bobby Ray Terry | W. Malcolm Killingsworth | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1893 | Robert T. Crawford | | W. Malcolm Killingsworth | James E. Scuttis | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1894 | Bobby Ray Terry | | James E. Scuttis | Emory J. Ferguson | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1895 | W. Malcolm Killingsworth | | Emory J. Ferguson | *Nathur E. Lee | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1896 | James E. Scuttis | | *Nathur E. Lee | Calvin C. Snow | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1897 | Emory J. Ferguson | | Calvin C. Snow | Charles W. McDonald | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1898 | *Arthur C. Scuttis | | Charles W. McDonald | J. C. Brady | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1899 | Charles C. Scuttis | | J. C. Brady | MackArthur Davis | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1900 | Charles W. McDonald | | MackArthur Davis | Bobby W. Cheney | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 2000 | J. C. Brady | | Bobby W. Cheney | Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. | | |
| 2001 | MackArthur Davis | | | | | |

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| Year | Grand High Priest | Deputy G. H. Priest | Grand King | Grand Scribe | Grand Treasurer | Grand Secretary |
|---------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1919 | *John Phillip Melvin | *William L. Lee | *Robert T. Ward | *Jacob Bley | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1920 | *William L. Lee | *Robert T. Ward | *Jacob Bley | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1921 | *Robert T. Ward | *Jacob Bley | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1922 | *Jacob Bley | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1923 | *Joseph Leon Gunter | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1924 | *Charles A. L. Johnstone | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Sidons Stollenwerck | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1925 | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Sidons Stollenwerck | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1926 | *Sidons Stollenwerck | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Leonidas W. Kolb | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1927 | *Leonidas Stollenwerck | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Leonidas W. Kolb | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1928 | *Woolsey Fennell | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Woolsey Fennell | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1929 | *James M. Frazer | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *James M. Frazer | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1930 | *Julian F. Spearman | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Julian F. Spearman | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1931 | *Charles O. Rolfe | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Charles O. Rolfe | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1932 | *William H. Stewart | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *William H. Stewart | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1933 | *James J. Douglas | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *James J. Douglas | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1934 | *Edward Houston Walls | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Edward Houston Walls | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1935 | *Elmer Lee Moss | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Elmer Lee Moss | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1936 | *Walter Smith | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Elmer Lee Moss | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1937 | *Henry C. McGe | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Walter Smith | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1938 | *Roscoe O. Fleming | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Henry C. McGe | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1939 | *William C. Davis | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Roscoe O. Fleming | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1940 | *Llewellyn R. Hillyer | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *William C. Davis | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1941 | *Julius L. Layman | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Llewellyn R. Hillyer | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1942 | *William W. Waldo | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *William W. Waldo | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1943 | *William D. Hawkins | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Julius L. Layman | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1944 | *William A. Hood | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *William W. Waldo | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1945 | *Newman S. Cryer | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *William D. Hawkins | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1946 | *Ency F. Yeilding | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *William A. Hood | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1947 | *James M. Jones, Sr. | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Newman S. Cryer | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1948 | *Allen F. Mize | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Ency F. Yeilding | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1949 | *John S. Robinson | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *James M. Jones, Sr. | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1950-51 | *Oliver B. Hall | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Allen F. Mize | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1952 | *Edgar M. Gobar | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *John S. Robinson | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1953 | *Velmar A. Meadows | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Oliver B. Hall | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1954 | *Emys W. John | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Edgar M. Gobar | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1955 | *Claude Stallworth | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Velmar A. Meadows | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1956 | *Radford H. Ellis | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Emys W. John | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1957 | *Charles H. Stubinger | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Claude Stallworth | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1958 | *Hoyt McClendon | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Radford H. Ellis | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1959 | *James T. McRae, Sr. | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Charles H. Stubinger | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1960 | *Arthur H. Dailey | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Hoyt McClendon | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1960 | *Sammel F. Jackson, Jr. | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *James T. McRae, Sr. | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1961 | *D. Shelby Vaughn | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Arthur H. Dailey | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1962 | *Charles A. Guthrie, Sr. | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Sammel F. Jackson, Jr. | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1963 | *Joseph R. Brown | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *D. Shelby Vaughn | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1964 | *Thomas W. Olliver | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Charles A. Guthrie, Sr. | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1965 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Joseph R. Brown | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1966 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Thomas W. Olliver | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1967 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1968 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1969 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1970 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1971 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1972 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1973 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1974 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1975 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1976 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1977 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1978 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1979 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1980 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1981 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1982 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1983 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1984 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1985 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1986 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1987 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1988 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1989 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1990 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1991 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1992 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1993 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1994 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1995 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1996 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1997 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1998 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 1999 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |
| 2000 | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John B. Bethia | *John B. Bethia | *Gordon L. Evtatt | *John Wilson Terry | *George A. Beauchamp |

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| Year | Grand High Priest | Deputy G. H. Priest | Grand King | Grand Scribe | Grand Treasurer | Grand Secretary |
|------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| 1864 | *Joseph R. Brown | Loyd D. Durden | Loyd D. Durden | *Guss H. Gadd | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1866 | Loyd D. Durden | *Guss H. Gadd | *Guss H. Gadd | *Roy J. Roberts | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1867 | *Gus R. Gadd | *Roy J. Roberts | *Roy J. Roberts | *Sidney B. Morris | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1868 | *Sidney B. Morris | *Charles C. McCoy | *Charles C. McCoy | *V. Nash Carmichael | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1869 | *Charles C. McCoy | *Chas. L. Campbell | *Chas. L. Campbell | *Nash Carmichael | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1870 | *V. Nash Carmichael | *Chas. L. Campbell | *Chas. L. Campbell | *Nash Carmichael | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1871 | *Chas. L. Campbell | *Nash Carmichael | *Nash Carmichael | *Arthur C. Wilson | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Oliver |
| 1872 | *McBurray L. Griffith | *Arthur C. Wilson | *Arthur C. Wilson | *Richard H. Clem | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1873 | *Arthur C. Wilson | *Holden B. Norwood | *Holden B. Norwood | *Ray Rutledge | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1874 | *Holden B. Norwood | *Ray Rutledge | *Ray Rutledge | Fred W. Vaughan | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1875 | *Ray Rutledge | Fred W. Vaughan | Fred W. Vaughan | Erskine K. Smith | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1876 | Fred W. Vaughan | Erskine K. Smith | Erskine K. Smith | William H. Ealy | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1877 | Erskine K. Smith | William H. Ealy | William H. Ealy | *Garlin S. Stout | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1878 | William H. Ealy | George W. Busby | George W. Busby | *W. Hollis Sutherman | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1879 | George W. Busby | *W. Hollis Sutherman | *W. Hollis Sutherman | *Charles J. Adams | *Hoyt McClendon | *Thomas W. Mann |
| 1880 | *W. Hollis Sutherman | *Charles J. Adams | *Charles J. Adams | Sam L. Garrett, Sr. | | |
| 1881 | x | | | | | |
| 1882 | *Charles J. Adams | Sam L. Garrett, Sr. | Sam L. Garrett, Sr. | *George E. Tremelling | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1883 | *George E. Tremelling | *George E. Tremelling | *George E. Tremelling | *Ray R. Morgan, Jr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1884 | *Ray R. Morgan, Jr. | *William O. Farmer | *William O. Farmer | Joseph D. Brackin | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1885 | *William O. Farmer | Joseph D. Brackin | Joseph D. Brackin | Anthony J. Bolter, Jr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1886 | Joseph D. Brackin | George L. Newsome, Jr. | George L. Newsome, Jr. | Anthony W. Deming | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1887 | George L. Brackin | William M. Newsome, Jr. | William M. Newsome, Jr. | *Anthony W. Deming | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1888 | William M. Newsome, Jr. | Charles R. Pace | Charles R. Pace | *Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1889 | Charles R. Pace | Anthony W. Deming, Sr. | Anthony W. Deming, Sr. | Robert E. Crawford | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1890 | *Anthony W. Deming, Sr. | Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. | Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. | Bobby Ray Terry | James A. Kile | Thomas W. Mann |
| 1891 | Y | | | | | |
| 1892 | *Thomas W. Mann (Honorary) | Bobby Ray Terry | Bobby Ray Terry | W. Malcolm Killingsworth | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1892 | z | | | | | |
| 1892 | *Robert W. Cheney | W. Malcolm Killingsworth | W. Malcolm Killingsworth | James E. Stutts | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1893 | Bobby Ray Terry | James E. Stutts | James E. Stutts | Emory J. Ferguson | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1894 | *W. Malcolm Killingsworth | Emory J. Ferguson | Emory J. Ferguson | *Luther E. Lee | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1895 | James E. Stutts | *Luther E. Lee | *Luther E. Lee | Calvin C. Snow | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1896 | Emory J. Ferguson | Charles W. McDonald | Charles W. McDonald | J. C. Brady | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1897 | *Luther E. Lee | McArthur Davis | McArthur Davis | McArthur Davis | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1898 | *Arthur E. Lee | Bobby W. Cheney | Bobby W. Cheney | Teddy R. Grogan, Jr. | Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. | Arthur C. Harding |
| 1899 | Charles W. McDonald | | | | | |
| 1900 | J. C. Brady | | | | | |
| 2001 | McArthur Davis | | | | | |

*Deceased

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- a. May, 1823: A small group met in Mobile, for the purpose of forming the Grand Royal Arch Chapter in Alabama, and Grand Officers were appointed.
- b. January, 1824: Regular annual convocation, and at the same time henceforward until otherwise noted.
- c. June: There being no convocation in January, the Grand Chapter being declared irregular by the General Grand Chapter, it was therefore re-organized in June, 1827, and a new constitution adopted.
- d. December: At this time annual convocations were changed to July.
- e. July: In accordance with previous order, and at same time henceforward until otherwise noted.
- f. No election, the Grand Chapter having "adjourned" on the evening of July 14th, until the next evening; but it did not convene again, the members having dispersed.
- g. There had been no convocation of the Grand Chapter for upwards of seven years, in consequence, perhaps, of the Morgan excitement. In December, 1837, a few companions assembled in Tuscaloosa and re-organized by the adoption of a constitution and the election of Grand Officers. The constitution of 1837 was adopted, and the annual convocations fixed for December.
- h. In 1825 the office of Deputy Grand High Priest was abolished.
- i. At the Annual Convocation in December, 1944, the time of meeting was changed to the Third Monday in November.
- j. At Annual Convocation in 1946, on account of ill health, Companion John Wilson Terry was made Grand Treasurer Emeritus, and Companion Frank Albert Gillette was elected Grand Treasurer.
- k. On August 4, 1947, following the death of Companion Guy t. Smith, Companion W. E. Glazner was appointed Acting Grand Secretary.
- l. At the Annual Convocation, November, 1947, Companion Chas. H. Stubinger was elected Grand Secretary.
- m. At the Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter R.A.M. of Alabama held on February 14, 1956, Companion Charles H. Stubinger was elected M.E. Grand High Priest, to serve in this capacity during the election of officers.
- n. On June 27, 1960, following sudden death of Companion Charles H. Stubinger, Companion Thomas L. Cochran was appointed Acting Grand Secretary.
- o. On September 16, 1960 following resignation of Companion Thomas L. Cochran, Companion Gordon L. Ewatt was appointed Grand Secretary.
- p. On December 1, 1960, Companion Varma A. Rushton was appointed Grand Secretary to succeed Companion Gordon L. Ewatt, who had resigned.
- q. Grand York Rite office moved from Montgomery to Birmingham after election of Thomas W. Oliver as Grand Secretary.
- r. At Annual Convocation, February, 1973, Thomas W. Mann was elected Grand Secretary. Thomas W. Oliver was elected Grand Secretary Emeritus.
- s. Annual Convocation date changed to last Monday in February.
- t. As proof of continued effort of Alabama to promote York Rite Unity, the first combined meeting of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council and Grand Commandery was held in February 1974.
- u. On November 1, 1974, the Grand York Rite Office was moved to a new location at 3621 South 5th Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35222.
- v. On October 1, 1979, the Grand York Rite Office was moved to a new location at 5004 1/2 North 1st Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35212.
- w. On May 16, 1960, James A. Kile was appointed Grand Treasurer to succeed Hoyt McCleendon who resigned.
- x. At Annual Convocation, February, 1981, Hoyt McCleendon was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus.
- y. On September 1, 1991, Companion Thomas W. Mann and Companion James A. Kile resigned and Companion Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. appointed as Grand Treasurer and Companion Arthur C. Harding appointed as Grand Secretary.
- z. At the Annual Convocation in February, 1992 Companion Thomas W. Mann was elected Grand Secretary Emeritus and Past Grand High Priest (Honorary). Companion James A. Kile was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus. Companion Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was elected Grand Treasurer and Companion Arthur C. Harding was elected Grand Secretary.

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