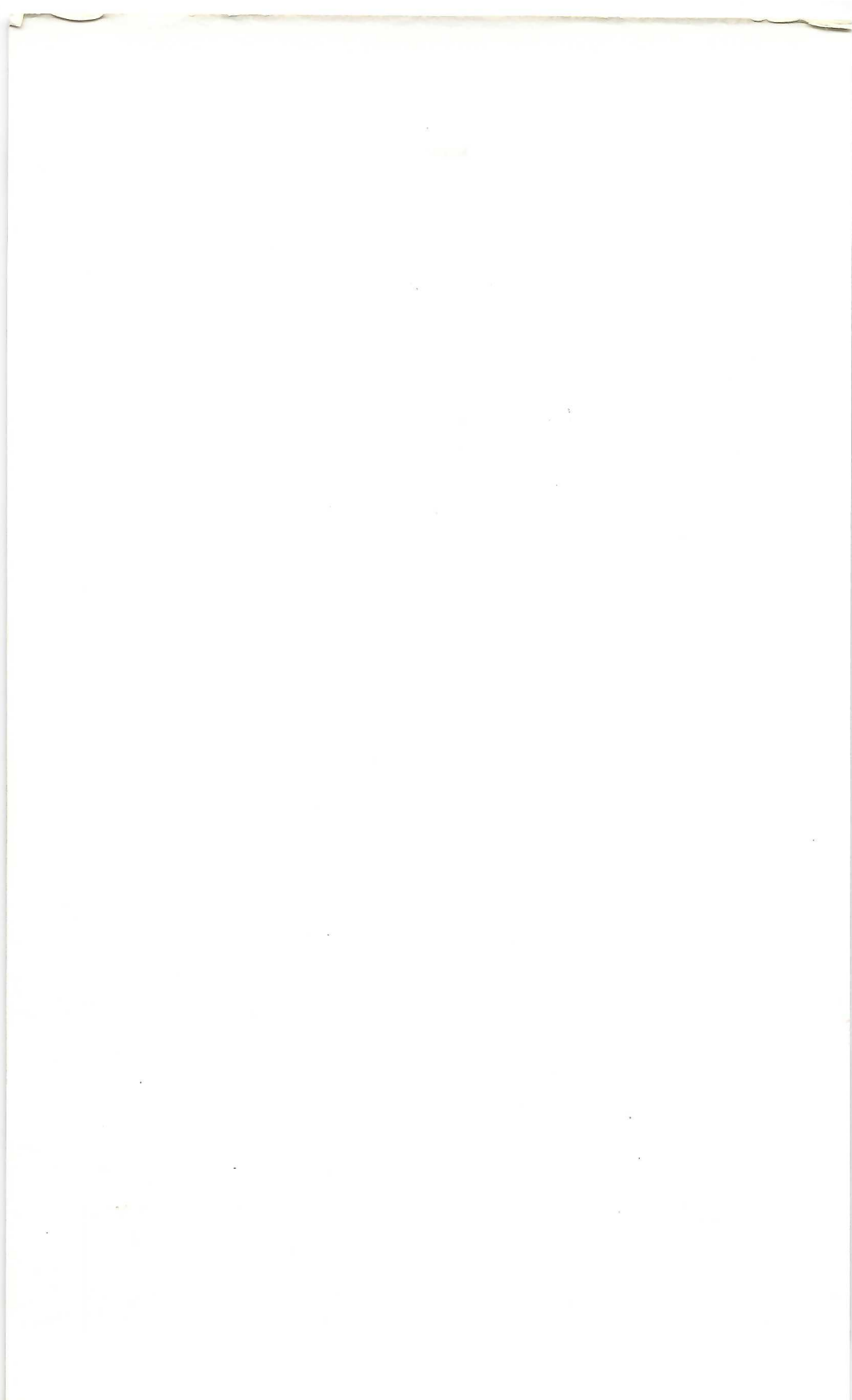


THE YORK RITE
of
FREEMASONRY
of
ALABAMA

1992



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



RECEPTION

An informal reception was held on Sunday afternoon, February 23, 1992, in the Vaudeville Room of the Ramada Inn-Airport, Birmingham, Alabama, as members and guests were registering in the lobby. Hostesses were Mrs. Agnes Grogan, wife of Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., Mrs. Monteal Smith, wife of Most Illustrious Grand Master, Erskine K. Smith, and Mrs. Doris Pate, wife of Right Eminent Grand Commander Charles R. Pate. The above hostesses were 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 23, 1992, in the Dixieland Room of the Ramada Inn-Airport, Birmingham. The Right Eminent Grand Commander, Charles R. Pate, conducted the service, and Sir Knight Bobby Ray Terry, Grand Prelate of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama, delivered the message.

The Sir Knights marched in to the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers." After the message was delivered by the Grand Prelate, an offering was received and the Grand Commander announced that it will 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 Birmingham Ramada Inn-Airport. After the Invocation, a delicious roast beef dinner was enjoyed by all.

The three presiding Grand Officers introduced their families, their Distinguished Guests, Grand Line Officers, the Past presiding Grand Officers, and all their Ladies.

Right Excellent Companion Murray E. Cooke, General Grand Scribe of the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, International, was introduced and asked to present the General Grand Chapter Medal of Honor to the recipient, Companion J. Woodrow Smith of Anniston Chapter No. 105 who accepted the award with appreciation. The Grand Chapter of Alabama adds his name to their list of previous recipients.

The Most Puissant General Grand Master Evan L. Fleming, Jr., General Grand Master of The General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons, International, was introduced and asked to present the General Grand

Council's Cryptic Mason or the Year Award to Companion Fred Leburn Graham of Brundidge Council No. 69 located in Anniston. Companion Graham accepted the award with humility. The Grand Council of Alabama adds this Companion's name to their list of former recipients.

Companion and Sir Knight W. Malcolm Killingsworth, The Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Alabama was then introduced and spoke a few words.

The Right Eminent Grand Commander, Charles R. Pate, then introduced the Right Eminent Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States, Sir Knight Blair C. Mayford who presented the Knight Templar Cross of Honor to Sir Knight Homer Lee Tidwell, a member of Anniston Commandery No. 3. Sir Knight Tidwell accepted this prestigious award, together with the accompanying plaque, with gratitude. Sir Knight Tidwell's name will be added to the Grand Commandery's list of previous recipients of this high award.

The evening was enjoyed by all who attended and, after Benediction, the banquet was concluded.

LADIES ENTERTAINMENT

The ladies attended a brunch on Monday morning with several door prizes and favors from the three hostesses. 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 evening a very enjoyable film about Valley Forge was presented to the ladies by Mrs. Sam Garrett.

The third annual Craft Shop with donated hand-made items was open throughout the Grand Session. The Craft Shop was again organized with Mrs. Sarah Garrett as Chairman. The total sales this year amounted to \$740.01, which was equally divided between the three Grand York Rite charities.

KNIGHT MASONS

Vulcan Council No. 22, Knight Masons of Alabama, held their Ninth Annual Banquet on Monday evening, February 24, 1992 in the Vaudeville Room of the Ramada Inn-Airport during the Grand York Rite Session. 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.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND

ANNUAL CONCLAVE

OF THE

GRAND COMMANDERY

of

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

of

ALABAMA

HELD FEBRUARY 23-25, 1992

RAMADA INN

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

PRESIDING 1991-1992

Charles R. Pate, *Right Eminent Grand Commander*
P. O. Box 1526, Anniston, Alabama 36202

Arthur C. Harding, *Eminent Grand Recorder*
P. O. Box 320262, Birmingham, AL 35232

ELECTED 1992-1993

Bobby C. Park *Right Eminent Grand Commander*
1577 Oscar Patterson Road, New Market, Alabama 35761

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND
ANNUAL CONCLAVE OF THE
GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA

The One Hundred and Thirty-Second Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama was declared convened by Sir Knight Charles R. Pate, Right Eminent Grand Commander on February 24, 1992.

The Invocation was given by Sir Knight Bobby Ray Terry, Eminent Grand Prelate, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The following Grand Commandery Officers were present and in their stations:

Sir Knight Charles R. Pate.....	Grand Commander
Sir Knight Bobby C. Park.....	Deputy Grand Commander
Sir Knight Sam L. Garrett, Sr.....	Grand Generalissimo
Sir Knight Robert L. Byars, Jr.....	Grand Captain General
Sir Knight Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.....	Grand Senior Warden
Sir Knight George L. Marshall, Jr.....	Grand Junior Warden
Sir Knight Bobby Ray Terry.....	Grand Prelate
Sir Knight Fred W. McCluskey.....	Grand Treasurer
Sir Knight Arthur C. Harding.....	Grand Recorder
Sir Knight Ray Rutledge.....	Grand Standard Bearer
Absent.....	Grand Sword Bearer
Sir Knight James F. Vaughan.....	Grand Warder
W. David Mason, Jr.....	Grand Sentinel

All Sir Knights and Distinguished Guests were welcomed to the Annual Conclave by the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Charles R. Pate

INTRODUCTION OF PAST RIGHT EMINENT GRAND COMMANDERS;

The following Past Grand Commanders of the Grand Commandery were introduced and welcomed to this Grand Conclave:

Anthony V. Jannett, III.....	1957-1958
Clifford J. Turner.....	1970-1971
Thomas W. Mann.....	1972-1973
Michael L. Jones.....	1973-1974
McMurray L. Griffith.....	1975-1976
William M. Newsome, Jr.....	1976-1977
Fred W. Vaughan.....	1978-1979
Arthur C. Harding.....	1979-1980
Joseph D. Brackin.....	1980-1981
Erskine K. Smith.....	1982-1983
Richard Sim Hamilton.....	1984-1985
W. Sterling Roberts.....	1985-1986
Emory J. Ferguson.....	1988-1989
Charles W. McDonald.....	1989-1990

**ADDRESS OF RIGHT EMINENT GRAND COMMANDER
CHARLES W. PATE
1991-1992**

*To the Grand Officers, Sir Knights and Distinguished Guests of the Grand
Commandery of Alabama:*

Sir Knights, I welcome each of you to the 132nd Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar. It is a pleasure to be here and meeting with each of you again. I feel that I am among friends anytime that I am at a York Rite meeting, but this is a special bond that I have developed with most of you. I certainly wish the best for each of you

I have made many trips this year with Most Excellent Grand High Priest Ted R. Grogan, Sr. and with Most Illustrious Grand Master Erskine K. Smith. To them I am indebted for their friendship and support for York Rite Masonry.

STATE OF THE ORDER

Sir Knights, I have worked long and hard to promote York Rite Masonry and will continue to do so. I feel that our Grand Line Officers need to be more in line with the thinking that they need to support York Rite while in line and learn more of the problems before coming to the top. We definitely have a problem with apathy in our line and we need to take a long look each year to what we are electing and what should be expected of them. I know that for us to grow and maintain membership, we are going to have to devote time to the Bodies. If there is no apparent interest, then we, as masons, need to elect those interested and, if necessary, each year elect all officers by ballot. East and North Alabama, in most cases, have had work. Most of the work has been done by the Anniston York Rite Bodies, along with several from Decatur, Gadsden, Piedmont and some from Birmingham. We need more participation by our Grand Officers.

NECROLOGY

The Grand Commandery Line has remained intact and I am certainly thankful for this. We did lose a fine outstanding York Rite Mason in Past Grand Commander Ray R. Morgan. He is certainly a friend that will be missed for many years by this Fraternity. In Anniston, I felt a great loss when I was informed of the death of Sir Knight M. C. Campbell. He was a true mason, one that believed in the fraternity and showed it by his participation. Even in bad health, Sir Knight Campbell traveled with us in the early morning hours to Montgomery and Scottsboro to do his share. I think of Sir Knight Campbell and Sir Knight Paul Gray each time we have a

Pancake Breakfast, or go out of town for a meeting. We have lost many other fine Sir Knights this year and our Prayers are with their survivors.

**GRAND REPRESENTATIVES NOMINATED TO REPRESENT OTHER
GRAND COMMANDERIES
NEAR THE GRAND COMMANDERY OF ALABAMA**

California	Billy A. Clark
Kansas	James Woodrow Smith
Louisiana	Patrick B. Bleakley
Michigan	James Frederick Vaughan
Missouri	Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.
Nebraska	Fred L. Graham
South Dakota	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.
Connecticut	James E. Waldrop
North Carolina	Joseph J. Howard

OUT OF STATE VISITS

South Carolina	March 10-12
Mississippi	March 21-23
North Carolina	March 24-26
Georgia	April 8-9
Florida	May 19-22
Southeastern York Rite Conference	June 27-29

AUDIT

On November 15, 1991, I authorized Grand Recorder, Companion Arthur C. Harding, to secure the services of Brother Raymond E. Potter, C.P.A. and his firm to audit the books of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama for the year ending December 31, 1991.

CONCLUSION

Sir Knights, this has been the highest honor ever bestowed on me, that of being elected Grand Commander of this Grand Commandery and I thank you. I feel that in a lot of ways, I have let you down.

I want to thank Sir Knight Thomas W. Mann and his wife, Bebe, for their many years of support and encouragement. Sir Knight Mann had a lot to do with some of the things accomplished. He was the one that said that it was hard to get members to help those commanderies in trouble but that it was easy to go to a commandery like Anniston, Gadsden, Metro, etc. He certainly deserves a lot of the credit for what has been accomplished. I also want to

give my personal thanks to Sir Knight and Mrs. Arthur C. Harding for being willing to step in and do an outstanding job in the Grand Recorder's Office. They have truly worked hard and I appreciate the work they have done. I also want to thank the Grand Treasurer James Kile for his many years of devoted service. He has always been a friend to York Rite Masonry and a friend to me. I also want to thank Sir Knight Fred McCluskey for taking the Grand Treasurer's job. He has also don a good job and we all owe him a great big "Thank You".

There is one person that I will never be able to thank enough for the many years of standing with me during my time in line. She has always been one that I counted on and she has not let me down and has worked very hard to support this fraternity. She has truly been a Masonic Widow but she has also been a very understanding wife and I thank her and love her very much. There is no way that I can show my appreciation for her devotion.

I also want to thank those of the Anniston York Rite Bodies, who have worked so hard to make York Rite what it is in East Alabama. We have had to get up and be at the lodge many mornings before five O'clock and return after nine o'clock. These are what I call real masons and those that are more than willing to go the extra mile. The entire state should thank them for their devotion to the craft. I know of no finer group to be with than those in Anniston. Thank you very much for being interested in and supporting York Rite Masonry with your time and efforts. I love each of you.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles R. Pate
Right Eminent Grand Commander

Attest: Arthur C. Harding
Grand Recorder

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

Submitted below is my Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the year ended December 31, 1991.

RECEIPTS:

Dues.....	\$43,682.00
Fees.....	1,415.00
Interest.....	2,777.99
Sale of Supplies.....	355.50
Sale of Banquet Tickets.....	886.00
Other (Craft Sales).....	224.10
Total Receipts.....	\$49,334.49

DISBURSEMENTS;

Operating Expenses.....	\$52,157.75
Decrease in Payroll Taxes Unremitted.....	368.94
Total Disbursements.....	52,526.69

EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS (\$3,192.20)

CASH ON HAND - JANUARY 1, 1991 88,373.35

CASH ON HAND - DECEMBER 31, 1991 \$85,181.15

CASH ON HAND - DECEMBER 31, 1991 CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING:

Petty Cash.....	\$ 50.00
Checking Account.....	48,609.38
Certificates of Deposit and Savings Accipmts.....	36,521.77
Total Cash on Hand December 31, 1991.....	\$85,181.15

Respectfully submitted,
Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.
Grand Treasurer

Adopted.

GRAND RECORDER'S REPORT

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

Sir Knights, my Annual Report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1991 is as follows:

Membership as of January 1, 1991 5,945

ADDITIONS;

Knighted.....	161	
Affiliated	13	
Reinstated.....	79	
Adjusted	3	+ 256

Total Gross Membership 6,201

LOSSES;

Died.....	150	
Demitted	22	
Suspended N.P.D.....	290	
Adjusted	6	468

Total Net Membership as of December 31, 1991 5,733

Loss in Membership for 1991	-212	
Chartered Commanderies.....	18	
Commanderies Reporting.....	18	
Commanderies Under Dispensation	0	

APPRECIATION

I would like to express appreciation and thanks to our right eminent Grand Commander, Charles R. Pate, the Grand Line Officers, and the Recorders of the Constituent Commanderies for their understanding, support, help and assistance rendered during the past year. I would like to extend a special "Thank You" to Right Eminent Sir Knight Thomas W. Mann, and Lady Bebe for the outstanding work which has been performed by them over the past eighteen years. Because of the work which they have done and the manner in which they maintained the books and records, my transition into this office was simplified.

Fraternally submitted
Arthur C. Harding
Grand Recorder

Adopted.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF SUBORDINATE COMMANDERIES

	1/1/91 MEMBERSHIP	KNIGHTED	AFFILIATED	REINSTATED	ADJUSTED	DIED	DEMITTED	SUSPENDED	12/31/91 MEMBERSHIP	GAIN/LOSS
2 MOBILE	535	7	1	5	0	14	0	19	515	-20
4 MONTGOMERY	265	19	0	5	0	4	1	3	281	+16
7 HUNTSVILLE	302	10	4	1	+1	4	2	5	307	+5
10 CYRENE	1,042	13	2	9	+1	32	2	44	989	-53
13 TUSCALOOSA	224	5	0	2	0	9	1	7	214	-10
14 DECATUR	208	18	0	1	0	1	1	15	210	+2
15 ETOWAH	331	5	1	5	0	10	2	25	305	-26
21 SYLACAUGA	68	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	65	-3
23 ANNISTON	273	6	3	3	0	7	1	2	275	+2
25 DOTHAN	182	0	0	1	0	6	1	10	166	-16
29 PIEDMONT	123	3	0	1	0	2	1	16	108	-15
31 WOODAWN	816	6	1	21	0	17	4	50	773	-43
39 FLORENCE	330	10	0	0	+1	7	1	3	330	0
43 EAST LAKE	480	16	0	18	-6	7	0	59	442	-38
45 LEE	191	3	1	3	0	8	0	12	178	-13
46 DeKALB-JACKSON	412	37	0	2	0	8	5	20	418	+6
47 MONROEVILLE	80	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	81	+1
48 JASPER	83	0	0	2	0	9	0	0	76	-7
TOTALS	5,945	161	13	79	-3	150	22	290	5,733	-212

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers, and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Alabama:

We your committee on Finance, wish to submit the following report as well as a proposed budget for the year 1992 for your review and consideration.

We have examined the Audit as completed by Potter, Bryant and Tate, C.P.A. of the Grand Commandery and recommend that it be accepted.

The annual budget was prepared by the combined efforts of this committee as well as the R. E. Grand Commander, Deputy Grand Commander, Grand Generalissimo, Grand Captain General Grand Treasurer and the Grand Recorder.

Respectfully submitted,
Emory J. Ferguson, Chairman
Richard Sim Hamilton
Anthony M. Deming

Adopted.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Mr. Charles R. Pate
Right Eminent Grand Commander
Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama
Birmingham, Alabama

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets, liabilities and fund balance - cash basis of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama (a non-profit organization) as of December 31, 1991, and the related statements of revenue and expenses - cash basis and changes in fund balance - cash basis for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Commandery's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described in Note 1, the Commandery prepares its financial statements on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements except that the statements include an inventory of supplies held for resale as well as a provision for depreciation of property and equipment. This basis is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the assets, liabilities, and fund balance of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama as of December 31, 1991, and its revenue and expenses and changes in its fund balance for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

POTTER, BRYANT & TATE, P.C.
Certified Public Accountants

Potter, Bryant & Tate, P.C.

Birmingham, Alabama
February 5, 1992

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE - CASH BASIS
DECEMBER 31, 1991

ASSETSCurrent Assets

Cash on Hand and in Bank	\$ 48,659.38	
Certificates of Deposit and Savings Account	36,521.77	
Inventory - Supplies for Resale	<u>661.12</u>	
Total Current Assets		\$ 85,842.27

Property and Equipment

Office Equipment	6,562.29	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>5,906.06</u>	
Net Property and Equipment		<u>656.23</u>
Total Assets		<u>\$ 86,498.50</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCECurrent Liabilities

Unremitted Payroll Taxes		\$ 80.37
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Fund Balance

Total Liabilities and Fund Balance		<u>\$ 86,498.50</u>
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STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES - CASH BASIS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1991

Revenue

Dues		\$ 43,682.00
Fees		1,415.00
Sale of Banquet Tickets		886.00
Interest		2,771.99
Other Receipts		224.00
Sale of Supplies		\$ 355.50
Inventory - January 1, 1991	\$ 912.34	
Purchases	<u>-0-</u>	
Total	912.34	
Inventory - December 31, 1991	<u>661.12</u>	<u>251.22</u>
Total Revenue		49,083.27
Expenses (Schedule 1)		52,157.75
Supplies Purchased for Resale		<u>-0-</u>
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenses		<u>\$ (3,074.48)</u>

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - CASH BASIS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1991

Fund Balance - January 1, 1991	\$ 89,492.61
Deduct: Excess Revenues Over (Under) Expenses	<u>(3,074.48)</u>
Fund Balance - December 31, 1991	<u>\$ 86,418.13</u>

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 1991

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 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 Commandery 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 tax return is filed each year on IRS Form 990.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Mr. Charles R. Pate
Right Eminent Grand Commander
Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama
Birmingham, Alabama

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The schedule of expenses-cash basis is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is stated fairly in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Birmingham, Alabama
February 5, 1992

POTTER, BRYANT & TATE, P.C.
Certified Public Accountants

Potter, Bryant & Tate, P.C.

SCHEDULE 1GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMASCHEDULE OF EXPENSES - CASH BASIS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1991

<u>Grand Officer Expenses</u>		
Allowance for Grand Officer	\$ 1,200.00	
Stationery for Grand Officer	71.69	
Total Grand Officer Expenses		\$ 1,271.69
<u>Grand Recorder's Office Expenses</u>		
Salary - Grand Recorder	3,900.00	
Salary - Office Secretary	4,333.33	
Allowance - Grand Treasurer	200.00	
Insurance - Bonds, Fire, Theft and Liability	492.40	
Payroll Taxes	883.43	
Rent	1,800.00	
Stationery and Printing	48.64	
Repairs - Furniture and Service Contracts	227.40	
Postage and Post Office Box Rental	283.08	
Telephone	533.77	
Annual Audit and Accounting Services	865.00	
Travel Allowance - Grand Recorder	2,600.00	
Travel Allowance - Office Secretary	379.72	
Janitorial Supplies	30.58	
Typewriter Rental and Office Supplies	161.02	
Total Grand Recorder's Office Expenses		16,738.37
<u>Annual Convention Expenses</u>		
Expenses for Distinguished Guests	468.03	
Per Diem and Mileage - Grand Officers	1,840.48	
Banquet and Men's Luncheon	834.21	
Printing and Badges for Convention	110.42	
Southeastern Regional Meeting	200.00	
Ladies Luncheon - Annual Conclave	207.28	
Miscellaneous	82.09	
Total Annual Convention Expenses		3,742.51
<u>Miscellaneous Expenses</u>		
Per Capita Tax - Grand Encampment	19,618.50	
Eye Foundation Dues - Grand Encampment	3,813.00	
Special Award - Demolay	300.00	
Special Award - Rainbow	300.00	
Order of Knighthood Award	100.00	
Printing Annual Proceedings	2,914.68	
Contingencies	224.00	
Memorials	20.00	
Triennial Reserve for Past Grant Commanders	2,400.00	
Triennial Reserve for Officers and Grand Recorder	400.00	
Triennial Southern Breakfast	300.00	
Past Junior Commander's Jewel	15.00	
Total Miscellaneous Expenses		30,405.18
Total Expenses		\$ <u>52,157.75</u>

GRAND COMMANDERY BUDGET

Acct	ITEM	BUDGET 1991	SPENT 1991	PROPOSED 1992
81	Janitorial Supplies	\$ 60.00	\$ 30.58	\$ 50.00
82	Payroll Taxes	800.00	883.43	700.00
83	Telephone	550.00	533.77	500.00
84	Postage	400.00	283.08	400.00
85	Contingency Fund	150.00	.00	200.00
86	Grand Commander's Expense	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
87	Grand Recorder's Salary	3,600.00	3,900.00	3,600.00
88	Grand Treasurer's Expense	200.00	200.00	200.00
89	Grand Encampment Per Capita Tax	21,000.00	19,618.50	19,000.00
89-A	Grand Encampment K.T. Eye Foundation Dues	4,500.00	3,813.00	3,800.00
91	Office Assistant Salary	4,000.00	4,333.33	4,000.00
92	Printing Grand Proceedings	3,000.00	2,914.68	3,000.00
92-A	Printing & Convention Expense	350.00	192.51	.00
93	Stationery & Printing	450.00	199.66	850.00
95	Audit	875.00	865.00	875.00
96	Office Rent	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
98	Jewel for Jr.Past Gr. Comm.	.00	15.00	600.00
99	Insurance	600.00	492.40	700.00
100	Memorials & Gifts	100.00	20.00	.00
102	Triennial Resercve (First 4 Grand Officers & Gr. Recorder)	667.00	400.00	667.00
102-A	Triennial Reserve for Past Grand Commanders(\$933.00 per year for 3 years. Prorated-\$400.00 Max. each)	933.00	2,400.00	933.00
102-C	Southern Breakfast	100.00	300.00	100.00
103	Donation to DeMolay	300.00	300.00	300.00
103-A	Donation to Order Of Knighthood	100.00	100.00	100.00

GRAND COMMANDERY BUDGET

<u>Acct</u>	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>BUDGET 1991</u>	<u>SPENT 1991</u>	<u>PROPOSED 1992</u>
103-B	Donation to order of Rainbow for Girls	300.00	300.00	300.00
104	Purchases for Resale	200.00	250.00	500.00
105	Southeastern Regional York Rite onference (Dep. Gr. Commander, Grand Generalismo & Grand Rec.)	235.00	200.00	300.00
106	Grand Recorder's Travel Allow.	2,600.00	2,600.00	2,600.00
106-A	Office Asst. Travel Allow.	350.00	379.72	360.00
107	K.T. Magazine Supplement Editor	25.00	.00	25.00
108	K.T. Eye Found. Vol. Campaign	75.00	.00	75.00
114	Stationerly for Presiding Officer	75.00	71.69	50.00
115	Safe Deposit Box Rental	10.00	10.00	.00
116	Repairs-Service Contracts	200.00	227.40	200.00
117	Ladies' Luncheon	300.00	207.28	300.00
118	Distinguished Guests	500.00	468.03	700.00
119	Banquet (Total cost minus tickets sold)	300.00	(51.79)	300.00
121	\$30.00 Per Diem (2nights) Grand Officers, Past Grands, and Standing Committees only)	1,700.00	1,840.48	1,800.00
12	Computer Purchase	.00	.00	1,700.00
TOTAL		\$52,605.00	\$51,297.75	\$52,785.00

(Under Budget \$1,307.25)

Adopted.

GRAND COMMANDERY ROLL CALL OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

ARIZONA	*James A. Kile
ARKANSAS	*James H. Lee
CALIFORNIA	*Billy A. Clark
COLORADO	George F. Mills
CONNECTICUT	Bobby C. Park
DELAWARE	Gerald E. Wilson
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	Richard Sim Hamilton
FLORIDA	Thomas W. Mann
GEORGIA	Claude C. McGraw
IDAHO	**Loyd D. Durden
ILLINOIS	Arthur C. Harding
INDIANA	James E. Stutts
IOWA	Jesse W. Locke
KANSAS	J. Woodrow Smith
KENTUCKY	Michael L. Jones
LOUISIANA	*Patrick B. Bleakley
MAINE	William M. Newsome, Jr.
MARYLAND	Joseph D. Brackin
MASSACHUSETT & RHODE ISLAND	Fred W. Vaughan
MICHIGAN	James F. Vaughan
MINNESOTA	W. Sterling Roberts
MISSISSIPPI	Emory J. Ferguson
MISSOURI	*Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.
MONTANA	Charles R. Pate
NEBRASKA	Fred L. Graham
NEVADA	Johnny A. Baker
NEW HAMPSHIRE	*Robert E. Shipp
NEW JERSEY	George L. Marshall, Jr.
NEW MEXICO	
NEW YORK	Anthony M. Deming
NORTH CAROLINA	James R. Bromley
NORTH DAKOTA	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.
OHIO	Phillip J. Sherman
OKLAHOMA	Erskine K. Smith
OREGON	MacArthur Davis
PENNSYLVANIA	Bobby Ray Terry
PHILIPPINES	Clifford J. Turner
SOUTH CAROLINA	Anthony V. Jannett III
SOUTH DAKOTA	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.
TENNESSEE	***Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.
TEXAS	McMurray L. Griffith
UTAH	Robert T. Crawford
VERMONT	**Thomas F. Craig
VIRGINIA	Charles W. McDonald
WASHINGTON	W. Malcolm Killingsworth
WEST VIRGINIA	Oliver L. Moore, Jr.
WISCONSIN	Wayne D. Jordan
WYOMING	*Robert L. Byars, Jr.

**Denotes number of consecutive years absent.*

REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES
FOR GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA

Grand Commandery	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
Arizona	James A. Kile	200 - 18th Avenue, N.W. Birmingham, 35215	Roman F. Bailey	Glendale
Arkansas	James H. Lee	Route 6, Box 67 Florence, 35630	James Fernald, Jr.	E. Dorado
California	Billy A. Clark	205 Elsmore Boulevard Gadsden, 35901	Grover T. Halbrooks	Riverside
Colorado	George F. Mills	P. O. Box 1393 Decatur, 35602	Edwin D. Chase	Grand Junction
Connecticut	Bobby C. Parr	1577 Oscar Patterson Road. New Market, 35761	Joseph J. Howard	Old Lyme
Delaware	Gerald E. Wilson	1306 Terrehaute Avenue, S.W. Montgomery, 36120-0262	Harold C. Hill	
District of Columbia	Richard Sim Hamilton	2302 Hamilton Drive, S. W. Pisgah, 35765	William T. Cox	Springfield, Virginia
Florida	Thomas W. Mann	354 Sun Valley Circle Dothan, 36303	Francis L. Dancy	Fort Pierce
Georgia	Claude C. McGraw	1173 Dogwood Lane Birmingham, 35215	Hugh L. Smith	Albany
Idaho	Loyd D. Durden	507 South Edgewood Drive Bozhan, 36301	Eldred J. Thomas	Lewiston
Illinois	Arthur C. Herding	309 Sun Valley Road Birmingham 35215	William D. Jarrett	Jacksonville
Indiana	James E. Stutis	612 East Pasadena Avenue Muscle Shoals, 35660	Emil L. Steffey	Shelbyville
Iowa	Jesse W. Locke	P. O. Box 2331 Phenix City, 36867-2331	Victor Raider	Burlington
Kansas	J. Woodrow Smith	3687 Cedar Springs Road Jacksonville, 36265-9704	Edward B. Sherwood	Newton
Kentucky	Michael L. Jones	1711 Cagle Avenue, S. W. Decatur, 35601	Clifford T. Sligger	Louisville
Louisiana	Patrick B. Bleakley	P. O. Box 328 Jacksonville, 36265	Huston F. Boothe, Sr.	Hammond

REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES
FOR GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA

Grand Commandery	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
Maine.....	William M. Newsome, Jr.	1600 - 45th Street Phenix City, 36867	Malcolm Richards.....	West Sullivan
Maryland.....	Joseph D. Brackin	21201 Hardwick Drive Dothan, 36303 36265-9704 ✓	Calvin W. Parker.....	Clon Burnie
Massachusetts & Rhode Island.....	Fred W. Vaughan	108 Harwood Crive..... Gadsden, 35901801-2533 ✓	Harley F. McCartney.....	Templeton
Michigan.....	James F. Vaughan	190 Azalea Drive Gadsden, 35901	Donald M. Krueger.....	Sturgis
Minnesota.....	W. Sterling Roberts	821 Covington Avenue Birmingham, 35206	Barnes A. Sharitt, Jr.	Sough Saint Paul
Mississippi.....	Emory J. Ferguson	1615 Lakeview Drive, N.W. Cullman, 35055	R. Marshall Shields.....	Meridian
Missouri.....	Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.	P. O. Box 423 Scottsboro, 35768	William F. Strode.....	Louisiana, Missouri
Montana.....	Charles R. Pate	P. O. Box 1526 Anniston, 36202	C. Thomas Bersuch.....	Lewistown
Nebraska.....	Fred L. Graham	1208 Conger Road. Anniston, 36201	Robert C. Franklin.....	Papillion
Nevada.....	Johnny A. Baker	P. O. Box 11037 Chickasaw, 36611	Winfield S. Rash.....	Las Vegas
New Hampshire.....	Robert E. Shipp	218 Tracy Circle Daphne, 36526	Richard A. Gilbert, Sr.....	Newmarket
New Jersey.....	George L. Marshall, Jr.	161 Anna Kathryn Drive Curley, 35748	Thurman C. Pace, Jr.....	Westfield
New Mexico.....			Darrel D. Hornsby.....	Santa Fe
New York.....	Anthony M. Deming	5415 Saddle Ridge Lane. Pinson, 35126	Lawson L. Brown.....	Elmira Heights
North Carolina.....	James R. Bromley	2127 Norwood Boulevard Florence, 35630	James H. Horne.....	Fayetteville
North Dakota.....	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	1402 Melanie Lane. Phenix City, 36867	Paul Torgeson.....	Grafton

REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES
FOR GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA (Continued)

Grand Commandery	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
Ohio	Phillip J. Sherman	2218 Calahad Drive S.W. Decatur, 35603	R. Dale Long	Cambridge
Oklahoma	Erskine K. Smith	1835 Cheaha Drive Oxford, 36203	Joe F. Warriner	Oklahoma City
Oregon	MacArthur Davis	Route 4, Box 306 Brewton, 36426	Glendon K. Jefferies	Ashland
Pennsylvania	Bobby Ray Terry	Route 1, Box 10 Decatur, 35604	Arthur R. Gebert	Norristown
Philippines	Clifford J. Turner	Route 5, Box 187 Gadsden, 35903	Teodorico V. Baldonado	Quezon City, Philippines
South Carolina	Anthony V. Jannet, III	4712 Seminole Circle Birmingham, 35243	James E. Waldrop	Easley
South Dakota	Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	83 Crimson Tide Drive Piedmont, 36272	Clarence E. Lundquist	Brookings
Tennessee	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.	3110 East 18th Avenue Sheffield, 35660	Charles L. Brooks	Memphis
Texas	McMurray L. Griffith	P. O. Box 130215 Birmingham, 35213	Michael H. Shively	Spring
Utah	Robert T. Crawford	911 - 4th Terrace Pleasant Grove, 35127	Raymond F. White	Ogden
Vermont	Thomas F. Craig	1000 Lexington Street, S.E. Huntsville, 35801	Robert Boyce	Windsor
Virginia	Charles W. McDonald	615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36606	W. Elliott Button	Winchester
Washington	W. Malcolm Killingsworth	1801 Fern Drive Dolhan, 36301	Robert J. Cole	Coldendale
West Virginia	Oliver L. Moore, Jr.	Route 1, Box 238 Killen, 35645	Marshall M. Casdorph	Frankford
Wisconsin	Wayne D. Jordan	929 Tascosa Drive, S.E. Huntsville, 35802	Herbert L. Matter	Milwaukee
Wyoming	Robert L. Byars, Jr.	P. O. Box 320184 Birmingham, 35232	Sam Allen	Cody

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Alabama:

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

There are present and registered with this Committee 13 Grand Officers and 14 Past Grand Commanders of the Grand Commandery of Alabama.

There are 18 Constituent Commanderies which comprise the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama, and of these 17 Commanderies are registered with this Committee for this 132nd Annual Conclave. The 1 Commandery not represented is Sylacauga #21.

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

TOTAL OFFICERS OR PROXIES PRESENT	45
TOTAL PAST COMMANDERS	86
TOTAL QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THIS CONCLAVE	131

We wish to thank the Grand Recorder and the Right Eminent Grand Commander for their support and assistance in making our work easier at this Grand Commandery. We have enjoyed the privilege of serving the Grand Commandery on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
James R. Bromley, Chairman

Adopted.

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR OF ALABAMA

Commanders, Generalissimos, Captain Generals, and/or proxies present from Constituent Commanderies:

2.	Mobile	Frank A. Brown	Commander
		*Charles W. McDonald	Generalissimo
		Philip Stenzel	Captain General
4.	Montgomery	Norman L. Flournoy	Commander
		James N. Rushton, Jr.	Generalissimo
		*James N. Rushton, Jr.	Captain General
7.	Huntsville	Wayne Dee Jordan	Commander
		Edward D. Hardin	Generalissimo
		Lincoln H. Townsend	Captain General
10.	Cuyrene	James W. Battle	Captain General
13.	Tuscloosa	George Macon Anders	Commander
		*William Sanford Wiggins	Generalissimo
		James Tesney	Captain General

14.	DeMolay	Lewis D. Tapscott *George F. Mills *Phillip J. Sherman	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
15.	Etowah	*James F. Vaughan Robert A. Moore *James F. Vaughan	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
21.	Sylacauga	Not Represented	
23.	Anniston	George B. Boyd, Jr. *Charles R. Pate Homer Tidwell	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
25.	Dothan	*Roger A. Simmons Roger A. Simmons *Maurice C. Himes	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
29.	Piedmont	Raymond M. Wood *Weldon H. Roberts *Alvin Parker	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
31.	Woodlawn	Thomas Cooley Calvin M. Jones Billy Rikard	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
39.	Florence	James M. Gallien *T. L. Harrison	Commander Generalissimo
43.	East Lake	Kenneth E. Bush *Joe R. Bush *Cecil D. Rayburn	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
45.	Lee	David A. Carpentier C. Gary Taylor Robert D. Moseson	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
46.	DeKalb-Jackson	*Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.	Commander
47.	Monroeville	*MacArthur Davis *MacArthur Davis *MacArthur Davis	Commander Generalissimo Captain General
48.	Jasper	*Ray Rutledge *Ray Rutledge *Ray Rutledge	Commander Generalissimo Captain General

**Denotes Proxy.*

PAST EMINENT COMMANDERS PRESENT

2. Mobile: Charles W. McDonald, Johnny A. Baker, William C. Havens, Maurice M. Chastain.
4. Montgomery: Harry C. Denton, Joseph P. Jones, Luther E. Lee, Eldon C. Davis, James R. Lucci, William O. Graham.
7. Huntsville: Emory J. Ferguson, James L. Gossett, George L. Marshall, Jr., William F. Dendy, Michael E. Addams.
10. Cyrene: Robert T. Crawford, Anthony V. Janett, III, Miles S. Lee, McMurray L. Griffith, Howard E. Fields, James U. Ward, Sr., J. C. Brady, Joe D. Lee, Charles W. Lowrey, Shirley A. Otts, James C. Brewer, Louis W. Meyer, Jr.
13. Tuscaloosa: James Tesney, William S. Wiggins
14. DeMolay: Bobby Ray Terry, Bobby C. Park, Richard Sim Hamilton, Michael L. Jones, Phillip Sherman, George F. Mills, Dalton C. Aldridge, Earl C. Clayton.
15. Etowah: James F. Vaughan, Fred W. Vaughan, Clifford J. Turner, Paul L. Allen
21. Sylacauga: None
23. Anniston: J. Woodrow Smith, Erskine K. Smith, Charles R. Pate, Fred LeBurn Graham, Calvin C. Snow.
25. Dothan: Maurice. C. Himes, L. C. Minks, Joseph D. Brackin, W. Malcolm Killingsworth, William D. Barr.
29. Piedmont: Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., Weldon H. Roberts, Alvin Parker.

31. Woodlawn: Howard E. Hayes, Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., W. Sterling Roberts, Anthony M. Deming, Arthur C. Harding, Thomas W. Mann, Woodrow Mac Hewitt, James A. Kile, William J. Bice, Robert L. Byars, George W. Busby, Johnson E. Harris, Jr.
39. Florence: James R. Bromley, T. L. Harrison, James E. Stutts, Oliver L. Moore, Jr., Billy H. Brackin.
43. East Lake: Cecil D. Rayburn, Joe R. Bush, Claude C. McGraw.
45. Lee: Lance C. Anthony, Sam L. Garrett, Sr., William M. Newsome, Jr., William C. Snyder, Charles L. Ingram, Sr., Robert D. Moseson, Norman Hutchinson, Jesse W. Locke, Gene M. Day.
46. DeKalb-Jackson: None.
47. Monroeville: MacArthur Davis.
48. Jasper: Ray Rutledge.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RITUALISTIC WORK

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers, and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

Your Committee is happy to report that there have been no requests for clarification of the work this past year.

Special "Thanks" to Anniston Commandery #23 and Etowah Commandery #15 for assistance they afforded to all Commanders who requested help in putting on the Ritualistic Work of the Orders.

Respectfully submitted,
 Sam L. Garrett, Sr., Chairman
 Bobby Ray Terry
 Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RIGHT EMINENT GRAND COMMANDER'S ADDRESS

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

We your Committee to whom was referred the Address of the Grand Commander, submit the following report:

We recommend that the portion of the Address referring to Necrology be referred to the Grand Prelate.

We recommend the portion of the Address referring to dispensations granted be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

We recommend that the portion of the Address under the heading "Grand Representatives Appointed and Recommended", be approved.

We recommend that the portion of the Address referring to audit be referred to the Committee on Finance.

We recommend that all other portions of the Address not herein referred to, be approved.

We commend the Grand Commander for his efforts in promoting Templary and wish for him many more years of active service in our order

Respectfully submitted,
William M. Newsome, Jr., P.G.C., Chairman
Clifford J. Turner, P.G.C.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUTH

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

Your Youth Committee is honored to report as follows:

Our two youth organizations, Rainbow for Girls and DeMolay, are still carrying on their programs for the youth in their communities.

DeMolays assembled in Gadsden on June 6, 7, and 8, 1991 for their Annual State DeMolay Conclave which was well attended by members and guests. During the Conclave a memorial service was held for Dad Ray R. Morgan, .. Past Executive Officer in Alabama who served many years as a guiding light r DeMolays and other youth of his community. We extend our love and sympathy to his wife, Peggy.

As customary York Rite Trophies awarded to those DeMolays who excelled in the various phases of DeMolay activities.

We are pleased to announce that Brother L. P. (Pat) Wetzel of Mobile has been appointed to succeed Dad Morgan as Executive Officer in Alabama. Brother Wetzel has many years of experience in Masonic and DeMolay activities. We urge all possible support and encouragement be given to Brother Wetzel.

While we did not have an opportunity of attending the Grand Assembly of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, we understand they held their Assembly in Montgomery July 7, 8, 9, and 10, 1991. The Annual Grand Assembly is one of the highlights of Rainbow.

We note the remarkable service of Mrs. Hazel M. Elliott, Past Supreme Inspector in Alabama. We appreciate the many efforts of Mrs. Elliott on behalf of the Rainbow for girls.

To succeed Mrs. Elliott is Mrs. Joan Murphy, Supreme Deputy in Alabama. We welcome Mrs. Murphy and look forward to her leadership. These are the young people who are to take our places in the years ahead.

Respectfully submitted,
Harry C. Denton
Chairman

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

We, your Committee on Templar Jurisprudence, submit the following report:

We recommend the approval of that portion of the Grand Commander's Address regarding Dispensations to receive and ballot on petitions out of statutory time.

We have studied Resolution No. 1, concerning the minimum fees for conferring the Orders of Knighthood, and find it to be in order. We recommend the approval of this portion of the report.

We have examined Resolution No. 2, concerning examination of the books and records of the Constituent Commanderies, and find it to be in order. We recommend the approval of this portion of the report.

We have examined Resolution No. 3, concerning the minimum fees for conferring the Orders of Knighthood and find it to be in order. We recommend the approval of this part of the report.

We move the adoption of this report in its entirety.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred W. Vaughan, Chairman
Michael L. Jones
Robert E. Shipp

Adopted.

REPORT OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR SUPPLEMENT EDITOR

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

I would like to begin my report with a personal note of thanks to all who have expressed concern over my daughter's health over the past year. Not everyone was aware that my oldest daughter, Amy, was completing her sixth and final series of chemotherapy treatments for Hodgkin's disease at this time last year. She completed her radiation therapy in May and the oncologist at that time reported that the tumor had completely disappeared and that any recurrence of the disease would be considered a completely new case and not reactivation of any remaining dormant cells. I'm grateful for the prayers that were offered on her behalf and those that would have been offered by others had they known of her condition. I don't know and probably never will know everyone who prayed for her, but I'm thankful for God's help and the skill of the doctors in curing my daughter.

This year has been good in terms of coverage and activities in the state. I have had articles and news submitted from Huntsville, Mobile, Anniston, Gadsden, Florence, Decatur, Montgomery and Etowah County. Interestingly, there have been no submissions from any of the Birmingham bodies, although there is no question that they each have active programs there. At the moment I am writing this, I am holding material I have not yet had space for in the supplement. However, there are areas of the state where activity is occurring that have not been reported, and I hope the Sir Knights will begin providing information from these areas. I know the sluggish economy is affecting all of our Masonic bodies, and that is one reason more why we should increase our efforts to communicate with our members, particularly those who, for whatever reason, are less active in their bodies. Please help me over the next year. As I said, I'm grateful for all the news that has been submitted over the past year. I apologize for delaying publication of some of it, but in some cases it arrived immediately after I had submitted the next month's articles to the Grand Recorder's office, while in other cases I was fortunate enough to simply have too much material for me to use. I try to send off my material by the first of the month for publication the following month. The material you will see in the next (March) issue of the Knight Templar was sent in about February 5th, for example. Please understand how much I appreciate each submission.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas F. Craig

ALABAMA GRAND YORK RITE HOLDING COMPANY

To the Grand Officers and Members of the Grand York Rite Bodies of Alabama:

The Alabama Grand York Rite Holding Company submits the following report:

A meeting of the Alabama Grand York Rite Holding Company was held on March 9, 1991, at the East Lake Masonic Temple for the purpose of electing officers. Emory J. Ferguson was re-elected President; James A. Kile, Treasurer; and Thomas W. Mann, Secretary.

There has been no requirement for action on behalf of the Holding Company this past year. There remains two years and ten months on our present lease with R. R. Simmons for the offices of the Grand York Rite Bodies and there will be no increase in the amount of the monthly rent before that time.

Respectfully submitted,
Emory J. Ferguson, President
James A. Kile, Treasurer
Thomas W. Mann, Secretary
Charles R. Pate
Ray Rutledge

Adopted.

Following the report it was noted that Thomas W. Mann had resigned effective immediately as he had also resigned as Grand Secretary-Recorder of the Grand York Rite Bodies. Sir Knight Ferguson placed the name of Arthur C. Harding in nomination to fill the unexpired term. The nomination was seconded and it was then moved that nominations be closed and Sir Knight Harding was elected by acclamation. His term will expire in February, 1996.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON KNIGHTS TEMPLAR
EYE FOUNDATION**

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

Your committee on Knights Templar Eye Foundation respectfully submits the following report: Alabama is still the fourth largest recipient for funds from the Eye Foundation. As of January 31, 1992, a grand total expended for 3,943 cases in Alabama was \$2,750,503.45. Since the start of the Fiscal Year in July, 1991, Alabama has received \$201,560.00 for 43 new cases.

Your Committee appreciates your continued support and participation on our great humanitarian project. Since the start of the Voluntary Campaign in December, 1991, Alabama has contributed only \$1,887.00 to the funds. These figures indicate that Alabama has received much more than we gave. We urge you to assist us by contributing liberally to our Voluntary Campaign, and help correct the inequity between funds received from the Foundation and funds contributed to in Alabama.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert T. Crawford, Chairman

Adopted.

REPORT OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers, and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

We, your Educational Foundation Committee, submit the following report:

The total assets of Alabama's Knights Templar Educational Foundation amounted to \$113,993.95 as of December 31, 1991. These assets are in loans, equipment, and an interest bearing Certificate of Deposit. The interest earned covers expenses of operation.

Your Committee expresses its appreciation for the privilege of serving the Grand Commandery of Alabama on this Committee, and the opportunity of helping deserving young students.

We would like also to thank the Secretary-Treasurer, Sir Knight Thomas W. Mann and Arthur C. Harding for the excellent manner in which they have discharged their duties to this foundation.

Respectfully submitted,
W. Mack Hewitt, Chairman
James A. Kile
Robert T. Crawford
James U. Ward, Sr.
Howard E. Hayes

Attest: Arthur C. Harding, Secretary-Treasurer

REPORT OF PATRIOTIC COMMITTEE

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers, and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

We, your Patriotic Committee, submit the following report:

On January 20, 1992, a letter was mailed to the Recorders of the Constituent Commanderies requesting information for this report. As of this date, replies have been received from 10 of the 18 Recorders. Of the 10 Commanderies reporting, seven had Patriotic Meetings; on of which, had two Patriotic Meetings. The average number of Sir Knights attending was 22, with an average of 19 ladies and guests. Two Commanderies (Etowah #15 and Tuscaloosa #13) took a collection for the Knights Templar Eye Foundation. Donations totaled \$145.51. Six of the meetings were held in a Masonic Temple and four served a meal. All seven Patriotic Meetings had guest speakers with Masonic affiliations. Topics included the Constitution, the Flag, Freedom's meaning, Community involvement and changing times and attitudes. The following commanderies held Patriotic Meetings: Anniston #23, Tuscaloosa #13, Woodlawn #31, Mobile #2, Piedmont #29 Etowah #15, and Huntsville #7 had two Patriotic Meetings. Montgomery #4 was scheduled to participate in a Desert Storm appreciation day, but the event was canceled. Monroeville #47 took part in a July 4th Operation Desert Storm County-wide parade and program; at which, a Desert Storm Trooper, Sir Knight James Powell, was presented a York Rite plaque for his contribution to the overall efforts of his unit. In addition a Patriotic Meeting, at which, Sir Knight Billy Clark was presented a plaque for untiring devotion and endless hours of dedication to Templary. Etowah #15 participated in the Desert Shield/Storm 4th of July Parade and Program. The Commandery had four distinctively decorated and marked vehicles in the Parade, and three of the five guest speakers for the Program were Sir Knights. These included Clarence Rhea, James Vaughan, and Billy Clark. Six of the reporting Commanderies Pledge Allegiance to the Flag at each meeting, and one indicates they will begin this practice. The Committee recommends that all Commanderies, after the Opening Ceremony, Pledge Allegiance to our great FLAG; try it, it gives one a sense of purpose and belonging. It, also, is Patriotic!

Respectfully submitted,
Billy A. Clark, KYCH, Chairman

Adopted.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR EYE FOUNDATION
24TH VOLUNTARY CAMPAIGN**

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Grand Officers, and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Alabama:

The 24th Voluntary Campaign has had quite a slow start this year. Through January 31st a total of \$1,887.00 has been processed by the Foundation. This represents only \$.33 per member in Alabama.

As of January 31st, eight (8) Commanderies have forwarded a contribution to the Foundation. At this point Anniston Commandery #23 has remitted the largest amount for a total of \$1,325.00 which represents \$4.82 per member. Huntsville Commandery #7 has forwarded an additional \$1,560.00 representing fifty-two (52) Life Sponsors which when added to their previous contributions make a total of \$1,640.00 received which represents \$5.08 per member.

I am sure that there will be a substantial amount received at this Grand Conclave, therefore, there will be an addendum to this report which will be completed in time to be included in the Annual Proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,
Arthur C. Harding, PGC, Chairman

Adopted.

ADDENDUM

The following amounts were received by this committee during the Grand York Rite Session:

Divine Service.....	259.00
Lee #45	980.00
Montgomery #4	100.00
Dothan #25	100.00
Anniston #23	1,000.00
Jerusalem Tabernacle #XXXII.....	50.00
Vulcan Council #22, Knight Masons.....	100.00
Woodlawn #31.....	20.00
Florence #39	480.00
TOTAL.....	<u>3,079.00</u>

REPORT ON NECROLOGY

To the Right Eminent Grand Commander and Sir Knights of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

We are most grateful that the Supreme Commander has looked down with favor and esteem upon our Grand Commandery by leaving our Grand Line intact this year. We are also thankful for the many blessings that he has given us throughout this year and pray that he will continue to shower us with his affections and blessings.

As grateful as we are to our Savior for his many blessings, we are saddened by his having called from our midst 150 of our friends and Sir Knights. Our love and sympathy go to the families, relatives and friends of the Sir Knights that have been taken from us from this world to that celestial world above.

We are deeply saddened at the loss of a very beloved Past Grand Commander, Sir Knight Ray Reid Morgan, who was called from our midst May 31, 1991. He was loved by all who knew him and will be forever missed.

Let us pray: "Heavenly Father our hearts are saddened at the loss of our beloved Sir Knights and we ask that you will look upon them with favor and esteem, extend to them all of the

glorious joys that Thou hast to offer. Father, we ask that you will comfort and care for their families and loved ones, guide and protect them from the evils of this world. Heavenly Father, we ask that Thou will look after each of us and our families, give us wisdom and strength to do Thy will, guide us in the paths of righteousness that we may be better enabled to serve Thee in a manner that will be both pleasing and acceptable in Thy sight. And finally Father, when our labors on this earth are over, we ask, if it be Thy will, to give us a home with Thee in Heaven, which has been promised to those that serve Thee by Thy Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, in whose name we ask all of these things...Amen."

Respectfully submitted,
Bobby Ray Terry
Grand Prelate

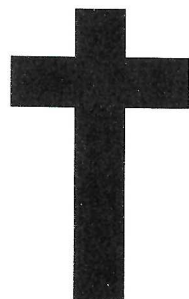
Adopted.

In Memoriam

TEDDY ROOSEVELT GROGAN, SR.
Grand Captain General
1992

October 1, 1912
Piedmont, Alabama

March 23, 1992
Piedmont, Alabama



Inscribed To The Memory
Of
Our Honored Dead
And In Memory
Of The
Deceased Sir Knights
In
Other Grand Jurisdictions

RESOLUTION NO. 1
GRAND COMMANDERY BY-LAWS CHANGE
(Received December 23, 1991)

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

BE IT RESOLVED that Article V, Section 1 of the By-Laws be DELETED and the following be adopted as Article V, Section 1:

No Commandery shall confer the Order of Red Cross, Order of Malta and the Order of the Temple for a less fee than Forty (\$40.00) Dollars. Ministers of the Gospel actively engaged in their calling may be exempted and their dues may be exempted.

Respectfully submitted,
 Charles R. Pate, Grand Commander
 Homer L. Tidwell

Received.

RESOLUTION NO. 2
GRAND COMMANDERY CONSTITUTION CHANGE
(Received January 1, 1992)

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

RESOLVED that Article II, Section 3 (3) of the Constitution be hanged by adding the following:

He may at his discretion examine the books and records of the Treasurer and Recorder of any constituent Commandery in this Jurisdiction.

Respectfully submitted,
 Emory J. Ferguson,
 Past Grand Commander

Withdrawn.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 3
GRAND COMMANDERY BY-LAWS CHANGE
(Received January 1, 1992)

To the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama:

RESOLVED that Article V, Section 1 of the By-Laws be revised to read as follows:

No Commandery shall confer the Orders of Knighthood for a less sum than Forty (\$40.00) Dollars plus the Ten (\$10.00) Dollar Knighting Fee as ascribed in Article II, Section 9 (3) (c) of the Constitution, of which fees must in all cases accompany the petition and must be paid by the petitioner. The fees for the Orders cannot be remitted directly or indirectly nor can any portion of the fees be returned to the petitioner as an incentive for membership.

Respectfully submitted
 Emory J. Ferguson
 Past Grand Commander

Received.

MINUTES OF LAST CONCLAVE

Sir Knight Arthur C. Harding moved that the minutes as published in the Proceedings of 1991 be accepted as the minutes, and that they be approved as printed.

Motion seconded and carried.

**GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR
CONCLAVE - 1993**

It was moved that the next Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama conclave be held in Decatur, Alabama, on February 21-23, 1993.

Motion seconded and carried.

GRAND ENCAMPMENT OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

of the United



States of America

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CROSS OF HONOR

"The Knights Templar Cross of Honor shall be awarded only for exceptional and meritorious service to the Order of Knights Templar, far beyond the call of duty, and beyond the service usually expected of an Officer or Member. In deciding upon the award, precedents shall be entirely ignored and each case shall be decided upon its own merits. No posthumous awards may be made." (*Grand Encampment regulation.*)

**PRESENTATION OF THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT KNIGHTS
TEMPLAR CROSS OF HONOR AWARD**

The Right Eminent Grand Commander, Charles R. Pate, selected Sir Knight Homer Lee Tidwell of Anniston Commandery No. 23 to receive the Grand Encampment Knights Templar Cross of Honor Award. The presentation was made during the Grand York Rite Banquet on Sunday Night by Sir Knight Blair C. Mayford, Right Eminent Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of the United States.

**RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CROSS OF HONOR**

*Alexander Murray Weems	1960
*Charles Curtis McCoy.....	1967
Horace Richard Batchelor.....	1968
William G. Caffey, Jr.	1969
*John F. Welch, Sr.	1970
*James Merlin Christopher, Sr.....	1971
*Earl Pervine Woodall.....	1972
*John Sebastian Gamundi.....	1973
*Arlie Eldon Blackburn	1974
*James Allen Bradford	1975
*Norman Curtis Wilkinson.....	1976
*Johnnie H. Ray, Sr.	1977
*Charles Carl Graham	1978
*Lawrence Kline.....	1979
*John Doyal Prince, Jr.	1980
Loyd D. Durden.....	1981
Charles William McDonald.....	1982
Charles Robert Pate.....	1983
*Richard A. Chapman.....	1984
Bobby Clyde Park.....	1985
Robert Lee Byars, Jr.	1986
*James Paul Gray	1987
Ernest Latroy Bishop, Sr.....	1988
Thomas Franklin Craig.....	1989
MacArthur Davis	1990
James F. Vaughan	1991
Homer Lee Tidwell.....	1992

* Denotes deceased.

**ELECTION OF GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS
FOR 1992 - 1993**

There being no further business to come before this 132nd Annual Conclave, the Grand Commandery proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing Templar year. All the officers, except the eminent Grand Warder, were elected by acclamation. Each officer was advanced one station with the exception of the Eminent Grand Treasurer and the Eminent Grand Recorder, who shall remain in their stations

Sir Knight James A. Kile was elected unanimously as Grand Treasurer, Emeritus.

Sir Knight Thomas W. Mann was elected unanimously as Grand Recorder, Emeritus.

Sir Knight Bobby Ray Terry of DeMolay Commandery #14 was elected Eminent Grand Warder, and he accepted his election. All Officers were

declared duly and constitutionally elected to their offices in the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama.

**INSTALLATION OF GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS
FOR 1992 - 1993**

Sir Knight Michael L. Jones, Past Grand Commanders of the Grand Commandery of Alabama, installed the newly elected Grand Commandery Officers.

Right Eminent Grand Commander Bobby C. Park was invested with the jewel of his office. After the investiture, he made several remarks concerning the great honor which had been bestowed upon him and revealed some of his plans for the ensuing year.

Right Eminent Charles R. Pate, Junior Past Grand Commander, and his Lady Doris were then escorted to the East and Grand Commander Park presented Sir Knight Pate with his Past Grand Commander's jewel which was pinned on his uniform by his Lady, Doris. Grand Commander Park also presented Sir Knight Pate with a Past Grand Commander's Certificate and billfold card from the Grand Commandery of Alabama. A presentation of a Past Grand Commander's plaque from the Grand Encampment, stating that he is a permanent member of the Grand Encampment of the United States of America had been previously presented to Right Eminent Pate.

*Attest: Arthur C. Harding,
Grand Recorder*

ADJOURNMENT

After the benediction by the Grand Prelate, Sir Knight Erskine K. Smith, the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Bobby C. Park, declared the 132nd Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama adjourned.

Attest Arthur C. Harding
Grand Recorder



BOBBY C. PARK
Right Eminent Grand Commander
1992 - 1993

PERSONAL HISTORY

Bobby Clyde Park was born on March 22, 1934, in Maben, Jefferson County, Alabama, the third son of Robert Sampson Park and Laura Mae Cannon Park. He was educated in the Jefferson County and Birmingham Public Schools, graduating from Samford University (Howard College) in 1956 with a major in chemistry and minors in math and biology.

He is married to Jill A. Raney of Huntsville, Alabama. He has three daughters and three grandchildren.

After graduating from Samford and before joining the U. S. Army Missile Research, Development and Engineering Center, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama, in 1962, he was employed at U. S. Pipe and Foundry and Southern Research Institute in Birmingham, Alabama.

MASONIC HISTORY

Sir Knight Bobby was initiated, passed and raised in Woodlawn Fraternal Lodge #525 in 1955. He Transferred to Rising Sun Lodge #29 in Decatur, Alabama where he served as Worshipful Master in 1984.

In the York Rite, Companion Park was exalted in Decatur Chapter #38, Decatur, Alabama in 1974; presided as High Priest in 1980 and was consecrated in the Order of Anointed High Priesthood on February 23, 1981. He serves as the Grand Representative of West Australia near the Grand Chapter of Alabama.

Companion Park was received and greeted in Decatur Council #81 in Decatur, Alabama in 1974 and served as Thrice Illustrious Master in 1979. He received the Order of the Silver Trowel on February 25, 1980.

Sir Knight Park was knighted in DeMolay Commandery #14 in Decatur, Alabama in 1974; served as Eminent Commander in 1979. He was knighted in the Knight Crusaders of the Cross on February 25, 1980. He was presented the Knight Templar Cross of Honor and elected Eminent Grand Warder of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama in February 1985. He serves as the Grand Representative of the Grand Commandery of Connecticut near the Grand Commandery of Alabama

Sir Knight Park is a member of the Knights of the York Cross of Honor, Alabama Priory #31; Red Cross of Constantine, Holy Sepulchre Conclave, where he is serving as Eminent Viceroy; royal Order of Scotland; Monte Sano York rite College #64; Knight Masons, USA, Vulcan Council #22; and Cahaba Shrine Temple A.A.O.N.M.S.



GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS FOR 1992 - 1993

Seated left to right: Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., Bobby C., Park (*Right Eminent Grand Commander*), Sam L. Garrett, Sr. Arthur C. Harding
Standing left to right: Phillip J. Sherman, George L. Marshall, Jr., Ray Rutledge, James F. Vaughan, Bobby Ray Terry, Erskine K. Smith

GRAND COMMANDERY OFFICERS 1992 - 1993

Bobby C. Park, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Right Eminent Grand Commander</i>
1577 Oscar Patterson Road, New Market, 35761	379-4320
Sam L. Garrett, Sr. K.Y.C.H.	<i>Very Eminent Deputy Grand Commander</i>
1402 Melanie Lane, Phenix City, 36867	298-4238
Robert L. Byars, Jr. K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Generalissimo</i>
P. O. Box 320184, Birmingham, 35232	595-2370
.....	<i>Eminent Grand Captain General</i>
.....	
George L. Marshall, Jr., K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Senior Warden</i>
161 Anna Kathryn Drive, Gurley, 35748	
Ray Rutledge, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Junior Warden</i>
Route 11, Box 342, Jasper, 35505	
Erskine K. Smith, K.Y.C.H., P.G.C.	<i>Eminent Grand Prelate</i>
1835 Cheaha Drive, Oxford, 36203	
Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Treasurer</i>
2201 3rd Street, N.E., Birmingham, 35215	854-9187
James A. Kile, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Treasurer, Emeritus</i>
200 18th Avenue, N.W., Birmingham, 35215	
Arthur C. Harding, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Recorder</i>
P. O. Box 320262, Birmingham, 35232	595-7040
Thomas W. Mann, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Recorder, Emeritus</i>
354 Sun Valley Circle, Birmingham, 35215	
Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.	<i>Eminent Grand Standard Bearer</i>
P. O. Box 423, Scottsboro, 35768	
James F. Vaughan	<i>Eminent Grand Sword Bearer</i>
190 Azalea Drive, Gadsden, 35901	
Bobby Ray Terry, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Warder</i>
Route 1, Box 10, Decatur, 35604	
Phillip J. Sherman, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Eminent Grand Sentinel</i>
2218 Galahad Drive, S.W., Decatur, 35603	

STANDING COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

FOR 1992 -1993

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama

CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION:

Wayne D. Jordan, <i>Chairman</i>	929 Tascosa Drive, Huntsville, 35802
Gerald Wilson	1306 Terra Haute, S.W., Decatur, 35601

TEMPLAR JURISPRUDENCE:

Emory J. Ferguson, K.Y.C.H., <i>Chairman</i>	1615 Lakeview Drive, N.W., Cullman, 35055
Joseph D. Brackin, K.Y.C.H.	2102 Hardwick Drive, Dothan, 36303
Michael L. Jones, K.Y.C.H.	1711 Cagle Avenue, S.W., Decatur, 35601

FINANCE:

Sam L. Garrett, Sr., K.Y.C.H. <i>Chairman</i>	1402 Melanie Lane, Phenix City, 36867
Bobby Ray Terry, K.Y.C.H.	Route 1, Box 10, Decatur, 35604
Maurice C. Himes, K.Y.C.H.	P. O. Box 637, Daleville, AL 36322

RITUALISTIC WORK:

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 Robert T. Crawford..... 911 4th Terrace, Pleasant Grove, 35127
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 Arthur C. Harding, *Secretary-Treasurer*..... P. O. Box 320262, Birmingham, 35232

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DeMOLAY:

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 L. Pat Wetzel 6800 Windsor Court, Mobile, 36695

GRAND COMMANDER'S ADDRESS:

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 Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue, Mobile, 36606

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 All Commanders, Generalissimos, and Recorders

NECROLOGY:

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FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE:

Michael E. Addams, K.Y.C.H. 2209 Barrywood Road, N.W., Huntsville, 35810

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 All Commanders, Generalissimos, and Recorders

MEMBERSHIP:

Anthony M. Deming, *Chairman*..... 5415 Saddle Ridge Lane, Pinson, 35126

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Arthur C. Harding, *Chairman*..... 309 Sun Valley Road, Birmingham, 35215

BY-LAWS REVIEW:

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 Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr. P. O. Box 423, Scottsboro, 35768
 Robert L. Byars, Jr. P. O. Box 320184, Birmingham, 35232

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 All Prelates

RAINBOW:

Edward D. Hardin, *Chairman*..... 803 Dellwood Road, Huntsville, 35802

PUBLIC RELATIONS:

George F. Mills, *Chairman*..... P. O. Box 1392, Decatur, 35602
 All Commanders, Generalissimos, Recorders, and all Sir Knights in Alabama

KNIGHT CRUSADERS OF THE CROSS OF ALABAMA

The Thirteenth Annual Meeting of the Knight Crusaders of the Cross of Alabama was held on Monday, February 24, 1992, at Ramada Inn-Airport in Birmingham, Alabama, with Knight Richard Sim Hamilton presiding. The degree team was composed of the following:

Anthony M. Deming.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the East</i>
Richard Sim Hamilton.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the West</i>
Arthur C. Harding.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the South</i>
Emory J. Ferguson.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the North</i>
Bobby Ray Terry.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the Holy Cross</i>

The Order was conferred on the following candidates: Robert J. Bean, of South Carolina, Thomas G. Porter, David A. Carpenter, Edward L. Choate, of Illinois, Lewis D. Tapscott, Frank Brown, Michael E. Addams, Wayne Dee Jordan, James W. Wolfgang, of Ohio, George B. Boyd, Jr., Kenneth E. Bush, Norman L. Flournoy, T. Henry Waldrep, of South Carolina, and Thomas L. Cooley, Jr.

The minutes were adopted as printed in the Proceedings, and the proceeds of the Class were directed to be paid to the Voluntary Campaign of the Knights Templar Eye Foundation. The following officers were elected and installed by Robert L. Byars, Jr.

Richard Sim Hamilton.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the East</i>
Anthony M. Deming.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the West</i>
Joseph D. Brackin.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the South</i>
Maurice C. Himes.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the North</i>
Robert L. Byars, Jr.....	<i>Knight Crusader Treasurer-Recorder</i>
Maurice Chastain.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the Holy Cross</i>
James F. Vaughan.....	<i>Knight Crusader of the Temple</i>
Jessie W. Locke.....	Knight Crusader Sentinel

The Meeting was closed with prayer.

Richard Sim Hamilton
Knight Crusader of the East

Attest: Robert L. Byars, Jr.,
Knight Crusader Recorder

REGISTER OF CONSTITUENT COMMANDERIES UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND COMMANDERY OF ALABAMA
JUNE, 1991 - 1992

NO.	NAME	LOCATION	COMMANDER & ADDRESS	RECORDER & ADDRESS	CONCLAVE DATE
2.	Mobile	Mobile	Frank A. Brown P. O. Box 66014 Mobile, 36660	Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36606	2nd Monday
4.	Montgomery	Montgomery	Norman L. Flournoy 408 Lee Road #355 Valley, 36854	John M. Taylor 106 Busch Hill Drive Wetumpka, 36092 4716	1st Thursday
7.	Huntsville	Huntsville	Wayne D. Jordan 929 Tascosa Drive Huntsville, 35802	Kenneth W. McVay P. O. Box 371 Huntsville, 35804	2nd Tuesday
10.	Cyrene	Birmingham	Thomas G. Porter 532 - 6th Court Pleasant Grove, 35127	McMurray L. Griffith P. O. Box 130215 Birmingham, 35213	1st Friday
13.	Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	George M. Anders P. O. Box 14 Cottondale 35453	Henry G. Terry 2530 39th Street Tuscaloosa 35405-2842	3rd Tuesday
14.	DeMolay	Decatur	Lewis D. Tapscott 2716 Sandlin Road, S.W. Decatur, 35601	Bobby Ray Terry Route 1, Box 10 Decatur, 35601	1st Thursday
15.	Etowah	Gadsden	Steve Lee 113 Valley Street Glencoe, 35905	Billy A. Clark 205 Elsmore Blvd. Gadsden, 35901	1st Thursday

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NO.	NAME	LOCATION	COMMANDER & ADDRESS	RECORDER & ADDRESS	CONCLAVE DATE
21.	Sylacauga	Sylacauga	Artie Epperson 320 South Wetumpka Street Sylacauga, 35150	Charles Pitts P. O. Box 717 Sylacauga, 35150	3rd Monday
23.	Anniston	Anniston	George B. Boyd, Jr. 1170 McIntosh Road Oxford, 36203	Charles R. Pale P. O. Box 613 Anniston, 36202	3rd Thursday
25.	Dothan	Dothan	John C. Andress Route 1, Box 776 Enterprise, 36330	Maurice C. Himes P. O. Box 637 Daleville, 36322	3rd Thursday
29.	Piedmont	Piedmont	Raymond M. Wood 327 Cedar Lane Anniston, 36206	Jerry R. Kirk P. O. Box 447 Piedmont, 36272	2nd Thursday
31.	Woodlawn	Woodlawn	Thomas L. Cooley, Jr. 444 13th Avenue, N.W. Birmingham, 35215	Robert L. Byars, Jr. P. O. Box 320184 Birmingham, 35232	2nd Tuesday
39.	Florence	Florence	James M. Gallien Route 5, Box 74 Athens, 35611	James E. Stutts P. O. Box 566 Florence, 35631	2nd & 4th Tuesday
43.	East Lake	Birmingham	Kenneth E. Bush 5723 Blandford Street Birmingham, 35210	Claude C. McGraw 1173 Dogwood Lane Birmingham, 35215	1st Friday

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45.	Lee	Phenix City	David A. Carpentier 2530 Lee Road 249 Smiths. 36877	Jesse W. Locke P. O. Box 2331 Phenix City, 36868-2331	3rd Tuesday
46.	DeKalb-Jackson	Scottsboro	Jimmy D. Frazier Route 1, Box 373 Sylvania, 35988	Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr. P. O. Box 423 Scottsboro, 35768	1st Wednesday
47.	Monroeville	Monroeville	Charles A. Lambert Route 2, Box 41' Uriah, 36480	MacArthur Davis Route 4, Box 306 Brewton, 36426	4th Friday
48.	Jasper	Jasper	William T. Dodson 610 East 18th Street Jasper, 35501	Ray Rutledge Route 11, Box 342 Jasper 35501	1st & 3rd Monday

GRAND ENCAMPMENT OFFICERS, 1991 - 1994

- William H. Thornley, Jr..... *Most Eminent Grand Master*
3080 South Race Street, Denver, Colorado 80210-
- Blair C. Mayford..... *Right Eminent Deputy Grand Master*
14 Duffy Court, St. Peters, Missouri 63376
- Mames M. Ward..... *Right Eminent Grand Generalissimo*
174 Chasewood Drive, Jackson, Mississippi 39212
- William J. Jones..... *Right Eminent Grand Captain General*
P. O. Box 48, Villa Grove, Illinois, 61956
- Harold S. Gorman..... *Right Eminent Grand Treasurer*
P. O. Box 11007, Reno, Nevada 89510
- Charles R. Neumann..... *Right Eminent Grand Recorder*
5097 North Elston Avenue, Suite 101, Chicago, Illinois 60630
- The Reverend Thomas E. Weir..... *Right Eminent Grand Prelate*
6409 Queens Chapel Road, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782

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- John L. Crofts, Sr.1967-1970
P. O. Box 757, Nokomis, Florida 33555
- Willard M. Avery1976-1979
P. O. Box 56, Knightstown, Indiana 46148
- Ned E. Dull.....1982-1985
P. O. Box 429, Van Wert, Ohio 45891
- Paul C. Rodenhauser (*Honorary*)1985
Pennsylvania Masonic Home, Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania 17022
- Donald H. Smith.....1985-1988
1041 Idylwild Drive, Richmond, Kentucky 40475
- Marvin E. Fowler.....1988-1991
1904 White Oaks Drive, Alexandria, Virginia 22306

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- James E. Moseley811 Mulberry Street, Macon, Georgia 31298-5099

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**59th GRAND ENCAMPMENT TRIENNIAL CONCLAVE
OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR
DENVER, COLORADO
August, 1994**

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Thomas W. Mann, P.G.C. Trustee (1994) of the Permanent Fund
Joseph D. Brackin Alabama Coordinator-Easter Sunrise Memorial Service
Emory J. Ferguson Committee on Holy Land Pilgrimage

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North Dakota	James T. Stark	1405 North Third Street Fargo, 58102
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1860	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*William Field	*James B. Harrison	*Peleg Brown	*Edmund M. Hastings	5	144
1861	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*Sterling A. M. Wood	*James B. Harrison	*Peleg Brown	*Edmund M. Hastings	5	155
1862	Montgomery	No quorum present	Adjourned to Dec. 5, 1863					
1863	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*Henry P. Lee	*James B. Harrison	*Peleg Brown	*Edmund M. Hastings	5	127
1864	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*James B. Harrison	*Peleg Brown	*William S. Knox	*Edmund M. Hastings	5	141
1865	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*James B. Harrison	*Peleg Brown	*William S. Knox	*Edmund M. Hastings	6	113
1866	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*James R. Harrison	*Peleg Brown	*George D. Norris	*Edmund M. Hastings	7	207
1867	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*Peleg Brown	*George D. Norris	*Abram J. Walker	*Edmund M. Hastings	7	227
1868	Montgomery	*Richard F. Knott	*Peleg Brown	*George D. Norris	*Abram J. Walker	*Edmund M. Hastings	8	242
1869	Montgomery	*Peleg Brown	*Abram J. Walker	*George D. Norris	*Joseph H. Johnson	*Edmund M. Hastings	9	249
1870	Mobile	*Peleg Brown	*Joseph H. Johnson	*William W. Harder	*John N. Browder	*Edmund M. Hastings	9	235
1871	No Meeting	*Adjourned in December, 1870, to meet in February, 1872						
1872	Marion	*Abram J. Walker	*Joseph H. Johnson	*William W. Harder	*Walter L. Bragg	*Daniel Sayre	9	283
1873	Huntsville	*Joseph H. Johnson	*Walter L. Bragg	*Porter King	*Andrew J. Blair	*Daniel Sayre	9	286
1874	Montgomery	*Walter L. Bragg	*George P. I. Reid	*John J. Dement	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Daniel Sayre	10	264
1875	Selma	*Walter L. Bragg	*John G. Smith	*James B. Luckie	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Daniel Sayre	9	234
1876	Montgomery	*Pelix G. Norman	*Benjamin H. Riggs	*William S. Foster	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Daniel Sayre	9	236
1877	Mobile	*John G. Smith	*William S. Foster	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Daniel Smith	*Daniel Sayre	9	209
1878	Eufaula	*John G. Smith	*William S. Foster	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Robert Moulthrop	*Daniel Sayre	9	210
1879	Montgomery	*William S. Foster	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Daniel Smith	*Robert Moulthrop	*Daniel Sayre	9	206
1880	Birmingham	*William S. Foster	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Robert Moulthrop	*Robert Moulthrop	*Daniel Sayre	7	212
1881	Mobile	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Daniel Smith	*Robert Moulthrop	*Francis P. O'Brien	*Daniel Sayre	8	215
1882	Tuskegee	*Stephen H. Beasley	*Daniel Smith	*James T. Holtzclaw	*Francis P. O'Brien	*Daniel Sayre	9	222
1883	Montgomery	*Daniel Smith	*James T. Holtzclaw	*William T. Atkins	*Francis P. O'Brien	*Daniel Sayre	10	245
1884	Montgomery	*Daniel Smith	*James T. Holtzclaw	*William T. Atkins	*John H. Higley	*Daniel Sayre	10	321
1885	Selma	*James T. Holtzclaw	*John H. Higley	*John D. Wilkins	*John H. Higley	*Daniel Sayre	7	209
1886	Montgomery	*James T. Holtzclaw	*John H. Higley	*John D. Wilkins	*Henry C. Davidson	*Daniel Sayre	6	195
1887	Mobile	*Daniel Smith	*John D. Wilkins	*Henry C. Davidson	*William F. Aldrich	*Daniel Sayre	6	202
1888	Birmingham	*John D. Wilkins	*Henry C. Davidson	*William A. Alexander	*James B. Luckie	*Adam R. Baker	6	220
1889	Montgomery	*Henry C. Davidson	*William A. Alexander	*John A. McKinnon	*Charles Wheelock	*Edmund R. Hastings	5	209
1890	Huntsville	*Henry C. Davidson	*William A. Alexander	*John A. McKinnon	*Charles Wheelock	*Edmund R. Hastings	8	269
1891	Mobile	*William A. Alexander	*John A. McKinnon	*Charles Wheelock	*George S. Obear	*Edmund R. Hastings	9	308

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1882	Selma	*John A. McKinnon	*Charles Wheelock	*George S. Obear	*William H. Long	*Edmund R. Hastings	9	342
1883	Gadsden	*John A. McKinnon	*Charles Wheelock	*William H. Long	*Charles Hamm	*Edmund R. Hastings	9	352
1884	Birmingham	*Charles Wheelock	*William H. Long	*Fletcher J. Cowart	*Robert L. Douglass	*Edmund R. Hastings	10	368
1885	Mobile	*Charles Wheelock	*Fletcher J. Cowart	*Robert L. Douglass	*William C. Baldrige	*William B. Phillips	10	376
1886	Montgomery	*Fletcher J. Cowart	*Robert L. Douglass	*Henry H. Matthews	*Philip Milhous	*H. Clay Armstrong	9	382
1887	Birmingham	*Robert L. Douglass	*Henry H. Matthews	*Philip Milhous	*William E. Oakley	*H. Clay Armstrong	10	380
1888	Selma	*Henry H. Matthews	*Philip Milhous	*William E. Oakley	*Robert Mouthrop, Jr.	*H. Clay Armstrong	6	290
1900	New Decatur	*William E. Oakley	*Rus. M. Cunningham	*Robert Mouthrop, Jr.	*George F. Wheelock	*H. Clay Armstrong	6	351
1901	Tuscaloosa	*Rus. M. Cunningham	*Robert Mouthrop, Jr.	*George F. Wheelock	*Lewis W. Hubbard	*George A. Beauchamp	9	463
1902	Mobile	*Robert Mouthrop, Jr.	*George F. Wheelock	*Lewis W. Hubbard	*Charles R. Westcott	*George A. Beauchamp	9	510
1903	Montgomery	*George F. Wheelock	*Lewis W. Hubbard	*Charles R. Westcott	*Charles E. Pearce	*George A. Beauchamp	8	516
1904	Selma	*Lewis W. Hubbard	*Charles R. Westcott	*Charles E. Pearce	*Robert S. Teague	*George A. Beauchamp	9	546
1905	Birmingham	*Charles R. Westcott	*Robert S. Teague	*Thomas H. Matlocks	*Walter Smith	*George A. Beauchamp	11	621
1906	Gadsden	*Robert S. Teague	*Thomas H. Matlocks	*Walter Smith	*Edward S. Gatchell	*George A. Beauchamp	13	743
1907	Mobile	*Thomas H. Matlocks	*Walter Smith	*William O. Snyder	*Charles R. Patterson	*George A. Beauchamp	14	824
1908	Tuscaloosa	*Walter Smith	*William O. Snyder	*Charles R. Patterson	*John W. Phillips	*George A. Beauchamp	17	1,013
1909	Andalusia	*William O. Snyder	*Charles R. Patterson	*John W. Phillips	*Louis J. Wright	*George A. Beauchamp	18	1,085
1910	Anniston	*Charles R. Patterson	*John W. Phillips	*Louis J. Wright	*Alexander D. Simpson	*George A. Beauchamp	20	1,210
1911	Montgomery	*John W. Phillips	*Louis M. Moseley	*Louis M. Moseley	*Charles P. Martin	*George A. Beauchamp	20	1,305
1912	Selma	*Louis J. Wright	*Louis M. Moseley	*Charles P. Martin	*William E. Bingham	*George A. Beauchamp	20	1,375
1913	Dothan	*Louis M. Moseley	*Charles P. Martin	*William E. Bingham	*Hartsford L. Ison	*George A. Beauchamp	21	1,473
1914	Talladega	*Charles P. Martin	*William E. Bingham	*Hartsford L. Ison	*William W. Ransom	*George A. Beauchamp	21	1,663
1915	Troy	*William E. Bingham	*Hartsford L. Ison	*William W. Ransom	*Julian F. Spearman	*George A. Beauchamp	22	1,808
1916	Birmingham	*Hartsford L. Ison	*William W. Ransom	*Julian F. Spearman	*Duncan C. Carmichael	*George A. Beauchamp	24	2,032
1917	Tuscaloosa	*William W. Ransom	*Julian F. Spearman	*Duncan C. Carmichael	*John V. Falck	*George A. Beauchamp	25	2,367
1918	Birmingham	*Julian F. Spearman	*Duncan C. Carmichael	*John V. Falck	*Walter H. Trimby	*George A. Beauchamp	26	2,661
1919	Dothan	*Duncan C. Carmichael	*John V. Falck	*Walter H. Trimby	*Lawrence H. Lee	*George A. Beauchamp	27	3,559
1920	Mobile	*John V. Falck	*Walter H. Trimby	*Lawrence H. Lee	*John Philip Melvin	*George A. Beauchamp	30	3,183
1921	Selma	*Walter H. Trimby	*Lawrence H. Lee	*John Philip Melvin	*Woolsey Fnnell	*George A. Beauchamp	33	6,669
1922	Gadsden	*Lawrence H. Lee	*John Philip Melvin	*Woolsey Fnnell	*L. E. Gellerstedt	*George A. Beauchamp	36	7,427
1923	Birmingham	*John Philip Melvin	*Woolsey Fnnell	*L. E. Gellerstedt	*Robert H. Wolcott	*George A. Beauchamp	38	8,256
1924	Huntsville	*Woolsey Fnnell	*L. E. Gellerstedt	*Joseph D. Matlock	*Robert T. Ward	George A. Beauchamp	40	8,867

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1925	Troy	*L. E. Gellerstedt	*Joseph D. Mallock	*Robert T. Ward	*Philip S. Meyer	*George A. Beauchamp	39	8,638
1926	Tuscaloosa	*Joseph D. Mallock	*Robert L. Ward	*Philip S. Meyer	*Robert C. Williams	*George A. Beauchamp	39	8,772
1927	Albany	*Robert T. Ward	*Philip S. Meyer	*Orlando S. Finch	*William C. Davis	*George A. Beauchamp	39	8,683
1928	Montgomery	*Philip S. Meyer	*Orlando S. Finch	*William C. Davis	*Henry F. Williamson	*George A. Beauchamp	39	8,463
1929	Mobile	*Orlando S. Finch	*William C. Davis	*Henry F. Williamson	*Franklin L. Milhous	*George A. Beauchamp	39	7,810
1930	Dobhan	*William C. Davis	*Henry F. Williamson	*Franklin L. Milhous	*Tully A. Goodwin	*George A. Beauchamp	38	7,305
1931	Huntsville	*Henry F. Williamson	*Franklin L. Milhous	*Tully A. Goodwin	*David W. Crosland	*George A. Beauchamp	35	6,378
1932	Birmingham	*Tully A. Goodwin	*Franklin L. Milhous	*David W. Crosland	*John W. Jones	*Guy T. Smith	35	5,459
1933	Anniston	*Tully A. Goodwin	*Franklin L. Milhous	*David W. Crosland	*John W. Jones	*Guy T. Smith	34	4,308
1934	Tuscaloosa	*John W. Jones	*William D. Hawkins	*John W. Jones	*William D. Hawkins	*Guy T. Smith	34	4,308
1935	Montgomery	*William D. Hawkins	*T. Gaines St. John	*T. Gaines St. John	*Robert McL. Strong	*Guy T. Smith	31	3,316
1936	Mobile	*T. Gaines St. John	*Robert McL. Strong	*Robert McL. Strong	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.	*Guy T. Smith	31	3,121
1937	Montgomery	*Robert McL. Strong	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.	*James M. Frazer	*Guy T. Smith	28	2,814
1938	Montgomery	*Henry J. Porter, Jr.	*James M. Frazer	*James M. Frazer	*John Heard Saxon	*Guy T. Smith	26	2,633
1939	Birmingham	*James M. Frazer	*John Heard Saxon	*John Heard Saxon	*William W. Waldo	*Guy T. Smith	26	2,482
1940	Montgomery	*John Heard Saxon	*William W. Waldo	*William W. Waldo	*Frank W. Gaines	*Guy T. Smith	23	2,384
1941	Montgomery	*Frank W. Gaines	*Robert T. Sheppard	*Robert T. Sheppard	*Robert T. Sheppard	*Guy T. Smith	23	2,295
1942	Montgomery	*Robert T. Sheppard	*Newman S. Cryer	*Newman S. Cryer	*Newman S. Cryer	*Guy T. Smith	23	2,265
1943	Montgomery	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Guy T. Smith	23	2,310
1944	Montgomery	*Newman S. Cryer	*Pleasant W. Gay	*Pleasant W. Gay	*Pleasant W. Gay	*Guy T. Smith	22	2,526
1945	Birmingham	*Hoyt McClendon	*Pleasant W. Gay	*A. Parker Mize	*A. Parker Mize	*Guy T. Smith	22	3,152
1946	Birmingham	*Pleasant W. Gay	*A. Parker Mize	*A. Parker Mize	*Clifford H. Williams	*Guy T. Smith	25	4,494
1947	Montgomery	*A. Parker Mize	*Clifford H. Williams	*Clifford H. Williams	*Archelus F. Campbell	*Guy T. Smith	25	5,198
1948	Gadsden	*Clifford H. Williams	*Archelus F. Campbell	*Archelus F. Campbell	*James B. Patterson	*Guy T. Smith	25	5,785
1949	Montgomery	*Archelus F. Campbell	*James B. Patterson	*James B. Patterson	*Julius L. Layman	*C. H. Stubinger	24	6,133
1950	Birmingham	*James B. Patterson	*Julius L. Layman	*Julius L. Layman	*Newman S. Cryer, P.T.	*C. H. Stubinger	24	6,103
1951	Mobile	*Julius L. Layman	*Robert McL. Strong, P.T.	*Robert McL. Strong, P.T.	*Jewellyn R. Hillier	*C. H. Stubinger	25	6,651
1952	Selma	*Edward M. Gober	*Emrys W. John	*Emrys W. John	*Edgar M. Gober	*C. H. Stubinger	25	6,687
1953	Florence	*Jewellyn R. Hillier	*Emrys W. John	*Emrys W. John	*William W. Glass	*C. H. Stubinger	26	7,131
1954	Huntsville	*Edgar M. Gober	*J. Collier Foster	*Archelus F. Campbell, P.T.	*J. Collier Foster	*C. H. Stubinger	27	8,101
1955	Tuscaloosa	*Emrys W. John	*George G. Rees	*George G. Rees	*Lonnie H. Teele	*C. H. Stubinger	28	8,935
1956	Montgomery	*J. Collier Foster	*George G. Rees	*Lonnie H. Teele	*Velmar A. Meadows, Sr.	*C. H. Stubinger	18	9,272
					Holden B. Norwood	*C. H. Stubinger	27	9,584

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1867	Birmingham	*Lonnie H. Teele	*Velmor A. Meadows, Sr.	Holden B. Norwood	*George W. Sorrell	*C. H. Stubinger	27	9,835
1868	Montgomery	*Velmor A. Meadows, Sr.	Holden B. Norwood	*George W. Sorrell	*Claud Stallworth	*C. C. McCoy, P.T.	26	9,975
1869	Decatur	Holden B. Norwood	*George W. Sorrell	*Claud Stallworth	*George H. Crook	*C. H. Stubinger	26	10,073
1860	Birmingham	*George W. Sorrell	*Claud Stallworth	*George H. Crook	*Arthur C. Wilson	*C. H. Stubinger	26	10,084
1861	Tuscaloosa	*Claud Stallworth	*Arthur C. Wilson	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Earl D. Holmes	*T. L. Cochran	26	10,075
1862	Mobile	*Arthur C. Wilson	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Earl D. Holmes	*Archelus F. Campbell, P.T.	*Gordon L. Ewatt	26	10,085
1863	Birmingham	*Thomas W. Oliver	*Earl D. Holmes	*Julian P. Butler	*John S. Robinson	*Gordon L. Ewatt	27	9,974
1864	Birmingham	Julian P. Butler	John S. Robinson	*Charles L. Campbell	*Bruce W. Phelps	*Thomas W. Oliver	27	9,918
1865	Sylacauga	*John S. Robinson	*Charles L. Campbell	*Bruce W. Phelps	Anthony V. Jannett	*Thomas W. Oliver	27	9,847
1866	Tuscaloosa	*Charles L. Campbell	*Bruce W. Phelps	Anthony V. Jannett	*Ray B. Hartwell	*Thomas W. Oliver	27	9,808
1867	Birmingham	*Bruce W. Phelps	Anthony V. Jannett	*Ray B. Hartwell	*Charles L. Jones	*Thomas W. Oliver	27	9,692
1868	Birmingham	Anthony V. Jannett	*Ray B. Hartwell	*Charles L. Jones	Clifford J. Turner	*Thomas W. Oliver	26	9,494
1869	Mobile	*Ray B. Hartwell	*Charles L. Jones	Clifford J. Turner	Anthony V. Jannett, P.T.	*Thomas W. Oliver	26	9,295
1870	Birmingham	*Charles L. Jones	Clifford J. Turner	Clifford J. Turner	Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	*Thomas W. Oliver	26	9,226
1871	Tuscaloosa	Clifford J. Turner	Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	Thomas W. Mann	Michael F. Jones	*Thomas W. Oliver	26	9,116
1872	Birmingham	Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	Thomas W. Mann	Michael L. Jones	Michael L. Jones	*Thomas W. Oliver	26	8,971
1873	Birmingham	Thomas W. Mann	Michael L. Jones	Michael L. Jones	*Charles D. Miller	*Thomas W. Oliver	26	8,971
1874	Gulf Shores	Michael L. Jones	*Charles D. Miller	McMurray L. Griffith	McMurray L. Griffith	*Thomas W. Oliver	26	8,687
1875	Birmingham	*Charles D. Miller	McMurray L. Griffith	William M. Newsome, Jr.	William M. Newsome, Jr.	Thomas W. Mann	26	8,439
1876	Birmingham	McMurray L. Griffith	William M. Newsome	William L. Fegenbush	*Milton L. Fegenbush	Thomas W. Mann	25	8,608
1877	Phenix City	William M. Newsome, Jr.	Fred W. Vaughan	Fred W. Vaughan	*Oscar L. Ledbetter	Thomas W. Mann	25	8,465
1878	Birmingham	*Milton L. Fegenbush	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding	Thomas W. Mann	25	8,516
1879	Birmingham	Fred W. Vaughan	Joseph D. Brackin	Joseph D. Brackin	Robert E. Shipp	Thomas W. Mann	25	8,215
1880	Birmingham	Arthur C. Harding	Robert E. Shipp	Robert E. Shipp	Erskine K. Smith	Thomas W. Mann	25	8,092
1881	Deklan	Joseph D. Brackin	Erskine K. Smith	Erskine K. Smith	William H. Ealy	Thomas W. Mann	24	7,834
1882	Birmingham	Robert E. Shipp	Erskine K. Smith	Erskine K. Smith	Richard Sim Hamilton	Thomas W. Mann	24	7,631
1883	Birmingham	Erskine K. Smith	William H. Ealy	Richard Sim Hamilton	W. Sterling Roberts	Thomas W. Mann	24	7,278
1884	Huntsville	William H. Ealy	Richard Sim Hamilton	W. Sterling Roberts	*George E. Trimmell	Thomas W. Mann	23	7,117
1885	Birmingham	Richard Sim Hamilton	W. Sterling Roberts	*George E. Trimmell	*James L. Allen	Thomas W. Mann	22	6,993
1886	Birmingham	W. Sterling Roberts	*George E. Trimmell	*James L. Allen	James H. Lee	Thomas W. Mann	22	6,861
1887	Birmingham	*George E. Trimmell	James H. Lee	Emory J. Ferguson	Charles W. McDonald	Thomas W. Mann	21	6,614
1887	Birmingham					Thomas W. Mann	20	6,653

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1908	Sheffield	James H. Lee	Emory J. Ferguson	Charles W. McDonald	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	Thomas W. Mann	19	6,526
1909	Mobile	Emory J. Ferguson	Charles W. McDonald	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	Charles R. Pate	Thomas W. Mann	18	6,369
1900	Birmingham	Charles W. McDonald	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	Charles R. Pate	Bobby C. Park	Thomas W. Mann	18	6,260
1991	Birmingham	*Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	Charles R. Pate	Bobby C. Park	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	Thomas W. Mann	18	5,945
1982	Birmingham	Charles R. Pate	Bobby C. Park	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	Arthur C. Harding	Arthur C. Harding	18	5,733
1983	Decatur	Bobby C. Park	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	Robert L. Byars, Jr.	Robert L. Byars, Jr.	Arthur C. Harding		
				Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.			

**Notes deceased*

First Annual Conclave was held in Montgomery, Alabama on Friday, November 30, 1860

Grand Commandery Office moved from Montgomery to Birmingham after election of Thomas W. Oliver as Grand Recorder in 1962

At the Annual Conclave, April, 1963, Earl D. Holmes was elected and installed as Grand Commander, but he died before he could serve.

At the Annual Conclave, April, 1973, Thomas W. Mann was elected Grand Recorder *Thomas Oliver* Emeritus, and the Annual Conclave date was changed from April each year, to the last Monday in February to correspond with Grand Chapter and Grand Council.

As proof of continual 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

On November 1, 1974, the Grand York Rite Office moved to 3621 South Fifth Avenue, Birmingham.

In September, 1979, the Grand York Rite Office moved to 5504 1/2 North First Avenue, Birmingham, 35212.

On May 16, 1980, James A. Kile was appointed Grand Treasurer to succeed Hoyt McClendon who resigned.

At the Annual Conclave, February, 1981, Hoyt McClendon was elected Grand Treasurer, Emeritus.

On September 1, 1991, Thomas W. Mann and James A. Kile resigned as Grand Recorder and Grand Treasurer. Arthur C. Harding was appointed as Grand Recorder and Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was appointed as Grand Treasurer.

At the Annual Conclave, February, 1992, Arthur C. Harding was elected Grand Recorder and Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was elected Grand Treasurer. Thomas W. Mann was elected as Grand Recorder Emeritus and James A. Kile was elected as Grand Treasurer Emeritus.

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CHRONOLOGY

Titles of Meetings and Dates of Bodies Composed Exclusively of Masons.

The ordinary Calendar, or vulgar era, is not generally used by Freemasons in dating their official documents. They have one peculiar to themselves, differing according to their various Rites.

ANCIENT CRAFT MASONS in all parts of the World, add 4,000 years to the Christian era, calling it Anno Lucis Year of Light; abbreviated A.L. (This fact has a symbolic reference, not because they believe Freemasonry is, but that the principles and light of the institution are coeval with the creation. (*See below*) F&AM Lodges hold "Communications."

ROYAL ARCH MASONS date from the building of the second Temple-530 B.C. Their style is, therefore, Anno Inventionis-A. Inv.- in the year of the discovery. Royal Arch Chapters hold "Convocations."

ROYAL AND SELECT MASONS date from the completion of Solomon's Temple 1000 B.C. Their style is Anno Depositionis-A. Dep.-in the year of Deposit. Royal and Select Councils hold "Assemblies."

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR date from the organization of the Order in 1118 A.D. Their style is, therefore, Anno Ordinis-A.O.-in the year of the Order. Knight Templar Commanderies hold "Conclaves."

ORDER OF THE HIGH PRIESTHOOD dates from the blessing of Abraham by the High Priest Melchizedek, which occurred 1914 B.C. Their style is Anno Benedictionis-A.B.- in the year of the Blessing. Councils of Anointed High Priest hold "Convocations."

ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE MASONS use the Jewish Calendar, which adds 3760 to the Christian era, styled Anno Mundi-A.M.-year of the World. Or, they sometimes use the Hebrew year which begins on the seventeenth of September, or feast of Tisri, using the initials A.H.-Anno Hebraico.

TEMPLES, A.A.O.N. MYSTIC SHRINE: Each thirty years from the Hejira, or July 15th, A.D. 602 constitutes a cycle. Nineteen of these years contain 355 days, Eleven, 356.

RULES FOR MASONIC DATES

ANCIENT CRAFT MASONS - Add 4,000 years.

Thus: 1992 + 4,000 = A.L. 5992

ROYAL ARCH MASONS - Add 530 years.

Thus: 1992 + 530 = A.Inv. 2522

ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS - Add 1,000 years.

Thus: 1992 + 1,000 years = A. Dept. 2992

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR - Subtract 1,118 years.

Thus: 1992 - 1,118 = A.O. 874

ORDER OF HIGH PRIESTHOOD - Add 1,913 years.

Thus 1992 = 1,913 = A.B. 3,905

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS - Add 3,760 years.

Thus: 1992 = 3,760 = A.M. 5752

