THE YORK RITE of FREEMASONRY of ALABAMA

1993







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

RECEPTION

An informal reception was held on Sunday afternoon, February 21, 1993 in the Lower Holidome of the Holiday Inn, Decatur, Alabama, as members and guests were registering in the Upper Holidome. Hostesses were Mrs. Debra Crawford, wife of Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Robert T. Crawford, Mrs. Dorothy Hamilton, wife of Most Illustrious Grand Master, R. Sim Hamilton, and Mrs. Jill Park, wife of Right Eminent Grand Commander Bobby C. Park. 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 21, 1993, at the Central United Methodist Church, 616 Jackson Street, S.E., Decatur, Alabama. The Right Eminent Grand Commander, Bobby C. Park conducted the service, and Sir Knight Erskine K. Smith, 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 Wheeler Ball Room of the Holiday Inn. After the Invocation, a delicious steak 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.

Most Excellent Companion Harold F. Yaeger, General Grand High Priest 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 Stephen G. Lee of Coosa Chapter No. 83 who accepted the award with appreciation. The Grand Chapter of Alabama adds his name to their list of previous recipients.

The Right Puissant Deputy General Grand Master Dalvin L. Holloway 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 Michael L. Jones of Decatur Council No. 81. Companion Jones accepted the award with humility. The Grand Council of Alabama adds this Companion's name to their list of former recipients. Companion James F. (Ricky) Vaughan was presented with the Cryptic Masons Youth Award.

The Right Eminent Grand Commander, Bobby C. Park, then introduced the Most Eminent Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States, Sir Knight William H. Thornley, Jr. Right Eminent Bobby C. Park announced that the recipient of the Knight Templar Cross of Honor, Walter J. Krueger, was unable to attend the Banquet and that this medal would be presented later. Sir Knight Krueger's name will be added to the Grand Commandery list of previous recipients of this high award.

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 a number of the ladies made a tour of the Space Center in Huntsville while others went shopping at the Mall.

The fourth 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 \$909.001, 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 22, 1993 in the Mallard and Canvas Back Rooms of the Holiday Inn 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 FIFTY-FIFTH

ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

GRAND COUNCIL

ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS of

ALABAMA

HELD FEBRUARY 21-23, 1993

HOLIDAY INN DECATUR, ALABAMA

PRESIDING 1992-1993

Richard Sim Hamilton, *Most Illustrious Grand Master* 2302 Hamilton Drive, S.W., Decatur, Alabama 35601

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

ELECTED 1993-1994

Maurice Clifford Himes, *Most Illustrious Grand Master* P. O. Box 637, Daleville, Alabama 36322

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-Fifth ASSEMBLY OF THE

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA

The One Hundred and Fifty-Fifth Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama was held in the Wheeler Ballroom of the Holiday Inn, Decatur, Alabama on February 22, 1993, A. Dept. 2993.

Most Illustrious Grand Master, Companion Richard Sim Hamilton, declared the One Hundred Fifty-Fifth Assembly open after ascertaining that all present were Royal and Select Masters and that a constitutional number of Subordinate Councils were represented. The following Grand Council Officers were present and in their stations:

Companion Richard Sim HamiltonGrand Master
Companion Maurice C. HimesDeputy Grand Master
Companion Jesse W. LockeGrand Principal Conductor of the Work
Companion Fred W. McCluskey, JrGrand Treasurer
Companion Arthur C. Harding
Companion Thomas W. MannGrand Recorder, Emeritus
Companion George F. MillsGrand Chaplain
Companion Anthony M. DemingGrand Captain of the Guard
Companion Lewis D. TapscottGrand Conductor of the Council
Companion Phillip J. ShermanGrand Marshall
Companion James L. Gossett
Companion Dalton C. Aldridge

All Illustrious Companions were welcomed to the Annual Assembly followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

INTRODUCTION OF PAST MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTERS;

The following Past Grand Masters of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama were introduced and welcomed to this Grand Assembly:

Ray Rutledge	-1969
McMurrary L. Griffith1971	-1972
Fred W. Vaughan1978	-1979
Emory J. Ferguson1979	
William M. Newsome, Jr1980	
Charles R. Pate	
Clarence F. Rhea1984	
William H. Ealy1987	
Sam L. Garrett, Sr	-1990
Fred W. McCluskey, Jr1990	-1991
Erskine K. Smith1991	-1992

A most cordial welcome was extended to the Illustrious Past Grand Masters of the Grand Council of Alabama and they were given the Grand Honors of Cryptic Masonry.

ADDRESS OF MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER RICHARD SIM HAMILTON 1992-1993

To the Officers, Most Illustrious Past Grand Masters, Companions, and Distinguished Guests of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the 155th Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama.

To our distinguished guests from other Grand Jurisdictions, I extend a most cordial greeting and hope that you have a very profitable and enjoyable time. If we can be of assistance in any way, please call on us or any of our officers.

To the Companions representing the Councils of Alabama, we extend to you a special welcome. This is your grand Council and we are happy you are here to attend to its business. Please accept my humble thanks for the great honor you bestowed on me when you elected me to be your Most Illustrious Grand Master.

STATE OF THE CRAFT

I am happy to report to that in all of the Councils in which I visited there seems to be peace and harmony. I was privileged to participate in several classes over the state and wish to thank those who helped conduct the work. A special thanks is due to Council No. 69, Anniston. They have and I think still stand ready to assist any of the Councils who desire their help.

NECROLOGY

Our Supreme Grand Master saw fit that our Grand Line Officers stayed intact; however, many from the several Councils throughout the state were called to be with our Lord. The Grand Chaplain will give a full account in his report.

DISPENSATIONS GRANTED

To receive and ballot on petitions out of statutory time:

Mobile Council	No.12April	4
DeKalb-Jackson	Council No. 90 April 2	25
Eureka Council	No. 5 October 13 & October 2	27

IN STATE VISITATIONS

Holy Sepulcher Conclave, Red Cross of ConstantineMarch	13
Alabama Priory No. 31, KYCHMarch	14
Vulcan Council No. 22, Knight Masons March	14
Second District Masonic Conference	28
Past Masters Night, Rising Sun Lodge No. 29April	27
Honor Night for Worthy grand Patron, O.E.SJun	~ ~ ~
Installation of Officers and Banquet for DeMolayJune	- 0
Installation of Officers, Montgomery York Rite BodiesJune	13
or officers, Montgomery fork Rite Bodies June	20

Installation of Officers, Decatur York Rite Masonic BodiesJuly 2
Installation of Officers, Piedmont York Rite Masonic Bodies July 9
Vulcan Council No. 22, Knight MasonsJuly 11
Installation of Officers,
Mary Lou Dancy Chapter #3220, O.E.SJuly 11
Anniston York Rite Masonic BodiesAugust 8
Ladies Night, Red Cross of ConstantineAugust 22
Holy Sepulcher, Red Cross of Constantine September 11
Second District Masonic Conference September 26
Dothan York Rite Bodies, One Day ClassOctober 10
Vulcan Council No. 22, Knight MasonsOctober 31

OUT OF STATE VISITATIONS

South Carolina Grand York Rite
Myrtle Beach, SCMarch 8, 9, 19
North Carolina Grand York Rite
Asheville, NCMarch 22, 23, 24
Georgia Grand Chapter & Grand Council
Macon, GAApril 19, 20, 21
Mississippi Grand Chapter & Grand Council
Jackson, MSMay 7, 9
Southeastern Regional York Rite Conference
Jackson, MSJune 25, 26, 27

APPOINTMENTS

On March 2, 1992, I received a letter from Companion Patrick H. Bleakley stating that he would be unable to serve as Illustrious Grand Conductor of the Council. I contacted Most Illustrious Companion Erskine Smith and asked him to talk with Companion Bleakley to be certain that he wanted to resign. Companion Smith informed me that he had talked with Companion Bleakley and this was his desire. I appointed and installed Companion Lewis D. Tapscott to serve out the year as the Grand Conductor of the Council.

Appointed R:. Illustrious Companion Roy Colby Carlton as the Grand Representative of Alabama near the Supreme Grand Council, Eastern Jurisdiction of Canada.

Appointed Companion Raymond E. McDowell as the Grand Representative of Alabama near the Grand Council of Arizona.

AUDIT

On November 15, 1992, 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 Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama for the year ending December 31, 1991.

CONCLUSION

It has been an honor to serve the Fraternity as your Most Illustrious Grand Master. I will remember this past year always. I wish to thank my Grand Officers, as well as the Companions of our great state, for their support in promoting York Rite Masonry. A special "Thanks" to Companion Art Harding and Charlotte for their support and assistance from the Grand Secretary's office. A special

thanks to the members of Decatur Council No. 81 for their support and gifts.

We would certainly be remiss if we failed to thank God for giving us life and this Fraternity to enjoy the fellowship.

To my wife, Dorothy, for her understanding, support and assistance during the year, a "Special Thanks".

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Sim Hamilton Most Illustrious Grand Master

Attest: Arthur C. Harding Grand Recorder

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Most Illustrious Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

Submitted below is my Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the year ended December 31, 1992.

RECEIPTS;

\$12,	126.00
Dues\$12,	224.00
Fees	723 94
Interest	113 50
Sale of Supplies	423.00
gala af Danguot Tickets	125.00
Other (Craft Sales)	216.67
Total Receipts\$15,	827.11

DISBURSEMENTS;

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Operating Expenses\$15,575.58
Decrease in Payroll Tases Unremitted . 30.68
Purchase of Office Equipment 836.26
Total Disbursements
EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS (\$ 625.31)
CASH ON HAND - JANUARY 1, 1992
CASH ON HAND - DECEMBER 31. 1992
CASH ON HAND - DECEMBER 31, 1992 CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING:
Petty Cash \$ 50.00 Checking Account 9,729.64 Certificates of Deposit and Savings Accpimts 50,448.60
Total Cash on Hand December 31, 1992 $\frac{$60,228.24}{}$
Respectfully submitted,

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

GRAND RECORDER'S REPORT

To the Most Illustrious Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

Companions: Herewith is my Annual Report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1992:

Membership as of January 1, 1992

4,950

ADDITIONS;

LOSSES;

	Greeted93
	Affiliated9
	Reinstated 9
	Reinstated53
	Adjusted0+ 155
Total (Gross Membership5,105

Died	
Demitted	
Suspended N.P.D	
-478	

Total	Net	Membership	as	of	December	31,	19924,627
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Loss in Membership for 1991	2.50
Chartered Councils	323
Chartered Councils. Chapters Reporting	18
Chapters Reporting. Chapters Under Dispensation.	
onact Dispensation	0

APPRECIATION

I wish to express my appreciation and thanks to our Most Illustrious Grand Master, Richard Sim Hamilton the Grand Line Officers, and the Recorders of the Subordinate Councils for their help, support, and assistance. One Subordinate Council, as indicated above, failed to make a report on membershi; however, did pay per capita tax based on the membership which they had as of January 1, 1992 and are; therefore, entitled to vote at this Grand Assembly.

> Fraternally submitted Arthur C. Harding Grand Secretary

Adopted.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF SUBORDINATE COUNCILS

NO.	NAME	1/1/92 MEMBERSHIP	GREETED	AFFILIATED	REINSTATED	ADJUSTED	DIED	DEMITTED	SUSPENDED	12/31/92 MEMBERSHIP	GAIN/LOSS
3	MONTGOMERY	250	13	0	1_	0	11	2	18	233	-17
4	TUSCALOOSA	210	0	0	0	0	9	1	3	197	-13
5	EUREKA	253	4	3	0	0	6	4	4	246	-7
12	MOBILE	508	8	2	4	0	13	1	23	485	-23
43	BIRMINGHAM METRO	731	13	1	4	0	17	2	47	683	-48
56	GADSDEN	251	17	0	3	0	7	0	25	239	-12
68	DOTHAN	165	3	0	1	0	6	3	5	155	-10
69	BRUNDIDGE	241	9	0	1	0	5	1	19	226	-15
70	JASPER	59	1	0	2	0	1	0	9	52	- 7
71	WOODLAWN	601	10	1	15	0	14	3	34	576	-25
74	FLORENCE	287	1	1	3	0	12	1	46	233	-54
80	EAST LAKE	429	4	0	15	0	6	2	52	388	-41
81	DECATUR	194	0	0	0	0	o [·]	0	0	194	0
82	PHENIX CITY	150	0	0	0	0	4	1	6	139	-11
89	SYLACAUGA	31	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	32	+ 1
90	DeKALB-JACKSON	411	5	0	0	0	9	4	19	384	-27
93	PIEDMONT	103	2	0	2	0	3	0	11	93	-10
95	MONROEVILLE	76	3	1	1	0	1	0	8	72	- 4
	TOTALS	4,950	93	9	53	0	124	25	329	4.627	-323

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

To the Most Illustrious Gramd Master, Grand Officers, and Companions of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

We your committee on Finance, wish to submit the following report as well as a proposed budget for the year 1993 for your review and consideration.

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

The annual budget was prepared by the combined efforts of this committee as well as the M. I. Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Prin. Conductor of the Work, Grand Treasurer and the Grand Recorder.

Respectfully submitted, Maurice C. Himes, Chairman Bobby Ray Terry Sam L. Garett, Sr.

Adopted.

GRAND COUNCIL BUDGET

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Acct	ITEM	BUDGET 1992	SPENT 1992	PROPOSED 1993
81	Janitorial Supplies	25.00	0.00	25.00
82	Payroll Taxes	350.00	359.32	350.00
83	Telephone	250.00	269.75	250.00
84	Postage & P.O. Box	200.00	199.41	200.00
35	Contingency Fund	100.00	0.00	100.00
36	Grand Master's Expense	1,200.00	1,200.00	
37	Grand Recorder's Salary	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
38	Grand Treasurer's Expens	e 100.00	100.00	150.00
39	Gen. Gr. Council Per Capita Tax	1,750.00	1,712.90	1,750.00
1	Office Ass't Salary	2,140.00	2,139.96	2,268.00
2	Printing Grand Proceeding	gs 1,500.00	656.98	800.00
3	Stationery & Printing	425.00	278.90	400.00
5	Audit	875.00	905.00	1,000.00
6	Office Rent	900.00	900.00	900.00
8	Apron & Case for Junior I M. I. Grand Master	?ast 350.00	335.09	350.00
9	Insurance-Bonds, Fire, et	c. 350.00	157.40	225.00

GRAND COUNCIL BUDGET

Acct		T 1992	SPENT 1992	PROPOSED 1993
102	Triennial Reserve (First			
	Three Gr. Officers &			
	Grand Recorder)	525.0	0 525.	00 525.00
102-A	Triennial Reserve for			
	M.I.P.G.M. (Prorated			
	\$400.00 Maximum each			
	One Time Only-Half			
	Chapter & Half Coun.			
	if past in both)	.0	ο.	00 2,400.00
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103	Donation to DeMolay	300.0	0 300.	00 400.00
103-B	Donation to Order of			
	Rainbow for Girls	300.0	0 300.	00 400.00
				22 100 00
104	Purchases for Resale	100.0	0 0.	00 100.00
105	Southeastern Region York			
	Rite Conf. (Deputy Gr.			
	Mast, Gr. Prin. Cond.			
	of Work, Gr. Rec. Only			
	\$100 Max for each)	300.0	0 200.	00 300.00
106	Grand Rec.Travel Allow.	1,410.0	0 1,410.	00 1,480.00
106-A	Office Ass't Travel Allow.	204.0	0 204.	00 204.00
			0 100	00 100.00
110	Great Smoky Summer Assem,	100.0	0 100.	100.00
114	Presiding Grand Off. Stat.	50.0	0 48.	64 50.00
116	Repairs - Service Contract	100.0	0 76.	.00 100.00
117	Ladies' Luncheon (Conv.)	150.0	0 109	.18 150.00
118	Dist. Guessts (2 Nights)	350.0	0 376	.07 375.00
110	2250. 0405205 (2 1.25			
119	Banquet			
	(Net-Cost less			
	tickets sold)	150.0	0 28.	.34 150.00
121	Per Diem and Mileage (Gr.			
	Officers, Past Grand., &			
		1,200.0	0 738	.87 1,200.00
12	Computer Purchase	850.0	0 836	.26 0.00
12	Computer Furchase	000.0		. — 2
	Totals	18,404.0	0 16,267	.07 19,702.00
	Under Budget	2,136.9	3	
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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Mr. R. Sim Hamilton Most Illustrious Grand Master Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama Birmingham, Alabama

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets, liabilities and fund balance - cash basis of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama (a non-profit organization) as of December 31, 1992, and the related statements of revenue and expenses - cash basis and of changes in fund balance - cash basis for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Council'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 Council prepares its financial statements on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements except that the statements include an inventory of supplies held for resale, a provision for depreciation of property and equipment, and an accrual for the Triennial Reserve. 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 Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama as of December 31, 1992, and its revenue and expenses and the 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, Dryant + Pate P.G.

Birmingham, Alabama January 22, 1993

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GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE - CASH BASIS DECEMBER 31, 1992

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Cash on Hand and in Bank \$ 9,779.64	
Certificates of Deposit and Savings Accounts 50,448.60	
Inventory - Supplies for Resale675.62	
Total Current Assets	\$ 60,903.86
Property and Equipment	
Office Equipment 3,634.83	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation 2,636,76	
Net Property and Equipment	998,07
Total Assets	\$ 61,901,93
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	
Current Liabilities	
Reserve for Triennial	\$ 525.00
Reactive tot ittellitat	\$ 323.00
Fund Balance	_61,376,93
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	\$ 61,901.93

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES - CASH BASIS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1992

Revenue					
Dues					\$ 12,126.00
Fees					224.00
Sale of Banquet Tickets					423.00
Interest					2,723.94
Other Receipts					216.67
Sale of Supplies			\$	113.50	
Inventory - January 1, 1992	\$	758.94			
Purchases		-0-			
Total		758.94			
Inventory - December 31, 1992	_	675,62	_	83.32	30,18
Total Revenue					15,743.79
Expenses - Cash Basis (Schedule 1)			1	5,575.48	
Depreciation				118.04	
Loss on Abandonment of Equipment				54.55	
Triennial Reserve Expense				525,00	
Total Expenses					16,273.07
Excess of Expenses over Revenue					\$ (529.28)

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - CASH BASIS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1992

Fund Balance - January 1, 1992	\$ 61,906.21
Deduct: Excess of Expenses over Revenue	529,28
Fund Balance - December 31, 1992	\$ 61,376.93

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 1992

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. <u>Inventories</u>

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 Council 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. R. Sim Hamilton Most Illustrious Grand Master Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters 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.

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

Potter, Byant + gate, P.C.

Birmingham, Alabama January 22, 1993

SCHEDULE 1

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES - CASH BASIS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1992

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Grand Officer Expenses	4 1 000 00	
Allowance for Grand Officer	\$ 1,200.00	
Apron and Case	335.09	
Stationery for Grand Officer	48,64	
Total Grand Officer Expenses		1,583.73
Grand Recorder's Office Expenses		
Salary - Grand Recorder	1,800.00	
Salary - Office Secretary	2,139.96	
Grand Treasurer's Allowance	100.00	
Insurance - Bonds, Fire, Theft and Liability	157.40	
Payroll Taxes	359.32	
Rent	900.00	
Stationery and Printing	278.90	
Repairs - Furniture and Service Contracts	76.00	
Postage and Post Office Box Rental	199.41	
Telephone	269.75	
Annual Audit and Accounting Services	905.00	
Travel Allowance - Grand Recorder	1,410.00	
Travel Allowance - Office Secretary	204,00	
Total Grand Recorder's Office Expenses		8,799.74
Annual Convention Expenses		
Expenses for Distinguished Guests	376.07	
Per Diem and Mileage - Grand Officers	738.87	
Banquet and Men's Luncheon	451.34	
Southeastern Regional Meeting	200.00	
Ladies Luncheon - Grand Assembly	109.18	
Total Annual Convention Expenses		1,875.46
Miscellaneous Expenses		
Per Capita Tax - General Grand Council	1,712.90	
Special Awards - Demolay	300.00	
Special Awards - Rainbow	300.00	
Printing Annual Proceedings	656.98	
Great Smokies Assembly	100.00	
Contingencies	246,67	
Total Miscellaneous Expenses		3,316,55
Total Expenses	· ·	15,575,48

GRAND COUNCIL ROLL CALL OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

ALASKA
ARIZONA
ARKANSAS
CALIFORNIA Charles W McDonald
CANADA (EASTERN)
CANADA (WESTERN) **Brant D Hallow
COLORADO
CONNECTICUT Weldon # Behorts
DELAWARE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ENGLAND and WALES
FLORIDA*Joseph D. Brackin
GEORGIA
GERMANY
GREECE Saint II. Garrett, Sr.
HAWAII ** Patrick P. Blockley
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FOR GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

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Alaska	. Bobby Ray Terry	Route 1, Box 10	Bobby H. Hood	Rodiak
Arizona	.Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr		Raymond E. McDowell	Chandler,
Arkansas	Control Column			
		342	Johnnie D. Savage	West Helena
California	.Charles W. McDonald	Jasper, 35501 615 Morgan Avenue	Bruce O. Carmitchel	Section 1
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	. George w. Busby		Eugene R. Small	New Castle
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District of Columbia	.Doyle R. LeMaster		William P. Jacobs, Jr Washington	Washington
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	. Joseph D. Brackin	2102 Hardwick Drive p Dothan, 36303	William A. Howard	Fort Walton Beach
Georgia	Thomas W. Mann	7 Circle	Charles R. Maffett	: <u>G</u>
		Birmingham, 35215		
Sermany (West)	.Sam L. Garrett, Sr		Dennis D. Duncan	Berlin, West Germany
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dano	Doyle W. Ealy	N.E.	Burrell G. Lirgg	Boise
		Huntsville, 35801		

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Grand Council	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative To Town
Illinois	Joseph P. Jones	3342 Carter Hill Road	Virgil L. ParrottJoliet
Indiana	James L. Gossett	117 Meadow Pass, N.E Huntsville, 35811	Douglas O. FegenbushIndianapolis
Iowa	Anthony M. Deming	5415 Saddle Ridge Lane	Edward W. FullerMuscatine
Kansas	J. Woodrow Smith	Pinson, 35126 3667 Cedar Springs Road	Charles M. TalbottPomona
		Jacksonville, 36265-9704	
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Louisiana	Joe D. Lee	405 Roundabout Drive	Guy B. GannawayMonroe
Maine	Homer L. Tidwell	Irussville, 551/5 214 Lynwood Drive	Richard H. CobbGardiner
Maryland		Anniston, 36201	James D. BoggsWestminster
Massachusetts	Lance C. Anthony	P. O. Box 3050	John H. GrantQuincy
Michigan	W. Malcolm Killingsworth	Phenix City, 36868-3050 1801 Fern Drive	Ernest L. WelshGobels
Minnesota	William H. Ealy	N.E.	Leonard G. MathisonBrooklyn Park
Mississippi	McMurray L. Griffith	Auntsville, 33811 P. O. Box 130215	Thomas T. WarrenJackson
Missouri	Fred L. Graham	13 d	Jack J. Stottlemyre Kansas City
Montana	Arthur C. Harding		Willard L. PaulsonSpokane, Washington
Nebraska	Howard E. Hayes	-3333	Morton P. SteyerFort Calhoun
Nevada	Michael L. Jones	Birmingham, 35215 1711 Cagle Avenue, S.W Alan I. Taylor	Alan I. TaylorWinnermicca
New Hampshire	Alvin Parker	Decatur, 35601 513 North Center Avenue	Decatur, 35601 Jan North Center Avenue Dwight V. Meader Rochester
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Grand Council	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative To	Town
New Jersey	. George L. Marshall, Jr	661 Anna Kathryn Drive V	Wilfred Minton	Elizabeth
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New York	Robert D. Moseson	irale	Nick Stuffer	New Windsor
North Carolina	Emory J. Ferguson	6867 Orive N.W	Edison D. Hipps	Marion
North Dakota	Homer L. Tidwell	ve	Kenneth M. Thompson	Devils Lake
Ohio	Loyd D. Durden	Anniston, 36201 507 South Edgewood Drive	George F. Kuebler	Pinellas Park,
Ok Lahoma	Charles R. Pate	Dothan, 36301 P. O. Box 1526	Chester M. Cowen	Florida
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				Ontario, Canada
Oregon	William C. Snyder	P. O. Box 401	John L. Bradfield	Salem
Pennsylvania	Richard Sim Hamilton	Drive, S.W	Elliott D. BuffardCheltemham	Cheltemham
Philippines	Calvin C. Snow	Road	Fredric L Pendergraft	Dunconsville, Texas
Rhode Island	William M. Newsome, Jr	UXIOIA, 36203 1600 45th Street	Greene H. Gardner, Jr	Kingston
Scotland	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr	3110 East 18th Avenue		
South Carolina	James A. Kile	N.W	Robert H. Jackson, Jr	Jr Rock Hill
South Dakota	James E. Stutts	Avenue	Andrew W. Potter	Pierre
Tennessee	Robert E. Shipp		David H. Vaughn	Memphis
Texas	Erskine K. Smith	Daphne, 36526 1835 Cheaha Drive M. C. Bowen Oxford, 36203	M. C. Bowen	Carthage

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Grand Council	Representative From Address	Address and Town R	Representative To	Town	- 1
Utah	Robert T. Crawford	Terrade V	ernon R. Borgeson	Clearfield	1
Vermont	Clifford J. Turner	, 35127 37	David P. Martin	Brandon	
Washington	Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.		Donald W. Beeman	. Spokane	
Wisconsin	Maurice C. Himes		. Danford L. Jesse	Port Washington	
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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION

To the Most Illustrious Grand Master, Grand Officers and Companions of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

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

There are present and registered with this Committee 12 Grand Officers and 11 Illustrious Past Grand Masters of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama.

There are 18 Subordinate Councils which comprise the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama, and of these 17 Councils are registered with this Committee for this 155th Annual Assembly. The 1 Council not represented is Sylacauga #89.

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

TOTAL	OFFICERS OR	PROXIES PRESENT	. 45
TOTAL	PAST THRICE	ILLUSTRIOUS MASTERS PRESENT	. 81
TOTAL.	QUALIFIED TO	O VOTE.IN THIS ASSEMBLY	126

We wish to thank the Grand Recorder and the Illustrious Grand Master for their support and assistance in making our work easier at this Grand Council. We have enjoyed the privilege of serving the Grand Council on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Howard E. Hayes, Chairman Lance C. Anthony, Co-Chairman

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA

Illustrious Masters, Deputy Illustrious Masters, Principal Conductors of the Work or their proxies present:

3.	Montgomery	James M. Rushton, Luther E. Lee	Jr. Deputy Illustrious Master Prin. Conductor of the Work
4.	Tuscaloosa	*William S. Wiggin	sThrice Illustrious Master
			s Prin Conductor of the Work
5.	Eureka	*Harris M. Steward	Thrice Illustrious Master
		Robert F Culley	Deputy Illustrious Master
12.	Mobile	Ernest G. Inmon	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*Charles W. McDona	ldDeputy Illustrious Master
		Philip F. Stenzel	Prin. Conductor of the Work
43	Birmingham Metro	Charles W. Lowrey	Thrice Illustrious Master
	-	*Joe D. Lee	Deputy Illustrious Master
		*Charles W. Lowrey	Prin. Conductor of the Work
56	Gadsden	Horace Hampton	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*James F. Vaughan	Deputy Illustrious Master
		Robert A. Moore	Prin. Conductor of the Work
68	Dothan	*Franklin L. Moon	Thrice Illustrious Master

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69	Brundidge	Homer L. Tidwell	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*Erskine K. Smith	Deputy Illustrious Master
		*Erskine K. Smith	Prin. Conductor of the Work
70	Jasper	*Ray Rutledge	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*Ray Rutledge	Deputy Illustrious Master
		*Ray Rutledge	Prin. Conductor of the Work
71	Woodlawn	Thomas L. Cooley, Jr.	Thrice Illustrious Master
		Billy Rikard	Deputy Illustrious Master
		Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.	Prin. Conductor of the Work
74	Florence	*Robert H. Moore	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*Laman C. Griffin	Deputy Illustrious Master
		*Billy H. Brackin	Prin. Conductor of the Work
80	East Lake	*Charles C. McGraw	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*Joe R. Bush	Deputy Illustrious Master
		*Claude C. McGraw	Prin. Conductor of the Work.
81	Decatur	*Earl C. Clayton	Thrice Illustrious Master
		Gerald E. Wilson	Deputy Illustrious Master
		John R. Appleton, Jr.	Prin. Conductor of the Work
82	Phenix City	Connie Miller	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*Jesse W. Locke	Deputy Illustrious Master
		C. Gary Taylor	Prin. Conduction of the Work
89	Sylacauga	Not Represented	
90	DeKalb-Jackson	*Floyd Hambrick, Jr.	Thrice Illustrious Master
93	Piedmont	*Weldon H. Roberts	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*Teddy R. Grogan, Jr.	Deputy Illustrious Master
		*Weldon H. Roberts	Prin. Conductor of the Work
95	Monroeville	*MacArthur Davis	Thrice Illustrious Master
		*MacArthur Davis	Deputy Illustrious Master
		*MacArthur Davis	Prin. Conductor of the Work

*Denotes Proxy.

PAST THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTERS PRESENT

- 3. Montgomery: Luther E. Lee
- 4. Tuscaloosa: Henry G. Terry, William S. Wiggins
- Eureka: George L. Marshal, Jr., Edward D. Hardin, Emory J. Ferguson, Wayne D. Jordan, James L. Gossett, Henry B. Tyra, Walter J. Krueger, Sr., William H. Ealy, Thomas F. Craig, Lincoln H. Townsend
- 12. Mobile: Charles W. McDonald, Maurice M. Chastain
- Birmingham-Metro: Robert T. Crawford, J. C. Brady. Joe D. Lee, McMurray L Griffith
- Gadsden: James F. Vaughan, Fred W. Vaughan, Clarence F. Rhea, Steve Lee, Paul L. Allen
- Dothan: Maurice C. Himes, L. C. Minks, Roger A. Simmons, W. Malcolm Killingsworth
- Brundidge: Erskine K. Smith, J. Woodrow Smith, Charles R. Pate, Calvin C. Snow, Fred L. Graham
- 70. Jasper: Ray Rutledge
- 71. Woodlawn: Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., Arthur C. Harding, Calvin M. Jones, George W. Busby, William C. Bice, Robert L. Byars, Jr., Thomas W. Mann, Anthony M. Deming, Woodrow M. Hewitt
- Florence: James E. Stutts, Billy H. Brackin, Laman C. Griffin, Robert H. Moore T., L. Harrison, James R. Bromley
- 80. East Lake: Cecil D. Rayburn, Joe R. Bush, Claude C. McGraw
- 81. Decatur: Bobby R. Terry, Michael L. Jones, Wewis D. Tapscott, Dalton C. Aldridge, Ronald P. Harris, Phillip J. Sherman, Bobby C. Park, Earl C. Clayton, George F. Mills, William H. Lakey, Charles H. McGill, Richard S. Hamilton, Olin D. Rosier
- 82. Phenix City: William M. Newsome, Jr., Jesse W. Locke, Robert D. Moseson, Sam L. Garrett, Sr., Lance C. Anthony, Gene M. Day, Connie L. Miller, Charles L. Ingram, Sr., Norman Hutchinson, William C. Snyder
- 89. Not represented
- 90. DeKalb-Jackson: Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr
- 93. Piedmont: Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., Weldon H. Roberts, Raymond M. Wood
- 95. Monroeville: MacArthur Davis

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RITUALISTIC WORK

To the Most Illustrious Grand Master, Grand Officers, and Companions of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

We, your Committee on Ritualistic Work were able to participate in a one day York Rite Festival in Dothan, October 10, 1992.

This was a State Wide Festival sponsored by the Grand York Rite Officers of Alabama.

This Festival was attended by York Rite Masons from all over Alabama and the Ritualistic Work was exceptional.

Respecfully submitted,

Erskine K. Smith, MIPGM, Chairman Charles R. Pate, MIPM Anthony L. Deming

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

To the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

We, your committee on the Grand Master's Address, submit the following report:

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

We recommend the portion of the Address referring to Dispensations granted to receive and ballot out of statutory time, be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

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

We recommend the portion of the Address regarding the Appointment of Illustrious Companion Lewis D. Tapscott to serve as Illustrious Grand Condfuctor of the Council be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

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

We wish to commend the Most Illustrious Grand Master for his inspired leadership and the opportunity of serving on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted, Erskine K. Smith, MIPGM, Chairman William H. Ealy, MIPGM Clarence F. Rhea, MIPGM

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUTH

The Most Illustrious Grand Master and Companions of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

Companions, I will begin this report with a few questions. Do we intend to allow our DeMolay Chapters and Rainbow Assemblies to close for a lack of support both physically and financially as they have

been now for several years: Are we going to help restore those that are inactive and form new ones where needed:

When our youth come to us for help will we continue to tell them we are too busy to be an advisor or assist them in securing new members for their various groups: We continue to moan and groan about the declining membership, yet we do not do enough to encourage the youth who soon will be the leaders of our country by indoctrinating them with high ideals they will be subject to in our youth orders.

I close this report with a quotation from Edmund Burge. "All that is necessary for evil to triumph is for good me to do nothing."

Respectfully submitted,

Fred W. Vaughan, MIPGM Chairman

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

To the Most Illustrious Grand Master and Companions of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

The committee on Cryptic Jurisprudence submit the following report for your consideration.

We find that portion of the Most Illustrious Grand Master's address pertaining to Dispensations to receive and ballot on petitions out of statutory time to be in order. We recommend the approval of that portion of the report.

Due to the resignation of Patrick B. Bleakley, Grand Conductor of the Council, Illustrious Grand Master, Richard Sim Hamilton, appointed Richard D. Tapscott to Pro Tem this station during this Grand Council Session. We recommend approval of this action.

We had a resolution to change Article, 10 Section 10 of the By-Laws last year which was received at that time. At this time we will make final disposition on it. We find this Resolution to be in order. Companion Emory J. Ferguson, who submitted this Resolution, withdrew the Resolution.

We received correspondence from the Grand Council of Florida concerning concurrent jurisdiction.

We recommend approval of the Grand Representatives Appointed. We move the adoption of this report in its entirety.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael L. Jones, Chairman Joseph D. Brackin Emory J. Ferguson

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CRYPTIC MASONS MEDICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION

To the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

I will report that your Committee on Cryptic Masons Medical Research Foundation has not received any donations at this time. We will be receiving donations from the Councils soon.

I urge each of you to continue supporting the Cryptic Masons Medical Research Foundation as you have in the past. Any amount will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Jesse W. Locke Chaiman

Adopted.

ADDENDUM

During the Annual Grand York Rite Meeting a General Grand Council One Thousand Dollar Certificate was presented to Illustrious Companion Connie Miller, Illustrious Master of Phenix City Council #82, in recognition of this Council making contributions during the year totaling \$1,000.00

REPORT ON NECROLOGY

To the Most Illustrious Grand Master and Companions of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:

It is my solemn duty to report to you that since our last assembly, we have seen 124 of our Companions take the final journey to be with our Lord. We will all miss them and feel the loss, but thank our Heavenly Father for the friendship we enjoyed with these Companions.

We sympathize with their families and may God in his loving kindness be very near to them, and help them to endure their great loss. May we all strive to live better lives and not forget to minister to their families.

And now as Friends and Companions stand for a moment of silence in Honor to them and in memory of them:

Our Heavenly Father, You are the Wisest of all, and we know You have a time to call on all of us to take this final journey to be with You. We ask Your blessings upon the families and friends of our departed Companions, and we ask that You keep us in Your ever loving Grace.....Amen

Respectfully submitted,

George F. Mills Grand Chaplain

Adopted.



Inscribed To The Memory

Our Honored Dead

And In Memory

Of The

Deceased Companions

To.

Other Grand Jurisdictions

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:

There has been no action on behalf of the Holding Company this year except for the selection of officers at a meeting held on Saturday, March 14, 1992 at the East Lake Masonic Temple in Birmingham. Emory J. Ferguson was re-elected President, Fred W. McCluskey, Jr. was elected Treasurer and Arthur C. Harding was elected Secretary.

There remains on the lease of the office space occupied by the Grand Bodies one year and ten months. Even though R. R. Simmons has been an excellent landlord and very easy to do business with the Grand York Rite Holding Company should consider looking for a more suitable location for the safety of its staff and members that frequent these offices. Though the rent at the present location is low and even though we probably will be unable to find another location as cheap, still it is not worth putting our people at risk to save a few dollars. Because of the risk in the neighborhood it has come to the point that our Grand Secretary-Recorder feels that he must carry a side arm for protection, the building has to be checked out to make certain that no one is in hiding, and it is necessary for one to announce himself before the elevator is sent down for entry into the building. If it is unsafe for the men in the neighborhood it is certainly unsafe for the ladies.

The recommendation of the Holding Company is that a concerted effort be extended over the next twenty-two months to find a suitable, affordable and safe location for our Grand York Rite offices.

Respectfully submitted,

Emory J. Ferguson, President Fred W. McCluskey, Treasurer Arthur C. Harding, Secretary Charles R. Pate Ray Rutledge

MINUTES OF LAST ASSEMBLY

Companion Arthur C. Harding moved that the minutes as published in the Proceedings of 1992 be accepted as the minutes, and that they be approved as printed.

Motion seconded and carried.

GRAND COUNCIL OF R. & S.M. ASSEMBLY - 1994

It was moved that the next Annual Assembly of the Alabama Grand Council be held in Dothan, Alabama, February 28, 29 and March 1, 1994.

Motion seconded and carried.

General
Grand Council
Cryptic Mason
of the Year Award



PRESENTATION OF THE GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL CRYPTIC MASON OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Most Illustrious Grand Master, Richard S. Hamilton, selected Companion Michael L. Jones, Decatur Council No. 81, to receive the General Grand Council Award of the Year. The Presentation was made during the Grand York Rite Banquet on Sunday Night by Companion Dalvin L. Hollaway, Deputy General Grand Master of the General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons, International.

RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA OF THE GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL CRYPTIC AWARD

Howard D. Lindsay1960
*Milton Lee Fegenbush
*Charles A. Guthrie
*William Hollis Arnold
*Roy L. Wood
*Joseph E. Simpson, Sr
*Guin O'Neal McKinney1979
*James M. Christopher, Sr
Jesse W. Locke
Weldon H. Roberts
James C. Nuss
Joseph P. Jones
Wayne Richmond Hammond
*Earl Pervine Woodall
Calvin Coolidge Snow
Doyle Wallace Ealy
Johnny Andrew Baker
George Baldwin Boyd, Jr
James Woodrow Smith
Fred LeBurn Graham
Michael Loopid Jones
1993

^{*}Denotes deceased.

ELECTION OF GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 1993 - 1994

There being no further business to come before this Annual Assembly of the Grand Council, the Grand Council proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year. All the officers, except the Illustrious Grand Conductor of the Council and Illustrious Grand Steward were elected by acclamation. Each officer was advanced one or two stations with the exception of the Illustrious Grand Treasurer and the Illustrious Grand Secretary, who shall remain in their stations

Companion Companion J. Woodrow Smith of Brundidge Council #69 was elected by secret ballot to the station of Grand Conductor of the Council and Companion Charles W. McDonald to the station of Grand Steward. Both Companions accepted their election to their respective stations.

This Grand Council was concluded with prayer to reconvene at eleven A.M. on Tuesday, February 23, 1993, for open installation of the Grand Officers.

INSTALLATION OF GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 1993 - 1994

At the conclusion of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council, and the Grand Commandery annual business sessions on Tuesday, February 23, 1993, at an open meeting, the Grand Council Officers were duly installed by Companion Erdkinr K. Smith, Past Most Illustrious Grand Master.

The new Grand Master, Companion Maurice C. Himes was invested with the jewel and apron of his office by his wife, Glenda.

Companion Dalvin L. Hollaway, Most Puissant Deputy General Grand Master of the General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons, International, presented Companion Richard Sim Hamilton with a Past Most Illustrious Grand Master's Certificate and lapel pin from the General Grand Council.

All business of this Annual Assembly being concluded, Companion Maurice C. Himes, declared the 155th Session of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama duly closed after, the chaplain had pronounced the benediction.

Attest: Arthur C. Harding, Grand Recorder



MAURICE CLIFFORD HIMES

Most Illustrious Grand Master

1993 - 1994

MAURICE CLIFFORD HIMES Most Illustrious Grand Master 1993 - 1994

PERSONAL HISTORY

Maurice C. Himes was born in Portsmouth, Ohio on the 30th of December, 1935 to Maurice and Irene Himes. He graduated from Portsmouth High School in 1951 and attended Ohio State University until entering the U.S. Army in 1954. He completed his degree of Bachelor of Political Science from the George Washington University Foreign Service Institute and remained in the Army until his retirement as a Chief Warrant Officer in February 1981. In 1978 Companion Himes married the former Glenda Cobb of Jay, Florida.

MASONIC HISTORY

Companion Himes was raised a Master Mason in March 1982 in Daleville Lodge #903 in Daleville, Alabama. He presently is a member and Past Worshipful Master of Newton Lodge #224 in Newton, Alabama. He has served the Grand Lodge of F. & A. M. of Alabama as Vice-Chairman of the MH-20 Program and currently is Chairman of the Pennies Program and serves as a member of the Alabama Masonic Home Board of Directors. He has been appointed a Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Amazonas-Gleam of Brazil near the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Alabama.

He received his Royal Arch Degrees in August of 1982 at Dothan Royal Arch Chapter #113 in Dothan, Alabama. He served as High Priest of Dothan Chapter in 1985. Companion Himes is the Grand Representative of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Mexico near the Grand Chapter of Alabama. He received the General Grand Chapter Distinguished Service Award at the Grand Convocation in 1991.

Companion Himes received his Cryptic Degrees in Dothan Council of Royal and Select Master #68 in August of 1982. He served as Thrice Illustrious Master of that Council in 1984. He is the Grand Representative of the Grand Council of Cryptic Masons of Wisconsin near the Grand Council of Alabama.

He received his Knights Orders in Dothan Commandery #25 in August 1982. He served as Eminent Commander in 1987. He is a Life Sponsor of the Knights Templar Eye Foundation.

Companion Himes is a member of Alabama Priory #31 of Knights of the York Cross of Honor and is presently Warder of the Priory. He is Past Worthy Patron of Kolb Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, a member of the Scottish Rite, Valley of Dothan, Bandar Grotto, Vulcan Council #22, Knight Masons, a Charter Member of Alabama State Forest, Tall Cedars of Lebanon, St. Asaph Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine, Primate of Ashmole York Rite College, a member of the Royal Order of Scotland, the Council of super Excellent Masters of Alabama, the Order of the Silver Trowel, Council of Anointed High Priests, and Knights Crusaders of the Cross. He has been Secretary/Recorder of the Dothan York Rite Bodies since 1987.



-1994GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 1993

Seated left to right: J. Woodrow Smith, Roger A. Simmons, Jesse W. Locke, Maurice C. Himes (Most illustrious Grand Master), Anthony M. Deming, James L. Gossett
Standing left to right: Charles W. McDonald, L. C. Minks, Phillip K. Parris

GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS 1993 - 1994

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Arthur C. Harding, K.Y.C.H Illustrious Grand Recorder
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Thomas W. Mann, K.Y.C.H
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117 Meadow Pass, N.E., Huntsville, 35811
J. Woodrow SmithIllustrious Grand Conductor of the Council
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615 Morgan Avenue, Mobile, 36606
Phillip K. Parris
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTER, ORDER OF THE SILVER TROWEL

The Thirty-Ninth Annual Meeting of the Thrice Illustrious Master, Order of the Silver Trowel, was held at Holiday Inn, Decatur, Alabama on February 21, 1993, with the following officers in their stations.

William Jesse Bice Thrice Illustrious Master
Maurice C. Himes Thrice Illustrious Senior Warden
Henry G. Terry Thrice Illustrious Junior Warden
Robert L. Byars, Jr Thrice Illustrious Recorder
W. Malcolm Killingsworth Thrice Illustrious Stewardes
Lance C. Anthony Thrice Illustrious Sentineluncil

The Council was opened in short form by Thrice Illustrious Master, William Jesse Bice. The regular order of business was deferred until after the candidates were elected and initiated into the Order. The following were received: Horace Hampton, Jr., Raymond Monroe Wood, James N. Rushton, Jr., Ernest G. Inmon, Homer L. Tidwell, Olin D. Rosier and Tom Cooley. The Order was conferred by Companion Emory J. Ferguson, with Companion W. Malcolm Killingsworth acting as King David.

The Distinguished Guests were introduced and made Honorary Life Members. The minutes were adopted as printed in the Proceedings, and the Council voted to donate \$50.00 to the General Grand Council Medical Research Foundation. The following officers were elected and then installed by Companion Emory J. Ferguson, Past Most Illustrious Grand Master of The Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama.

Maurice C. Himes Thrice Illustrious Master
Henry G. Terry Thrice Illustrious Senior Warden
W. Malcolm Killingsworth
James F. Vaughan Thrice Illustrious Recorder
Lance C. Anthony Steward
James L. Gossett Thrice Illustrious Sentinel

the Meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully Submitted, Maurice C. Himes Thrice Illustrious Master

Attest: James F. Vaughan,

Thrice Illustrious Recorder

REGISTER OF SUBORDINATE COUNCILS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND COUNCIL OF ALABAMA JUNE, 1992 - 1993

NO.	NAME	LOCATION	THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTER & ADDRESS	RECORDER & ADDRESS	ASSEMBLY DATE
e,	Montgomery	Montgomery	James Newton Rushton, Jr. 2729 Montrose Avenue Montgomery, 36109	William J. Loerch 208 Pine Forrest Dr. Wetumpka, 36092	1st Thursday
4.	Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	Joe M. Lancaster Route 5, Box 6505 Cottondale, 35453-9645	Henry G. Terry 2530 39th Street Tuscaloosa, 35405-2842	3rd Tuesday
ري ا	Eureka	Huntsville	William O. Aden 6104 Deramus Ave. Huntsville, 35806	Kenneth W. McVay P. O. Box 371 Huntsville, 35804	2nd Tuesday
12.	Mobile	Mobile	Ernest G. Inmon 604 Lee Street Saraland 36571	Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36606	2nd Monday
43.	B'ham Metro	Birmingham	Charles W. Lowrey 199 Highland Dr. Hueytown, 35127	McMurray L. Griffith P. O. Box 130215 Birmingham, 352134	2nd Friday
56.	Gadsden	Gadsden	Horace Hamton 358 Riverside Dr. E. Gadsden 35903	Billy Clark 205 Elsmore Blvd. Gadsden, 35901	1st Thursday
. 68	Dothan	Dothan	Earl Fordham 110 Nova Streete Dothan, 36303	Maurice C. Himes P. O. Box 637 Daleville, 36322	3rd Thursday

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69. Brundidge	Anniston	Homer Lee Tidwell 214 Lynwood Dr. Anniston, 36201	Charles R. Pate P. O. Box 1526 Anniston, 36202	3rd Thursday
70 Jasper	Jasper	Wayland Sherer Route 2, Box 2389-B Jasper, 35501	Ray Rutledge Route 11, Box 342 Jasper, 35501	1st & 3rd Monday
71. Woodlawn	Woodlawn	Tom Cooley P. O. Box 320184 Birmingham, 35232	Robert L. Byars, Jr. P. O. Box 320184 Birmingham, 35232	2nd Tuesday
74. Florence	Florence	Kenard B. Pilkington Rt. 2, Box 154 Red Bay. 35582	James E. Stutts P. O. Box 566 Florence, 35631	1st & 3rd Tuesday
80. East Lake	Birmingham	Kenneth E. Bush 1006 Gables Dr. Birmingham, 35244	Claude C. McGraw. 1173 Dogwood Lane Birmingham, 35215	1st & 3rd Fri.
81. Decatur	Decatur	Olin D. Rosier 2230 Graham Ave., S.W. Decatur, 35601	Richard S. Hamilton P. O. Box 1312 Decatur, 35602	2nd Thursday
82. Phenix City	Phenix City	Connie L. Miller 801 20th Street Phenix City, 36867	Jesse W. Locke P. O. Box 2331 Phenix City, 36868-2331	3rd Tuesday

REGISTER OF SUBORDINATE COUNCILS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND COUNCIL OF ALABAMA (Continued)

	ASSEMBLY DATE	3rd Monday Each Quarter	., Jr. 1st Wednesday	2nd Thursday	4th Friday
	RECORDER & ADDRESS	Charles Pitts P. O. Box 7172 Sylacauga, 35150	Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr. Rt. 2 Section, 35701	Jerry R. Kirk P. O. Box 447 Piedmont, 36272	MacArthur Davis Route 4, Box 306 Brewton, 36426
(Continued) JUNE, 1992 - 1993	THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTER & ADDRESS	Artie Epperson 320 South Wetumpka Street Sylacauga, 35150	Jimmy Ray Moore Route 2, Box B-32A Pisgah, 35765	Randall P. Holbrook 270 Dugger Mountain Rd. Piedmont, 36272	Rodney R. Taylor Rt. 1, Box 68 Repton, 36475
	LOCATION	Sylacauga	Scottsboro	Piedmont	Monroeville
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1941		* Navid W W Tiller	*Elmer Lee Moss	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
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THE YEAR OF	Grand Treasurer	*John Wilson Terry	*Frank A. Gillette		*Frank A. Gillette	*Frank A. Gillette	Ą.	*Frank A.	*Frank A. Gillette		*Frank A. Gillette		*Frank A. Gillette	*Frank A. Gillette				*Frank A. Gillette			*Frank A. Gillette	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon	*Hoyt McClendon				
PRESENT TIME WITH	Grand P.:.C.:. Work	*Julian F. Spearman	*Charles D. Murphy		*George H. Crook	*Ralph W. Douglas	*Claud Stallworth	*Edward D. Michael	*Oscar L. Ledbetter	*Oliver B. Hall	*James M. Jones	*Sidney G. Fullerton, Sr.	*Charles L. Campbell		*Emrys W. John	S. Grady Fullerton, Jr.	*Edgar McDavitt Gober	*Thomas Watson Love				*Ray Brown Hartwell			*James T. McRae, Sr.	*M. L. Fegenbush	Arthur H. Dailey	*Luther E. Stephens	Ray rutledge	D. Shelby Vaughn	*Charles D. Miller	McMurray L. Griffith	*Troy J. Roberts	Walter K. Collins	Loyd D. Durden	*Fred J. Gentry	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.
ON IN 1838 TO THE	Deputy Grand Master	*Albert J. Savage	*Julian F. Spearman		*John Wilson	*George H. Crook	*Ralph W. Douglas	*Claud Stallworth	*Edward D. Michael	*Oscar L. Ledbetter	*Oliver B. Hall	*James M. Jones	*Terry L. Butts		*Charles L. Campbell	*Emrys W. John	S. Grady Fullerton	*Edgar McDavitt Gober				*Thomas Watson Love			*Ray Brown Hartwell	*James T. McRae, Sr.	*M. L. Fegenbush	Arthur H. Dailey	*Luther E. Stephens	Ray Rutledge	D. Shelby Vaughn	*Charles D. Miller	McMurray L. Griffith	*Troy J. Roberts	Walter K. Collins	Loyd D. Durden	*Fred J. Gentry
FROM ITS ORGANIZATION	Grand Master		*Albert J. Savage		*Charles D. Murphy	*John Wilson	*George H. Crook	*Ralph W. Douglas	*Claud Stallworth	*Edward D. Michael	*Oscar L. Ledbetter	*Oliver B. Hall	*James M. Jones	*Charles H. Stubinger	*Terry Leon Butts	*Charles L. Campbell	*Emrys W. John	S. Grady Fullerton				*Edgar M. Gober			*Thomas Watson Love	*Ray Brown Hartwell	*James T. McRae, Sr.	*M. L. Fegenbush	Arthur H. Dailey	*Luther E. Stephens	Ray Rutledfge	D. Shelby Vaughn	*Charles D. Miller	McMurray L. Griffith	*Troy J. Roberts	Walter K. Collins	Loyd D. Durden
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Year		Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand P.:.C.:. Work	Grand Treasurer	Grand Recorder	rder	
1975		*Fred J. Gentry	Clifford J. Turner	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W.	Mann	
9761		Clifford J. Turner	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.	Fred W. Vaughan	*Hoyt Mcclendon	Thomas W.	Mann	
1977		Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.	Fred W. Vaughan	*V. Nash Carmichael	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W.	Mann	
1.978		Fred W. Vaughan	Emory J. Ferguson	W. M. Newsome, Jr.	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W.	Mann	
1979	н	Emory J. Ferguson	W. M. Newsome, Jr.	*James M. Deming	*Hoyt Mcclendon	Thomas W.	Mann	
1980		W. M. Newsome, Jr.	*James M. Deming	Charles R. Pate	*Hoyt Mcclendon	Thomas W.	Mann	
1980-	Ø				James A. Kile			
1981	4	*James M. Deming	Charles r. Pate	*Earl S. West	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann	Mann	
1982		Charles R. Pate	*Earl S. West	Clarence F. Rhea	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann	Mann	
1983		*Earl S. West	Clarence F. Rhea	Joseph D. Brackin	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	
1984		Clarence F. Rhea	Joseph D. Brackin	*Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	
1985		Joseph D. Brackin	*Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	William H. Ealy	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	
1986		*Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	William H. Ealy	Brent R. Haller	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	٠
1987		William H. Ealy	Brent R. Haller	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	
1988		Brent R. Haller	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	
1989		Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.	Erskine K. Smith	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	
1990		Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.	Erskine K. Smith	Richard Sim Hamilton	James A. Kile	Thomas W.	Mann	
1991		Erskine K. Smith	Richard Sim Hamilton	Maurice C. Himes	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann	Mann	
1991	Þ				Fred W. McCluskey. Jr.	r. Arthur C. Harding	Harding	
1992	٥	Richard Sim Hamilton	Maurice C. Himes	Jesse W. Locke	Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.	 Arthur C. Harding 	Harding	
1993		Maurice C. Himes	Jesse W. Locke	Anthony M. Deming	Fred W. Jccluskey, Jr.	r. Arthur C. Harding	Harding	

*Denotes deceased

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deputy Grand Master, but in 1872 The Grand Council met in 1842 but neither the printed proceedings nor original records show that any officers were elected. In the year 1849 a new office was created called "Grand Thrice Illustrious" ranking next to deputy Grand Master, but in 18° The following were the office was abolished.

William A. Taylor; in 1853-Kenry S. Shelton; in 1854-Stephen Ives; in 1855-William A. Ferrell; in 1856-Joshua H. Danforth; In 1857-Lewis B. Thornton; in 1866-John A. Lodor; in 1864-E. H. Bernhard; in 1865-William Kerr; in 1866-Peige Brown; In 1867-Peige Brown; in 1868-Robert H. Erwin; in 1869-James M. Dedman; in 1870-James M. Dedman; in 1870-James M. Chilton; in McCaleb Wiley; in 1851-William P. Wiley; in 1850-J. In 1840-J.McCaleb Thrice Illustrious": elected

The Grand Council did not meet in the years 1861, 1862, and 1863.

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the Grand Council held no meeting in the year 1886. For want of a Quorum,

At the Annual Assembly in 1946, Companion John Terry, on account of ill health, was made Grand Treasurer Emeritus, and Companion Frank A. Gillette was elected Grand Treasurer.

H was appointed Acting Grand Recorder following the death of Companion Guy Glazner Companion Willis E. 4, 1947, On August Smith.

elected Most Illustrious Grand Master to serve in that capacity during the election of officers. Most Illustrious Companion Stubinger H 1957, Companion Charles 11, At the Annual Assembly in 1947, Companion C. H. Stubinger was elected Grand Recorder At the Annual Assembly of the Grand Council R. & S.M. of Alabama held on February

27, 1960, following the sudden death of Companion Charles H. Stubinger, Companion Thomas Leon Cochran was appointed Jones was elected Grand Recorder to serve for the same period of time. Grand Recorder. James M. On June

On September 16, 1960, following the resignation of Companion T. L. Cochran, Companion Gordon L. Evatt was appointed × Н

Thomas W. Oliver was elected Grand Recorder On December 1, 1960, Companion Varna A. Rushton was appointed Grand Recorder to succeed Gordon L. Evatt who resigned Grand York Rite Office was moved from Montgomery to Birmingham after election of Thomas W. Oliver as Grand Recorder At the Annual Assembly, February, 1973, Thomas W. Mann was elected Grand Recorder. Emeritus

o new location at 3621 South 5th Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35222. a new location at 5504 1/2 North 1st Avenue Birmingham, Alabama Annual Assembly date changed to last Monday in February 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 was moved to new location at On October 1, 1979, the Grand York rite Office was moved to a new location at

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

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McCluskey, Jr. was appointed as Grand Treasurer and Companion Arthur C. Harding was appointed as Grand Recorder. At the Annual Assembly in February, 1992, Companion Thomas W. Mann was elected as Grand Recorder Emeritus and Most Illustious Past Grand Master (Honorary). Companion James A Kile was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus. Most Illustrious Companion Fred Companion Fred the Annual Assembly, February, 1981, Hoyt McClendon was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus. September 1, 1991, Companion Thomas W. Mann and Companion James A. Kile resigned and Most Illustrious

McCluskey, Jr. was elected Grand Treasuer and Companion Arthur C. Harding was elected Grand Recorder.

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