

# THE YORK RITE of FREEMASONRY of ALABAMA



1990



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

## RECEPTION

An informal reception was held on Sunday afternoon, February 25, 1990, in the Vaudeville Room of the Ramada Inn-Airport, Birmingham, as members and guests were registered in the lobby. Hostesses were Mrs. Doris Pate, wife of the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Charles R. Pate; Mrs. Sarah Garrett, wife of the Most Illustrious Grand Master, Sam L. Garrett, Sr.; and Mrs. Ramona McDonald, wife of the Right Eminent Grand Commander, Charles W. McDonald. These ladies were assisted by many other wives of Alabama Grand York Rite members.

## DIVINE SERVICE

The Annual Divine Service was held on Sunday afternoon, February 25, 1990, in the Dixieland Room of the Ramada Inn-Airport, Birmingham. The Right Eminent Grand Commander, Charles W. McDonald, conducted the service, and Sir Knight Bobby Ray Terry, Grand Prelate of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama, delivered the message.

Sir Knight George L. Marshall, Jr., led the singing of the hymns. Pianist was Mrs. Bebe Mann, wife of the Grand Secretary-Recorder, Thomas W. Mann.

The offering received was 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.

The Invocation was given by Companion William O. Graham, Illustrious Grand Chaplain of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama.

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

Missy Ferguson, the Grand Worthy Advisor, Order of Rainbow for Girls, and Kenneth F. Nielsen, State Master Councilor, Order of DeMolay, made a few remarks.

Right Excellent Companion Harold F. Yaeger, Right Excellent General Grand King of the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, International, was introduced, and he presented the General Grand Chapter Medal of Honor to Companion James Paul Gray of Anniston Chapter No. 105, who accepted the award with appreciation and humility. The Grand Chapter of Alabama proudly adds his name to their list of previous recipients.

Companion Evan L. Fleming, Jr., Right Illustrious Deputy General Grand Master of the General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons, International, was introduced. He announced that the General Grand Council's Cryptic Mason of the Year Award was to be presented at a later date to Companion George B. Boyd, Jr., of Anniston (Brundidge Council No. 69). Due to the illness of his wife, Companion Boyd was unable to attend the meetings. The Grand Council of Alabama proudly adds his name to their list of previous recipients. Companion Charles R. Pate, Most Excellent Grand High Priest, accepted the Award in behalf of Companion Boyd.

Companion Sam L. Garrett, Sr., Most Illustrious Grand Master, presented Ish Sodie Awards to Companions Felix Gersten, Mark H. Ward, Jr., William R. East, and Bobby Ray Terry for their service to York Rite Masonry.

Companion Fleming then presented Companion Garrett with a past Grand Master's lapel pin and certificate from the General Grand Council.

Next to be introduced was Sir Knight Joseph D. Brackin, Southeast Department Commander and personal representative of Sir Knight Marvin E. Fowler, Grand Master of the Grand Encampment. Sir Knight Brackin presented the Grand

Encampment Knights Templar Cross of Honor Medal and Plaque to Sir Knight MacArthur Davis of Monroeville Commandery No. 47. His name is duly recorded with former recipients of this coveted award.

Sir Knight Charles W. McDonald, Right Eminent Grand Commander, was presented the Grand Encampment Plaque for Past Grand Commanders, and then he presented his wife, Ramona, a Meritorious Award Certificate in appreciation for all her support.

Companion Charles R. Pate, Most Excellent Grand High Priest, introduced the Most Woshipful Grand Master of Alabama, Brother J. C. Brady, who spoke a few words.

The banquet was concluded with prayer by Companion James Woodrow Smith, Right Excellent Grand Chaplain of the Grand Chapter of Alabama.

## **LADIES ENTERTAINMENT**

A delicious brunch was given for the ladies on Monday morning with many lovely door prizes and favors from the three hostesses. A hospitality room was open on Monday and Tuesday where the ladies met to enjoy the elaborate array of refreshments, furnished by the wives of the Alabama Grand York Rite. Some went on shopping tours of the many malls around Birmingham.

On Monday evening Sir Knights Henry B. Tyra, Jr., and Lincoln H. Townsend of Huntsville, presented a program for the ladies called, "Building the Flag", with costumes and tapes.

For the first time, the ladies opened a craft shop with donated handmade items. This was a big success with the proceeds of over \$600.00, which was divided equally with each of the three Grand York Rite charities.

## **KNIGHT MASONS**

The Knight Masons of Alabama, Vulcan Council No. 22, held their seventh Annual Ladies' Night Banquet on Monday evening, February 26, 1990, at Joe's Restaurant in Woodlawn, as part of the Grand York Rite activities. A delicious steak dinner with all the trimmings was enjoyed by all.

The Banquet was attended by 117 Knights and Distinguished Guests. Knight Richard Sim Hamilton, Excellent Chief of Vulcan Council No. 22, presided. After the Invocation, National Certificates were presented to all new members. A Past Excellent Chief's Certificate and jewel were presented to Past Excellent Chief, Charles R. Pate.

Vulcan Council was honored to have a National Officer in attendance — Knight Thomas W. Mann, Most Excellent Great Chief of Knight Masons, U.S.A.

Following the Banquet, other meetings were held at the Woodlawn York Rite Temple: the Council of Anointed High Priests, the Order of the Silver Trowel, and the Knight Crusaders of the Cross (Past Commanders).

**PROCEEDINGS**

OF THE

**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD  
ANNUAL CONVOCATION**

OF THE

**GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER**

OF

**ALABAMA**

**HELD FEBRUARY 25-27, 1990**

**RAMADA INN  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA**

**Presiding 1989-1990**

**Charles R. Pate**, *Most Excellent Grand High Priest*  
P.O. Box 1526, Anniston, Alabama 36202

**Thomas W. Mann**, *Right Excellent Grand Secretary*  
P.O. Box 320262, Birmingham, Alabama 35232

**Elected 1990-1991**

**Anthony M. Deming**, *Most Excellent Grand High Priest*  
5415 Saddle Ridge Lane, Pinson, Alabama 35126



**PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD  
ANNUAL CONVOCATION  
OF THE  
GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA**

The One Hundred and Sixty-Third Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama was held in the Dixieland Room of the Ramada Inn-Airport, Birmingham, Alabama, on February 27, 1990, A.I. 2520.

After ascertaining that all present were Royal Arch Masons, and that a constitutional number of Subordinate Chapters were represented, Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Companion Charles R. Pate, declared the One Hundred and Sixty-Third Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama open. The following Grand Chapter Officers were present and in their stations:

Companion Charles R. Pate .....	Grand High Priest
Companion Anthony M. Deming .....	Grand King
Companion Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. ....	Grand Scribe
Companion James A. Kile .....	Grand Treasurer
Companion Thomas W. Mann .....	Grand Secretary
Companion James Woodrow Smith .....	Grand Chaplain
Companion James Paul Gray .....	Grand Marshal
Companion Robert T. Crawford .....	Grand Captain of the Host
Companion Bobby Ray Terry .....	Grand Principal Sojourner
Companion W. Malcolm Killingsworth .....	Grand Royal Arch Captain
Companion James E. Stutts .....	Grand Master of the 3rd Veil
Companion Emory J. Ferguson .....	Grand Master of the 2nd Veil
Companion Luther E. Lee .....	Grand Master of the 1st Veil
Companion Calvin C. Snow .....	Grand Sentinel

The Invocation was given by the Grand Chaplain, Companion James Woodrow Smith, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

**INTRODUCTION OF PAST GRAND HIGH PRIESTS:**

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

Lloyd D. Durden, 1965-1966	Sam L. Garrett, Sr., 1982-1983
McMurray L. Griffith, 1972-1973	George E. Tremelling, 1983-1984
Ray Rutledge, 1975-1976	Ray R. Morgan, Jr., 1984-1985
Fred W. Vaughan, 1976-1977	William O. Farmer, 1985-1986
Erskine K. Smith, 1977-1978	Joseph D. Brackin, 1986-1987
William H. Ealy, 1978-1979	George L. Marshall, Jr., 1987-1988
George W. Busby, 1979-1980	William M. Newsome, Jr., 1988-1989

A most cordial welcome was extended to the Past Grand High Priests of Alabama, and they were given the Grand Honours of Capitular Masonry.

## **ADDRESS OF MOST EXCELLENT GRAND HIGH PRIEST CHARLES R. PATE**

**1989-1990**

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

It is indeed a pleasure to welcome you to this 163rd Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Alabama. We especially want to welcome our Distinguished Guests from other Grand Jurisdictions. If there is anything that we can do to make your stay more pleasant, then we hope that you will call on us. We truly are glad that you honor us with your presence. For our representatives of each Chapter of this great state, we especially welcome you. We want you to take part and participate in the deliberations. We are glad that you have taken the time to attend. If we can do anything for any of you, please, don't hesitate to ask me or one of your Grand Line Officers.

## **STATE OF THE CRAFT**

Some say (or think) that Masonry is on the decline, and that we will not be in existence much longer. That is one of the most negative thoughts that you can hear from anyone — especially a Brother and Companion of the Fraternity. We need to think “POSITIVE”, get involved, confer good degrees, and help our NEW members appreciate what is going on. We can sit on our past history and strive to do nothing but gripe, or, we can put on some clothes when it is time to go to work, and do something positive for Masonry by supporting our local Blue Lodges, our Chapters, Councils, and Commanderies. If the membership, and especially the Grand Line Officers, can't get involved in the programs, then how can we expect “ANYONE” to seek further light!!

The highlight of the year has been the three Grand York Rite classes that were held. From those classes we obtained 95 new Companions. This was accomplished because someone didn't wait for another person to do the work or ask the candidates. In Northeast Alabama, we have added about 200 new members to the rolls. Companions, it CAN be done all over this state, if we are willing to go to work and to seek out new members and candidates.

One of the biggest disappointments of the year, was the lack of participation of our Grand Line Officers of the Grand York Rite. I personally had hoped that each Grand Line Officer would have at least ONE candidate for at least ONE of the classes. This did not come to pass, or we would have had more candidates. If you, who are elected or appointed to these offices, can't find time to support these functions of the Grand York Rite, then you need to question WHY you even accepted an office in these august Bodies. We need to elect people who will promote York Rite to the fullest, especially when elected to an office in the Grand Lines.

## **NECROLOGY**

Our Grand Chapter Line of Officers has been spared this year, but we have lost numerous Companions along with a Past Grand High Priest, Emrys W. John, whom we all loved and admired. Our prayers are with all the families. Our Grand Chaplain will have more remarks in his Report.

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

Alaska .....	James E. Sexson
Belgium .....	Melton C. Campbell
California .....	James R. Barton
Finland .....	Roy Nelson Williams
Ireland .....	Calvin C. Snow
Italy .....	Van DeWitt Bell, Jr.
Manitoba, Canada .....	James F. Vaughan
Oregon .....	Billy A. Clark

## GRAND REPRESENTATIVES APPOINTED TO REPRESENT ALABAMA NEAR OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS

Minnesota .....	Barnes A. Sharitt, Jr.
South Dakota .....	Richard C. Geib

## DISPENSATIONS GRANTED

To receive and ballot on petitions out of statutory time:

Decatur Chapter No. 38 .....	April 20, 1989
Woodlawn Chapter No. 146 .....	April 22, 1989
DeKalb-Jackson Chapter No. 107 .....	April 22, 1989
Florence Chapter No. 6 .....	April 22, 1989
Coosa Chapter No. 86 .....	May 13, 1989
Eunomia Chapter No. 5 .....	October 7, 1989
DeKalb-Jackson Chapter No. 107 .....	October 7, 1989
Coosa Chapter No. 86 .....	November 11, 1989

Special Dispensation was given to Decatur Chapter No. 38 to meet at the Shrine Club, after their temple was destroyed by fire.

## AUDIT

On November 22, 1989, I authorized our Grand Secretary, Thomas W. Mann, to secure the services of Brother Raymond E. Potter, C.P.A., to audit the books of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama.

## VISITATIONS

Companions, I am sorry that I didn't get to visit the other Grand Jurisdictions as I would have liked to have done. I did get to attend the Annual Convocation of South Carolina. I had planned to attend several other Annual Meetings in the Southeast District, but I felt that if work was going on in Alabama, then that was where I should be and where I was needed. I have attended many York Rite classes, and have participated in many degrees and orders during the year. This has been most pleasurable. I hope that our Grand Line Officers will visit more of the Chapters in THIS great state, and help them if and when they need help. It is easy to visit those Chapters that need no help, but I feel that we can save many of our Chapter Masons by working with our less capable Chapters. We have lost several Chapters in the last few years, because, we didn't recognize the danger signals in time. Visitations out-of-state are very important and enjoyable, but we need to spend more of our time working to promote Masonry, especially, YORK RITE MASONRY, in the STATE of ALABAMA!!!



## RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That we *promote* YORK RITE MASONRY, and do not go around degrading it or talking negatively about it — especially in the presence of NON-Masons.
2. That we support our Blue Lodges in the their endeavors to *promote* MASONRY.
3. That we attend Blue Lodges and discuss York Rite Masonry with *New Master Masons*. If you don't know enough about the York Rite to discuss it, then I suggest that you *READ* about York Rite and discuss with better informed Masons, so that YOU can learn to talk to others about YORK RITE.
4. That you support your local York Rite Bodies and attend their meetings. If you are an officer, then it is your DUTY to attend all meetings possible.
5. That you take my comments home with you, and use them anyway that you see fit that will *PROMOTE* Masonry and curtail *NEGATIVE* comments.

## CONCLUSION:

This has been a good year for me and I certainly appreciate the honor of serving you as the Grand High Priest. To those Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction that I did not visit, I want to say that I am sorry. Sometimes we get caught up in matters and fail to follow through on our visitation programs. You need to stay after your Grand Officers to attend at least ONE of your meetings during the year. For those Chapters that I was able to visit, I want to say "Thank you for your hospitality and the love you seem to have for YORK RITE Masonry". I especially want to thank the membership of Anniston Chapter No. 105 for their assistance throughout the year. When there was degree work, there was quite a number of these Companions who would load-up as early as 4:30 A.M. and return home around 9:00 P.M. Those Companions will never know how very much I appreciate their assistance and their willingness to go that "EXTRA MILE" —not only THIS year, but for MANY years preceeding this one. I also want to thank those Companions of North Alabama who have worked so hard to obtain candidates — especially, Most Worshipful Past Grand Master, Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr., who has obtained numerous petitions, and has worked very hard for York Rite Masonry.

I would not forget my wife, who has lovingly supported me in Masonry — no matter what it took. She has given up many things that she would have liked to have done, but could not, because of my engagements. She was the one that took many calls and messages, and passed them on to me. She has been a strong supporter of Masonry always, and has encouraged me in every way. To my wife, Doris, I only can say, "Thanks and I love you for your support and help to me through the years".

I want to thank Companion Tom Mann and his wife, Bebe, for their support during the year. It has been a pleasure to work with them. To our Most Illustrious Grand Master, Sam Garrett, and his wife, Sarah, Right Eminent Grand Commander, Charles McDonald, and his wife, Ramona, I want to say, "Thank You". Our paths have crossed many times during the year, and it always has been pleasurable. I would be remiss if I didn't thank the Lord for His mercies and blessings that have come my way this year, for the health that has allowed me to do the things that I have done, and for the satisfaction of seeing some things done that have caused people to grow.

May God bless each of you in your endeavors next year, and may we truly have the love of our fellowman exhibited in all our actions and deliberations. If I can be of assistance to any of you, please, call on me.

Respectfully submitted,  
Charles R. Pate, K.Y.C.H.,  
Grand High Priest

Attest: Thomas W. Mann,  
Grand Secretary



## GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

*To the Most Excellent Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:*

Submitted below is my Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the year ended December 31, 1989:

### RECEIPTS:

Dues	\$ 19,579.80	
Fees	1,112.00	
Sale of Supplies	390.38	
Interest	14,223.33	
Sale of Banquet Tickets	1,045.00	
Member Contributions	508.00	
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Total Receipts		\$ 36,858.51

### DISBURSEMENTS:

Operating Expenses	\$ 26,344.09	
Increase in Payroll Taxes Unremitted	(161.30)	
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Total Disbursements		\$ 26,182.79

<b>EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$ 10,675.72</b>
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<b>CASH ON HAND - January 1, 1989</b>	<b><u>\$163,527.35</u></b>
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<b>CASH ON HAND - December 31, 1989</b>	<b><u><u>\$174,203.07</u></u></b>
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Cash on Hand - December 31, 1989 consists of the following:

Petty Cash	\$ 50.00
Checking Account	21,164.67
Certificates of Deposit and Savings Accounts	<u>152,988.40</u>
Total Cash on Hand - December 31, 1989	<u><u>\$174,203.07</u></u>

Respectfully submitted,  
James A. Kile,  
Grand Treasurer

*Adopted.*

## GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

*To the Most Excellent Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:*

Companions: Herewith is my Annual Report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1989:

Membership as of January 1, 1989 ..... 6700

### ADDITIONS:

Exalted .....	244	
Affiliated .....	39	
Reinstated .....	99	
Adjusted .....	0	+ 382

Total Gross Membership ..... 7082

### LOSSES:

Died .....	178	
Dimitted .....	49	
Suspended N.P.D. ....	300	
Adjusted .....	0	- 517

Total Net Membership as of December 31, 1989 ..... 6565

Loss in Membership for 1989 .....	-135
Chartered Chapters .....	21
Chapters Reporting .....	21
Chapters Under Dispensation .....	0

## APPRECIATION

Our thanks and appreciation go to our Grand High Priest, Charles R. Pate, the Grand Line Officers, and the Secretaries of the Subordinate Chapters for their understanding, support, help, and assistance that they have rendered us during the past year. We would like to thank all the Companions in Alabama for their support of the Royal Arch Research Assistance program. This is a very worthwhile charity and deserves our continued support.

Respectfully submitted,  
Thomas W. Mann,  
Grand Secretary

*Adopted.*

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS

NUMBER	NAME	1/1/89 MEMBERSHIP	EXALTED	AFFILIATED	REINSTATED	ADJUSTED	DIED	DIMITTED	SUSPENDED	12/31/89 MEMBERSHIP	GAIN/LOSS
1.	Tuscaloosa	250	6	0	2	0	11	1	4	242	- 8
5.	Eunomia	345	7	0	5	0	5	27	0	325	-20
6.	Cyrus	369	15	0	1	0	11	2	3	369	+ 0
21.	Mobile	577	24	3	6	0	17	1	25	567	-10
22.	Montgomery	383	4	1	0	0	8	0	18	362	-21
38.	Decatur	228	4	0	4	0	8	0	15	213	-15
64.	Central	52	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	52	+ 0
76.	B'ham Metro	1178	8	3	12	0	38	4	24	1135	-43
86.	Coosa	344	22	1	6	0	6	0	16	351	+ 7
104.	Sylacauga	76	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	69	- 7
105.	Anniston	301	9	1	0	0	8	3	13	287	-14
107.	DeKalb-Jackson	324	85	21	2	0	13	1	28	390	+66
111.	Piedmont	177	2	0	1	0	3	0	18	159	-18
113.	Dothan	223	2	1	0	0	5	0	10	211	-12
118.	Jasper	91	0	0	5	0	1	0	3	92	+ 1
132.	Valley	55	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	54	- 1
146.	Woodlawn	825	27	3	31	0	23	5	43	815	-10
149.	Phenix City	201	4	3	1	0	0	1	11	197	- 4
150.	Lineville	34	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	33	- 1
154.	East Lake	581	25	1	22	0	9	3	54	563	-18
170.	Monroeville	86	0	1	0	0	3	0	5	79	- 7
TOTALS		6700	244	39	99	0	178	49	300	6565	-135

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets, liabilities and fund balance-cash basis of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama (a non-profit organization) as of December 31, 1989, and the related statements of revenue and expenses-cash basis and of changes in fund balance-cash basis for the year then ended. Those financial statements are the responsibility of Chapter'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 Chapter 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 fixed assets. 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 Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama as of December 31, 1989, 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, Bryant & Tate, P.C.*

Birmingham, Alabama  
January 17, 1990



GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE-CASH BASIS  
DECEMBER 31, 1989

ASSETS

<u>Current Assets</u>	
Cash on Hand and in Bank	\$ 21,214.67
Certificates of Deposit and Savings Account	152,988.40
Inventory - Supplies for Resale	<u>431.32</u>
Total Current Assets	\$174,634.39
<u>Fixed Assets</u>	
Office Equipment	9,906.10
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	<u>8,915.49</u>
Net Fixed Assets	<u>990.61</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$175,625.00</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

<u>Current Liabilities</u>	
Unremitted Payroll Taxes	\$ 476.37
<u>Fund Balance</u>	<u>175,148.63</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	<u>\$175,625.00</u>

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES-CASH BASIS  
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1989

<u>Revenue</u>	
Dues	\$ 19,579.80
Fees	<u>1,112.00</u>
Interest Income	\$ 20,691.80
Sale of Banquet Tickets	14,223.33
Member Contributions	1,045.00
Sales of Supplies	508.00
Inventory - January 1, 1989	390.38
Purchases	\$ 723.79
Total	<u>-0-</u>
Inventory - December 31, 1989	<u>723.79</u>
	<u>431.32</u>
Total	<u>292.47</u>
Expenses (Schedule 1)	<u>97.91</u>
Excess of Revenue over Expenses	<u>36,566.04</u>
	<u>26,344.09</u>
	<u>\$ 10,221.95</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE-CASH BASIS  
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1989

Fund Balance - January 1, 1989	\$173,842.17
Adjustment for Recognition of Prior Years' Depreciation	<u>8,915.49</u>
Adjusted Fund Balance - January 1, 1989	164,926.68
Add: Excess of Revenue over Expenses	<u>10,221.95</u>
Fund Balance - December 31, 1989	\$ <u>175,148.63</u>

SCHEDULE 1

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES-CASH BASIS  
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1989

<u>Grand Officer Expenses</u>	
Allowance for Grand Officer	\$ 1,200.00
Apron and Case for Grand Officer	308.79
Stationery for Grand Officer	84.47
Southeastern Regional Meeting	<u>100.00</u>
Total Grand Officer Expenses	\$ 1,693.26
<u>Grand Secretary's Office Expenses</u>	
Salary - Grand Secretary	3,360.00
Salary - Office Secretary	3,082.00
Allowance for Grand Treasurer	120.00
Insurance - Bonds, Fire, Theft and Liability	495.60
Payroll Taxes	566.12
Office Rent	1,688.00
Stationery and Printing	579.23
Repairs - Furniture and Service Contracts	187.60
Postage and Post Office Box Rent	178.65
Telephone	531.78
Annual Audit and Accounting Services	835.00
Travel Allowance - Grand Secretary	2,268.00
Travel Allowance - Office Secretary	350.00
Janitorial Supplies	53.59
Computer Supplies	23.90
Typewriter Rental	<u>17.44</u>
Total Grand Secretary's Office Expenses	14,336.91
<u>Annual Convention Expenses</u>	
Expenses for Distinguished Guest	562.45
Per Diem and Mileage - Grand Officers	1,919.89
Banquet	1,302.55
Printing and Badges for Convention	<u>268.63</u>
Total Annual Convention Expenses	4,053.52
<u>Miscellaneous Expenses</u>	
Per Capita Tax - General Grand Chapter	2,058.30
Special Awards - Demolay	300.00
Special Awards - Rainbow	300.00
Memorials and Gifts	418.00
Printing Annual Proceedings	3,045.48
Contingencies	<u>138.62</u>
Total Miscellaneous Expenses	<u>6,260.40</u>
Total Expenses	\$ <u>26,344.09</u>

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 1989

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. Fixed Assets

Fixed assets are recorded at cost and depreciated over the estimated useful lives of the related assets. Depreciation is computed on the straight line method for financial reporting purposes.

NOTE 2 - TAX STATUS:

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

January 17, 1990

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT  
ON ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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, Bryant & Tate, P.C.*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

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

We, your Committee on Finance, submit the following report, proposed budget for 1990, as well as certain recommendations for your consideration:

We have examined the audit of the Grand Chapter balance sheets and related statements of revenue, disbursements, and changes in fund balance as submitted by Potter, Bryant, & Tate, C.P.A., and find it to be in order. We recommend that it be accepted.

We have examined the insurance policies concerning loss and liability and find them current. We recommend that the limits for loss be increased in proportion to assets.

We further recommend that proper receipts be required for all expense reimbursements.

The proposed budget has been prepared in co-operation with the Grand High Priest, Grand Treasurer, and Grand Secretary.

We wish to thank the Grand Chapter for allowing us to serve on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,  
Anthony M. Deming, Chairman  
Mark H. Ward, Jr.  
Robert E. Shipp

*Adopted.*

## GRAND CHAPTER BUDGET

ITEM	BUDGET 1989	SPENT 1989	PROPOSED 1990
Janitorial Supplies .....	\$ 80.00	\$ 53.59	\$ 80.00
Payroll Taxes .....	700.00	566.12	700.00
Telephone .....	500.00	531.78	500.00
Postage & P.O. Box Rental .....	400.00	170.65	400.00
Contingency Fund .....	200.00	138.62	200.00
Grand Officer Aprons .....	315.00	.00	315.00
General Grand Chapter			
Per Capita Tax .....	1,987.00	2,058.30	2,100.00
Grand Secretary's Salary .....	3,360.00	3,360.00	3,400.00
Grand Treasurer's Expense .....	120.00	120.00	120.00
Grand High Priest's Expense .....	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Office Secretary's Salary .....	3,960.00	3,082.00	4,000.00
Printing Grand Proceedings .....	2,500.00	3,045.48	3,000.00
Printing & Badges for Convention (Programs, Ballots, & Place Cards) .....	400.00	268.63	400.00
Miscellaneous Convention			
Expenses* .....	.00	.00	.00
Stationery & Printing for Office .....	500.00	579.23	500.00
Office Supplies .....	.00	.00	.00
Audit .....	750.00	835.00	835.00
Office Rent .....	1,632.00	1,688.00	1,800.00
Apron & Case for Junior Past			
Grand High Priest .....	315.00	308.79	315.00
Insurance -			
Bonds, Fire, Theft, & Liability .....	500.00	495.60	500.00



## GRAND CHAPTER BUDGET

ITEM	BUDGET 1989	SPENT 1989	PROPOSED 1990
Memorials & Gifts .....	100.00	418.00	100.00
Triennial Reserve ( <i>First 3 Grand Officers &amp; Grand Secretary</i> ) .....	467.00	.00	467.00
Triennial Reserve for Past Grand High Priests ( <i>Prorated - \$400.00 Maximum each officer for 1 time only</i> ) .....	.00	.00	.00
Donation to DeMolay .....	300.00	300.00	300.00
Donation to Order of Rainbow for Girls .....	300.00	300.00	300.00
Purchases for Resale .....	300.00	.00	300.00
Southeast Regional York Rite Conference ( <i>Grand King, Grand Scribe, &amp; Grand Secretary only - \$100.00 Maximum for each</i> ) .....	235.00	100.00	200.00
Grand Secretary's Travel Allowance .....	2,268.00	2,268.00	2,600.00
Office Secretary's Travel Allowance .....	350.00	350.00	350.00
Fraternal Correspondent .....	.00	.00	.00
Stationery for Presiding Grand Officer .....	75.00	84.47	85.00
Safety Deposit Box Rental .....	10.00	8.00	10.00
Repairs - Furniture & Equipment, & Service Contracts .....	200.00	187.60	200.00
Ladies Luncheon ( <i>Annual Convocation</i> ) .....	300.00	.00	300.00
Distinguished Guests ( <i>1 night's lodging</i> ) .....	1,000.00	562.45	700.00
Banquet ( <i>Total cost minus tickets sold</i> ) .....	300.00	257.55	300.00
Convention Photographs .....	.00	.00	.00
\$30.00 Per Diem ( <i>2 nights</i> ) and Mileage ( <i>Grand Officers, Past Grands, &amp; Standing Committees only</i> ) .....	1,500.00	1,919.89	1,500.00
Men's Luncheon ( <i>Current Grand Line and Distinguished Guests only</i> ) .....	.00	.00	.00
Rental of Typewriters for Convention Registration .....	25.00	17.44	25.00
Computer Supplies .....	100.00	23.90	.00
Bank Service Charges .....	.00	.00	.00
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>\$27,249.00</b>	<b>\$25,299.09</b>	<b>\$28,102.00</b>

(\$1,949.91 Under Budget)

\*Items not budgeted but necessary for Convention expense:  
Recording tapes, markers, printing of speeches, truck rental.

*Adopted as amended.*

## GRAND CHAPTER ROLL CALL OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

ALASKA .....	*James E. Sexson
ALBERTA, CANADA .....	James E. Stutts
ARGENTINA .....	*Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.
ARIZONA .....	James A. Kile
ARKANSAS .....	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.
BELGIUM .....	M. C. Campbell
BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA .....	William H. Ealy
CALIFORNIA .....	*James R. Barton
COLORADO .....	Michael L. Jones
CONNECTICUT .....	Joseph D. Brackin
DELAWARE .....	W. Malcolm Killingsworth
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA .....	Robert E. Shipp
FINLAND .....	*Roy Nelson Williams
FLORIDA .....	Howard E. Hayes
FRANCE .....	Arthur C. Harding
GEORGIA .....	McMurray L. Griffith
GERMANY (West) .....	*James R. Bromley
GREECE .....	***Jeane Nazaretian
HAWAII .....	James Woodrow Smith
IDAHO .....	George W. Busby
ILLINOIS .....	William C. Snyder
INDIA .....	***Michael E. Addams
INDIANA .....	
IOWA .....	Clifford J. Turner
IRELAND .....	Calvin C. Snow
ISRAEL .....	James R. Rogers
ITALY .....	Van DeWitt Bell, Jr.
KANSAS .....	Joe D. Lee
KENTUCKY .....	Robert T. Crawford
LOUISIANA .....	Ray R. Morgan, Jr.
MAINE .....	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.
MANITOBA, CANADA .....	James Frederick Vaughan
MARYLAND .....	Anthony M. Deming
MASSACHUSETTS .....	Jesse W. Locke
MEXICO .....	*Joseph P. Jones
MICHIGAN .....	Claude C. McGraw
MINNESOTA .....	*Brent R. Haller
MISSISSIPPI .....	*George E. Tremelling
MISSOURI .....	George W. Sorrell
MONTANA .....	*Norman C. Wilkinson
NEBRASKA .....	**Harry C. Denton
NEVADA .....	Robert L. Byars, Jr.
NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA .....	Thomas F. Craig
NEW HAMPSHIRE .....	William M. Newsome, Jr.
NEW JERSEY .....	George L. Marshall, Jr.
NEW MEXICO .....	Maurice C. Himes
NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA .....	***Miles S. Lee
NEW YORK .....	**Paul E. Drinnon
NEW ZEALAND .....	Loyd D. Durden
NORTH CAROLINA .....	Thomas W. Mann
NORTH DAKOTA .....	Weldon H. Roberts
NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA .....	William R. East
OHIO .....	Paul L. Allen
OKLAHOMA .....	William O. Farmer
ONTARIO, CANADA .....	Joe R. Bush

OREGON .....	Billy Allen Clark
PENNSYLVANIA .....	*Richard M. Slaughter
PHILIPPINES .....	Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.
QUEBEC, CANADA .....	Richard Sim Hamilton
QUEENSLAND, AUSTRALIA .....	James H. Lee
RHODE ISLAND .....	***Robert W. Earnhardt
SASKATCHEWAN, CANADA .....	**R. Harris Henderson, Sr.
SCOTLAND .....	Emory J. Ferguson
SOUTH CAROLINA .....	Ray Rutledge
SOUTH DAKOTA .....	Erskine K. Smith
SWITZERLAND .....	Charles W. McDonald
TENNESSEE .....	***Charles J. Sutherland
TEXAS .....	**Charles Terry Bray
UTAH .....	James L. Gossett
VENEZUELA .....	William J. Sirmon, Jr.
VERMONT .....	Charles R. Pate
VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA .....	Clarence F. Rhea
VIRGINIA .....	Bobby Ray Terry
WASHINGTON .....	*Doyle W. Ealy
WEST AUSTRALIA .....	Bobby C. Park
WEST VIRGINIA .....	Fred W. Vaughan
WISCONSIN .....	Maurice M. Chastain
WYOMING .....	Mark H. Ward, Jr.

*\*Denotes number of consecutive years absent from Grand Convocation.*

# **REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES FOR GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA**

<b>Grand Chapter</b>	<b>Representative From</b>	<b>Address and Town</b>	<b>Representative to</b>	<b>Town</b>
Alaska	James E. Sexson	1415 Adrian Lane Montgomery, 36111	Forbes L. Baker	Fairbanks
Alberta, Canada	James E. Stutts	612 East Pasadena Avenue Muscle Shoals, 35660	E. Jesse Carr	Cold Lake, Alberta, Canada
Argentina	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.	3110 East 18th Avenue Sheffield, 35660	Henry Ortner	Buenos Aires, Argentina
Arizona	James A. Kile	200 - 18th Avenue, N.W. Birmingham, 35215	Johnnie M. Wagener	Sierra Vista
Arkansas	Sam L. Garrett, Sr.	1402 Melanie Lane Phenix City, 36867	Donald M. Grimsley, Sr.	West Memphis
Belgium	Melton C. Campbell	3913 Lera Drive Anniston, 36201	Pierre Boesmans	Aarschot, Belgium
British Columbia, Canada	William H. Ealy	2101 Giles Drive, N.E. Huntsville, 35811	David B. Milne	Powell River, British Columbia, Canada
California	James R. Barton	1027 Creek Trail Anniston, 36206	Grover T. Halbrooks	Riverside
Colorado	Michael L. Jones	1711 Cagle Avenue, S.W. Decatur, 35601	Robert C. Prater	Longmont
Connecticut	Joseph D. Brackin	2102 Hardwick Drive Dothan, 36303	Bruce R. Bellmore	Hamden
Delaware	W. Malcolm Killingsworth	1801 Fern Drive Dothan, 36301	Glen D. Conley	Bear
District of Columbia	Robert E. Shipp	3533 East Springwood Drive Mobile, 36608	William T. Cox	Springfield, Virginia
Finland	Roy Nelson Williams	P.O. Box 1193 Fort Payne, 35967	Antti Kolehmainen	Riihimäki, Finland
Florida	Howard E. Hayes	540 Camellia Road Birmingham, 35215	Paul W. Friend	Fort St. Lucie
France	Arthur C. Harding	309 Sun Valley Road Birmingham, 35215	Jean Charles Foellner	Neully-sur-Seine, France
Georgia	McMurray L. Griffith	P.O. Box 130215 Birmingham, 35213	James C. Bentley, Jr.	Quitman

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Germany (West)	James R. Bromley	2127 Norwood Boulevard Florence, 35630	Columbus W. Black	Berlin, West Germany
Greece	Jeanne Nazaretian	405 Crest Drive Fairfield, 35064	William E. Kaloudis	Athens, Greece
Hawaii	James Woodrow Smith	3667 Cedar Springs Road Jacksonville, 36265-9704	Reginald E. Gulliver	Hawaii Nat'l Park
Idaho	George W. Busby	P.O. Box 20262 Montgomery, 36120-0262	David Triplett	Boise
Illinois	William C. Snyder	806 - 28th Street Phenix City, 36867	Ronald E. Ericksen	Morton Grove
India	Michael E. Addams	2209 Barrywood Road, N.W. Huntsville, 35810	Dr. A. P. Cooptu	Calcutta, India
Indiana			James DeMond	Fort Wayne
Iowa	Clifford J. Turner	Route 5, Box 187 Gadsden, 35903	Edward P. Powers	Perry
Ireland	Calvin C. Snow	1201 Oldwood Road Oxford, 36203	William McKelvey	Newtownabbey, Ireland
Israel	James R. Rogers	400 Valley Avenue Birmingham, 35209	Simon Solonds	Haifa, Israel
Italy	Van DeWitt Bell, Jr.	8437 South 9th Avenue Birmingham, 35206	Raoul Orvieto	Livorno, Italy
Kansas	Joe D. Lee	405 Roundabout Drive Trussville, 35173	Joe W. Atkins	Arkansas City
Kentucky	Robert T. Crawford	911 - 4th Terrace Pleasant Grove, 35127	Dundee Fulford	Hopkinsville
Louisiana	Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	P.O. Box 326 Gadsden, 35902	Billy West	Vinton
Maine	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	1471 Hebble Highway Piedmont, 36272	C. Ross Buzzell	Clinton

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<b>Grand Chapter</b>	<b>Representative From</b>	<b>Address and Town</b>	<b>Representative to</b>	<b>Town</b>
Manitoba, Canada	James F. Vaughan	190 Azalea Drive Gadsden, 35901	Milton W. Coghill	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
Maryland	Anthony M. Deming	5415 Saddle Ridge Lane Pinson, 35126	Frank Olah, Jr.	Baltimore
Massachusetts	Jesse W. Locke	P.O. Box 2331 Phenix City, 36868-2331	Donald F. Freberg	Pawtucket, Rhode Island
Mexico	Joseph P. Jones	3342 Carter Hill Road Montgomery, 36111	Rafael Quijano R	Mexico City, Mexico
Michigan	Claude C. McGraw	1173 Dogwood Lane Birmingham, 35215	Ernest L. Welsh	Gobles
Minnesota	Brent R. Haller	5767 Ziegler Boulevard Mobile, 36608	Woodrow N. Johnson	Mankato
Mississippi	George E. Tremelling	609 Denniston Lane Adamsville, 35005	Barnes A. Sharitt, Jr.	South Saint Paul
Missouri	George W. Sorrell	1009 West 47th Street Birmingham, 35208	John J. Pollard	Lexington
Montana	N. C. Wilkinson	3105 Warrior River Road Hueytown, 35023	Clayton R. Wolff	Forsyth
Nebraska	Harry C. Denton	219 North Capitol Parkway Montgomery, 36107	Richard A. Vlack	Auburn
Nevada	Robert L. Byars, Jr.	P.O. Box 320184 Birmingham, 35232	Frank Kihara	Winnemucca
New Brunswick, Canada	Thomas F. Craig	1000 Lexington Street, S.E. Huntsville, 35801	Robert W. Stokes	Woodstock, New Brunswick, Canada
New Hampshire	William M. Newsome, Jr.	1600 - 45th Street Phenix City, 36867	Kenneth A. Smith	Rumney
New Jersey	George L. Marshall, Jr.	609 Hal Street, N.W. Huntsville, 35805	Jerome J. Ivers	Somerville
New Mexico	Maurice C. Himes	P.O. Box 637 Daleville, 36322	Albert R. Elwell	Albuquerque
New South Wales, Australia	Miles S. Lee	1521 South 4th Avenue Birmingham, 35233	Laurence W. Wenban	Palm Beach, Queensland, Australia



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Grand Chapter	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
New York	Paul E. Drinnon	2301 Oakwood Road, N.W. Huntsville, 35810	James R. Smith	Staten Island
New Zealand	Loyd D. Durden	507 South Edgewood Drive Dothan, 36301	A. G. A. Jeffery	Auckland, New Zealand
North Carolina	Thomas W. Mann	354 Sun Valley Circle Birmingham, 35215	Paul Etheridge, Jr.	Raleigh
North Dakota	Weldon H. Roberts	P.O. Box 67 Piedmont, 36272	Neil O. Bjornstad	Enderlin
Nova Scotia, Canada	William R. East	P.O. Box 2367 Phenix City, 36867	A. H. Kay	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, Canada
Ohio	Paul L. Allen	1223 Halsey Gadsden, 35901	Raymond E. Loose	Upper Sandusky
Oklahoma	William O. Farmer	5723 Cheryl Drive Pinson, 35126	Donald W. Rimmer	Norman
Ontario, Canada	Joe R. Bush	2050 Buckley Trail Snellville, Georgia 30278	E. W. Harrison	Gilmour, Ontario, Canada
Oregon	Billy Allen Clark	205 Elsmore Boulevard Gadsden, 35901	Theodore C. Roake	Salem
Pennsylvania	Richard M. Slaughtert	3108 Heather Hill Road, S.E. Huntsville, 35802	John A. Roth, Sr.	Cheltenham
Philippines	Fred W. McCluskey, Jr.	2201 - 3rd Street, N.E. Birmingham, 35215	Harold W. Briggs	Okinawa, Japan
Quebec, Canada	Richard Sim Hamilton	2302 Hamilton Drive, S.W. Decatur, 35601	Leonard Noon	Sutton, Quebec, Canada
Queensland, Australia	James H. Lee	Route 6, Box 67 Florence, 35630	John Charles Burnell	Cairns, Queensland, Australia
Rhode Island	Robert W. Earnhardt	18 Forest Lake Tuscaloosa, 35401	Charles F. Lindsley	Narragansett
Saskatchewan, Canada	R. Harris Henderson, Sr.	2411 - 14th Street Phenix City, 36867	Alfred F. Hill	Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada

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Scotland	Emory J. Ferguson	1615 Lakeview Drive, N.W. Cullman, 35055	John Hunter	Paisley, Scotland
South Carolina	Ray Rutledge	Route 11, Box 342 Jasper, 35501	S. A. Bannister	Starr
South Dakota	Erskine K. Smith	1835 Cheaha Drive Oxford, 36203	Einar Skram	Pierre
Switzerland	Charles W. McDonald	615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36606	Henry G. Cross	Geneva
Tennessee	Charles J. Sutherland	7124 South 2nd Avenue Birmingham, 35206	C. Everett Blanton, Jr.	Nashville
Texas	Charles Terry Bray	176 North Prairie Street Florence, 35630	Robert H. Waters	Garland
Utah	James L. Gossett	117 Meadow Pass, N.E. Huntsville, 35811	Peter R. Haugan	Ogden
Venezuela	William J. Sirmon, Jr.	1238 Barcelona Drive Mobile, 36609	Alberto Aman Ch	Caracas, Venezuela
Vermont	Charles R. Pate	1220 Glendale Road Anniston, 36201	Rodney A. Akers	White River Junction
Victoria, Australia	Clarence F. Rhea	2104 Scenic Drive Gadsden, 35901	O. Gordon Lyle	Bacchus Marsh, Victoria, Australia
Virginia	Bobby Ray Terry	Route 1, Box 10 Decatur, 35603	Lindsay R. Waters	Portsmouth
Washington	Doyle W. Ealy	822 Giles Drive, N.E. Huntsville, 35801	Donald W. Beeman	Spokane
West Australia	Bobby C. Park	P.O. Box 607 Decatur, 35602	Samuel L. Nicholas	
West Virginia	Fred W. Vaughan	108 Harwood Drive Route 13, Box 82 Gadsden, 35901	William H. Brown	Davisville
Wisconsin	Maurice M. Chastain	1250 Garland Street Mobile, 36618	LaVern W. Hansen	Wautoma
Wyoming	Mark H. Ward, Jr.	910 - 30th Street Phenix City, 36867	David S. Tanner	Riverton

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON  
CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION**

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

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

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

There are 21 Subordinate Chapters which comprise the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama, and of these, 19 Chapters are registered with this Committee for this 163rd Annual Convocation.

The 2 Chapters not represented are:

Valley No. 132 ( <i>Lannett</i> )	Not Represented 5 years
Lineville No. 150	Not Represented 5 years

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

TOTAL OFFICERS OR PROXIES PRESENT	52
TOTAL PAST HIGH PRIESTS PRESENT	99
TOTAL QUALIFIED TO VOTE	151

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

Respectfully submitted,  
Mark H. Ward, Jr., Chairman  
Van DeWitt Bell, Jr.

*Adopted.*

**GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ALABAMA**

*High Priests, Kings, Scribes, and/or Proxies from Subordinate Chapters Present:*

1. Tuscaloosa	*Charles E. Blagburn Charles E. Blagburn	High Priest King
	*Henry G. Terry	Scribe
5. Eunomia	Wayne Dee Jordan	High Priest
	*James L. Gossett	King
6. Cyrus	*James H. Lee	High Priest
	Lamon C. Griffin	King
	*James H. Lee	Scribe
21. Mobile	*Charles R. Bishop	High Priest
	Charles R. Bishop	King
	*Charles W. McDonald	Scribe
22. Montgomery	George H. Trotter	High Priest
	*George H. Trotter	King
	Eldon C. Davis	Scribe
38. Decatur	I. Autry Russell	High Priest
	*Earl C. Clayton	King
	*Dalton C. Aldridge	Scribe
64. Central	*Kelley F. Coleman	King
	Donald W. Hogue	Scribe

76. B'ham Metro	*Lewis W. Meyer, Jr.	High Priest
	*McMurray L. Griffith	King
	James W. Battle	Scribe
86. Coosa	*Billy A. Clark	High Priest
	*James F. Vaughan	King
	*James F. Vaughan	Scribe
104. Sylacauga	*Charles Pitts	High Priest
105. Anniston	Fred L. Graham	King
	*Calvin C. Snow	Scribe
107. DeKalb-Jackson	*Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.	High Priest
	*Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.	King
	*Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr.	Scribe
111. Piedmont	Weldon H. Roberts	High Priest
	*Weldon H. Roberts	King
	*Alvin Parker	Scribe
113. Dothan	Hermon W. Taylor	High Priest
	Roger A. Simmons	King
	*Franklin L. Moon	Scribe
118. Jasper	*Ray Rutledge	High Priest
	*Ray Rutledge	King
	*Ray Rutledge	Scribe
132. Valley	Not Represented (5 years)	
146. Woodlawn	Marcus Ronald Johnson	High Priest
	*Amos Glenn Welborn	King
	Calvin M. Jones	Scribe
149. Phenix City	Lance C. Anthony	High Priest
	*Jesse W. Locke	King
	Robert D. Moseson	Scribe
150. Lineville	Not Represented (5 years)	
154. East Lake	Fernwood Morris	High Priest
	*Joe R. Bush	King
	William O. Farmer	Scribe
170. Monroeville	MacArthur Davis	High Priest
	*MacArthur Davis	King
	*MacArthur Davis	Scribe

\*Denotes Proxy.

### EXCELLENT PAST HIGH PRIESTS PRESENT:

1. Tuscaloosa: Henry G. Terry, William S. Wiggins.
5. Eunomia: James L. Gossett, George L. Marshall, Jr., Thomas F. Craig, Henry B. Tyra, Jr., Walter J. Kreuger, William F. Dendy, William H. Ealy, Doyle W. Ealy, Emory J. Ferguson, Lincoln, H. Townsend.
6. Cyrus: James E. Stutts, T. L. Harrison, James H. Lee, Billy H. Brackin, William D. Barr, Oliver L. Moore, Jr.
21. Mobile: Robert E. Shipp, Charles W. McDonald, Johnny A. Baker, William J. Sirmon, Jr., Brent R. Haller, William Leo Baugh, Jr., Maurice M. Chastain.
22. Montgomery: Robert E. Clemens, William O. Graham, Luther E. Lee.
38. Decatur: Bobby Ray Terry, Richard Sim Hamilton, Earl C. Clayton, Bobby C. Park, Michael L. Jones, Dalton C. Aldridge, George F. Mills.
64. Central: Kelley F. Coleman.
76. Birmingham Metro: George W. Sorrell, George E. Tremelling, Joe D. Lee, Miles S. Lee, McMurray L. Griffith, Howard E. Fields, Robert T. Crawford, J. C. Brady, Lewis W. Meyer, Jr., Hollis R. Fowler, James U. Ward, Anthony V. Jannett.
86. Coosa: Ray R. Morgan, Jr., James F. Vaughan, Billy A. Clark, Clarence F. Rhea, Fred W. Vaughan, Clifford J. Turner, Paul L. Allen.
104. Sylacauga: None.
105. Anniston: J. Paul Gray, Charles R. Pate, Calvin C. Snow, Melton C. Campbell, J. Woodrow Smith, Erskine K. Smith.
107. DeKalb-Jackson: None.
111. Piedmont: Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., Alvin Parker, Jerry R. Kirk.
113. Dothan: W. Malcolm Killingsworth, Maurice C. Himes, L. C. Minks, Joseph D. Brackin, Loyd D. Durden.
118. Jasper: Ray Rutledge.
132. Valley: None.
146. Woodlawn: Fred W. McCluskey, Jr., Anthony M. Deming, George W. Busby, Arthur C. Harding, Thomas W. Mann, Woodrow Mack Hewitt, James A. Kile, Howard E. Hayes, William J. Bice, W. Sterling Roberts, James Michael Deming, Johnson E. Harris, Jr., Amos Glenn Welborn, Robert L. Byars, Jr.
149. Phenix City: William M. Newsome, Jr., Sam L. Garrett, Sr., Gene M. Day, Charles L. Ingram, Sr., William R. East, Jesse W. Locke, William C. Snyder, Lance C. Anthony, Mark H. Ward, Jr.
150. Lineville: None.
154. East Lake: Van DeWitt Bell, Jr., Joe R. Bush, William O. Farmer, Cecil D. Rayburn, Bernard L. Cosby, Claude C. McGraw.
170. Monroeville: None.

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GRAND HIGH PRIEST'S ADDRESS

*To the Most Excellent Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama:*

We, your Committee to whom was referred the Address of the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, 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 on petitions out of statutory time, be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

We recommend the portion of the Address referring to Special Dispensation given to Decatur Chapter No. 38 to meet at the Shrine Club, after their Temple was destroyed by fire, be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

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

We recommend the portion of the Address referring to recommendations be referred to the in-coming Grand High Priest.

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

We commend the Grand High Priest for his untiring efforts in promoting Capital Masonry in Alabama, and for his great love and dedication to YORK RITE Masonry. We thank him for the pleasure of serving on this Committee, and we wish him much happiness and great success in his future years of service to the Craft.

Respectfully submitted,  
Erskine K. Smith, P.G.H.P., Chairman  
Sam L. Garrett, Sr., P.G.H.P.

*Adopted.*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

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

We, your Committee on Capital Jurisprudence, submit the following report for your consideration and approval:

We find that portion of the Grand High Priest's Address pertaining to Dispensations to receive and ballot on petitions out of statutory time and to change place of meeting in Decatur, to be in order. We recommend the approval of this portion of the report.

We have studied Resolution No. 1, concerning the proposed changes in Article IV, Section 2, to add the following: "The Grand High Priest may open or close a Chapter by declaration in 'Ample Form' ". We recommend the approval of this portion of the report.

Respectfully submitted,  
Fred W. Vaughan, P.G.H.P., Chairman  
Erskine K. Smith, P.G.H.P.  
Bobby C. Park

*Adopted.*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CAPITAL WORK

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

We, the members of the Grand Chapter Committee on Capital Work, report the following:

We have had no requests for clarification or assistance during the year. There was some good work observed in the special class held at Rainsville. If more joint classes were held, we feel that work in all areas would improve.

Respectfully submitted,  
George B. Boyd, Jr., Chairman  
Jesse W. Locke  
Maurice C. Himes

*Adopted.*



## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

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

The Committee on the Grand Chapter Fraternal Correspondence reports the following:

We have had very little correspondence with other Grand Jurisdictions. We have had two requests from Correspondents for copies of our Proceedings so that they could review them for their reports. I guess that they lived too far away from their Grand Secretary to borrow his copy.

We also had an interesting letter from Austria requesting that the Grand Chapter of Alabama observe the 200th anniversary of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's death in some manner. They wish the date of December 5th, 1991, be observed simultaneously at all Masonic Temples throughout the world. They desire an interested Companion be appointed as Chairman of such a Committee to make plans, for which they will send all details, materials, and suggestions accordingly. I gave copies of this correspondence to the Grand High Priest, Charles R. Pate, and to the Grand King, Anthony M. Deming.

Thank you, Sir, for the privilege of serving on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,  
Thomas W. Mann, Chairman

*Adopted.*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DeMOLAY

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

Your Committee on DeMolay submits the following report:

This Committee wishes to express its thanks to the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Charles R. Pate, and to the Grand Secretary, Thomas W. Mann, and their wives, for attending the Alabama State DeMolay Association Annual Conclave held in Huntsville in June, 1989.

In the past several years, this Committee has tried to emphasize to this Body, the importance of our young people to the future of this Body. The real future of Masonry AND York Rite in Alabama, is not in the hands of the people in this room. It is in the hands of the YOUNG men in our state. How many of you will be at this meeting 10, 15, or 20 years from now? The young men are our future, and we feel that something MUST be done to be sure that YORK RITE has a future in Alabama, and not gradually die out because we did not let people, particularly young people, know we exist.

We wish to thank the Grand Chapter for its financial contribution. It helps to furnish the trophies that the young DeMolay boys compete for in Ritual and in Athletic events during their Annual State Conclave.

Our young men are trying, but they cannot succeed without proper ADULT leadership. They cannot get into the Temple unless someone is there to open the door. Give a little of yourself to the young in your community.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ray Morgan, Jr., P.G.H.P., Chairman  
Fred W. Vaughan, P.G.H.P.

*Adopted.*

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR RESEARCH ASSISTANCE

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

Contributions to the Royal Arch Research Assistance, Inc. philanthropic effort for the calendar year 1989, are hereby submitted:

The following certificates were issued to the appropriate recipients:

### GOLD (\$100.00 - Up)

The Grand Chapter of Alabama  
The "Grand Ladies" of Alabama (Craft Fair at Annual Meeting)  
Decatur Chapter No. 38  
Knight Masons of Alabama - Vulcan Council No. 22  
Anniston Chapter No. 105  
Birmingham Metro Chapter No. 76  
James Paul Gray  
Phenix City Chapter No. 149  
Charles R. Pate  
Dothan Chapter No. 113

### SILVER (\$50.00 - \$99.99)

St. Asaph Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine

### RED (\$25.00 - \$49.99)

Anniston Chapter No. 105  
William C. Snyder

## TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS BY CHAPTER

CHAPTER	REGULAR	MEMORIAL	TOTAL
The Grand Chapter .....	\$ 418.00	\$ .00	\$ 418.00
Decatur Chapter No. 38 .....	226.00	.00	226.00
Dothan Chapter No. 113 .....	100.00	.00	100.00
Anniston Chapter No. 105 .....	1,000.00	30.00	1,030.00
B'ham Metro Chapter No. 76 .....	250.00	.00	250.00
Ben Franklin Conclave, RCC .....	.00	10.00	10.00
Knight Masons (Vulcan Council) .....	100.00	.00	100.00
St. Asaph Conclave, RCC .....	.00	50.00	50.00
Phenix City Chapter No. 149 .....	197.00	.00	197.00
Craft Fair (Annual Meeting) .....	220.00	.00	220.00
Other .....	6.00	.00	6.00
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,517.00</b>	<b>\$ 90.00</b>	<b>\$2,607.00</b>

The generous responses from so many individuals and Chapters are gratefully acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,  
James R. Barton, Chairman

*Adopted.*

## ALABAMA GRAND YORK RITE HOLDING COMPANY

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

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

On August 25, 1989, a meeting of the Grand York Rite Holding Company was held in Birmingham, Alabama. The results of an election of officers for the ensuing year are: President, Emory J. Ferguson; Thomas W. Mann, Secretary; James A. Kile, Treasurer.

The lease on the office spaces of the Grand York Rite having expired in July, the discussion of a new lease was the main item of business. The owners of the building asked to increase the office rent from \$340.00 a month to \$375.00 a month, which was in agreement with the old lease. That increase was agreed upon. However, the owners also requested an additional increase effective August, 1990, under a new five year lease. It was decided that due to the additional increase, that the Holding Company should request a one year lease. This request was conveyed to the owners, and the owners stated that they would consider the request and get back with us. To date we have not heard from the owners, and at the present time the Grand York Rite Offices are **NOT** under any lease. This puts us in jeopardy of being evicted without notice. I don't believe there is much danger of this due to the neighborhood, where there is very little demand for office space rental. However, for the amount of rent that we are paying for the amount of space that we now are occupying, it is advisable to stay at the present location.

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

*Adopted*

Charles R. Pate was re-elected to remain a member of the Holding Company for a five year term or until February, 1995.

## REPORT ON NECROLOGY

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

As your Grand Chaplain it is my honored duty to regretfully report to you that again the "Grim Reaper" has made his visit to our Fraternity and has claimed 178 of our Companions, including our Most Excellent Past Grand High Priest, Emrys W. John, who served as our presiding officer, 1954-1955.

No longer may we consult with them about our temporal affairs and problems. They have gone from us and from the petty trials of life. We know that they shall not return, but that we shall go to them. Happy in this glorious thought, we pay tribute to them, not in sorrow, but in loving remembrance of our association with them.

We are grateful to our Heavenly Father for his watchful care and for permitting us to meet here again with our Grand Line of Officers unbroken.

We would pause to give honor and to pay respect to our departed Companions who have been called from labor to rest.

We extend sincere sympathy to all the families of our departed Companions, and remind each one of the words of our Lord, "Be you faithful unto death, and I will give you a crown of life".

Let us stand for a moment of silence as we pay tribute to our deceased Companions:

*"Our Heavenly Father, the Grand Architect of the universe, we pause to give reverence to our departed Companions. We are thankful that Thou hast prepared a place for us and will come again when we are called from labor to rest. It is in the Holy Name of Christ, we pray."*

Respectfully submitted,  
James Woodrow Smith, K.Y.C.H.  
Grand Chaplain

Adopted.

In Memoriam

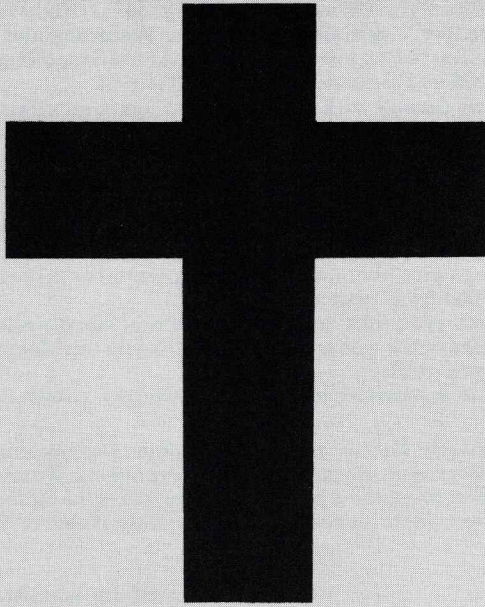
Emrys William John

Grand High Priest

1954 - 1955

August 17, 1905  
Piper, Alabama

August 25, 1989  
Birmingham, Alabama



Inscribed To The Memory  
of  
Our Honored Dead  
And In Memory  
Of The  
Deceased Companions  
In  
Other Grand Jurisdictions



## **RESOLUTION NUMBER 1**

*(Received in the Grand York Rite Office, September 1, 1989.)*

### **Grand Chapter Constitution Change**

Be it resolved that Article IV, Section 2, be revised to add the following:

The Grand High Priest or a Past Grand High Priest *may* open or close a Chapter by Declaration in "Ample Form".

Respectfully submitted,  
Fred W. Vaughan, P.G.H.P.

*Adopted as amended.*

## **RESOLUTION NUMBER 2**

*(Received in the Grand York Rite Office, December 29, 1989.)*

### **Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama**

Be it resolved that the Constitutions and By-Laws of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama and Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama be amended to merge these Bodies into the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch and Cryptic Masons of Alabama, consisting of and conferring Degrees of Mark Master, Royal Master, Select Master, Past Master, Most Excellent Master, and Royal Arch and Honorary Degree of Super Excellent Master. All Elective Officers with the exception of Treasurer and Recorder of Grand Council and Constituent Councils are to serve their stations progressively with the vacated stations being appointed until all have served as presiding officer, at which time the merger will be completed. A proper amended Constitution and By-Laws for the New Merged Chapter to be submitted for consideration and Adoption.

Respectfully submitted,  
McMurray L. Griffith, P.G.H.P.

*Withdrawn.*

## **MINUTES OF LAST CONVOCATION**

Companion Thomas W. Mann moved that the minutes as published in the Proceedings of 1989 be accepted as the minutes, and that they be approved as printed.

*Motion seconded and carried.*

## **GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER CONVOCATION - 1991**

It was moved that the next Grand Royal Arch Chapter Convocation be held in Birmingham, Alabama, on February 24-26, 1991.

*Motion seconded and carried.*

# General Grand Chapter R. A. M. Distinguished Service Award



## PRESENTATION OF THE GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER MEDAL OF HONOR

The Grand High Priest, Charles R. Pate, selected Companion James Paul Gray, Anniston Chapter No. 105, to receive the General Grand Chapter Bronze Distinguished Service Medal. The announcement and presentation was made during the Grand York Rite Banquet on Sunday night by Companion Harold F. Yaeger, Right Excellent Grand King of the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, International. Companion Gray accepted the meritorious award with grateful appreciation and humility.

## RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA OF THE GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER MEDAL OF HONOR

Arthur Henry Dailey .....	1952
*John C. Patterson .....	1953
*Charles L. Campbell .....	1954
*Troy Jackson Roberts .....	1955
Robert L. Harrison .....	1956
Jimmy Brasfield .....	1957
*Thomas W. Love .....	1958
Miles Sellers Lee .....	1959
Howard D. Lindsay .....	1960
*Milton Lee Fegenbush .....	1961
*A. Murray Weems .....	1962
Alfred Edward Little .....	1963
*J. H. Scarbrough .....	1964
*Major Whisnant .....	1965
*Charles D. Miller .....	1966
*Rodney W. Martin .....	1967
*Lawrence Kline .....	1968
Woodrow W. Williams .....	1969



*Fred J. Gentry .....	1970
*Charles A. Long, Sr. ....	1971
*John Sebastian Gamundi .....	1972
George Edward Tremelling .....	1973
Earl Pervine Woodall .....	1974
Clifford James Turner .....	1975
Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Sr. ....	1976
Lee Martin Biddy .....	1977
*John H. McCollister .....	1978
Charles William McDonald .....	1979
Paul Edward Drinnon .....	1980
Henry Miller .....	1981
Fernwood Morris .....	1982
George R. Schnitzlein .....	1983
*James Leslie Allen .....	1984
Robert F. Elkin .....	1985
Claude Calvin McGraw .....	1986
Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Jr. ....	1987
Michael Leoid Jones .....	1988
Mark Heber Ward, Jr. ....	1989
*James Paul Gray .....	1990

\*Denotes deceased.

## KNIGHT OF THE YORK CROSS OF HONOUR ALABAMA PRIORY NO. 31

*Officers, March, 1989, to March, 1990.*

Clarence F. Rhea .....	Prior
Richard Sim Hamilton .....	Deputy Prior
Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. ....	Warder
Emory J. Ferguson .....	Registrar
Ray Rutledge .....	Prelate
James Paul Gray .....	Orator
Jesse W. Locke .....	Herald

Alabama Priory No. 31, Knights of the York Cross of Honour, held its Annual Conclave on Saturday, March 10, 1990, at the Gadsden Masonic Temple with the above officers in their respective stations. The business of the meeting was conducted with Knight Clarence F. Rhea, Prior, presiding. New members were voted upon, and the election of officers for the ensuing year was held. Each officer was advanced one station with the exception of the Registrar. Knight Michael L. Jones was elected Herald.

Knight Fred W. Vaughan, as installing Officer, assisted by Knight Erskine K. Smith, as Marshal, and Knight McMurray L. Griffith, as Prelate, installed the newly elected officers in a very impressive manner.

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

The next Conclave of Alabama Priory No. 31, K.Y.C.H., will be held at the Decatur Masonic Temple on July 21, 1990.

**ALABAMA PRIORY NO. 31****MEMBERSHIP LIST AS OF MARCH, 1990:**

Wilson Kinchen Abbott	Dexter Durwood Garrett
Harris Ferrill Adams	*Sam Lawrence Garrett, Sr.
Fred Waring Addison	Malcolm Conwell Gibson
Paul Lewis Allen	Lawrence Adair Ginwright
George Macon Anders	James Lathern Gossett
Gordon William Apperson	William Oscar Graham
Carl Leon Armistead	*McMurray Logan Griffith
William Hale Armistead	Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Jr.
William Lloyd Barnes	Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Sr.
William Damascus Barr	Frank Edgar Hadder
James Robert Barton	Kenneth Leon Hamilton
Bernice Belcher	Richard Sim Hamilton
Eugene Noble Bell	Donald William Hammond
Van DeWitt Bell, Jr.	Wayne Richmond Hammond
Abraham Benefield	Arthur Cleveland Harding
Lee Martin Biddy	Oliver Howell Harris
Ernest Latroy Bishop, Sr.	Ronald Paul Harris
Anthony James Bolter, Jr.	Theodore Lee Harrison
George Nathan Boyd, Jr.	Howard Calvin Haskell
Billy Hayes Brackin	Howard Enoch Hayes
Joseph Daniel Brackin	Luck Jenkins Hays, Jr.
J. C. Brady	Clyde R. Headley
Charles Terry Bray	Ralph Harris Henderson, Sr.
James Clinton Brewer	Walter Paul Hester
William Floyd Bridges	Woodrow Mack Hewitt
William Henry Brooks	Maurice Clifford Himes
Timothy James Burgett	Nicholas Larue Horne
George William Busby	Robert Travis Howle
Robert Lee Byars, Jr.	Charles Buren Hudson
James Milton Cain	Leroy Hunt
Melton Cleon Campbell	H. Clifton Hurter
William Aubrey Carter	Ronald Lamouy Johnson
Billy Allen Clark	Joseph Polk Jones
Robert Eugene Clemens	Michael Leoid Jones
Harlan Whitney Cleveland, Jr.	Raymond Joseph Kelley
Thomas Franklin Craig	James Horace Kelly
Robert Thomas Crawford	James Augustus Kile
Bobby Clarence Crow	Warren Malcolm Killingsworth
Edward L. Davis	Bennie Taylor Koger
Gene Monroe Day	Noble Marion Kontzen
Laverne C. Drinkard	Donald Ted Lakey
Paul Edward Drinnon	William Harmon Lakey
Frank Taylor Dugger	Charles Thomas Lambert
Lloyd D. Durden	Edward Gay Leach
Doyle Wallace Ealy	Wayler Wallace Ledbetter
*William Hiram Ealy	Joe David Lee
Robert F. Elkin	Luther Emmett Lee
William Paul Evans	Thomas Lemons
William Oscar Farmer	Arthur Thomas Lewis
*Emory Jay Ferguson	James Lawson Little, Sr.
Noah Haywood Flanagan	Jesse Walten Locke
O'Day Fontenot, Jr.	Billy Mack Lumpkin
Guss Harris Gadd	Robert Edward Lyle
Billy Jim Gallahar	Robert Daniel Maddox
*Denotes Past Prior	*Thomas Wallace Mann
	Obed Cornelius Manning

Thomas Cary Marriott, III	*Erskine Knox Smith
George Leon Marshall, Jr.	James Woodrow Smith
Fred Jackson Martin	Walter Lowell Smith
Fred William McCluskey, Jr.	William Hollis Smitherman
Richard William Mebius	Calvin Coolidge Snow
Henry Miller	Clarence Oscar Speigner
William D. Miller	John E. Stearnes
George Flavious Mills	Bernie Hobart Steele
L. C. Minks	George Thomas Stephens
Carlton Bryce Moore	William Alonzo Stewart
Cecil Moore	William Histaspas Stewart, Jr.
*Ray Reid Morgan, Jr.	Charles Alexander Sweeney
Ray Reid Morgan, III	Jesse David Taylor
*William Montee Newsome, Jr.	Bobby Ray Terry
Edwin Northcutt	James Tesney
*Holden B. Norwood	George Albert Thompson
James Cortis Nuss	Aubrey Wayne Thrasher
Bobby Clyde Park	Bryan Edward Thrasher
Alvin Parker	*George Edward Tremelling
*Charles Robert Pate	John Genearl Tuberville
Clifton T. Pryor	*Clifford James Turner
Charles Fleming Rawls	Theodore Harding Turner, Sr.
*Clarence Frost Rhea	Warren Turner
William Sterling Roberts	*Frederick William Vaughan
Joseph Henry Robertson, Jr.	*David Shelby Vaughn
Douglas Lee Rogers	J. B. Wade, Jr.
Carl Wesley Rookstool	George Thomas Waldrop, Jr.
Frank Lewis Roton	Henry James Walker
Pierce McCoy Russell	Clarence Edward Weatherbee
Ray Rutledge	Samuel C. Whigham
Howard Callis Segars	Norman Curtis Wilkinson
Erik Lee Sherman	James Alfred Williams
Phillip Juan Sherman	James G. Williams
Jessie Carey Shinn	Roy Nelson Williams
William Joseph Sirmon, Jr.	Harry Carl Williamson
Richard Meridith Slaughter	

## **ELECTION OF GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS FOR 1990-1991**

There being no further business to come before this Annual Convocation, the Grand Chapter proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year. All the officers, except the Master of the First Veil, were elected by acclamation. Each officer was advanced one station with the exception of the Grand Treasurer and the Grand Secretary, who shall remain in their stations.

Companion Calvin C. Snow, Anniston Chapter No. 105, was elected by secret ballot to start in line in the station of Grand Master of the First Veil, and he accepted his election.

This Grand Chapter was concluded with prayer to reconvene for the open installation of the Grand officers immediately following.

## **INSTALLATION OF GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS FOR 1990-1991**

At the conclusion of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council, and Grand Commandery annual business sessions on Tuesday, February 27, 1990, at an open meeting, the Grand Chapter Officers were duly installed by Companion Harold F. Yaeger, General Grand King of the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, International. Companion Erskine K. Smith, Past Grand High Priest, acted as installing Grand Marshal, and Companion James Woodrow Smith served as Grand Chaplain. Companion J. Michael Deming, who was absent, will be installed as Grand Marshal at a later date.

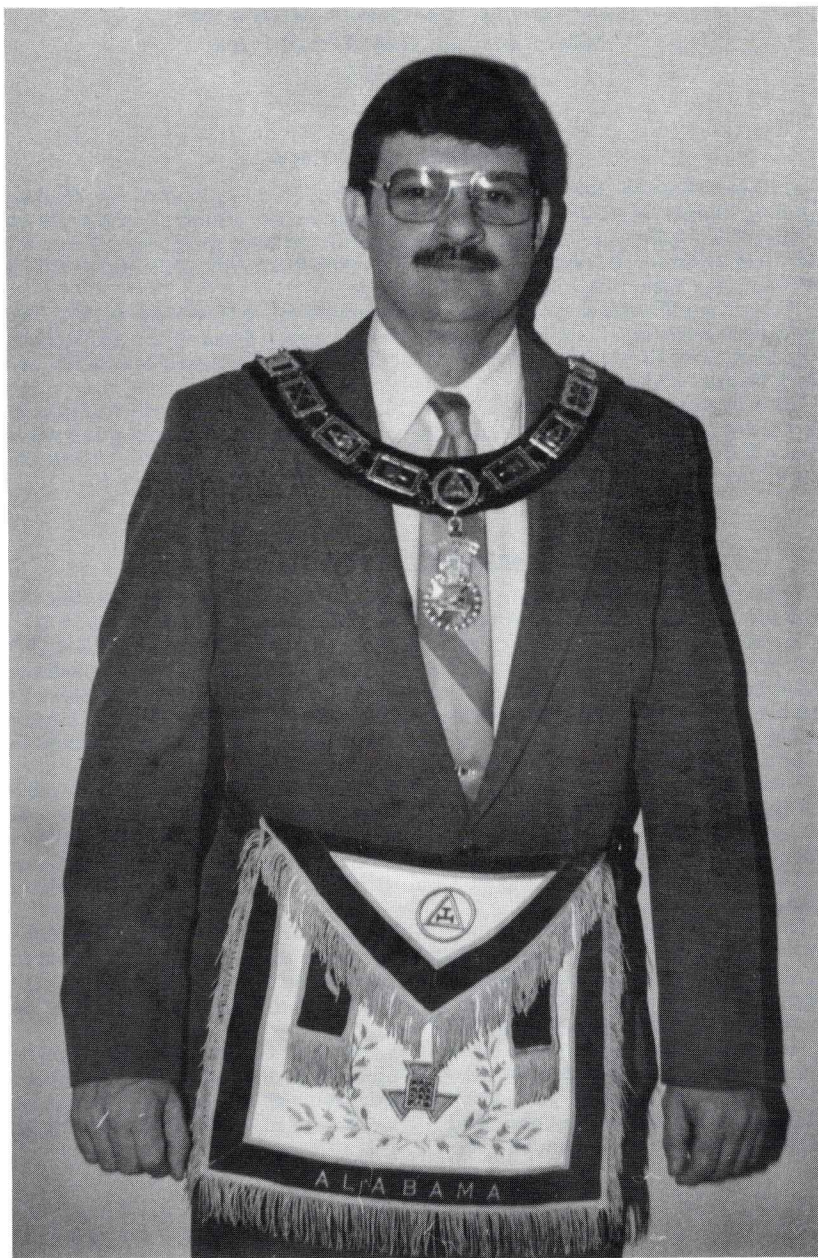
The new Grand High Priest, Companion Anthony M. Deming, was invested with the jewel of his office by his wife, Marilyn.

Newly installed Grand High Priest Deming presented Junior Past Grand High Priest, Charles R. Pate, with a Past Grand High Priest Certificate and billfold card from the Grand Chapter of Alabama. Companion Yaeger presented Companion Pate with a Past Grand High Priest Certificate from the General Grand Chapter.

All business of this Annual Convocation being concluded, Companion Anthony M. Deming declared the 163rd Session of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama duly closed. The acting Grand Chaplain, James Woodrow Smith, gave the benediction.

*Attest:* Thomas W. Mann,  
Grand Secretary





**ANTHONY MONROE DEMING**  
*Most Excellent Grand High Priest*  
**1990-1991**

## **ANTHONY MONROE DEMING**

*Most Excellent Grand High Priest*

**1990-1991**

### **PERSONAL HISTORY**

Anthony Monroe Deming was born September 28, 1950, in Jackson, Madison County, Tennessee, to Jonnie Kease Deming and James Monroe Deming. He was educated in Jefferson County, Alabama, public schools, graduating from E.B. Erwin High School in 1968. He attended Jefferson State Junior College and UAB, studying mathematics, history, and language.

He married Marilyn Joyce Morrison of Birmingham on November 6, 1970. They have two daughters: Marilyn Ann, age seventeen, and Maria Joyce, age fourteen. The family has lived in Pinson for the last ten years and are members of Roebuck Park Baptist Church.

Tony began work as Partsman for Jim Skinner Ford in 1970, and was employed by Lonnie Russell Ford as parts salesman in 1973, serving in several positions for Parts & Service since that time. He is currently parts manager for Bill Russell Ford, Inc.

### **MASONIC HISTORY**

Anthony Monroe Deming was initiated in Center Point Lodge No. 872 F. & A.M., April 19, 1973, passed May 24, 1973, and was raised June 14, 1973.

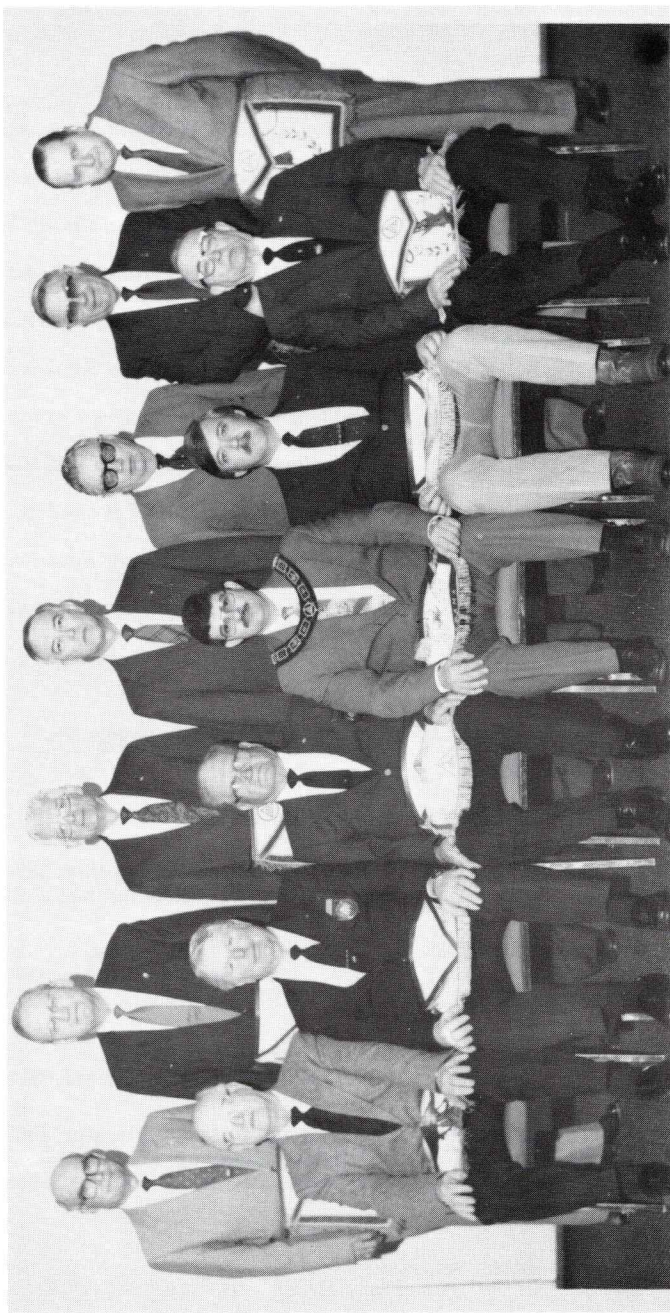
He received the Capitular Degrees in Woodlawn Chapter No. 146 on May 4, 1974, and served as High Priest, 1982-1983; Anointed Holy Order of High Priesthood, February 25, 1985. He was started in the Grand Chapter Line as Grand Master of the Second Veil (replacing his deceased father, James M. Deming, in this station) in February, 1983. He is Grand Representative of the Grand Chapter of Maryland near the Grand Chapter of Alabama.

Tony received the Cryptic Degrees in Woodlawn Council No. 71 on May 4, 1974; elected Thrice Illustrious Master, June, 1980; elected Trustee, 1984; initiated Order of the Silver Trowel, February 23, 1981. He was elected Illustrious Grand Steward of the Grand Council, February, 1990. He is Grand Representative of the Grand Council of Iowa near the Grand Council of Alabama. He served as Grand Chaplain 1980-81 and 1981-82.

He received the Chivalric Orders in Woodlawn Commandery No. 31 on May 4, 1974; elected Commander, June, 1980; Knighted in the Knight Crusaders of the Cross of Alabama, February, 1985, now serving as an officer and a member of the Degree team. He is Grand Representative of the Grand Commandery of New York near the Grand Commandery of Alabama.

He is a member of the following: Red Cross of Constantine, St. Dunstan Conclave; Knight Masons of Alabama, Vulcan Council No. 22, and a member of the Degree team; Ancient & Accepted Scottish Rite, Valley of Birmingham, Orient of Alabama, served on 31st and 32nd Degree team; Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Zamora Temple.





### GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS FOR 1990-1991

Seated left to right: James A. Kile, Bobby Ray Terry, Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., Anthony M. Deming (*Most Excellent Grand High Priest*), Robert T. Crawford, Thomas W. Mann.  
 Standing left to right: Chris C. Poe, W. Malcolm Killingsworth, James E. Stutts, Emory J. Ferguson, Luther E. Lee, Calvin C. Snow, W. Jesse Bice.



## GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS FOR 1990-1991

Anthony M. Deming	<i>Most Excellent Grand High Priest</i>
5415 Saddle Ridge Lane, Pinson, 35126	681-5440
Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., K.Y.C.H.	<i>Right Excellent Grand King</i>
1471 Hebble Highway, Piedmont, 36272	447-7298
Robert T. Crawford, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Right Excellent Grand Scribe</i>
911 - 4th Terrace, Pleasant Grove, 35127	744-7270
James A. Kile, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Right Excellent Grand Treasurer</i>
200 - 18th Avenue, N.W., Birmingham, 35215	
Thomas W. Mann, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Right Excellent Grand Secretary</i>
P.O. Box 320262, Birmingham, 35232	
Chris C. Poe	<i>Right Excellent Grand Chaplain</i>
936 - 25th Avenue, N.E., Birmingham, 35215	
J. Michael Deming	<i>Right Excellent Grand Marshal</i>
6033 May Avenue, Pinson, 35126	
Bobby Ray Terry, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Right Excellent Grand Captain of the Host</i>
Route 1, Box 10, Decatur, 35603	
W. Malcolm Killingsworth, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Excellent Grand Principal Sojourner</i>
1801 Fern Drive, Dothan, 36301	
James E. Stutts	<i>Excellent Grand Royal Arch Captain</i>
612 East Pasadena Avenue, Muscle Shoals, 35660	
Emory J. Ferguson, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Excellent Grand Master-Third Veil</i>
1615 Lakeview Drive, N.W., Cullman, 35055	
Luther E. Lee, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Excellent Grand Master-Second Veil</i>
P.O. Box 17849, Montgomery, 36117-0849	
Calvin C. Snow, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Excellent Grand Master-First Veil</i>
1201 Oldwood Road, Oxford, 36203	
W. Jesse Bice	<i>Excellent Grand Sentinel</i>
9049 North Beverly Drive, Birmingham, 35206	

## STANDING COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS FOR 1990-1991

### Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alabama

#### CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION:

Mark H. Ward, Jr., <i>Chairman</i>	910 - 30th Street, Phenix City, 36867
M. Ronald Johnson, Sr.	112 - 20th Avenue, N.E., Birmingham, 35215

#### JURISPRUDENCE:

Charles R. Pate, <i>Chairman</i> (835-1195)	P.O. Box 1526, Anniston, 36202
Fred W. Vaughan (272-8961)	P.O. Box 243, Gadsden, 35902
W. Malcolm Killingsworth (792-1910)	1801 Fern Drive, Dothan, 36301

#### FINANCE:

Robert T. Crawford, <i>Chairman</i>	911 - 4th Terrace, Pleasant Grove, 35127
Erskine K. Smith	1835 Cheaha Drive, Oxford, 36203

#### CAPITULAR WORK:

Bobby Ray Terry, <i>Chairman</i> (353-6654)	Route 1, Box 10, Decatur, 35603
Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. (447-7298)	1471 Hebble Highway, Piedmont, 36272
Sam L. Garrett, Sr. (298-4238)	1402 Melanie Lane, Phenix City, 36867

## SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

### DeMOLAY:

Ray R. Morgan, Jr., *Chairman* ..... P.O. Box 326, Gadsden, 35902

Fred W. Vaughan ..... P.O. Box 243, Gadsden, 35902

### GRAND HIGH PRIEST'S ADDRESS:

Erskine K. Smith, *Chairman* ..... 1835 Cheaha Drive, Oxford, 36203

Charles R. Pate ..... P.O. Box 1526, Anniston, 36202

### ROYAL ARCH RESEARCH ASSISTANCE:

Emory J. Ferguson, *Chairman* ... 1615 Lakeview Drive, N.W., Cullman, 35055

### GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER MEDAL OF HONOR:

Thomas W. Mann, *Chairman* ..... P.O. Box 320262, Birmingham, 35232

### NECROLOGY:

Chris C. Poe, *Chairman* ..... 936 - 25th Avenue, N.E., Birmingham, 35215

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**REGISTER OF SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OF ALABAMA  
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1. Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	Paul Leonard Diehl Route 5, Box 202 Cottondale, 35453	Henry Garner Terry 2530 - 39th Street Tuscaloosa, 35405-2842	3rd Tuesday
5. Eunomia	Huntsville	Wayne D. Jordan 929 Tascosa Drive Huntsville, 35802	Kenneth W. McVay P.O. Box 371 Huntsville, 35804	2nd Tuesday
6. Cyrus	Florence	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr. 3110 East 18th Avenue Sheffield, 35660	James E. Stutts P.O. Box 566 Florence, 35631	1st-3rd Tuesdays
21. Mobile	Mobile	James H. Blackwell, Jr. 614 Euclid Avenue Mobile, 36606	Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36606	2nd Monday
22. Montgomery	Montgomery	George H. Trotter 4453 Eric Lane Montgomery, 36116	Joseph P. Jones 3342 Carter Hill Road Montgomery, 36111	1st Thursday
38. Decatur	Decatur	I. Autry Russell 1810 Lanier Street, S.W. Decatur, 35603	Bobby Ray Terry Route 1, Box 10 Decatur, 35603	1st Thursday
64. Central	Montevallo	Dan Harrell 109 East Boudry Montevallo, 35115	W. Steve Smitherman Route 4, Box 143 Montevallo, 35115	2nd Monday
76. B'ham Metro	Birmingham	Lemuel H. Bryant 3616 Mountain Park Drive Birmingham, 35213	McMurray L. Griffith P.O. Box 130215 Birmingham, 35213	2nd Friday
86. Coosa	Gadsden	James Hedgspeth P.O. Box 16 Gadsden, 35902	Billy A. Clark 205 Elsmore Blvd. Gadsden, 35901	1st Thursday

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104. Sylacauga .....	Sylacauga .....	NO OFFICER LIST RECEIVED		Charles Pitts P.O. Box 717 Sylacauga, 35150 .....	3rd Monday each quarter
105. Anniston .....	Anniston .....	Patrick B. Bleakley 313 Hollingsworth, S.E., No. B Jacksonville, 36265 .....		Charles R. Pate P.O. Box 1526 Anniston, 36202 .....	3rd Thursday
107. DeKalb-Jackson ...	Scottsboro ...	David Lynn Shirey 134 Rainbow Avenue Rainsville, 35986 .....		Floyd L. Hambrick, Jr. P.O. Box 1613 Scottsboro, 35768 .....	1st Thursday
111. Piedmont .....	Piedmont .....	Weldon H. Roberts 501 North 1st Avenue Piedmont, 36272 .....		Jerry K. Kirk P.O. Box 447 Piedmont, 36272 .....	2nd Thursday
113. Dothan .....	Dothan .....	Hermon W. Taylor P.O. Box 2145 Dothan, 36302 .....		Maurice C. Himes P.O. Box 637 Daleville, 36322 .....	3rd Thursday
118. Jasper .....	Jasper .....	LeRoy Williamson P.O. Box 2451 Jasper, 35501 .....		Ray Rutledge Route 11, Box 342 Jasper, 35501 .....	1st-3rd Mondays
132. Valley .....	Lanett .....	Marvin Ralph Moseley 904 North 12th Street Lanett, 36863 .....		Norman Lee Flournoy 808 North 4th Street Lanett, 36863-1909 .....	3rd Thursday
146. Woodlawn .....	Birmingham .....	Marcus Ronald Johnson 112 - 20th Avenue, N.E. Birmingham, 35215 .....		Robert Lee Byars, Jr. P.O. Box 320184 Birmingham, 35232 .....	2nd Tuesday

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149. Phenix City	Phenix City	Lance C. Anthony P.O. Box 3050 Phenix City, 36868-3050	Jesse W. Locke P.O. Box 2231 Phenix City, 36868-2331	3rd Tuesday
150. Lineville	Lineville	Gerald Matthews Route 3 Lineville, 36266	Theron East Route 2, Box 169 Lineville, 36266	
154. East Lake	Birmingham	Fernwood Morris 1412 Meadow Lark Haleyville, 35565	Claude C. McGraw 1173 Dogwood Lane Birmingham, 35215	2nd Monday
170. Monroeville	Monroeville	MacArthur Davis Route 4, Box 306 Brewton, 36426	Thomas Lemons P.O. Box 1383 Monroeville, 36461	1st Friday 4th Friday

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

The One Hundred and Eighteenth Annual Convocation of the Council of Anointed High Priests of Alabama was held at Woodlawn Lodge No. 525, Birmingham, Alabama, on February 26, 1990. Excellent President, Maurice M. Chastain, opened the meeting with prayer.

The business of the Council was deferred until after the election and the Anointing of candidates by Excellent Companion Byars and his team.

There were present 36 members to view and assist in the Anointing of 11 candidates: Irvin A. Russell, Hollis R. Fowler, James F. Vaughan, Hermon W. Taylor, Patrick B. Bleakley, MacArthur Davis, William S. Wiggins, Wayne O. Jordan, Fernwood Morris, Weldon H. Roberts, and James E. Hedgspeth.

The following officers were elected:

Bobby Ray Terry .....	<i>Excellent President</i>
W. Malcolm Killingsworth .....	<i>Excellent Vice-President</i>
Robert L. Byars, Jr. ....	<i>Excellent Treasurer-Recorder</i>
Anthony M. Deming .....	<i>Excellent Chaplain</i>
Brent R. Haller ( <i>absent</i> ) .....	<i>Excellent Master of Ceremonies</i>
James L. Gossett .....	<i>Excellent Conductor of the Council</i>
James H. Lee ( <i>absent</i> ) .....	<i>Excellent Herald</i>
Clarence F. Rhea ( <i>absent</i> ) .....	<i>Excellent Steward</i>
Howard E. Hayes .....	<i>Excellent Sentinel</i>

A motion was made, seconded, and adopted, to accept the minutes in the Proceedings. The officers were installed by Excellent Companion Joseph D. Brackin.

Excellent Companion W. Jesse Bice moved to donate \$100.00 to the R.A.R.A program, and it was adopted. Several Companions made interesting talks. All Distinguished Guests were made Honorary Life Members. The business being concluded, following prayer, the Council was closed in due form.

Bobby Ray Terry,  
Excellent President

Attest: Robert L. Byars, Jr.,  
Excellent Recorder

## TREASURER'S REPORT

### COUNCIL OF ANOINTED HIGH PRIESTS OF ALABAMA

SAVINGS ACCOUNT	
SouthTrust Bank (C.D.) .....	*\$1,675.80
SAVINGS ACCOUNT	
SouthTrust Bank (Passbook) .....	\$ 405.57
EXPENSES PAID IN 1989-1990	
Purchase of Jewels .....	\$180.00
Postage .....	5.00
Printing Petitions & Certificates .....	80.00
Balance in Passbook .....	\$ 140.57
DEPOSITS TO PASSBOOK	
11 Petitions @ \$20.00 .....	\$220.00
Interest on Passbook .....	7.05
Total added to Passbook .....	\$227.05
TOTAL PASSBOOK, March 1, 1990 .....	\$ 367.62
TOTAL ASSETS, March 1, 1990 .....	\$2,043.42
*C.D. matured and interest given to R.A.R.A. Balance of \$1,675.00 was reinvested at 7%.	

Robert L. Byars, Jr.,  
Excellent Treasurer



## GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS, 1987-1990

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Year	Grand High Priest	Deputy G.H. Priest	Grand King	Grand Scribe	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary
1823	a	*Dugald McFarlane	*F. Roberts	*William B. Patton	*A. P. Bagby	*John B. Hogan
1824	b	*Israel Pickens	*N. F. Cunningham	*S. H. Garraway	*Charles Steele	*John B. Hogan
1825		*Israel Pickens	*Andrew Hutchinson	*James H. Weakley	*John H. Vincent	*John B. Hogan
1826		*Nimrod E. Benson	*Hurry T. Thornton	*Thaddeus Sanford	*Andrew McBryde	*John B. Hogan
1827	c	*John Murphy	*Harold C. Perry	*Benjamin B. Fontaine	*Henry A. Snow	*John G. Aikin
1827	d	*John Murphy	*Hurry T. Thornton	*Benjamin B. Fontaine	*Henry A. Snow	*John G. Aikin
1828		*John Murphy	*Hurry T. Thornton	*Charles O. Foster	*Henry A. Snow	*William D. Stume
1829	e					*John G. Aikin
1830	f	*James Penn	*James H. Saxon	*Anderson Hutchinson	*Henry A. Snow	*John G. Aikin
1831						*John G. Aikin
1832						*John G. Aikin
1833						
1834						
1835						
1836						
1837	g	*John C. Hicks	*Isaham Woodward	*Thomas B. Jones	*Major Cook	*Doric S. Ball
1838		*John C. Hicks	*Armistead B. Dawson	*Felix G. Norman	*Major Cook	*Anand P. Pfister
1839		*John C. Hicks	*William A. Ferrell	*Robert H. Dalton	*Major Cook	*Anand P. Pfister
1840		*Armistead B. Dawson	*David Moore	*John A. Whitestone	*Luther S. Skinner	*Anand P. Pfister
1841		*Edward Herndon	*Felix G. Norman	*Gerard W. Creagh	*William Garrett	*Anand P. Pfister
1842		*Edward Herndon	*Charles Whelan	*Eugene V. LeVert	*William Garrett	*Anand P. Pfister
1843		*Gerard W. Creagh	*Stephan F. Halo	*William Hendrix	*Edward Herndon	*Anand P. Pfister
1844		*James Penn	*Stephen A. M. Wood	*Silas F. Hall	*William Garrett	*Anand P. Pfister
1845		*William Hendrix	*James M. Brundidge	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1846		*Felix G. Norman	*James M. Brundidge	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1847		*William Hendrix	*William P. Chilton	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1848		*William Hendrix	*William P. Chilton	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1849		*William Hendrix	*William P. Chilton	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1850		*Rufus Greene	*William P. Chilton	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1851		*William P. Chilton	*William H. Norris	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1852		*William P. Chilton	*William H. Norris	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1853		*William P. Chilton	*Thomas J. Clark	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1854		*William A. Ferrell	*Thomas J. Clark	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1855		*Thomas C. Cartwell	*Humphrey S. Shelton	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1856		*Sterling A. M. Wood	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1857		*Sterling A. M. Wood	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1858		*Sterling A. M. Wood	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1859		*Sterling A. M. Wood	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1860		*Sterling A. M. Wood	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1861		*Hugh Parks Watson	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1862		*Hugh Parks Watson	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1863		*Hugh Parks Watson	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1864		*Hugh Parks Watson	*Hugh Parks Watson	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1865		*James B. Harrison	*James B. Harrison	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1866		*George D. Norris	*George D. Norris	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1867		*Richard F. Knott	*Richard F. Knott	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1868		*H. Clay Armstrong	*H. Clay Armstrong	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1869		*H. Clay Armstrong	*H. Clay Armstrong	*John R. Clark	*Nimrod E. Benson	*Anand P. Pfister
1870						



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Year	Grand High Priest	Deputy G.H. Priest	Grand King	Grand Scribe	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary
1871	*Henry Clay Armstrong	*James B. Luckie	*James M. Dedman	*Myles Jefferson Greene	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1872	*Myles Jefferson Greene	*James M. Dedman	*James Milton	*James E. Cobb	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1873	*Myles Jefferson Greene	*James M. Dedman	*James Milton	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1874	*James E. Cobb	*James Milton	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*James Kent	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1875	*James E. Cobb	*James Milton	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*William Story Foster	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1876	*James E. Cobb	*James Milton	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*William D. Wadsworth	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1877	*James Harvey Joiner	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*William D. Wadsworth	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1878	*James Harvey Joiner	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*John R. Goldthwaite	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1879	*James Harvey Joiner	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*John Gideon Harris	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1880	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*John Gideon Harris	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1881	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*James Tait Beck	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1882	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*James Tait Beck	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1883	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*Lucky Walker Jenkins	*James Tait Beck	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1884	*William Story Foster	*William W. Screws	*William W. McCollum	*John A. McKinnon	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1885	*William Story Foster	*William W. Screws	*William W. McCollum	*Henry Clay Wiley	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1886	*William W. Screws	*William W. McCollum	*John Gideon Harris	*Andrew J. Nunnally	*William Henry Dingley	*Daniel Syre
1887	*Joseph Henry Johnson	*John Gideon Harris	*James Tait Beck	*Jostiah Jernigan	*William Henry Dingley	*Myles Jefferson Greene
1888	*John Gideon Harris	*James Tait Beck	*John A. McKinnon	*Edward S. Gatchell	*William Henry Dingley	*Myles Jefferson Greene
1889	*John Gideon Harris	*James Tait Beck	*John A. McKinnon	*George F. Moore	*William Henry Dingley	*Myles Jefferson Greene
1890	*James Tait Beck	*John A. McKinnon	*Henry Clay Wiley	*Andrew J. Nunnally	*William Henry Dingley	*Henry Clay Armstrong
1891	*John A. McKinnon	*John Gilbert Smith	*Andrew J. Nunnally	*Jostiah Jernigan	*William Henry Dingley	*Henry Clay Armstrong
1892	*John A. McKinnon	*John Gilbert Smith	*Andrew J. Nunnally	*William J. Rhodes	*William Henry Dingley	*Henry Clay Armstrong
1893	*John Gilbert Smith	*John Gilbert Smith	*Andrew J. Nunnally	*Edward S. Gatchell	*William Henry Dingley	*Henry Clay Armstrong
1894	*John Gilbert Smith	*John Gilbert Smith	*Andrew J. Nunnally	*George F. Moore	*William Henry Dingley	*Henry Clay Armstrong
1895	*Jostiah Jernigan	*William J. Rhodes	*Edward S. Gatchell	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*Henry Clay Armstrong
1896	*Jostiah Jernigan	*William J. Rhodes	*Edward S. Gatchell	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1897	*Edward S. Gatchell	*George F. Moore	*Charles R. Bricken	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1898	*Edward S. Gatchell	*George F. Moore	*Charles R. Bricken	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1899	*George F. Moore	*Charles R. Bricken	*Charles R. Bricken	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1900	*George F. Moore	*Charles R. Bricken	*Charles R. Bricken	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1901	*George F. Moore	*Charles R. Bricken	*Charles R. Bricken	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1902	*Charles R. Bricken	*Charles R. Bricken	*Charles R. Bricken	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1903	*Charles R. Bricken	*Charles R. Bricken	*Charles R. Bricken	*George A. Beauchamp	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1904	*Basil Manly Hill	*Francis H. Bates	*Robert S. Teague	*Robert W. Southerland	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1905	*Francis H. Bates	*Robert S. Teague	*Robert S. Teague	*Robert W. Southerland	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1906	*Robert S. Teague	*Robert S. Teague	*Robert S. Teague	*Robert W. Southerland	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1907	*Robert W. Southerland	*Robert W. Southerland	*Robert W. Southerland	*Robert W. Southerland	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1908	*Robert W. Southerland	*Robert W. Southerland	*Robert W. Southerland	*Robert W. Southerland	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1909	*John B. Christian	*John B. Christian	*William E. Bingham	*Lawrence H. Lee	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1910	*William E. Bingham	*Lawrence H. Lee	*John I. Lyons	*John I. Lyons	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1911	*Lawrence H. Lee	*Lawrence H. Lee	*John I. Lyons	*John I. Lyons	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1912	*John B. Lyons	*John B. Lyons	*John I. Lyons	*John I. Lyons	*William Henry Dingley	*George A. Beauchamp
1913	*Albert E. Face	*Albert E. Face	*Norman Gunn	*Norman Gunn	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1914	*Norman Gunn	*Norman Gunn	*William Walter Ransom	*William Walter Ransom	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1915	*William Walter Ransom	*William Walter Ransom	*John F. Reese	*John F. Reese	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1916	*John F. Reese	*John F. Reese	*Joseph Dixon Matlock	*Joseph Dixon Matlock	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1917	*Henry F. Reese	*Henry F. Reese	*William T. Ward	*Robert T. Ward	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1918	*Joseph Dixon Matlock	*Joseph Dixon Matlock	*Robert T. Ward	*Robert T. Ward	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1919	*John Philip Melvin	*William L. Lee	*Robert T. Ward	*Jacob Bley	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp

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1920	*William L. Lee	*Robert T. Ward	*Jacob Bicy	*Joseph Leon Gunter	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1921	*Robert T. Ward	*Jacob Bicy	*Joseph Leon Gunter	*Charles A.L. Johnstone	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1922	*Jacob Bicy	*Joseph Leon Gunter	*Charles A.L. Johnstone	*John B. Betha	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1923	*Joseph Leon Gunter	*Charles A.L. Johnstone	*John B. Betha	*Siddons Stollenwerk	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1924	*Charles A.L. Johnstone	*John B. Betha	*Siddons Stollenwerk	*Leonidas W. Kolb	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1925	*John B. Betha	*Siddons Stollenwerk	*Leonidas W. Kolb	*Wooley Fennel	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1926	*Siddons Stollenwerk	*Leonidas W. Kolb	*Wooley Fennel	*James M. Frazer	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1927	*Leonidas W. Kolb	*Wooley Fennel	*James M. Frazer	*Julian F. Spearman	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1928	*Wooley Fennel	*James M. Frazer	*Julian F. Spearman	*Charles O. Rolfe	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1929	*James M. Frazer	*Julian F. Spearman	*Charles O. Rolfe	*William H. Stewart	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1930	*Julian F. Spearman	*Charles O. Rolfe	*William H. Stewart	*James J. Douglas	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1931	*Charles O. Rolfe	*William H. Stewart	*James J. Douglas	*Edward Houston Willis	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1932	*William H. Stewart	*James J. Douglas	*Edward Houston Willis	*Elmer Lee Moss	*John Wilson Terry	*George A. Beauchamp
1933	*James J. Douglas	*Edward Houston Willis	*Elmer Lee Moss	*Walter Smith	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1934	*Edward Houston Willis	*Elmer Lee Moss	*Walter Smith	*Henry C. McGee	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1935	*Elmer Lee Moss	*Walter Smith	*Henry C. McGee	*Roscoe O. Fleming	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1936	*Walter Smith	*Henry C. McGee	*Roscoe O. Fleming	*William Samuel Gamble	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1937	*Henry C. McGee	*Roscoe O. Fleming	*William Samuel Gamble	*Jewell R. Hillier	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1938	*Roscoe O. Fleming	*William Samuel Gamble	*Jewell R. Hillier	*William W. Waldo	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1939	*William Samuel Gamble	*Jewell R. Hillier	*William W. Waldo	*William D. Hawkins	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1940	*Jewell R. Hillier	*William W. Waldo	*William D. Hawkins	*Newman S. Cryer	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1941	*William W. Waldo	*William D. Hawkins	*Newman S. Cryer	*Ency F. Yelding	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1942	*William D. Hawkins	*Newman S. Cryer	*Ency F. Yelding	*James M. Jones, Sr.	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1943	*William A. Hood	*Newman S. Cryer	*Ency F. Yelding	*Robert S. Wildsmith	*John Wilson Terry	*Guy T. Smith
1944	*Newman S. Cryer	*Ency F. Yelding	*Robert S. Wildsmith	*John S. Robinson	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Willis E. Glazner
1945	*Ency F. Yelding	*Robert S. Wildsmith	*John S. Robinson	*Oliver B. Hall	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1946	*Robert S. Wildsmith	*John S. Robinson	*Oliver B. Hall	*Edgar M. Guber	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1947	*John S. Robinson	*Oliver B. Hall	*Edgar M. Guber	*Veldmar A. Meadows	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1948	*Oliver B. Hall	*Edgar M. Guber	*Veldmar A. Meadows	*Emrys W. John	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1949	*Edgar M. Guber	*Veldmar A. Meadows	*Emrys W. John	*Claud Stallworth	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1950-51	*Veldmar A. Meadows	*Emrys W. John	*Claud Stallworth	*Radford H. Ellis	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1952	*Emrys W. John	*Claud Stallworth	*Radford H. Ellis	*Hoyt McClendon	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1953	*Claud Stallworth	*Radford H. Ellis	*Hoyt McClendon	*James T. Holmes	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1954	*Radford H. Ellis	*Hoyt McClendon	*James T. Holmes	*Arthur H. Dailey	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1955	*Hoyt McClendon	*James T. Holmes	*Arthur H. Dailey	*Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1956	*James T. Holmes	*Arthur H. Dailey	*Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1957	*Arthur H. Dailey	*Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Joseph R. Brown	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1958	*Samuel F. Jackson, Jr.	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Joseph R. Brown	*Lloyd D. Durden	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1959	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Joseph R. Brown	*Lloyd D. Durden	*Guss H. Gadd	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1960	*Joseph R. Brown	*Lloyd D. Durden	*Guss H. Gadd	*Troy J. Roberts	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1961	*Lloyd D. Durden	*Guss H. Gadd	*Troy J. Roberts	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1962	*Guss H. Gadd	*Troy J. Roberts	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Joseph R. Brown	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1963	*Troy J. Roberts	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Joseph R. Brown	*Lloyd D. Durden	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1964	*Charles A. Guthrie, Sr.	*Joseph R. Brown	*Lloyd D. Durden	*Guss H. Gadd	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger
1965	*Joseph R. Brown	*Lloyd D. Durden	*Guss H. Gadd	*Troy J. Roberts	*Frank Albert Gillette	*Charles H. Stubinger

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1866	Guss H. Gadd		*Troy J. Roberts	*Sidney B. Morris	*Hoyt McClendon	*Thomas W. Oliver
1867	*Sidney B. Morris		*Charles C. McCoy	*Charles C. McCoy	*Hoyt McClendon	*Thomas W. Oliver
1868	*Charles C. McCoy		*V. Nash Carmichael	*V. Nash Carmichael	*Hoyt McClendon	*Thomas W. Oliver
1870	*V. Nash Carmichael		*Chas. L. Campbell	*Chas. L. Campbell	*Hoyt McClendon	*Thomas W. Oliver
1871	*Chas. L. Campbell		McMurray L. Griffith	*Arthur C. Wilson	*Hoyt McClendon	*Thomas W. Oliver
1872	rs McMurray L. Griffith		*Arthur C. Wilson	Richard H. Clem	*Hoyt McClendon	*Thomas W. Oliver
1873	*Arthur C. Wilson		Holden B. Norwood	Ray Rutledge	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1874	u Holden B. Norwood		Ray Rutledge	Fred W. Vaughan	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1875	Ray Rutledge		Fred W. Vaughan	Erskine K. Smith	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1876	Fred W. Vaughan		Erskine K. Smith	William H. Ealy	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1877	Erskine K. Smith		William H. Ealy	Gardin S. Stout	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1878	William H. Ealy		George W. Busby	W. Hollis Smitherman	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1879	George W. Busby		W. Hollis Smitherman	*Charles J. Adams	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1880	W. Hollis Smitherman		*Charles J. Adams	Sam L. Garrett	*Hoyt McClendon	Thomas W. Mann
1880	w			Sam L. Garrett	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1881	*Charles J. Adams		Sam L. Garrett	George E. Tremelling	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1882	Sam L. Garrett		George E. Tremelling	Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1883	George E. Tremelling		Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	William O. Farmer	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1884	Ray R. Morgan, Jr.		William O. Farmer	Joseph D. Brackin	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1885	William O. Farmer		Joseph D. Brackin	George L. Marshall, Jr.	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1886	Joseph D. Brackin		George L. Marshall, Jr.	Anthony J. Bolter, Jr.	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1887	George L. Marshall, Jr.		William M. Newsome, Jr.	Anthony M. Deming	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1888	William M. Newsome, Jr.		Charles R. Pate	Anthony M. Deming	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1889	Charles R. Pate		Anthony M. Deming	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1890	Anthony M. Deming		Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	Robert T. Crawford	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann

\*Denotes deceased.

- a May, 1823: A small group met in Mobile, for the purpose of forming the Grand Royal Arch Chapter in Alabama, and Grand Officers were appointed.
- b January, 1824: Regular annual convocation, and at the same time henceforward until otherwise noted.
- c June: There being no convocation in January, the Grand Chapter being declared irregular by the General Grand Chapter, it was therefore re-organized in June, 1827, and a new constitution adopted.
- d December: At this time annual convocations were changed to July.
- e July: In accordance with previous order, and at same time henceforward until otherwise noted.
- f No election, the Grand Chapter having "adjourned" on the evening of July 14th, until the next evening; but it did not convene again, the members having dispersed.
- g There had been no convocation of the Grand Chapter for upwards of seven years, in consequence, perhaps, of the Morgan excitement. In December, 1837, a few companions assembled in Tuscaloosa and re-organized by the adoption of a constitution and the election of Grand Officers. The constitution of 1837 was adopted, and the annual convocations fixed for December.
- h In 1925 the office of Deputy Grand High Priest was abolished.
- i At the Annual Convocation in December, 1944, the time of meeting was changed to the Third Monday in November.
- j At the Annual Convocation in 1946, on account of ill health, Companion John Wilson Terry was made Grand Treasurer Emeritus, and Companion Frank Albert Gillette was elected Grand Treasurer.
- k On August 4, 1947, following the death of Companion Guy T. Smith, Companion W.E. Glazner was appointed Acting Grand Secretary.
- l At the Annual Convocation, November, 1947, Companion Chas. H. Stubbinger was elected Grand Secretary.
- m At the Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter R.A.M. of Alabama held on February 14, 1956, Companion Charles H. Stubinger was elected M. E. Grand High Priest, to serve in this capacity during the election of officers.
- n On June 27, 1960, following sudden death of Companion Charles H. Stubinger, Companion Thomas L. Cochran was appointed acting Grand Secretary.
- o On September 16, 1960, following resignation of Companion Thomas L. Cochran, Companion Gordon L. Evatt was appointed Grand Secretary.
- p On December 1, 1960, Companion Varna A. Rushton was appointed Grand Secretary to succeed Companion Gordon L. Evatt, resigned.
- q Grand York Rite office moved from Montgomery to Birmingham after election of Thomas W. Oliver as Grand Secretary.
- r At Annual Convocation, February, 1973, Thomas W. Mann was elected Grand Secretary. Thomas W. Oliver was elected Grand Secretary Emeritus.
- s Annual Convocation date changed to last Monday in February.
- t As proof of 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.
- u On November 1, 1974, the Grand York Rite Office was moved to a new location at 3621 South 5th Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35222.
- v On October 1, 1979, the Grand York Rite Office was moved to a new location at 5504½ North 1st Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35212.
- w On May 16, 1980, James A. Kile was appointed Grand Treasurer to succeed Hoyt McClendon, resigned.
- x At Annual Convocation, February, 1981, Hoyt McClendon was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus.