

THE YORK RITE of FREEMASONRY of ALABAMA



1986



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

RECEPTION

An informal reception was held on Sunday afternoon, February 23, 1986, in the Centennial Room of the Birmingham Hilton Hotel as members and guests were registered in the lobby. Hostesses were Mrs. Becky Farmer, wife of the Most Excellent Grand High Priest, William O. Farmer; Mrs. Shirley Brackin, wife of the Most Illustrious Grand Master, Joseph D. Brackin; and Mrs. Elsie Roberts, wife of the Right Eminent Grand Commander, W. Sterling Roberts. These ladies were assisted by many other wives of Alabama Grand York Rite members.

DIVINE SERVICE

The Divine Service was held on Sunday afternoon, February 23, 1986, at the Ruhama Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama. The Right Eminent Grand Commander, W. Sterling Roberts, welcomed everyone, and Sir Knight Padgett C. Cope, Grand Prelate of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Alabama, delivered the message. Music was furnished by the church choir.

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 Heritage Ballroom of the Birmingham Hilton. The tables were beautifully decorated and a delicious dinner was served.

The Invocation was given by Companion Joe R. Bush, Grand Chaplain of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Alabama, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Most Excellent Grand High Priest, William O. Farmer, presided. He introduced the Grand Chapter Officers, their Ladies, the Past Grand High Priests, their Ladies, the Distinguished Guests of the Grand Chapter, their Ladies, and his family.

Among the Grand Chapter Guests was Companion Marvin L. Isley, General Grand King of the General Grand Chapter and personal representative of the General Grand High Priest, Dr. Walter H. Winchester.

The Grand High Priest presented the General Grand Chapter Medal of Honor Award to Companion Claude C. McGraw of East Lake Chapter No. 154.

Most Illustrious Grand Master, Joseph D. Brackin, introduced the Grand Council Officers, their Ladies, the Distinguished Guests of the Grand Council, and their Ladies. He then asked all Most Illustrious Past Grand Masters of Alabama to stand and introduce themselves and their Ladies.

Companion Hayden Carmichael, District Deputy General Grand Master and personal representative of the Most Puissant General Grand Master, announced that this year's recipient of the General Grand Council Cryptic Mason of the Year Award to be Companion Earl Pervine Woodall of Charles A. Long Council No. 94, Bessemer, Alabama. Due to the illness of Companion Woodall, this Award will be presented at a later date. The Grand Council of Alabama proudly adds Companion Woodall's name to their list of previous recipients.

Right Eminent Grand Commander, W. Sterling Roberts, introduced the Grand Commandery Officers, their Ladies, the Distinguished Guests of the Grand Commandery, their Ladies, and his family. The Grand Prelate, Dr. Padgett C. Cope, presented the Grand Commander with a Certificate of Appreciation from the Ruhama Baptist Church. Sir Knight Roberts then introduced the Right Eminent Grand Recorder of the Grand Encampment, Sir Knight Charles R. Neumann, who brought greetings from the Most Eminent Grand Master, Donald H. Smith.

Sir Knight Neumann presented Sir Knight Robert L. Byars, Jr., of Woodlawn Commandery No. 31, Birmingham, Alabama, with the Grand Encampment Knights Templar Cross of Honor Medal and Plaque for exceptional and meritorious service to the Order of Knights Templar. Sir Knight Byars accepted this

honor with a word of thanks, and his name is duly recorded with former recipients of this coveted award.

The Grand Commander then introduced the Past Grand Commanders and their Ladies.

The Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Alabama, Brother Ralph Harris Henderson, was introduced, and he spoke a few words of welcome to everyone.

The banquet was concluded with prayer by the Grand Chaplain of the Grand Council, Companion John D. Prince, Jr.

LADIES' ENTERTAINMENT

A hospitality room was open on Monday and Tuesday where the ladies met to enjoy the elaborate array of refreshments, furnished by the ladies of the Alabama Grand York Rite, and arranged by Mrs. William O. (Becky) Farmer, Mrs. Joseph D. (Shirley) Brackin, and Mrs. W. Sterling (Elsie) Roberts.

At noon on Monday, the ladies were treated to a delicious luncheon in the Centennial Rooms at the Birmingham Hilton. They were given lovely table favors by the three hostesses, and many prizes were given those holding the lucky tickets. Mrs. James M. (Jan) Ward, wife of the Most Excellent Grand High Priest of Mississippi, gave a very inspirational talk on "He Touched Me."

On Monday evening the ladies assembled for a fun night of Bingo.

KNIGHT MASON'S

The Knight Masons of Alabama, Vulcan Council No. 22, held their third annual Ladies' Night Banquet on Monday evening, February 24, 1986, at Mills Restaurant as part of the Grand York Rite activities in Birmingham. A delicious steak dinner with all the trimmings was enjoyed by all.

The Banquet was attended by 104 Knights, their Ladies, and 26 Distinguished Guests, among whom was Knight Thomas W. Mann, P.E.C., Grand Senior Warden of Knight Masons, U.S.A.

Knight Henry R. Kelso, Excellent Chief of Vulcan Council No. 22, presided, and requested that Knight Emory J. Ferguson, P.E.C., Scribe, introduce the new members and present them with their Grand Council Certificates. Knight Robert L. Byars, Jr., P.E.C., presented a Past Excellent Chief Jewel and Certificate to Knight Arthur C. Harding.

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 FORTY-EIGHTH
ANNUAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE
GRAND COUNCIL
OF
ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS
OF
ALABAMA
HELD FEBRUARY 23-25, 1986**

**BIRMINGHAM HILTON HOTEL
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA**

Presiding 1985-1986

Joseph D. Brackin, Most Illustrious Grand Master
2102 Hardwick Drive, Dothan, Alabama 36303

Thomas W. Mann, Illustrious Grand Recorder
P.O. Box 2822-A, Birmingham, Alabama 35212-0222

Elected 1986-1987

Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., Most Illustrious Grand Master
Route 2, Box 51, Piedmont, Alabama 36272

**PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH
ANNUAL ASSEMBLY
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GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS
OF ALABAMA**

The One Hundred and Forty-Eighth Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama was declared open by the Most Illustrious Grand Master, Joseph D. Brackin. This Annual Assembly was held in the "Heritage" Ballroom of the Birmingham Hilton Hotel, Birmingham, Alabama, on February 23-25, 1986. The Illustrious Grand Chaplain, Rev. John D. Prince, Jr., was asked to lead the Assembly in prayer.

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

Companion Joseph D. Brackin	<i>Grand Master</i>
Companion Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	<i>Deputy Grand Master</i>
Companion William H. Ealy	<i>Grand Principal Conductor of the Work</i>
Companion James A. Kile	<i>Grand Treasurer</i>
Companion Thomas W. Mann	<i>Grand Recorder</i>
Companion John D. Prince, Jr.	<i>Grand Chaplain</i>
Companion Brent R. Haller	<i>Grand Captain of the Guard</i>
Companion Sam L. Garrett	<i>Grand Conductor of the Council</i>
Companion Howard T. Nelson	<i>Grand Marshal</i>
Companion Fred W. McCluskey	<i>Grand Steward</i>
Companion Jesse W. Locke	<i>Grand Sentinel</i>

All Illustrious Companions were welcomed to the Annual Assembly.

**INTRODUCTION OF
MOST ILLUSTRIOS PAST GRAND MASTERS**

The following Past Most Illustrious Grand Masters of the Grand Council of Alabama were conducted to the East, introduced, and welcomed to this Grand Assembly:

Emrys W. John, 1959-60	Fred W. Vaughan, 1978-79
Milton L. Fegenbush, 1965-66	Emory J. Ferguson, 1979-80
Ray Rutledge, 1968-69	William M. Newsome, Jr., 1980-81
Loyd D. Durden, 1974-75	Charles R. Pate, 1982-83
Clifford J. Turner, 1976-77	Clarence F. Rhea, 1984-85
Ernest L. Bishop, Sr. 1977-78	

The Most Illustrious Past Grand Masters were given the Grand Honours of Masonry.

ADDRESS OF MOST ILLUSTRIOS GRAND MASTER JOSEPH D. BRACKIN 1985-1986

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

It is indeed a pleasure to extend to each member of the Grand Council a warm, fraternal, and "down home" welcome, as we open the One Hundred and Forty-Eighth Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Alabama.

To our Distinguished Guests who have honored us by their presence, we extend the warm hospitality and fraternal greetings of our Grand Council and hope their attendance here will be both pleasant and long remembered.

I am most happy to welcome Right Illustrious Companion Hayden M. Carmichael, District Deputy General Grand Master, Southeast Region of the General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons, International, and personal representative of Most Illustrious Companion Bernard F. Mandlebaum, Most Puissant General Grand Master of the General Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, International.

In conformity to the Constitution and By-Laws of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama, Article VI, Section 1, my report is as follows:

STATE OF THE CRAFT

I was not able to visit every subordinate council in the state this year; however, I am convinced that we are not working at or enjoying our Masonry as we should. I am proud of the work that has been done in one area of our state this year. Our Rite is flourishing in northeast Alabama due to several companions making a system of visitation and shared ritualistic work a success. The rest of us should take a lesson from Anniston, Gadsden, Fort Payne, and Piedmont.

Companions, there are 61,227 Master Masons in the Grand Jurisdiction of Alabama and only 5,607 of them belonged to a Council as of December 31, 1984. The fields are deep with grain and the harvest is ready.

VISITATIONS

As I have already stated, I was not able to visit every Council in Alabama this year. I was honored to represent the Grand Council of Alabama at the Grand Assemblies of South Carolina, North Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Florida, and Kentucky. In all my travels within Alabama and to the other Grand Jurisdictions, old acquaintances were renewed and new friendships were formed. As your Illustrious Grand Master, I was well received and many honors were bestowed upon me. After eighteen years of diligent pursuit, I was honored to receive the Super Excellent Masters Degree in Brundidge Council last August.

NECROLOGY

Almighty God in his infinite love and wisdom has blessed our Grand Council line this year with good health and our ranks remain intact. Companion William H. Ealy was hospitalized awhile but is now recovered and well again. It is my sad duty to report the loss of Most Illustrious Past Grant Master, Troy J. Roberts, (1972-1973). The death angel also removed from this life 105 of our companions. Our prayers and deepest sympathy are extended to their families. Our Illustrious Grand Chaplain, John D. Prince, Jr., will have more fitting remarks in his report.

AUDIT

I authorized our Grand Recorder, Companion Thomas W. Mann, to secure the services of John E. Evans, CPA, to audit the books of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters.

DISPENSATIONS GRANTED

To receive and ballot on petitions out of statutory time:

Montgomery Council No. 3, Montgomery	March 23, 1985
Charles A. (Tubby) Long Council No. 94, Bessemer	April 17, 1985
Dothan Council No. 68, Dothan	April 20, 1985
Florence Council No. 74, Florence	April 27, 1985
Mobile Council No. 12, Mobile	May 15, 1985
East Lake Council No. 80, Birmingham	May 18, 1985
Montgomery Council No. 3, Montgomery	July 6, 1985
Phenix City Council No. 82, Phenix City	July 6, 1985
Dothan Council No. 68, Dothan	August 17, 1985
Brundidge Council No. 69, Anniston	September 19, 1985
Charles A. (Tubby) Long Council No. 94, Bessemer	October 16, 1985
Brundidge Council No. 69, Anniston	November 2, 1985
Florence Council No. 74, Florence	November 2, 1985
Tuscaloosa Council No. 4, Tuscaloosa	November 8, 1985
East Lake Council No. 80, Birmingham	November 8-9, 1985
Eureka Council No. 5, Huntsville	November 23, 1985

CONCLUSION

It has been a great honor and pleasure to serve as your Illustrious Grand Master this year. I have also been blessed by having served with Right Eminent Grand Commander, W. Sterling Roberts, and his lady, Elsie, and Most Excellent Grand High Priest, William O. Farmer, and his lady, Becky. Our travels this year have been most enjoyable.

I would like to thank the Grand Council officers and committee members who have served so well. A very special thank you to Grand Recorder, Thomas W. Mann, who has greatly helped me throughout the year. I would like to thank the Most Illustrious Past Grand Masters for their counsel and support throughout the year. Finally, I must thank my dear wife, Shirley, for all the love, understanding, time, and encouragement which she gave so freely.

Respectfully submitted,
Joseph D. Brackin,
Grand Master

Attest: Thomas W. Mann,
Grand Recorder

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

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

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

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

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

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

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

We wish to commend the Most Illustrious Grand Master on the splendid job he has done in the past year in promoting the interest of this Grand Council.

Respectfully submitted,
William M. Newsome, Jr., M.I.P.G.M., Chairman
Charles R. Pate, M.I.P.G.M.
Clarence F. Rhea, M.I.P.G.M.

Adopted.

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

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

Submitted below is the report of our financial condition at December 31, 1985:

RECEIPTS:

Dues	\$ 12,339.10
Fees	270.00
Interest Earned	2,631.13
Sale of Supplies	268.70
Sale of Banquet Tickets	441.45
Decrease in Supplies Inventory	<u>112.80</u>
Total Receipts	\$ 16,063.18

DISBURSEMENTS:

Operating Expenses	\$ 13,561.68
Purchase of Supplies for Resale	302.80
Purchase of Computer (Pro-Rata Share)	645.49
Decrease in Payroll Taxes Withheld and	
Unremitted	1.44
Decrease in Perpetual Membership Account	<u>64.52</u>
Total Disbursements	14,575.93
EXCESS OF RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS:	1,487.25
CASH ON HAND - January 1, 1985	<u>45,238.48</u>
CASH ON HAND - December 31, 1985	<u><u>\$ 46,725.73</u></u>

Cash on Hand December 31, 1985 Consists of The Following:

Petty Cash Fund	\$ 50.00
Checking Account	18,273.45
Certificates of Deposit and Savings Accounts	<u>28,402.28</u>
Total Cash on Hand-December 31, 1985	<u><u>\$ 46,725.73</u></u>

Respectfully submitted,
James A. Kile,
Treasurer

Adopted.

GRAND RECORDER'S REPORT

To the Illustrious Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama:
Companions: Herewith is my Annual Report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1985:

Membership as of January 1, 1985 5607

ADDITIONS:

Greeted	146
Affiliated	11
Reinstated	65
Adjusted	32
	+ 254
Total Gross Membership	5861

LOSSES:

Died	105
Dimitted	17
Suspended N.P.D.	228
Adjusted	55
	- 405
Total Net Membership as of December 31, 1985	5456
Loss in Membership for 1985	151
Chartered Councils	21
Councils Reporting	21
Councils under Dispensation	0

APPRECIATION

I would like to thank Companion Joseph D. Brackin, the Grand Line Officers, and the Recorders of our Subordinate Councils for the fine work they are continuing to do. I would like on behalf of our charity, The General Grand Council Benevolent Foundation, to thank the Companions in Alabama for the support they have given to this worthwhile cause. My deepest appreciation is extended to Mrs. Vikki Highfield, our office assistant, for the fine work she does for us, and for her invaluable assistance in our new Computer Program.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas W. Mann,
Grand Recorder

Adopted.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF SUBORDINATE COUNCILS

NUMBER	NAME	1/1/85 MEMBERSHIP	GREETED	AFFILIATED	REINSTATED	ADJUSTED	DIED	DIMITTED	SUSPENDED	12/31/85 MEMBERSHIP	GAIN/LOSS
3.	Montgomery	344	11	3	0	-27	1	1	15	314	-30
4.	Tuscaloosa	263	4	0	1	0	9	3	6	250	-13
5.	Eureka	299	4	1	6	0	3	2	15	290	-9
12.	Mobile	688	9	2	6	-1	13	0	29	662	-26
43.	B'Ham Metro	680	23	0	0	0	14	4	41	644	-36
56.	Gadsden	227	6	0	3	+ 1	6	0	4	227	0
68.	Dothan	225	5	1	3	0	2	1	6	225	0
69.	Brundidge	219	19	0	5	-8	4	0	6	225	+ 6
70.	Jasper	84	3	0	0	-13	0	1	0	73	-11
71.	Woodlawn	623	3	0	9	+25	13	3	30	614	-9
74.	Florence	306	17	0	10	0	8	1	14	310	+ 4
79.	Opelika	68	0	0	0	-2	3	0	0	63	-5
80.	East Lake	482	18	0	18	+5	11	1	25	486	+ 4
81.	Decatur	193	9	1	2	0	1	0	7	197	+ 4
82.	Phenix City	172	1	0	0	-1	2	0	7	163	-9
87.	Tallassee	44	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	42	-2
89.	Sylacauga	45	0	1	0	+1	1	0	4	42	-3
90.	Fort Payne	187	2	0	0	0	5	0	6	178	-9
93.	Piedmont	158	3	1	1	0	0	0	4	159	+ 1
94.	Charles A. Long	230	6	1	1	-2	4	0	9	223	-7
95.	Monroeville	70	3	0	0	-1	3	0	0	69	-1
TOTALS		5607	146	11	65	-23	105	17	228	5456	-151

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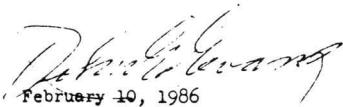
Mr. Joseph D. Brackin
Most Illustrious Grand Master
Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama
Birmingham, Alabama

I have examined the statements of assets, liabilities and fund balance of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama, Birmingham, Alabama, as of December 31, 1985 and 1984, and the related statements of revenue, expenses and changes in fund balance for the years then ended. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances.

As described in Note 1, the organization's policy is to prepare its financial statements on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements; consequently, 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 are not intended to present financial position and results of operations in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly the assets, liabilities and fund balance arising from cash transactions of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama, Birmingham, Alabama, as of December 31, 1985 and 1984, and the revenue collected and the expenses paid during the years then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1, which basis has been applied in a manner consistent with that of the preceding year.

My examinations were made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information included on schedules 1 and 2, although not considered necessary for a fair presentation of the assets, liabilities and fund balance arising from cash transactions and revenue collected and expenses paid, is presented by the organization as a supplement to the financial statements taken as a whole.


February 10, 1986

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENTS OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

	DECEMBER 31,	
	1985	1984
---ASSETS---		
Cash on Hand and in Bank	\$ 18,323.45	\$ 16,557.19
Certificates of Savings and Deposits	28,402.28	28,681.29
Inventory-Supplies for Resale (At Lower of Cost or Market)	388.28	501.08
Office Equipment	<u>3,344.06</u>	<u>2,698.57</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 50,458.07	\$ 48,438.13
 ---LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE---		
Payroll Taxes Withheld and Unremitted	\$ 169.68	\$ 171.12
Perpetual Membership	-0-	64.52
Fund Balance	<u>50,288.39</u>	<u>48,202.49</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$ 50,458.07	\$ 48,438.13

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

STATEMENTS OF REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

	FOR THE YEARS ENDED	
	DECEMBER 31, 1985	DECEMBER 31, 1984
REVENUE:		
Dues	\$ 12,339.10	\$ 12,756.40
Fees	270.00	442.30
Sale of Banquet Tickets	441.45	492.00
Sale of Supplies	<u>268.70</u>	<u>235.26</u>
Cost of Supplies Sold:		
Inventory-Beginning of Year	501.08	408.18
Add Purchases for Year	<u>190.00</u>	<u>120.82</u>
Available for Sale	691.08	529.00
Less: Inventory-End of Year	<u>388.28</u>	<u>501.08</u>
Cost of Supplies Sold	<u>302.80</u>	<u>27.92</u>
Gross Profit(Loss) on Supplies Sold	(34.10)	207.34
Interest Earned on Savings and Certificates of Deposits	<u>2,631.13</u>	<u>2,685.50</u>
TOTAL REVENUE	<u>15,647.58</u>	<u>16,583.54</u>

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

STATEMENTS OF REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - Continued:

	FOR THE YEARS ENDED	
	DECEMBER 31, 1985	DECEMBER 31, 1984
EXPENSES - Continued:		
Grand Officer Expenses:		
Allowance for Grand Officer	1,200.00	-0-
Stationery for Grand Officer	37.45	36.96
Apron and Case for Most		
Illustrious Grand Master	265.48	258.54
South East Regional York Rite		
Conference	83.34	133.00
Foreign Correspondent	-0-	-0-
Total Grand Officer Expenses	1,586.27	428.50
Grand Recorder's Office Expenses:		
Salary-Grand Recorder	1,392.00	1,392.00
Salary-Office Secretary	1,491.66	1,600.00
Allowance-Grand Treasurer	60.00	60.00
Insurance-Bonds, Fire, Theft,		
Libilities	186.80	124.70
Safe Deposit Box Rental	3.00	3.00
Payroll Taxes	359.50	170.58
Office Rental	816.00	752.00
Stationery and Printing	237.35	130.86
Repairs-Furniture, Fixtures and		
Service Contracts	64.00	71.60
Postage and Post Office Box Rental	100.43	123.01
Telephone	240.52	236.84
Annual Audit and Accounting Services	525.00	525.00
Travel Allowance-Grand Recorder	980.00	980.00
Travel Allowance-Office Secretary	134.38	150.00
Janitorial Supplies	45.31	20.34
Computer Supplies	48.83	-0-
Bank Service Charges	1.01	-0-
Total Recorder's Office Expenses	6,685.79	6,339.93
Annual Convention Expenses:		
Expenses for Distinguished Guests	419.29	665.77
Per Diem and Mileage-Grand Officers	969.32	1,233.74
Banquet and Men's Luncheon	737.71	776.38
Printing and Badges-Convention	234.49	143.09
Photographs-Convention	55.40	20.00
Ladies Luncheon	133.56	290.64
Total Annual Convention Expenses	2,549.77	3,129.62

(Expenses Continued)

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

STATEMENTS OF REVENUE, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - Concluded:

	FOR THE YEARS ENDED	
	<u>DECEMBER 31, 1985</u>	<u>DECEMBER 31, 1984</u>
EXPENSES - Continued:		
Miscellaneous:		
Per Capita Tax to General Grand Council	832.95	839.40
Memorials	79.38	30.48
Special Awards-DeMolay	300.00	200.00
Special Awards-Rainbow	300.00	200.00
Printing Annual Proceedings	1,127.52	1,002.76
Great Smokies Assembly	100.00	100.00
Contingencies	-0-	27.09
Total Miscellaneous	2,739.85	2,399.73
Triennial Reserve:		
First Three Grand Officers and Grand Recorder	-0-	200.00
Past Grand Presiding Officers	-0-	600.00
Total Triennial Reserve	-0-	800.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>13,561.68</u>	<u>13,097.78</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	<u>2,085.90</u>	<u>3,485.76</u>
FUND BALANCE - Beginning of Year	<u>48,202.49</u>	<u>44,716.73</u>
FUND BALANCE - End of Year	<u>\$ 50,288.39</u>	<u>\$ 48,202.49</u>

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

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

Your Committee on Finance offers the following report and budget for 1986 for your consideration and action. We have examined the Audit of the Grand Council books by John E. Evans, C.P.A., and recommend that it be accepted and filed. This budget has been prepared with the cooperative efforts of the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Recorder, and Grand Treasurer.

We commend the Grand Treasurer and Grand Recorder for their reports, and move the adoption of this budget.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert E. Shipp, Chairman
Robert L Byars, Jr.
George E. Tremelling

Adopted.

GRAND COUNCIL BUDGET

ITEM	BUDGET	SPENT	PROPOSED
	1985		1986
Janitorial Supplies	\$ 25.00	\$ 45.31	\$ 35.00
Payroll Taxes	210.00	359.04	400.00
Telephone	250.00	240.52	250.00
Postage & P.O. Box Rental	150.00	100.43	100.00
Contingency Fund	50.00	100.00	100.00
Grand Master's Expense	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Grand Recorder's Salary	1,392.00	1,392.00	1,500.00
Grand Treasurer's Expense	60.00	60.00	60.00
General Grand Council Per Capita Tax	1,400.00	832.95	700.00
Office Secretary's Salary	1,680.00	1,491.66	1,980.00
Printing Grand Proceedings & Leaflets	1,100.00	1,127.52	1,250.00
Printing & Badges for Convention	196.00	234.49	250.00
Stationery & Printing for Office	250.00	237.35	250.00
Audit	525.00	525.00	575.00
Office Rent	816.00	816.00	816.00
Apron & Case for Junior Past M.I. Grand Master	275.00	265.48	275.00
Insurance - Bonds, Fire, Theft, & Liability	150.00	186.80	200.00
Memorials & Gifts	100.00	79.38	100.00
Triennial Reserve (<i>First 3 Grand Officers & Grand Recorder</i>)	467.00	467.00	467.00
Triennial Reserve for M.I. Past Grand Masters. (<i>Prorated - \$400.00 Maximum each officer</i>)	667.00	667.00	133.00
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	100.00	190.00	100.00
Southeastern Regional York Rite Conference (<i>Deputy Grand Master, Grand Prince. C. W., & Grand Recorder Only - \$100.00 Maximum for each officer</i>)	235.00	83.34	235.00

Grand Recorder's			
Travel Allowance	980.00	980.00	1,180.00
Office Secretary's			
Travel Allowance	150.00	134.88	150.00
Foreign Correspondent	5.00		5.00
Great Smoky Mountains' Summer Assembly	100.00	100.00	100.00
Stationery for Presiding Grand Officer	50.00	37.45	50.00
Safety Deposit Box Rental	4.00	3.00	4.00
Repairs - Furniture & Equipment, & Service Contracts	75.00	64.00	75.00
Ladies' Luncheon (<i>Grand Assembly</i>)	150.00	133.56	150.00
Distinguished Guests (<i>2 nights' lodging</i>)	550.00	419.29	550.00
Banquet (<i>Total cost minus tickets sold</i>)	500.00	650.48	500.00
Convention Photographs	95.00	55.40	95.00
\$30.00 Per Diem (<i>2 nights</i>) and mileage (<i>Grand Officers, Past Grands, & Standing Committees only</i>)	1,500.00	991.68	1,000.00
Men's Luncheon (<i>Current Grand Line and Distinguished Guests only</i>)	200.00	87.23	200.00
Rental of Typewriters for Convention Registration			50.00
Computer Supplies		29.57	50.00
TOTAL	\$16,257.00	\$15,552.56	\$15,735.00

Adopted.

GRAND COUNCIL ROLL CALL OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

ALASKA	*W. Richmond Hammond
ARIZONA	J. Paul Gray
ARKANSAS	Ray Rutledge
BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA (Western)	Brent R. Haller
CALIFORNIA	Charles W. McDonald
COLORADO	Richard M. Slaughter
CONNECTICUT	Weldon H. Roberts
DELAWARE	George W. Busby
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	Milton L. Fegenbush
FINLAND and WALES	**D. Shelby Vaughn
FLORIDA	Joseph D. Brackin
GEORGIA	Thomas W. Mann
GERMANY (West)	Sam L. Garrett
GREECE	*William E. Fuqua
IDAHO	**Joseph E. Simpson, Sr.
ILLINOIS	**James C. Nuss
INDIANA	**James A. Williams
IOWA	Anthony M. Deming
KANSAS	J. Woodrow Smith
KENTUCKY	George W. Sorrell
LOUISIANA	**Joe D. Lee
MAINE	Paul E. Drinnon
MARYLAND	Charles J. Adams
MASSACHUSETTS	James Tesney
MICHIGAN	W. Malcolm Killingsworth
MINNESOTA	William H. Ealy
MISSISSIPPI	McMurray L. Griffith
MISSOURI	George E. Tremelling
MONTANA	Arthur C. Harding
NEBRASKA	Howard E. Hayes
NEVADA	Michael L. Jones
NEW HAMPSHIRE	Louis A. Teal
NEW JERSEY	George L. Marshall, Jr.
NEW MEXICO	*A. Clifton Edwards
NEW YORK	Emrys W. John
NORTH CAROLINA	Emory J. Ferguson
NORTH DAKOTA	Ray R. Morgan, Jr.
OHIO	Loyd D. Durden
OKLAHOMA	Charles R. Pate
ONTARIO, CANADA	Nelson Roy Williams
OREGON	Jesse D. Taylor
PENNSYLVANIA	Richard Sim Hamilton
PHILIPPINES	Calvin C. Snow
QUEBEC, CANADA (Eastern)	Jesse W. Locke
RHODE ISLAND	William M. Newsome, Jr.
SCOTLAND	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.
SOUTH CAROLINA	James A. Kile
SOUTH DAKOTA	**James E. Stutts
TENNESSEE	*Walter K. Collins
TEXAS	Erskine K. Smith
UTAH	Raymond J. Wadkins
VERMONT	Clifford J. Turner
WASHINGTON	Fred W. McCluskey
WISCONSIN	*Earl P. Woodall
WYOMING	Fred W. Vaughan

**Denotes number of consecutive years absent from Grand Assembly.*

**REGISTER OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES
FOR GRAND COUNCIL OF R & SM OF ALABAMA**

Grand Council	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
Alaska	W. Richmond Hammond	1204 Walmond Street	Bobby H. Hood	Kodiak
Arizona	J. Paul Gray	Gadsden 35901 1106 Rainbow Circle	David H. Rodgers	Phoenix
Arkansas	Ray Rutledge	Anniston, 36201 Route 11, Box 342	Thomas A. Booth	Little Rock
British Columbia,	Brent R. Haller	Jasper, 35501 5767 Ziegler Blvd.	William H. Young	West Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada (Western)
California	Charles W. McDonald	Mobile, 36608 615 Morgan Avenue	Woodson Adams	Riverside
Colorado	Richard M. Slaughter	Mobile, 36606 3108 Heather Hill Road	Stewart A. Barnum	Denver
Connecticut	Weldon H. Roberts	Huntsville, 35802 P.O. Box 67	Herbert H.N. Bachelder	Uncasville
Delaware	George W. Bushy	Piedmont, 36272 3035 Statton Drive	Thomas C. Jones	Wilmington
District of Columbia	Milton L. Fegenbush	Montgomery, 36111 828 South 80th Street	William P. Jacobs, Jr.	Washington
England and Wales	D. Shelby Vaughn	Birmingham, 35206 2606 Bonita Circle, S.W.	Richard Tydeman	London, England
Florida	Joseph D. Brackin	Huntsville, 35801 2101 Hardwick Drive	James D. Banketas	Fort Pierce
Georgia	Thomas W. Mann	Dothan, 36303 354 Sun Valley Circle	Horace E. Kidd	Marietta
Germany	Sam L. Garrett	Birmingham, 35215 1402 Melanie Lane	Columbus W. Black	Berlin,
Greece	William E. Fuqua	Phenix City, 36867 6217 Sherwood Drive	William E. Kaloudis	West Germany Athens, Greece
		Anniston, 36206		

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FOR GRAND COUNCIL OF R & SM OF ALABAMA (Continued)**

Grand Council	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
Idaho	Joseph E. Simpson, Sr.	P.O. Box 566 Florence, 35630	Burrell G. Lirgg	Boise
Illinois	James C. Nuss	1927 Leighton Avenue	Earle W. Ludwig	Sun City
Indiana	James A. Williams	Anniston, 36201	George L. Johnson	Richmond
Iowa	Anthony M. Deming	612 Lisa Lane	Jotham E. Custer	Jefferson
Kansas	J. Woodrow Smith	Birmingham, 35206	Charles M. Talbott	Pomona
Kentucky	George W. Sorrell	P.O. Box 9857	Route 1, Box 61	Bowling Green
Louisiana	Joe D. Lee	Birmingham, 35215	Jack P. Hodges	Jacksonville, 36265
Maine	Paul E. Drimmon	1009 47th Street	Guy B. Gannaway	Birmingham, 35208
Maryland	Charles J. Adams	908 Sharpe Drive	Monroe	Birmingham, 35235-1425
Massachusetts	James Tesney	2301 Oakwood Road, N.W. Huntsville, 35810	Richard H. Cobb	Huntsville, 35810
Michigan	W. Malcolm Killingsworth	1417 - 34th Street	James D. Boggs	Westminster
Minnesota	William H. Ealy	Sheffield, 35660	Gardiner	John H. Grant
Mississippi	McMurray L. Griffith	573 - 25th Street	Quincy	Tuscaloosa, 35401
Missouri	George E. Tremelling	Dothan, 36301	Gobel's	1801 Fern Drive
Montana	Arthur C. Harding	2101 Giles Drive	Leonard G. Mathisen	Huntsville, 35811
Nebraska	Howard E. Hayes	609 Deniston Lane	Brooklyn Park	P.O. Box 31311
		Adamsville, 35005	Thomas T. Warren	Birmingham, 35222
		309 Sun Valley Road	Willard L. Paulson	Jackson
		Birmingham, 35215	Jack J. Stottlemyre	Kansas City
		540 Camellia Road	Morton P. Steyer	Omaha
		Birmingham, 35215		

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FOR GRAND COUNCIL OF R & SM OF ALABAMA (Continued)**

Grand Council	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
Nevada	Michael L. Jones	1711 Cagle Avenue, S.W.	Alan I. Taylor	Winnemucca
New Hampshire	Louis A. Teal	Decatur, 35601	Dwight V. Meader	Alton
New Jersey	George L. Marshall, Jr.	1816 Chesha Drive	Thurman C. Pace, Jr.	Westfield
New Mexico	A. Clifton Edwards	Oxford, 36203	Huntsville, 35805	Los Alamos
New York	Emrys W. John	609 Hal Street, N.W.	John R. Mendius	Fort Payne, 35967
North Carolina	Emory J. Ferguson	1406 Gault Ave., S.W.	Nick Stuffer	55116 South 10th Avenue
North Dakota	Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	Cullman, 35055	Edison D. Hipp	Birmingham, 35222
Ohio	Loyd D. Durden	P.O. Box 326	Vicente Rodriguez-Mattei	Gadsden, 35902
Oklahoma	Charles R. Pate	507 South Edgewood Drive	George F. Kuebler	Dothan, 36301
Ontario, Canada	Nelson Roy Williams	1220 Glendale Road	Thomas Pape	Anniston, 36201
Oregon	Jesse D. Taylor	Route 11, Box 454	Frederick M. Cowen	P.O. Box 1193
Pennsylvania	Richard Sim Hamilton	Gadsden, 35903	John L. Bradfield	Route 11, Box 454
Philippines	Calvin C. Snow	2302 Hamilton Drive, S.W.	Freeman Z. Frey, III	2302 Hamilton Drive, S.W.
Quebec, Canada (Eastern)	Jesse W. Locke	Decatur, 35601	Fredric L. Pendergraft	Decatur, 35601
Rhode Island	William M. Newsome, Jr.	1201 Oldwood Road	P.O. Box 22331	Phenix City, 36868-22331
		Oxford, 36203	P.O. Box 22331	Phenix City, 36868-22331
			W.J. Singleton	W.J. Singleton
			Greene H. Gardner, Jr.	1600 - 45th Street
				Phenix City, 36867

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FOR GRAND COUNCIL OF R & SM OF ALABAMA (Continued)**

Grand Council	Representative From	Address and Town	Representative to	Town
Scotland	Ernest L. Bishop, Sr.	3110 East 18th Avenue Sheffield, 35660	Charles A. McLees	Greer
South Carolina	James A. Kile	200-18th Avenue, NW Birmingham, 35215	Andrew W. Potter	Pierre
South Dakota	James E. Stutts	612 East Pasadena Avenue	David H. Vaughn	Memphis
Tennessee	Walter K. Collins	708 Crescent Ridge Road	Irondale, 35210	Carthage
Texas	Erskine K. Smith	1835 Cheaha Drive	M. C. Bowen	Oxford, 36203
Utah	Raymond J. Wadkins	3416 Ridgedell Circle	Raymon F. White	Ogden
Vermont	Clifford J. Turner	Route 5, Box 187	Ivers N. Keniston	Brattleboro
Washington	Fred W. McCluskey	Gadsden, 35903	Donald W. Beeman	Spokane
Wisconsin	Earl P. Woodall	P.O. Box 563	Tyler Loop Road Pinson, 35126	Hueytown, 35023
Wyoming	Fred W. Vaughan	Route 13, Box 82, Gadsden, 35901	107 Honeyuckle Street	Danford L. Jesse
			108 Harwood Drive,	Port Washington Harlan N. Tulley
				Sheridan

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION

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

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

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

There are 21 Subordinate Councils which comprise the Grand Council of Alabama, and of these, 19 Councils are registered with this Committee for this 148th Annual Assembly. The 2 Councils not represented are:

Opelika No. 79 Not Represented 1 year
 Tallassee No. 87 Not Represented 1 year

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

TOTAL OFFICERS OR PROXIES PRESENT	52
TOTAL PAST THRICE ILLUSTRIOS MASTERS	97
TOTAL QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THIS ASSEMBLY	149

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

Respectfully submitted,
 James C. Presnell, Chairman
 Maurice M. Chastain

Adopted.

GRAND COUNCIL OF ROYAL AND SELECT MASTERS OF ALABAMA

Thrice Illustrious Masters, Deputy Illustrious Masters, Principal Conductors of the Work, and/or Proxies present from Subordinate Councils:

3. Montgomery	*Luther E. Lee	T.I.M.
	Obed C. Manning	D.I.M.
	*Robert E. Clemens	P.C.W.
4. Tuscaloosa	*William S. Wiggins	T.I.M.
	Henry T. Terry	D.I.M.
	*Henry T. Terry	P.C.W.
5. Eureka	Henry B. Tyra	T.I.M.
	Doyle W. Ealy	D.I.M.
12. Mobile	*John K. McClure	T.I.M.
	William Leo Baugh, Jr.	D.I.M.
	*Brent R. Haller	P.C.W.
43. Birmingham Metro	Shirley A. Ottis	T.I.M.
	J.C. Brady	D.I.M.
	*Anthony V. Jannett	P.C.W.
56. Gadsden	Jesse D. Taylor	T.I.M.
	*Fred W. Vaughan	D.I.M.
	*Fred W. Vaughan	P.C.W.
68. Dothan	L. C. Minks	T.I.M.
	*Roger A. Simmons	D.I.M.
	*O'Day Fontenot, Jr.	P.C.W.

69. Brundidge	Calvin C. Snow James R. Barton *Calvin C. Snow	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
70. Jasper	*Ray Rutledge *Ray Rutledge *Ray Rutledge	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
71. Woodlawn	Timothy J. Burgett	T.I.M.
74. Florence	Oliver L. Moore, Jr. Edgar B. Burgess, Jr. *A. E. Blackburn	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
79. Opelika	Not Represented (<i>1 year</i>).	
80. East Lake	*Claude C. McGraw *Claude C. McGraw Joe R. Bush	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
81. Decatur	Dalton C. Aldridge Thomas F. Moebes, Jr. Ronald P. Harris	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
82. Phenix City	Gene M. Day *William M. Newsome, Jr. Lance C. Anthony	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
87. Tallassee	Not Represented (<i>1 year</i>).	
89. Sylacauga	*Charles Pitts	T.I.M.
90. Fort Payne	*Nelson R. Williams *Nelson R. Williams *Nelson R. Williams	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
93. Piedmont	*Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. *Alvin Parker *Weldon H. Roberts	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
94. Charles A. Long	Richard W. Mebius *N. C. Wilkinson *N. C. Wilkinson	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.
95. Monroeville	*Thomas Lemons *Thomas Lemons *Thomas Lemons	T.I.M. D.I.M. P.C.W.

*Denotes Proxy.

PAST THRICE ILLUSTRIOS MASTERS PRESENT:

3. Montgomery: Harry C. Denton, Robert E. Clemens, Luther E. Lee, Raymond Charles Lee, Sr., John E. Stearnes, William O. Graham.
4. Tuscaloosa: James Tesney, Luck J. Hays, Jr., Robert W. Earnhardt, William S. Wiggins.
5. Eureka: Thomas F. Craig, James L. Gossett, Paul E. Drinnon, Richard M. Slaughter, Emory J. Ferguson, George L. Marshall, Jr., William H. Ealy.
12. Mobile: Robert E. Shipp, Maurice M. Chastain, William J. Sirmon, Jr., Brent R. Haller.
43. Birmingham Metro: Henry R. Kelso, Emrys W. John, George E. Tremelling, Raymond J. Wadkins, McMurray L. Griffith, Miles S. Lee, James C. Brewer, Eugene N. Bell.
56. Gadsden: Ray R. Morgan, Jr., Fred W. Vaughan, Clarence F. Rhea, Paul L. Allen, Clifford J. Turner.
68. Dothan: James C. Presnell, W. Malcolm Killingsworth, O'Day Fontenot, Jr., Loyd D. Durden, Joseph D. Brackin, Howard T. Nelson, William D. Barr.
69. Brundidge: J. Paul Gray, Melton C. Campbell, J. Woodrow Smith, Charles R. Pate, Donald Ted Lakey, Erskine K. Smith, Louis A. Teal.

70. Jasper: Ray Rutledge.
71. Woodlawn: Thomas W. Mann, Arthur C. Harding, Fred W. McCluskey, John D. Prince, Howard E. Hayes, George W. Busby, Woodrow Mack Hewitt, W. Sterling Roberts, Donald W. Hammond, Robert L. Byars, Jr., James A. Kile, Anthony M. Deming, Robert E. Lyle.
74. Florence: James R. Bromley, Charles Terry Bray, Ernest L. Bishop, Sr., James H. Lee, A. E. Blackburn, Charles J. Adams.
79. Opelika: None.
80. East Lake: Milton L. Fegenbush, Cecil D. Rayburn, Lee M. Biddy, Joe R. Bush, William O. Farmer, Van DeWitt Bell, Jr., Thomas Milton Turner, Bernard L. Cosby, Claude C. McGraw.
81. Decatur: Bobby Ray Terry, Earl C. Clayton, Richard Sim Hamilton, Michael L. Jones, Phillip J. Sherman, Bobby C. Park.
82. Phenix City: William M. Newsome, Jr., Sam L. Garrett, William R. East, Charles L. Ingram, Sr., Jesse W. Locke, Norman H. Hutchinson, Mark H. Ward, Jr., William C. Snyder.
87. Tallassee: None.
89. Sylacauga: None.
90. Fort Payne: Nelson R. Williams.
93. Piedmont: Alvin Parker, Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.
94. Charles A. Long: N. C. Wilkinson, Robert T. Crawford.
95. Monroeville: Thomas Lemons.

REPORT ON NECROLOGY

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

During the time since our last Grand Council Meeting we have lost our Most Illustrious Past Grand Master, Troy J. Roberts, and 104 other Companions.

"Almighty Lord God, we remind You this day of our 105 Companions who have passed on into the larger and more beautiful life with Thee, especially our Past Grand Master, Troy Roberts.

Do Thou accept these, our Brothers, as they grow from strength to strength in Your Everlasting Kingdom. It is always mindful of the fact that in the communion of Your saints they remain with us, they worship with us, they hope for the Everlasting Kingdom to come to each and every Council Mason everywhere.

This we ask in Jesus' name. Amen."

Respectfully submitted,
John D. Prince, Jr.,
Grand Chaplain

Adopted.

In Memoriam

Ray Brown Hartwell

Most Illustrious Grand Master

1963 - 1964

April 19, 1905

East St. Louis, Illinois

June 28, 1985

Spanish Fort, Alabama

In Memoriam

Troy Jackson Roberts

Most Illustrious Grand Master

1972 - 1973

October 5, 1911

Macon, Georgia

December 22, 1985

Birmingham, Alabama

In Memoriam

Charles Deverne Miller

Most Illustrious Grand Master

1970 - 1971

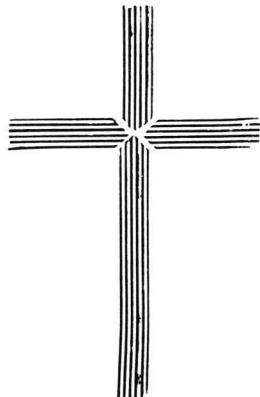
May 3, 1918

Weir, Kansas

March 17, 1986

Weir, Kansas

Inscribed to the Memory
of
Our Honored Dead
and to the
Illustrious Dead
in
Other Jurisdictions



*"Let us not think of our departed dead
As caught and encumbered in those graves of earth;
But think of death as of another birth,
As a new freedom for the wings outspread,
As a new adventure waiting on ahead,
As a new joy of more ethereal mirth,
As a new world with friends of noble worth,
Where all may taste a more immortal bread."*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE

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

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

We recommend the approval of the items in the Grand Master's Address pertaining to Dispensations granted to receive and ballot on petitions out of statutory time.

We recommend the approval of this report.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred W. Vaughan, M.I.P.G.M., Chairman
Erskine K. Smith
Clarence F. Rhea, M.I.P.G.M.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RITUALISTIC WORK

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

We, your Committee on Ritualistic Work, report that there has been no request for clarification of, or presentation of the work this past year.

Respectfully submitted,
W. Malcolm Killingsworth, Chairman
Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.
George L. Marshall, Jr.

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL BENEVOLENT FOUNDATION

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

I regret that this is only a partial report. Other Councils have contributed, but have not submitted the amounts to me.

Phenix City York Rite Bodies	\$164.00
Birmingham Metro York Rite Bodies	\$250.00
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	\$414.00

Respectfully submitted,
Sam L. Garrett, Chairman

Adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE

No report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON YOUTH

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

We, your Committee on Youth, submit the following report:

We thank the Most Illustrious Grand Master for appointing us to this Committee and for his support, as well as the monetary support from this Grand Council.

The Order of DeMolay, Order of Rainbow for Girls, and the York Rite Bodies

offer much to its members regarding good citizenship, morality, and brotherly love.

We sincerely urge all of you to assist the Order of DeMolay and Order of Rainbow for Girls in all of their endeavors to teach our young men and young ladies to become better citizens.

Respectfully submitted,
Loyd D. Durden, M.I.P.G.M., Chairman
Fred W. Vaughan, M.I.P.G.M.
Ray R. Morgan, Jr.

Adopted.

ALABAMA GRAND YORK RITE HOLDING COMPANY

To the Grand Officers, Companions, and Sir Knights of the Grand York Rite Bodies of Alabama:

We, the undersigned members of the Alabama Grand York Rite Holding Company, report the following:

On Saturday, March 9, 1985, a meeting of the Grand York Rite Holding Company was held at the Grand York Rite office for the purpose of election of officers. The results were as follows: Emory J. Ferguson, President; James A. Kile, Treasurer; and Thomas W. Mann, P.G.C., Secretary.

On April 3, 1985, the members of the Holding Company met at 5221 North 1st Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama, for the purpose of inspecting the property and a building situated on that site for possible purchase as a permanent office for the Grand York Rite.

The building under consideration was a one story brick veneer building with tiled floors, plaster walls, and a built-up roof, containing approximately 3,000 square feet of office space. The property had approximately 13,000 square feet of paved parking. The asking price of said property was \$150,000.00.

After much consideration by the Holding Company, studying very carefully all aspects of the cost of purchase, cost of utilities, the location of said property, etc., it was decided that the purchase of such, especially considering the location, was not a viable purchase for the Grand York Rite Office.

The Grand York Rite Holding Company continues to consider properties thought suitable for purchase for the Grand Offices with the hopes that at some point in time, something will emerge which can be agreed upon by all.

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

Adopted.

PROPOSAL NO. 1

Whereas: Each meeting of each York Rite Body offers much of interest and importance and fellowship, and

Whereas: Much of the business transacted in each York Rite Body duplicates that transacted in each of the other Bodies, and to conserve the time of the members, and to increase the efficiency of the work of the Bodies,

Now Therefore Be It Resolved:

That each Grand presiding officer of the three York Rite Bodies (*Chapter, Council, and Commandery*), appoint one member of a York Rite Body to a three member Business Consolidation and Simplification Committee to report to the presiding officers and to the 1987 Annual York Rite Meeting a Resolution pertaining to consolidating and simplifying the business part of the meetings of York Rite Bodies.

Presented by Clarence F. Rhea.

**General
Grand Council
Cryptic Mason
of the Year Medal**



**PRESENTATION OF THE CRYPTIC MASON OF THE YEAR
MEDAL FROM THE GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL OF
CRYPTIC MASONS, INTERNATIONAL**

During the Grand York Rite Banquet on Sunday night, the recipient of this year's Cryptic Mason of the Year Award in Alabama was announced to be Companion Earl Pervine Woodall, Charles A. Long Council No. 94. Due to his illness the presentation will be made at a later date.

RECIPIENTS IN ALABAMA OF THE CRYPTIC AWARD

*Charles A. Guthrie	1975
William Hollis Arnold	1976
Roy L. Wood	1977
Joseph E. Simpson, Sr.	1978
*Guin O'Neal McKinney	1979
*James M. Christopher, Sr.	1980
Jesse W. Locke	1981
Weldon H. Roberts	1982
James C. Nuss	1983
Joseph P. Jones	1984
Wayne Richmond Hammond	1985
Earl Pervine Woodall	1986

REMARKS OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

Most Illustrious Companion James E. Underwood, Most Illustrious Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Georgia; Most Illustrious Companion Forrest R. Pugh, III, Most Illustrious Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of North Carolina; Most Illustrious Companion Wilson C. Hardee, Most Illustrious Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of South Carolina; Most Illustrious Companion David R. Dunaway, Most Illustrious Past Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Kentucky; Illustrious Companion George W. Romanstine, Illustrious Grand Recorder of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of South Carolina; Illustrious Companion Hayden M. Carmichael, Deputy General Grand Master of Cryptic Masons, International, Southeast Region, all made a few remarks and expressed appreciation for the courtesies that were shown them.

MINUTES OF LAST ASSEMBLY

It was moved that the minutes as published in the Proceedings of 1985, be accepted as the minutes, and that they be approved as printed.

Motion seconded and carried.

GRAND COUNCIL OF R & SM ASSEMBLY - 1987

Companion Robert L. Byars, Jr., moved that the next Annual Assembly be held in Birmingham, Alabama, February 22-24, 1987.

Motion seconded and carried.

ELECTION OF GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 1986-1987

At the conclusion of the business session, the Grand Council proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year. All the officers, except the Illustrious Grand Steward, were elected by acclamation. Each officer was advanced one station with the exception of the Illustrious Grand Treasurer and the Illustrious Grand Recorder, who shall remain in their stations.

Companion Erskine K. Smith, of Brundidge Council No. 69, Anniston, was elected by secret ballot to the station of Illustrious Grand Steward, and he accepted his election.

This Grand Council was concluded with prayer to reconvene at noon Tuesday, February 25, 1986, for the installation of the Grand Officers.

INSTALLATION OF GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 1986-1987

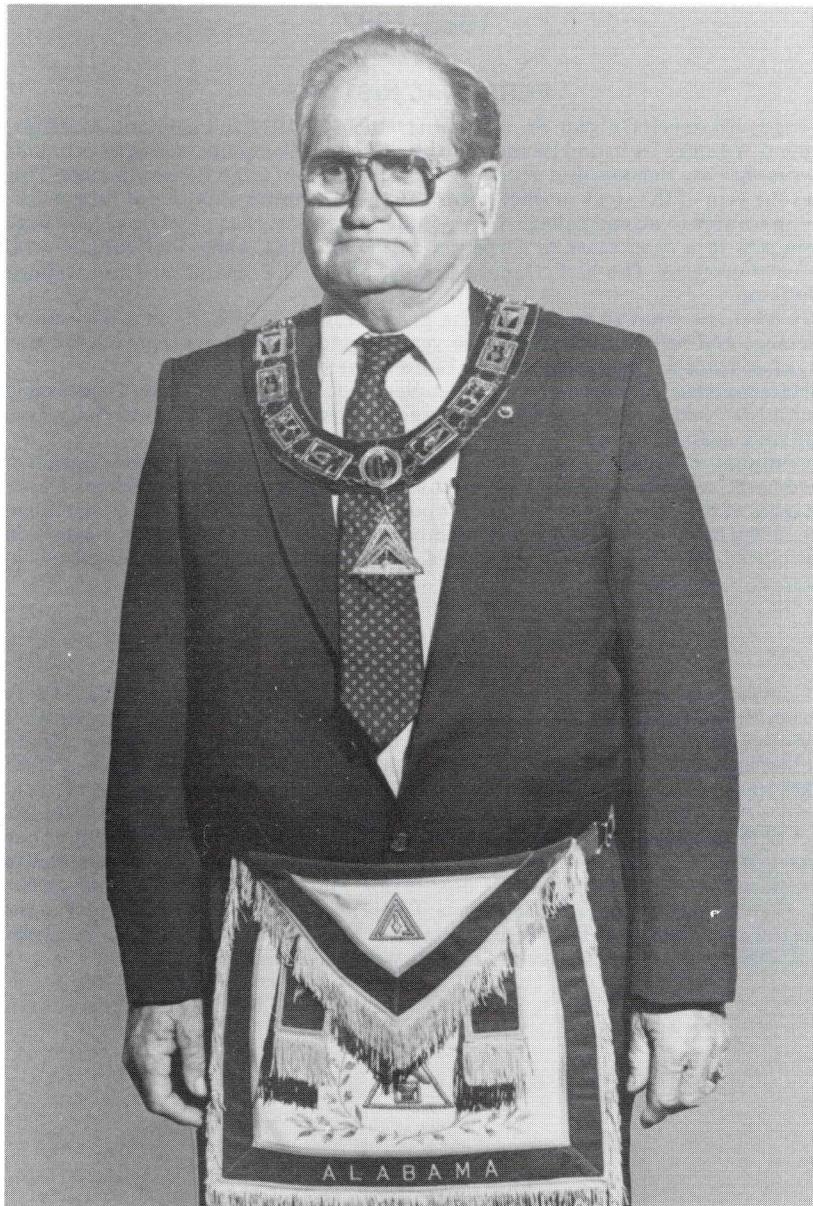
At the conclusion of the Grand Chapter, Grand Council, and Grand Commandery annual business sessions on Tuesday, February 25, 1986, at an open meeting, the incoming Grand Council Officers were duly installed by Companion Fred W. Vaughan, Most Illustrious Past Grand Master. Companion Charles R. Pate, Most Illustrious Past Grand Master, served as installing Grand Marshal.

Most Illustrious Grand Master, Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., was invested with the jewel and apron of his office by his wife, Agnes.

Most Illustrious Grand Master Grogan presented Companion Brackin with a Past Grand Master's certificate and billfold card from the Grand Council of Alabama.

The 148th Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Alabama was declared closed by the Most Illustrious Grand Master, Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. The Grand Chaplain, Companion J. Paul Gray, gave the benediction.

Attest: Thomas W. Mann,
Grand Recorder



TEDDY R. GROGAN, SR.
Most Illustrious Grand Master
1986-1987

TEDDY R. GROGAN, SR.*Most Illustrious Grand Master*

1986-1987

PERSONAL HISTORY

Teddy Roosevelt Grogan, Sr., was born October 19, 1912, in Piedmont, Alabama, the son of James Irvin and Beulah Buttram Grogan. Companion Grogan attended Piedmont City Schools and graduated from Piedmont High School in 1929. This was the year of the stock market crash and the beginning of the great depression. Being unable to attend college, Companion Grogan worked at various jobs from soda jerk in a drug store to carpenter in the building trade, including several defense projects, The E. I. Dupont Powder and T.N.T. plants at Childersburg, Alabama.

In 1941, he went to work with the Seaboard Air Line R.R. as a locomotive fireman, and retired after thirty-five years service as a locomotive fireman and engineer from the Seaboard Family Lines System.

He is married to the former Agnes Coogler, and they have two sons, Thomas and Teddy, Jr., and three daughters, Vagirnia Fayrene, Judith Ann, and Betty Lou, and nine grandchildren.

Companion Grogan is an active member of First United Methodist Church of Piedmont, an associate teacher of the Frank Wofford Sunday School Class, member of the Adult Choir, and for the past three years has served as chairman of the Board of Trustees. He is also a member of the Finance Committee, Council on Ministries, The Administrative Board, and Lay Delegate to the Annual Conference.

MASONIC HISTORY

Companion Grogan's Masonic affiliation began when he was initiated into Lozahatchee Lodge No. 97 on December 2, 1948. He was passed to the degree of Fellowcraft on December 16th, and raised to the Sublime degree of Master Mason on December 23, 1948. He served Lozahatchee Lodge as Worshipful Master, 1959-1960, and has served as District Lecturer of District 10 since December, 1979.

An active York Rite Mason since 1954, and a member of Zamora Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. since 1955. He has served as principal officer of all Piedmont York Rite Bodies. He is a member of K.Y.C.H., Alabama Priory No. 31; Benjamin Franklin Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine; Monte Sano York Rite College No. 64; Council of Anointed High Priests; Order of the Silver Trowel; and Knight Crusaders of the Cross. He is also a member of Lozahatchee Chapter No. 99, Order of Eastern Star, and has served as Worthy Patron of this chapter.



GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 1986-1987

Seated left to right: Thomas W. Mann, William H. Ealy, Teddy R. Grogan, Sr. (*Most Illustrious Grand Master*), Brent R. Haller, James A. Kile.
Standing left to right: Alvin Parker, Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., Erskine K. Smith, Sam L. Garrett, J. Paul Gray, Fred W. McCluskey.

GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS FOR 1986-1987

Teddy R. Grogan, Sr., K.Y.C.H.	<i>Most Illustrious Grand Master</i>
Route 2, Box 51, Piedmont, 36272	
William H. Ealy, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Right Illustrious Deputy Grand Master</i>
2101 Giles Drive, Huntsville, 35811	
Brent R. Haller	<i>Illustrious Grand Principal Conductor of the Work</i>
5767 Ziegler Boulevard, Mobile, 36608	
James A. Kile, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Illustrious Grand Treasurer</i>
200-18th Avenue, N.W., Birmingham, 35215	
Thomas W. Mann, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Illustrious Grand Recorder</i>
P.O. Box 2822-A, Birmingham, 35212-0222	
J. Paul Gray, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Illustrious Grand Chaplain</i>
1106 Rainbow Circle, Anniston, 36201	
Sam L. Garrett, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Illustrious Grand Captain of the Guard</i>
1402 Melanie Lane, Phenix City, 36867	
Fred W. McCluskey	<i>Illustrious Grand Conductor of the Council</i>
P. O. Box 563, Tyler Loop Road, Pinson, 35126	
Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., K.Y.C.H.	<i>Illustrious Grand Marshal</i>
Route 2, Box 55, Piedmont, 36272	
Erskine K. Smith, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Illustrious Grand Steward</i>
1835 Cheaha Drive, Oxford, 36203	
Alvin Parker, K.Y.C.H.	<i>Illustrious Grand Sentinel</i>
513 North Center Avenue, Piedmont, 36272	

STANDING COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS FOR 1986-1987

CREDENTIALS AND REGISTRATION:

Weldon H. Roberts, Chairman	501 First Avenue, Piedmont, 36272
William E. Fuqua	6217 Sherwood Drive, Anniston, 36206

JURISPRUDENCE:

Fred W. Vaughan, Chairman	108 Harwood Drive, Route 13, Box 82, Gadsden, 35901
Charles R. Pate	1220 Glendale Road, Anniston, 36201
Ray Rutledge	Route 11, Box 342, Jasper, 35501

FINANCE:

Robert L. Byars, Jr., Chairman	P.O. Box 2954, Birmingham, 35212
Robert E. Shipp	3533 East Springwood Drive, Mobile, 36608
George W. Sorrell	1009 West 47th Street, Birmingham, 35208

RITUALISTIC WORK:

Charles R. Pate, Chairman	1220 Glendale Road, Anniston, 36201
W. Malcolm Killingsworth	1801 Fern Drive, Dothan, 36301
N. C. Wilkinson	3103 Warrior River Road, Hueytown, 35023

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE:

James R. Bromley	2127 Norwood Blvd., Florence, 35630
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SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS:

Clarence F. Rhea, Chairman 2104 Scenic Drive, Gadsden, 35901
Clifford J. Turner Route 5, Box 187, Gadsden, 35903
Erskine K. Smith 1835 Cheaha Drive, Oxford, 36203

YOUTH:

Ray R. Morgan, Jr., Chairman P.O. Box 326, Gadsden, 35902
Fred W. Vaughan 108 Harwood Drive, Route 13, Box 82, Gadsden, 35901
Loyd D. Durden 507 South Edgewood Drive, Dothan, 36301

NECROLOGY:

J. Paul Gray 1106 Rainbow Circle, Anniston, 36201

GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL BENEVOLENT FOUNDATION:

James R. Barton 1027 Creek Trail, Anniston, 36206

**REGISTER OF SUBORDINATE COUNCILS
UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND COUNCIL OF ALABAMA — JUNE, 1985-JUNE, 1986**

NO.	NAME	LOCATION	T.I. MASTER & ADDRESS	RECODER & ADDRESS	ASSEMBLY DATES
3.	Montgomery	Montgomery	Dubert U. Stroud, Jr. Route 3, Box 282	Charles C. McCoy P.O. Box 6077	Montgomery, 36101-0077 1st Thursday
4.	Tuscaloosa	Tuscaloosa	Paul Lenard Diehl Route 4, Box 53	George Macon Anders P.O. Box 1790	Tuscaloosa, 35401 3rd Tuesday
5.	Eureka	Huntsville	Connondale, 35453	Kenneth W. McVay P.O. Box 371	Kenneth W. McVay Huntsville, 35804 2nd Tuesday
12.	Mobile	Mobile	Henry B. Tyra, Jr. 906 Chatterton Road Huntsville, 35802	Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36608	Charles W. McDonald 615 Morgan Avenue Mobile, 36608 2nd Monday
42.	B'ham Metro	Birmingham	Shirley Alfred Otts 2722 Avenue F, Bnsley Birmingham, 35218	McMurray L. Griffith P.O. Box 31311	McMurray L. Griffith Birmingham, 35222 2nd Friday
56.	Gadsden	Gadsden	Jesse Taylor Route 11, Box 454	George R. Schnitzlein 104 Birmingham Place Gadsden, 35901	George R. Schnitzlein 104 Birmingham Place Gadsden, 35901 3rd Thursday
68.	Dothan	Dothan	L. C. Minks 607 Meadowlake Drive Ozark, 36360	O'Day Fontenot, Jr. 701 Randolph Street Dothan, 36301	O'Day Fontenot, Jr. 701 Randolph Street Dothan, 36301 3rd Thursday
69.	Brundidge	Anniston	Calvin Coolidge Snow 1201 Oldwood Road Oxford, 36203	Charles R. Pace 1220 Glendale Road Anniston, 36201	Charles R. Pace 1220 Glendale Road Anniston, 36201 3rd Thursday
70.	Jasper	Jasper	Terry Stripling Route 3, Box 277A	Ray Rutledge Route 11, Box 342	Ray Rutledge Route 11, Box 342 1st-3rd Mondays
71.	Woodlawn	Birmingham	Jasper, 35501	Robert L. Byars, Jr. P.O. Box 2954	Robert L. Byars, Jr. P.O. Box 2954 2nd Tuesday
					Birmingham, 35212 2nd Tuesday
					Mt. Olive, 35117 2nd Tuesday

REGISTER OF SUBORDINATE COUNCILS (Continued)
UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GRAND COUNCIL OF ALABAMA — JUNE, 1985-JUNE, 1986

NO.	NAME	LOCATION	T.I. MASTER & ADDRESS	RECODER & ADDRESSES	ASSEMBLY DATES
74.	Florence	Florence	Oliver Laymon Moore, Jr. Route 1, Box 283	Charles Terry Bray 176 North Prairie Street Florence, 35630	1st-3rd Tuesdays
79.	Opelika	Opelika	Lewie A. Foster 606 Lanikford Street Opelika, 36801	Floyd G. Coffield P.O. Box 287	1st Tuesday
80.	East Lake	Birmingham	Albert Evans 1780 Woodbine Circle Birmingham, 35216	Claude C. McGraw P.O. Box 4273	2nd Thursday
81.	Decatur	Decatur	Dalton C. Aldridge 1812 Enolaam Blvd., S.E. Decatur, 35601	Richard Sim Hamilton 2302 Hamilton Drive, S.W. Decatur, 35601	1st Thursday
82.	Phenix City	Phenix City	Gene M. Day Route 4, Box 7	Jesse W. Locke P.O. Box 2331	3rd Tuesday
87.	Tallassee	Tallassee	Kenzie F. McInnish 217 Godwin Road Tallassee, 36078	Phoenix City, 36868-2331 John A. Dubberley 506 James Street Tallassee, 36078	3rd Friday
89.	Sylacauga	Sylacauga	No officer list received	Charles Pitts P.O. Box 717	3rd Friday
90.	Fort Payne	Fort Payne	Gerald Knight Route 4, Box 306A Fort Payne, 35967	Sylacauga, 35150	2nd-4th Thursdays
93.	Piedmont	Piedmont	R. Lewis Green Route 3, Box 119B Piedmont, 36272	Stephen P. Burt 357-18th Street, S.W. Fort Payne, 35967	1st-3rd Thursdays
94.	Charles A. Long	Bessemer	Richard W. Mebius 4904 Bob Brill Road Bessemer, 35020	Weldon H. Roberts P.O. Box 67	4th Friday
95.	Monroeville	Monroeville	Robert Champion Route 1, Box 16 Peterman, 36471	Piedmont, 36272	2nd Thursday
				Earl P. Woodall 107 Honeystucke Street Huaytown, 35023	2nd Tuesday & 4th Friday
				Dave A. Durdan, Sr. 606 West Claiborne Monroeville, 36460	4th Friday

PROCEEDINGS OF THE THRICE ILLUSTRIOS MASTER, ORDER OF THE SILVER TROWEL

The Thirty-second annual meeting of the Thrice Illustrious Master, Order of the Silver Trowel, was held at Woodlawn Masonic Lodge No. 525, in Birmingham, Alabama, on February 24, 1986, with the following officers in their stations:

Ray R. Morgan, Jr.	<i>Thrice Illustrious Master</i>
William M. Newsome, Jr.	<i>Thrice Illustrious Senior Warden</i>
Loyd D. Durden	<i>Thrice Illustrious Junior Warden</i>
Robert L. Byars, Jr.	<i>Thrice Illustrious Recorder</i>
Richard M. Slaughter	<i>Thrice Illustrious Steward</i>
George W. Busby	<i>Thrice Illustrious Sentinel</i>

The Council was opened in short form by Thrice Illustrious Master Morgan. The regular order of business was deferred until after the candidates were elected and initiated into the Order. The following Companions were received: Timothy J. Burgett, Oliver L. Moore, Jr., Dalton C. Aldridge, L. C. Minks, David E. Smith, Teddy R. Grogan, Jr., Richard W. Mebius, Donald T. Lakey, Nelson R. Williams, and Jesse D. Taylor.

The Order was conferred by Companion Emory J. Ferguson, with Companion Joseph D. Brackin acting as King David.

The Distinguished Guests were introduced and made honorary members. The minutes were adopted as printed in the Proceedings.

The Council voted to donate \$50.00 to the General Grand Council Benevolent Foundation.

The following officers were elected and then installed by Companion James M. Ward:

William M. Newsome, Jr.	<i>Thrice Illustrious Master</i>
Loyd D. Durden	<i>Thrice Illustrious Senior Warden</i>
Richard M. Slaughter	<i>Thrice Illustrious Junior Warden</i>
Robert L. Byars, Jr.	<i>Thrice Illustrious Recorder</i>
George W. Busby	<i>Thrice Illustrious Steward</i>
Bobby Ray Terry	<i>Thrice Illustrious Sentinel</i>

The meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
William M. Newsome, Jr.,
Thrice Illustrious Master

Attest R. L. Byars, Jr.,
Thrice Illustrious Recorder

GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS, 1984-1987

Bernard F. Mandlebaum *General Grand Master*
1537 South Hickory Avenue, Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74003
James A. Kirkbride *Deputy General Grand Master*
Box 332, Red Feather Lake, Colorado 80450
Evan L. Fleming, Jr. *General Grand Principal Conductor of the Work*
1520 South Street, Vicksburg, Mississippi 39180
Royce E. Curlis *General Grand Treasurer*
233 East Fulton Street, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503
Bruce H. Hunt *General Grand Recorder*
P.O. Box 188, Kirksville, Missouri 63501

DEPUTY GENERAL GRAND MASTER, SOUTHEAST REGION

Hayden M. Carmichael 102 Herty Drive, Statesboro, Georgia 30458

PAST GENERAL GRAND MASTERS

John Harris Watts (1978-1981) P.O. Box 107, Grand Junction, Iowa 50107
Bruce H. Hunt (1981) Honorary P.O. Box 188, Kirksville, Missouri 63501
James D. Penley, Jr. (1981-1984) 365 East Jefferson Street,
York, South Carolina 29745

**36TH GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLY
ORLANDO, FLORIDA
September 19-25, 1987**

**REGISTER OF GRAND COUNCILS AND
GRAND RECORDERS OF SISTER JURISDICTIONS**

GRAND COUNCIL	GRAND RECORDER	ADDRESS
Alabama	Thomas W. Mann	P.O. Box 2822-A Birmingham, 35212-0222
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Connecticut	Russell D. Ramette	52 Arundel Avenue West Hartford, 06107
Delaware	C. Ray Scarborough	2300 South State Street Dover, 19901
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Florida	Howard P. Bennett	P.O. Box 1597 Cocoa, 32923-1597
Georgia	James Erwin Moseley	811 Mulberry Street Macon, 31298-5099
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Indiana	Marion K. Crum	P.O. Box 249 Franklin, 46131
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GRAND RECORDERS OF SISTER JURISDICTIONS (Continued)**

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Kansas	James E. Zimmerman	P.O. Box 1217 Topeka, 66601-1217
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Maine	Charles S. Brown	Masonic Temple P.O. Box 588 Belfast, 04915-0588
Maryland	William Grady Gulley	486 Williamsburg Lane Odenton, 21113
Massachusetts	Bob Rudy Homberg	Masonic Temple, Room 703 186 Tremont Street Boston, 02111-1096
Michigan	J. Bruce Eldred	221 East Wing Road Mt. Pleasant, 48858
Minnesota	Memo O. Hoen	1721 South Ramada Avenue Lakeland, 55043
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Missouri	Bruce H. Hunt	P.O. Box 188 Kirksville, 63501
Montana	Elmer L. Speer	1234 Helena Avenue Helena, 59601
Nebraska	Floyd R. McKenzie	300 East 23rd Street P.O. Box 292 Fremont, 68025-0292
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New Hampshire	Arnold M. Ashley	P.O. Box 246 Dover, 03820
New Jersey	Harold A. Peterson	Holly Lane R.R. 3, Box 279 Woodstown, 08098
New Mexico	Phil Witherspoon	P.O. Box 1375 Roswell, 88202-1375
New York	Lester G. Weinheimer, Jr.	6783 Black Road Derby, 14047
North Carolina	Kolen Flack	Masonic Temple 80 Broadway Asheville, 28801
North Dakota	Orlando V. Ellingson	2724 Valleyview Terrace Avenue Bismarck, 58501
Ohio	Charles F. McLeod	Masonic Temple 34 North 4th Street Columbus, 43215
Oklahoma	Donald J. Cink	P.O. Box 50 Medford, 73759
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Oregon	Maurice F. Roberts	31085 N.E. Canterbury Lane Sherwood, 97140

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Scotland	Thomas McFarlane,	17 Waterloo Place Edinburgh, Scotland EH1 3BG
South Carolina	George W. Romanstine	1513 Hampton Street, Suite 1-B Columbia, 29201
South Dakota	Melvin Wall	P.O. Box 425-425 Polk Street Winner, 57580
Tennessee	John R. Stracener	P.O. Box 24216 Nashville, 37202
Texas	Edward T. Bloomquist	P.O. Box 296 Waco, 76703
Utah	Ernest A. Lyon	Masonic Temple 650 East South Temple Street Salt Lake City, 84102-1189
Vermont	Clinton W. Demeritt	431 Pine Street Burlington, 05401-0431
Washington	Harry B. Warnick	6832-44th Place, N.E. Seattle, 98115
Wisconsin	Robert C. Guenther	Masonic Temple 204 Washington Avenue Oshkosh, 54901
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GENERAL GRAND COUNCIL	Bruce H. Hunt	P.O. Box 188 Kirksville, Missouri 63501

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Year	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand P.: C.: Work	Grand Treasurer	Grand Recorder
1838	George W. Creagh*	Amand P. Pfister*	John C. Hicks*	Major Cook*	T. C. Van Dyke*
1839	George W. Creagh*	Amand P. Pfister*	John C. Hicks	Major Cook*	Carter R. Harrison*
1840 a	Nathaniel W. Fletcher*	Nimrod E. Benson*	James Penn*	Major Cook*	Carter R. Harrison*
1841	Nathaniel W. Fletcher*	Amand P. Pfister*	William Hendrix*	Amand P. Pfister*	Carter R. Harrison*
1842 b	James Penn*	Nimrod E. Benson*	William Hendrix*	Amand P. Pfister*	Carter R. Harrison*
1843	James Penn*	George W. Creagh*	Lewis E. Parsons*	Amand P. Pfister*	Carter R. Harrison*
1844	James Penn*	William C. Penick*	Doric S. Ball*	Amand P. Pfister*	Carter R. Harrison*
1845	Bayor B. Baker*	James M. Brundidge*	J. McCaleb Wiley*	Nimrod E. Benson*	Carter R. Harrison*
1847	William C. Penick*	James M. Brundidge*	James M. Brundidge*	Nimrod E. Benson*	Carter R. Harrison*
1848	William C. Penick*	Thomas C. Hartwell*	James M. Brundidge*	Nimrod E. Benson*	Carter R. Harrison*
1849 c	Rufus Greene*	Thomas C. Hartwell*	James M. Brundidge*	Nimrod E. Benson*	Carter R. Harrison*
1850	Rufus Greene*	Thomas C. Hartwell*	James M. Brundidge*	Nimrod E. Benson*	Carter R. Harrison*
1851	Thomas C. Hartwell*	J. McCaleb Wiley*	James M. Brundidge*	Nimrod E. Benson*	Carter R. Harrison*
1852	William A. Ferrell*	J. McCaleb Wiley*	James M. Brundidge*	Nimrod E. Benson*	Carter R. Harrison*
1853	William P. Chilton*	J. McCaleb Wiley*	Henry S. Shelton*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1854	J. McCaleb Wiley*	Henry S. Shelton*	Henry S. Shelton*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1855	J. McCaleb Wiley*	Henry S. Shelton*	Henry S. Shelton*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1856	Henry S. Shelton*	John R. Clarke*	John R. Clarke*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1857	Henry S. Shelton*	John R. Clarke*	John R. Clarke*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1858	Henry S. Shelton*	John R. Clarke*	John R. Clarke*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1859	Rufus C. Torrey*	James B. Harrison*	James B. Harrison*	James Wilkins*	James Wilkins*
1860	James B. Harrison*	James B. Thornton*	W. P. Brashears*	W. P. Brashears*	W. P. Brashears*
1861 d	James B. Harrison*	James B. Thornton*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1862 d	James B. Harrison*	James B. Thornton*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*	Thomas Welsh*
1863 d	James B. Harrison*	Eugene V. LeVert*	William Kerr*	William E. Beard*	Hugh Parks Watson*
1864	James B. Harrison*	Eugene V. LeVert*	Eugene V. LeVert*	George D. Norris*	Hugh Parks Watson*
1865	James B. Harrison*	Eugene V. LeVert*	Eugene V. LeVert*	Joseph H. Johnson*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1866	Eugene V. LeVert*	Eugene V. LeVert*	Eugene V. LeVert*	George D. Norris*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1867	Eugene V. LeVert*	Joseph H. Johnson*	James M. Dedman*	James M. Dedman*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1868	Joseph H. Johnson*	James M. Dedman*	James M. Dedman*	Gilbert T. Deason*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1869	Robert D. Webb*	Sam Thompson*	Sam Thompson*	Edmund M. Hastings*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1870	Robert D. Webb*	Sam Thompson*	Sam Thompson*	Martin G. Slaughter*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1871	Robert D. Webb*	James M. Dedman*	James M. Dedman*	Martin G. Slaughter*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1872	Robert D. Webb*	James M. Dedman*	James M. Dedman*	Martin G. Slaughter*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1873	Robert D. Webb*	James Milton*	James Milton*	Martin G. Slaughter*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1874	Palmer J. Pillans*	James Milton*	James Milton*	Palmer J. Pillans*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1875	Palmer J. Pillans*	Benjamin F. Pope*	Benjamin F. Pope*	Palmer J. Pillans*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1876	James Milton*	Benjamin F. Pope*	Benjamin F. Pope*	Palmer J. Pillans*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1877	James Milton*	William D. Wadsworth*	William D. Wadsworth*	Lucky W. Jenkins*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1878	James Milton*	William D. Wadsworth*	William D. Wadsworth*	Lucky W. Jenkins*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1879	James Milton*	William D. Wadsworth*	William D. Wadsworth*	William W. McCollum*	Edmund M. Hastings*

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1880	William D. Wadsworth*	Lucky W. Jenkins	William W. McCollum*	William H. Dingley*	Daniel Sayre*
1881	William D. Wadsworth*	Lucky W. Jenkins*	William W. McCollum*	William H. Dingley*	Daniel Sayre*
1882	William W. McCollum*	Lucky W. Jenkins*	Benjamin F. Pope*	William H. Dingley*	Daniel Sayre*
1883	William W. McCollum*	Lucky W. Jenkins*	Benjamin F. Pope*	William H. Dingley*	Daniel Sayre*
1884	William W. McCollum*	Lucky W. Jenkins*	Benjamin F. Pope*	William H. Dingley*	Daniel Sayre*
1885	William W. McCollum*	Lucky W. Jenkins*	Benjamin F. Pope*	William H. Dingley*	Daniel Sayre*
1886 e	Benjamin F. Pope*	George F. Moore*	James T. Beck*	William H. Dingley*	Daniel Sayre*
1887	Benjamin F. Pope*	James T. Beck*	John A. McKinnon*	William H. Dingley*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1888	Benjamin F. Pope*	George F. Moore*	John A. McKinnon*	William H. Dingley*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1889	James T. Beck*	George F. Moore*	John A. McKinnon*	William H. Dingley*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1890	James T. Beck	George F. Moore*	John A. McKinnon*	William H. Dingley*	Edmund M. Hastings*
1891	George F. Moore*	George F. Moore*	John A. McKinnon*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1892	George F. Moore*	George F. Moore*	John A. McKinnon*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1893	George F. Moore*	John A. McKinnon*	John G. Smith	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1894	John A. McKinnon*	John G. Smith	Edward S. Gatchell*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1895	John G. Smith*	Edward S. Gatchell*	Oscar J. Cohen*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1896	John G. Smith	Edward S. Gatchell*	Solomon D. Bloch*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1897	Solomon D. Bloch*	George A. Beauchamp*	Robert S. Teague*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1898	Solomon D. Bloch*	George A. Beauchamp*	Robert S. Teague*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1899	George A. Beauchamp*	Robert S. Teague*	James Estale*	William H. Dingley*	H. Clay Armstrong
1900	George A. Beauchamp*	Robert S. Teague*	James Estale*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp*
1901	George A. Beauchamp*	James Estale*	Jacob D. Bloch*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp*
1902	Robert S. Teague*	James Estale*	Jacob D. Bloch*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp*
1903	Jacob D. Bloch*	Ben M. Jacobs*	John B. Lyons*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp
1904	Jacob D. Bloch*	Ben M. Jacobs*	John B. Lyons*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp
1905	Ben M. Jacobs*	John B. Lyons*	William Walter Ransom*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp
1906	John B. Lyons*	Walter Smith*	Walter Smith*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp
1907	William Walter Ransom*	Lawrence H. Lee*	Lawrence H. Lee*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp
1908	Walter Smith*	Robert L. Douglas*	Robert L. Douglas*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp
1909	Lawrence H. Lee*	John F. Jenkins*	Joseph Dixon Matlock*	William H. Dingley*	George A. Beauchamp
1910	Robert L. Douglas*	John F. Jenkins*	James C. Benson*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1911	John F. Jenkins*	Joseph Dixon Matlock*	Woolsey Fennell*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1912	John F. Jenkins*	James C. Benson*	John Philip Marvin*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1913	James C. Benson*	Woolsey Fennell*	Jacob Bley*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1914	James C. Benson*	John Philip Marvin*	John B. Berthea*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1915	Woolsey Fennell*	Jacob Bley*	Robert C. Williams*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1916	Jacob Bley*	Jacob Bley*	Louis J. Wright*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1917	Jacob B. Berthea*	Robert C. Williams*	John H. McCormick*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1918	Robert C. Williams*	Louis J. Wright*	Hartsford Lee Perry*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1919	Louis J. Wright*	John H. McCormick*	William S. Kirby*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp
1920	John H. McCormick*	Hartsford Lee Ison*	Harry C. Celly*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp

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Year	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand P.: C.: Work	Grand Treasurer	Grand Recorder
1922	William S. Kilby*	Harry C. Creelley*	Henry F. Reese*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1923	Harry C. Creely*	Henry F. Reese*	William S. Gamble*	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1924	Henry F. Reese*	William S. Gamble*	Norman Gunn *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1925	William S. Gamble*	Norman Gunn *	Robert McLeester Strong *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1926	Norman Gunn *	Robert McLeester Strong *	Robert E. Howard *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1927	Robert McLeester Strong *	Robert E. Howard *	William W. Waldo *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1928	Robert E. Howard *	Llewellyn R. Hillier *	Llewellyn R. Hillier *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1929	William W. Waldo *	Llewellyn R. Hillier *	Henry C. McGee *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1930	Llewellyn R. Hillier *	Henry C. McGee *	Bever H. Campbell *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1931	Henry C. McGee *	Bever H. Campbell *	Hort McClendon *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1932	Bryce H. Campbell *	Hort McClendon *	John P. Knott *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1933	Hort McClendon *	John P. Knott *	John Lee Cash *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1934	John Lee Cash *	Robert M. Carswell *	Robert B. Keith *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1935	Robert M. Carswell *	Robert B. Keith *	Wylie A. Gibbons *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1936	Robert B. Keith *	Clarence E. Michaels *	T. Gaines St. John *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1937	Clarence E. Michaels *	T. Gaines St. John *	William D. Hawkins *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1938	T. Gaines St. John *	William D. Hawkins *	J. McMurray Griffith *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1939	William D. Hawkins *	A. Parker Mize *	A. Parker Mize *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1940	J. McMurray Griffith *	Robert S. Wildsmith *	Robert S. Wildsmith *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1941	A. Parker Mize *	David W. W. Fuller *	David W. W. Fuller *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1942	Robert S. Wildsmith *	Elmer Lee Moss *	Elmer Lee Moss *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1943	David W. W. Fuller *	Elmer Lee Moss *	Walter F. Estes *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1944	Elmer Lee Moss *	Walter F. Estes *	Albert J. Savage *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1945	Walter F. Estes *	Albert J. Savage *	Julian F. Spearman *	John Wilson Terry*	George A. Beauchamp*
1946	Albert J. Savage *	Julian F. Spearman *	Charles D. Murphy *	Frank A. Gillette *	Willis E. Glazner
1947	Charles D. Murphy *	John Wilson *	George H. Crook *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1947 h	John Wilson *	George H. Crook *	Ralph W. Douglas *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1948	George H. Crook *	Ralph W. Douglas *	Claud Stallworth *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1949	Ralph W. Douglas *	Claud Stallworth *	Edward D. Michael *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1950	Claud Stallworth *	Edward D. Michael *	Oscar L. Ledbetter *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1951-2	Edward D. Michael *	Oscar L. Ledbetter *	Oliver B. Hall *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1953	Edward D. Michael *	Oliver B. Hall *	James M. Jones *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1954	Oscar L. Ledbetter *	James M. Jones *	Sidney G. Fullerton, Sr. *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1955	Oliver B. Hall *	Terry L. Bunts *	Charles L. Campbell *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1956	James M. Jones *	Charles H. Stuhlinger *	Emrys W. John *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1957 i	Charles H. Stuhlinger *	Terry Leon Butts *	S. Grady Fullerton, Jr. *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1958	Terry Leon Butts *	Charles L. Campbell *	Edgar McDavid Gober *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1959	Emrys W. John	S. Grady Fullerton, Jr.	Thomas Watson Love *	Frank A. Gillette *	C. H. Stubinger
1960	S. Grady Fullerton, Jr.	Edgar McDavid Gober *	Thomas Leon Cochran *		

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Year	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand P. C. Work	Grand Treasurer	Grand Recorder
1960 k	Edgar M. Gober*	Thomas Watson Love*	Ray Brown Hartwell*	Frank A. Gillette*	Gordon L. Evatt,*
1961	Edgar M. Gober*	Ray Brown Hartwell*	James T. McRae, Sr.*	Frank A. Gillette*	Varna A. Rushton
1962	Thomas Watson Love*	James T. McRae, Sr.*	M. L. Fegenbush	Gordon L. Evatt,*	Gordon L. Evatt,*
1963 m	Ray Brown Hartwell*	M. L. Fegenbush	Arthur H. Dailey	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1964	James T. McRae, Sr.*	Luther E. Stephens*	Luther E. Stephens*	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1965	M. L. Fegenbush	Arthur H. Dailey	Bay Rutledge	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1966	Arthur H. Dailey	Luther E. Stephens*	Bay Rutledge	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1967	Luther E. Stephens*	Bay Rutledge	D. Shelby Vaughn	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1968	Ray Rutledge*	D. Shelby Vaughn	Charles D. Miller*	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1969	D. Shelby Vaughn	Charles D. Miller*	McMurray L. Griffith	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1970	Charles D. Miller*	McMurray L. Griffith	Troy J. Roberts*	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1971	McMurray L. Griffith	Troy J. Roberts*	Walter K. Collins	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Oliver*
1972	Troy J. Roberts*	Loyd Durden	Loyd Durden	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Mann
1973	no Walter K. Collins	Loyd Durden	Fred J. Gentry*	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Mann
1974 p	Loyd Durden	Fred J. Gentry*	Ernest L. Bishop	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Mann
1975	Fred J. Gentry*	Clifford J. Turner	Ernest L. Bishop	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Mann
1976	Clifford J. Turner	Ernest L. Bishop	Fred W. Vaughan	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Mann
1977	Ernest L. Bishop	Fred W. Vaughan	Emory J. Ferguson	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Mann
1978	Fred W. Vaughan	Emory J. Ferguson	W. M. Newsome, Jr.	Hoyt McClelland,*	Thomas W. Mann
1979 r	Emory J. Ferguson	W. M. Newsome, Jr.	James M. Deming*	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1980	W. M. Newsome, Jr.	James M. Deming*	Charles R. Pate	James A. Kile	Thomas W. Mann
1980 s	James M. Deming*	Charles R. Pate	Earl S. West*	Clarence F. Rhea	Thomas W. Mann
1981 t	James M. Deming*	Charles R. Pate	Earl S. West*	Joseph D. Brackin	Thomas W. Mann
1982	Charles R. Pate	Earl S. West*	Clarence F. Rhea	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	Thomas W. Mann
1983	Earl S. West*	Clarence F. Rhea	Joseph D. Brackin	William H. Ealy	Thomas W. Mann
1984	Clarence F. Rhea	Joseph D. Brackin	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	Brent R. Haller	Thomas W. Mann
1985	Joseph D. Brackin	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.	William H. Ealy		
1986	Teddy R. Grogan, Sr.				

*Denotes deceased.

- a. The Grand Council did not meet in the year 1840.
- b. The Grand Council met in 1842 but neither the printed proceedings nor original records show that any officers were elected.
- c. In the year 1849 a new office was created called "Grand Thrice Illustrious," ranking next to Deputy Grand Master, but in 1872 the office was abolished. The following were elected "Grand Thrice Illustrious": In 1849, J. McCaleb Wiley; in 1850, J. McCaleb Wiley; in 1851, William P. Chilton; in 1852, William A. Taylor; in 1853, Henry S. Shelton; in 1854, Stephen Ives; in 1855, William A. Ferrell; in 1856, Joshua H. Danforth; in 1857, Lewis B. Thornton; in 1858, Rufus C. Torrey; in 1859, Lewis B. Thornton; in 1860, John A. Ledor; in 1864, E. H. Bernhard; in 1865, William Kerr; in 1866, Peige Brown; in 1867, Peige Brown; in 1868, Robert H. Erwin; in 1869, James M. Dedman; in 1870, James M. Dedman; in 1871, James M. Dedman.
- d. The Grand Council did not meet in the years 1861, 1862 and 1863.
- e. For want of a quorum, the Grand Council held no meeting in the year 1886.
- f. At the Annual Assembly in 1946, Companion John Terry, on account of ill health, was made Grand Treasurer Emeritus, and Companion Frank A. Gillette was elected Grand Treasurer.
- g. On August 4, 1947, Companion Willis E. Glazner was appointed Acting Grand Recorder following the death of Companion Guy T. Smith.
- h. At the Annual Assembly in 1947, Companion C. H. Stubinger was elected Grand Recorder.
- i. At the Annual Assembly of the Grand Council R. & S.M. of Alabama held on February 11, 1957, Companion Charles H. Stubinger was elected Most Illustrious Grand Master to serve in that capacity during the election of officers. M.I. Companion James M. Jones was elected Grand Recorder to serve for the same period of time.
- j. On June 27, 1960 following sudden death of Companion Charles H. Stubinger, Companion Thomas Leon Cochran was appointed Acting Grand Recorder.
- k. On September 16, 1960 following resignation of Companion T. L. Cochran, Companion Gordon L. Evatt, was appointed Grand Recorder.
- l. On December 1, 1960, Companion Varna A. Rushton was appointed Grand Recorder to succeed Gordon L. Evatt, resigned.
- m. Grand York Rite Office moved from Montgomery to Birmingham after election of Thomas W. Oliver as Grand Recorder.
- n. At the Annual Assembly, February, 1973, Thomas W. Mann was elected Grand Recorder. Thomas W. Oliver was elected Grand Recorder Emeritus.
- o. Annual Assembly date changed to last Monday in February.
- p. 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.
- q. On November 1, 1974, the Grand York Rite Office was moved to a new location at 3621 South 5th Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35222.
- r. On October 1, 1979, the Grand York Rite Office was moved to a new location at 5504½ North 1st Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35212.
- s. On May 16, 1980, James A Kile was appointed Grand Treasurer to succeed Hoyt McClendon, resigned.
- t. At the Annual Assembly, February, 1981, Hoyt McClendon was elected Grand Treasurer Emeritus.