The
Grand Council
of
Royal and Select Masters
of
Delaware

A. D. 1959 A. Dep. 2959

Masonic Calendar

Ancient Craft Masons commence their era with the creation of the world, calling it ANNO LUCIS (A. L.), "in the year of light."

Add 4000 years to the common era. Thus: 1959 and 4000—5959.

Scottish Rite, same as Ancient Craft, except the Jewish Chronology is used, ANNO MUNDI (A. M.), "in the year of the world."

Add 3760 years to the common era. Thus: 1959 and 3760—5719. After September add another year.

Royal Arch Masons date from the year the second temple was commenced by Zerubbabel, ANNO INVENTIONIS (A. I.), "in the year of the discovery."

Add 530 years to the common era. Thus: 1959 and 530—2489.

Royal and Select Masters date from the year in which the temple of Solomon was completed, ANNO DEPOSITIONIS (A. Dep.), "in the year of the deposit."

Add 1000 years to the common era. Thus: 1959 and 1000—2959.

Knights Templar commence their era with the organization of their order, ANNO ORDINIS (A. O.), "in the year of the order."

From the Christian era take 1118: Thus 1118 from 1959—841.

Order of High Priesthood date from the year of the blessing of Abraham, by the High Priest, Melchizedek Anno Benefactor (A. B.), "in the year of the blessing."

To the Christian era add 1913, the year of blessing. Thus: 1959 and 1913—3872.

STEPHEN E. HAMILTON
MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER 1958

RETIRING MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTER
STEPHEN E. HAMILTON

Born in Elam, Pennsylvania, on April 22, 1874, of Scotch-Irish descent; son of Joseph and Lillian Wilson Hamilton, a continuous resident of Wilmington, Delaware, since 1891. Married Ann Garland Tait, who was born in Aberdeen, Scotland; has one daughter, Mary Hamilton Winder, wife of Arthur J. Winder, attorney-at-law and Vice-President and General Counsel of Norfolk and Southern Railroad, Norfolk, Virginia and one son, Stephen E. Hamilton, Jr., attorney-at-law of Wilmington, Delaware.

Is President of Ninth Ward Savings and Loan Bank. Is Chairman of the Advisory Board of Industrial Trust Division of Wilmington Trust Company and is a Director of the Chamber of Commerce.

Is a member of First and Central Presbyterian Church. Was elected Trustee and Secretary of the Board of Trustees in 1900; was elected a member and Secretary of the New Building Committee in 1929; was elected an Honorary Life Member of the Board of Trustees in 1955.

As a Past Grand of Jefferson Lodge No. 2, Independent Order of Odd Fellows since 1899 and a member of the Grand Lodge of Delaware since 1899; a member of Crusaders Castle No. 5, Knights of the Golden Eagle, since 1899; is Past Grand Chief of Delaware and Past Supreme Chief; is a member of Lafayette Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and Past Grand Chancellor of the Grand Lodge of Delaware.

Companion Hamilton's Masonic Record is as follows:

SYMBOLIC DEGREES

DuPont Lodge No. 29, A. F. & A. M. of Delaware:

Entered	January 9, 1914
Passed	February 16, 1914
Raised	March 25, 1914
Junior Warden	1926
Senior Warden	1927
Worshipful Master	1928
Treasurer	1949

CAPITULAR DEGREES

Washington & Lafayette Chapter No. 1, R.A.M. of Delaware:

Mark Master ..... May 4, 1914
Past Master ..... September 7, 1914
Most Excellent Master ..... October 20, 1914
Rayol Arch ..... November 2, 1914
Scribe 1930
King 1931
High Priest 1932
Anointed in the Holy Order of Priesthood ..... December 30, 1931

Served the Grand Chapter, R.A.M. of Delaware:

Grand Scribe 1939
Grand King 1940
Deputy Grand High Priest 1941
Grand High Priest 1942
Grand Representative of British Columbia since 1934.

CRYPTIC DEGREES

Gunning Bedford Council No. 1, R. & S. M. of Delaware:

Royal Master ..... April 30, 1917
Select and Super Excellent Master ..... May 3, 1917
Principal Conductor of Work 1938
Deputy Master 1939
Illustrious Master 1940
Grand Representative of South Carolina since 1940.
Treasurer 1958

TEMPLAR ORDERS

St. John's Commandery No. 1 K. T. of Delaware:

Red Cross ..... May 27, 1915
Malta ..... May 27, 1915
Temple ..... May 27, 1915

ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE

Wilmington Lodge of Perfection 14° ..... September 29, 1914
Wilmington Council Princes of Jerusalem 16° ..... October 30, 1914
Wilmington Chapter of Rose Croix 18° ..... November 27, 1914
Delaware Consistory 32° ..... May 14, 1915

Is a Director of Masonic Hall Company.

Is a Past Puissant Sovereign (1953) of Delaware Conclave No. 22, Knights of the Red Cross of Constantine.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Grand Council, R. & S. M. of Delaware

The Thirty-third Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Delaware was held in the Masonic Temple, Wilmington, Delaware, on Saturday evening, January 17, 1959, at 10:00 A. M.

The Grand Council was opened in full form by Most Illustrious Grand Master Stephen E. Hamilton, assisted by the following subordinate officers:

R.˙.I.˙.Deputy Grand Master	Percy W. Gardner
R.˙.I.˙.Grand Principal Conductor of Work	Alfred E. Yeaton
M.˙.I.˙.Grand Treasurer	P.I.G.M. James Carswell
R.˙.I.˙.Grand Recorder	Alfred H. Coe
I.˙.Grand Chaplain	F. Irving Crow
I.˙.Grand Captain of the Guard	Charles E. Green
I.˙.Grand Conductor of Council	Emerson Keeler
I.˙.Grand Marshal	Willard S. Dickerson
I.˙.Grand Steward	Raymond A. Howard
I.˙.Grand Sentinel	Clarence W. Thompson

The following Past Illustrious Grand Masters were present:

Herman H. Hansen	1931-32
Calvin E. Afflerbach	1935-36
Thomas R. Saunders	1936-37
Andrew J. Bock, Jr.	1941-42
James Carswell	1948
M. Haswell Pierce	1949
Walter L. Conoway	1950
J. Ralph Carey	1952
Harry V. Holloway	1953
Irwin R. Murray	1954
Henry S. Young	1956

The following Past Illustrious Masters of Subordinate Councils were present:

Warren R. Gray	Gunning Bedford No. 1
Edward H. Naylor	Gunning Bedford No. 1
Russell C. Matchett	Gunning Bedford No. 1
Rhey Smith	Adoniram No. 2
John J. McClearnon	Adoniram No. 2
Carl Scarborough	Joppa No. 3
Wm. B. Derrickson	Joppa No. 3

Companions admitted by Courtesy, from Gunning Bedford Council No. 1:

John S. Proud
Claude P. Davidson
G. A. Peterson
Thomas B. Sweeney
G. H. Harper
Geo. W. Taylor
Cecil P. Ewing, Sr.
Archie C. Ford
E. Lyman Stewart
James R. Hanna
Powell E. Craig
William O. Wingate

From Adoniram Council No. 2:

George M. Hynson
W. Marion Smith

From Joppa Council No. 3:

Claud D. Ellis

REPORT ON CREDENTIALS

The Grand Recorder stated that he had always furnished this information to the Credentials Committee and moved that that Committee be abolished and the information furnished by the Grand Recorder as a part of his regular duties.

This motion was regularly seconded and unanimously carried.

The Grand Recorder then reported that in addition to the Grand Officers and Permanent Members of the Grand Council present at this Annual Assembly, the following officers of subordinate Councils are entitled to seats and to vote at this Annual Assembly:

GUNNING BEDFORD COUNCIL No. 1:

*Paul Yearsley ..... Illustrious Master
*Carl E. Buffington ..... Deputy Master
*Powell E. Craig ..... Principal Conductor of Work

ADONIRAM COUNCIL No. 2:

*Nathaniel D. Elliott, Jr. ..... Illustrious Master
*John G. Davis ..... Deputy Master
D. Julian Massey ..... Principal Conductor of Work

JOPPA COUNCIL No. 3:

Warren W. Edinger, Jr. ..... Illustrious Master
*Chester C. Coffin ..... Deputy Master
John D. Phillips ..... Principal Conductor of Work

*Present.

By motion this report was accepted and ordered to be recorded.

The following distinguished visitors were next introduced:

Connecticut:

Mathias A. Van Altena, M.I.G.M.
Pierson E. Dolbeare, G.H.P. of Grand Chapter.

District of Columbia:

Glenn Carson Russell, M.I.G.M.
Geo. E. Umhau, P.I.G.M.
John E. Chrisman, P.I.G.M.
Marion K. Warner, G. Steward
John Matthes, P.I.G.M.
Virgil Burner, G. Marshal
John T. Vivian, Rep. Gr. Council of Delaware
John A. Hanschmann, P.C.W., Columbia No. 3.

Louisiana:

J. Luther Jordan, P.I.G.M.

Maryland:

PGad B. Moorehouse, M.I.G.M.
Bird H. Dolby, P.I.G.M.
Cyril H. York, P.I.G.M.
Gerald E. Pine, G. P. C. of W.
Otto K. Boellner, G.D.I.M.

North Carolina:

Clifton L. Taylor, P.I.M., Charlotte No. 8

New Jersey:

Norman Schleinkofer, M.I.G.M.
John A. Rockwell, P.I.M., Van Hook No. 8
Geo. W. Grant, P.I.M., Van Hook No. 8
Franklin P. Kramer, G. Steward
Harold A. Peterson, D.I.M., Van Hook No. 8

New York:

Max V. Cote, M.I.G.M.
William Matsunaye, Past Dist. D.G.M.
Ellwood H. A. Smith, Gr. Rep. of Delaware
Edward Bartell, Chairman, Committee of Finance

Pennsylvania:

Reginald E. Woodward, P. C. of W.
Robert J. Miller, Frat. Correspondent

Rhode Island:

Harold B. Woodward, G. K. of Grand Chapter

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

To the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of the
State of Delaware:

This Grand Council is now assembled in its Thirty-third Annual Assembly. Let us in all humility give thanks to our Creator for His guidance throughout the year and acknowledge His Supreme Power and that in Him alone we all put our trust.

It is a pleasure and a high privilege to extend to each of you a most and sincere welcome, we trust you will find our proceedings interesting and instructive and that you will take an active part in our deliberations.

To our distinguished visitors from other Jurisdictions a very cordial welcome is also extended and we trust your sojourn amongst us will be most pleasant and profitable and that you will carry home with you lasting memories of friendships cemented here today. Your presence amongst us will give us an inspiration to conduct our deliberations in peace and harmony for the benefit and advancement of our beloved Order.

BROKEN TRIANGLE

The joy we have in meeting here today to meet and mingle with old acquaintances is saddened by the loss of some of our regular Companions of long standing whom we hope to meet in that precious beyond and renew the warm friendships of the past.

We are unfortunate in the loss of three Most Illustrious Past Grand Masters: Harvey W. Bentley, the first Most Illustrious Grand Master of Delaware; Cornelius E. Beatty and Harry W. Kennedy. Also Illustrious Companion William N. Hutton of Gunning Bedford Council.

> "Thou wert the morning star amongst the living,
> Ere thy fair light was fled;
> Now, having died, thou art as Hesperus,
> Giving new splendor to the dead."

In our loss we are not forgetful of our Sister Grand Jurisdictions. They, too, mourn the passing of many a faithful Companion. To them our hearts go out in respectful and understanding sympathy.

Companions, we will pause for a few moments while the Illustrious Grand Chaplain offers prayer in honor to the memory of our beloved dead.

I earnestly hope that this Annual Assembly will strengthen our love for each other and for the Fraternity we represent; that it will inspire us to enlarge our vision of the importance and value of the

principles we teach, and that it will increase our determination to make our Order an Order of influence, power and service, always satisfying the changing needs of mankind.

I trust that our actions at this Assembly will be in keeping with the Cryptic Rite teachings, and that harmony and co-operation will prevail in all our deliberations.

It has been my aim to conduct the work and business of the Craft alotted to me in accordance with my understanding of your wishes.

VISITATIONS OUT OF THE STATE

March 1, 1958—Accompanied by Past Grand Masters Henry S. Young and J. Henry McDonnell, I visited the Annual Assembly of the District of Columbia in Washington. Illustrious John T. Vivian, our Grand Representative there, took excellent care of us during our entire stay and presented us to the Grand Assembly. Most Illustrious Grand Master Glenn L. Johnson received us with the Grand Honors.

March 29, 1958—Accompanied by Past Grand Master Henry S. Young, I attended the Annual Grand Assembly of New Jersey, at Trenton. We were in charge of our Grand Representative, Illustrious Harry Jonas, who presented us to the Grand Assembly.

Most Illustrious Grand Master Jesse Schaem gave us a most cordial welcome and received us with the Grand Honors.

December 10, 1958—At the Annual Grand Assembly of the Grand Council of Maryland, at Baltimore I was most ably represented by Right Illustrious Deputy Grand Master Percy W. Gardner and Past Grand Master and Grand Representative Calvin E. Afflerbach.

Each of these Annual Assemblies were largely attended by enthusiastic Companions. Nothing was left undone to make our attendance agreeable, pleasant and enjoyable in every respect. The reports were most interesting and instructive.

December 6, 1958—Visited the newly completed Cryptic Room in the George Washington National Masonic Memorial at Alexandria, Virginia, which was dedicated February 22, 1958 and I was registered as the Most Illustrious Grand Master of Delaware. Everything in it is splendidly planned and arranged. To fully appreciate it, will require a visit in person.

VISITS WITHIN THE STATE

I found it a great pleasure to visit our Councils in the State during the year. Accompanied by members of the Staff, we were cordially received and welcomed on all occasions. It is a pleasure for me to

say that I found each and every Council alert to the importance of the task before them. On all of our visits we found true friendship, hospitality and brotherly love beautifully exemplified.

I heard no complaint of an officer failing to fulfill his full duty or of violating his installation vows.

I deem it a high honor to be associated with the devoted officers and Companions of our several Councils, in our endeavors to successfully steer Cryptic Masonry in Delaware in a course true to our lofty ideals.

STATE OF THE ORDER

The State of the Order in Delaware is good. Each Council has its plans and programs and are doing their best to interest, please and increase regular attendance and to hold and further extend its good record for the exercise of zeal, devotion and integrity in all Masonic endeavors. The Councils appear to be suitably geared for a prosperous 1959.

I am optimistic for the continuance of a permanent moderate increase in select membership and in all of the essential activities of Cryptic Masonry in Delaware. The addition of new Companions to fill vacancies always occurring in our ranks by reason of death or otherwise is just as important as any other worthwhile activity.

THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTERS' DEGREE

On March 1, 1958, I witnessed the conferring of this important degree in the City of Washington, D. C., by Illustrious Companions of the Grand Council of Maryland. I was most favorably impressed with it. Our Grand Council Committee appointed to make arrangements to confer it here at proper times will report later at this Annual Assembly.

APPOINTMENT

On March 3, 1958, I appointed Illustrious Companion Raymond A. Howard as Grand Steward.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

I commissioned the following Companions to represent our Grand Council near other Grand Councils:

Wyoming.....Ill.˙.Comp. Will A. Lee
North Carolina.....Ill.˙.Comp. James O. Thornton
Tennessee.....Ill.˙.Comp. James E. McFadin
New Hampshire.....Ill.˙.Comp. Ernest N. Brown
Georgia.....Ill.˙.Comp. C. H. Hatfield

I recommended the following Companions to represent other Grand Councils near the Grand Council of Delaware:

Utah.....Ill.˙.Comp. Carl R. Scarborough
Nevada.....Ill.˙.Comp. Sudler J. Wilson
New Jersey.....Ill.˙.Comp. Cyrus E. Clendaniel
Pennsylvania .....Ill.˙.Comp. Paul Horsey

FINANCES

Our financial position appears to be satisfactory. Since we increased our dues last year the Grand Council is not in the cramped financial condition that existed in years past.

CONCLUSION

I extend my sincere gratitude to all officers, members of Committees and Companions who assisted in the work and business of the Cryptic Rite during the past year. You have been most gracious, considerate and kind, always ready and willing to give a helping hand.

It has been a great honor and pleasure to serve you as Grand Master, and in a heart full of gratitude and deep appreciation, I thank you all.

Fraternally and zealously submitted,

STEPHEN E. HAMILTON,
M.˙.I.˙.Grand Master.

Upon motion the Grand Master's address was accepted, ordered recorded and referred to the Jurisprudence Committee.

Most Illustrious Grand Master Stephen E. Hamilton then received the P.I.G.M. previously listed as being present, and they were accorded the Grand Honors.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

Checking Account

Balance in bank January 18, 1958		$187.06
Receipts		
Gunning Bedford Council No. 1	$109.00	
Adoniram Council No. 2	36.50	
Joppa Council No. 3	110.00	255.50
Sale of Rituals		9.00
		$451.56

Disbursements

Vouchers No. 191 to 199, inclusive		$398.41
Balance in bank January 17, 1959		$ 53.15

Savings Account

Balance in bank, January 18, 1958	$225.03	
Interest credited by bank	7.88	
Balance in bank January 17, 1959		$232.91
Balance in both banks January 17, 1959		$286.06

JAMES CARSWELL,
Grand Treasurer.

Upon motion the report was accepted, ordered recorded and referred to the Finance Committee.

REPORT OF GRAND RECORDER

Balance in bank January 18, 1958		$187.06

Receipts

Gunning Bedford Council No. 1	$109.00	
Adoniram Council No. 2	36.50	
Joppa Council No. 3	110.00	
Sale of Rituals	9.00	264.50
		$451.56

Disbursements

Stationery and Postage	$ 4.98	
Dinners	32.25	
General Grand Council Dues	10.11	
Purchase of Rituals	15.00	
Flowers	6.00	
Printing Proceedings	148.18	
Post Office Box Rent	4.50	
Jewels	102.39	
Salary of Grand Recorder	75.00	398.41
Balance in bank January 17, 1959		53.15

MEMBERSHIP

	Beginning of Year	Greeted	Affiliated	Suspended	Died	Demitted	End of Year
Gunning Bedford No. 1	195	14	....	6	4	2	197
Adoniram No. 2	58	3	....	....	....	1	60
Joppa No. 3	88	1	6	....	2	....	93
Totals	341	18	6	6	6	3	350

ALFRED H. COE,
Grand Recorder.

Upon motion the report was accepted, ordered to be recorded and referred to the Finance Committee.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

Most Illustrious Grand Master Stephen E. Hamilton next received the Grand Representatives present of the various Grand Councils, R. & S. M., near the Grand Council, R. & S. M. of Delaware, and extended a cordial greeting to each of them and asked that each communicate with the Grand Council, R. & S. M., he represents, and extend to that body the felicitations of the Grand Council of R. & S. M. of Delaware.

REPORT OF MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

Since our last Grand Assembly, this Grand Council and that small group of Past Grand Masters has suffered the loss of two of its stalwarts, both of Gunning Bedford Council No. 1.

Past Most Illustrious Grand Masters Cornelius E. Beatty, who died on April 19th, 1958, and Harvey W. Bently on July 6th, 1958. Both had been active throughout their Masonic lives in York Rite Masonry, especially Cryptic Masonry. Their passing is a distinct and irreplaceable loss to the Rite.

Gunning Bedford Council No. 1 also lost P.I.M. Harry W. Kennedy, a member of the Memorial Committee, who died August 28, 1958, and Companion William H. Hutton, who died April 23rd, 1958.

Also, from Joppa Council No. 3 Companion William B. Jones, Feb. 26th, 1958, and Companion Walter L. Grier, June 24th, 1958.

We join with each of the Jurisdictions and the Companions who knew them well in paying tribute to their beloved memory.

To a beautiful garden, these friends have gone,
To the land of the perfect rest,
Their work is done, and the setting sun
Has sealed their life's long quest.
They have left our earthly garden
For a home beyond the sea,
Though they have gone, they still live on
In our garden of memory.

Zealously submitted,

J. HENRY McDONNELL
CYRUS E. CLENDANIEL

DEATHS WITHIN OUR JURISDICTION DURING THE YEAR

PAST MOST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTERS:

Cornelius E. Beatty, P.I.M., Gunning Bedford ..... April 19, 1958
Harvey W. Bentley, P.I.M., Gunning Bedford ..... July 6, 1958

GUNNING BEDFORD COUNCIL No. 1:

William H. Hutton ..... April 23, 1958
Harry W. Kennedy, P.I.M. ..... August 28, 1958

JOPPA COUNCIL No. 3:

William B. Jones ..... February 26, 1958
Walter L. Grier ..... June 24, 1958

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

We have examined the reports of the Grand Treasurer and the Grand Recorder and find them correct with a balance of $53.15 in the Checking Account and a balance of $286.06 in the Savings Account, together with per capita from subordinate Councils of $301.50, which has not yet been deposited.

ANDREW J. BOCK, JR.
HOWARD W. KLEITZ
HOWARD G. BARLOW

Upon motion the report was accepted and ordered to be recorded.

REPORT OF JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

There being no recommendations included in the report of the Most Illustrious Grand Master, the Committee has therefore no report to make.

We congratulate the Most Illustrious Grand Master on the success of his year of administrating the duties of his office and sincerely wish

for him the blessings of the Almighty for many years of happiness and continued service with his Companions and the Craft.

J. RALPH CAREY

Upon motion the report was accepted, the recommendations adopted, and ordered to be recorded.

REPORT ON THE ALBERT T. HANBY TRUST

January 17, 1959

To the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masons of Delaware:

The only item of interest in this situation is a "friendly" action pending before the Court of Chancery between the trustee—Bank of Delaware and the Board of Governors, of which I am a member, to determine certain points of legality. The trustee has a feeling that this Trust should be put into operation, but the Board of Governors feels that the Trust would be far more beneficial for the purpose for which it was established if we would wait until—

1—The Trust has more money.
2—That the farm is unencumbered by any outside influences.

There is also some question as to whether or not additional revenues might be obtained from the use of part of the farm for one purpose and the remainder of the farm as a recreational center.

These matters will be considered by the Chancellor. Therefore, the Board of Governors will be largely governed by his decisions.

WILLIAM H. CANTWELL

Upon motion the report was received and ordered to be recorded.

REPORT ON THE SUPER EXCELLENT DEGREE

January 17, 1959

To the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masons of Delaware:

There has been no activity in this Committee during the year just closed. However, there are a number of our Companions who have not received this degree and it would seem desirable that something be done during the next year to take care of this.

WILLIAH H. CANTWELL

Upon motion the report was received and ordered to be recorded.

Most Illustrious Grand Master Stephen E. Hamilton stated that the next order of business would be election of officers for the ensuing Cryptic

Year. On motion of Past Illustrious Grand Master Henry S. Young the Grand Recorder was instructed to cast a ballot for the elective Officers, as follows:

Percy W. Gardner.....M.˙.I.˙.Grand Master
Alfred E. Yeaton.....R.˙.I.˙.Deputy Grand Master
F. Irving Crow.....R.˙.I.˙.Grand Principal Conductor of Work
James Carswell.....M.˙.I.˙.Grand Treasurer
Alfred H. Coe.....R.˙.I.˙.Grand Recorder

Most Illustrious Grand Master Percy W. Gardner then announced the following appointments:

Richard M. Green.....Grand Chaplain
Charles E. Green.....Grand Captain of the Guard
Emerson Keeler.....Grand Conductor of Council
Willard S. Dickerson.....Grand Marshal
Raymond A. Howard.....Grand Steward
Clarence W. Thompson.....Grand Sentinel

The Grand Officers were installed by Past Most Illustrious Grand Master William H. Cantwell, assisted by Past Most Illustrious Grand Master Henry S. Young, acting as Marshal.

M.˙.Ill.˙.G.M. Percy W. Gardner announced the appointment of the following:

STANDING COMMITTEES 1959

JURISPRUDENCE

George E. Vandegrift
John P. LeFevre
J. Ralph Carey

SUPER EXCELLENT

William H. Cantwell
Harry V. Holloway
Charles S. Calhoon

MEMORIAL

Herman H. Hanson
Cyrus E. Clendaniel
Ralph G. Farlow

YORK RITE

James Carswell
Rhey Smith
F. Irving Crow

FINANCE

Howard W. Kleitz
Howard G. Barlow

THRICE ILLUSTRIOUS MASTER

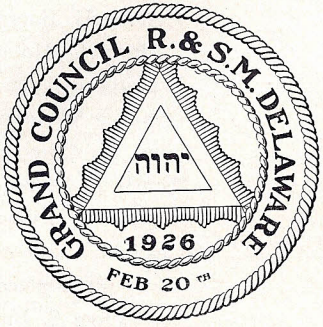
James Carswell
M. Haswell Pierce
J. Henry McDonnell

ALBERT T. HANBY TRUST — GRAND INSTRUCTOR

William H. Cantwell — Thomas R. Saunders

There being no further business to come before the Grand Council, it was closed in ample form by M.I.G.M. Percy W. Gardner at 12:30 P. M.

ATTEST:



Alfred H. Cox

Grand Recorder.

PAST ILLUSTRIOUS GRAND MASTERS

*1926-27	Harvey W. Bentley
*1927-28	Roydon L. Hammond
*1928-29	George O. Fearon
*1929-30	John McMillan
*1930-31	Cornelius E. Beatty
1931-32	Herman H. Hanson
*1932-33	Harry L. Holson
1933-34	Clarence B. Hess
*1934-35	J. Wallace Woodford
1935-36	Calvin E. Afflerbach
1936-37	Thomas R. Saunders
1937-38	John P. LeFevre
*1938-39	Marshall M. Carpenter
*1939-40	Harry W. Kennedy
1940-41	George S. Buhl
1941-42	Andrew J. Bock, Jr.
*1942-43	R. Earle Dickey
1943-44	William H. Cantwell
1944-45	Charles S. Calhoon
*1945-47	Frank B. Newell
*1947	Harry R. Craig
1948	James Carswell
1949	M. Haswell Pierce
1950	Walter L. Conoway
1951	George E. Vandegrift
1952	J. Ralph Carey
1953	Harry V. Holloway
1954	Irwin R. Murray
1955	Howard G. Barlow
1956	Henry S. Young
1957	J. Henry McDonnell
1958	Stephen E. Hamilton

*Deceased.

Prior to 1947 the Annual Assembly was always held on the first Wednesday in October. Past Illustrious Grand Master Frank B. Newell was elected to that office on October 3, 1945, and served until January 15, 1947, the first Annual Assembly that was held on the third Saturday in January.

GUNNING BEDFORD COUNCIL No. 1

WILMINGTON

Date of Charter, October 1, 1918

Stated Assembly, Fourth Wednesday of Each Month
Except June, July and August

OFFICERS

Paul Yearsley	Illustrious Master
Carl E. Buffington	Deputy Master
Powell E. Craig	Prin. Cond. of Work
William H. Cantwell, P.I.G.M.	Treasurer
James Carswell, P.I.G.M.	Recorder
Edwin Chester	Captain of the Guard
Ernest H. Martyn	Conductor of Council
Gustave A. Peterson	Steward
Clarence W. Thompson	Sentinel

PAST ILLUSTRIOUS MASTERS

*Harry J. Guthrie, 1918
*Frank B. Newell, 1919
*George E. Dickerson, 1920
*Cornelius E. Beatty, 1921
*Harvey W. Bentley, 1922
*David B. King, 1923
*Marshall M. Carpenter, 1924
*John McMillan, 1925
Clarence B. Hess, 1926
Henry M. Laws, 1927
*Harry W. Kennedy, 1928
Thomas R. Saunders, 1929
*Frank L. Harrar, 1930
*Harry R. Craig, 1931
Howard G. Barlow, 1932
Andrew J. Bock, Jr., 1933
William H. Cantwell, 1934-35
Edward H. Naylor, 1936
George E. Vandegrift, 1937
James Carswell, 1938
Paul Horsey, 1939
Stephen E. Hamilton, 1940
*John A. Baker, 1941
*Henry I. Law, 1942
Howard W. Kleitz, 1943
*James F. Mackereth, 1944
*Harry L. Skelton, 1945
Oliver P. Hewes, 1946
Russell C. Matchett, 1947
J. Irwin Shaffer, 1948
Henry S. Young, 1949
Raymond B. Phillips, 1950
Winston R. Sharpe, 1951
Alfred E. Yeaton, 1952
F. Irving Crow, 1953
John M. Johnson, 1954
Charles E. Green, 1955
Warren R. Gray, 1956-57
Raymond A. Howard, 1958

*Deceased.

MEMBERS

Abernathy, Hugh C.
Allen, Horace S., Jr.
Anderson, Leroy L.
Angell, Albert H.
Austin, William B., Jr.
Bachman, Howard K.
Baldwin, John P.
Barlow, Howard G.
Barlow, Robert G.
Bentley, Harvey W., Jr.
Bentley, James R.
Biddle, James S.
Blades, Raymond L.
Bock, Andrew J., Jr.
Bratton, Chas. O.
Bredin, James G.
Brewer, Russell P.
Brittingham, Claude A.
Buffington, Carl E.
Burt, William H.
Cann, Harold C.
Cantwell, William H.
Carswell, James
Chester, Edwin
Clavey, Vaughan
Clemo, Wm. H.
Collison, Clarence C.
Coe, Alfred H.
Coe, Richard A.
Collison, Clarence
Cooper, Hart
Coughlin, Jack C.
Craig, Powell E.
Crossan, William H.
Crossland, S. George
Crouch, Berley H.
Crouse, Jesse W.
Crow, F. Irving
Cutair, Wm. W., Sr.

Daniels, Charles E.
Davidson, Claude P.
Day, Frank H.
Deane, William C.
Dicks, J. Oscar, Jr.
Drennen, John J.
Dunlap, Thomas G.
Ewing, Cecil P.
Fairclough, Hugh
Famous, Harold A.
Feltoon, Henry
Folchman, Lawrence E.
Ford, Archie C.
Fraim, Edward T.
Galloway, Joseph C., Jr.
Gardiner, Perc. W.
Geisbert, Samuel H. T.
Goebel, Max T.
Good, J. Batten
Graesser, Elmer G.
Gray, Warren R.
Green, Charles E.
Greenstein, George
Griffin, William C.
Haefner, Theo E.
Hamilton, Stephen E.
Hammond, James R.
Hanna, James R.
Hannum, Linwood C.
Harper, Garland H.
Harris, C. B.
Haugher, Carl E. W.
Hayden, Oliver M.
Hearn, James F.
Hess, Clarence B.
Hewes, Oliver P.
Holt, Harold W.
Horsey, Paul H.
Houck, William S.
Howard, Raymond A.
Howell, Elmer S.
Hubbard, Phillip R.
Hunter, John F.
Hurter, Paul E.
Jackson, Frederick C.
Jacob, Alton H.
Jester, Lea S.
Johnson, John M.
Jones, Chester R.
Jones, Harold W.
Joyce, W. Ralph
Kerbaugh, John D.
Kleitz, Howard W.
Knight, George B.
Knisell, Edward E.
Knox, Harry H.
Kuscharsey, John
Lang, George F.
Lang, Harold V.
Laws, Henry M.
Layton, Joshua E.
Lendermann, J. Frank
Lewis, Charles W.
Lloyd, Sherman C.
Long, George S.
Loose, Harry W.
Luke, James L.
Lund, James, Jr.
Lyon, Leland
Martindale, Joseph P.
Martyn, Ernest H.
Matchett, Russell C.
Merrill, Frank O., Jr.
Mills, Howard H., Jr.
McCardell, Charles H.
McQuestin, Raymond A.
McKinley, Robert H.
Naylor, Edward H.
Nesbitt, Joseph E.
O'Donnell, Fredd T.
Ogilvie, John C.
Ostendarp, George H.
Parke, Robert, Jr.
Pelham, John D.
Peo, James
Peterson, Gustave A.
Phillips, Raymond B.
Pierce, Joseph M.
Ponsell, Francis I.
Pool, Alfred E.
Proctor, Ernest W.
Proud, John S.
Pryor, James L.
Purdy, Willard G.
Purnell, John T.
Raugh, Martin C.
Reed, J. Rowland
Revels, Robert G.
Rheuby, William P.
Rice Samuel W.
Roberson, Herman W.
Robinson, Lewis F.
Robinson, Richard W., Jr.
Romito, Virgil A.
Sanford, David D.
Saunders, Thomas R.
Schmidt, Rudolph
Scott, James H.
Searles, Carlton R.
Sentman, Ernest H.
Shaffer, J. Irwin
Sharpe, Winston R.
Sheldon, Edgar V.
Sheldon, Thomas L.
Singer, Pusey J.
Smith, Donald P.
Smith, John C.
Singer, Pusey I.
Snyder, William E.
Speel, Charles J.
Spencer, William
Stanton, Harry S.
Staats, H. Wayne
Steinle, Henry C.
Stern, Ellis E., Jr.
Stern, Oscar N.
Stewart, E. Lyman
Stewart, J. George
Stott, Wilham E.
Stradley, Harry P.
Sweeney, Thomas B.
Talley, Lewis H.
Taylor, George W.
Timmons, Leonard E.
Thompson, Clarence W.
Townsend, Ray L.
Trowill, John L.
Vandegrift, George E.
Vernon, Harold J.
Vickers, Percy
Walker, Leon
Walls, Harry B.
Walls, J. Everett
Ward, Bruce C.
Wasson, Robert E.
Weiler, Rudolph B.
Weir, Harry E.
Williams, John McK.
Williams, John W.
Willis, William O.
Wilson, Edward W.
Wilson, William R., Jr.
Wingate, Thomas V.
Wingate, William O.
Wright, Herbert H.
Yarnall, J. Preston
Yearsley, Paul
Yeaton, Alfred E.
Young, Henry S.
Yount, C. Grear

ADONIRAM COUNCIL No. 2

DOVER

Date of Charter, September 9, 1924
Stated Assembly Third Monday of Each Month
Except June, July and August

OFFICERS

Nathaniel D. Elliott, Jr.	Illustrious Master
John G. Davis	Deputy Master
D. Julian Massey	Prin. Cond. of Work
John J. McClearnan, P.I.M.	Treasurer
Percy W. Gardner, P.I.M.	Recorder
Samuel A. Wise	Captain of the Guard
Crestes J. Sevast	Conductor of Council
Russell W. Chidester	Steward
James H. Lewis	Sentinel

PAST ILLUSTRIOUS MASTERS

†Roydon L. Hammond, 1923-24-25
*Thomas R. Brown, 1926
Herman H. Hanson, 1927
*J. Wallace Woodford, 1928
John P. LeFevre, 1929-30
*Jesse H. Farlow, 1931
†Gilbert T. Chadwick, 1932
*Luther D. Shank, 1933
Robert W. Horn, 1934-35
†Charles W. Machamer, 1936-37
†Hughlet A. Golt, 1938-39
*R. Earle Dickey, 1940-41-42-43-44
Harry V. Holloway, 1945-46
*Alvin W. Tarwin, 1947
G. Preston Ward, 1948
William G. Bush, 1949
J. Henry McDonnell, 1950
Ralph G. Farlow, 1951
Percy W. Gardner, 1952
Willard S. Dickerson, 1953
Rhey Smith, 1954
Paul B. Baker, 1955
Robert E. Osborne, Jr., 1956
A. Floyd Short, 1957
John J. McClearnen, 1958

*Deceased.
†Withdrawn.

MEMBERS

Baker, Paul B.
Burke, Wm. Merritt, Sr.
Bush, Wm. G.
Carrow, Maurice W.
Chidester, Russell W.
Crawford, Henry E.
Davis, John G.
Dick, John A.
Dickerson, Willard S.
Elliott, Nathaniel D. III
Elliott, Nathaniel D., Jr.
Everett, Franklin R.
Everett, F. Reginald
Farlow, Ralph G.
Frear, J. Allen, Jr.
Gardner, M. Eugene
Gardner, Percy W.
Green, Richard M.
Hall, Daniel H.
Hall, Edward J.
Hanson, Herman H.
Harper, Charles F.
Hayes, Earl U.
Holloway, Harry V.
Horn, Robert W.
Hynson, George M.
Judd, Arthur K.
Kling, Wesley L.
Lashley, Ernest B.
LeFevre, John P.
Lewis, James H.
Little, Wilson D.
Manlove, George S.
Massey, D. Julian
Miller, Joseph P.
Mitchell, Archie T.
Mitten, Matthew E.
Moore, Floyd P. H.
McClearnen, John J.
McDaniel, Harry, III
McDonnell, J. Henry
McSherry, Harry G.
Newman, Robert W.
Nutt, Wilson H., Jr.
Osborne, Robert E., Jr.
Prickett, Clarence J.
Pugh, James E.
Raughley, Robert
Richardson, Harry A., II
Sevast, Orestes J.
Shank, Gilbert A.
Short, A. Floyd
Smith, George W.
Smith, Rhey
Smith, Wm. Marion
Tieman, Henry W.
Totterdell, Austin J., Jr.
Vandegrift, Humphrey
Ward, Preston G.
Wise, Samuel A.

JOPPA COUNCIL No. 3, GEORGETOWN, DEL.

Date of Charter, September 9, 1924
Stated Assembly, Third Tuesday of Each Month
Except July and August

OFFICERS

Warren W. Edinger, Jr.	Illustrious Master
Chester C. Coffin	Deputy Master
John D. Phillips	Prin. Cond. of Work
J. Ralph Carey, P.I.G.M.	Treasurer
Charles S. Calhoon, P.I.G.M.	Recorder
Elwood R. Hawkins	Captain of the Guard
Harry G. Conner	Conductor of Council
E. Paul Wooten	Steward
Ernest M. Rogers	Sentinel

PAST ILLUSTRIOUS MASTERS

William B. Derrickson, 1923-24
*George O. Fearon, 1925
*Harry L. Holson, 1926
*W. Frank Sharp, 1927
Calvin E. Afflerbach, 1928
Charles S. Calhoon, 1929
Harold W. T. Purnell, 1930
*John T. Carey, 1931
Walter L. Conoway, 1932
*Charles R. Cannon, 1933
George S. Buhl, 1934
James P. Pierce, 1935
M. Haswell Pierce, 1936
*K. James Hocker, 1937
George S. Grier, 1938
Frank J. Elton, 1939
William G. Gason, 1940
Walter L. Conoway, 1941-42-43
J. Ralph Carey, 1944
Emerson Keeler, 1945-46-47
Irwin R. Murray, 1948-49-50
Cyrus E. Clendaniel, 1951
Freeman R. Johnson, 1952-53-54
Sudler J. Wilson, 1955-56
Carl R. Scarborough, 1957
Herman H. Conaway, 1958

*Deceased

MEMBERS

Afflerbach, Calvin E.
Baker, James W. W.
Baker, William W.
Bennet, Asa
Berridge, John P.
Booth, William A.
Bramhall, Howard W.
Buhl, George S.
Burk, Andrew
Calhoon, Charles
Cannon, Charles R., Jr.
Carey, Alfred B.
Carey, J. Ralph
Carey, James B.
Carter, William A.
Cason, William C.
Cason, William G.
Clendaniel, Cyrus E.
Coffin, Chester C.
Conaway, Herman H.
Conner, Harry G.
Conoway, Walter L.
Conwell, H. Ernest
Dennis, Dallas A.
Derrickson, William B.
Dickerson, Frank T.
Dukes, Harry H., Jr.
Eckstorm, Edward W.
Edinger, Warren W., Jr.
Ellis, Claud D.
Ellswangler, Leslie A.
Elton, Frank J.
Foskey, Calvin W.
Foskey, Oliver J.
Gray, Vollie C.
Green, Julius C.
Green, Lester M.
Hammond, Benjamin W.
Hawkins, Elwood
Hickman, Horace J.
Hilty, George R., Jr.
Hitchens, William B.
Helson, Crawford B.
Holtzmueller, C. Donald
Horton, John S.
Hough, John D.
Hudson, Arthur R.
Jefferson, Ernest M.
Johnson, Freeman R.
Keeler, Emerson
Lenhart, Lucien T.
Lewis, Russell A.
Lofland, John, Jr.
Long, Urah W.
Maclean, Gordon K.
Marvell Nutter D.
Marvell, Nutter D., Jr.
Maull, H. Edward
Megee, L. Nelson
Moore, Harley W.
Morgan, James H.
Murray, Irwin R.
Mustard, Robert D. S.
Patterson, T. Hubbard
Phillips, John D.
Phillips, W. Harrison
Pierce, James P.
Pierce, M. Haswell
Pittard, Arthur

Pittard, G. Robert
Pittard, Joseph R.
Purnell, Harold W. T.
Rogers, Ernest M.
Rust, Manford C.
Scarborough, Carl R.
Spicer, Harvey B.
Steele, Richard B.
Stevenson, Chas. B., Jr.
Swain, Ralph L.
Swain, Reese T.
Tyndall, Joseph T.
Valerius, Harold R., Jr.
Van Cleaf, Robert E.
Wagamon, Harry C.
Walls, James F.
Warren, G. Howard
Wharton, James E.
Wheatley, Warren
Whitney, Frederick P.
Wilson, Sudler J.
Wooten, E. Paul
Wyatt, Robert K.

GRAND COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES

Near Grand Council of Delaware	*State or Province*	*Near Other Grand Councils*
Freman R. Johnson	Alabama	Wm. E. Fuqua
Oliver P. Hewes	Arizona	James T. Malott
H. H. Hanson	Arkansas	John H. Belford
*Emerson Keeler	California	Roscoe G. Hewitt
J. Ralph Carey	Colorado	Jack W. Snouffer
Clarence B. Hess	Connecticut	Frederick R. Coles
James Carswell	District of Columbia	John T. Vivian
George M. Buhl	Eastern Canada	R. G. McArthur
James P. Pearce	England & Wales	Col. C. C. Adams, M. C.
G. Preston Ward	Florida	L. Earl Curry
Irwin R. Murray	Georgia	C. H. Hatfield
John J. McClearnen	Germany	
*Willard S. Dickerson	Idaho	John A. Johnson
*William H. Cantwell	Illinois	Clark H. Keyes
Raymond B. Phillips	Indiana	Gordon D. Pease
M. Haswell Pierce	Iowa	Otis P. Wright
John P. LeFevre	Kansas	Leo J. Schieler
Charles S. Calhoon	Kentucky	Chas. K. A. McGaughey
*Charles E. Green	Louisiana	P. J. Schempp
*Harry V. Holloway	Maine	Charles L. Caldwell, Jr.
Calvin E. Afflerbach	Maryland	Grover L. Michael
John M. Johnson	Massachusetts	James R. Hooper
Robert E. Osborne, Jr.	Michigan	Jerome W. Hartman
W. B. Derrickson	Minnesota	William D. Hendry
William G. Cason	Mississippi	W. C. Seab
*J. Henry McDonnell	Missouri	Roscoe A. Miller
*Walter L. Conoway	Montana	Rostan A. Lindgren
Ralph G. Farlow	Nebraska	Lillard S. Jensen
Sudler J. Wilson	Nevada	Arthur L. Gifford
*Russell C. Matchett	New Hampshire	Ernest N. Brown
Cyrus E. Clendaniel	New Jersey	Harry Jonas
*Henry S. Young	New Mexico	W. Jack Rodden
Harry M. Laws	New York	Elwood H. A. Smith
Robert W. Horn	North Carolina	James O. Thornton
Howard G. Barlow	North Dakota	Harley Kingsbury
*George E. Vandegrift	Ohio	Arliss F. Porter
Harold W. T. Purnell	Oklahoma	Wayne Wheelock
*Percy W. Gardner	Ontario	Percival S. Jamison
*Rhey Smith	Oregon	Harold P. Patterson
Paul Horsey	Pennsylvania	Raymond A. Myers
A. Floyd Short	Philippines	Gregorio Careaga
*Howard W. Kleitz	Rhode Island	Robert M. Brayton
*Stephen E. Hamilton	South Carolina	Oliver Pennington
*Edward H. Naylor	South Dakota	Myrton R. Whittemore
F. Irving Crow	Tennessee	James E. McFadin
*Thomas R. Saunders	Texas	Don K. Glass
Carl R. Scarborough	Utah	Richard J. Vaughan
Paul B. Baker	Vermont	David O. Smith
Frank J. Elton	Washington	Carl L. Swanson
*Alfred E. Yeaton	Western Canada	George Macaulay
Wm. G. Bush	Wisconsin	W. Elmer Kuehn
Warren R. Gray	Wyoming	Will A. Lee

*Present January 18, 1958.

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Tennessee	Thomas E. Doss	Box 216, Nashville 2
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1957-1960

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P. O. Box 283, Miami, Fla.

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516 Professional Bldg., Long Beach, Calif.

D P. BONDEMAN.....R.·.P.·.General Grand P. C. W.
345 Westnedge St., Kalamazoo, Mich.

LEWIS E. SMITH.....R.·.P.·.General Grand Treasurer
321 Trust Bldg., Lincoln, Nebr.

ROSS J. CAMBLIN.....R.·.P.·.General Grand Recorder
P. O. Box 307, Atlantic, Iowa

REV. DORSEY H. RUTTER.....General Grand Chaplain
140 N. Palmetto Ave., Daytona Beach, Fla.

WALTON S. HOOTSELL.....General Grand Captain of the Guard
Natchez, Miss.

J. ELLITT GRAYSON.....General Grand Conductor of the Council
P. O. Box 45, Cedar Falls, Iowa

LAWRENCE BEATHEN.....General Grand Marshal
1045 Edgewood Road, Elizabeth, N. J.

CLAUDE M. GORDEN.....General Grand Steward
Kimmerly, Idaho

WINSTON HILL WARD.....General Grand Sentinel
43 W. Underwood St., Orlando, Fla.

The Twenty-seventh Triennial Assembly of the General Grand Council will be held in New Orleans, La., in 1960, the exact date to be set later.

Officers of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Delaware

M.·.I.·.Grand Master.....Percy W. Gardner
Wyoming

R.·.I.·.Deputy Grand Master.....Alfred E. Yeaton
133 W. State St., Kennett Square, Penna.

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1408 Gilpin Ave., Wilmington

M.·.I.·.Grand Treasurer.....James Carswell
2031 Sycamore St., Wilmington 5

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P. O. Box 443, Wilmington 99

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117 E. Market St., Newport

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20 W. Lea Blvd., Wilmington 2

I.·.Grand Conductor of Council.....Emerson Keeler
Georgetown

I.·.Grand Marshal.....Willard S. Dickerson
Camden

I.·.Grand Steward.....Raymond A. Howard
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The Thirty-fourth Annual Assembly will be held in the Masonic Temple, Wilmington, Saturday, January 16, 1960, at 9:30 A. M.