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PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
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THE  
Masonic Grand Lodge Corporation  

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ANNUAL MEETING

Saint John, N. B.,  
August 24th, 1950.

The Annual Meeting of "The Masonic Grand Lodge Corporation" was held this morning in the Masonic Temple, in the City of Saint John, at 9.30 o'clock, pursuant to notice given in the Proclamation summoning the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

Those present are listed as being in attendance at Grand Lodge.

The meeting was called to order at the hour appointed by the President.

V:W: Murray Latham, Grand Treasurer, presented and read the statement of the Corporation Accounts for the past year. (Copies had been previously distributed to the Brethren present). The Statement set forth the Receipts and Expenditures on General Account and also of the Fund of Benevolence and a list of the Assets of the Fund. The Grand Treasurer's Statement had previously been considered and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

On motion by V:W: Bro. R. D. Magee, seconded by V:W: Bro. R. L. Algie, the Statements of the Grand Treasurer were received and laid on the table.

The Audit Committee submitted a detailed report as to the Accounts; after the report had been read

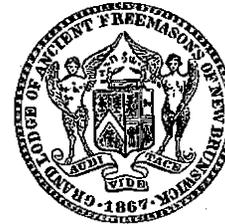
a motion was made by R:W: J. W. Duncan, seconded by R:W: Bro. LeB. Wilson, and adopted:—

“That the Accounts of the V:W: Grand Treasurer be taken from the table; that they and the report of the Auditors, as printed and in the hands of the Brethren, be received and that they both be presented to Grand Lodge with a view of being printed in the Annual Proceedings.” Carried.

The Annual Meeting of “The Masonic Grand Lodge Corporation,” on motion, duly seconded, then adjourned.

R. D. MAGEE, *Secretary.*

# Proclamation



BY THE  
**MOST WORSHIPFUL**  
**DOUGALD JOSEPH McMASTER McLEAN**  
 GRAND MASTER OF THE ANTIENT  
 AND HONOURABLE FRATERNITY OF  
 FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF  
 NEW BRUNSWICK.

*Dougald Joseph McMaster McLean*  
 GRAND MASTER.

*THE Right Worshipful, Very Worshipful and Worshipful Officers and Past Officers of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick; And the Worshipful Masters, Past Masters and present Wardens of all Lodges within the Jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge:*

Are Hereby Summoned to attend the Eighty-third Annual Communication to be holden at the Masonic Temple, in the City of Saint John, on Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of August, inst., at Ten o'clock in the morning (Daylight time).

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Grand Lodge at the City of Saint John, Province of New Brunswick, this third day of August A.L. 5950, A.D. 1950.

*By order of the Most Worshipful Grand Master.*

R. D. MAGEE,  
*Grand Secretary.*

PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
83rd Annual Communication  
OF THE  
GRAND LODGE OF NEW BRUNSWICK

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Saint John, N. B.,  
August 24th, 1950.

**T**HE EIGHTY-THIRD ANNUAL COMMUNICATION of "The Grand Lodge of the Antient and Honourable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons of New Brunswick" was held at the Masonic Temple, Germain Street, in the City of Saint John, on Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of August, A.D. 1950, A.L. 5950.

Most Worshipful Dougald Joseph McMaster McLean assumed the Throne and Grand Lodge was opened in Ample Form at 10.00 o'clock a.m., followed by solemn prayer by the V:W: Past Grand Chaplain, Rev. Harold H. Hoyt, as follows:—

"Most merciful God, Supreme Architect of heaven and earth, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid, cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration and guidance of Thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love Thee and worthily magnify Thy Holy Name.

"Grant such love and devotion to Thee our Creator, such adherence to the principles of Freemasonry, such unity of mind and high purpose, such harmony and fellowship, such loyalty to duty and noble tenets

of our Order, that all things thought, spoken and done here in this Grand Lodge may be for the advancement of Freemasonry and for the good of all people, and finally for our own salvation in that blessed Kingdom where the righteous shall find rest.

"Hear us, O Merciful God as we sum up all our hopes, our prayers, our thanksgiving and pray as Thy blessed Son has taught us all to say:

"Our Father, Who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name, Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

"So mote it be."

The Proclamation calling the Eighty-third Annual Communication of Grand Lodge was read by the V:W: Grand Secretary.

The Most Worshipful Grand Master welcomed the Brethren to Grand Lodge as follows:—

It is a very pleasant duty to again welcome the members of Grand Lodge and our Distinguished Guests both as your Representative Head, and personally.

This is your Assembly, and I trust that you will not only learn what has transpired during the past year, but may also carry away from our considerations, thoughts that you may turn into actions—for the benefit of your Lodge or Lodges, which in turn may rebound to the credit and greater honor of our Beloved Order.

To our Distinguished Visitors, the same welcome

applies—we welcome you in every sense that our great Fraternity stands for. We hope that you may leave with us something for the good of the Craft—also that you may receive some inspiration whilst sojourning in our midst. We fully realize that you have made sacrifices and put yourselves out in order to be present with us. We sincerely appreciate the efforts you have made to attend upon our Eighty-third Annual Communication. Your aid and presence will greatly add to our assembly.

All present are conversant with history now in the making—and probably realize how close disaster may be upon our civilization.

One can, perhaps, understand the thoughts, or rather the ignorance of certain peoples towards our standard of liberty, but to me it is incomprehensible how persons living in our free countries—enjoying all the blessings of freedom—can even think of, let alone work for the destruction of our way of living and would wish to plunge us into chaos, such as appears to be enjoyed, or rather endured, in the before-mentioned countries.

It is the personal duty of every Mason to ferret out and expose all such people in our country, so that our land may be cleansed of such pestilential beings.

Our Order can only flourish in a peaceful atmosphere—although it has withstood the ravages of time and warfare. Let us seek Peace, but not at the loss of Honor.

A Roll Call of Officers of Grand Lodge was called and the following were present:—

M:W: Grand Master.....DOUGALD J. M. MCLEAN  
 R:W: Deputy Grand Master.....J. LEONARD HEANS  
 R:W: Junior Grand Warden.....WILLIAM H. MCKAY  
 V:W: Grand Treasurer.....MURRAY LATEHAM

V:W:	Grand Secretary.....	R. D. MAGEE
V:W:	Grand Historian.....	ARTHUR S. ROBINSON
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 1.....	WM. F. ARMSTRONG
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 3.....	CLIFFORD W. LOBBAN
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 4.....	FRED E. MALLORY
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 5.....	HAROLD E. IRVING
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 7.....	DONALD A. BISHOP
W:	Grand Director of Ceremonies.....	W. JOHN CAMPBELL
W:	Asst. Grand Director of Ceremonies.....	PERCY E. MAWHINNEY
W:	Senior Grand Deacon.....	CHARLES R. DEMILLE
W:	Grand Standard Bearer.....	HARVEY H. COLWELL
W:	Grand Organist.....	DR. HARRY C. DUNLOP
W:	Grand Tyler.....	WILLIAM R. POWELL
W:	Grand Steward.....	GEO. B. INGRAHAM
W:	Grand Steward.....	DARRELL F. L. ERNST
W:	Grand Steward.....	S. IAN UNDERHILL

R:W: James S. Hoyt entered and introduced  
 R:W: Whitfield W. Johnson, Past Senior Grand Warden of the Grade Lodge of Massachusetts. The V:W: the Grand Secretary introduced Most Worshipful Allan M. Wilson, Past Grand Master of the State of New Hampshire and Hon. P. G. Master of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick; M:W: Granville C. Gray, Past Grand Master of the State of Maine and Hon. Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick; R:W: A. L. Burbank, Grand Lecturer, and R:W: E. H. Britton, Past Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Maine; M:W: Harry M. Standish, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia; R:W: W. John Carter, Senior Grand Warden, Kenya Colony District Grand Lodge of South Africa; E. C. Ill. (V:W:) Reginald F. Wright, the Deputy for New Brunswick, A. & A. S. Rite, and R:W: Charles F. Sanford, Provincial Grand Master of the Royal Order of Scotland. These Illustrious Brethren were greeted, conducted to the East and each accorded Grand Hon-

ors. Also in attendance were Wor. Brothers L. B. Clingen, Past Grand Pursuivant, Miami, Florida; C. H. Small, Past Grand Pursuivant, Saskatchewan, and Bro. C. C. Canick, Senior Warden, Eastern Lodge No. 7, Eastport, Maine. Bro. E. W. Patterson, Mayor of the City of Saint John, was received in the Grand East. His Worship extended greetings to Grand Lodge and the visitors from the City.

Roll Call of Grand Representatives was made and the following responded to their names:—

ALVAH C. TOY.....	(12)	Alabama
W. W. MACAULEY.....	(2)	Arizona
R. L. ALGIE.....	(23)	Colorado
F. C. THURSTON.....	(3)	Delaware
A. VYE GIBSON.....	(41)	Florida
R. D. BAIRD.....	(40)	Georgia
CHAS. A. CROMWELL.....	(3)	Idaho
CHARLES GRANT.....	(2)	Illinois
HORACE A. PORTER.....	(10)	Indiana
J. WM. DUNCAN.....	(22)	Kansas
GUY H. HUMPHREY.....	(13)	Kentucky
L. EDWARD WHITTAKER.....	(3)	Louisiana
JAMES S. HOYT.....	(22)	Massachusetts
H. LEB. WRIGHT.....	(39)	Minnesota
BAYARD STILWELL.....	(3)	Missouri
JAS. G. SCOTT.....	(44)	Montana
LEBARON WILSON.....	(1)	Nebraska
D. J. M. MCLEAN.....	(12)	Nevada
A. D. MCCAIN.....	(35)	New Hampshire
C. F. SANFORD.....	(2)	New Jersey
W. P. BARNHILL.....	(8)	New Mexico
A. C. W. PARLEE.....	(22)	North Carolina
J. L. HEANS.....	(22)	Oregon
A. S. ROBINSON.....	(23)	Rhode Island
T. A. ROBINSON.....	(23)	South Dakota
R. D. MAGEE.....	(1)	Tennessee
H. T. STEVENS.....	(13)	Utah
H. I. KNOWLES.....	(1)	Vermont
A. G. SULLIVAN.....	(3)	West Virginia
A. N. MCGOWAN.....	(13)	Wisconsin

W. J. BAMBURY.....	(2)	Prince Edward Island
DR. F. A. GODSOE.....	(1)	Nova Scotia
S. M. WETMORE.....	(3)	Quebec
REV. JOS. MCALDEN.....	(35)	Saskatchewan
R. F. WRIGHT.....	(1)	England
E. H. CAMERON.....	(22)	Scotland
H. D. HOPKINS.....	(3)	Ireland
S. C. CURRIE.....	(11)	South Australia
MURRAY LATHAM.....	(3)	Tasmania
DR. D. A. SOMERVILLE.....	(35)	Sweden

The M:W: Grand Master welcomed these Brethren most heartily and requested that they extend to the several Grand Lodges they represented the fraternal greetings of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick to their respective Grand Masters. They were accorded Grand Honors.

R:W: Horace A. Porter, Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Indiana, made reply and thanked the Grand Master for his very cordial welcome and on behalf of the Grand Representatives extended the fraternal greetings from the Grand Lodges they represented.

The Credentials Committee, R:W: Bayard Stilwell, chairman, and Wor. Bros. A. C. W. Parlee, James A. Little and F. C. Thurston, were admitted and reported that the following Brethren were in attendance at Grand Lodge and entitled to seats therein:—

#### Albion No. 1—Saint John

Stanley Atherton.....	W.M.
N. T. Rockwell.....	J.W.
R:W: LeB. Wilson.....	P.G.M.
R:W: Dr. F. A. Godsoe.....	P.S.G.W.
R:W: F. F. Burpee.....	P.J.G.W.
W: A. G. R. Bishop.....	P.M.
W: A. W. Thorne.....	P.M.
W: K. R. Nelson.....	P.M.
W: W. H. Bryden.....	P.M.
V:W: R. F. Wright.....	P.G.Treas.
V:W: H. I. Knowles.....	P.G.Hist.
V:W: R. D. Magee.....	G. Sec'y
W: P. R. Hunter.....	P.M.
W: N. J. Cabeldu.....	P.M.
W: H. R. Hatfield.....	P.M.
W: C. A. McIlveen.....	P.M.

#### Saint John's No. 2—Saint John

F. M. Armstrong.....	W.M.
C. McN. Steeves.....	S.W.
R:W: C. F. Sanford.....	P.J.G.W.
W: H. E. Magnusson.....	P.M.
W: D. E. Stark.....	P.M.
W: E. J. Alexander.....	P.M.
V:W: Rev. J. A. Berridge.....	P.G.Chap.
W: Charles Grant.....	P.G.D.C.
W: H. H. Colwell.....	G.Str.B.
V:W: W. J. Bambury.....	P.D.D.G.M.
W: W. W. Macaulay.....	P.G.D.C.

#### Hibernia No. 3—Saint John

G. F. Campbell.....	W.M.
G. R. Gillespie.....	J.W.
R:W: A. C. Lemmon.....	P.D.G.M.
V:W: Murray Latham.....	G.T.
R:W: Bayard Stilwell.....	P.S.S.W.
V:W: Rev. W. C. V. Martin.....	P.G.Chap.
W: F. C. Thurston.....	P.G.Purs.
W: A. W. McInnis.....	P.M.
W: A. T. Weatherhead.....	P.M.
W: P. C. Wright.....	P.G.Std.B.
W: Peter McMorran.....	P.M.
R:W: H. E. Sullivan.....	P.S.G.W.
R:W: H. D. Hopkins.....	P.S.G.W.
R:W: L. E. Whittaker.....	P.S.G.W.
R:W: C. A. Cromwell.....	P.S.S.W.
W: S. C. Graham.....	P.M.
W: R. G. Johnston.....	P.A.G.D.C.
W: R. E. White.....	P.M.
W: Dr. F. C. Thomas.....	P.M.

#### Sussex No. 4—Dorchester

R. A. March.....	W.M.
S. D. Robinson.....	S.W.
R:W: B. E. Duffy.....	P.J.G.W.
W: J. M. Lindsay.....	G.Std.

#### Saint Mark's No. 5—St. Andrews

L. T. Dougherty.....	W.M.
E. A. Wentworth.....	S.W.
W: G. A. Higgins.....	P.M.

#### Hiram No. 6—Fredericton

R. L. Kilburn.....	S.W.
Fred H. Phillips.....	J.W.
V:W: J. G. B. Pugh.....	P.D.D.G.M.

**Sussex No. 7—Saint Stephen**

W. G. Andrews ..... W.M.  
 H. McKaskell ..... S.W.  
 Alpheus Towle ..... J.W.

R:W: S. D. Budd ..... P.J.G.W.      W: Raymond Bateman ..... P.M.  
 W: Willis McKaskell ..... P.M.

**Carleton Union No. 8—West Saint John**

W. J. Sommerville ..... W.M.  
 G. A. Richardson ..... S.W.

R:W: W. P. Barnhill ..... P.D.G.M.      W: C. P. Wills ..... P.M.  
 V:W: L. M. Wilson ..... P.D.D.G.M.      W: G. B. Ingraham ..... G.Std.  
 W: H. W. Ketchum ..... P.M.      W: W. T. Lanyon ..... P.M.  
 R:W: C. L. Jenkins ..... P.J.G.W.      W: A. L. Hoyt ..... P.M.  
 W: Alex. Buchanan ..... P.M.

**Union Lodge of Portland No. 10—Saint John**

W. J. Peters ..... W.M.

R:W: W. H. McKay ..... J.G.W.      R:W: H. A. Porter ..... P.D.G.M.  
 W: P. E. Mawhinney ..... A.G.D.C.      R:W: W. Grant Smith ..... P.S.G.W.  
 W: J. A. Little ..... P.G.Std.B.      R:W: Fred W. Fowler ..... P.S.G.W.  
 W: S. W. Sheppard ..... P.M.      W: R. B. Barbour ..... P.M.  
 W: T. M. Corbett ..... P.M.      W: J. H. Armstrong ..... P.M.

**Woodstock No. 11—Woodstock**

J. W. Babkirk ..... W.M.  
 Smith Cummings ..... S.W.  
 Ray O. Hall ..... J.W.

V:W: F. E. Mallory ..... D.D.G.M.      W: C. S. Currie ..... P.G.Std.B.

**Saint George No. 12—St. George**

George E. Hoyt ..... W.M.  
 H. K. Bonnell ..... J.W.

M:W: D. J. M. McLean ..... G.M.      W: W. J. Campbell ..... G.D.C.  
 W: A. C. Toy ..... P.J.G.D.      W: Clarence Munro ..... P.M.

**The Corinthian No. 13—Hampton**

R:W: G. H. Humphrey ..... P.G.M.      W: C. R. Demille ..... S.G.D.  
 V:W: A. N. McGowan ..... P.D.D.G.M.      W: Geo. H. Scott ..... P.M.  
 W: A. M. Reid ..... P.G.Sw.B.      W: J. Otto McKenzie ..... P.M.  
 V:W: H. T. Stevens ..... P.A.G.D.C.      W: Leon B. Seely ..... P.M.  
 W: G. H. Coleman ..... P.M.

**Alley No. 14—Upper Mills**

G. S. Smith ..... W.M.

**Howard No. 15—Hillsborough**

W: F. B. Jonah ..... P.M.      W: J. W. Steeves ..... P.M.

**Saint Andrews No. 16—Richibucto**

W: John MacDonald ..... P.M.      W: O. K. Martin ..... P.M.

**Northumberland No. 17—Newcastle**

Not Represented

**Miramichi No. 18—Chatham**

V:W: C. W. Lobban ..... D.D.G.M.      W: H. R. Logie ..... P.M.

**Salisbury No. 20—Salisbury**

M. F. Eagles ..... W.M.  
 Everett Lewis ..... J.W.

W: N. B. Alward ..... P.G.Std.B.      W: Fred Leeman ..... P.S.G.D.

**Zion No. 21—Sussex**

G. J. Langell ..... W.M.  
 H. M. Bell ..... S.W.

V:W: W. F. Armstrong ..... D.D.G.M.      W: D. F. L. Ernst ..... P.M.  
 R:W: R. T. Pearson ..... P.S.G.W.      W: L. E. Bayley ..... P.M.  
 W: W. A. King ..... P.M.      W: A. D. Thorne ..... P.M.

**The New Brunswick No. 22—Saint John**

M. W. Dalton.....W.M.  
 W. L. Daye.....S.W.  
 W. L. Shuve.....J.W.

R:W: Jas. S. Hoyt.....P.G.M.      R:W: J. L. Heans.....P.S.G.W.  
 R:W: J. W. Duncan.....P.D.G.M.      W: W. R. Powell.....Gr.Tyler  
 W: A. C. W. Parlee.....P.G.D.C.      W: Fred Green.....P.M.  
 R:W: E. H. Cameron.....P.G.Tr.      R:W: Rev. A. E. Coleman.....P.Gr. Chap.  
 W: J. H. Carr.....P.M.  
 W: A. G. Hoar.....P.G.Std.B.      W: T. G. Ballantyne.....P.M.  
 W: A. C. Thomson.....P.M.      W: F. W. McNichol.....P.A.G.D.C.  
 W: R. W. Thornton.....P.G.D.C.      W: A. L. Robertson.....P.M.  
 W: Dr. H. C. Dunlop.....Gr.Or.

**Keith No. 23—Moncton**

R:W: A. S. Robinson.....P.G.M.      R:W: R. L. Algie.....P.D.G.M.  
 W: L. S. Saunders.....P.M.      R:W: B. E. Wilson.....P.J.G.W.  
 W: W. J. Weir.....P.D.D.G.M.      W: E. M. Sherwood.....P.M.

**Zetland No. 24—Shediac**

M. A. Bateman.....W.M.  
 W: A. W. Mitton.....P.M.      W: R. K. Hodgson.....P.M.

**Restigouche No. 25—Dalhousie**

V:W: Rev. H. H. Hoyt.....P.G.Ch.      W: W. C. Brewer.....P.M.

**Victoria No. 26—Milltown**

V:W: H. E. Irving.....D.D.G.M.      W: P. H. Trecartin.....P.M.  
 W: J. J. Andrews.....P.M.

**Saint John No. 27—Bathurst**

C. C. Gammon.....W.M.  
 W: G. M. Amos.....P.M.      W: E. E. Smith.....P.M.

**Lebanon No. 28—Sackville**

A. R. Tingley.....W.M.

**Saint Martins No. 30—Saint Martins**

C. L. Black.....W.M.  
 E. D. McCue.....S.W.  
 W: F. L. Howard.....P.M.      W: A. P. Lynch.....P.M.

**Benjamin No. 31—Andover**

Chas. E. Willett.....S.W.  
 W: N. A. Rogers.....P.S.G.D.      V:W: Rev. Joseph McAlden.....P.G.Chap.

**Campbellton No. 32—Campbellton**

L. J. Gilker.....W.M.  
 W: Ian Underhill.....P.M.

**Alexandria No. 33—Fredericton**

R:W: C. J. MacDonald.....P.J.G.W.      V:W: Rev. C. LeR. Mooers.....P.G.Chap.  
 W: Wilson Wylie.....P.M.

**Albert No. 34—Albert**

O. B. Northrup.....W.M.  
 W: E. E. Lewis.....P.M.      V:W: D. A. Bishop.....D.D.G.M.

**Carleton No. 35—Florenceville**

E. R. Britton.....S.W.  
 V:W: Dr. D. A. Sommerville.....P.D.D.G.M.      W: A. D. McCain.....P.M.  
 W: A. H. McCain.....P.M.

**Ashlar No. 36—McAdam**

H. S. Dixon.....W.M.  
 W: P. E. Pheeny.....P.M.

**Steven No. 37—Petitcodiac**

R:W: W. R. Lockhart.....P.J.G.W.      W: H. F. Reynolds.....P.M.  
 W: E. A. Wheaton.....P.M.      W: Dr. H. L. Mellish.....P.M.

**Mananook No. 38—Grand Manan**

Not Represented

**Colebrooke No. 39—Grand Falls**

Fred. A. Adams.....W.M.  
 W: A. M. Jenson.....P.J.G.D.      V:W: H. L. Wright.....P.D.D.G.M.

**Bethel No. 40—Edmundston**

S. V. Skaftved .....S.W.

R:W: R. D. Baird .....P.D.G.M.

**Tweedie No. 41—Moncton**

E. A. Ryder .....W.M.

W. H. Roberts .....S.W.

V:W: H. A. Nichol .....D.D.G.M.	W: W. F. Drummond .....P.M.
W: Peter McLean .....P.J.G.D.	W: W. G. Price .....P.M.
W: V. A. Steeves .....P.M.	R:W: A. Vye Gibson .....P.J.G.W.

**Sunbury No. 42—Fredericton Junction**

W: F. L. Hartt .....P.M.      W: Geo. W. Smith .....P.G.St.B.

W: E. R. Smith .....P.M.      W: E. A. Tracy .....P.M.

W: T. E. Nason .....P.M.      W: R. C. Mersereau .....P.M.

**Westmorland No. 44—Port Elgin**

W: C. G. Prescott .....P.M.      V:W: J. G. Scott .....P.D.D.G.M.

W: J. R. Maxwell .....P.M.      W: W. F. Scott .....P.M.

W: R. N. Goodwin .....P.M.

**Fownes No. 45—Havelock**

V:W: L. C. Dimock .....P.D.D.G.M.      W: C. R. Atkinson .....P.M.

W: S. P. Alward .....P.M.

**Hartland No. 46—Hartland**

Not Represented

**Grand Lake No. 47—Minto**

W. E. Wisely .....W.M.

W: J. J. Johnstone .....P.M.      W: M. B. Connor .....P.M.

**Tobique No. 48—Plaster Rock**

R. T. Reid .....W.M.

**Acacia No. 49—Moncton**

Frank A. Ryder .....W.M.

R:W: B. A. Atkinson .....P.D.G.M.      W: J. H. McAfee .....P.M.

W: W. R. Gilkie .....P.M.      W: R. H. Miller .....P.M.

**Cherry Mountain No. 50—Harvey Station**

A. R. Manzer .....W.M.

J. E. McLean .....S.W.

It was moved by R:W: R. D. Baird, seconded by W: W. J. Campbell, "That the Minutes of the last Communication, held August 25th, 1949, having been printed and distributed in the Annual Proceedings of the Grand Lodge, be now taken as read and that they be confirmed." Carried.

It was moved by R:W: James S. Hoyt, seconded by R:W: L. Algie, that nominations cease as of 3.00 o'clock and that the names of the nominees be printed for the convenience of the Brethren. Carried.

It was moved by R:W: James S. Hoyt, seconded by V:W: R. D. Magee, that the Agenda of Grand Lodge may be changed at the will and pleasure of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master. Carried.

Most Worshipful the Grand Master now turned Grand Lodge over to V:W: Past Grand Chaplain, Rev. Harold H. Hoyt, who conducted the following Service of Thanksgiving:—

### SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING AND RE-DEDICATION

*The Lord is in His holy temple: let all the earth keep silence before Him.*

*O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: let the whole earth stand in awe of Him.*

PSALM— No. 42.

HYMN—"God of Bethel."

SCRIPTURE—Isaiah 6: 1-8.

PRAYERS.

THANKSGIVING.

HYMN—"O God Our Help in Ages Past."

ADDRESS.

HYMN—"As Pants the Hart."

BENEDICTION.

Grand Lodge took recess until 2.30 p.m.

When Grand Lodge resumed labour—with R:W: J. Leonard Heans, Deputy Grand Master in the East, the Most Worshipful Grand Master delivered the following address:—

### GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

BRETHREN OF THE M:W: GRAND LODGE,  
FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF NEW BRUNSWICK:

It is my happy privilege to extend to you fraternal greetings and a cordial welcome to this the 83rd annual communication of our Grand Lodge. I hope and trust that those among you who have been attending these meetings during the past years will again avail yourselves of the opportunity offered to renew old friendships and make new acquaintances. To those of you who come here for the first time representing your respective Mother Lodges, we welcome you as members of Grand Lodge, and would say to make yourselves acquainted with your brethren and fellows, forming those friendships which last through the years, and are the strong bonds in Masonry.

We extend to our distinguished brethren of Sister Jurisdictions and other branches of Freemasonry, our warmest fraternal greetings. We welcome them to this Communication of Grand Lodge, and trust their visit with us will be enjoyable and profitable.

My first duty will be to acknowledge the high honor you have conferred on me, when a year ago you elected me your Grand Master. It will take a lifetime to realize the full significance of the honor you have bestowed on me. I wish you to accept my sincere thanks and appreciation for the confidence you have shown.

Grand Lodge assembles at this time to consider such matters of business as may be brought before it;

its officers to report on the year's activities; its members to hear and examine these reports and they jointly to counsel with one another for the promotion of the best interests of Freemasonry, that our principles and teachings may be furthered and accomplished, believing that good and wise men can act on the principles of righteousness and personal responsibility to enlighten them as to those things which make for human welfare, and to inspire them with that sense of well-being toward all mankind, to the end that all men may learn that Masonry stands for the worship of God; for truth and justice; liberty and enlightenment; fraternity and charity, asking Providence to direct and prosper all our consultations for the advancement of His Glory, and that all things may be ordered and settled upon the best and surest foundations, that Peace and Happiness may be established among men.

### GRAND SECRETARY

During the year our beloved friend and brother the Grand Secretary suffered a severe period of illness. We are most pleased to have him so well recovered, and give thanks and earnest prayers to the Master of all good workmen, for his well being. We hope he will continue to improve in health and that God in His infinite wisdom will see fit to allow him, for many years to come, to serve his fellows and brethren as he has always done in the past. I wish to express my thanks to those who so readily and willingly assisted in carrying on the duties of his office while he was indisposed.

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and our loss of so ardent a supporter of Masonry. We wish him every blessing and success in his new field of endeavor. May he long continue to serve his God through service to his fellowmen.

I was very pleased to have our Memorial Service, this morning conducted in such a capable manner by Rev. Harold H. Hoyt, a Past Grand Chaplain. When we realize how little at peace this world, supposedly at peace, is, we must then realize our need for reliance and dependence on the Supreme Architect for guidance, aid and support. Only with His help will we of this earth be able to accomplish the great task which in days of old was performed by the cunning worker in metals—namely that of converting spears into pruning hooks and swords into ploughshares.

#### NECROLOGY

Since our last annual communication we have been called upon to mourn the passing of the following friends and brethren. Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to the bereaved relatives and friends.

Past Masters who have died during the year 1949:

James D. McKenna, Albion Lodge No. 1. Died March 16, 1949.

Charles Herbert Colwell, Hiram Lodge No. 6. Died May 13, 1949.

William Ernest McMullen, Hiram Lodge No. 6. Died Aug. 6, 1949.

Joel Ross Steeves, Howard Lodge No. 15. Died April 28, 1949.

Harry R. Moody, Northumberland Lodge No. 17. Died April 6, 1949.

Robert Archibald Snowball, S.G.M. 1922, D.G.M. 1923, Miramichi Lodge No. 18. Died July 8, 1949.

Frederick P. Heckbert, A.G. D. of C. 1932, G.D. of

C. 1933-1934, Miramichi Lodge No. 18. Died August 11, 1948.

Harvey Mitchell, Zion Lodge No. 21. Died Jan. 1949.

Ralph Stanley Stephenson, S.G.D. 1933, The New Brunswick Lodge No. 22. Died Dec. 24, 1949.

George L. Welling, Zetland Lodge No. 24. Died April 8, 1949.

Gustav Klien, Victoria Lodge No. 26. Died Dec. 26, 1949.

William Abram Scott, St. John Lodge No. 27. Died April 29, 1949.

William Benjamin Stanton, D.D.G.M. 1927, St. John Lodge No. 27. Died Sept. 13, 1949.

Robert E. Shanklin, St. Martins Lodge No. 30. Died Nov. 30, 1949.

Arthur B. Copp, Lebanon Lodge No. 28. Died Dec. 4, 1949.

John Burrow, Alexandria Lodge No. 33. Died 1949.

Frederick Dodd Tweedie, Carleton Lodge No. 25. Died Sept. 8, 1949.

Gordon G. Luskey, Hartland Lodge No. 46. Died Feb. 9, 1949.

Wendell Burton Nixon, Hartland Lodge No. 46. Died March 3, 1949.

Hillman Ceton Matthews, St. John's Lodge No. 2. Died June 15, 1950.

Thomas Hiram King, Acacia Lodge No. 49. Died June 15, 1950.

Dr. M. A. Oulton, Union Lodge of Portland No. 10. Died June 26, 1950.

John Robinson Warner, Union Lodge of Portland No. 10. Died August 8, 1950.

*"They are not dead, for death can only take away  
the mortal breath;*

*And life commencing here is but the prelude to  
its full career;*

*And hope and faith the blest assurance give;*

*We do not live to die; we die to live."*

We cherish their memory in our hearts.

During the past year I have been pleased to appoint as Grand Representatives of this Grand Lodge, near sister Grand Lodges, the following brethren.

V:W: William J. Bambury  
.....Prince Edward Island  
R:W: Bayard Stilwell .....Missouri  
R:W: R. Donald Stewart.....Texas  
V:W: James G. Scott .....Montana  
R:W: Charles A. Cromwell.....Idaho

It has pleased me to recommend the following brethren as representing sister Grand Lodges near this Grand Lodge.

M:W: George Geddes Wood  
.....Prince Edward Island  
W: Arthur D. Bishop .....Vermont  
R:W: P. A. Driscoll .....Tasmania  
W: Glenn E. Williams .....Kansas  
W: John M. Spence .....Minnesota  
W: Robert A. McKenzie .....Manitoba

During the year the following lodges have been visited:—Bethel No. 40, Colebrooke No. 39, Carleton No. 35, Benjamin No. 31, Sussex No. 7, St. Mark's No. 5, Albion No. 1, Albert No. 34, Westmoreland No. 44, Zetland No. 24, St. Martins No. 30, The Corinthian No. 13, Acacia No. 49, Mananook No. 38.

On Dec. 27th it was my pleasure to install the officers of my Mother Lodge, St. George No. 12. I also had the pleasant duty of installing the officers of Hibernia No. 3 at their regular meeting in January.

During these visitations I have recommended to the various lodges that they include the name of the Grand Historian in their mailing list. I feel the office of Historian is a very important one and this Grand Lodge can best be served in that capacity if he is in possession of knowledge enlightening him on happenings throughout the jurisdiction. The happenings of today will be history tomorrow and the to-morrow's that follow. I recommend to all the Lodges that they include the name of the Grand Historian on their mailing list.

We are pleased that our Grand Historian is steadily improving in health and trust he will long be able to serve this Grand Lodge in the position he occupies.

On Sept. 29th last, I was invited to attend the 80th Anniversary of Victoria Lodge No. 26 at Milltown and at the request of W. M. Milton Meek, I presented fifty-year jewels to three of their members:—Past Master Arthur Hiltz, Past Master Gustave Klien, who has since been called to higher labor, and Brother Frank Roy. I was pleased to see the faithful contributions made by these brethren to Masonry and their fellows, suitably acknowledged and sincerely appreciated.

I would be happy to see a fifty year jewel authorized and issued by this Grand Lodge, suitably engraved, and made available for presentation to brethren of fifty years membership, to be purchased by the lodges. Particular engraving such as the name of the Lodge presenting, the name of the recipient, dates,

etc, to be attended to by the lodge presenting the jewel.

#### TYRIAN YOUTH LODGE APPLICATION

A number of zealous brethren of the city of Saint John being desirous of organizing a new lodge in the city, applied for a dispensation. It was my intention to issue this dispensation until one or two errors in the application were brought to my notice, and it was decided to postpone issuance of this dispensation until these matters could be attended to and receive proper attention and adjustment. The matter is still under consideration.

#### CONFERENCE OF GRAND MASTERS, WASHINGTON

Owing to the illness, of which I have already made mention, of our Grand Secretary, it was deemed advisable not to attend the conference of Grand Masters and Grand Secretaries which meets annually in Washington during the month of February.

#### MARITIME CONFERENCE

We attended the conference of the Eastern Provinces which was held in the Masonic Temple in the City of Quebec on May 16th and 17th. We were greeted and welcomed by M:W: Bro. Canon Crothers, who was chairman of the conference. The following very instructive papers were presented:—

Masonic Service and Welfare—by Philip C. McMurdie, Director Service Dept., Grand Lodge of Massachusetts.

Masonic Education of District Deputy Grand Masters—Dr. W. J. Dunlop, P.G.M. Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario.

Life Memberships—L. A. McDougall, Grand Secretary, Grand Lodge of Prince Edward Island.

Our Relations with other branches of Freemasonry—Joseph Buckland, Deputy Grand Master, Quebec.

Should Demits be for a fixed period?—R. V. Harris, P.G.M., Grand Secretary, Grand Lodge, Nova Scotia.

Freemasonry and Communism—Canon L. F. Crothers, Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Quebec.

Masonic Secretaries Associations, Bradley A. McAusland, Grand Lodge of New Hampshire.

Your Grand Master spoke on promotion of Lodge attendance.

The luncheon address on May 16th—"Freemasonry at the Siege of Quebec" was delivered by A. J. B. Melbourne of Montreal, Grand Historian of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, in the suitable surroundings of the banquet hall of the Garrison Club.

At the conclusion of the meetings it was decided to discontinue this conference and devote full attention to the All Canada Conference which also covers the matters attended to by the Eastern Conference.

At this time I wish to quote from one of the foregoing subjects, namely the paper on Masonic service and welfare. "Masonic Service is that individual privilege, as well as Masonic duty, which has always been an important teaching of Freemasonry. It is broadly defined as the result of taking the same interest and exercising the same effort in doing for a brother Mason or his dependents that you would wish to have him do for you or yours should opportunity offer and within the Lodge it is intended to promote the coordination of the Masonic strength, to enlist the largest number of members of that lodge in some phase of Masonic activity, on the theory that the strongest

lodge is that one which has the largest number of participating members”.

It will be noted that strength of a Lodge is suggested by the largest number of participating members, and not by the largest membership. This I believe is one way of helping solve a problem that confronts most lodges to-day—attendance. I would recommend it to all lodges.

I recommend that the District Deputy Grand Masters hold annual District meetings. I believe this matter has been suggested before, but as it is only done occasionally, I refer to it again. At these meetings, Secretaries of the lodges of the District could hold a get-together and smooth out any obstacles that deter the conducting, with uniformity, of the business of the lodges. I believe that such District meetings would promote, cultivate and enhance Masonic education as well as bring the brethren of the Districts into closer communion with one another.

#### *VISITATIONS TO SISTER GRAND LODGES*

I was able to attend the 131st communication of the Grand Lodge of the State of Maine, held in Portland, Maine, on May 2nd to 4th inclusive.

I also attended the 85th communication of the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia. At this Communication, I was presented with the Erasmus James Phillip Medallion by Grand Master Thompson. This is the highest honor conferred by this Grand Lodge. I am very proud of this medal and also of the honor conferred. At both of these communications the warm feeling of brotherly love existing between our Grand Lodges was evidenced and we enjoyed very much seeing and meeting with the brethren of these sister Grand Jurisdictions.

On Sept. 11, 1949 we were pleased to have the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite meet in this Jurisdiction. It was my privilege and pleasure to greet and welcome these illustrious brethren on behalf of the Masons of New Brunswick.

#### *FUND OF BENEVOLENCE*

From the Report submitted by the Committee administering The Fund of Benevolence to the Board of General Purposes it was noted that applications for assistance from this fund were increasing in number and that the income from investments was decreasing. This latter is due to the fact that many of the higher rated bonds held by the Fund have matured and it is now necessary to purchase bonds carrying a much lower rate of interest thus decreasing our income. While we have been able to take care of all worthy applications up to the present it can be readily observed that—as our higher rated bonds continue to mature and our re-investments must be for a lower rated amount we will find it a little more difficult to take care of all applications coming to the Committee unless or until the capital account be largely augmented. It was also noted that many of the lodges making application to the Committee for assistance contributed little or nothing to the assistance of their brother. I feel that it is very important for each lodge to contribute as much as it possibly can for relief before applying to the Fund. Good faith must be shown to our immediate lodge family before applying elsewhere for relief.

#### *GENERAL ACCOUNT*

In like manner I must draw your attention to the condition of the General Account. Although the statement of the Grand Treasurer shows a surplus as of this date it must be understood that this sum must carry Grand Lodge until January next—when the fees

for next year begin to come in. You all know that the cost of living has increased, very materially, during the past years and is the reason for this advance. This also applies to the operating costs of Grand Lodge. All commodities employed in the operation of this business have increased so much that it becomes harder year by year to make both ends meet without borrowing on the next year's income. This matter will have to be seriously considered very shortly and I would suggest an increase in the per capita tax of fifty cents per member to take care of the increasing costs of operation.

#### HUMAN RIGHTS AND FREEDOM

Before closing I would like to speak for a few moments on Human Rights and Freedoms. The history of the Human Race is one of conflict between and among nations, communities, families and individuals and even after two world wars fought within a quarter of a century, the world stands to-day at the crossroads and unless men can sit down at a conference table without hatred and suspicion in their hearts, humanity still must look for deliverance by the sword rather than from the sword.

It has been written by an eminent writer "The twentieth century would see the cessation of wars and the end of feuds; that territorial boundaries would be eliminated; that much of the old order would perish and even dogmas would die, but that man would live. To him would be given a greater territory, confined alone, by world limits and a greater hope limited by heaven". Whether the writer was displaying a special prescience or was over-optimistic in his estimate, his shining message nevertheless presents a challenge. Man must live beyond mere man-made boundaries, his mind must broaden until it embraces the whole of

mankind in bonds of understanding and tolerance, then shall be established that Freedom which makes for Brotherhood and the Peace of all men.

He can attain this broadness of mind by the practice of those Masonic, Christian and Democratic principles which teach and recognize the liberty and freedom of all men, the practice of charity, tolerance and a sincere respect for the opinions of others.

In closing I wish once again to express in all sincerity my appreciation of the high honor you have conferred upon me and to thank all the brethren for their assistance and support in making the privilege of serving you such a pleasure.

Respectfully submitted,

D. J. M. McLEAN.

It was moved by R:W: James S. Hoyt, and seconded by R:W: R. D. Baird, "that the Address of the M:W: Grand Master be received and referred to a Special Committee of three for consideration and report thereon." Carried.

The R:W: Deputy Grand Master appointed as such committee the R:W: Brothers James S. Hoyt, C. F. Sanford and A. C. Lemmon.

R:W: Bro. S. M. Wetmore moved, seconded by recess it take recess until 8.00 p.m., when the first R:W: LeBaron Wilson, that when Grand Lodge take Order of Business will be the Election of Grand Lodge Officers. Carried.

The V:W: Grand Secretary presented the following report:—

## GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

### TO THE GRAND LODGE OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF NEW BRUNSWICK:

The Accounts of the Grand Lodge for the past year having been audited and adopted by the Board of General Purposes, I submit the following report as to the business of my office during the year:—

Received and Deposited.....  
Received not Deposited.....

Accounts Receivable .....

The Payments of Lodges are appended.

The Annual returns have been received from all the Lodges and I am able to submit a complete survey as to degrees conferred and total membership for the year:—

Initiated .....	461	
Passed .....	461	
Raised .....		462
Joined .....		63
Re-instated .....		43
Total added .....		568
Suspended N. P. D.....		90
Demitted .....		57
Withdrawn .....		17
Died .....		105
Total Losses .....		269
Increase for the year.....		299
Minus Error in reports.....		2
		297
Membership Returns Dec. 31, 1949.....	7942	
Membership Returns Dec. 31, 1948.....	7645	
Increase .....		297

All Annual Returns were made at an early date and all Certificates have been forwarded to the Lodge Secretaries.

Last year this Grand Lodge made the appointment of Miss Wilkes as assistant to the Grand Secretary but it was found that she was not capable of continuing the work of the office during the indisposition of your Grand Secretary. The young lady was asked to resign and Miss Buckley was secured to fill her place until such time as a worthy successor could be found and the Grand Secretary able to return to his duties. During this period Mrs. Eleanor Henderson agreed to assume the duties of assistant to the Grand Secretary and she has been found a very worthy and capable lady and I would ask this Grand Lodge to ratify her appointment.

The Maritime Regional Conference was held in the City of Quebec May 8th and 9th at which I attended in company with the M:W: Grand Master and R:W: Bro. Lemmon. The papers presented at this Conference were of a very high type but the delegates thought that the cost per Grand Lodge was too great to make further meetings of a Maritime Conference justifiable. The Conference was by resolution with but one dissenting vote, dissolved. Although as stated the subjects presented for discussion were exceedingly well presented and of a high order but it was felt that these subjects or any others of value to this Jurisdiction and the other Grand Lodges making up the Maritime Conference could be handled to better advantage by the All-Canada Conference which meets every other year.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all who so kindly assisted and supported me during my time away from my duties by letters, personal calls and inquiries. For flowers and messages of good cheer which lightened an irksome burden of inactivity.

I wish to thank the Secretaries of the Subordinate

Lodges for their promptness in sending their returns which has enabled this office to complete a proper return to Grand Lodge of the business for the year. To those new secretaries who have or may be appointed, this office is ready at all times to assist you in any way possible and it is hoped they will take advantage of the facilities afforded them for the betterment of the institution.

R. D. MAGEE,  
*Grand Secretary.*

### LODGE PAYMENTS

Albion.....	1	.00
Saint John's.....	2	.50
Hibernia.....	3	.50
Sussex.....	4	.00
Saint Mark's.....	5	.00
Hiram.....	6	.50
Sussex.....	7	.75
Carleton Union.....	8	.50
Union Lodge of Portland.....	10	.50
Woodstock.....	11	.50
Saint George.....	12	.00
The Corinthian.....	13	.00
Alley.....	14	.00
Howard.....	15	.00
Saint Andrews.....	16	.00
Northumberland.....	17	.50
Miramichi.....	18	.00
Salisbury.....	20	.00
Zion.....	21	.50
The New Brunswick.....	22	.50
Keith.....	23	.50
Zetland.....	24	.50
Restigouche.....	25	.00
Victoria.....	26	.00
Saint John.....	27	.00
Lebanon.....	28	.50
Saint Martins.....	30	.00
Benjamin.....	31	.00
Campbellton.....	32	.50
Alexandria.....	33	.50
Albert.....	34	.00
Carleton.....	35	.00
Ashlar.....	36	.50
Steven.....	37	.00
Mananook.....	38	.00
Colebrooke.....	39	.00
Bethel.....	40	.50
Tweedie.....	41	.00
Susbury.....	42	.00
Westmorland.....	44	.00
Fownes.....	45	.00
Hartland.....	46	.00
Grand Lake.....	47	.00
Tobique.....	48	.50
Acacia.....	49	.00
Cherry Mountain.....	50	.50

## SYNOPSIS OF RETURNS FROM PRIVATE LODGES

For the Year Ending 27th December, A.D. 1949

Lodge No.	NAME OF LODGE	Raised	Joined	Reinstated	Suspended	Withdrawn	Demitted	Died	Total Membership
1	Albion	12	2	2	1			5	191
2	Saint John's	11		2			2	4	313
3	Hibernia	17	4		2	4		7	408
4	Sussex	9	3	1					88
5	St. Mark's	6				2		2	174
6	Hiram	12	1				2	2	236
7	Sussex	5	1		6		2	4	239
8	Carleton Union	25	4	5	2		3	7	414
10	Union of Portland	22	3		9		3		232
11	Woodstock	9	1	1				7	319
12	St. George	9	2	10			4	2	206
13	The Corinthian	23		1	4				221
14	Alley	1		1		2		2	40
15	Howard	2	1	1	3	1		2	85
16	St. Andrew	4	1				2		98
17	Northumberland	21	1					2	239
18	Miramichi	11					1	3	180
20	Salisbury	7			3				123
21	Zion	22	2	1			3	3	195
22	The New Brunswick	18	2	1	3	3		3	300
23	Keith	16	1	4			7	7	415
24	Zetland	2	2	1	27		1	1	82
25	Restigouche	5		1		4			110
26	Victoria	5	3	2	7		1	4	144
27	Saint John	3	4		2		2	4	135
28	Lebanon	8	4		4		2	1	111
30	St. Martins	10	1		1		1	6	93
31	Benjamin	20	3	1	1		1	3	184
32	Campbellton	4	3				2	1	136
33	Alexandria	15	2	1	1			1	224
34	Albert	6		1	1		2	2	112
35	Carleton	10	1					2	199
36	Ashlar	4	1	1	1		8	1	191
37	Steven	5	2				1		127
38	Mananook	7		1	1			2	100
39	Colebrooke	5					2	1	105
40	Bethel	9	2	1	1			2	137
41	Tweedie	16		2	1		3	3	239
42	Sunbury	7							120
44	Westmorland	1				3			86
45	Fownes	4		1	7			2	94
46	Hartland	3	1					3	57
47	Grand Lake	10				1		1	155
48	Tobique	10	1						96
49	Acacia	12	3					2	136
50	Cherry Mountain	19	1					1	53
	Total	462	63	43	91	17	57	105	7942

It was moved by R:W: James S. Hoyt, and seconded by R:W: Charles S. Sanford, that the Report of the Grand Secretary be received; that the appointment of Mrs. Eleanor S. Henderson as secretary to the Grand Secretary be confirmed, and that the Report be printed in full in the Annual Proceedings of Grand Lodge. Carried.

The R:W: the Deputy Grand Master presented the following report of the Board of General Purposes:—

## BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

TO THE GRAND LODGE OF  
FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF NEW BRUNSWICK:

The usual meetings of the Board of General Purposes were held during the year. At the meeting held September 16th, 1949, R:W: Wm. H. McKay was elected Vice-President.

The Grand Master appointed the following committee to administer the Fund of Benevolence:—R:W: Bros. LeBaron Wilson, S. M. Wetmore, J. S. Hoyt, W. P. Barnhill, J. W. Duncan, A. C. Lemmon, H. D. Hopkins, C. F. Sanford and R. F. Wright.

The Committee received and approved several applications and disbursed \$3,200.00. No applications deemed worthy were refused. This Committee must again point out that it is expected that Lodges will contribute to the extent of their ability to distressed brethren before making application to the fund. In a number of instances Lodges that can well afford to contribute to the relief of their distressed Brothers failed to do so and expect the Fund to carry these applicants indefinitely.

It is found that a great many of the Lodges have

not applied to the Grand Secretary for the examination for the M. M. Degree. These have been in his hands for over a year and await distribution.

A Special Committee appointed to review the matter of elected officers made a survey of all Grand Lodges in North America and find that this is the only Jurisdiction not electing their Wardens. Changes in the Constitution to make this possible to Lodges desiring this option are embodied in the Proclamation for this meeting. There is also a change in the method of electing Lodge Treasurers.

The Ritual Committee have had several proposed amendments to the Ritual presented to them. The only change recommended would be in the matter of the moveable and immoveable Jewels. They recommend that these two words in the Ritual be transposed. They further recommend that a further printing of the cypher Ritual be undertaken.

The Committee administering the Fund of Benevolence is revising the applications for the Fund of Benevolence, which will be ready for issue at an early date.

Miss A. J. Wilkes found it necessary to resign her position as Secretary to the Grand Secretary and Mrs. Eleanor S. Henderson has been appointed in her stead.

Permission of the Board has been granted Acacia Lodge No. 49, of Moncton, N. B., to establish a Chapter of DeMolay for boys in that city, the expense to be borne by the Lodge.

J. LEONARD HEANS,  
*Deputy Grand Master.*

The R:W: Deputy Grand Master also presented the report of the Board of Directors of the Grand Lodge Corporation.

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GRAND LODGE CORPORATION

TO THE MASONIC GRAND LODGE CORPORATION:

Your Directors herewith submit the Accounts of the V:W: Grand Treasurer and the Report of the Auditors thereon. These have been fully considered by your Directors and formally approved of.

J. LEONARD HEANS,  
*Deputy Grand Master.*

It was moved by R:W: James S. Hoyt, seconded by V:W: R. D. Magee, that the Reports of the Deputy Grand Master, of the Board of General Purposes and of the Directors of the Grand Lodge Corporation be received and printed in full in the Annual Proceedings of Grand Lodge. They having been adopted by the Grand Lodge Corporation in annual session at 9.30 a.m. this morning.

## REPORT OF GRAND TREASURER

## GENERAL ACCOUNT

## Receipts

1949	1950	1949
July 31—Bal. Bank of N. S.		
Acct. No. 514.....		
Bal. Cash on hand.....		
Deposited by Grand Sect'y.....		
Interest on Bank Acct.....		
Cash in hands of Grand Sect'y.....		

## Expenditures

Rent May 1, 1949 to July 31, 1950		
R. D. Magee, Grand Sect'y, Salary 1950		
Adjustment of Salary 1949.....		
Office Assistant Salary.....		
Dominion Govt. Tax, Grand Sect'y.....		
Printing.....		
Travelling Expenses—Grand Master		
and D. D. G. M.'s.....		
Insurance.....		
Expressage and Telegrams.....		
Postage.....		
Telephone.....		
Lighting.....		
Certificates.....		
Rental, Safety Deposit Box.....		
Rental, Post Office Box.....		
Educational Committee.....		
Office Supplies and Equipment.....		
Exchange and Commission.....		
Grand Lodge Proceedings.....		
Masonic Relief Assoc. per capita tax.....		
Prov. Sect'y-Treas. Filing Fee.....		
Grand Tyler.....		
Grand Lodge Banquet Committee.....		
Credential Committee.....		
Flowers.....		
Portland Conference.....		
Quebec Conference.....		
Sundries; Cleaning supplies 20c,		
Bank Charges .50.....		
Dominion Govt. Tax Assistant.....		
Customs Duty.....		
Expense Grand Lodge Visitors.....		
Carried forward.....		

Brought forward.....	\$	
Grand Master's and Grand Secretary's		
Association Fees.....		
Grand Master's and Grand Secretary's		
Convention, Washington, Toronto		
Grand Historian Expenses.....		
Regalia and Repairs.....		
Wedding Gift, Grand Sect'y's Assistant		
Advertising.....		
Lighting Repairs.....		
Balance, Bank of N. S., July 31st,		
Acct. No. 514.....		
Balance, Cash on Hand July 31st.....		

## GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

## FUND OF BENEVOLENCE

## Receipts

1949	1950
July 31—Cash, Bank of N. S., Acct. No. 1199.....	
Coupon Interest on Bonds.....	
Bank Interest.....	

## Expenditures

Grants (21).....	
Bonds Purchased: \$3,000 @ 99.25.....	
Accrued Interest on Bonds Purchased.....	
Commission on Coupons.....	
July 31, 1950—Bal. Bank of N. S., Acct. No. 1199.....	

BENEVOLENT FUND INVESTMENTS

Issuer	Numbers	Maturity	Rate	No. @	Den'm	Amt.	Interest Dates	Yearly Interest
City of Saint John	8	1950	5	5 @	1,000--		June 15-Dec. 15	\$
Prov. of New Brunswick	15	1952	5½	3 @	1,000--		Jan. 1-July 1	
Prov. of Saskatchewan	2	1952	5½	4 @	500--		April 1-Oct. 1	
Prov. of Saskatchewan	27	1952	5½	3 @	1,000--		April 1-Oct. 1	
Prov. of New Brunswick	20	1953	4	2 @	1,000--		Apr. 15-Oct. 15	
Town of Bathurst	4	1955	5	1 @	1,000--		Jan. 1-July 1	
Can. Perm't. Mortgage	4	1955	3¾	1 @	1,000--		Mar. 15-Sept. 15	
Can. Perm't. Mortgage	4	1955	3¾	1 @	5,000--		Mar. 15-Sept. 15	
Town of Campbellton	4	1956	4	4 @	500--		June 15-Dec. 15	
City of Saint John	8	1957	5	4 @	500--		April 15-Oct. 15	
Dom. of Canada	4	1957	3	1 @	1,000--		May 1-Nov. 1	
Town of Bathurst	4	1957	5	2 @	500--		Jan. 1-July 1	
Town of Dalhousie	9	1958	5	2 @	500--		April 15-Oct. 15	
Town of Dalhousie	1	1958	5	2 @	1,000--		April 15-Oct. 15	
Dom. of Canada	1	1959	3	1 @	500--		Jan. 1-July 1	
Dom. of Canada	1	1959	3	1 @	1,000--		Jan. 1-July 1	
Dom. of Canada	1	1960	3	1 @	500--		June 1-Dec. 1	
Dom. of Canada	1	1960	3	1 @	1,000--		June 1-Dec. 1	
Saint John Masonic Temple	1	1961	3¾	2 @	500--		Jan. 1-July 1	
Saint John Masonic Temple	1	1961	3¾	16 @	1,000--		Jan. 1-July 1	
Dom. of Canada	33641	1962	3	3 @	5,000--		Feb. 1-Aug. 1	
Dom. of Canada	15	1962	3	4 @	1,000--		April 1-Oct. 1	
Stanley Regional School	3	1962	3½	3 @	1,000--		April 1-Oct. 1	
Prov. of New Brunswick	49	1964	3½	10 @	500--		May 15-Nov. 15	
Prov. of New Brunswick	09.1040	1964	3½	14 @	1,000--		May 16-Nov. 16	
Saint John Schools	2	1965	5	1 @	500--		May 1-Nov. 1	
Saint John Schools	2167	1965	5	6 @	1,000--		May 1-Nov. 1	
Dominion of Canada	0/71	1966	3	1 @	1,000--		Mar. 1-Sept. 1	
City of Saint John	01	1967	5	5 @	500--		April 15-Oct. 15	

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ASSETS

Bank of Nova Scotia, Acct. No. 1199	\$
104 Bonds as per list (par)	\$

MURRAY LATHAM, Grand Treasurer

AUDITORS' REPORT

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS,  
MASONIC GRAND LODGE CORPORATION:

We, your committee appointed to audit the books and accounts of the V:W: Grand Secretary and the V:W: Grand Treasurer report as follows:—

The books of the Grand Secretary were examined and the Cash Book showed receipts of \$9,142.35 of which \$8,946.35 had been deposited to the credit of the General Account. Two cheques, totalling \$196.00, were on hand.

The records of the Grand Treasurer were also examined and everything was found to be in order. The receipts and expenditures were checked and vouchers were examined. The bank balances were verified and bonds totalling \$102,000.00 held in the Safety Deposit Box in the Bank of Nova Scotia, Prince William Street, were checked and found in order.

Insurance policies are on hand covering Grand Lodge Regalia \$2500.00 and Oil Paintings \$4800.00.

The following is a record of the two accounts covering the year's activities:—

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Balance on hand July 31, 1949	\$
Money deposited by the Grand Secretary	\$
Interest on bank account	\$
Cash in hands of Grand Secretary, July 31, 1950	\$

EXPENDITURES

General Expenditures as per list of Grand Treas.	\$
Cash in Bank of N. S., July 31, 1950	\$
Account No. 514	\$3,842.98
Cash in hands of Grand Secretary	196.00

ASSETS OF GENERAL ACCOUNT

Bal. in Bank of N. S., July 31, 1950, Acct. No. 514	\$
Cash in hands of Grand Secretary	\$

FUND OF BENEVOLENCE ACCOUNT

Receipts

Bal. July 31, 1949, Bank of N. S., Acct. No. 1199...\$  
 Interest on Bonds .....  
 Bank Interest .....

Expenditures

Grants (21) .....\$  
 Bonds Purchases — .....  
 Accrued Interest on above .....  
 Exchange on Coupons .....  
 Bal., Bank of N. S., July 31, 1950.....

ASSETS

Bal. Bank of N. S., July 31, 1950, Acct. No. 1199...\$  
 Bonds, Par Value .....

H. E. SULLIVAN,  
 W. H. McKAY,  
 CHAS. GRANT,  
 Audit Committee.

It was moved by the Grand Secretary and seconded by R:W: Horace A. Porter and carried:—

“That a sum not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) be allowed the District Deputy Grand Masters to defray travelling expenses on their District visits, if they find it necessary and that expense reports be submitted to the office of the Grand Secretary with their annual reports to the Grand Master.”

“That the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) be set aside for use by the Grand Historian.”

“That an appropriation of five hundred dollars be made to the Committee on Masonic Education.”

The Special Committee on the Grand Master's Address made report as follows:—

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

*To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of New Brunswick:*

Your Committee on the Grand Master's Address, desires to express appreciation for the energy and interest of our Grand Master on behalf of our fraternity during this, his first year of office. This Grand Lodge is indebted to him for his efforts and your committee recommend that some definite action be implemented on the recommendations contained in his outline of the state of the Order in this Jurisdiction.

It is always a pleasure to welcome representatives from Sister Jurisdictions and our Masonic intercourse with them, enlightening our knowledge and improving desirable fraternal relations, thereby adding strength to our Unity as a great institution for the uplift and advancement of mankind.

Your committee concur in the genuine sentiment, that in all things, we must in heartfelt humility, place our trust in the Great Architect and with faith in His justice and mercy rely upon Him for guidance and direction to do His will “in earth as it is in heaven.”

The pleasant memory of those who have been called to the Higher Lodge will remain with many of us and their good works will live to stimulate others to greater achievements by emulating their efforts.

Your committee wish to congratulate the M:W: Grand Master on the visitation to subordinate Lodges and his interest in their welfare. His attendance and participation in the Maritime Conference and at the Grand Lodges of Maine and Nova Scotia are proof

of the good results and assistance our Grand Masters and representatives can obtain from this fraternal communion and exchange of information.

The prospect of a new Lodge in the Saint John District is commendable and should have the support and encouragement of all the Brethren as well as Grand Lodge. The last Lodge instituted in this District was New Brunswick Lodge No. 22 in 1868.

Your committee concur in the recommendation of the M:W: Grand Master that the District Deputy Grand Masters hold annual District meetings. Such get-togethers will unquestionably produce astounding results with carefully planned agendas and fraternal friendship.

The M:W: Grand Master draws the attention of Grand Lodge to the financial condition of the Order, as has been done on previous occasions. This repeated warning should not go on unheeded and your committee concur with the Grand Master's suggestion that Grand Lodge take immediate action so that the fraternity of this Jurisdiction may discharge its obligations with credit to itself and honor to the institution in which we all may be justly proud to share.

JAMES S. HOYT, *Chairman.*  
A. C. LEMMON  
C. F. SANFORD.

Wor. Bro. Burton E. Wisely gave Notice of Motion as follows:—

"That he would move, or cause to be moved, that the per capita tax of Grand Lodge be increased from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per annum.

Grand Lodge now took recess until 8.00 p.m.

During the recess the delegates were entertained

to dinner in the Masonic Temple, during which the Craft were addressed by M:W: Harry M. Standish, Grand Master of Masons, Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia.

The following Notices of Motion having been duly given in the Proclamation calling Grand Lodge were adopted.

The Board of General Purpose have accepted the report of the Special Committee appointed to review amendments to the Constitution in respect to Election of Officers by Subordinate Lodges and recommend the following changes in Sections 1 and 4, page 49 "Of Private Lodges"

1A Only Wardens, Past Wardens, Masters and Past Masters in good standing in their Lodge are eligible for election to the office of Worshipful Master.

1B A Lodge, by its By-Laws, may elect its Wardens by written ballot but without nomination. A Lodge so disposed shall amend its By-Laws accordingly and shall abide thereby. If this option be not adopted by any Lodge the Wardens shall be appointed by the Master as in Section 2.

Section 4—Insert after "without nomination" and add "except the Treasurer who shall be nominated."

The Notices re Bursaries and Grant to the Protestant Orphans' Home were defeated.

R:W: A. S. Robinson presented the report of the Grand Historian:—

## REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN

Saint John, N. B.

August 24th, 1950.

*To The Most Worshipful, the Grand Master,  
Officers and Brethren of The Grand Lodge,  
Free and Accepted Masons of New Brunswick:*

*Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:*

Owing to my severe and protracted illness during the months of winter and spring, I was not able to send out my customary letters on behalf of our Department of History to the Secretaries of the various Lodges. However, I am happy to be able to report considerable progress, thanks to certain interested and helpful Brethren.

R:W: Bro. A. C. Lemmon was added by the Most Worshipful the Grand Master to the committee whose interest it is to prevent the loss of Masonic relics in the Jurisdiction of New Brunswick.

Your committee are indebted to the Officers and members of The Corinthian Lodge, of Hampton, for preserving considerable material of this kind from Midian Lodge which, in an earlier day, flourished in the village of Kingston.

Worshipful Brother A. Williamson has added to our files an excellent history of that Lodge which he obtained from a Mr. Wetmore, of Clifton. Our thanks are due this gentleman also.

A biography of B. Lester Peters, our first Grand Master, has been added to the files now kept by the Grand Historian. In addition, most interesting data on the life of Judge William Wedderburn, who succeeded Brother Peters, was kindly sent me by the

Judge's daughter, who is the wife of the Rev. Irving Lynds, of Lockport, New York. These notes too are in their proper file.

A wall-piece of the Past Masters of Westmorland Lodge No. 44, and suitable for framing was lettered by your Grand Historian and presented to the Lodge.

Also this year two notable and very praiseworthy works in this Department have been accomplished. Worshipful Brother Austen, of Lodge Saint John, Bathurst, completed the history of his Lodge which he has been sending me in instalments. This entailed the reading of the Minutes of every meeting of Lodge Saint John since its inception.

Rt. Wor. Bro. Byron Duffy has also performed a similar task for Sussex Lodge No. 4, of Dorchester. He made three copies of this writing; one he presented to his Lodge; one he retained for himself, and a third, beautifully bound in blue leather, he presented to Grand Lodge and is now among the library books in this building.

The Officers of Zetland Lodge, Shediac, have loaned your Grand Historian the first Minute book of that body containing the records of every meeting from the first, dated January 29th, 1861, to September 11th, 1907. And very interesting reading it provides to any Mason familiar with the activities in that area. With this book came a small trunk filled with old letters and papers of a most interesting character.

I am grateful to our Grand Master for urging upon the Secretaries to forward to the Grand Historian all Lodge Notices containing items of interest or worthy of inclusion among the notes of the particular Lodge to which they refer. All such received

have been placed in the files and may be used in later writings as our work progresses.

At least a few paragraphs have been added to "The History of The Grand Lodge of New Brunswick" begun by Very Worshipful Brother Knowles during his term as Grand Historian.

A History of Mount Vernon Lodge in the Jurisdiction of Rhode Island has been received.

I wish to take advantage of this occasion to thank you, Most Worshipful Grand Master, and all the many Brethren for innumerable kindnesses to me during my illness. The letters and cards as well as the beautiful bouquets of flowers brought much cheer into an unhappy experience to which I, in my hitherto very healthy and active life, was entirely unaccustomed.

Fraternally submitted,

ARTHUR S. ROBINSON, P.G.M.,  
*Grand Historian.*

It was moved by R:W: J. L. Heans, seconded by R:W: R. D. Baird, that the report of the Grand Historian be received and printed in the Annual Proceedings. Carried.

Grand Lodge resumed labour at 8.00 p.m. and the first order of business was the Election of Officers.

The M:W: Grand Master directed the Grand Secretary to read that portion of the Constitution dealing with the "Election of Grand Lodge Officers." which was accordingly done. The Grand Master then appointed as scrutineers: R:W: J. W. Duncan, R:W: R. L. Algie, R:W: L. E. Whittaker, V:W: W. F. Armstrong, V:W: C. W. Lobban, V:W: F. E. Mallory, V:W: H. E. Irving, who were pledged and the election proceeded.

On written nomination and ballot cast M:W: Dougald J. M. McLean was re-elected Grand Master and was accordingly so declared amid applause.

Likewise on written nomination and ballot cast in each case, the scrutineers reported that the following brethren had received the majority of all votes cast and they were accordingly declared duly elected:

R:W: Deputy Grand Master.....Bayard Stilwell .....( 3)  
R:W: Senior Grand Warden.....Thomas A. Robinson.....(23)  
R:W: Junior Grand Warden.....Harley LeB. Wright.....(39)  
V:W: Grand Chaplain.....Rev. A. E. Coleman.....(22)  
V:W: Grand Treasurer.....Murray Latham .....( 3)

On open nomination and vote W: Brother William Robert Powell was elected Grand Tyler.

Past Grand Master James S. Hoyt now assumed the Grand East and requested R:W: L. E. Whittaker, P.S.G.W., to act as Grand Director of Ceremonies, and to present the Most Worshipful Grand Master to the altar. After solemn prayer the Most Worshipful Grand Master elect was again duly obligated and then invested with the jewel of his office and installed Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of New Brunswick and was accordingly so proclaimed from the South, West and East and accorded Grand Honours.

Most Worshipful Grand Master McLean thanked the Brethren for their renewed confidence in him by electing him their Grand Master for a second term and Past Grand Master Hoyt for his kind office in installing him. He then appointed the following Officers and they were duly installed as well as the other elective Officers, into their respective stations:—

V:W: Grand Secretary.....R. D. Magee.....( 1)  
R:W: Grand Historian.....Arthur S. Robinson.....(23)  
V:W: D. D. G. M. No. 1.....Wm. F. Armstrong.....(21)

V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 2.....	Harold A. Nichol.....	(41)
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 3.....	Clifford W. Lobban.....	(18)
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 4.....	Fred E. Mallory.....	(11)
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 5.....	Harold E. Irving.....	(26)
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 6.....	Wilson Wylie.....	(33)
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 7.....	Donald A. Bishop.....	(34)

W: Grand Director  
of Ceremonies..... W. John Campbell.....(12)

W: Assistant Grand Director  
of Ceremonies..... H. R. Hatfield.....(1)

The remaining Grand Officers as per list on page 291.

Also the Board of General Purposes on page 292 and the Standing Committees on pages 293-294.

Grand Lodge was then closed in ample form.

*R. D. Magee*  
Grand Secretary.



## REPORTS Of District Deputy Grand Masters

### DISTRICT No. 1

Sussex, N. B.

August 22, 1950.

*To The Most Worshipful the Grand Master  
Free and Accepted Masons of New Brunswick:*

It is with pleasure that I submit my first report as District Deputy Grand Master of District No. 1 for year 1949-1950.

I regret very much that I cannot report a visitation to all Lodges in my district owing to time at my disposal was taken up with other business.

Made my first official visit to Hibernia No. 3 at their regular convocation Nov. 8th, 1949. The Master Mason degree was exemplified on three candidates by Wor. Bro. Bradley in a very efficient manner and I am sure the candidates received a very full and satisfactory Master Mason degree. The Officers had the work very well prepared and the lodge seems to be progressing very well. Minutes and books of the lodge were well kept and business conducted efficiently.

I visited New Brunswick Lodge No. 22 on their regular convocation April 13th. Fellow Craft was exemplified on four candidates and the work was found to be in good order. Wor. Bro. Dalton and the Officers seemed to have had a good deal of preparation and it reflected favorably in the degree work.

Made my official visit to Zion Lodge No. 21, my

home lodge, on May 1st. Wor. Bro. Langell conferred the Master Mason degree on one candidate. Work was done in the usual efficient manner and I believe Zion Lodge and its officers show the benefits of frequent and well attended rehearsals. The Lodge room has been completely redecorated, a new ceiling with recessed lighting, newly panelled walls and new carpet with Theatre seats installed gives the Lodge room a very pleasing and creditable appearance. While this work has cost the Lodge considerable money it has been completely financed within the Lodge. This Lodge has not been as busy this year as formerly, but the attendance is good and a very lively interest prevails.

It was my privilege and a pleasure to accompany the M:W: The Grand Master and Members of Grand Lodge on their visit to St. Martins Lodge No. 30 on June 12th. Wor. Bro. Black and his officers exemplified the Fellow Craft degree on three candidates in a very creditable manner.

On July 10th I made my official visit to St. Martins Lodge No. 30. Owing to the absence of Wor. Bro. Black, Wor. Bro. Thurston filled the duties of Wor. Master assisted by a number of P.M. of St. Martins Lodge and exemplified the 3rd degree on three candidates. With the membership scattered over a wide area this lodge has difficulty in getting the Officers together for rehearsals, in my remarks I tried to stress the importance of this phase of the work, however, the Wor. Master seems to be doing a good job and is having a busy year. The Secretary's Books and accounts were in excellent shape and the Finances of the Lodge very good although I consider their dues to be rather low and the additional revenue could be used to good advantage.

I visited Carleton Union Lodge No. 8 on their regular convocation May 4th. Fellow Craft degree was exemplified on four candidates by Wor. Bro. Summerville and his officers in a very creditable manner. The Secretary Bro. Leonard Wilson had his books and records in good order and the business of the evening conducted in a very efficient and advanced manner. The following notice to the Chairman of the Investigating committee impressed me as being a very good idea and well might be adopted by other Lodges.

DEAR SIR and BROTHER:

Attached you will find a Petition for Admission into ..... Lodge No. .... F. & A. M. The necessary fee that must accompany the Petition is in my hands. It is your duty, as the first named member of the Investigating Committee to inform the other two members of their responsibility as soon as convenient, so that they along with you, may make the necessary enquiries as to the character and reputation and suitability of the applicant to receive the Degrees of our Order. The result of your investigation will affect the decision of the Lodge.

When the application has been properly signed by all of the committee, may it be returned to the Secretary promptly as possible please.

I would like to see the examination of the candidates on the work in the Master Mason Degree adopted in the various Lodges as I think it would be beneficial not only to the candidates but also to those who have not had the opportunity of taking it.

In closing, I would like to express my appreciation of the courtesies extended to me by the various Lodges which I visited and my cordial reception. I found the work of the different Lodges to be of good order.

It has been a pleasure to act as your D.D.G.M. and I wish to thank you for your confidence in appointing me to this office.

Fraternally yours,

WILLIAM F. ARMSTRONG,  
D. D. G. M., District No. 1.

DISTRICT No. 2

Moncton, N. B.

August 17, 1950.

*Dougald J. M. McLean, M:W: Grand Master,  
Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, F. & A. M.:*

*To The Most Worshipful the Grand Master*

In submitting my report for the third year as D.D.G.M. for District No. 2, I would like to say that it has been a privilege and an honour to have served to the best of my ability as D.D.G.M. for these past three years.

It was my pleasure to have a number of the Brethren from the three Lodges at Moncton accompany me on my official visit to Sussex Lodge No. 4 at Dorchester on October 6th. We witnessed the third degree exemplified by the Worshipful Master and his Officers in a very excellent manner. On October 10th I visited St. Andrews Lodge No. 16 and witnessed the E.A. degree conferred by the Master and his Officers in a very creditable manner. There was a large attendance and it should be noted that some of the officers and members have to drive as far as twenty miles to attend Lodge.

On October 16th, I attended Divine Worship Service with Sussex Lodge No. 4 at St. James Presbyterian Church at Dorchester. This Service, like previous years, was largely attended by Masons from various Lodges.

On November 9th, I accompanied the Most Worshipful Grand Master and other Grand Lodge Officers to Westmorland Lodge No. 44 where we witnessed the Master Mason Degree conferred in a very impressive manner.

On November 10th, I accompanied the Most Worshipful Grand Master and other Grand Lodge Officers to Zetland Lodge No. 24. There was no degree work but I am sure the Officers and other Brethren present received a great benefit from the talk on Masonry given by the Most Worshipful Grand Master.

On June 11th, the Masons from Districts Nos. 2 and 7 again held their joint Divine Worship Service at the Wesley Memorial United Church. The special speaker was the Very Worshipful Dr. J. H. Freestone who delivered a very instructive and timely sermon. This service was very largely attended by Brethren from all Lodges in Districts Nos. 2 and 7.

On June 12th, it was my pleasure to visit Lodge St. Andrews No. 16, this time unofficially. The F.C. Degree was conferred in a very splendid manner.

On June 14th, there was a number of Brethren accompanied me on my official visit to Westmorland No. 44, where we witnessed the F.C. Degree conferred in a very excellent manner. A number of Brethren accompanied me on my official visit to Lebanon Lodge No. 28 on June 21st. There was no degree work but there was a very large attendance.

On July 13th, I made my official visit to Zetland Lodge No. 24, again a number of Brethren accompanied me. There was no degree work but a very interesting meeting. Brother Paul B. Mason of Hyde Park Lodge No. 589, Cincinatti, Ohio was a visitor to Zetland Lodge and he spoke on what Masonry really meant to him as he travels extensively.

With regards to my Mother Lodge, Tweedie No. 41, I attend all communications and can say — Tweedie has had another successful year.

In closing my report, I would like to thank all the Officers and Brothers who assisted me in any way during my term of Office, also Most Worshipful Sir, for the privilege and honor of representing you in District No. 2.

Fraternally yours,

HAROLD A. NICHOL,  
D. D. G. M. District No. 2.

## DISTRICT No. 3

Chatham, N. B.

August 18, 1950.

It was with great surprise to me, that I was selected by you to be District Deputy Grand Master of District No. 3.

I wish to thank you most sincerely for your confidence and trust that this report will be satisfactory to you.

I have visited all Lodges in the district and can have nothing but favorable reports of all.

On October 2nd, Miramichi Lodge attended Divine Service at Loggieville, where a procession was formed and marched to Knox Church, where Rev. Mr. McLeod delivered a very interesting sermon to a very attentive audience and had a large turnout.

On October 6th, accompanied by members of Miramichi and Northumberland Lodges, I attended Divine Service with St. John's Lodge No. 27 at Bathurst, where the Lodge marched to the Presbyterian Church, headed by the Bathurst Citizen Band.

A very enjoyable and inspiring address was delivered by the Rev. Mr. McLeod of that church.

There was a large turnout for which Bro. Branch thanked the brethren and was very pleased to welcome the visiting Brethren for their presence on this occasion.

On November 7th, I paid my first official visit to Campellton Lodge No. 32 when Wor. Bro. Underhill and his officers conferred the Fellow Craft degree

in a very efficient manner, reflecting great credit to these officers for their great interest and attention to the ritual.

The corporation of the Lodge is very active and has done a great deal to improve the appearance of the Lodge, which is highly pleasing in appearance.

The charitable work of this Lodge is commendable, and this spirit of Masonry will never die while the brethren of this Lodge are able to continue it, and are to be congratulated on their efforts.

The kind reception and good wishes of Campellton Lodge, were most gratifying to me, and I only hope I was of some small service to them.

On the 8th of November I paid my official visit to Restigouche Lodge No. 25 at Dalhousie; where Wor. Bro. Hunt and other Past Masters conferred the Master Mason degree on two candidates.

The work was carried on in a highly efficient manner and they deserve great credit for their performance.

It was very interesting to see so many past masters present and to hear the affairs of the Lodge so intelligently discussed.

The hall itself presents a very pleasing appearance and has been considerably improved.

The spirit of this Lodge is commendable and shows great interest by the past and present officers and the members.

I was very sorry the secretary was unable to be present as there were several things I would have liked to have discussed with him.

The Lodge shows great promise and has had a

very good year and I am sure that Wor. Bro. Duncan can feel proud of his year as master.

On November 14th I visited St. John's Lodge No. 27 at Bathurst, where, under the direction of Wor. Bro. Branch, I witnessed the Entered Apprentice degree conferred in a very efficient manner.

It was my pleasure to have with me on this occasion R:W: Bro. W. C. Maltby and R:W: Bro. C. D. Dickison, and we were most royally received by the Lodge.

This meeting was so well conducted that it was indeed a pleasure to have been there on this occasion and the degree work was such that the candidate must have been deeply impressed.

Great credit is due to Wor. Bro. A. J. Fenwick for his untiring efforts in coaching the officers and he should feel proud of the results.

November 21st I officially visited Miramichi Lodge No. 18 at Chatham, where the Entered Apprentice degree was conferred by Wor. Bro. Burbridge and his officers, very efficiently.

During the year the Lodge purchased a property, which it hoped to remodel into a new Masonic Temple. It is one of the choicest properties in the town and should they find it feasible would to my mind, make the finest Masonic property in eastern Canada, but as yet no progress has been made regarding the remodelling.

The Lodge has had a very successful year and although it suffered greatly in the loss of the secretary, Wor. Bro. G. H. Harrison, P.M. H. B. McDonald and R:W: Bro. R. A. Snowball within a short space of time, yet is to be commended on having other capable men to carry on.

On December 12th I officially visited Northumberland Lodge No. 17 at Newcastle when the Entered Apprentice degree was conferred in a most excellent manner by Wor. Bro. Copp and his fine slate of officers.

This Lodge is a very strong Lodge and is to be heartily commended for their untiring efforts to make it one of the most sociable and hospitable Lodges in the Maritimes.

Here one receives the real hand of fellowship and is heartily welcomed into the Lodge as a brother.

Much credit is due to R:W: Bro. W. C. Maltby for his untiring efforts, and his masonic knowledge which has done much to make this Lodge what it is today.

Although retiring in nature, his study of masonry and its application has inspired and guided the Lodge to the position it now holds.

On June 25th it was my pleasure to be present with Northumberland Lodge No. 17 when they attended Divine Service at the United Church, Newcastle.

Headed by the Newcastle Band a large number of members and visitors from Chatham, Bathurst and other Lodges paraded to the church where an inspiring address was delivered by Bro. Hoddinott.

This was probably the last time the members will have to hear him, as a body, as he is moving shortly to Newfoundland to reside.

On June 18th, Miramichi Lodge accepted the invitation to attend Divine Service at Tabusintac, where one of the largest turnouts was held, filling the church to capacity.

Quite a number of the members of Miramichi Lodge belong to Tabusintac and they surely went to a great deal of trouble to make this a success.

Headed by the Chatham Armoury Band a procession was formed and proceeded to the church, and after an inspiring address marched back to the Legion Hall, where the Ladies of the members served a wonderful lobster supper to all, for which Wor. Bro. Parker thanked them very fervently.

There also were quite a few from Newcastle and Bathurst at this service which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

In closing I want to thank all officers and members for their wonderful reception and co-operation and trust that all friendships established at these meetings will last till time shall be no more.

To you sir, I just say, Thanks for having given me the opportunity of having served you, in my humble way, as your District Deputy.

Fraternally submitted,

CLIFFORD W. LOBBAN,  
D.D.G.G. District No. 3.

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## GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

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ALVAH C. TOY	St. George	Alabama	WILLIAM T. SCREWS	Montgomery
W. W. MACAULAY	Saint John	Arizona	LINDSAY S. GIFFEN	Winkelman
HERBERT M. WOOD	Sackville	Arkansas	CLAUD L. HILL	Earle
	No Exchange	California		No Exchange
ROBERT L. ALGIE	Moncton	Colorado	MILTON P. GIVENS	Denver
CHARLES D. STOTHART	Newcastle	Connecticut	CHARLES W. CRAMER	Hartford
F. C. THURSTON	Saint John	Delaware	M. M. CARPENTER	Wilmington
DR. D. C. MALCOLM	Saint John	Dist. of Columbia	DAVID S. DAVIDSON	Washington
A. VYE GIBSON	Moncton	Florida	ELLIOTT M. BROWN	Bradenton
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CHARLES GRANT	Saint John	Illinois	S. C. D. REA	Benton
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	No Exchange	Iowa		No Exchange
J. W. DUNCAN	Saint John	Kansas	JAMES N. MASTERS	Independence
GUY H. HUMPHREY	Hampton	Kentucky	OWEN R. MEADORS	Ashland
L. EDW. WHITTAKER	Saint John	Louisiana	M. M. CARRADINE	Baton Rouge
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		Maryland	GEORGE S. YOST	Baltimore
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H. COLBY SMITH	Saint John	Michigan	GEORGE A. FERGUSON	Cedar Springs
H. LeB. WRIGHT	Grand Falls	Minnesota	ISAAC F. SEELEY	Northfield
R. PERCY DICKSON	Moncton	Mississippi	JAMES W. WILLIAMS	Jackson
BAYARD STILWELL	Saint John	Missouri	GUY C. MILLION	Boonville
JAMES G. SCOTT	Port Elgin	Montana	M. R. KOHLS	Ennis
LeBARON WILSON	Saint John	Nebraska	MAHLON C. MORGAN	Lyman
D. J. M. McLEAN	Black's Harbour	Nevada	L. R. VAWTER	Reno
ANDREW D. McCAIN	E. Florenceville	New Hampshire	BEN O. ALDRICH	Keene
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W. PERLEY BARNHILL	Saint John	New Mexico	JAMES H. GIBSON	Farmington
A. ERNEST EVERETT	Saint John	New York	WALTER C. JACOBSEN	Brooklyn
A. C. W. PARLEE	Saint John	North Carolina	W. D. WILDER	Weaverville
H. W. WILSON	Fredericton	North Dakota	JOHN A. GRAHAM	Bismarck
JOSEPH T. MEATING	McAdam	Oklahoma	HENRY C. JONES	Oklahoma City
		Ohio	O. H. ORMISTON	Bartlett
J. LEONARD HEANS	Saint John	Oregon	WILLIAM M. WALKER	Ontario
	No Exchange	Pennsylvania		No Exchange
A. S. ROBINSON	Moncton	Rhode Island	HOWARD C. OLSEN	Providence
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T. A. ROBINSON	Moncton	South Dakota	HOBART H. GATES	Custer
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H. THAD STEVENS	Hampton	Utah	HAROLD A. LINKE	Garfield
H. I. KNOWLES	Saint John	Vermont	W. SCOTT NAY	Underhill
ALEXANDER H. CAMPBELL	Saint John	Virginia	S. J. SACHS	Staunton
H. E. SULLIVAN	Saint John	West Virginia	ALLEN T. BUCHANAN	Bluefield
G. F. G. BRIDGES	Moncton	Washington	FRED MATTHIES	Pomeroy
A. N. McGOWAN	Hampton	Wisconsin	ALBERT ELMGREEN	Superior
W. J. BAMBURY	Saint John	P. E. Island	C. RAY MORRIS	Granville
DR. FRANK A. GODSOE	Hampton	Nova Scotia	HAROLD F. SIPPRELL	Wolfville
STANLEY M. WETMORE	Saint John	Quebec	W. S. HARRISON	Montreal
A. C. LEMMON	Saint John	Ontario	J. A. V. PRESTON	Orangeville
ALFRED PAGE	Woodstock	Manitoba	REV. GEO. R. CALVERT	Winnipeg
REV. JOS. McALDEN	St. Andrews	Saskatchewan	D. A. McMILLAN	Lacadena
PETER FRASER	Charlo	Alberta	GEORGE B. McLEOD	Edmonton
HON. W. H. HARRISON	Saint John	British Columbia	K. K. REID	New Westminster
R. F. WRIGHT	Saint John	England		No Exchange
ERNEST H. CAMERON	Saint John	Scotland	Lt. Col. W. W. S. CUNINGHAME	Ayrshire
H. D. HOPKINS	Saint John	Ireland	DAVID HOPKINS	Dublin
B. A. ATKINSON	Moncton	New Zealand	W. C. MASON	Auckland
G. PERCIVAL BURCHILL	South Nelson	New South Wales	STEPHEN M. HERFORD	Sydney
		Queensland	WILLIAM YOUNG	Brisbane
C. S. CURRIE	Woodstock	South Australia	H. A. H. NEURNKIRCHEN	Adelaide
MURRAY LATHAM	Saint John	Tasmania	J. E. KINGSLEY	Queenstown
L. M. WILSON	West Saint John	Victoria	F. E. BELLEMAINE	Melbourne
JOHN W. NILES	Andover	Western Australia	JOHN KYLE	Perth
		Phillipine Isl'ds	MARCIANO GATMAITAN	Manila
		Brazil	ENG. A. deO. LOBO	
		Costa Rica	OSCAR MONTEALEGRE	
DR. D. A. SOMERVILLE	Bristol	Sweden	G. R. BROMS	Stockholm
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W. C. MALTBY	Newcastle	Mexico (York)	SIMON UTAY	Puebla

## Grand Historians

Lodge

Year		
1935	Albert E. Pearson	21
1936	Albert E. Pearson	21
1937	Albert E. Pearson	21
1938	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1939	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1940	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1941	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1942	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1943	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1944	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1945	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1946	Herbert I. Knowles	1
1947	Arthur S. Robinson	23
1948	Arthur S. Robinson	23
1949	Arthur S. Robinson	23
1950	Arthur S. Robinson	23

## Grand Tylers

1867-1869	John Boyer	1
1870-1900	Dingee Scribner	3
1901-1932	Robert Clerke	3
1933-1941	DeWitt Cairns	10
1942-	William K. Fowell	22

## DISTRICT No. 4

Woodstock, N. B.

July 31, 1950.

*To the Most Worshipful Grand Master  
of Masons in New Brunswick:*

At the close of an initial year as your D.D.G.M. for District No. 4, the writer feels all the more appreciative of the confidence and honour you have reposed in him and also a sense of the responsibilities entailed but withal the privileges of happy and widening contacts with the Fraternity.

It was good news when advised that your itinerary included a visit to District No. 4 during the fall of 1949. Accompanied by your Officers, Grand Secretary V:W: Bro. Robert Magee and Grand D. of C. Wor. Bro. John Campbell on these occasions, the appreciation of the Lodges so visited was indeed marked.

Though unable to attend Bethel Lodge No. 40 on your visit October 11th you will recall my attendance at Colebrooks No. 39, October 12th, Carleton No. 35, October 13th and Benjamin No. 31, October 14th. Attendance at Woodstock Lodge No. 11 October 6th, Bethel No. 40 November 3rd, Hartland No. 46 November 4th and at Tobique No. 48 November 17th, completed visits to the seven lodges in the district in 1949. The spring of 1950 gave hope of again visiting all the lodges but registered at five only.

I do not wish to weary you with the names and dates but briefly refer to a few features on the date of visit.

Bethel Lodge No. 40 on November 3rd last celebrated its 40th anniversary with special addresses

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and bounteous banquet, thanks to W. Bro. W. Percy Scott and all his fine Lodge. Secretary R:W: Bro. R. D. Baird's notices of meetings are particularly informative.

Tobique Lodge No. 48 on May 18th of this year had its 100th applicant, noteworthy for the short period since being constituted. Wor. Master Bro. Raymond Reed and I.P.M. Bro. Marven Edgar are to be congratulated.

Hartland Lodge No. 46 was paid a visit November 4 by Nollesemic Lodge No. 205, Millinocket, Maine who rendered the play, "A Rose Upon the Altar." The actors were praised by every brother present. The spirit which prompted these brethren to come so great a distance and provide such entertainment (gratis) is commendable to our own lodges and W.M. Bro. James Miller and his fine Brethren of Hartland Lodge were most fortunate.

As much as I wish to refer in detail to all visits, it would make my report very long. Those W. Masters and Officers of Colebrooke, Benjamin, Carleton and Woodstock Lodges are creditably doing quantities of degree work. W. Bro. Newton Bull of Woodstock Lodge No. 11 for a long period in Montreal Hospital has made a wonderful recovery. In all lodges it is favorably noted many young men are taking the offices. It is also gratifying when Past Masters maintain attendance and interest, though a few as Winston Churchill has said of himself, may feel "to have been turned out to grass."

The W. Masters and Brethren have indeed received your D.D.G.M. with fraternal warmth, both at labor and refreshment. Any observation of mine regarding care in following the ritual would apply equally favorably to all seven lodges. It is just possible we

all do fail in the reading of "Ancient Charges" at the very impressionable stage of the newly made Mason.

I am indebted to those W. Masters and others, including Immediate Past D.D.G.M. V:W: Bro. D. A. Somerville, who have made it possible to attend with me on these visits.

I should like to close my report with thanks for the honour of this appointment, also with the wish that your further itinerary may include visits to Tobique, Hartland and Woodstock Lodges, which would completely round out your official visits to all seven lodges in District No. 4.

F. E. MALLORY,  
D.D.G.M. District No. 4.

## DISTRICT No. 5

St. Stephen, N. B.

August, 1950.

*Dougald J. M. McLean,  
Most Worshipful Grand Master,  
Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, F. & A. M.:*

Most Worshipful Sir,

In submitting my report as District Deputy Grand Master for District No. 5, I wish to express to you my appreciation for the privilege and honor of representing you in this District.

I would first like to recall our visit to Milltown on September 29th when a large number of Masons and their wives gathered at a banquet to pay honor to three members of Victoria Lodge who had completed fifty years or more membership, these members were Rt. Wor. Arthur Hiltz, Worshipful Brother Gustave Klein and Brother Frank Roy and I am sure it afforded you great pleasure in presenting these three Brothers with fifty year jewels.

It is with regret that I have to report the death of Worshipful Brother Klein a short time after this but Rt. Wor. Bro. Hiltz and Brother Roy are still enjoying the best of health.

In November I attended your official visit to St. Marks Lodge. There was no degree work on this occasion but a very enjoyable evening was spent.

I attended the regular meeting of Sussex Lodge No. 7 in December. There was no degree work on this occasion but I witnessed the election of new officers and several items of business in connection with the past year.

In December I received an invitation to install the officers of my Mother Lodge, Victoria No. 26 at Milltown and was ably assisted by Past Master Kit-chener Hayman.

On January 9th in company with Rt. Wor. Brother Stanley D. Budd, I made a trip to Grand Manan where I acted as Director of Ceremonies and assisted Wor. Brother Budd in installing the officers of Mananook Lodge No. 35. We were given a most cordial reception and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

At the regular meeting of Alley Lodge No. 14 at Upper Mills in the month of April I made an official visit and witnessed the Entered Apprentice degree on two candidates in a very excellent manner. Worshipful Brother Glendon Smith deserves a great deal of credit for the work he has done for the benefit of his Mother Lodge, also the officers and Past Masters for the support they are giving him.

In the spring I again visited Sussex Lodge where I witnessed the Entered Apprentice degree on four candidates and was invited by Wor. Master Andrews to confer this degree on one candidate.

My next visit was to Sussex Lodge at a Special Communication on August 4th when a banquet was served previous to the meeting by the ladies of the O. E.S. The work on this occasion was carried out by Past Masters at which time I was again invited to take part. The work on this occasion was very well carried out, especially so, as a number of Past Masters had not taken part in degree work for some time and no rehearsals were held.

I regret that I have been unable to visit St. George Lodge during the year as I have been absent on every occasion when they were holding a meeting but I have received their notices regularly and note that they

have been very active having been forced to hold Special Communications to keep up their work.

I would like to mention that all Lodges excepting Mananook No. 38 have been very prompt in sending notices of their meetings and by these notices I have been able to note the activity of each Lodge particularly in the reception of new members. All Lodges have had a number of new members with the exception of Victoria No. 26 which has not had one application during the year so far.

In closing I would like to express my appreciation of the courtesies extended to me by the various Lodges which I visited and their cordial reception.

It has been a pleasure to act as your D.D.G.M. for the past year and I wish to thank you for your confidence in me. I only regret that I have not had more time to spend on the various duties of this office.

Fraternally yours,

HAROLD E. IRVING,  
D.D.G.M. District No. 5.

DISTRICT No. 6

Minto, N. B.

August 22, 1950.

*Dougald J. M. McLean,*  
*Most Worshipful Grand Master,*  
*Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, F. & A. M.:*

Most Worshipful Grand Master:

In submitting my third Report, I first wish to express my appreciation for the honor of reappointing me as District Deputy Grand Master for this District.

On November 10th accompanied by the Director of Ceremonies of Grand Lake Lodge I visited Cherry Mountain Lodge. The Third degree was exemplified by W.M. Murray and Officers. This was my first visit to this lodge since it became part of this jurisdiction and it was indeed a pleasure to witness the work of these men, as each knew and did his work to perfection. The Junior Officers gave the Lectures in a very impressive manner.

On December 27th Past District Grand Master A. D. King assisted by myself installed the officers of Grand Lake Lodge.

On March 2nd at 6 p.m. Ashlar Lodge suffered the loss of their entire belongings when the Oddfellows Hall at McAdam was destroyed by fire. The first meeting after the fire was held in the St. George's Memorial Hall on March 16th.

On April 20th accompanied by the Past Master and other members of Grand Lake Lodge I visited Ashlar Lodge at their second meeting after the fire which was held at the Masons' Hall at Harvey. The Entered Apprentice degree was conferred in a capable manner and the Hall Committee gave their report.

In 1949 a delegation of Past Masters and officers from Ashlar Lodge visited Minto to interview myself and others and see the New Temple of Grand Lake Lodge. After the interview Ashlar Lodge decided to erect their own Temple and had the basement started. They now have their building nearly completed and plan on holding their September meeting in this building.

I am very sorry to report that I did not make as many visits as I should have. On several occasions I planned on visiting Sunbury and Alexandria Lodges but owing to illness had to cancel these visits. But through personal contact with the Officers of these Lodges I know they have had a successful year in every way.

I have attended regular meetings of Grand Lake Lodge which also enjoyed a prosperous year.

On August 3rd all Lodges in this District held a joint picnic at Harvey Lake which I had the pleasure of attending. The true spirit of Masonry and co-operation was very noticeable and the picnic was very successful. Net proceeds from same went to Ashlar Lodge.

In closing I wish to thank all the officers and brothers who assisted me in any way during my term of office.

Fraternally yours,

W. E. THURROTT  
D.D.G.M. No. 7

DISTRICT No. 7

Cape Station, N. B.

August 1, 1950.

W. M. McLean, Grand Master,  
Grand Lodge of N. B., F. & A. M.:

Most Worshipful Grand Master:

It was my privilege and pleasure to be appointed D.D.G.M. after Brother James was transferred to Ontario in April; I therefore submit my report for District No. 7 and in so doing allow me to express my appreciation to you Sir for the honor conferred upon me.

It has been a very busy year for most of my Lodges and many of high rank have joined our ranks.

On April 28th I visited Fownes Lodge No. 45 and witnessed the Master Mason degree conferred upon two candidates in a very noble manner.

On May 2nd I visited Howard Lodge No. 15 and saw the Fellow-craft degree given to three candidates; as this was my father's Mother Lodge I attend it regularly and see a great improvement in the past year.

On May 5th I visited Salisbury Lodge No. 20 and witnessed the Master Mason degree exemplified on three candidates which was done in a very creditable manner.

On May 19th I visited Keith Lodge No. 23 where I witnessed the third degree put on in a very noble manner to four candidates.

On May 22nd I visited Acacia Lodge No. 49 where they gave the Entered Apprentice degree to four candidates in a very noble manner.

I attended all communications of Albert Lodge No. 34 which is my Mother Lodge, we have had no work this year but have had some very interesting talks on Masonry.

I visited Steven Lodge No. 37 on August 8th in my official capacity. I saw the Balloting on a candidate which was done in a very creditable manner. Two more petitions were read and there was considerable discussion on the building of a new Temple there; where they have the land already.

In closing allow me to take this opportunity of thanking you for the privilege of serving you.

I would like to thank those who assisted me in order to make this a successful year.

Fraternally yours,

D. A. BISHOP,  
D.D.G.M. District No. 7.

## OFFICERS OF GRAND LODGE, 1950-51

M:W:	Grand Master	DOUGALD J. M. McLEAN,	Black's Harbor, 12
R:W:	Deputy Grand Master	BAYARD STILWELL	Saint John, 3
R:W:	Senior Grand Warden	T. A. ROBINSON	Moncton, 23
R:W:	Junior Grand Warden	H. LEB. WRIGHT	Grand Falls, 39
V:W:	Grand Chaplain	REV. A. E. COLEMAN	Saint John, 22
V:W:	Grand Treasurer	MURRAY LATHAM	Saint John, 3
V:W:	Grand Secretary	R. D. MAGEE	Saint John, 1
R:W:	Grand Historian	A. J. ROBINSON	Moncton, 23
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 1	WILLIAM F. ARMSTRONG	Sussex, 21
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 2	HAROLD A. NICHOL	Moncton, 41
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 3	CLIFFORD W. LOBBAN	Chatham, 18
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 4	FRED. E. MALLORY	Woodstock, 11
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 5	HAROLD E. IRVING	Milltown, 26
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 6	WILSON WYLIE	Fredericton, 33
V:W:	D. D. G. M. No. 7	D. A. BISHOP	Albert, 34
W:	Grand Director of Ceremonies	W. JOHN CAMPBELL	Black's Harbour, 12
W:	Asst. Grand Director of Ceremonies	H. R. HATFIELD	Saint John, 1
W:	Senior Grand Deacon	B. W. GAMBLE	Saint Martins, 30
W:	Junior Grand Deacon	A. H. MCCAIN	Florenceville, 35
W:	Grand Sword Bearer	P. H. TRECARTIN	Milltown, 26
W:	Grand Standard Bearer	CLAUD FALES	Hillsborough, 14
W:	Grand Pursuivant	W. T. DRUMMOND	Moncton, 41
W:	Grand Organist	DR. HARRY C. DUNLOP	Saint John, 22
W:	Grand Tyler	WILLIAM R. POWELL	Saint John, 22
W:	Grand Steward	G. F. CAMPBELL	Saint John, 3
W:	Grand Steward	G. J. LANGELL	Sussex, 21
W:	Grand Steward	F. A. RYDER	Moncton, 49
W:	Grand Steward	E. A. RYDER	Moncton, 41
W:	Grand Steward	G. E. HOYT	St. George, 12
W:	Grand Steward	W. G. ANDREWS	St. Stephen, 7
W:	Grand Steward	STANLEY ATHERTON	Saint John, 1
W:	Grand Steward	H. S. DIXON	McAdam, 36
W:	Grand Steward	GLENDON SMITH	Hillsborough, 14
W:	Grand Steward	AMOS R. TINGLEY	Sackville, 28
W:	Grand Steward	F. M. ARMSTRONG	Saint John, 2
W:	Grand Steward	A. R. MANZER	Harvey, 50
W:	Grand Steward	L. T. DOUGHERTY	Saint Andrews, 5
W:	Grand Steward	W. J. SOMMERVILLE	West Saint John, 8
W:	Grand Steward	J. W. BABKIRK	Woodstock, 11
W:	Grand Steward	M. A. BATEMAN	Shediac, 24
W:	Grand Steward	O. B. NORTHERUP	Albert, 34
W:	Grand Steward	C. C. GAMMON	Bathurst, 27
W:	Grand Steward	H. B. WISELY	Chipman, 47
W:	Grand Steward	C. L. BLACK	Saint Martins, 30
W:	Grand Steward	M. W. DALTON	Saint John, 22
W:	Grand Steward	L. J. GILKER	Campbellton, 32
W:	Grand Steward	W. J. PETERS	Saint John, 10
W:	Grand Steward	R. T. REID	Plaster Rock, 48
W:	Grand Steward	F. A. ADAMS	Grand Falls, 39
W:	Grand Steward	R. A. MARCH	Dorchester, 4

## BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

*(Ex-Officio)*

M:W: DOUGALD J. M. MCLEAN.....Grand Master.  
 R:W: LEBARON WILSON.....Past Grand Master.  
 R:W: STANLEY M. WETMORE.....Past Grand Master.  
 R:W: G. PERCY BURCHILL.....Past Grand Master.  
 R:W: GUY H. HUMPHREY.....Past Grand Master.  
 R:W: JAMES S. HOYT.....Past Grand Master.  
 R:W: ARTHUR S. ROBINSON.....Past Grand Master.  
 R:W: DR. D. C. MALCOLM.....Past Grand Master.  
 R:W: BAYARD STILWELL.....Deputy Grand Master.  
 R:W: THOS. A. ROBINSON.....Senior Grand Warden.  
 R:W: H. LEB. WRIGHT.....Junior Grand Warden.  
 V:W: MURRAY LATHAM.....Grand Treasurer.  
 V:W: ROBERT D. MAGEE.....Grand Secretary.

*(Appointed)*

R:W: J. WILLIAM DUNCAN.....Past Deputy Grand Master.  
 R:W: W. PERLEY BARNHILL.....Past Deputy Grand Master.  
 R:W: ALBERT C. LEMMON.....Past Deputy Grand Master.  
 R:W: DR. F. A. GODSOE.....Past Senior Grand Warden.  
 R:W: HENRY D. HOPKINS.....Past Senior Grand Warden.  
 R:W: HERMAN E. SULLIVAN.....Past Senior Grand Warden.  
 V:W: REGINALD F. WRIGHT.....Past Grand Treasurer.  
 R:W: CHARLES F. SANFORD.....Past Junior Grand Warden.  
 V:W: ALAN N. MCGOWAN.....District Deputy Grand Master.  
 R:W: WILLIAM H. MCKAY.....Past Junior Grand Warden.

## COMMITTEES

### RITUAL COMMITTEE

*(Honorary)*

R:W: LEB. WILSON ..... ( 1 )

*(Ex Officio)*

M:W: THE GRAND MASTER  
 V:W: GRAND SECRETARY  
 THE D. D. G. M's.

*(Appointed)*

R:W: JAMES S. HOYT.....(22) *Chairman*  
 R:W: HENRY D. HOPKINS.....( 3 )  
 R:W: C. LEONARD JENKINS.....( 8 )  
 V:W: ERNEST H. CAMERON.....(22)  
 R:W: WILLIAM H. MCKAY.....(10)  
 W: CHARLES GRANT .....( 2 )  
 R:W: ALBERT C. LEMMON.....( 3 )

### JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE

R:W: CHARLES F. SANFORD... ( 2 ) *Chairman*  
 R:W: HORACE A. PORTER.....(10)  
 R:W: HENRY D. HOPKINS.....( 3 )  
 W: GREGORY F. G. BRIDGES.....(23)

### COMMITTEE ON RELATIONS WITH FOREIGN GRAND LODGES

R:W: STANLEY M. WETMORE.....( 3 ) *Chairman*  
 R:W: JAMES S. HOYT.....(22)  
 R:W: ARTHUR S. ROBINSON.....(23)  
 R:W: DR. D. C. MALCOLM.....( 1 )

**COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS  
TO NEW LODGES**

R:W: LeB. WILSON ..... ( 1 ) *Chairman*  
R:W: STANLEY M. WETMORE ..... ( 3 )

**COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE**

V:W: GRAND SECRETARY

**COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATION**

V:W: HERBERT I. KNOWLES ..... ( 1 ) *Chairman*  
R:W: HORACE A. PORTER ..... (10)  
V:W: REV. N. FRANCHETTI ..... (40)  
R:W: ALBERT C. LEMMON ..... ( 3 )

**LIBRARY COMMITTEE**

V:W: GRAND SECRETARY, *Chairman*  
R:W: J. LEONARD HEANS ..... (22)  
W: WILLIAM H. BRYDEN ..... ( 1 )

**INVESTMENT COMMITTEE**

V:W: HERMAN E. SULLIVAN ..... (3) *Chairman*  
V:W: ERNEST H. CAMERON ..... (22)  
V:W: REGINALD F. WRIGHT ..... ( 1 )  
V:W: MURRAY LATHAM ..... ( 3 )

**HONORARY PAST GRAND OFFICERS OF THE  
GRAND LODGE OF NEW BRUNSWICK, F. & A. M.**

Lord Amphill, Fre G. M. P. Colville Smith, G. Secty. J. S. G. Grenfell A. Barrett Brown William Kerr Sir George McL. Brown Samuel H. Wrage, G.M. Allan M. Wilson, P.G.M. A. Hernan McMillan, G.M. Melbourne R. Chappell, P.G.M. Reginald V. Hartsis, P.G.M., G. Secty. D. G. Percy Sanderson, P.G.M. Addison G. Brooks, P.S.G.W. Granville C. Gray, G.M.	Past Grand Master April 27, 1920  August 22, 1946 August 22, 1946 August 22, 1946 August 22, 1946 August 22, 1946 August 22, 1946 August 25, 1949	Past Sr. Gr. Warden April 27, 1920	Past Jr. Gr. Warden April 27, 1920 April 27, 1920	Past Sr. Gr. Deacon April 27, 1920 April 27, 1920
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## ROLL OF

NO.	NAME OF LODGE	LOCATION	REGULAR COMMUNICATION
1—	Albion	Saint John	Second Wednesday
2—	Saint John's	Saint John	First Tuesday
3—	Hibernia	Saint John	Second Tuesday
4—	Sussex	Dorchester	Thursday on or after Full Moon
5—	Saint Mark's	Saint Andrews	First Thursday
6—	Hiram	Fredericton	First Thursday
7—	Sussex	Saint Stephen	First Tuesday
8—	Carleton Union	Saint John, West	First Thursday
10—	Union of Portland	Saint John	Third Tuesday
11—	Woodstock	Woodstock	First Thursday
12—	Saint George	Saint George	First Wednesday
13—	The Corinthian	Hampton	Second Wednesday
14—	Alley	Upper Mills	First Thursday
15—	Howard	Hillsboro	First Tuesday
16—	Saint Andrew	Richibucto	Second Monday
17—	Northumberland	Newcastle	Second Tuesday
18—	Miramichi	Chatham	Third Monday
20—	Salisbury	Salisbury	First Friday
21—	Zion	Sussex	First Monday
22—	New Brunswick	Saint John	Second Thursday
23—	Keith	Moncton	Third Friday
24—	Zetland	Shediac	Second Thursday
25—	Restigouche	Dalhousie	Tuesday on or after full moon
26—	Victoria	Milltown	Second Thursday
27—	Saint John	Bathurst	Second Tuesday
28—	Lebanon	Sackville	Third Wednesday
30—	Saint Martins	Saint Martins	Second Monday
31—	Benjamin	Andover	First Thursday
32—	Campbellton	Campbellton	First Monday
33—	Alexandria	Fredericton	First Monday
34—	Albert	Albert	Second Tuesday
35—	Carleton	East Florenceville	Second Thursday
36—	Ashlar	McAdam	Third Thursday
37—	Steven	Petitcodiac	Second Tuesday
38—	Mananook	Grand Manan	First Tuesday
39—	Colebrooke	Grand Falls	Second Wednesday
40—	Bethel	Edmundston	First Friday
41—	Tweedie	Moncton	Second Friday
42—	Sunbury	Fredericton Jct.	First Saturday
44—	Westmorland	Port Elgin	Second Wednesday
45—	Fownes	Havelock	Fourth Friday
46—	Hartland	Hartland	First Friday
47—	Grand Lake	Minto	Second Wednesday
48—	Tobique	Plaster Rock	Third Thursday
49—	Acacia	Moncton	Fourth Monday
50—	Cherry Mt.	Harvey Station	Second Thursday

## LODGES, 1950

NO.	NAME OF WOR. MASTER	NAME AND ADDRESS OF SECRETARY
1—	Stanley Atherton	W: Kenneth R. Nelson, P.O. Box 652.
2—	Francis M. Armstrong	V:W: W. J. Bambury, 70 Elliott Row.
3—	George F. Campbell	R:W: H. D. Hopkins, P.O. Box 475.
4—	Ralph Edgar March	Bro: C. H. Allen, Dorchester.
5—	Lloyd T. Dougherty	Bro: P. M. Greene, Box 297, St. Andrews.
6—	Donald J. MacLeod	Bro: J. H. Ramsay, 329 George, Fred'ton.
7—	William G. Andrews	W: V. W. Steeves, St. Stephen.
8—	William J. Summerville	V:W: L. M. Wilson, 238 Charlotte St., West
10—	William J. Peters	W: James A. Little, 214 Duke St.
11—	James W. Babkirk	Bro: H. J. Speer, P.O. Box 109, Woodstock.
12—	George E. Hoyt	Bro: M. W. MacKenzie, St. George.
13—	George Chalmer Long	Bro: Donald Logie, Hampton Station.
14—	Glendon S. Smith	W: H. E. Winslow, Upper Mills.
15—	Floyd C. Steeves	Wor: F. B. Jonah, Hillsborough.
16—	Alexander MacAully	W: J. G. Pine, Richibucto.
17—	C. S. Amos	R:W: W. C. Maltby, Newcastle.
18—	Rev. Thos. Parker	W: H. L. Burbridge, Chatham.
20—	Drury A. Lewis	W: N. B. Alward, Salisbury.
21—	George J. Langell	Bro: D. S. McFarlane, Sussex.
22—	Maurice M. Dalton	W: A. G. Hoar, 48 Hazen St.
23—	Philip L. W. Drader	V:W: R. L. Algie, 62 Archibald St., Moncton
24—	Marcus A. Bateman	Bro: L. C. Atkinson, Shediac.
25—	Harold E. McEwen	W: J. A. Duncan, Dalhousie.
26—	Bernard G. Douglas	Wor: P. H. Trecartin, Milltown.
27—	Clinton C. Gammon	Wor: W. H. Luke, Bathurst
28—	Amos R. Tingley	W: M. E. Tower, Sackville.
30—	Cecil LeR. Black	W: E. H. Jackson, West Quaco.
31—	G. Edward Palmer	Wor: R. E. Ayers, Aroostook Junction
32—	Lyman J. Gilker	V:W: A. R. Metzler, Campbellton.
33—	Gordon E. Merrithew	R:W: C. J. MacDonald, 683 Union, Fred'ton
34—	Orin V. Northrup	V:W: D. A. Bishop, Cape Station.
35—	J. Ernest J. Smalley	W: A. D. Carvell, Centreville.
36—	H. S. Dixon	Wor: P. E. Pheaney, McAdam
37—	Earl E. McPherson	Bro: W. S. Blakney, Petitcodiac.
38—	Kenneth W. Ingersoll	Bro: B. W. Wilson, North Hd., Gr. Manan
39—	Fred A. Adams	V:W: H. L. Wright, Grand Falls.
40—	Herbert P. Hierlihy	R:W: R. D. Baird, Edmundston.
41—	Everett A. Ryder	Bro: S. T. Peters, Gunningsville.
42—	Lee A. Mersereau	Wor: P. C. Mersereau, Fredericton Jct.
44—	William Ward	W: C. G. Prescott, Baie Verte.
45—	V. L. Stevens	W: E. B. Hicks, Havelock.
46—	Frederick W. Dickinson	R:W: R. D. Stewart, Hartland.
47—	W. Burton Wisely	Bro: W. M. Russell, Minto
48—	Raymond T. Reed	Bro: H. M. Knox, Plaster Rock.
49—	Frank A. Ryder	W: J. C. Wells, 1 Humphrey St. Moncton
50—	A. Ray Manzer	Bro: M. H. Lister, Harvey Station.

## GRAND SECRETARIES

GRAND LODGE	GRAND SECRETARY	ADDRESS
Alabama	C. H. STUBINGER	Montgomery
Alberta	GEORGE MOORE	West Calgary
Arizona	HARRY A. DRACHMAN	Tucson
Arkansas	W. A. THOMAS	Little Rock
British Columbia	W. R. SIMPSON	Vancouver
California	LLOYD E. WILSON	San Francisco
Canada (in Ontario)	E. G. DIXON	Hamilton
Colombia (Bogota)	JOSE A. CANCELADO	Bogota
Colorado	HARRY W. BUNDY	Denver
Connecticut	EARLE K. HALING	Hartford
Costa Rica	ENRIQUE CHAVES	San Jose
Cuba	CONSTANTINO PAIS	Havana
Delaware	CHESTER R. JONES	Wilmington
Denmark	ALEX TRUEDSSEN	Copenhagen
Dist. of Columbia	AUBREY H. CLAYTON	Washington
England	SYDNEY A. WHITE	London
Florida	GEO. W. HUFF	Jacksonville
Georgia	D. W. LOCKLIN	Macon
Guatemala	JOSE O. CASTANEDA	Guatemala City
Idaho	CLYDE I. RUSH	Boise
Illinois	R. C. DAVENPORT	Harrisburg
Indiana	WILLIAM H. SWINTZ	Indianapolis
Iowa	EARL B. DELZELL	Cedar Rapids
Ireland	HENRY C. SHELLARD	Dublin
Kansas	ELMER F. STRAIN	Topeka
Kentucky	AL. E. ORTON	Louisville
Louisiana	D. PETER LAGUENS, Jr.	New Orleans
Maine	CONVERS E. LEACH	Portland
Manitoba	H. CODDINGTON	Winnipeg
Maryland	CLAUD SHAFFER	Baltimore
Massachusetts	FRANK H. HILTON	Boston
Michigan	F. HOMER NEWTON	Grand Rapids
Minnesota	JOHN H. ANDERSON	St. Paul
Mississippi	SID. F. CURTIS	Meridian
Missouri	HAROLD L. READER	St. Louis
Montana	LUTHER T. HAUBERG	Helena
Nebraska	CARL R. GREISEN	Omaha
Nevada	E. C. PETERSON	Carson City

GRAND LODGE	GRAND SECRETARY	ADDRESS
Netherlands	A. F. L. FAUBEL	Hague
New Hampshire	J. MELVIN DRESSER	Concord
New Jersey	ISAAC CHERRY	Trenton
New Mexico	LAMOINE LANGSTON	Albuquerque
New South Wales	JAS. S. MILLER	Sydney
New York	GEORGE R. IRVING	New York
New Zealand	H. A. LAMB	Wellington
Newfoundland (E)	R. B. BROWN	St. John's
Newfoundland (S)	E. FRED PETERS	St. John's
North Carolina	WILBUR L. McIVER	Raleigh
North Dakota	HAROLD S. BOND	Fargo
Norway	O. BRINCHMAN-HANSEN	Oslo
Nova Scotia	R. V. HARRIS	Halifax
Ohio	H. S. JOHNSON	Cincinnati
Oklahoma	CLAUDE A. STURGEON	Guthrie
Oregon	H. D. PROUDFOOT	Portland
Panama	JOSE OLLER	Panama City
Pennsylvania		
Philippine Islands	ANTONIO GONZALES	Manila
Puerto Rico	ANGEL M. TORRES	San Juan
P. E. Island	L. A. MACDOUGALL	Charlottetown
Quebec	W. W. WILLIAMSON	Montreal
Queensland	E. G. RADFORD	Brisbane
Rhode Island	N. ARTHUR HYLAND	Providence
Saskatchewan	R. A. TATE	Regina
Scotland	W. K. GILLIES	Edinburgh
South Australia	R. OWEN FOX	Adelaide
South Carolina	H. COLLINS	Columbia
South Dakota	ELVIN F. STRAIN	Sioux Falls
Sweden	ERIC HALLIN	Stockholm
Tennessee	THOMAS E. DOSS	Nashville
Texas	LEO HART	Waco
Utah	EMERY R. GIBSON	Salt Lake City
Vermont	A. H. GROUT	Burlington
Victoria	WILLIAM STEWART	Melbourne
Virginia	JAMES N. HILLMAN	Richmond
Washington	JOHN I. PREISSNER	Tacoma
Western Australia	F. W. M. SANDERS	Perth
West Virginia	I. W. COFFMAN	Charleston
Wisconsin	P. W. CROSSENBACH	Milwaukee
Wyoming	IRVING E. CLARK	Casper
York, G. L. Mexico	WILLIAM WEBBER	Mexico D. F.

## JOINED

Rae Malcolm Crone	Albion Lodge No. 1.
Charles F. Gorham	Albion Lodge No. 1.
John Gordon Galloway	Hibernia Lodge No. 3.
Allison Cleveland Griffin	Hibernia Lodge No. 3.
David James Brown	Hibernia Lodge No. 3.
Alexander Newman Kidd	Hibernia Lodge No. 3.
C. W. Renard	Sussex Lodge No. 4.
George Cartwright Spence	Sussex Lodge No. 4.
Joseph Wells Robinson	Sussex Lodge No. 4.
John Kenneth Wills	Hiram Lodge No. 6.
Walter S. Allen	Sussex Lodge No. 7.
John Wallace Cameron	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8.
Charles Haliburton Cochrane	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8.
Ralph Ellsworth Langell	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8.
George Gilroy Herrington	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8.
Hedley A. Schofield	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10.
Louis Phillip Fontaine	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10.
Otty F. Vaughan	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10.
Albert George Johnston	Woodstock Lodge No. 11.
Henry Emerson Grant	Saint George Lodge No. 12.
Edmund Wallace Bradford	Saint George Lodge No. 12.
Archibald A. MacLeod	Howard Lodge No. 15.
Rev. J. R. Miller	Saint Andrews Lodge No. 16.
Richard Jones	Northumberland Lodge No. 17.
William P. Erb	Zion Lodge No. 21.
Alonzo Arnold Simpson	Zion Lodge No. 21.
Maxwell Herbert Walker	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22.
David Douglas Major	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22.
George Fred Knight	Keith Lodge No. 23.
L. Carleton Atkinson	Zetland Lodge No. 24.
Oscar Keith Myers	Zetland Lodge No. 24.
George Keyes	Victoria Lodge No. 26.
Allan G. MacDonald, Jr.	Victoria Lodge No. 26.
Rev. D. C. MacKenzie	Victoria Lodge No. 26.
Eugene Bannerman	Lodge Saint John No. 27.
Blake A. Oulton	Lodge Saint John No. 27.
James Mitchell	Lodge Saint John No. 27.
Wilmot H. Hatheway	Lodge Saint John No. 27.
Clarence Wilfred Lutes	Lebanon Lodge No. 28.
Lynn H. Fielding	Lebanon Lodge No. 28.
John Crowley	Lebanon Lodge No. 28.

## JOINED—Continued

Waldo Emmerson Hirtle	Lebanon Lodge No. 28.
Samuel H. McWhinney	Saint Martins Lodge No. 30.
John James Hudson, Sr.	Benjamin Lodge No. 31.
Edward Maxwell White	Benjamin Lodge No. 31.
Sewell Vinal Shaw	Benjamin Lodge No. 31.
Harry Forman Fair	Campbellton Lodge No. 32.
Stuart Grey Reid	Campbellton Lodge No. 32.
Thomas Irvine Riley	Campbellton Lodge No. 32.
Albert Edgar Hanson	Alexandria Lodge No. 33.
Murray Alexander Spencer	Alexandria Lodge No. 33.
William James Stewart	Carleton Lodge No. 35.
Edward Leane Smith	Ashlar Lodge No. 36.
Edward Ernest Eastwick	Steven Lodge No. 37.
Owen Gilmore	Steven Lodge No. 37.
Perley Raymond Seely	Bethel Lodge No. 40.
Arthur E. Spinney	Bethel Lodge No. 40.
Woodford Wilmot Craig	Hartland Lodge No. 46.
Guy Randolph Pugh	Tobique Lodge No. 48.
Max Macklin	Acacia Lodge No. 49.
Harry Burton Walthen	Acacia Lodge No. 49.
Winston Araett Steeves	Acacia Lodge No. 49.
John L. Rose	Cherry Mountain Lodge No. 50.

## RE-INSTATED

Clarence D. Day	Albion Lodge No. 1
W. Harry McFarlane	Albion Lodge No. 1
Leslie A. Cooper	Saint John's Lodge No. 2
Calvin F. Granville	Saint John's Lodge No. 2
Charles Edgar Cook	Sussex Lodge No. 4
Frank L. Masson	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
William G. Cornfield	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Cecil E. Harland	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
W. George C. Sale	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Murray I. Gamblin	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Archibald R. Crawford	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
R. C. Everson	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Carl L. Webber	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Herman E. Webber	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Gillman C. Chaffey	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Victor H. Bradford	Saint George Lodge No. 12

## RE-INSTATED—Continued

Lloyd C. Acheson.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Arthur Lee.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Horace O. Cross.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Leslie Eldridge.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Fred A. McVicar.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Charles Roy McKenzie.....	The Corinthian Lodge No. 13
Harvey Clifford Johnson.....	Alley Lodge No. 14
George W. Nelson.....	Howard Lodge No. 15
George W. Wilson.....	Zion Lodge No. 21
Courtenay C. Mason.....	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Lewis J. Mitton.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
Albert C. Rhodes.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
A. D. Durham.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
W. W. Woodworth.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
Maurice O'Connor.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
James Ernest Lutes.....	Restigouche Lodge No. 25
Murray A. Campbell.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Gaston Rideout.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Guy R. Pugh.....	Benjamin Lodge No. 31
Alexander L. Calhoun.....	Alexandria Lodge No. 33
James Merrill Russell.....	Albert Lodge No. 34
Gordon Dallas Davis.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
James S. Mann.....	Menanook Lodge No. 38
Thomas T. Hammond.....	Bethel Lodge No. 40
George M. Myles.....	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
Kenneth L. Wilson.....	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
Elton Byron Hicks.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45

## DEMITTED

Geoffrey C. Wilson.....	Saint John's Lodge No. 2
Harry B. Wathan.....	Hiram Lodge No. 6
Robert K. Anderson.....	Hiram Lodge No. 6
David D. Harvey.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
Ward S. McKaskell.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
Theophilus Wesley Doull.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Lloyd Edmund Thompson.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Donald Murray Thompson.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Roland H. L. Skinner.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Robert R. Roberts.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Henry Malin.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10

## DEMITTED—Continued

Arnold Outhouse.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Herbert H. Batton.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Harold McKay.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Ralph McDowell.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
James McGregor.....	Saint Andrews Lodge No. 16
Carlton A. Atkinson.....	Saint Andrews Lodge No. 16
Isaac Hoffman.....	Miramichi Lodge No. 18
Hedley A. Schofield.....	Zion Lodge No. 21
Gilbert Andrew Newcombe.....	Zion Lodge No. 21
George W. Wilson.....	Zion Lodge No. 21
Levi LeGrow.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
A. D. Durham.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
Thomas I. Riley.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
A. D. Nelson.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
John B. Cotton.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
T. E. Stuart-Stubbs.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
John Crowley.....	Keith Lodge No. 23
Maurice O'Connor.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Gerry S. Beckett.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Cecil M. Langille.....	Lodge Saint John No. 27
George C. Spence.....	Lodge Saint John No. 27
Harold S. Hamer.....	Lebanon Lodge No. 28
Lester A. Fillmore.....	Lebanon Lodge No. 28
Hazen A. Kirkpatrick.....	Saint Martin's Lodge No. 30
Guy R. Pugh.....	Benjamin Lodge No. 31
Robert Baxter Graham.....	Campbellton Lodge No. 32
Albert Stewart Leigh.....	Campbellton Lodge No. 32
John Powell McQuaid.....	Albert Lodge No. 34
John Thomas Cook.....	Albert Lodge No. 34
Gordon Dallas Davis.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
A. Ray Manzer.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
John Edward McLean.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
Charles Arthur Smith.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
Harry Thomas Swan.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
John Amos Essensea.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
James Moore Maxwell.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
William A. Revell.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
Robert A. Goggin.....	Steven Lodge No. 37
John J. Hudson.....	Colebrooke Lodge No. 39
Harold L. Mallory.....	Colebrooke Lodge No. 39
A. S. Lyle.....	Tweedie Lodge No. 41

## DEMITTED—Continued

Earl G. Price.....	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
Elmer L. Johnson.....	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
B. T. Trerice.....	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
Rev. Roy H. McKenzie.....	Westmoreland Lodge No. 44
Ray Ward.....	Westmoreland Lodge No. 44

## SUSPENDED

Kenneth C. Cairns.....	Albion Lodge No. 1
Charles W. Gibbs.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
John T. Mitchell.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Flavis L. Allen.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
Perley G. Brittney.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
J. Carson Connors.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
Edmund G. Hallstone.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
Charles McLaughlin.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
Justin A. Stewart.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
John Reginald Stevenson.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
George Edward Henderson.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Talmadge S. Fenwick.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
C. Stuart Stevenson.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
George L. Phillips.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Kenneth A. Northrup.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Kenneth P. Phillips.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
John H. A. Bell.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Norman J. Thorne.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Charles R. Gilmour.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Harold I. Price.....	Union Lodge of Portland No. 10
Charles Roy McKenzie.....	The Corinthian Lodge No. 13
Rev. Gordon S. Fraser.....	The Corinthian Lodge No. 13
Murray Usher Edgar.....	The Corinthian Lodge No. 13
Gilbert R. Flewelling.....	The Corinthian Lodge No. 13
Myron Franklin McKay.....	Howard Lodge No. 15
Aubrey Cleveland Irving.....	Howard Lodge No. 15
Walter R. Wilson.....	Howard Lodge No. 15
Harry W. Gourley.....	Salisbury Lodge No. 20
Walter F. Garrett.....	Salisbury Lodge No. 20
Basil A. Eagles.....	Salisbury Lodge No. 20
W. Stanley Barnes.....	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Beverly A. Stevens.....	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Leslie K. Grant.....	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22

## SUSPENDED—Continued

Leonard Richard Adlam.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Reginald F. Austin.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Albert C. Berg.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Richard Bartoux Colwell.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Charles B. Croasdale.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Wallace E. Gilbertson.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Malcolm Graham.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
John Y. Hamilton.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Malcolm Alex Hardy.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Harley Frank Harriman.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Andrew D. Irvine.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Herbert Edward Johnstone.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Frank Leache.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Joseph Alexander Munroe.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Herbert John Moore.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
William E. Nichols.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Clarke Wallace Pye.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Gerald A. Rockwell.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Joseph Theodore Severenuk.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Milton Lloyd Shaw.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Frederick H. Smith.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
R. Hill Stewart.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Ronny J. Stibbards.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Neil Harold Stewart.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
William Thompson.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Norman Allen Warren.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Charles Arnold Wilson.....	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Ralph Farnham.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Hugh C. Titus.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Howard Caswell.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Tom Chadwick.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Thomas C. McIntyre.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Ernest Sprague.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
James W. Griggs.....	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Thomas C. Sealey.....	Lodge Saint John No. 27
L. Sterling Anderson.....	Lodge Saint John No. 27
James R. Calkin.....	Lebanon Lodge No. 28
Charles A. Krug.....	Lebanon Lodge No. 28
John W. Fawcett.....	Lebanon Lodge No. 28
A. Lorne Wry.....	Lebanon Lodge No. 28
Robert McDonald Clark.....	Saint Martins Lodge No. 30

## SUSPENDED—Continued

Murray L. Howard.....	Benjamin Lodge No. 31
John L. Saunders.....	Alexandria Lodge No. 33
Charles A. Slane.....	Alexandria Lodge No. 33
Olba Holmes Anderson.....	Albert Lodge No. 34
J. Brooke Young.....	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
F. G. Spafford.....	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
John Horsman.....	Westmoreland Lodge No. 44
Fred Fillmore.....	Westmoreland Lodge No. 44
Walter Waye.....	Westmoreland Lodge No. 44
Thomas Carl Chapman.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45
Percy Lloyd Dunham.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45
John Dunham.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45
Roy Edward Garden.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45
Claude O. Perry.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45
Frank Melbourne Price.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45
Sumner Sterling Alward.....	Fownes Lodge No. 45

## WITHDRAWN

Donald P. Patterson.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Herbert F. Gowing.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Ernest W. Kearney.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Arthur H. Peters.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
G. Blair Finigan.....	Saint Mark's Lodge No. 5
William E. Johnston.....	Saint Mark's Lodge No. 5
James Edward Dowling.....	Alley Lodge No. 14
Harvey Clifford Johnson.....	Alley Lodge No. 14
Stephen Schurman Steeves.....	Howard Lodge No. 15
Courtenay T. Mason.....	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Frederick D. Stirling.....	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
James T. Logan.....	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Allen G. MacDonald.....	Restigouche Lodge No. 25
Linsay H. McAllister.....	Restigouche Lodge No. 25
John H. McLauchlan.....	Restigouche Lodge No. 25
Arnold A. Smith.....	Restigouche Lodge No. 25
Russell Farrell.....	Grand Lake Lodge No. 47

## DIED

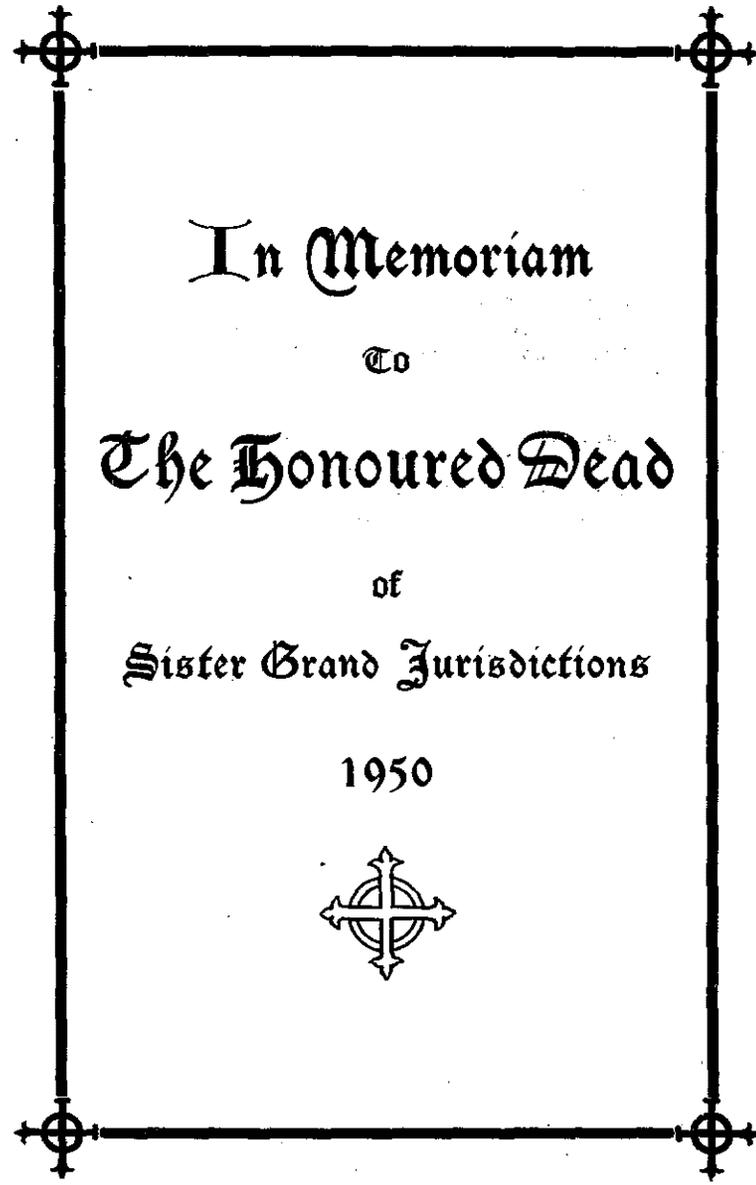
James D. McKenna, P.M.....	Albion Lodge No. 1
George French Wright.....	Albion Lodge No. 1
Costis D. Macris.....	Albion Lodge No. 1
Fred Doig.....	Albion Lodge No. 1
Stephen W. Fletcher.....	Albion Lodge No. 1
Robert W. Boys.....	Saint John's Lodge No. 2
William Graham.....	Saint John's Lodge No. 2
William E. Gandall.....	Saint John's Lodge No. 2
Ross W. Thurston.....	Saint John's Lodge No. 2
James D. Nichol.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Richard Arscott.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
William A. Ross.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
James Hogg.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Horace S. Browne.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Murdoch J. C. Stewart.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
George J. Babcock.....	Hibernia Lodge No. 3
Henry Owen Rigby.....	Saint Mark's Lodge No. 5
William J. Allerton.....	Saint Mark's Lodge No. 5
Charles H. Colwell, P.M.....	Hiram Lodge No. 6
William E. McMullen, P.M.....	Hiram Lodge No. 6
George D. Sinclair.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
A. C. Gregory, P.M.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
George D. McBride.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
F. D. J. Graham.....	Sussex Lodge No. 7
William Leonard Ellis.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Harold Mayes, Sr.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
John Percy Cruikshank.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Thomas Frederick Keeble.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
David Auriel Duffy.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
William Alex. Dougherty.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
Edward Otis Bender.....	Carleton Union Lodge No. 8
William Donald Rankin.....	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
George Perley Fox.....	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
Charles Hugh Gough.....	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
David Allison Gibson.....	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
Harry Willard Cowan.....	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
Charles Alexander Munro.....	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
Alger Glazier Dickinson.....	Woodstock Lodge No. 11
John E. Dodds.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
John Mahar.....	Saint George Lodge No. 12
Horace Isaac Polleys.....	Alley Lodge No. 14

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Henry James Lydick	Alley Lodge No. 14
Joel Ross Steeves, P.M.	Howard Lodge No. 15
William E. Wilson	Howard Lodge No. 15
James Mailer	Northumberland Lodge No. 17
Harry R. Moody, P.M.	Northumberland Lodge No. 17
Robert A. Snowball, P.M.	Miramichi Lodge No. 18
Frederick P. Heckbert, P.M.	Miramichi Lodge No. 18
Alexander G. Dickson	Miramichi Lodge No. 18
Harvey Mitchell, P.M.	Zion Lodge No. 21
Arthur B. Teakles	Zion Lodge No. 21
George M. Keith	Zion Lodge No. 21
William H. Cooper	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Ralph S. Stephenson, P.M.	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Gray B. N. Keith	New Brunswick Lodge No. 22
Alfred Bottle	Keith Lodge No. 23
Benjamin N. Hanson	Keith Lodge No. 23
W. Percy MacDonald	Keith Lodge No. 23
E. A. Schoch	Keith Lodge No. 23
Roy A. Young	Keith Lodge No. 23
G. Brooks Edgett	Keith Lodge No. 23
N. R. Norman	Keith Lodge No. 23
George L. Welling, P.M.	Zetland Lodge No. 24
Gustave Klien, P.M.	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Raymond Johnson	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Albion S. Irvine	Victoria Lodge No. 26
Colin Gleason	Victoria Lodge No. 26
R. Ross	Lodge Saint John No. 27
Peter Poster	Lodge Saint John No. 27
W. B. Stanton, P.M.	Lodge Saint John No. 27
Wm. A. Scott, P.M.	Lodge Saint John No. 27
Arthur B. Copp, P.M.	Lebanon Lodge No. 28
R. E. Shanklin, P.M.	St. Martin's Lodge No. 30
Kelsey R. Walker	St. Martin's Lodge No. 30
George C. Phelps	St. Martin's Lodge No. 30
John Allaby	St. Martin's Lodge No. 30
O. W. Wood	St. Martin's Lodge No. 30
Wilson Loughery	St. Martin's Lodge No. 30
Ray R. Porter	Benjamin Lodge No. 31
George R. Mavor	Benjamin Lodge No. 31
Harry D. Street	Benjamin Lodge No. 31
William Guy Wyers	Campbellton Lodge No. 32

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John Burrow P.M.	Alexandria Lodge No. 33
Silas C. Wright, P.M.	Albert Lodge No. 34
A Samuel Prouse	Albert Lodge No. 34
George H. Densmore	Carleton Lodge No. 35
Frederick Dodd Tweedie, P.M.	Carleton Lodge No. 35
Joseph F. Fearon	Ashlar Lodge No. 36
Scott D. Guptill	Menanook Lodge No. 38
Roy Guptill	Menanook Lodge No. 38
Clyde E. Hacker	Colebrooke Lodge No. 39
Thomas L. Good	Bethel Lodge No. 40
Albert C. Johnson	Bethel Lodge No. 40
Charles Edgar Morton	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
C. Sherman Blakeny	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
E. Benjamin David	Tweedie Lodge No. 41
Spurgeon Israel Perry	Fownes Lodge No. 45
LeBaron Dimick	Fownes Lodge No. 45
Gordon C. Luskey, P.M.	Hartland Lodge No. 46
Wendell B. Nixon, P.M.	Hartland Lodge No. 46
Scott T. Dickinson	Hartland Lodge No. 46
Harold E. Clarke	Grand Lake Lodge No. 47
Silas Wright, P.M.	Acacia Lodge No. 49
Robert F. Galbraith	Acacia Lodge No. 49
Ford Messer	Cherry Mountain Lodge No. 50



In Memoriam

To

The Honoured Dead

of

Sister Grand Jurisdictions

1950



*"There is no death! the stars go down  
To rise upon some fairer shore,  
And bright in Heaven's jewelled crown  
They shine for ever more.*

*"They are not dead! they have but passed  
Beyond the mists that bind us here,  
Into the new and larger life  
Of that serener sphere."*

**In Memory of**



**Worshipful**

**Robert Archibald Snowball**

**Miramichi Lodge No. 18**

**Deputy Grand Master, 1923**

**Died July 8, 1949**



**Worshipful**

**William Benjamin Stanton**

**Saint John Lodge No. 27**

**District Deputy Grand Master, 1927**

**Died September 13, 1949**

In Memory of



Worshipful

Ralph Stanley Stephenson

The New Brunswick Lodge No. 22

Senior Grand Deacon, 1933

Died December 24, 1949



Worshipful

Frederick H. Heckbert

Miramichi Lodge No. 18

Grand Director of Ceremonies, 1933-34

Died August 11, 1948

In Memory of Past Masters



James Daly McKenna

ALBION LODGE No. 1

Died March 16th, 1949

Charles Herbert Colwell

HIRAM LODGE No. 6

Died May 13th, 1949

William Ernest McMullen

HIRAM LODGE No. 6

Died August 6th, 1949

Albert Chester Gregory

SUSSEX LODGE No. 7

Died May 28th, 1949

Joel Ross Steeves

HOWARD LODGE No. 15

Died April 28th, 1949

In Memory of Past Masters



Harry R. Moody

NORTHUMBERLAND LODGE No. 17

Died April 6th, 1949

Harvey Mitchell

ZION LODGE No. 21

Died January, 1949

George L. Welling

ZETLAND LODGE No. 24

Died April 8th, 1949

Gustav Klien

VICTORIA LODGE No. 26

Died December 26th, 1949

William Abram Scott

SAINT JOHN LODGE No. 27

Died April 29th, 1949

In Memory of Past Masters



Arthur B. Copp

LEBANON LODGE No. 28

Died December 4th, 1949

Robert E. Shanklin

ST. MARTIN'S LODGE No. 30

Died November 30th, 1949

John Burrow

ALEXANDRIA LODGE No. 33

Died 1949

Silas Clarke Wright

ALBERT LODGE No. 34

Died May 10th, 1949

Frederick Dodd Tweedie

CARLETON LODGE No. 35

Died September 8th, 1949

**In Memory of Past Masters**



**Gordon G. Luskey**

HARTLAND LODGE No. 46  
Died February 9th, 1949

**Wendell Burton Nixon**

HARTLAND LODGE No. 46  
Died March 3rd, 1949

*"How fast they fall, those we have known,  
As leaves from Autumn branches blown so quickly sear,  
Yes; one by one they drop away  
As leaves that fall, and stray and disappear.*

*"Sleep on, dear friend, such lives as thine  
Have not been lived in vain,  
But shed an influence rare, divine,  
On those who here remain."*