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In Grand (hapter

THE Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick, assembled in the Sixty-ninth Annual Convocation at the Masonic Hall in the town of Sussex, on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of June.

The Most Excellent First Grand Principal and Grand Chapter Officers entered and assumed their respective stations.

Grand Chapter was duty declared opened in Ample Form at nine-fifty in the morning. Most Excellent Lawrence E. Bayley presided.

The Grand Scribe E, reported that there were a sufficient number of Chapters (all but one) represented to carry on the proceedings of Grand Chapter.

The opening prayer of Grand Chapter was given by the V.Ex. Grand Chaptain:—

"Guide us, O Great Jehovah, in our deliberations of this day. Be with those of our Companions who, through sickness or other cause, are mable to attend this Convocation, and may we be inspired by the memory and achievements of those Companions who have gone before us. Amen."

There being no invitations received, according to Constitution the 1957 Annual Convocation will be held at Saint John, June 27th, 1957.

GRAND CHAPTER DEVOTIONS

Divine Service was conducted by Very Excellent Companion Rev. Karl F. Drew, Grand Chaplain, as follows:—

Prayer of Invocation—O Thou, Who art the Great Architect of the Universe and the giver of every good and perfect gift, as we gather together in this Temple, we thank Thee for the many gifts of Thy toye bestowed on us since our last Convocation of Grand Chapter. Establish in us, we bestech Thee, Thy purposes removing from our lives all superfluities of mind and spirit so that we may be fashioned as more fitting stones for that Living Temple not made with hands eternal in the Heavens.

The Lord's Prayer in unison.

Hymn, Time "Wareham"

Thou glurious God, before whose face. The generations pass away.

As, to our tyes, the tender grace.

And marvel of early shiring day,

We thank Ther for the joy sublime Of years so radiant with Thy power That all the best of endless time Seems granted to the fleeting bour.

We proise Thee for the surer right,

The clearer message from above
The lengthening day, the shortening night,
The wiser ministeries of love.

We bless Thee for the Iriends we miss,

Who made our peace, and stilled our pain;

We trust Thee on some height of bliss

The bring them close to us again,

We magnify Thy holy Name,

And while in Three our hearts rejoice,

Strong be our wills, through praise and blante,

To do the bidding of Thy voice.

Prayer of Consecration-O Thou who hast set in our

hearts the knowledge of immortality and prepared for us, a house not made with hands, eternal in the Heavens, we would, at this time, remember our Companions who have been called into higher service in Thy Heavenly Tabernacle. Ever make us conscious of our frailties and prepare us for the day when our labours shall be ended and we will be summoned to the presence of the great father of us all.

Address:--

"And Judah said, the strength of the hearers of hurdens is decayed and there is much rubbish; so that we are not able to build the walls." (Nuhemiah 4: 10)

Thus spake the inhabitants of Judah, children of those, who under Zerubabel, Josiah and Ezra had rebuilt the Temple. But once again there was to come from the East another leader for the land of Judah. Travellers from Jerusalem had brought tidings of Nehemiah, cuphearer at the Persian Court of Artaxerxes in the delta of the Tigris and Euphrates. His was a position of trust and responsibility. He was grieved to learn of the sad state of affairs at Jerusalem and it so preyed on his mind that his health was impaired. This was reflected in his countenance and outward manner to such an extent that King Artaxerxes sought to discover its cause and when he learned of the reason sent him to Jerusalem to repair the walls of the city.

On his arrival there he rested three days, and then one night, with three companions, secretly visited the walls and then set to work. But the task was of great magnitude for there was much rubbish and the strength of the bearers of burdon was decayed. What lessons can we learn here?

First, much subbish may imply that much good work is going on and thus can be a good sign. A carpenter shop must have shavings, saw dust, tools scattered around, pieces of work in all stages of progress. Truly it might seem to contain more rubbish than anything clse. The confusion of saw, hammer, auger, axe and plane cry out the words "more rubbish." But this is the sound of activity, progress and achievement because men are at work. It produces prosperity and happy homes. What, on the other

hand, would it mean for a nation and a people if no work was going on? Would it not mean want, hunger, suffering and woe.

So, in our cities, when we see buildings being demolished to build greater ones, new foundations excavated, sewers dug, narrow streets widened, we know that, while it means much robbish, it also means energy expanded, growth, good times and a presperous future. It is the sign of a live spiritual vitality and a living faith in God and in the community.

Those who like things to remain as they were with streets clean unencumbered with rubbish, who feel that improvements are not needed or wanted, who desire to preserve the "so called" good old years of yesterday fail to heed the words that "a nation or people without vision shall perish" or "better the rubbish of today than the rust of yesterday."

The interpretation of the secular has ever been through the eyes of the man of spiritual discernment with the ever present danger of failing to see the inner structure of the true spiritual building hidden by the temporary scaffolding necessary for its construction. Without much rubbish no building can be erected.

Secondly, let us not forget that while "much rubbish" has its good side it also has a bad and evil side. It is so easy for it to become a hindrance, a nuisance and a source of defeat. It became the sign of decay even in the bearers of burdons at Jerusalem. So while the inhabitants of Judah found much rubbish a source of defeat and the walls remained unbuilt God raised up from the east, as in the past. Nehemiah, a man of faith in God and prayer and spiritual perception to instill faith and vision in a people who saw in much rubbish only defeat instead of challenge. In this task of first removing the rubbish of decayed and destroyed walls Nehemiah met many spiritual problems such as lethergy and indifference. Much rubbish had become for them an excuse and hindrance to rebuilding. Being a spiritual problem it was the result of the years of their captivity due to their sin. Added to this was the underhanded opposition of the leaders of the city of Jerusalem and the active hostility of their neighbours. Only one called of God, a patriot and lover of his people and a man of the spirit, could have stood where he stood and restored Jerusalem to some of her old time strength and heauty so that when he came to leave the city it was a different place from what it was when he found it.

In closing, let us not fail to grasp a third lesson taught here. Although Zerobahel, Josiah and Ezra had rebuilt the Temple a generation before this as the place for the nurture and development of men, God reveals to us in Nehemiah that the Temple fails in its purpose if its spiritual vitality does not express itself in the daily life of the people in rebuilding the walls of the city making the community, the nation and the world a better place to live in. As a Companion, a craftsman and a builder how do you meet the challenge of much rubbish? Is your Masoury confined only to the four walls of the Masonic Temple or does it express its vitality in making your community a botter place for you and your children to live in?

"God Sano the Queen."

Closing Prayer—Almighty and everlasting Lord God, we thank Thee for the blessings Thou hast bestowed upon us this day. May our light so shine before men that they may see our good works and glorify our father in Heaven. May the blessing of the Great Architect go out and abide with us until we meet again.

Moved by M. Ex. R. E. Crawford and seconded by M. Ex. R. D. Baird and resolved that the thanks of Grand Chapter be extended to our V. Ex. Grand Chaplain, Rev. Karl F. Drew for his inspiring address and that he be requested to furnish the Grand Scribe E. with manifest to be printed in the Proceedings. The Grand Chaplain on being thanked by the M. Ex. Grand Z. stated that he would comply with the request.

The Grand Scribe E. read Proclamation calling this Annual Convocation.

Most Excellent Companion Bayley was indeed pleased

to welcome the large attendance of Companions present this morning, remarking that he hoped our Convocation would be a harmonious one.

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A Roll Call found the following actual and acting Grand Officers in their respective stations:-
M.B. Lawrence E. Bayley(9)
Pirst Grand Principal
M.E. Dr. Donald A. Somerville(8)
Immediate Past First Grand Principal
R.E. Hard F. Reynolds(12)
Second Grand Principal
R.E. Rev. Daniel C. MarKenzic
R.D. Rev. Dendet C. Markenne(6)
Third Grand Principal
M.E. Thomas G. Ballantyne
Grand Treasurer
M.E. Roy E. Grawford
Grand Scribe E.
V.E. Fred E. Mallory (8)
as, Grand Scribe N.
R.S. George J. Langell
V.E. Rev. Karl F. Drew (12)
Gyand Ghaplain
V.E. Sidney W. Sheppard(4)
V.E. Arthur S. Horaman(1)
Grand Junior Sojourner
V.E. George B. Pentson (0)
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E. Gerald R. Fowler (7)
Comp. (absent)(1)
Grand Organisi
E. Ralph S. O'Neill(9)
V.S. Fred E. Mallory (2)

Most Excellent Companion Bayley announced that lunchcon would be served at 12:30 and banquet at 6:30, at the Masonic Hall and that both to be sharp on time.

Motion by M. E. R. D. Baird, seconded by M. Ex. W. V. Spencer, empowering M. Ex. Grand Z. to change Order of Business or adding to agenda if found necessary to suit the convenience of Grand Chapter. (Carried).

On motion of M. Ex. W. V. Spencer, seconded by M. Ex. R. D. Baird, resolved that when Grand Chapter takes recess it be at 12:00 o'clock to resome at 2:00 o'clock and that Election of Officers be at 3:00 o'clock.

M. Ex. Grand Z. Bayley called to the Altar Past Grand Z's, M. Ex. Companions: H. R. Gunter, A. C. Lemmon, Thos. G. Ballantyne, J. S. Hoyt, R. E. Crawford, L. R. Colpitts, C. L. Jenkins, R. D. Baird, W. V. Spencer, Dr. D. A. Somerville. He was pleased to welcome the largest number of Past Grands present for many years, 10 in all, stating that they were indeed the backbone of Grand Chapter, their advice to the Grand Z. was always freely given and sound, and having so many present today augers well for Grand Chapter. M. Ex. H. R. Gunter replied saying he was sure he could speak for all that the Grand Z. could always depend on them to be of service to Grand Chapter when called upon, we were pleased to be present today. (Grand Honours).

On motion of M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon, seconded by M. Ex. R. D. Baird, resolved that as Minutes of the Sixty-eighth Annual Convocation had been printed and distributed they be taken as read.

A Roll Call of Grand Representatives of Sister Grand Jurisdictions found the following present (18):

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Kansas	lantync
Louisiana	. Baird
Maine	magam
Manitoba . , R.Ex. R. T	Pearson
Minnesota M.Ex. H. R.	Gunter
Mississippi	eK,enzie
New Zealand V.Ex. J. O. B.	
North Garolina M.Ex. L. E.	Bayley
Nova Snotia.,	ACCUPATIONS.
Pennsylvania	.eymolds
Quebec	mervillo
Queensland M.Rx, R. E. C.	rawlord
Rhode Island	8. Hoyt
Тежия	Horton
Wyoming Ex. E. J. Flo	
Philippines M.Ex. L. R.	Colpitta

The M. Ex. Grand Z. was happy to welcome so many Grand Representatives today, asking them to communicate with their respective Grand Chapters extending to them the sincere and hearty greetings of the Grand Chapter of New Brunswick.

M.Ex. J. S. Hoyt replying, said he felt sure he could speak for all in expressing their pleasure at being present today, thanking the M.Ex. Grand Z. for his sincere welcome and hearty greetings to we Representatives of other Grand Jurisdictions, we would certainly communicate with our Grand Chapters and comply with his wishes. (Grand Honours).

ADDRESS OF GRAND Z.

Sussex, N. B., June 20th, 1956.

To the Officers and Members of The Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick:

It affords me a great deal of pleasure and it is a privilege for me to extend a most cordial welcome to each and every Companion present with us, at this, our Sixty-ninth Annual Convocation, being held here in the Town of Sussex,

the dairy centre of New Brunswick, situated in the picturesque Keanebecasis Valley.

It is my earnest prayer that we may find both profit and pleasure from the fraternal intercourse we may enjoy here today, while attending to the duties that are entrusted to our care.

We are honoured to have distinguished visitors from other Grand Jurisdictions and we cornestly desire that your visit with us will be most pleasant indeed, and that you may carry away with you many happy memories.

At this time I would like to recognize the presence of so large a number of our Past Grand High Priests and Past First Grand Principals who have in the past rendered valuable service to this Grand Chapter.

I wish to thank the Companions, who, one year ago, elected me to this high office of First Grand Principal. I accepted it in boundity and with misgivings, nevertheless, I do appreciate the great honor you have conferred upon me, and I have endeavored to serve you with sincerity and to the best of my ability.

When I assumed the duties of this office, although recovering from illness, it was my carnest desire to visit each Chapter in the jurisdiction and to personally get acquainted with the Companions in distant areas, so bearn some of their problems, to strengthen the ties of Fraternal Brotherhood within our fair Province. I trust that my endeavors may bear fruit in some small manner.

We were saddened by the loss sustained by R. Ex. John A. Gorveatte in the passing of his wife. We extend to him and members of his family, our deepest sympathy.

We were indeed sorry to learn of the illness of M. Ex. John H. McAfee and his confinement to hospital during the past winter and wish him restored health.

We also regret the serious illness of Mr. H. F. Reynolds, wife of our Second Grand Principal, and wish her a speedy recovery.

We were distressed to learn of the severe loss suffered by V.Ex. Rev. Karl F. Drew, our Grand Chaplain, from fire which destroyed the Parsonage and all personal belongings. We are most grateful that he and his family were spared. We are indeed happy to have him with us today.

During the past year we welcomed H.R.H., the Princess Royal to this great Dominion and we are pleased to note that Her Gracious Majesty, Queen Elizabeth and her Consort recently visited North Africa and had a most pleasant and successful tour. We pray that she may be spared to honor the Crown with dignity and unselfishness for many years to come.

Necrology

The Supreme Architect of the Universe in his infinite mercy, during this Capitular year, has spared the lives of all the present and past Grand Officers of this Grand Chapter. For this we are eternally grateful.

However, a number of our subordinate Chapters have not been so fortunate, and we regret to record the following names of these who have finished their labors in the quarries and have gone to that far distant country, from whose bourne, no traveller returns.

March 7th, 1955, Ex. Comp. William C. Whipple, P.H.P., Union No. 4.

November, Ex. Comp. Roy N. Stableford, P.H.P., Sussex No. 9.

Also fifteen Companions.

They have Inid aside the trestleboard,
The Compass and the Square;
They have resigned the purple robe,
For brighter raiment there;
Their toil is a'er, their work is done;
The Capstone Inid, the triumph won.

We mourn the passing of our beloved Companions and extend our deepest sympathy to their families, relatives and friends who mourn with us.

We also extend to our Sister Grand, Jurisdictions our

sincere and fraternal sympathy in the loss of their distinguished Companions.

May we stand for a moment in silent meditation in memory of our honoured dead.

Prayer by the Grand Chaplain.

Grand Representatives

During the year, I have been pleased to appoint the following Commissions for Representatives of Sister Grand Chapters near the Grand Chapter of New Bronswick.

New York	Proderick P. Nuessle Sept. 22, '55
Manitoba	George Kerslake Nov. 7, 155
South Carolina	Aubrey E. Davis June 3, '56
Philippines	"Ruhina S. Raque Sr Nov. 5, '55
Colorado	Ernest A. Johnson May 25, '56
Alabama	Lamar E. Stevenson June 1, '56
California	George B. CabbJune 25, '56

For Representatives of the Grand Chapter of New Brunswick near Sister Grand Jurisdictions. I was pleased to confirm the following Commission.

From

Philippines, Lawrence R. Colpitts.... Nov. 2, '55

I might add that this is the first time we have had an exchange of Grand Representatives with the Philippines.

Dispensations

Six Dispensations were issued during the year, four, changing date of Regular Convocation, for sufficient reason (two of them to suit my convenience, namely Woodstock and Edmundston, so that I could visit them while travelling around the Province). Two, holding Regular Convocations in other than usual place of meeting.

By-Laws

The By-Laws of Fredericton, Sussex and Campbellton Chapter were revised and given sanction.

Invitations

Invitations were received from a number of Sister Grand Jurisdictions, namely, Manitoba, Rhode Island, New York, Maine, Canada and Saskatchewan, which I was obliged to forgo, due to the fact that my occupation is such, that I could not take the time to do so, and secondly, due to the distance involved. Nevertheless, we do appreciate their courtesy, and like my predecessor, I feel that it is regrettable that some of us are placed in a situation which does not permit one to attend these fraternal gatherings.

I am sure, much that would be of value to this Grand Body would be derived therefrom. However, it was my good fortune, accompanied by M. Ex. R. E. Grawford, and our wives, to attend the Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia, which was held on June 12th, at Kentville, N. S.

M. Ex. II. F. Sipprell had made excellent arrangements for our accommodation at the Cornwallis Inn, and for the entertainment of our wives.

We were formally received and given a most hearty welcome by M. Ex. M. R. Chappell. Distinguished guests were M. W. Kenneth L. Crowell, Grand Master of Nova Scotia; M. Ex. Dr. Perry S. Cochrane, Sovereign Grand Master of Canada, Knights Templar; M. Ex. R. O. Spencer, Grand High Priest of Maine and M. Ex. Herbert Pickering, Grand Scribe E., of Quebec. We enjoyed the proceedings which were harmonious and most informative.

It was my pleasure to have the privilege of addressing the Companions and extending our fraternal greetings, at the noon luncheon. Later, I was honored with the presentation of the Joseph Conway Brown Medallion by the M. Ex. Grand High Priest. I shall always cherish this honor conferred upon me by my Companions of Nova Scotia.

Following the Banquet, interesting papers were read by Comp. D. B. Lusty, M. Ex. R. V. Hogan, the newly installed Grand High Priest and M. Ex. R. V. Harris; the meeting later adjourned to the Hall where a half-hour

play, written by M. Ex. R. V. Harris, was presented, depicting the formation of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Nova Scotia-

Visitations Within the Jurisdiction

On Tuesday, September 13th, accompanied by V. Ex. G. B. Pearson, Grand Director of Ceremonies, we journeyed to Saint Stephen to pay an official visit to Saint Stephen Chapter No. 6. We were warmly received by Ex. Comp. Lord and his officers, who conferred the Holy Royal Arch Degree in a creditable manner. This being their first Convocation following summer recess, the attendance was not large, but what it lacked in this respect, was made up in friendliness. Refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed with the Companions.

Wednesday, September 14th, we drove up to Woodstock where we were met by M. Ex. Dr. D. A. Somerville and V. Ex. F. E. Mallory, and accompanied by these good Companions, I visited Woodstock Chapter No. 8. We were cordially received by Ex. Comp. Rogers and his officers. They had planned to exemptify the Mark Master Mason Degree for us, but since some of their officers had not returned from vacation, they decided to forego the work. From the enthusiasm shown by the Companions, I am confident that their conferring of Degrees should be done in a very fine manner. Delicious refreshments were served by the O.E.S., and a very pleasant time was spent in their fine quarters.

Thursday, September 15th, we travelled on up the Saint John River to Edmundston where we were received by M. Ex. R. D. Baird and V. Ex. Companions Rev. N. Franchetti and R. B. Anderson. Accompanied by them and a number of P.Z.'s J visited Edmundston Chapter No. 10. We were warmly welcomed by Ex. Comp. Harding, his officers and a large number of Companions.

Ex. Comp. O. C. Richards assumed the East and exemplified the Holy Royal Arch Degree in an excellent manner. A pleasing feature of the evening, was the presentation of an Honorary Life Membership to our reverced V. Ex. Companion Franchetti. Following the closing of the Chapter, we enjoyed a repast of fried chicken with all the fixings.

On Friday, the 16th of September, we headed across the Province to the North Shore and accompanied by R. Ex. W. J. Gillis, and V. Ex. Comps. A. R. Metzler and R. L. Borden DeLong, I visited Campbellton Chapter No. 11. We received a cordial welcome from Ex. Comp J. A. K. Miller on behalf of Ex. Comp. W. E. Edwards, who was away on vacation. The Mark Master Mason Degree was to have been exemplified on this occasion, but due to the inability of a number of the officers to be present, and small attendance, no work was carried out. We enjoyed refreshments and a social hour, which was most pleasant.

Since then, I have learned with regret of the passing of V. Ex. Comp. R. L. Borden Delong, Past Grand District Superintendent and Scribe E. I am pleased to note that R. Ex. W. J. Gillis has assumed these duties, and I am sure the work of Campbellton Chapter will be carried on in a very efficient manner.

On Thursday, November 10th, accompanied by M. Ex. Comps. T. E. Sutherland, H. S. Wright; R. Ex. Comps. H. F. Reynolds, G. J. Langell and V. Ex. J. L. Boyd as G. D. of C., I visited Fredericton Chapter No. 2. We were most cordially received by Ex. Comp. D. E. Wecks, officers and Companions. The M.E.M. Degree was conferred on II candidates in an exceptional manner. I am sure this ceremony will have a lasting impression on their memory, as it does on mine. The hospitality of the Fredericton Companions is well known, and it is needless to say, it was also true on this occasion. This Chapter will be celebrating its ICOth anniversary this fall, and I am given to understand that they are making extensive plans.

On Wednesday evening, November 16th, in response to an invitation to be present on the occasion of their 25th anniversary, Grand Chapter visited Walton Chapter No. 12. Accompanied by M. Ex. Comps. J. H. McAfee, L. R. Colpitts, W. V. Spencer; R. Ex. Comps. H. F. Reynolds, J. A. Gorveatte, G. J. Langell; V. Ex. Comps. L. T. Leeman, R. E. S. J. Horton, J. E. Collings, H. L. Mellish, Rev. K. F. Drew, G. B. Pearson and a mumber of P. Z.'s, we were warmly received by Ex. Comp. D. E. Armstrong, officers and a large number of Companions,

During the evening a paper was read by V. Ex. L. T. Leeman, outlining the history relating to the formation of this Chapter and some of the highlights of the past 25 years; he is a charter member and was its first presiding Z.

This, our haby Chapter, is not excelled anywhere in the Jurisdiction for its enclusiasm in Capitular Masonry, and for the excellence of its degree work. Along with a number of others present, I was most happy to address the Companions; to extend the congratulation of Grand Chapter and also fracernal greetings and best wishes from my mother Chapter.

The Mark Master Mason Degree was conferred on several candidates in a splendid manner, with Ex. Comp. H. E. Rooney, in the chair. Following the closing of the Chapter we were entertained at a banquet. The hospitality of the Salisbury Companions is well known in the Southern part of the jurisdiction.

Grand Chapter was invited to attend an Emergent Convocation of Carleton Chapter No. I on Saturday, December 3rd, when they observed their 150th anniversary, with ceremonies commencing at 4:00 p.m. The Holy Royal Arch Degree was conferred under the direction of V. Ex. A. S. Horsman. Chapter was then called off and at 6:30 a Banquet was served with a large number of Companions present; I was accorded the honor of cutting the aumiversary cake, a most pleasing duty, I assure you. M. Ex. J. William Duncan was the guest speaker.

Carleton Chapter reconvened at 8:30 when the Officers of Grand Chapter were officially received by Ex. Comp. W. H. Green and his officers. I was happy to be accompanied by M. Ex. Comps. H. R. Gunter, J. W. Dancan, R. E. Crawford, T. G. Ballantyne, G. M. Leggett, J. S. Hoyt, C. L. Jenkins; R. Ex. Rev. D. C. MacKenzie, V. Ex. Gomps. Eli Boyaner, P. B. Mallory, S. W. Sheppard,

A. S. Horsman, G. B. Pearson; Comp. G. K. Robb and Comp. W. R. Powell.

I was accorded the privilege of addressing the Companions, and on behalf of Grand Chapter to extend hearty congratulations and best wishes for the future, as well as fraternal greetings from Sussex No. 9. A very impressive rededication ceremony followed, in which Ex. Comp. E. J. Pleetwood and M. Ex. Comp. G. M. Leggett and Thos. G. Ballantyne leading in the obligations. Another pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of an Honorary Life Membership to M. Ex. R. E. Crawford by his mother Chapter.

On January 18th, accompanied by M. Ex. Gomps. L. R. Colpitts; R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds and G. J. Langell; V. Ex. Gomps. M. F. Eagles, H. L. Mellish, G. B. Pearson and a number of E. Gomps. from Walton Chapter, I visited Sussex Royal Arch Chapter No. 9. We were received by Ex. Comp. A. L. O'Neill who extended a cordial welcome. Installation of Officers was carried out under the direction of R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds, ally assisted by a team from Walton.

On January 18th, accompanied by M. Ex. Comps. J., C. Colpitts, W. V. Spencer; R. Ex. Comp. H. F. Reynolds; V. Ex. Comps. Rev. K. F. Drew, R. E. S. J. Horton, M. F. Eagles, H. L. Mellish and Ex. Comps. f., A. Colpitts, S. A. Colpitts, D. A. Lewis, J. R. Dickie and A. L. O'Neill, I again visited Walton Chapter No. 12 at their Installation of Officers, which was carried out under the direction of R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds.

On the 22nd of February, I visited Botsford Chapter No. 7, jointly with V. Ex. H. L. Mellish, Grand District Superintendent, on the occasion of his official visit, because of the fact that I was unable to be present on January 25th, as scheduled (on account of storm), much to my regret. We were accompanied by M. Ex. W. V. Spencer; R. Ex. Gomps. H. F. Reynolds, J. A. Gorveatte, G. J. Langell; V. Ex. Gomps. Rev. K. F. Drew, R. E. S. J. Horton, M. F. Ragles, E. L. Steeves; Ex. Comps. A. G. Wilbur, J. R. Freeman, A. Gordon and H. J. Livingstone.

Ex. Comp. R. U. Day received us most cordially, on hehalf of Boisford Chapter. Ex. Comp. A. L. O'Neill and the Officers of Sussex Chapter No. 9 were then received and asked to confer the M. M. M. Degree on several candidates, which was done in a very satisfactory manner. This was the first exchange of work arranged for by the Grand Superintendent for District No. 2. The evening was brought to a close with serving a hearty repast in the hanquet hall.

On March 19th, I attended Sussex Chapter No. 9, unofficially, when the Officers of Walton Chapter visited and conferred the M. E. M. Degree under the direction of Ex. H. E. Rooney, on the occasion of the second exchange of work.

On April 11th, I paid my official visit to Union Chapter No. 4 ,West Saint John and was accommunied by M. Ex. Comps. T. G. Ballantyne, R. E. Grawford, G. L. Jenkins; R. Ex. Comps. Rev. D. G. MacKerwie, G. J. Langell; V. Ex. Comps. S. W. Sheppard, A. S. Horsman, G. B. Pearson; and Ex. Gomps. W. A. King, R. W. Merryweather.

We were received by Ex. Comp. W. J. Blackwell. The M. M. M. Degree was to have been the work of the evening, but the candidate was not available. Following a number of brief addresses, we repaired to the banquet hall where a buffet lunch was enjoyed, and, althought the attendance was small on this occasion, the friendliness and hopitality was not lacking in any respect.

On April 16th. I paid an official visit to my mother Chapter, Sussex No. 9, accompanied by M. Ex. Comps. R. E. Crawford, T. G. Ballantyne, G. L. Jenkins; R. Ex. Comps. H. F. Reynolds, Rev. D. C. MacKeovie, G. J. Langell; V. Ex. Comps. Rev. K. F. Drew, H. L. Mellish, A. S. Horsman, G. B. Pearson and Ex. Comps. W. B. Stewart, R. C. DeLong, W. J. Blackwell. We were extended a contial welcome by Ex. Comp. A. L. O'Neill and the Companions.

The M. M. M. Degree was conferred on one candidate, in a very satisfactory manner. I was privileged of addressing the Chapter, outlining some historical data relating to

this particular degree. Later we were served a delicious clain chowder.

On the 18th of April, I again visited Walton Chapter, unofficially, on the occasion of the third exchange of work in District No. 2, with V. Ex. H. L. Mellish in attendance as District Superintendent. The Officers of Botsford No. 7 under the direction of Ex. Comp. R. U. Day, conferred the H. R. A. Degree on three candidates in a most impressive ceremony. This was one of the largest gatherings of Royal Arch Masons, which I attended with visitors from Clumberland Chapter at Amherst, N. S., present.

On May 2nd, we journeyed to Chatham, where I visited Mount Uchanon No. 5, accompanied by R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds; V. Ex. Comps. R. E. S. J. Horton, G. B. Pearson; Ex. Comps. J. P. McQuaid, W. Y. Leaman and R. U. Day. We were received by Ex. Comp. H. L. Delano, who apologized for the small attendance and very frankly told as of the difficulties that Mt. Lebanon Chapter has been experiencing of late. There being no work on the trestleboard, the meeting resolved into open discussion of ways and means of improving conditions, and a number of good suggestions were forthcoming, and if these good Companions act upon them, along with some reorganization, and the assistance of the Chapters in District No. 2, who have pledged their support in anyway possible, I do not see why this Chrapter should not go ahead in the future. Refreshments were served and we thoroughly enjoyed our visit with the Companions on the North Shore; we came away feeling that it was good to have been there.

At the invitation of M. W. Brother Rev. Dr. Arthur E. Goldman, I attended the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, which was held on May 24th, and along with the heads of other Masonic bodies, was formally received and accorded Grand Honours.

On Sunday, June 17th, I was pleased to accompany Wor. Bro. J. J. Scott, Officers and Brechren of Zion Lodge No. 21, F. & A. M., when they attended Divine Service at the Sussex United Baptist Church, which was conducted by Rev. Bro. Henry A. Renfree.

This concluded my activities as your Grand Z_{α} and Iwish to take this opportunity of thanking the Past and Present Officers of Grand Chapter who were able to accompany me; also the Officers and Companions of all the Chapters for the spirit of good fellowship and hospitality extended to us.

State of the Graft

From my personal observations during the year, I find the general state of Capitular Masonry, in this Province, to be in good condition. I trust that this statement will he borne out in the Reports of the Grand District Superintendents. We are not making rapid gains, but from the Notices received from the various Chapters, there appears to be increased activity.

However, I do feel the percentage of attendance is one of our major problems, and that we should give this matter serious consideration in our individual Chapters. It is nor a local problem, because I find from reading the Reports of the Annual Conferences of the Grand Chapters of Canada, that it is Dominion wide and no doubt it applies also beyond our borders.

A Royal Arch Chapter is not just another Masonic body; it is an institution of higher Masonic learning. Each Chapter and each Royal Arch Mason has a job to do.

True Men Needed

"The world is needing you and me In places where we ought to be: Somewhere today it's needing you To stand for what you know is true. And needing me somewhere today To keep the faith, let come what may. The world is needing me and you To share the tasks it has to tlo; It needs high minded men to stand Against the thoughtless of the land: Men who will scorn to stoop to wrong To win the favor of the throng,"

Legislation

Several proposed changes in the Constitution, appear in the Proclamation of this Grand Convocation, and are covered by the Notices of Motion,

Acknowledgements

I wish to acknowledge most cordial fraternal greetings from the Grand Secretaries of the General Grand Chapter of the United States and the Grand Chapters of North Carolina and California.

Appreciation

I wish to express, on behalf of this Grand Chapter, our appreciation and sincere thanks to our V.Ex. Grand Chaptain, Rev. Karl F. Drew, for the very line and inspiring address he gave this morning.

To His Worship, Mayor W. E. McLeud, for so graciously giving of his time to bring us a welcome on hehalf of the Town of Sussex.

To the Executive Committee for attending to the duties of Grand Chapter and their assistance.

To our Grand Treasurer who has served in this office for the past 13 years. We are indeed sorry that he feels that the time has come to hand over these important duties.

To our Grand Scribe E., who is completing his 20th year of long and faithful service.

M. Re. Companions Tommy and Roy, may we pay special tribute to you today, for tasks well done, and my personal thanks to you both, for your valuable assistance and cooperation at all times.

To R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds and his Installation Team for District No. 2.

To V. Ex. George B. Pearson, my Grand Director of Geremonies, who so graciously gave a week of his vacation in order to accompany me around the Province and who was in attendance on practically all other occasions. May I say "Thank you" George, for your valuable assistance? To the Credential Committee and other committeesin-charge of arrangements, who have helped to make this Gand Convocation a success.

To the Town of Sussex, for furnishing us with Courtesy Cards for the use of our visiting Companions. We wish, to acknowledge this fine gesture, which made our visitors feel welcome.

To Kings Chapter No. 21, Order of the Eastern Star, for catering for the Luncheon at noon and the Banquet this evening. They have been most co-operative and we do appreciate their looking after us, today.

To the Sussex Golf Club for their kind co-operation in permitting us to use their Club House, later this afternoon,

To the Scribes E. of all the Chapters for their courtesy in mailing me copies of their Notices, all of which, I read thoroughly, I shall miss them.

Conclusion

In conclusion, I know that I have left undone, things I ought to have done, and done things, perhaps, I ought not to have done, and now my work as your First Grand Principal, is before you.

"The Moving Finger writes; and having writ, Moves on; nor all your Piety nor Wit Shall lure it back to cancel half a Line, Nor all your Tears wash out a Word of it."

Finally my Companions, I have enjoyed serving you; and to my successor, I pledge my wholehearted support; and now, as I vacate this high office, my earnest prayer is that "Peace be within thy walls and prosperity within thy palaces."

Fraternally submitted,

LAWRENCE E. BAYLEY,

Grand Z.

Resolved on motion of M. Ex. R. D. Baird, seconded by Ex. N. W. Astle that the Address of the Grand Z. be referred to a Committee. The Grand Z. stated that he had already appointed the following Committee: M. Ex. J. S. Hoyl, M. Ex. L. R. Golpitts, and R. Ex. R. T. Fearson, to act.

Here it was reported that since returns for 1955 had been received Grand Chapter had suffered the loss of two Companions by death: V. Bx. R. L. B. DeLong, No. 11, and Ex. C. M. Rideout, No. 10.

The M. Ex. Grand Z. called up Grand Chapter for a moment's silence in respect of their memory.

11:15 a.m. At this time Mayor W. E. McLeod of Sussex admitted, introduced by R. Ex. R. T. Pearson, Deputy Mayor, was welcomed by the Most Excellent Grand Z. and invited to the East. His Worship in a few well chosen remarks extended a hearty welcome to Grand Chapter, stating that he hoped our Proceedings would be most successful and that our stay in Sussex would be a pleasant one. M. Ex. L. E. Bayley thanked the Mayor for taking time off to come here this morning, after which His Worship retired.

Gredential Committee in attendance: R. Ex. R. T. Pearson, R. Ex. W. Thompson, Ex. A. L. O'Neill.

Rt. Ex. R. T. Pearson, Chairman, and R. Ex. W. Thompson of the Credential Committee, on being admitted, reported the following Companions in attendance and entitled to seats in Grand Chapter:

Carleton Chapter No. 1

Thes. G. Ballantyne, G.Tress. Roy B. Crawford, G.S.S. A. C. Lemmon, P.G.Z.

A. S. Horsman, Jr.G.Soj. E. J. Fleetwood, P.H.P. W. Y. Leeman, P.Z.

J. S. Hoyt, P.G.Z.

Fredericton Chapter No. 2 H. R. Gunter, P.G.Z.

Union Chapter No. 4

C. L. Jenvins, P.C.Z. S. W. Sheppard, Sr.G-Soj. W. J. Blockwell, Z.

Mount Labarian Chapter No. 5

(Not represented)

\$1. Stophen Chapter No. 6

Rev. D. G. MacKenzie, G.J.

Balsford Chapter No. 7

W. V. Spearer, P.C.Z.

S. J. Horton, Hom. P.G.S.E. E. E. Lewis, P.Z.

J. R. Freeman, P.Z.

R. Dickie, P.Z.

A. Gordon, P.Z.

R. U. Day, Z.

G. H. McKenzie, H.

G. R. Fowler, 1.

Woodsfock Chapter No 8

Dr. D. A. Somerville, P.G.Z.

F. E. Mallory, G.Supi. No. 1

Sussex Chapter No. 9

L. E. Bayley, G.Z.

G. J. Langell, G.P.Soj.

R. T. Pearson, Hon. P.G. !!-

J. MacQuaid, P.Z. A. L. O'Neill, Z.

W. Thompson, P.C.H. G. B. Pearson, G.D. of G.

R. D. O'Neill, J.

Edmundsfor Chapter No. 10

R. D. Baird, F.C.Z.

N. W. Astle, Z.

R. B. Anderson, G.Supt. No. 3

C. C. Gleun, J.

Campbellton Chapter No. 11

J. O. B. Steven, P.Jr.G.Soj.

W. F. Edwards, Z.

G. Hording, H.

A. H. Brown, P.Z.

Walton Chapter No. 12

H. F. Reynolds, G.H.

W. R. Lockhart, P.Z.

1.. R. Colpitts, P.G.Z.

L. D. Bagles, P.Z.

Dr. H. L. Mellith, G.Supt. No. 2

Rev. Karl F. Drew, G.Chap.

E. G. Bagles, Z.

M. F. Eagles, P.G.D.Supt.

VISITORS

Nova Scotla- M.Ex. H. V. Hogan, G.H.P.; C. W. Bennett, G. Treasurer.

Canada-V.Ex. T. B. Rogers; P. G. Stewart

Virginio Ex. J. D. Atkinson, K.

There were present: 4 Visitors, 10 P. G. Z.'s, 6 1st Principals, 2 2nd Principals, 3 3rd Principals, 26 P. Z.'s and P.H.P.'s including Grand Officers.

Total 51, plus 5 Companions, one Chapter not represented.

M. Ex. Grand Z. thanked the Committee for their report at this time requesting them to carry on making final report later on in the Proceedings.

On separate Motion resolved the following reports be received and entered in the Proceedings.

REPORTS OF GRAND SUPERINTENDENTS

DISTRICT No. 1

To the Most Excellent First Grand Principal, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brumswick:

In preparing my report to you, M. Ex. Grand Z., I am reminded of those gentle, modest, carnest, yet persuasive words you used in asking me to continue those duties as Grand Superincendent of District No. 1.

Having knowledge of those M. Ex. Principals immediately preceeding you, M. Ex. William Spencer and M. Ex. Donald Somerville, in that they required only what was just and teasonable, and they had accepted my work, and my report was duly entered in the 'Proceedings,' I could without fear or trembling serve you, who I have learned to know in the same equality of personal friendship and fraternal goodwill.

I still think there is no more binding an undertaking to assume by any Grand Chapter Officer than that of Grand Superintendent. This is my warning to all future Superintendents.

No doubt it is only the knowledge of each Chapter truthfully set out that will make my report factual. To this end minute details, except perhaps actual dates of official visits, for verification if need he, are avoided as much as possible. My first official visit was to Carleton Royal Arch Chapter No. 1, on the occasion of the visit of Grand Chapter, December 13th, 1955, to be present at the Rededication ceremony of Carleton's 150th anniversary — 1805—1955. With you M. Ex. First Grand Principal, I recall this unique (in particular for those many years) and beautiful ceremony, also the laudable manner in which Comp. Ex. First Principal W. H. Green and Officers, under the direction of V. Ex. Comp. A. S. Horsman, conferred the R. A. degree.

I regret having been unable to visit Carleton Chapter under the guidance of Comp. Ex. Gresweiner and Officers of 1956

Coming to Fredericton Chapter No. 2, I am pleased to report two visits. On October 13th, 1955, with Ex. First Principal Comp. D. E. Weeks presiding, the Mark Master degree was conferred with Third Principal Comp. D. T. Wilson as Worshipful Master. Very fine ritual work.

Again on April 12th, it was a pleasure to meet the Officers of 1956, with Ex. Comp. C. E. Fisher. Haggai on my previous visit and now Zerubbabel. Ex. Comp. Scott Corrie, P. H. Priest and Scribe E. of Woodstock Chapter No. 8 made it convenient to visit with me and we were accorded honours in that warm and friendly masonic manner. Four candidates were advanced to the Mark Master degree with Third Principal Comp. J. M. Vanghan as Worshinful Master.

I do not know that you Ex. Grand Z, would be interested to know just what words Ex. Corrie and your Superintendent used in response to the invitation from Comp. Ex. C. E. Fisher (they were good words), nor that you would be concerned about the fine banquets (the hospitality of Fredericton Chapter is not forgotten). I should note however the excellent records of Comp. Scribe E., W. F. Blair.

I now come to Union Chapter No. 4, and this is hard to relate. Having written Scribe E. Most Ex. Jenkins it would be my pleasure, if the convenience of First Principal Comp. W. J. Blackwell, to visit Union Chapter in June. Comp. Jenkins writes book, we are already vacationing in June. You see I could do nothing about that.

Now I come to St. Stephen Chapter No. 6. Having written Scribe E., Ex. Comp. Colby C. Lord, but not receiving a reply or regular notice, I arrived in St. Stephen at 8:00 p.m. for the regular convocation, June 12th, to find the Convocation was being held in St. George. With fast time in St. George and slow time in St. Stephen, and thirty-five miles to go, even in this atomic age, it was impossible to make it.

Finally, my own Chapter, Woodstock No. 8. Have Inflowed with interest the work in 1955 with Ex. Comp. E. C. Rogers as Z., and in 1956 with Comp. A. D. McCain also First Principal. On April 19th last, Hartland Lodge No. 46, F.&A.M., kindly opened their todge quarters for our regular Convocation, at which Ex. Comp. First Principal McCain received and acknowledged ten candidates. The Ex. Z. and Officers received much favorable comment from the Companions for so fice a presentation of this beautiful dedicatory degree.

More could be said about the whole-hearted entertainment in this area of Hardand Lodge. I feel that in this parlicular instance a new interest has been created in Royal Arch Masonry, especially Woodstock Chapter. It is planned to hold further convocations at points where a like interest may be brought about.

To conclude, I wish you to know that the Scribes E. of the five Chapters in this large District I have been shoughtful to forward to your Superintendent all notices of Convocations. I trust this report to you, M. Ex. Sir sets out that these several Chapters have demonstrated a commendable presentation of Royal Arch Work. I do feel however, that between times of conferring degrees, i.e., with no petitions to consider and perhaps at periods of entertainment or refreshment, if the Principals would name and particularly request individual members to present something, even in a very brief manner, appertaining to Royal Arch Masonry, it would build up and sustain a greater interest in all our Chapters.

As expressed in my former reports to your predecessors they and now you have offorded me continuance in this office, the recollections of which will be with pride and pleasure. Thank you, M. Ex. Comp. Lawrence Earle Bayley.

Sincerely and fraternally submitted,

F. E. MALLORY, Grand Supt. District No. 1

DISTRICT No. 2

Petiteodiac, N. B. June 28th, 1956.

To the Most Excellent First Grand Principal, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Beamwicks

Herewith is respectfully submitted my report as your Grand District Superintendent for District No. 2.

First of all I wish to thank you, Most Excellent Sir, for conferring this honor upon me, when you assumed your high office in June, 1955, and appointed me to represent Grand Chapter in this area.

We are all deeply grateful for the restoration of your health, that you could perform the archious duties of your high office in such an estimable manner.

As you are aware, this is the smallest District of the Jurisdiction in the number of Chapters, viz: Bossford Chapter No. 7. located at Moneton; Sussex Chapter No. 9, located at Sussex, and Walton Chapter No. 12, located at Salisbury.

During the past year as District Superintendent I visited each of these Chapters on three occasions.

Firstly, in January, as a member of the installation team from Walton Chapter, when we visited the various Chapters to install the new Officers of each for the year 1956. It was my happy privilege on these occasions to install the Excellent First Principals:— Robert II. Day, Botsford Chapter No. 7; Arthur O'Neill, Sussex Chapter No. 9; Everett G. Lewis, Walton Chapter No. 12.

Secondly, I accompanied you, Sir, the Most Excellent

First Grand Principal, on each of your visitations to these Chapters. I regret that I could not be with you on some of your other visitations to outlying Chapters, but wish to thank you for your kind invitation to do so.

Thirdly, in an effort to get the Companions of these three Chapters to become better acquainted with each other, all the Companions in the District were invited to meet together in the March, April and May meetings in the various centers.

In March we met with Botsford Chapter, and the Mark Master Degree was conferred upon all candidates in waiting, by the Officers of Sussex Chapter. In April, Sussex Chapter acced as host and the Most Excellent Master Degree was exemplified by the Officers of Walton Chapter.

Finally, in May, we all gathered in a large representative group at Walton Chapter, when the Officers of Botsford Chapter, in Ample Form, performed the rices attendent on the Supreme Degree of the Holy Royal Arch.

This intervisitation within the various Districts is to be highly recommended, to stimulate greater interest in Royal Arch Masonry.

In the way of constructive criticism, may I suggest that the District Superintendents be called into the meetings of the Executive of Grand Chapter, upon occasion, for the sake of instruction in their duties, and for edification,

There is a great need for a more aggressive program for Royal Arch Masonry in our District, if we are not only to grow, but also to exist.

In each Chapter there are a few Excellent Companions who form the "backhone" of the Chapters, shall I say, but there seems to be a lack of interest among the newer members.

The Degree work, in these Chapters, is on a high plane, but with more assiduity, it could be improved.

I believe that if each member of a Degree team knewhis work almost letter-perfect, it would have a beneficial effect, in increased attendance and interest, If we are not to stand still, or recede perhaps, we must make a greater effort to inform our Blue Lodge brethren of the benefits of Capitular Masonry, in their Masonic education.

This is not only a privilege but also a duty that falls on each and every Companion of our Order.

Finally, during the past few months an effort was made to establish a new Chapter in Sackville, N. B., in accordance with the expressed wishes of Grand Chapter. At the present time progress can be reported in this endeavour.

Respectfully and fraternally,

H. L. MELLISH, Grand Supt. District No. 2

DISTRICT No. 3

To the Most Excellent First Grand Principal, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Branswick:

I respectfully submit my report as Grand Superintendent for District No. 3, and thank you, Most Excellent Sir, for the honor conferred on me by appointing me for a third term.

On September 15th Edmundston Chapter had the honor of a visit from Most Ex. Comp. Bayley, accompanied by the Grand Director of Ceremonies George Pearson. This Chapter had just started after summer recess, and at this time exemplified the Holy Royal Arch Degree.

In October we held our regular convocation at Plaster Rock. We find that by holding at least one convocation at Plaster Rock, and one at Grand Falls during the year, that we keep the interest of Companions, of which, we have a goodly number at each plane.

During October, Edmundston Chapter held their annual Ladies' Night, which takes the form of a turkey supper and dance, and I might say that this is looked forward to each year, not only by the ladies, but by the Companions as well, as in this evening they show their ladies their appreciation for putting up with the evenings on which they attend Chapter.

On May 18th, accompanied by Es. Companions E. D. Young and C. C. Glenn, and Comp. C. W. Wood, I had the pleasure of visiting Campbellton Chapter No. 11, where we were warmly welcomed. It is noted that this Chapter is in very good order, and that they have had a number of randidates.

I was unable to visit Mount Lebanon Chapter at Chatham this year, but understand that they are making some progress.

During the year we lost two Past Grand Superintendents in this District, namely Ex. Comp. R. L. Borden DeLong, who passed away at the first of the year, and Ex. Comp. Charles M. Ridcout, who passed away in his sleep on April 12th. In the passing of these two Ex. Companions, Campbellton and Edmundston Chapters have lost two faithful and hard-working members.

Respectfully submitted,

R. B. ANDERSON, Grand Supt. District No. 3.

At this time the M. Ex. Grand Z. called on Ex. J. Scott Atkinson, a visiting Companion from Virginia, who extended greetings from the Grand Chapter of Virginia, expressing his pleasure at being present with us today and that he was enjoying the deliberations. (Applause).

The hour of 12:00 o'clock noon having arrived the Most Excellent Grand Z, recessed Grand Chapter, remarking that luncheon would be served at 12:30 o'clock sharp, Grand Chapter to reconvene at 2:00 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Resumed labours at 2:00 p.m.

R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds, President of the Executive Committee, stated that in his haste to leave Petitoodiac this morning he had neglected to bring his Executive Committee report, and gave verbal report. He would forward his report to Grand Scribe E. on his return home.

On motion of Grand Scribe E., seconded by M. Ex. R. D. Baird, that with the approval of the M. Ex. Grand Z., this report be received, adopted and entered in the Proceedings. (Carried).

REPORT OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

M.E. First Grand Principal, Officers and Companions of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick:

On behalf of your Executive Committee, I beg leave to submit the following report:—

Two meetings were held during the year in Library of Masonic Temple, Saint John, New Brunswick.

1st---July 27th, 1955

Six members present with President presiding, meeting was called to order at 8:00 o'clock.

Minutes of meeting held on April 20th, 1954 were read and on motion confirmed.

On motion resolved that payment of following accounts be approved.

approved.	
D. J. Hayes (steno. services 1954-55)	\$ 95.00
Motel Hillview (entertaining distinguished guests,	
Annual Conversation, June 23)	69.82
Dr. D. A. Somerville (Grand Z. expenses	
visitations 1934 and (955)	215.00
Woodstock R. A. Chapter (vote, entg. G. C., . \$1)	25.00
Vote use of Tripple	15.00
Vote Outer Guard	5.G0
-	145.00

Brought forward
R. E. Crawford, Grand Scribe E.—
Honomrium 1954-55
Visit with G. Z., Halifax 34.00
G. C. Annual Expenses 19.75
For Stamps, etc
383.75
Clobe Printing Co., (Proclamations and enclosures) 29.29
F. E. Mallory, Gr. Supt. Expenses 1954-55
R. B. Anderson, Gr. Supt. Expenses 1954-55 11.65
8911.91

On motion resolved that appointment of M, Ex. James Hoyt, official delegate to Conference Grand Chapters of Canada at Toronto, August 9th and 10th approved.

Re clarifying Sections 7 and 53 of Grand Chapter Constitution which was referred to Executive Committee by Grand Chapter, was discussed and it was decided to place on 1956 Proclamation, "Notice of Motion" as follows:

Rt. Excellent H. F. Reynolds, Grand H, will move or caused to be moved following amendment to become part of Section 7 after the word "ballot," line 1, page 6, section 53, balloting governed by Section 7, "and after the taking of each hallot the name of the Companion having the lowest number of votes shall be dropped."

There being no further business, on motion carried, the meeting adjourned at 9:00 o'clock p.m.

2nd---Friday, April 6th, 1956

Nine members were present with the President presiding. Minutes of meeting held July 27th, 1955 were read and onmotion confirmed.

On motion resolved that payment of the following bills be approved.

Globe Printing	Ca., Envelopes	and	Officers'	Liate \$	50.26
Bank of N. S.	Safety Deposit	Box	to June	29, 1956	5.00
Carried	forward				55.26

Brought forward	55.36
Daminion Regalia Co., for Sash	7.15
J. A. Little, Minnes for Divine Service, June 24, 1955.	2.52
A. A. Wilson, Per Capita, Coal. G. Chap. of Canada	43.68
Frink & Co., Insurance Premium Regalia	10.00
Barnes-Hopkins, Cabinet and Record Cards	69.37
Globe Printing Co., 300 copies Proceedings and Postage	431.75
Rue. Fraser Ltd., Flowers	5.15
Barnes-Hopkins, 1,000 Billheads in Duplicate	28.33
R. E. Crawford, 92 P. O. Box Rent to March 31, 1957	3.00
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\$656.21

The Grand Scribe E. read letter from Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia re if the situation were to arise would the Grand Chapter of New Brunswick be willing to grant waiver of jurisdiction in Javor of Comherland Chapter of Amherst in respect to residents of the Sackville-Port Elgin area who might care to petition for membership in that Chapter to avoid longer distance to Botsford Chapter at Moncton.

In reply to letter of Grand Scribe E., Botsford Chapter left the situation entirely in the hands of this Grand Chapter they would abide by Grand Chapter decision.

After considerable discussion it was moved by M. Ex. T. G. Ballantyne, seconded by V. Ex. S. W. Sheppard, and resolved that the M. Ex. Grand Z. be requested to work through District Superintendent No. 2 and enquire if there are sufficient interested Chapter Masons to form a Chapter in Sackville, taking in Sackville, Dorchester, Port Elgin area. (Grand Scribe E. to hold up definite reply to Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia until after the survey is made).

The Grand Scribe E, reported that in 1937 when appointed to that office he discovered that no names had been entered in membership register since 1908 and it so happened until recently he had done nothing about bringing this register up to date knowing the tremendous job it was, however, the later part of 1955 this was completed which used up nearly all available space in that book. Something had to be done to carry on these registrations so on sug-

gestion to the M. Ex. Grand Z., it was approved by him the setting up of the card register. There were 3,000 names to be typed on cards, this V. Ex. Comp. S. W. Sheppard offered to do which together with information gathered by Grand Scribe E. was a hig order but it is well under way now and good progress can be reported.

Realizing the amount of time involved for this extra work, M. Ex. C. L. Jenkins felt that Grand Chapter should contribute something to these two officers. On motion M. Ex. C. L. Jenkins, seconded by M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon, it was duly resolved that the sum of \$50.00 each be paid to Grand Scribe E. and V. Ex. S. W. Sheppard for this special work.

On motion resolved that Grand Chapter contribute \$125.00 to Sussex Chapter to assist in entertaining Grand Chapter at Annual Convocation.

On motion bill of M. Ex. Grand Z., 887.00 was approved for payment.

R. Ex. President appointed V. Ex. P. C. Wright and V. Ex. S. W. Sheppard, Auditors.

M. Ex. Grand Z. Bayloy will arrange for Credential Committee of 3 and Outer Guard.

Proclamation left in hands of Grand Scribe E. to be the same as 1955,

- NOTICE OF MOTION - DISTRICTS-

M. Ex. Thos. G. Ballantyno will move or cause to be moved that Section 36A be changed to read as follows:—

No. 1-Carleton, Fredericton, Union, St. Stephen.

No. 2 Botsford, Sussex, Walton, Mount Lebanon,

No. 3-Woodstock, Edmundston, Campbellton.

This change means transferring Woodstock from No. 1 to No. 3 and Mt. Lebanon from No. 3 to No. 2.

There being no further business, on motion the meeting adjourned.

H. F. REYNOLDS, Prasident.

M. Ex. Roy E. Crawford, Grand Scribe E., presented and read the following report, which on motion of Grand Scribe E., seconded by M. Ex. R. D. Baird, resolved that it be received and entered in the Proceedings.

REPORT OF GRAND SCRIBE E.

Saint John, N. R., June 1st, 1956.

To the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick:

As Grand Scribe E. I beg to submit my twentieth Annual Report.

Respecting the past year up to the date of this Report, returns of Membership have been received from all Chapters and fees and dues payable under them duly remitted and paid over to the Most Ex. Grand Treasurer.

The Payments were:—	
Fees \$	295.00
Dues	
Dispensations	7.50
Sundries:	
G. C. Constitutions	
Exchange Cheques	.15
	\$1,809.05
Divided among the Chapters:-	
Carleton No. 1	\$233.00
Fredericton No. 2	214.80
Union No. 4	
Mount Lebanon No. 5	112.00
St. Stephen No. 6	
Botslord No. 7	281.50
Woodstock No. 8	
Sussex No. 9	97.0h
Edmundston No. 10	
Campbellton No. 11	132.10
Walton No. 12	
_	\$1,80 9.05

All accounts due Grand Chapter have been paid at this date. The following changes in membership are indicated by the Returns:-Plus error in retuens 1,457 Exalted 73 Affiliated 4 Reinstated78 Suspended 15 24 Withdrawals Net increase in membership......-1,479 The total as at December 31st, 1955, number 4,479, divided among the Chapters as follows:-Chapter 7'atai Z = (1956)Scribe E. Carleton No. t 201 P. C. Wright Sidney Grosweiner Saint John 146 Orange St. P.O. Box 184, Saint John Saint John. Fredericson No. 2135 Charles E. Fisher W. F. Blair 859 Union St. 176 Brunswick St. W. J. Blackwell C. L. Jenkins Saint John West 334 Droke St. 71 Ludlow St. Lancaster. G. C. Widbur P.O. Box 583, H. L. Delano Mt. Lebanon No. 5 89 Chathan P.O. Box 122, Newcastle Chattan G. C. Lord P.O. Box 256. M. L. Lord St. Stephen No. 6151 St. Andrewa St. Andrews R. U. Day Botsford No. 7..........231 E. E. Lewis General Delivery 63 York St., Moncton

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Campbellton No. 11 42	W. F. Edwards Box 197, Dalhoosie	W. J. Gillis 14 Victoria St.
Walton No. 12	E. C. Lewis Salisbury	Lewis D. Ragles Salisbury

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From these figures it will be noticed that 8 Chapters show gains; 3 losses; Exaltations down 12; Affiliated down 2; Reinstated down 3; Withdrawn up 1; Suspended down 19; Died down 6. I am sorry to note a decrease in Exaltations from the past several years, however, it is pleasing to note that Suspensions and Deaths show a considerable decrease. Congratulations are in order to Fredericton and Campbellton Chapters who show not gains, respectively 13 and 11.

All Certificates have been completed and forwarded to various Scribe E's.

Fraternally submitted,

Asylcham Jud

Grand Seribe E.

M. Ex. Thes. G. Ballantyne, Grand Treasurer, presented and read the following report, which on motion of Grand Scribe E., seconded by M. Ex. W. V. Spencer, resolved that it he received and entered in the Proceedings.

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REPORT OF GRAND TREASURER

For the Year Ending June 1st, 1956

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Bood No. DO49 Saint John Massnic Temple Ltd.,			
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Bond No. C54 Province of New Brunswick,			
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Fratemally submitted.

T. G. HALLANTYNE, Grand Transpers.

On motion of M. Ex. R. D. Baird, seconded by M. Ex. Dr. D. A. Somerville, resolved that a vote of thanks be tendered to M. Ex. Grand Treasurer for his fourteen years of Faithful service in that office with regrets that he had found it necessary not to offer for re-election.

M. Ex. Grand Z. Bayley extended the thanks of Grand Chapter to M. Ex. Thos. G. Ballantyne, who in turn thanked Grand Chapter for their thoughtfulness which he very much appreciated.

At 2:40 o'clock M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon, Grand Representative of Nova Scotia, was admitted accompanying M. Ex. R. V. Hogan, Grand High Priest, and M. Ex. C. W. Bennett, Grand Treasurer, of the Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia, they having been delayed due to transportation troubles from Halifax. M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon, after his introduction, estorted these distinguished guests to the East where they were welcomed by M. Ex. Bayley and requested to be scated. (Grand Honours).

V. Ex. S. W. Sheppard presented and read the report of the Audit Committee. On motion of M. Ex. C. L. Jenkins, seconded by V. Ex. G. B. Pearson, resolved that this report be received, adopted and entered in the Proceedings.

REPORT OF AUDIT COMMITTEE

Saint John, N. B., June 15th, 1956

To the Executive Committee of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brenweick:

We, the committee appointed to audit the accounts of Grand Scribe B, and Grand Treasurer, wish to report that we have performed that duty. We have completely checked all accounts, vouchers, etc., and find as follows:—

RECEIPTS

June 9, 1955, B	alance in Bank of N. S	\$1,226.94
Fees received di	aring the year	295.00
	luring the year	1.474.00
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Bond Interest		43.12
Bank Interest		
		\$3,079.87

DISBURSEMENTS

Operating	Ехрецаев	85	per Ve	перега		\$1,786,49
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We have examined the contents of the Safety Deposit Box in the lank of Nova Scotia and found Bonds to the par value of \$2,000.00, details of which are specified in the Grand Treasurer's report,

The Grand Treasurer holds an Insurance Policy on the Regalia to the value of \$1,000.00.

We would indeed be ungrateful if we did not at this time thank the Grand Scribe E, and Grand Treasurer for their co-operation during the audit. It is a pleasure to review records so well kept. The Grand Chapter is to be

congratulated on having their affairs in the hands of such competent officers.

Fraternally submitted,

S. W. SHEPPARD, G.S.S. P. C. WRIGHT, P.C.D.S.

V. Ex. T. R. Rogers, Past Grand Steward, on being called on expressed his pleasure at being present and brought greetings from the Grand Chapter of Canada.

M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt gave a verbal report of the Conference of Grand Chapters of Canada held at Toronto, August, 1955. M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon said in his opinion this was an excellent and interesting report, and on his motion, seconded by M. Ex. R. D. Baird, resolved that report be received and entered in the Proceedings. M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt promised to furnish Grand Scribe E. with written report which he had neglected to bring along.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE OF THE GRAND CHAPTERS OF CANADA

August 2nd, 1956.

To the Most Excellent Virst Grand Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick:

It afforded me much pleasure to be your representative at the Ninth Conference of the Grand Chapters of Royal Arch Masons in Canada, held in the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, on October 9th and 10th, 1955. Although I had attended unofficially several of the other Conferences, I was particularly pleased with the manner in which this Conference was held, and with the business-like manner that the subjects were discussed and the papers presented.

There were 8 Grand Chapters represented, and 6 very fine papers presented.

Many of the Conference debates were handed out to

committees for further report, and the Conference which will be held in Regina in 1956 will be of greater importance, as they will review the ten years that these Grand Chapters have been meeting, and unquestionably a decision will be made as to whether the Conferences will continue to most yearly, or change to hiernial meetings; but we are all hoping that it will not disband.

Everyone is very conscious of the fact that Capitular Masonry has been losing numerically and significantly, twing to the fact that the appeal for die Blue Jodge Mason has been lagging, for the simple reason that the Degree work has not been sufficiently impressive to draw the candidates; and as York Rite Masonry basically depends on Capitular Masonry for its start, all York Rite Bodies are viewing the situation very seriously, owing to the small number of good Masons making application for this additional knowledge. It behooves every Grand Chapter and every subordinate Chapter to take stock very carefully of the officers they elect to ron their affairs, the manner in which the affairs are run, and the results that will be obtained. Unless something is done in the very near future, Capitular Masonry particularly the whole York Rite structure, will be in a very bad way. I sincerely hope that our Grand Chapter will impress the significance of this particular branch of Masonry on all of the subordinate Chapters, that they in turn will do everything to boost their membership and make a strong appeal for this particular branch of the Masonic Order.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES S. HOYT,
Past Grand Z.

Moved by M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt, seconded by R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds, that for his devoted service to Grand Chapter as Grand Chapter is Grand Chapter for the past two years, the Rank of Very Excellent he conferred on Companion Rev. Karl F. Drew. (Carried unanimously).

A) the request of the M. Ex. Grand Z., M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt, in conferring this honour, said this was a most pleas-

ing duty to perform, Grand Chapter certainly appreciated our Grand Chaptain's untiring services. Rev. Drew in replying stated his profound appreciation for this honour conferred on him.

Notice of Motion No. 1: Moved by R. Ex. H. F. Reynolds, seconded by M. Ex. R. D. Baird, the following amendment to the Constitution, Sections 7 and 53 Blections:

7--after the word "held" on line 6, page 6;

53-after the word "elected" on line 8, page 19;

"and after taking of each ballot the name of the Companion having the lowest number of votes shall be dropped." (Carried unanimously).

The Gredential Committee on being admitted a second time gave their final report. M. Ex. Grand Z. thanked the committee for carrying out their archious task and discharged the committee.

3:00 o'clock, the time for election having arrived, the Grand Scribe E. on request of the Grand Z_n read sections of the Constitution relating to elections.

Scrutineers V. Ex. R. B. Auderson, V. Ex. F. E. Mallory and M. Ex. L. R. Golpius, were appointed by M. Ex. Grand Z.

Written nominations which had been deposited with the Grand Scribe E, were read by him and nominations closed.

After subsequent halloting the scrutineers reported the following Companions had received the majority of votes cast and were declared elected by the M. Ex. First Grand Principal:—

GRAND Z.,

Hard F. ReynoldsPetitoodiac, Walton No. 12 GRAND H.,

Daniel G. MacKenzie ... West Saint John, St. Stephen No. 6

GRAND J.,
John A. GorventteMoneton, Botsford No. 7
GRAND TREASURER.

Perloy G. Wright . West Saint John, Carleton No. 1

GRAND SCRIBE E.,

Roy E. Crawford (re-elected). Saint John, Carleton No. 1 GRAND SCRIBE N.,

Sidney W. Sheppard . Saint John, Union No. 4

On motion of M. Ex. R. E. Crawford, seconded by M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon, resolved that Companion William R. Powell be elected Grand Onter Guard. (Open vote).

M. Ex. Grand Z. Bayley thanked the scrutineers for acting in that capacity and gave them honorable discharge.

Money Grants.....On motion of M. Ex. R. D. Baird, seconded by M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon, resolved that the usual amounts be paid Grand Scribe E., Sussex Chapter for use of Mosonic hall and Grand Outer Guard.

Communications. The Grand Scribe E, noted to be entered in the Proceedings:--

From M. Ex. Lawrence R. Atherton, 1955 High Priest of New York, shortly after his return paying official visit to our Annual at Woodstock last year, thanking Grand Chapter for the wonderful way in which he had been received and the pleasure he had mingling with our Companions at that time.

Regrets—from M. Ex. J. H. McAfee, P.G.Z., due to illness he would be unable to be present, and extending fraternal and personal regards to all of the Companions, also with best wishes for happy and successful Proceedings.

Many of the Companions were sorry to learn of our Companion's illness and expressed the hope that he would soon return to good health again.

R. Ex. W. J. Gillis, P.G.J., unable to be present this year with best regards to Companions and best wishes to Grand Chapter.

R. Ex. John A. Gorvesite, G.S.N., on account of being away would not be present at Annual, with best wishes to all the Companions and Grand Chapter.

R. Ex. Harry F. Disc, Grand King, G. C. of Arizona, who had intended to be present but at the last minute found it necessary to change his plans, excending best wishes from that Grand Chapter.

M. Ex. C. M. Pitts, P.G.Z., G. C. of Canada, Hon. P.G.Z., G.C. of N. B., due to previous committeents could not be present, with best wishes and regrets.

M. Ex. H. F. Sipprell, Grand Secretary, G. C. of N. S., and Hon. P.G.Z., N. B., due to his intended trip to Europe at an early date would be unable to attend. With much regrets and best wishes. (We will miss him today—G. S. E.)

From Grand Chapters:-

Rhode Island and New York—Grand High Priests and Grand Secretaries.

Canada, Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Grand First Principals and Grand Scribe E.s. Regrets, but all extending best wishes to this Grand Chapter due to previous commitments unable to be present.

Maine, Grand High Priest, M. Ex. Russell C. Spencer, after returning home from Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia, found that it would not be possible to come to Sussex and was obliged to cancel acceptance.

From Grand Representatives, Grand Sister Jurisdictions—Companions Julius C. H. Schmidt (New Jersey), Ernest A. Johnson (Golorado), Fred P. Nuessle (New York), H. W. Braugham (Utah), Lee R. Halvorsen (Florida), Walter B. Purse (Georgia), R. T. Kimbrough (Mississippi).

All sending along greatings and best wishes from their respective Grand Chapters.

Notice of Motion No. 2, re thange Section 36A. Districts.

On motion of M. Ex. Thos. G. Ballantyne, seconded by M. Ex. W. V. Spencer, that Section 36A he changed to read as follows, replacing part of Section Amendment to the Constitution:—

No. 1—Garleton (1), Fredericton (2), Union (4), St. Stephen (6).

No. 2—Mount Lebanon (5), Botsford (7), Sussex (9), Walton (12).

No. 3—Woodstock (8), Edmundston (10), Campbellton (11),

This means changes as follows: (8) from No. 1 to No. 3; (5) from No. 3 to No. 2.

(Carried unanimously),

M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt presented and read the committee's report on the Grand Z.'s Address. On motion of M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt, seconded by M. Ex. Thus. G. Ballantyne, resolved that this report be received and entered in the Proceedings.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GRAND Z.'S ADDRESS

June 28th, 1956,

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick:

We, the committee appointed to report on the Grand First Principal's Address, beg leave to advise that we have performed that duty and report as follows:—

We recognize the amount of work that the Grand Z has performed for this Grand Chapter this year, and congratulate him on the efforts he has put forward in this task.

We concur with him in being honored by the large number of distinguished visitors present as well as the number of Past Grand High Priests and Past Grand First Principals, and also regret the losses sustained during the past year, by this Grand Body.

We are pleased to note his comment on the visit of the Princess Royal to the Dominion of Canada, and also his recognition of the extended tours of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth.

We regret that it was impossible for him to accept all of the invitations to visit other Grand Jurisdictions but are

very pleased that he was able to attend with our Companions in Nova Scotia at their Annual Communication.

We are sure his visits within the Jurisdiction have been very helpful to all of the Chapters and has done much in binding the fraternity in a closer relationship and for the benefit and good-will of the Chapters.

His expression of appreciation for those who have assisted him in his work is gratefully acknowledged, and we are sure it was a pleasure for all of those members to perform their duty led by such a faithful and energetic leader.

We again congratulate him on his work and are very glad to know that his health has allowed him to continue with these archious duties of serving in the wonderful way that he has.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

M.R. JAMES STANJEY HOYT, Chairman. M.E. LAWRENCE R. COLFUTTS R.E. RALPH TITUS PEARSON

M. Ex. Grand Z. at this time called on M. Ex. R. V. Hogan, Grand High Priese, and M. Ex. C. W. Bennett, Grand Treasurer, both of the Grand Chapter of Nova Scotia. These M. Ex. Companions in short addresses apologized for lateness in arriving due to fog in Halifax their plane was unable to take off in the morning as intended, however they both stated their pleasure at finally being here and to be present for the rest of our deliberations. Hearty greetings were extended from their Grand Chapter to this Grand Chapter. (Applause).

M. Ex. Grand Z. Bayley thanked these Companious for their remarks and expressed our extreme pleasure in having them with us today.

Grand Chapter recessed at 4:20 o'clock. M. Ex. Grand Z. announced that Sussex Chapter had arranged for a drive to the Golf Club and entertainment and that a hanques would be served in the banquet half at 6:30 o'clock sharp.

7:30 e'clock Grand Chapter reconvened in the Chapter room.

R. Rx. Rev. D. C. MarKenzie, our guest speaker, delivered an inspiring address which was received with load applause.

Resolved on motion of M. Ex. H. F. Reynolds, seconded by M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt, that vote of thanks he extended to R. Ex. Rev. D. C. MacKenzie for his excellent address, which M. Ex. Grand Z. Bayley was pleased to pass on to the R. Ex. Companion, who thanked Grand Chapter for appreciation expressed in their motion.

On motion of the Grand Scribe E., seemed by M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon, the following Resolution was unanimously passed: "That R. Ex. P. C. Wright, Grand Treasurer, with either one of named as follows M. Ex. Thos. G. Ballantyne and R. Ex. S. W. Sheppard—be signing officers on cheques also to have access to safety deposit box." (Grand Chapter account and box both in the Bank of Nova Scotia, Prince William Street, Saint John).

M. Ex. A. C. Lemmon to Conference of Grand Chapters to be held in August at Regina suggested that representative be appointed to represent this Grand Chapter.

After installation M. Ex. H. F. Reynolds, Grand Z., was pleased to appoint M. Ex. J. S. Hoyt, who said he would carry out the Grand Z.'s wishes.

Moved by R. Ex. D. C. MacKenzie, seconded by V. Ex. R. B. Anderson, thanks of Grand Chapter he extended to Sassex Chapter for the splendid way they had taken care of Grand Chapter and for entertainment provided. (Carried). M. Ex. Grand Z. Bayley accepted thanks on behalf of Sussex Chapter, soying that he would see to it that message was delivered to his Mother Chapter.

8:30 o'clock, Installation. Those officers elected and appointed who were present were installed by M. Ex. Thos. G. Ballamyne, assisted by V. Ex. Grand Director of Ceremonies G. B. Pearson.

Closing prayer by Grand Chaplain: "Almighty and ever-

lasting Lord God, we thank Thee for the blessing Thou hast bestowed upon us this day. May our fight so shine before men that they may see our good works and glorify our Father in heaven. Amen."

There being no further business the Sixty-Ninth Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter was closed in Ample Form at 9:30 o'clock. The word having been destroyed.

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OFFICERS

of The Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick

1956-1957

ELECTED

M.E.	HURD F. REYNOLDS,	
	Grand Z	
M.E.	LAWRENCE E. BAYLEY,	
	Immediate Past Grand Z	Sussex No. 9
R.E.	REV. D. C. MarKENZIE,	
	Grand II	St. Stophen No. 6
R.E.	JOHN A. GORVKATTE,	•
	Grand J	Botslead No. 7
R.E.	PERLEY C. WRIGHT,	
	Grand Trensurer	
M.E.	ROY E. CRAWFORD,	
	Grand Scribe E	
R.E.	GEORGE J. LANGELL.	
R.E.	SIDNEY W. SHEPPARD,	
	Grand Principal Sojourner,	
Comm	. WILLIAM R. POWELL,	
	Grand Outer Guard	Carleton No. 1
	APPOINTED	l
V.E.	KARL F. DREW,	
	Grand Chaplain	Walton No. 12
V.E.	ARTHUR S. HORSMAN,	
	Grand Senior Sojousuer .	
V.E.	J. LLOYD BOYD,	
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V.E.	MALCOLM F. EAGLES,	
	Count Director of Caramonia.	10-ton Mr. St.

V.E. RICHARD B. ANDERSON,		•
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Comp. G. KENNETH ROBB,		
Grand Organist	Nο.	•
V.E. J. WHALARD McNUTT,		
Grand District Superintendent No. 1 Fredericton	No.	2
V.E. DR. HAROLD L MELLISH,		
Gennal District Superintendent No. 2 Walton ?	٧o.	12
V.E. ALBERT II. BROWN,		
Grand District Supt. No. 3 Compbellton I	۲o.	П

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Grand Z., H., and J., Past Grand High Priests and Past First Grand Principals, Grand Treasurer and Grand Scribe E.

EX OFFICIO

M.E.	FRANK A. GODSOE	Carleton, No. 1
M.E.	H. RALPH CUNTER	
M.E.	ALBERT C. LEMMON	(Earleton No. 1
M.F.	C. FRED KNIGHT	Botsford No. 7
M.E.	J. WILLIAM DUNCAN	Carleton No. 1
M.E.	TEMPLE E. SUTHERLAND	Fredericton No. 2
M.E.	THOMAS G. BALLANTYNE	
M.E.	G. MAYNARD LEGGETT	Carleton No. 1
M.E.	HAROLD F. SIPPRELL	
M.E.	JOHN H. MEAFRE	Botsford No. 7
M.E.	JAMES S. HOYT	
M.E.	W. RUSSELL FISKE	
M.E.	ROY E. GRAWFORD, Sec'y	
M.E.	LAWRENCE R. COLPITTS	. Walton No. 12
M.E.	C. LEONARD JENKINS	Union No. 4
M.E.	DR. IJENRY S. WRIGHT	Fredericton No. 2
M.E.	R. D. BAIRD	Edinoidston No. 10
M.E.	W. V. SPENCER	Notaford No. 7
M.E.	DR. D. A. SOMERVILLE	Woodstock No. B
M.E.	L. E. BAYLEY.	
M.E.	H. F. REYNOLDS	
R.E.	REV. D. C. MarKENZIR, President .	St. Stephen No. 6

R.E.	J. A. GORVEATTE Bossford No. 7
R_E.	P. G. WRIGHT, Grand Tenasurer, Carleton No. 1
	APPOINTED
F	G. W. LOBBAN Mount Lebanon No. 5
E.	S W SHEPPARD Union No. 4
E.	S. W. SHEPPARD
V.E.	A. C. W. PARLEE
Б.	W. S. ALLEN St. Stephen No. 6
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	GRAND CHAPTER
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V.E.	REV. KARL F. DRRW. G. Chaplain (1956)
V.E.	REV. N. FRANCHETTI, P.G. Chaplain
R.E.	51D. J. HORTON, P.G.S.E (1944)
R.E.	51D. J. HORTON, P.G.S.E
M.E.	DR. PERRY S. COCHRANE, P.C.Z. Nova Scotia (1948)
M.E.	TRED M. BLOIS, P.G.Z. Nova Scotia (1948)
M.E.	JOHN W. LOGAN, P.G.Z. Nova Scotia(1948)
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M.E.	WILLIAM R. SHANKLIN, P.C.Z. Saskstchewan (1949)
М.Б.	DANIEL O. CARGILL, P.G.Z. Rhode Island (1989)
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	H. PICKERING, P.G.S.F. Queber (1953)
M.E.	BENJ. W. ELA, P.G.Z., Maine
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	M.E. HAROLD F. SIPPRELL, P.G.Z(1945)
	M.E. ROY B. GRAWFORD, P.G.Z
	AND THE THEOLOGY OF THE
	OTHER JURISDICTIONS
	HONORARY PAST GRAND HIGH PRIEST
M.E.	TAMES S. HOYT, P.G.H.P., Gr. Chap. of N. S. (1948)

MEMBERS

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Grand Royal Arch Chapter

OF NEW BRUNSWICK UNDER SECTION 1 OF THE CONSTITUTION DECEMBER 31, 1955

CARLETON CHAPTER, No. 1

Meets at Snint John Third Thursday

Frank A. Godsov P.G.H.P.	Ralph D. Munro . P.Z
Charles F. Sanford P.G.K.	W. Russell Fiske
Edward J. Fleetwood P.H.P.	H. F. Sipprell P.G.H.P., Hon. F.G.Z
Roy E. Crawford,	Hon. F.C.Z
Hon. P.G.Z., Grand Scribe E.	Fred G. Powell
G. C. Cosman P.H.P.	Arthur S. Horsman G.Jr.5oj
Albert C. Lemmon P.G.Z.	A. P. Trecortin P.Z
J. William Duncan P.G.Z.	J. H. Chown
James S. Hoyt P.G.Z.	H. D. Hopkins
Eli Boyaner P.C.Supt.	A. II. Irving
Benj. Guëdstein	j. G. Noble P.Z
P. C. Wright	W. Y. Leeman P.Z
A. C. W. Parke . P.G.Supt.	W. H. Green
C. Maynard Leggett P.G.Z.	S. Grosweiner 2
Thos, G. Ballantyne, P.G.Z., G.T.	C. R. Lawton
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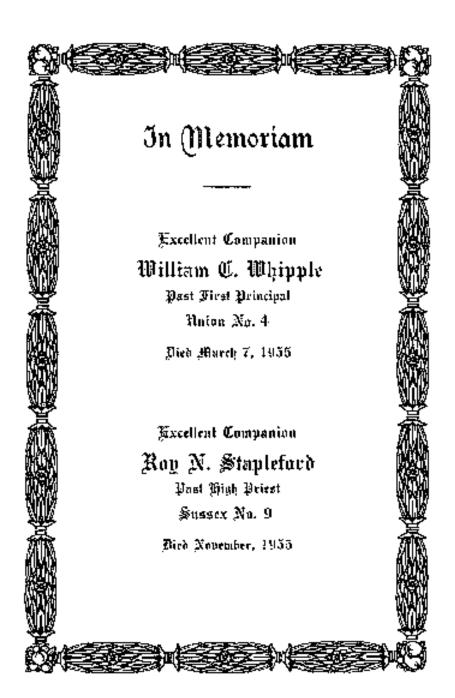
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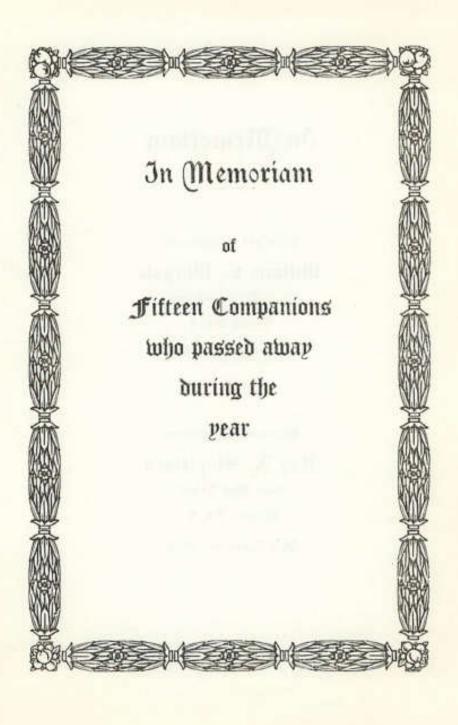
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