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Cary B. Fish
Alex B. Steuart
Archie Aitchison

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND HIGH PRIESTS

H. J. Dame, Dist. No. 2 Chas. A. Bangert, Dist. No. 7 Sumner R. Hall, Dist. No. 3 Harry S. Benson, Dist. No. 8 Chas. K. Hanner, Dist No. 4 Jos. E. Herring, Dist. No. 9 J. O. Huff, Dist. No. 6 G. A. Lambe, Dist. No. 12 John R. Hall, Dist. No. 13

REPRESENTATIVES OF CONSTITUENT CHAPTERS

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Florida No. 1	H. R. Kaufman, proxy for Officers
Gainesville No. 2	B. J. Otte. H. P.
Tampa No. 3	Wm. A. Crosby, H. P. proxy for S.
	Wm. C. Sessions, K.
St. Johns No. 4	Wm. C. Sessions, K. Chas. L. Heath, proxy for Officers
Halifax No. 5	.W. F. Winn, proxy for Officers
Mt. Horeb No. 6	James R. McCoy, H. P.
Eureka No. 7	Bert L. Blair, proxy for Officers
Jericho No. 11	Jos. Russell West, H. P., L. Earl
	Curry, proxy for K., H. R.
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Jacksonville No. 12	S. L. Houston, proxy for Officers
Ocala No. 13	C A Bangert proxy for Officers
Monroe No. 15	F. L. Miller, proxy for Officers W. H. Thomas, proxy for Officers
St. Augustine No. 17	.W. H. Thomas, proxy for Officers
manatee river No. 18	E. G. Pierce, proxy for Officers
Keystone No. 20	Robt. J. Coleman, K., proxy for
	Officers
Lolso Warth No. 22	.B. H. Webster, proxy for Officers
Lake Worth No. 24	Hallard G Young H. P.
Live Oak No. 25	Chas. Gildersleeve, proxy for Of-
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	Chas. K. Hanner, proxy for Offi-
Godsdon No. 20	J. Marvin Rowan, H. P.
St Potovsburg No. 21	J. Marvin Rowan, H. P.
Jackson No. 22	.C. Henry Papier, H. P.
Jackson No. 32	W. Dungton moves for Officer
Decadulg 10. 34	Wm. Dunstan, proxy for Officers

Sarasota No. 35Richard E. Halton, S.
Crestview No. 40E. A. Flemming, H. P.
Winter Haven No. 41 Chas. A. Seymour, proxy for Offi-
cers
Highlands No. 42Wilmer G. Hayes, K.
Union No. 43Wm. M. Christen, proxy for Offi-
cers
Clearwater No. 45Samuel T. Wickens, H. P.
Duval No. 48
Poinciana No. 50R. L. Thompson, H. P., J. E. Shof-
ner, K.
M. D. Cushing No. 54 Wm. B. Stewart, H. P.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

Alabama	R. J. Kishpaugh
Arkansas	Chas. A. Bangert
British Columbia	Robert H. Brown
Canada	Chester DeRocher
Delaware	Sumner R. Hall
Georgia	Albert E. Calkins
Idaho	J. Llovd Head
Illinois	Archie Aitchison
Kansas	Jesse C. Clark
Maryland	Henry O. Snow
Massachusetts	Chas A Bangert
Michigan	F Wm Schultz
Missouri	Cary R Figh
MISSOUFI	C A Lamba
Montana New Hampshire	Wm P O'Neel
New Hampshire	Wm I Marchall
New Jersey	Will. L. Marshall
North Carolina	
North Dakota	R. J. McMaster
Ohio	
Oklahoma	Wm. B. Greer
Oregon	Frederic A. Riegel
Quebec	Harry S. Benson
Queensland	John B. Phelps
Scotland	Alex. B. Steuart
South Carolina	Wm. R. O'Neal
Utah	Jos. R. Keller
Vermont	Bert L. Blair
Washington	H. J. Dame
Wisconsin	

GRAND CHAPTER OF FLORIDA

An address of welcome was given by Judge John Carter and appropriate response by Past Grand High Priest O'Neal.

The following telegram of regrets was received from Companion Hartsfield, Grand Royal Arch Captain:

Regret that I am unable to attend meeting because of illness. Best wishes and kindest regards.

Fraternally,

F. S. Hartsfield

A committee on Distinguished visitors consisting of Past Grand High Priests Joseph R. Keller, Archie Aitchison and Wm. R. O'Neal, introduced M. W. Jesse C. Clark, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Florida, M. I. Bert L. Blair, Grand Master of the Grand Council R. & S. M. of Florida and R. E. John B. Phelps, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Florida.

The M. . E. . Grand High Priest delivered the following address:

GRAND HIGH PRIEST'S ADDRESS

To the Most Excellent Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Florida:

Companions:

To each of you severally I extend my hearty greetings and a cordial welcome to the Ninetieth Annual Convocation of this Grand Chapter.

The time has now arrived for me to make a report of my stewardship for the past year. I have not made many visits to the various Chapters. This was due to several reasons. Dwindling funds in the Grand Treasury, limited leisure on my part; a feeling that through close touch with my Deputies who have been active and zealous in their respective Districts, I could guide and promote their activities to a successful administration.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES

On Wednesday, May 19, 1926, for reasons that seemed urgent, I introduced to the Grand Chapter the following resolutions:

"Whereas: There are a number of Chapters in a moribund condition from causes which are probably susceptible of correction; and

Whereas: There is apparently a lessening of interest in Capitular Masonry in some sections of the jurisdiction traceable, among other causes, to a lack of knowledge of the ritual; and

Whereas: It is the opinion of the Grand Chapter that it is proper to make an effort to correct such conditions by the adoption of one of the following methods:

- (a) The appointment of an Inspector-General to devote a considerable portion of his time to a thorough inspection of the various Chapters for the purpose of correcting evils, arousing interest and in drilling the officers in the ritual; or
- (b) The division of the State into several Districts, each under the direction of a District Deputy Grand High Priest appointed by the Grand High Priest and under his direction for the purpose authorized above.

Therefore, Be It Resolved. That the Jurisprudence Committee be requested to formulate a plan based on the above suggestion, and that such plan be submitted to the Grand Chapter in the form of a resolution for adoption at this Session."

Whereupon the Jurisprudence Committee brought in a supplemental report, as follows:

"In the matter of the Geo. A. Dame resolution referred to us, your Jurisprudence Committee recommend that the Grand High Priest divide our Grand Jurisdiction into such a number of Districts as to him may seem desirable and that he appoint a special Deputy for each of said districts, and that he direct each of these special deputies to investigate, and use the authority of the Grand High Priest to bring about more dignified and correct rendition of the ritual and work, and that they use all proper efforts to increase interest in Capitular Masonry in their respective districts, that they hold schools of instruction if necessary, and make annual report to the Grand High Priest."

This was carried in the proceedings the following year as an amendment to Regulation No. 30.

The first appointment of District Deputy Grand High Priest was made by Past Grand High Priest Cary B. Fish on July 9, 1927.

Almost without exception the men who have been appointed and served as District Deputies in the past nine years have been men of high intelligence, ability and character and have been earnest, zealous and industrious in the promotion of Capitular Masonry in our Grand Jurisdiction. Their work has not only been of great benefit to the Grand Chapter in sustaining it in the recent trying years of depression but has been a great school for the training of of-

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ficer material. A review of elective and appointive officers serving since this regulation became effective will show that almost all have served as District Deputies.

I make mention of these facts for probably three reasons: To please my vanity in that I have egotism to claim paternity of the idea; to inspire District Deputies to a greater appreciation of their responsibilities and opportunities; and to admonish our Grand High Priests to be most diligent and circumspect in appointing their District Deputies.

I may say further that Past Grand High Priest William B. Greer inaugurated a movement during his High Priesthood that has added greater strength, cohesiveness and continuity to the present set up of Capitular Masonry in Florida. He was the first Grand High Priest to my knowledge that called a conference of the immediate Past Grand High Priest and of the members of his council for the purpose of discussing policies and appointments. Recent appointment of line officers and District Deputies has not rested in the sole judgment, whim or favor of one man but of the conference above mentioned. This has become an unwritten law and has worked so well that I pray that those who come after me will comply.

REPRESENTATIVES

The following appointments have been made of Grand Representatives of the Grand Chapter of Florida near other Grand Jurisdictions:

Channell A. MacKenzie	Bozeman, Montana
Charles H. Turton N Allen Hotchkiss	ow Brunswick, New Jersey
Grand Representatives of other Grand Chapter of Florida have been	Grand Jurisdictions near the recommended as follows:
F. S. Hartsfield, Tallahassee T. P. Robinson, Orlando	Arizona
T. P. Robinson, Orlando	Kentucky
mack Typer, Laurel Hill	Waine
W. E. Oxley, Brooksville Claude E. Conner, Inverness	W Australia
Emery G. Pierce, Bradenton	Wyoming

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

During the year I have signed warrants on the Grand Treasurer, numbering from 1 to 13, inclusive, amounting to a total of \$3,547.52. Stubs are herewith attached.

In November, 1935, it was found necessary to cash one of our Grand Lodge bonds. This no doubt, will be brought to your attention by the Grand Treasurer.

In August, 1935, it was found necessary to authorize the printing of Returns blanks. The form of the new blanks has been greatly improved by the Grand Secretary.

BY-LAWS APPROVED

By-laws of Poinciana Chapter No. 50, submitted as a whole were approved. (Copy attached.)

By-laws of Jacksonville Chapter No. 12, submitted as a whole, were approved. (Copy attached.)

Approved amendment to By-laws of Lakeland Chapter, No. 29, to read as follows:

"Regular Convocations of the Chapter shall be held on the Fourth Tuesday of each month".

Approved change in By-laws of Ocala Chapter No. 13 to read as follows:

"The regular convocations of this Chapter shall be held on the fourth Monday of each month at 8 o'clock, P. M., but they may be suspended during the months of July and August, if so decided, by special action of the Chapter".

Approved amendment to Section 3, of Article 5, of Bylaws of Lakeland Chapter No. 29 to read:

"The fees for the several degrees conferred by this Chapter shall be twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, which fee shall accompany the petition therefor".

Approved amendment to By-laws of Lake Worth Chapter No. 24, fixing fees for degrees at \$20.00.

DISPENSATIONS

Only two Dispensations were requested during my term of office. Each of these came to my attention too late to be granted or refused.

DECISIONS

Only two decisions were requested.

First was matter of conviction of a member of a Lodge in Georgia by a Lodge in Florida. Question was whether this man was automatically suspended from his Chapter in Florida. My decision was that either he should be held to be an expelled Mason in Florida by the Grand Lodge of Florida, in which case he lost his Chapter standing; or that he should be tried by the Chapter in Florida of which he was a member.

The other ruling was as to position of veils. My decision was that the veils should be in the South and facing North if the old ritual was being used and on the other hand if the new ritual was being used the veils should be in the North and should face East.

EDUCATIONAL LOAN

Most Excellent Companion William R. O'Neal has submitted to me a copy of his report. I take this occasion to thank Companion O'Neal for his faithful and never-lagging interest in York Rite Masonry. He has been a pillar of strength and inspiration in his Fraternal work for nearly fifty years. I wish to express to him my profound admiration and respect.

NECROLOGY

It is my sad duty to here record the death of that grand old man and Mason, Companion Elmer E. Haskell, Past Grand High Priest since 1900: It has been my good fortune to know and to love him for the past thirty years.

The Committee on Necrology will fully cover this and

other matters coming within their purview.

MONUMENT

Plans for the memorial to Past Grand High Priest Wilber P. Webster were submitted to me by Companion J. S. B. Moyer, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge, and were approved by me for the Grand Chapter. Correspondence and data pertaining to this subject are herewith submitted.

CONSTITUTION AND REGULATIONS

Grand Secretary, Cary B. Fish, early in the Capitular year compiled and arranged the Constitution and Regulations of the Grand Chapter and upon being authorized by me had them printed and distributed.

Our Grand Secretary did a most creditable job and is entitled to our sincere thanks.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Of the matters referred to me by the Grand Chapter, I am happy to say that at least one has been very efficiently handled by Companion William L. Marshall and the other Companions associated with him. I refer to the matter of the Chapter at Panama City.

There are other Chapters in the Jurisdiction which are in a dying condition, or quite dead. Where these Chapters cannot be revived and put in a creditable condition their charters should be surrendered and the members of same allowed to affiliate with other Chapters.

RITUAL

It was my understanding that the matter of using the old or General Grand Chapter ritual was left up to me by action or implication at our Convocation in Ocala. Early in the year I appointed Companions Joseph E. Herring, Cleveland R. Horne and Archie Aitchison as a Ritual Committee with request that they report at this Convocation.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I earnestly recommend that a most careful survey of our finances be made and that proper efforts be put forth to put our house in order. We have certainly drifted very close to the rocks.

A financially minded and competent committee should probably be appointed for this specific purpose. Your present Committee of Finance and Accounts may find this to be within their line of duty and I can certainly recommend them to be able and active.

I recommend that an effort be made to liquidate weak and unsuccessful Chapters; and that it will be best in the long run to consolidate two or more weak Chapters into one strong one, or to surrender charters whenever necessary and members be allowed to seek membership in growing and progressive Chapters nearby. This matter should be made the subject of careful survey by a competent and unprejudiced committee.

Having in mind the value and satisfaction of being able to know the history of persons and institutions in whom and which we are deeply interested and realizing that as the years roll by it will be increasingly difficult to secure the foundation data for compiling a history of our Grand Chapter and of its officers, I recommend that a committee of one or more be appointed to compile such a history and that an effort be made to publish this history for our centennial which is now about ten years off. I believe that it would be feasible to make a small appropriation each year for carrying on this work.

CONCLUSION

I feel most grateful to the Companions of the Order in having permitted me the honor of serving as Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Florida. No doubt I have done many things which I should not have done and have left undone many things which I should have done. I take shelter under the broad mantle of Masonic charity.

My sincere thanks are extended to my District Depties, to the Grand Secretary and to all other Companions whom I have contacted in the discharge of my duties and who have lent me their encouragement and assistance.

Courteously submitted,

Geo. A. Dame,

Grand High Priest

Upon motion the foregoing address was received and referred to a special committee for consideration and distribution of subjects. The R. E. Deputy Grand High Priest appointed Past Grand High Priest Joseph R. Keller and Companions V. J. Otte and J. M. Rowan as such Committee.

The Grand Secretary made the following report which was received and referred to the committee on Distribution:

GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the M. . E. . Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

I have the honor to report the doings of the Grand Secretary's office for the year ending May 5. 1936.

COMMISSIONS

The Grand High Priest has recommended as Grand Representatives near the Grand Chapter of Florida as follows:

Arizona	F. S. Hartsfield, Tallahassee
Maine	Mack Tyner, Laurel Hill
Massachusetts	W. E. Oxley, Brooksville
Kentucky	T. P. Robinson, Orlando
West Australia	Claude E. Conner, Inverness
Wyoming	E. G. Pierce, Bradenton

The commissions for the above recommended Companions have not yet been received.

Commissions have been prepared and sent out by order of the M. '.E.'.Grand High Priest as follows:

Arkansas	Allen Hotchkiss, Hot Springs
Montana	Channell A. Mackanzee, Bozeman
New Jersey	Charles H. Turton, New Brunswick

RETURNS

All the Chapters have made correct returns and paid dues in full with the following exceptions:

Kissimmee No. 10, Inverness No. 14, Nassau No. 49, and Hill City No. 55 have made no returns and paid no dues.

The following Chapters owe the amount set opposite their name:

Dade City No. 8	The following Chapters owe the amount set opposite their	r name:
Kissimmee No. 10, last return 60.00 Jericho No. 11 280.00 Plant City No. 16 84.00 St. Augustine No. 17 118.00 Lake Butler No. 19 8.00 Live Oak No. 25 200.00 Joppa No. 28 349.00 St. Petersburg No. 31 126.00 Jackson No. 32 152.00 Leesburg No. 34 85.00 Providence No. 38 24.00 Union No. 43 142.00 Duval No. 48 34.00 Nassau No. 49 56.00 New Smyrna No. 51 232.00 STATISTICS Exalted 68 Affiliated 29 Died 86 Dimitted 49 Suspended N. P. D. 239 Showing a net loss according to the returns now in of 222 Last year's returns showed Inverness No. 14 24 members	Dade City No. 8	15.00
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Feb.	15	Leesburg Chapter No. 34	65.00
Feb.	17	Jackson Chapter No. 32	3.00
Feb.	17	Jericho Chapter No. 11	183.00
Feb.	18	Monroe Chapter No. 15	15.00
Feb.	19	Thomas Brown Chapter No. 22	73.00
Feb.	19	Jacksonville Chapter No. 12	305.00
Feb.	19	Lake Worth Chapter No. 24	167.00
Mch.	2	Indian River Chapter No. 27	47.00
Mch.	6	Eureka Chapter No. 7	147.00
Mch.		Halifax Chapter No. 5	68.00
Mch.		St. Petersburg Chapter No. 31	3.00
Mch.		Sarasota Chapter No. 35	73.00
Mch.		Gainesville Chapter No. 2	200.00
Mch.		Tampa Chapter No. 3	72.00
Mch.		New Smyrna Chapter No. 51	12.00
Mch.		Florida Chapter No. 1	118.00
Mch.		Live Oak Chapter No. 25	100.00
Mch.	1	Crestview Chapter No. 40	48.00
Apr.	1	Poinciana Chapter No. 50	48.00
Apr.	7	Rituals Sold	. 1.00
Apr.		Joppa Chapter No. 28	41.00
Apr.		M. D. Cushing Chapter No. 54	. 65.00
Apr.		Eustis Chapter No. 33	49.00
Apr.		Halifax Chapter No. 5	. 1.00
Apr.		Gadsden Chapter No. 30	. 65.00
Apr.		Lakeland Chapter No. 29	. 61.00
Apr.		Putnam Chapter No. 9	. 65.00
Apr.		Clearwater Chapter No. 45	19.00
Apr.		St Augustine Chapter No. 17	. 60.00
Apr.	24	Dade City Chapter No. 8	
Apr.	28	Plant City Chapter No. 16	. 44.00
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		DISBURSEMENTS	
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May	10	Payroll for 1935 annual convocation	31,421.83
May	10	Stenographic work at Ocala	25.00 325.00
May	20	Grand Secretary's salary	38.06
June	3	Annual dues to General Grand Chapter	216.64
Aug	. 17	Masonic Home Press, proceedings, dues, cards, etc.	
Aug	. 17	Grand Treasurer's salary	
Aug		Grand Secretary's salary	46.25
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All the receipts have been turned over to the Grand Treasurer and the books are here for the use of the Finance Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Cary B. Fish, Grand Secretary.

The Grand Treasurer made the following report which was received and referred to the Committee on Finance and Accounts:

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

Tampa, Florida, May 5, 1936.

Riley J. McMaster, Grand Treasurer

In account with the Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

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1935	
May 5, Balance \$	\$2,370.66
For interest on Grand Lodge Bonds 125.00	
For Redemption Grand Lodge Bond 1,000.00	
Divident Bank, Arcadia	
From Credentials Committee	
From Grand Secretary	4,759.55
	\$7,130.21
Warrants drawn Nos. 1 to 15, Inc	\$3,547.52
Balance in First National Bank, Tampa 3,788.82	Model Self Self Selfsone /
Less Outstanding Checks 168.93	

Cary B. Fish, Grand Secretary	37.20	206.13	\$3,582.69
Balance		\$3,582.69	
Grand Lodge Bonds		2,000.00	
	N. Alex	\$5,582.69	

Fraternally submitted, Riley J. McMaster, Grand Treasurer.

The M. E. Grand High Priest announced the appointment of the following Committees:

RETURNS AND CREDENTIALS

Harry D. Gilmore, Wm. C. Sessions,

Joel A. Fite

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Harry S. Benson,

Richard Houghton,

Hallard G. Young

DISPENSATIONS AND BY-LAWS

Wm. B. Greer,

Geo. A. Lambe,

Archie Aitchison,

S. L. Houston

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Joseph R. Keller,

Wm. R. O'Neal

PROPOSITIONS AND GRIEVANCES

Harry R. Thompson,

David M. Winans,

Sumner R. Hall

THANKS

Wm. L. Marshall,

John R. Hall

Richard Ervin,

Past Grand High Priest Wm. B. Greer presented a verbal report of his activities as Grand Lecturer. which upon motion was adopted.

The special Committee on Rituals made their report which upon motion was received and ordered filed.

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The Committee on Distribution made the following report which was received and adopted:

DISTRIBUTION

To the M. E. Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

We, your Committee on Distribution to whom was referred the address of the M. E. Grand High Priest and the report of the Grand Secretary, would respectfully recommend that that portion of the address as referred to Necrology, be referred to the Committee on Memorials.

That such matters as refer to By-laws approved, be referred to the Committee on Dispensations and By-laws.

That such matters as refer to rulings, decisions, dispensations and recommendations, be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

That such matters as refer to finance, be referred to the Committee on Finance.

That all other matters referred to in the address do not require reference to any Committee.

Fraternally submitted,

Joseph R. Keller, V. J. Otte, J. M. Rowan,

Committee

The Grand Secretary presented a bill amounting to \$75.00 to the Trustees of the Grand Lodge Properties for the use of Library. It was moved, seconded and carried that this bill be not paid at this time and that the incoming Grand High Priest appoint a Committee to take up the matter of paying this bill and of presenting the library to the Grand Lodge F. & A. M., of Florida. This matter to be reported at the next annual session.

It was moved that when the Grand Chapter is called from labor to refreshment, it be to resume labor at 9:30 A. M., Wednesday.

The Chapter was closed in due form.

Wednesday, May 6th, 9:30 A. M.

The Grand Chapter was called from refreshment to labor by the M. E. Grand High Priest with officers and members as at previous session, with prayer by the Grand Chaplain.

IN GRAND CHAPTER

The minutes of the previous session were read and adopted.

The Committee on Propositions and Grievances made the following report which was received and adopted:

PROPOSITIONS AND GRIEVANCES

To the M. . E. . Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

Your Committee on Propositions and Grievances is pleased to report that no matters have been referred to it for consideration. Peace and harmony prevail throughout this Grand Jurisdiction.

Fraternally submitted,

Harry R. Thompson, Sumner R. Hall, D. W. Winans,

Committee.

The Committee on Unfinished Business made the following report which was received and adopted:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

To the M. . E. . Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

Your Committee on Unfinished Business report having found no matters awaiting action of this Grand Body.

Fraternally submitted,

Harry S. Benson, R. Houghton, Hal G. Young,

Committee.

Past Grand High Priest Wm. L. Marshall made a verbal report in regard to the defunct Chapter at Panama City.

The Committee on Finance and Accounts made the following report which was received and adopted:

FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS

To the M. E. Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

Your Committee on Finance and Accounts submits the following report.

We have examined the books of the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary and find them correct with a balance on hand of \$5,582.69 which is distributed as follows:

Cash in First Nationa	al Bank of Tampa	\$3,582.69
Grand Lodge Bonds		2,000.00

From which we recommend the following appropriations:

Grand Treasurer's	Salary	\$ 200.00
Grand Secretary's	Salary	1,300.00
Pay Roll Attached		000 15
Monument for M.	E. Elm	er E. Haskell 75.00

Total		\$2,508.45
Balance	on hand	3,074.24

We also recommend that \$200.00 be appropriated for the expense of the Grand High Priest to attend the Triennial of the General Grand Chapter in St. Louis; and that the Grand Secretary be authorized to procure a Past Grand High Priest's jewel and apron for presentation to the M. E. Grand High Priest at our next Grand Convocation and that a warrant be drawn to pay for same.

We recommend that the Grand High Priest and the Grand Secretary be authorized to draw warrants on the General Fund for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses of postage, printing, stationery and other incidentials for the use of the Grand High Priest, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer and for the expense of the Grand Chapter Officers making official visitations and the Grand Treasurer be authorized to pay the same. We also recommend that the Grand Secretary be authorized to purchase a new record book.

The Committee wish to extend thanks for the valuable services rendered to them by our Companions the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer.

Fraternally submitted,

Alex. B. Steuart, R. J. Kishpaugh, H. O. Snow,

Committee.

PAY ROLL

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ritine	Per Diem	Mileage	Total
Geo. A. Dame, G. H. P.	\$ 8.00	\$ 3.90	\$11.90
C. R. Horne, D. G. H. P.	. 8.00	6.75	14.75
J. Lloyd Head, G. K.	. 8.00	3.75	11.75
John B. Phelps, G. S.	. 8.00	8.50	16.50
R. J. McMaster, G. Treas.	. 12.00	5.35	17.05
Cary B. Fish, G. Sec'y.	. 12.00	6.15	18.15
Albert E. Calkins, G. Chap.	. 8.00	4.35	12.35
Jesse C. Clark, G. C. H.	. 8.00	2.20	10.20
D. H. Rutter, G. M. 3rd V.	. 8.00	4.35	12.35
F. A. Riegel, G. M. 2nd V.	. 8.00	12.30	20.30
Wm. L. Marshall, G. M. 1st V.	. 8.00	1.20	9.20
Jos. R. Keller, P. G. H. P.	. 8.00	1.10	9.10
Wm. R. O'Neal, P. G. H. P.	. 12.00	5.40	17.40
H. O. Snow, P. G. H. P.	. 12.00	5.35	17.35
R. J. Kishpaugh, P. G. H. P.	. 12.00	7.60	19.60
A. B. Steuart, P. G. H. P.	. 12.00	5.35	17.35
Wm. B. Greer, P. G. H. P.	12.00	1.35	13.35
Archie Aitchison, P. G. H. P.	12.00	11.30	23.30
H. R. Kaufman, Chapter No. 1	8.00	2.40	10.40
B. J. Otte, Chapter No. 2	8.00	6.60	14.60
W. A. Crosby, Chapter No. 3	8.00	10.70	18.70
C. L. Heath, Chapter No. 4	8.00	9.15	17.15
W. F. Winn, Chapter No. 5	8.00	9.90	17.90
J. R. McCoy, Chapter No. 6	8.00	4.20	12.20
Bert L. Blair, Chapter No. 7	8.00	5.40	13.40
J. R. West, Chapter No. 11	8.00	8.50	16.50
S. L. Houston, Chapter No. 12	8.00	7.50	15.50
Chas. A. Bangert, Chapter No. 13	8.00	3.75	11.75
F. L. Miller, Chapter No. 15	8.00	9.60	17.60
W. H. Thomas, Chapter No. 17	8.00	4.35	12.35
E. G. Pierce, Chapter No. 18	8.00	12.00	20.00
R. J. Coleman, Chapter No. 20	8.00	15.35	23.35
B. H. Webster, Chapter No. 22	8.00	5.05	13.05
H. G. Young, Chapter No. 24	8.00	7.60	15.60
Chas. Gildersleeve, Chapter No. 25	8.00	4.65	12.65
D. M. Winans, Chapter No. 26	8.00	2.85	10.85
J. L. Hoeflich, Chapter No. 28	8.00	12.35	20.35
Chas. K. Hanner, Chapter No. 29	8.00	4.80	21.30
J. M. Rowan, Chapter No. 30	8.00	1.35	9.35
C. H. Papier, Chapter No. 31	8.00	11.25	19.25
H. M. Ivey, Chapter No. 32	8.00		8.00
Wm. Dunstan, Chapter No. 34	8.00	4.20	12.20
R. E. Halton, Chapter No. 35	8.00	6.15	14.15
C. A. Seymour, Chapter No. 41	8.00	10.05	18.05
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Per Die	em Mileage	Total	Joppa No. 28
8.00	12.00	20.00	Jackson No. 32 152.00
8.00	7.5 (6.5)	19.35	Leesburg No. 34
8.00		15.50	Union No. 43
8.00 8.00		24.35 18.70	Duval No. 48
8.00		21.35	The following Chapters are not represented, have made cor

prrect returns and owe the following amounts:

Dade City No. 8	15.00
Plant City No. 16	84.00
Lake Butler No. 19	9.00
Providence No. 38	49.00
New Smyrna No. 51	220.00

The total amount due by the Constituent Chapters is \$1,910.00.

We find that Kissimmee Chapter No. 10, Inverness No. 14, Nassau No. 49 and Hill City No. 55 have made no returns, paid no dues and are not represented. We recommend that this matter be brought to the immediate attention of the incoming Grand High Priest.

Fraternally submitted,

Harry D. Gilmore, Joel A. Fite. Wm. C. Sessions.

Committee.

The Committee on Thanks made the following report which was received and adopted:

THANKS

To the M. E. Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

We, your Committee appointed to draft resolutions of thanks, beg leave to submit the following resolution;

Be it resolved by the Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

That we express our sincere appreciation and thanks to Jackson Chapter No. 32, R. A. M., and Chipola Commandery No. 22, K. T. for the many courtesies and delightful entertainment extended to us and to our ladies during our stay in the city.

To the City of Marianna, its City Officials, for the courteous treatment and consideration extended to the members of this body.

To the ladies of the city who acted as hostesses to our ladies; for the wonderful entertainment provided for them and the beautiful floral offerings arranged in the Lodge Rooms.

Name	Per Diem	Mileage	Total
W. M. Christen, Chapter No. 43	8.00	12.00	20.00
S. T. Wickens, Chapter No. 45		11.35	19.35
D. W. Carroll, Chapter No. 48		7.50	15.50
R. L. Thompson, Chapter No. 50		16.35	24.35
Wm. B. Stuart, Chapter No. 54	. 8.00	10.70	18.70
H. J. Dame, D. D. H. P.	. 8.00	13.35	21.35
S. R. Hall, D. D. H. P.	. 8.00	13.35	21.35
J. E. Herring, D. D. H. P.	8.00	3.75	11.75
G. A. Lambe, D. D. H. P.	8.00		8.00
J. R. Hall, D. D. H. P.		4.20	12.20
H. S. Benson, D. D. H. P.		13.20	21.20
R. Houghton, Com. Unf. Bus.	8.00	10.05	18.05
H. R. Thompson, P. & G.	. 8.00	13.35	21.35
Richard Ervin, Com. Thanks	. 8.00	2.40	10.40
A. H. Grant, Memorials	. 8.00	4.65	12.65
Joel A. Fite, Ret. & Cred.	. 8.00	8.50	16.50
Harry D. Gilmore, Ret. & Cred.		6.60	14.60
Wm. C. Sessions, Ret. & Work		5.35	13.35
Gr. Secy, Extra Clerical Work			25.00
J. O. Huff, D. D. H. P.		9.60	17.60
E. A. Flemming, Chapter No. 40	. 8.00	2.70	10.70
W. G. Hayes, Chapter No. 42	. 8.00	5.00	13.00
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\$1,055.10

The Committee on Returns and Credentials made the following report which was received and adopted:

RETURN'S AND CREDENTIALS

To the M. E. Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

Your Committee on Returns and Credentials report that the list of Grand Officers and Representatives furnished us by the Grand Secretary is correct.

We have collected \$26.00 from Duval Chapter No. 48 and turned same over to the Grand Secretary.

We find that 24 of the 45 Chapters have made correct returns, paid their dues in full and are represented. Three Chapters have paid their dues in full, made correct returns, but are not represented.

We find that the following Chapters have made correct returns, are represented, but owe the following amounts:

Jericho No. 11	\$280.00
St. Augustine No. 17	119.00
Live Oak No. 25	200.00

To the Satsuma Shrine Club, the Rotary Club, the Kiwanis Club, whose efforts have contributed so much to our successful entertainment.

To Harmony Lodge No. 3, F. & A. M., for the use of their Lodge room and other conveniences.

To the Press for their co-operation in so faithfully reporting our affairs and transactions.

To the various hotels and restaurants for looking after our material welfare.

We will ever remember with pleasure our visit to this City and we look forward to a time when we may again renew this happy occasion.

Fraternally submitted,

Wm. L. Marshall, R. W. Ervin, John R. Hall,

Committee.

The Committee on Memorials made the following report which was received and adopted:

MEMORIALS

To the M. E. Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

Again we pause in the proceedings of this Grand Body to remember and honor our departed Companions. They have passed through the Jordan into the Promised Land. The Ark of the Covenant containing the Holy Scriptures, symbolic of the Divine Presence and Will, led them to victory and a final triumph over death. They can now sing, "death is swallowed up in victory" and "this mortal has put on immortality."

The Chief Corner-stone, elect and Precious, was the foundation and supporting power of their lives. They built on the Rock of Ages and so they shall live throughout the ages. The Great High Priest has offered himself on the Altar of Sacrifice, making an acceptable offering for their sin. He has passed through the heavens, "Wherefore He is able to save to the uttermost all those who come to God through Him."

Be sure all who put their trust in the Keystone of God's redemption, shall live and grow, work and worship in a heavenly temple where sin, sorrow and death never comes.

To-day we miss the fellowship of 86 Companions whose spirits have passed from an earthly tent into the Paradise of God. Their names will appear in our proceedings.

Among them was Past Most Excellent Grand High Priest Elmer E. Haskell who served this Grand Chapter as High Priest in 1900. He took the wings of the morning and flew to the Realm of Bliss, Feb. 19. 1936. Companion Haskell was born in Chatham, New Hampshire, Nov. 2, 1861. In 1866 he moved to Beverly, Mass. While just a lad he publicly professed his faith in God and in His Son, Jesus Christ, and united with the Methodist Church, of which he was a devoted, active, life-long member. On June 21, 1882, he was married to Alice H. Kent, who survives him. Later they moved to North Conway, N. H., where they maintained a summer home. On May, 1885, they came to Palatka, Florida, and established their residence. Judge Haskell engaged in the practice of law, served one year as County Judge and many years as Municipal Judge. Also he engaged in the Abstract business. Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church, Palatka, Fla., conducted by his Pastor, the Rev. H. A. Spencer, assisted by Excellent Companion Dorsey H. Rutter representing the Grand Chapter and the Grand Commandery.

The Masonic service at the grave was conducted by the Grand Lodge F. & A. M. of Florida with Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master Jesse C. Clark, presiding. Masons from all Masonic Bodies and from all parts of this State were present and participated in the services. Also many members of the Order of Eastern Star were present. Brother Haskell was made a Master Mason, Nov. 5, 1886, in Palatka Lodge No. 34, and became one among the best beloved Masons in Florida. He received high Masonic Honors, having served as Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Florida in 1907, 1908; Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of this State in 1899; and Grand High Priest of this Grand Chapter in 1900.

Companion Haskell was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and served as Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of this State.

Past Grand High Priest Haskell was a splendid Christian gentleman, a loyal Churchman and a true Mason, ever exemplifying in his life the beautiful and holy principles of both institutions. He was great in mind, heart and deeds, yet as humble and gentle as a child. His humility, service and ability exalted him to a seat among the mighty, and this Grand Chapter has lost one of her most illustrious Companions. To his sorrowing widow, bereft of a loving husband, we extend our sincerest sympathy.

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We mourn with our Companions of other States the passing of the following Grand Officers of Sister Grand Chapters:

ALABAMA-John B. Bethea, P. G. H. P.

ALBERTA-Frederick S. Selwood, G. F. P.

ARKANSAS-George H. Parsons, P. G. H. P.

COLORADO—William W. Cooper, P. G. H. P. and Sec'y. Lee R. Horn, P. G. H. P. Joseph H. Price, P. G. H. P.

CONNECTICUT—George A. Kies, P. G. H. P. and Sec'y.

INDIANA—R. W. Crockett, P. G. H. P. Chas. J. Jacoby, P. G. H. P. John W. McAdams, G. P. S.

IOWA—Louis Block, P. G. H. P. Harry M. Bradley, P. G. H. P. William H. Hart, P. G. H. P.

MAINE-Hugh R. Chaplin, P. G. S.

MARYLAND—Charles P. Morningstar, P. G. H. P. James M. Rawlings, P. G. H. P.

MICHIGAN—Albert G. Granger, P. G. H. P. Michael B. McGee, P. G. H. P.

MINNESOTA-George M. Hough, G. M. 3rd. Veil.

MISSISSIPPI-Irvin M. Moody, P. G. H. P. George D. Riley, G. H. P.

NEBRASKA-Leroy Parks, D. G. H. P.

NEVADA—Charles D. Fulstone, P. G. H. P. Frederick M. Schadler, P. G. H. P.

NEW YORK-Edward F. Hill, P. G. H. P.

NORTH DAKOTA-Eben G. Guthrie, P. G. H. P.

OHIO-Frank L. Beggs, P. G. H. P. Henry W. Young, G. M. 2nd. V.

OKLAHOMA—George W. Spencer, P. G. H. P. Ora B. Kirkland, P. G. H. P.

OREGON-Clyde Evans, P. G. H. P. James K. Weatherford, P. G. H. P.

SOUTH CAROLINA-Abram E. Adams, G. K.. George T. Bryan, P. G. H. P.

UTAH-Frank Porter Sherwood, P. G. H. P.

WASHINGTON-John G. Heinz, P. G. H. P.

WISCONSIN-John E. Bast, Asst. G. Sec'y. Henry C. Dittmar, P. G. H. P.

To the relatives, Companions and friends of the above, we would express our deepest sympathy and command them to a loving Saviour, who said, "I am the resurrection and the life."

> "Peace, for the spirit liveth And Christ is thine to-day; The Lord of death has risen, The stone is rolled away."

Fraternally submitted,

Albert E. Calkins, D. H. Rutter, A. H. Grant,

Committee.

The Committee on Jurisprudence made the following report which was received and adopted:

JURISPRUDENCE

To the M. . E. . Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

The Committee on Jurisprudence have carefully considered the matters of decisions referred to them, report as follows:

In the matter of the conviction of a member of a Georgia Lodge, hold that as long as he retains his membership in his own Lodge, that he is entitled to all the rights in the Chapter to which he belongs. That any further action must be taken by that Chapter.

In the matter of the positions of the Veils, as long as the use of both rituals is permitted the situation of the veils should be in accordance thereto.

Fraternally submitted,

Joseph R. Keller,
Wm. R. O'Neal,
H. O. Snow,
R. J. Kishpaugh,
Cary B. Fish,
R. J. McMaster,
Alex. B. Steuart,
Wm. B. Greer,
Archie Aitchison,

Committee.

1926

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\$ 200.00

500.00

The Grand Secretary was directed to have printed and to send out forms for the Masonic Record of the Present and Past Grand Officers of the Grand Chapter R. A. M. of

The Educational Loan Fund Committee made the following report which was received and adopted:

REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND

GRAND CHAPTER ROYAL ARCH MASONS

For the Fiscal Year Ending April 1, 1936

To the M. E. Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

Your Educational Loan Committee herewith presents its tenth annual report for your approval.

No money having been received from the Grand Chapter this year, we have been able to make, from the repayments received from students having the loans in the past, only one loan, to G. Warren Sanchez in the sum of \$100.00.

RECEIPTS

Dalan	ce from last year	\$52.45
Date 3— 2-	FROM STUDENTS Name Interest Principa Albert Buchholz S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	
8—12—	Edna Martin 4.50 20.00	
	Total Interest 4.50 Total Principal 40.00	
	Total Receipts 40.00	44.50
	Advance by W. R. O'Neal	\$96.95 5.00
	Loan to G. Warren Sanchez	\$101.95 100.00
	Balance in Bank, April 1, 1936	.\$ 1.95
Year	GRAND TOTALS	
	Made No. Amount	Amount

\$ 100.00

450.00

Paid back now outstanding

\$ 100.00

50.00

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1928	1,525.00	8	537.50	987.50
1929	1,000.00	5	200.00	800.00
1930	900.00	5	100.00	800.00
1931	1,200.00	7	230.00	970.00
1932	1200.00	i	THE STATE OF	200.00
1933		0		
1934	None	2		300.00
1935	300.00 100.00	1		100.00
	6E 00E 00	33	\$1,217.50	\$4,707.50
	\$5,925.00			\$4,600.00
Received fr	om all assessme	nts since the	und started	168.50
Received fr	om interest on 1	oans since the	Fund Started	10.11
Received fr	om interest on l	ank since the	Fund Started	F 00
Advance fr	om W. R. O'Nea	al		0.00
To	tal		***************************************	\$4,707.50
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alsh on L	1			00 00
Balance due	from Closed B	ank		
	and on order			\$4,821.91
TD.				

Total Item of \$13.08 office expense for ten years, or \$1.308 per year.

Respectfully submitted, W. R. O'Neal,

The Committee on Dispensations and By-Laws made the following report which was received and adopted:

DISPENSATIONS AND BY-LAWS

To the M. E. Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Florida:

Your Committee on Dispensations and By-laws have had no matters referred to it for consideration, except that portion of the Grand High Priest's address of the By-laws approved and Dispensation. High Priest's address pertaining to By-laws approved and Dispensations granted and refused.

These matters being entirely within the Jurisdiction of the Grand the Priest way the Priest way to be a serious therein. High Priest, your Committee approves his actions therein.

Fraternally submitted,

Wm. B. Greer, G. A. Lambe,

S. L. Houston, Committee.

Companion B. J. Otte invited the Grand Chapter R. A. M., to meet in Gainesville for its next Annual Convocation.

Companion Alex. B. Steuart presented an invitation to the Grand Chapter to meet in Tampa for the next Annual Convocation, and practically stated that it would be a business meeting.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the invitation to meet in Tampa be accepted.

Regrets were received from Companion Frank S. Hartsfield stating that he would be unable to attend on account of illness. The Grand Secretary was directed to send a telegram of sympathy to Companion Hartsfield.

The several Grand Representatives presented greetings from their respective Grand Jurisdictions.

The Grand Secretary was instructed to have printed and sent out gratis to the Chapters, notices of suspensions.

The M. E. Grand High Priest appointed Companions J. L. Haeflick, B. J. Otte and Wm. Dunstan as Tellers, and the Grand Chapter proceeded with the Annual Election of Officers with the following result:

GRAND OFFICERS ELECTED

Cleveland R. Horne	M E Grand High Priest
J. Lloyd Head	
John B. Phelps	R E Grand King
Jesse C. Clark	R E Grand Scribe
	M E Grand Treasurer
	M E Grand Secretary
Albert E. Calkins	R E Grand Chaplain

The M. E. Grand High Priest-elect announced the appointment of the following Grand Officers:

GRAND OFFICERS APPOINTED

Frank S. Hartsfield	E. Grand	Capt. of the Host
Dorsey H. Rutter		Prin. Sojourner
Frederic A. Riegel		Royal Arch Captain
Wm. L. Marshall	E. Grand	Master 3rd Veil
H. J. Dame	E. Grand	Master 2nd Veil
H. S. Weber	E. Grand	Master 1st Veil

INSTALLATION

The above named Officers were duly installed by Past Grand High Priest H. O. Snow as Installing Officer assisted by Past Grand High Priest R. J. Kishpaugh as Marshal and Companion A. E. Calkins as Chaplain, with the exception of the Grand Treasurer, Grand Secretary and Grand Chaplain, they having been re-elected their installation was not necessary at this time.

Companion Frank S. Hartsfield being ill and unable to be present, Past Grand High Priest Wm. B. Greer was directed to install him in his local Chapter.

The M. E. Grand High Priest appointed the following District Deputy Grand High Priests and Standing Committees:

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND HIGH PRIESTS

DISTRICT NO. 1

O. D. Klepper, P. O. Box 972, Hollywood Jericho No. 11 Lake Worth No. 24

Keystone No. 20

DISTRICT NO. 2

H. J. Dame, Ft. Pierce

Joppa No. 28

Union No. 43

DISTRICT NO. 3

S. R. Hall, Ft. Myers Poinciana No. 50

Manatee River No. 18

Sarasota No. 35

DISTRICT NO. 4

Chas. K. Hanner, Lakeland
Plant City No. 16

Lakeland No. 29
Thomae Brown No. 22

Winter Haven No. 41
Highlands No. 42

DISTRICT NO. 5

Ernest V	. Reed,	3004	Bay	Court,	Tampa		
Tampa No. 3			THE STATE OF	St. Pe	etersburg	No.	31
Dade City No. 8					learwater		
M. D. Cushing No.	54				Hill City	No.	55

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A Past Grand High Priest's Jewel and Apron were presented to retiring Past Grand High Priest George A. Dame, Past Grand High Priest Wm. R. O' Neal making the presentation.

The newly installed M. E. Grand High Priest thanked the Officers and Members for the honor conferred upon him and stated that the next Annual Convocation to be held in Tampa would be held on the Third Tuesday in May 1937.

No further business appearing, the foregoing minutes were read and adopted.

The Grand Chapter was closed is ample form with prayer by the Grand Chaplain.

Cleveland R. Horne, Grand High Priest.

Attest:

Grand Secretary.



In Alemory of

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Ludwig W. BuchholzTampa 3Apr	. 23, 1935
John W. Henderson Tampa 3Feb	. 22, 1935
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H. Stanly PriceTampa 3Jun	e 14, 1935
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John J. StreetMt. Horeb 6Sep	t. 28, 1935
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Wilber P. Webster				29, 1935
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J. D. Robertson, Jr				17, 1935
James Sweeney				
E. S. Estes				6, 1935
R. B. Rutherford				1935
H. J. Yeldham				
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CHAPTER		LOCATION	TIME OF MEETING	
Florida	2	lainesville	Second Monday. First and Third Friday.	
Tampa	3	DeLand	First and Third Friday. Third Friday.	
Halifax Mount Horeb	6	Daytona Pensacola	Second Thursday.	
Eureka	7	Orlando	First and Third Monday.	
Dade City	8	Dade City	First and Third Monday.	
Putnam Kissimmee	10	Palatka	Second and Fourth Monday.	
Jericho	11	Miami	Second and Fourth Friday. Second and Fourth Thursday.	
Jacksonville	12	Jacksonville	Second and Fourth Thursday.	
Ocala	13	Ocala	First Monday	
Monroe	15	Sanford	Second and Fourth Tuesday.	
Plant City	16	Plant City	First and Third Tuesday.	
St. Augustine	17	St. Augustine Bradenton	Second Tuesday.	
Manatee River Lake Butler	18	Lake Butler	First Thursday.	
Keystone	20	Ft. Lauderdale	Second Friday.	
Thomas Brown .	22	Bartow	First Thursday.	
Lake Worth Live Oak	24 25	Live Oak	First and Third Monday.	
Jefferson	26	Monticello	First Monday.	
Indian River	27	Titusville	Third Wednesday.	
Joppa Lakeland	28	Fort Pierce Lakeland	First Friday.	
Gadsden	30	Quincy	Third Monday.	
St. Petersburg	31	St. Petersburg	First and Third Wednesdays.	
Jackson		Marianna	Second and Fourth Thursday. Third Tuesday.	
Eustis	33	Eustis Leesburg	Second Tuesday.	
Sarasota	35	Sarasota	Second and Fourth Thursday	
Providence	38	Lake City	Second Friday.	
Crestview	40	Crestview	Second and Fourth Tuesday. First and Third Monday.	
Winter Haven	41	Winter Haven Avon Park	Second Monday.	
Union		Melbourne	Third and Fifth Wednesday.	
Clearwater	45	Clearwater	First and Third Friday.	
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Nassau Poinciana		Fernandina Fort Myers	Second and Fourth Monday.	
New Smyrna		New Smyrna	Second Friday.	
M. D. Cushing	54	Tampa	First and Third Tuesday.	
Hill City	55	Brooksville	Second Monday.	

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Order of High Priesthood

ANNUAL ASSEMBLY 1936

The Annual Assembly of the Order of High Priesthood of the State of Florida was held in the Masonic Hall in the City of Marianna, Wednesday, May 6th, at 7:30 in the morning; the following Officers being present:

William B. Greer	M E President
Archie Aitchison	E. Vice-President
Dorsey H. Rutter	E. Chaplain
Cary B. Fish	M. E. Secretary-Treasurer
George A. Dame	E. Master of Ceremonies
William L. Marshall	E. Conductor
L. Earl Curry	E. Herald
Joseph R. Keller	E.:.Steward
H. J. Dame	as.E. Guard in place of Dabney
	B. Palmer

Upon motion the reading of the minutes were dispensed with, they having been printed and distributed, and they were adopted as printed.

The Secretary-Treasurer made his report which was adopted.

REPORT OF SECRETARY-TREASURER

At the last Annual Assembly I was authorized to purchase linen cards suitable to be carried in a card case, and have same printed for distribution to the Companions who have received the order.

These cards have been obtained and distributed to those whose address I could obtain. But the records show a great many Companions who have received the order but whose address is not recorded.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

May 18th 1935. Money on hand in Jacksonville	\$151.30
May 18th 1935. Received from Companions re-	
ceiving the Order	88.00
Interest received from Savings Account	2.50
Receipts to date	\$241.80
May 18th 1935. Paid President W. B. Greer\$ 2.00	
May 18th 1935. Paid expense last Assembly etc 1.23	
April 4th 1936. Paid for Bibles	
July, 1935 Membership cards, Stamps, Stationery	
etc. 11.50	88.37
May 5, 36. Balance in Ringling National Bank &	Marian I Ive
Trust Co.	\$153.43

Fraternally submitted,

Cary B. Fish,

Secretary-Treasurer.

The annual election of officers was held and the same Officers were re-elected as last year.

Bill of Companion Greer for binding rituals of \$1.45 ordered paid.

Eleven petitions for the Order were received and they were duly elected. The eleven petitioners together with a Companion who was elected last year presented themselves and were duly introduced, annointed, and consecreated in due form. The Companions consecreated were as follows:

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Motion prevailed that the Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to pay all necessary expenses, postage and stationery.

A vote of thanks was given the M. E. President for the rituals that he had so carefully prepared, etc.

The Grand Council was closed in ample form with prayer by the Grand Chaplain.

William B. Greer,

President.

Attest:

Secretary.