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SYMBOLS.



FREEMASONRY, we are told, is a peculiar system of morality, veiled in allegory and illustrated by symbols. One is reminded of the Christian definition of a sacrament, with its combination of an "outward and visible sign" with an "inward and spiritual grace." It is an interesting and valuable method the Craft has chosen. Information ceases to be interesting when it is presented baldly. In Freemasonry the system of morality could perhaps be expressed, in comparatively few Words, in the form of a credo or affirmation of faith, but it would in many ways be less attractive if that were so—and there is virtue in attractiveness.

Instead of a plain statement, then, we sometimes find the message of Freemasonry wrapped up in allegory, and we have to look carefully at the allegory to be quite certain what is the truth behind it. Almost always the central truth is explained to us, and symbols are given to us as guide posts. A symbol, though, is not an exact representation, it is something which stands for something else. That being so, there is a danger for the untutored to mistake his signposts and ascribe to them meanings not contemplated by the ritual. It is therefore important, when studying the ritual, to be certain of one's authority for saying that such and such a symbol has such and such a meaning. Some fantastic statements are sometimes made along these lines. For much of the symbolism of the Craft there is authority—we can find from the books in the Lodge library or in the Research Lodge library (there are now six of these) how particular symbols came into the ritual, and what they were intended to represent.

Freemasons sometimes amuse themselves by finding variant meanings and additional possibilities in the various Craft symbols, and it is amazing what coherent systems can be built up of these. Always providing that no authority or validity is claimed for them, they have their own value, for they are a legitimate result of reflection upon the ritual, and of thinking along the general lines which the Craft intends to indicate. But unless they are backed by authority there is always a danger that the uninitiated may take them for truth; pass them on, and overlay real meanings with fanciful glosses.

The study of comparative religion is especially rewarding, and the parallels between aspects of any two religions, the sets of symbols they contain, appear to go beyond the bounds of coincidence. So it is with Craft symbols. Many of them appear in slightly altered form in several of the great religious systems.

There is a difference between the ancient religion and the antient Craft. Religions were in most cases examples of man's attempts to explain his existence, his source and his destination, and to save himself from the unknown by propitiation of a deity. The Craft, on the other hand, much of its ritual devised during a period when men adhered to what is known as "revealed religion," that is to say, they were not seeking the truth through their observances: their observances exemplified truth that they felt dogmatically sure about. Not by any means all Masonic symbols come from Jacobite times, but some have been modified or rearranged even since them—Preston, for example, altered the place in the Craft of the V.S.L.

Gradual or approved change of this kind is not, of course, in the nature of innovation in the body of Freemasonry: that very conservative rule exists in the interests of uniformity and to prevent the Craft splintering or altering its character. In minor ways every living thing alters all the time, and that the Craft is a living thing no one will deny.

Nevertheless, searching for the truth behind the allegory, striving behind the symbol for the meaning, are occupations most suitable for the Freemason. So long as he is not dogmatic about conclusions for which he cannot cite authority, he is addressing the very problems which the ritual appears to set him.



CONSTITUTION AND DEDICATION OF CROMWELL-CORONATION CRYPTIC COUNCIL, No. 20.



Cromwell-Coronation Cryptic Council, No. 20, was Constituted, Consecrated and Dedicated on Saturday, 1st April, by R. Ill. Comp. A. J. Jones, D.G.Z., Consecrating Officer, assisted by R. Ill. Comp. H. R. Mitchell,

Gd. Supt. Installing Officer, R. Ill. Comp. J. C. Seelye, P.G.J., R. Ill. Comp. W. R. McKenzie; Recorder, R. Ill. Comp. T. O'Shea, P.Chmn.; Sup. Co., Ill. Comp. Alec F. De Haro, G.D.C., Ill. Comp. Jas. Mitchell, P.G.D.C., Grand Chaplain, V.E. Comp. F. C. Taylor,, O.G.D.C., R.E. Comp. Axel Newton acted as Organist. There were seventeen Charter Members present. Ill. Comp. J. Mitchell delivered the Oration.

Following this most impressive ceremony the Installation of the T.I.M. and investiture of the Officers of the newly-' constituted Council were carried out by R. Ill. Comp. H. R. Mitchell and his officers. Ill. Comp. H. G. Wailes was installed as the first T.I.M. of the Council. During this ceremony R.E. Comp. Axel Newton, P.G.Lec., had the degree of T.I.M. conferred on him.

Under the new Charter the Cryptic Degrees were worked by V. Ill. Comp. W. Sowerby and Officers of Celtic Council, No. 42. There were three candidates. Ill. Comp. Sowerby thanked Ill. Comp. Wailes for the privilege of working the degrees, this being very suitably acknowledged by the TIM.

In the refectory R. Ill. Comp. A. J. Jones, D.G.Z., in replying to his toast, gave a brief but most interesting review of the history of the Degrees now known as Cryptic, and concluded by reminding the Companions that however interested they may be in these and other side degrees, they should in no way be allowed to lessen or imperil the importance of the Holy Royal Arch, which is the keystone of our Speculative System.

WE MUST NOT FORGET.

We should not forget the continued fulfilment of the purpose for which we became Freemasons. While this varies with each individual. Freemason, it is connected with the well-being and improvement of mankind through the application of the principle of good to the individual man.

In a world torn with prejudice and ill-will we can and should be known as men of goodwill. When others scoff at this or that creed, race or sect, we should, with the tolerance of perfect understanding, assist the world to a better understanding. We should hate nothing but hatred and intolerance.

We must respect our individual personalities, we must support our rights as individuals, but in supporting those rights, we must accept responsibilities which go with them, and those responsibilities can best be discharged by that service which comes from loyal enthusiasm and clear, unbiased thinking.

Show me the man you honour, and I will know what kind of a man you are, for it shows me what your ideal of manhood is and what kind of man you long to be.

— Carlyle

VISIT TO THE GRAND LODGE OF NORWAY.

**(By the M.W. the Grand Master, Bro. His Grace the Duke of Devonshire, K.G.,
and Grand Officers of the Grand Lodge of England.)**

Brethren, you will remember that at the September Quarterly Communication I informed Grand Lodge that in a few days I was leaving for Norway and would be accompanied by the President of the Board of General Purposes (V.W. Bro. Sir Ernest Cooper) and the Grand Secretary (R.W. Bro. Sydney A. White). I think it may interest you to hear something of that visit, an account of which should be placed on the records of Grand Lodge.

We left London at 9 a.m. on Saturday, 10th September, on the special section of the train for the Tyne Commission Quay. At Newcastle, where there was a stop for some minutes, we were greeted by the Provincial Grand Master for Northumberland (R.W. Bro. W. Cooper Bailey) and a party of his brethren. We very much appreciated the fact that those brethren had foregone their customary Saturday afternoon recreations and other engagements to meet us for a short conversation. One of the party accompanied us to the Quay, where we were joined by another brother, and neither left us until they were satisfied that we had everything we required and were comfortably established in our cabins. This was a great kindness which we deeply appreciated.

We sailed at 5 p.m. on the T.S. Venus, which was captured in Norway during the German occupation, and had been taken to Hamburg, where it was sunk during an air raid. It lay at the bottom of Hamburg Harbour for some nine months, but it was salvaged, and has been completely re-equipped and beautifully reconditioned, and is now a most comfortable ship. It was impossible, when we were travelling on that ship, to realise that it had been at the bottom of the sea for nearly a year. We enjoyed a very smooth passage, and

arrived at Bergen, the old capital of Norway, at 3.30 p.m. on the following afternoon. I should like to refer here, with great gratitude, to a brother of Norwegian birth who is a member of some of our Lodges in London—W. Bro. S. Skrender, L.G.R. As soon as he knew of our projected visit he at once offered to make all the arrangements for our journey. He has connections in Scandinavia, and took advantage of our visit to transact some business in Norway and Sweden so that he could travel with us' on the outward journey. We cannot sufficiently express our gratitude to him for his unremitting kindness. It was a great advantage to us, as none of the members of our party could understand a single word of the language, to have this brother with us.

At Bergen we had three or four hours before the departure of the night train for Oslo. Bro. Skrender had arranged for cars to meet us off the ship and to all in the time by a tour of some of the interesting places in the vicinity. His kindness enabled us to have a delightful and interesting foretaste of the beauties of the country which was to be our home for the next nine days.

We were due at Oslo at 7 a.m. on Monday, the 12th. Unfortunately, we experienced one of those happenings which are not unknown in England, in the shape of an engine failure, which led to our arrival being delayed until 9.30 a.m. We were met by several of our Norwegian brethren who had arrived at the station at the earlier hour, and who had, I am afraid, a long and not very cheering wait.

The first official engagement was at the Freemasons', Hall at 12 noon, where the M.W. Grand Master of Norway (Lt.-Gen. J. Hvinden Haug) received the guests. Deputations had been invited from Ireland, Scotland, the Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden and Finland. All present partook of luncheon. This was a happy arrangement, for it served, in an informal manner, to renew old friendships and to form new ones. The Grand Master had invited his principal officers and representatives of the Lodge St. Olaus of the White Leopard, which was celebrating its bicentenary which was the purpose of our visit to Norway.

The occasion also provided an opportunity to see the Grand Lodge buildings. During the German occupation they had been put to various uses, and at the termination of hostilities were in process of being converted into a restaurant. The effort to restore them to their original purpose is really remarkable, and there is still much to be done, but they made a great impression on the guests who had not seen them before. To give just a slight idea, there are separate apartments for each Degree, appropriately decorated and furnished. Unlike ours, Lodges in Norway are very large, so that some of the Temples are practically the size of our own No. 1 Lodge Room.

In the evening we attended a meeting of the Lodge to witness the Ceremony of Initiation. The attendance, though restricted, was so large that the ante-room was brought into use as well. As one example of the thoughtfulness of our hosts, the ritual had been translated into English for those who were unable to understand the Norwegian language. While it would have been possible to follow the essentials of the ceremony as we understand them, the translation enabled the presentation of them to be better appreciated. I do not propose to enter into details, but I would record the deep impression the ceremony made. Its dignity, precision and solemnity will long remain, in our memories.

After the meeting the Grand Master gave a dinner in honour of his guests, after which we all adjourned to another room, thus making it possible to move about and engage in conversation with the many Norwegian brethren who were present.

The morning of the next day (Tuesday, the 13th) was set apart for a conference of the delegates of all the Grand Lodges present. Its object was primarily to exchange information and ascertain the outlook on Masonic world conditions by the various Grand Lodges represented. No resolutions were passed, nor were any intended, but it was satisfactory to hear the unanimous determination to maintain the basic principles upon which Freemasonry was founded and has flourished. This was, of course, anticipated, but the gathering together of representatives of so many Grand Lodges cannot fail to have a beneficial effect.

In the evening was the principal celebration of the bicentenary of the Lodge. Again the accommodation was taxed to the utmost. The representatives of the various bodies were received by the Master, after which the Grand Master entered the Temple, with an appropriate escort. Addresses of congratulation and good wishes were delivered, and presentations made, followed by a Cantata by an orchestra and choir composed of brethren of the local Lodges. The whole proceedings were admirably carried out. The Temple, which was decorated in the Egyptian style, lent a fine setting to the display of the multi-coloured regalia and to the dignified ceremonial which was so appropriately arranged.

On this occasion the Master of the Lodge presided over a dinner of some 400 brethren. Once again the arrangements were faultless.

Wednesday (14th September) was given up to social activities. We were conveyed by motor coaches to Sundoya, a beauty spot some 20- miles from Oslo, where luncheon was served. The view across the fjord, surrounded by mountains in every direction, was a fascinating setting for a very happy party.

By the kindness of R.W. Bro. Magnus Christiansen (Grand Chancellor of the Grand Lodge), who throughout was unceasing in his efforts to ensure the comfort of the guests, the English delegation was enabled to visit a pulping and papermaking mill, where every process employed in Norway's greatest industry was explained to us.

In the evening there was an informal supper which gave us a further opportunity to become better acquainted with our hosts; and this concluded the programme of the celebrations.

Some of the guests left Oslo on the morning of Thursday, 15th September, but the remainder invited several of the hosts to luncheon. In the evening the British Ambassador and Lady Collier very kindly gave a party, to which our hosts and their guests were invited. This thoughtful act was very much appreciated.

We left Oslo on the morning of Friday, 16th September. Several Norwegian brethren were at the station to bid us farewell. We were more than sorry to leave, for during our stay in the capital we were the recipients of unbounded hospitality, extended by brethren who devoted their whole time to making our sojourn among them happy. In this they were completely successful. For many a day our minds will revert to our experiences and, above all, to the many brethren, headed by their beloved Grand Master—it would be impossible to name them all, and we hope they will understand—who undertook what they did because of their faith in our common cause.

It had been decided to make the journey to Bergen by the day train, so that we could see the country through which it passed, but as our ship did not leave till Tuesday, 20th September, it had been arranged to stay for two days at Geilo, a resort in the mountains. So that we should have every attention, the Grand Secretary (R.W. Bro. Major O. Brinchmann-Hensen) kindly accompanied us. Having regard to the arduous duties which had fallen to his lot during the previous weeks, this was a particularly kindly act, and we are most grateful to him. Apart from having his company, which we very much enjoyed, he helped us over many little difficulties arising from language problems.

On the arrival of our ship at the Tyne Commission Quay, the two brethren to whom reference was made on our outward journey at once came aboard, and again rendered us their assistance. At Newcastle Station, the Provincial Grand Master and some of his brethren again waited to welcome us.

We arrived back in London on the evening of Wednesday, 21st September. Our visit had been an experience which we all enjoyed to the full, but we believe that it will prove of great advantage to the Craft, bringing together, as it did, brethren of several different countries, and seeing, among other things, how men of character can pass through adversity and emerge strengthened in their belief in those moral principles which have sustained them, and determined to carry out the trust which they are called upon to administer.

Brethren, I have occupied your time at some length with this account of our journey because it was a very notable one, and I believe that it will prove of lasting good to the Craft. I wish I could give you some more vivid idea of the warmth and the cordiality shown us by our Norwegian hosts, and by the brethren who composed the Delegations from other nations. (Loud and prolonged applause.)

BRETHREN IN WELLINGTON HOSPITALS.

COMMITTEE'S REPORT, No. 62.

The following brethren are at present in the Wellington Public Hospital:—Bros. S. Boock (Leinster), J. Wilson (Mokoia), R. Mitchell (Westland Kil.), Capt. McLeod (Waterloo). All brethren are progressing favourably.

The following brethren are at present in the private hospitals:—Bros. C. Carr (Empire), Mowhai Red Cross; H. Smithson (Otago Kil.), Ewart Hospital; J. Munro, (Manuherikia), Ewart

NOTICE

TO LODGE SECRETARIES, CORRESPONDENTS AND OTHERS

In order to assist the Printers to make prompt delivery of the "Craftsman," it is imperative that Lodge Secretaries and Correspondents post alterations to advertisements and Notes so that they will reach our office not later than the 15TH OF THE MONTH for insertion in the following month's issue. Any matter received after that date will be held over for next issue.

Hospital; F. Dick (Waihenga), Central Park Hospital. All brethren are progressing favourably.

The following brethren have been discharged and returned home during the month:—Bros. C. W. Neilsen (St. Andrew's), E. Harris (Mokoia), R. T. Shanks (Empire), W. F. McKay (Tale), A. S. Howatson (Hataitai), G. Budden (Motueka), D. Parnell (Leinster).

THAT MOST INTERESTING STUDY.

(Address by V.W. Bro. C. S. McDonald, O.B.E., B.A., Dip. Ed.,
Grand Lecturer of the G.L. of South Australia.)

There is a passage in the ritual of the Third Degree that has an arresting quality more powerful than many of the more direct charges and obligations. It is that which states: "Let the emblems of mortality which lie before you guide your reflections to that most interesting of all human studies, the knowledge of yourself." None of us are likely ever to forget the symbol that is used to fix that injunction in our minds.

The passage is concerned with reflection and study, two activities that are purely the prerogative of human beings; two of the most effective instruments for the education of the complete man; and I suggest, brethren, that the education of the complete man is the principal purpose of Freemasonry.

To achieve that purpose it lays emphasis on the many-sided nature of human personality, and gives due weight to each side. Although by definition Freemasonry is a system of morality, a code of conduct, yet it urges its members to polish and adorn the mind, to study the liberal arts and sciences, to use the discipline of mental effort as the sculptor uses his chisel to render from the crude marble the finished work of art. It directs our eyes to the ultimate destiny of all men and women, a destiny that is not tied to this world of time and space and sense, but to the world of eternity.

This sense of the manifold nature of man marks his importance as an individual. It selects him from all other living things as being of value in himself; not one of a uniform group although living in a community; not cast in a mould, his character stamped like that of others from the same mould, but unique in himself, and of importance to his Maker because he is unique.

Freemasonry never subscribes to the doctrine that man is but one cell in a many-celled vague abstraction called "the state," of value only in so far as he serves the good of the abstraction. No, brethren, always he is regarded as an end in himself.

The singular personal pronoun marks almost every page of the ritual. "Try **me** and prove me," "Do **you** pledge **yourself**," "**Your** prudent and candid behaviour," "**You** are taught the important duties **you** owe to God, to **your** neighbour and to **yourself**."

Always and at every step the teachings of the Craft are concerned with man as the most important figure in his universe, the end product of God's creative power. "What a piece of work is man," Hamlet said, "How noble in reason! How infinite in faculty, in form and moving, how express and admirable, in action how like an angel, in apprehension how like a God." And so, it is man, this creature a little lower than the angels, that is Freemasonry's prime concern.

There is a school of thought that looks at man merely as a piece of apparatus that can think, not unlike those marvellous calculating machines that work complex mathematical problems at the touch of a switch. It is a materialistic school that would have man just the sum of so many reactions to the stimulus of his environment, his so-called freedom of action a myth, his memory, his passions, his good deeds and his bad so many reflex actions, the inevitable response to the appropriate impulse from his outer world. It is a quaint doctrine, but a futile, indeed, a dangerous one; for it leads so easily to that political philosophy that has taken hold of the loyalty of millions of men throughout the world today, the belief that a few men with special insight can devise a society that will be freed from the inequalities that mark life in all communities. The followers of this creed believe that they have only to sweep away all opposition, all who believe in some other plan, and Utopia will be achieved. They are so sure of their end that they are convinced that any means is justified to attain it. "We know what is good for the human race," they say; "if you disagree so much the worse for you; you shall be liquidated," and when all opponents of the new order have been so eliminated those who are left—if there are any—will enjoy the perfect society that shall be set up.

When men begin to look on other men as pieces of mechanism it is only a step to treating them as machines, feeding them, lubricating them and keeping them in working order so long as they serve someone else's turn, some superman, but tossed on the scrap heap as soon as their usefulness has gone, like discarded machines, means to an end, someone else's end, and not an end in themselves. This doctrine ignores two truths that

have been proved again and yet again in the course of history: The first is the axiom that "absolute power corrupts absolutely," and the second is Abraham Lincoln's wise statement that "No man is good enough to rule another without the other's consent."

Another school of thought urges man to follow every wandering impulse that comes into his mind. Don't repress yourself, it says, avoid inhibitions. Words like complexes and neurosis abound in the jargon of their kind. They would put men on a plane with the animals; the thought of discipline, of control, makes them pour out a maze of windy protests. Be yourself, they say, have a good time, wallow in the trough, forget this thought of mental effort, of keeping vain thoughts in subjection. They quote Horace at us, "Seize today." They even tear out of their context passages from the Volume of the Sacred Law. "Take thine ease," they quote. "Eat, drink, and be merry."

That is an unpleasant doctrine, brethren, and in the final analysis a destructive one. It is the doctrine of the pig trough and it ends as foretold in the other half of that saying from the Volume of the Sacred Law: "Thou fool," the parable said, "this night thy soul shall be required of thee."

No, brethren, man is not a cold calculating machine; he is not a robot to have his future planned for him by some superman or men, and to be liquidated if he is foolish enough to oppose the plan. Nor is he a vicious brute pandering without thought to every vagrant impulse of his body, an opponent to all law and discipline and control. Freemasonry is opposed to both these conceptions, for he first leads to a dictatorship of the many by the few, and the other leads to anarchy and chaos.

Freemasonry believes that man is a mind to be polished and adorned, that he is a heart to be warmed by the needs and sorrows of other hearts, a son of the Great Architect of the Universe, with almost unlimited power for good as well as evil in his keeping.

It is to this being, so rich in possibilities, that the ritual speaks; reflect, it says, ponder on this most fascinating of all human studies, look within your own heart, know thyself, and so in time come to know thy fellows. Surely, brethren, here we have a sane middle path that every wise man might pursue with profit.

Other agencies are concerned with some one aspect of personality. The schools marshal the knowledge of the ages before him; they cultivate his memory and his skill in handling ideas, and give him an instrument of precision in dealing with the many problems of business and professional life that fall to the lot of modern man. But only indirectly are the schools concerned with the whole man, with conduct as well as thought and skill.

Society puts him to the test. It throws temptation in his way, it bombards him with pleas that pander to his love of ease, of power, of display, of excitement, of good food and material adornment. There is a good side to this process, of course; it finds out the weakling and pushes him to the wall, it toughens the fibre of the strong, it removes their illusions, it promotes their power to rely on themselves; but society is a ruthless teacher, and gives little thought to the human wreckage that strews its path down the years.

Another temptation inherent in society is the fascination exerted by modern industry on active and energetic minds. The development of a business that provides more goods for man's welfare can be an absorbing task, and many of the best brains of modern society are engaged in just that work. New machines are developed each year for the more effective and speedy production of more houses, more furniture, for food, textiles, ornaments and gadgets of every kind. So prolific has been this output that future historians may well name this age as the age of gadgets.

We do not always pause to ask ourselves what is the real value of the devices that we produce in such profusion. Is man any better as man for the thousand and one labour saving and time saving things he has evolved?

I suggest, brethren, that the answer depends on the use he makes of the time and labour that he saves. It is all to the good if by the exercise of thought we ultimately free ourselves from the tyranny of monotonous and dreary toil, but if that relief makes us more prone to pander to our appetites for things that tickle the palate, or satisfy our love of display and excitement and speed, the end of the process may be a people whose moral fibre has been sapped by easy living, whose standards have been conditioned by material pleasure, and whose power to discipline the mind, to find an ecstasy in art and literature and drama, and good talk, in finer and better quality goods of permanent value, has withered and decayed.

Should that day come we shall be a people whose faces are turned towards the twilight, we shall be on the road out as a force that matters in man's climb upwards from savagery; and a tougher, more virile, better disciplined people will take our place.

The role of a Jeremiah does not sit easily upon me, brethren, but I suggest that those are no idle forecasts. The lesson of today is that we should turn more often to the most interesting of all human studies, we should reexamine this man that we are, we should re-assess our values, and set up anew the stern personal code for which Freemasonry stands.

For Freemasonry, like religion, turns man's mind to thoughts of the good life and the prospect of futurity. It carries his feet into a purer air than blows through the work places of this hurrying world. It cleanses and exalts his spirit and provides him with an armour against the things of this life that would hurt and pull him down. But, above all, it bids him to be strong.

England's finest hour was the hour of Dunkirk, when the nation was calling up its last reserves of endurance. May we have the wisdom, the strength, and the loyalty to our Masonic traditions to stand as free men in a free society, and accept voluntarily a perpetual discipline of the body and of the mind that will enable us to retain our faculties of every kind in their fullest energy to the glory of the Great Architect, the service of our fellows, and our own soul's enrichment.—"S.A. Freemason."

REVIEW OF PROCEEDINGS OF FOREIGN GRAND LODGES.

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(Published by the Authority of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand.)

WASHINGTON-1949.

92nd Annual Communication held at Seattle, Washington, on 21st July, 1949, M.W. Bro. Delos A. Shiner, Grand Master, presiding. Twenty-eight District Deputy Grand Masters, 17 Past Grand Masters, and 51 Grand Representatives were in attendance. •

The Mayor of the City of Seattle delivered an address of welcome to the assembled brethren. He complimented the Order "for the things that it stands for and the things that it has accomplished."

269 Lodges, with a total membership of 59,488—a net gain of 2239. Three new Lodges were constituted during the year.

A bequest of 50,000 dollars to the Masonic Home Endowment Fund is recorded.

The Report of the Superintendent of the Masonic Home is comprehensive and makes interesting reading. The facilities the Home provides are varied and extensive, and everything in connection with it appears to be on a "big" and generous scale. It seems to have both the moral and practical support of the brethren generally throughout the Territory.

The Grand Lecturer submitted a Report, in which he said that most of his time during the year had been taken up with study and research which would enable him to prepare and complete "a 100 per cent. accurate copy of the esoteric work."

The Grand Historian gave a most interesting address on "The Territory of Alaska." We quote:

"For many years we have been endeavouring to establish whether or not there were Masonic Lodges in Russian Ainerica, which is what our Alaska was Is,nown as under the Russian rule. We have never been able to satisfy ourselves that such Lodges did exist; there were, of course, secret societies—that we know of—but they were not Masonry as we know it. They were exclusive and only for such aristocrats as the Naval Commanders and others that were of 'Noble Birth.' Even Baranof, the noblest man of them all, was not permitted to join, for he was, according to their lights, 'of low birth.'"

"What started me on the search was an experience I had some years ago when I was taken into one of the Indian tribes of the North. It was not one of those ceremonies such as we have down here sometimes when some distinguished man is made a member of one or another of the tribes; this was really serious business with them, and the ceremony was most impressive. It followed so closely some of our own work that I felt sure their early 'Tyees' must have seen ceremonies resembling ours. We all realise that the Alaska native, outside of south-eastern Alaska, shows a decided Oriental strain. Who knows but what their rituals might have been brought to them from the Chinese. From wherever they came, they were most impressive, taking four or five hours for the ceremony. Probably they are no longer functioning as they did when I was 'adopted' as most of the older natives are gone, and the younger members of today do not take those matters seriously as did their forbears."

Then followed an historical sketch of the Lodges in Alaska today. It is regretted that lack of space precludes our quoting from two outstanding addresses delivered, one by the Grand Orator, on "Patience, Toleration and

Objectivity in the Search for Light and Truth—and the other by R.W. Bro. Judge Ellsworth Meyer, Deputy G.M. of the G.L. of California, who was present as a visitor. Both could well be classified as "jewels of Masonic oratory."

The Book of Proceedings runs into some 400 pages and contains a wealth of information, and an adequate coverage is not possible in a review with space limitations.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Henry C. Heal, Bellingham.

Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. John I. Preismer, Tacoma.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. Wm. L. Eldek.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: M.W. Bro. Charles Flavell, P.G.M., Christchurch.

INDIANA-1949.

127th Annual Communication held in the 132nd year of its existence, in Indianapolis, on 17th May, 1949, M.W. Bro. Carl L. Hibberd, Grand Master, presiding. Sixteen P.G.Ms. were in attendance and 52 Grand Representatives of other Jurisdictions, including M.W. Bro. John W. Thornburgh, Deputy Grand Master and Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand. Several distinguished guests from other States were welcomed and received with Grand Honours. Of the 538 chartered Lodges, 518 were represented at the meeting.

The total membership of this Jurisdiction on 31st December, 1948, was 160,951—a net gain of 5237. During the seven-year period, 1942-1948, 79,016 new members were admitted, showing a net gain for the period of 53,709. This represents a total increase in membership of about one-third. Referring to these figures, the Grand Master said, *inter alia*:

"This indicates that our Lodges have been faced during this period with the task of just 'making' Masons, and too little time was available to assimilate these new members and to educate them into the fundamentals of our institution. . . .

"Every Lodge should have a programme of work and definite time in the Lodge schedule should be assigned to each activity—all in proper balance to the whole scheme of things. Such a comprehensive programme would include a study of the philosophy, the symbolism, and the historic background of our institution; an active benevolence programme; a dignified but interesting social programme for the brethren, their ladies and their families; and interchange of social programmes with other Masonic organisations; and then a full co-operation with those events that are promoted by the Grand Lodge."

He advised "Not more men in Masonry, but more Masonry in men."

The Grand Master gave a comprehensive account of his stewardship, reporting on a wide variety of subjects and activities, including Masonic Education, Youth Organisations, Masonry and Communism, Masonic Relief, Foreign Fraternal Relations, etc.

In connection with "Masonry and Communism" the following resolution was passed: "Masonry abhors Communism as being repugnant to its conception of the dignity of the individual personality, destructive of the basic human rights which are the Divine heritage of all men, and inimical to the fundamental Masonic tenet of faith in God."

A resolution calling for the addition of an anti-Communist declaration on the form of petition for the Degrees of Masonry was not adopted.

The Grand Secretary's salary was raised from 6000 to 6600 dollars and a Retirement Plan for employees of Grand Lodge staff was adopted.

The incoming Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Thornburgh, addressed Grand Lodge, concluding with the following remarks:-

"The Masons of Indiana, if inspired to action, may well be the catalytic agent in society that will restore morality to social intercourse, decency in the home and unity in the community. Will you, Worshipful Masters, carry this message to your Lodges and your communities?

"Will you so magnetise the members of your Lodge with this impelling drive to action that problems of adult and juvenile delinquency will no longer be prevalent? Will you join in the movement to restore tolerance, honesty, decency, morality and temperance to the exalted place these fundamental virtues once occupied among our people? Such is the challenge that a confused citizenry presents to the votaries of Masonry. Can we, dare we do less than accept the challenge? We must accept it; we must bear the burden during the heat of the day; we must carry on 'until the words of the Holy Script become living reality:

"Behold how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!"

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. John W. Thornburgh, Indianapolis.

Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. Dwight L. Smith, Indianapolis.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: M.W. Bro. John W. Thornburgh, Indianapolis.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. Alan F. Fisher, P.G.W., Christchurch.

RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS — 1949.

158th Annual Communication held on 16th May, 1949, M.W. Bro. Erncot L. Lockwood, Grand Master, presiding. Many guests from other Jurisdictions were escorted into Grand Lodge and presented by their respective Grand Representatives near the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island. 46 Lodges with a total membership of 16,680—net gain of 527:

44 "Courtesy" degrees were worked during the year on behalf of other Jurisdictions.

Twenty Grand Officers died during the period under review, including Past Grand Master Wm. Luthek Sweet, whose death brought to an end a most imposing civic and Masonic record built up over a period of more than four score years.

The Grand Master reported that he had presented a cheque of 2000 dollars, representing a contribution of 2 dollars from each candidate for the degrees of Freemasonry, to the George Washington National Memorial. This brought Rhode Island's total contribution to more than \$42,000.

Referring to the Memorial the Grand Master said: "Freemasons of the United States, who revere the memory of George Washington as the most illustrious member of the Craft, find their Mecca in the imposing shrine which now stands on its commanding site high above the Potomac River, overlooking the City of Washington.

"It is the Craft's expression of faith in the principles of civil and religious liberty, of stable and orderly government, the very message of Masonry itself—those principles of which Washington, first W.M. of Alexandria Lodge, No. 22, was the Exemplar."

M.W. Bro. Lockwood reported having attended the Conference of Grand Masters of the United States.

"The most outstanding paper presented at the conference," he said, "was 'Should there be a Waiting Period between Degrees?'"

This was followed by a round-table discussion and a frank analysis disclosed that there was no doubt in the minds of most of the Grand Masters present that a period of one year should elapse before the newly-made Mason should be permitted to apply for the so-called Higher Degrees.

The Annual Returns of Subordinate Lodges are reproduced in the Book of Proceedings, showing the names of the officers of the Lodge, the names of those initiated, passed, and raised, and also the names of those brethren ceasing membership of the Lodge.

This appears to be the only Grand Lodge in the U.S.A. which follows this practice.

No reviews are published.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Howard B. Rice, Providence.

Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. N. Arthur Hyland, Providence.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: W. Bro. Herbert M. Sherwood, Providence.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. Edgar C. Hurdfield, P.Prov.G.M., Waipukurau.

NEVADA-1949.

85th Annual Communication held in Boulder City on 9th and 10th June, 1949, M.W. Bro. Wilfred T. Voss, Grand Master, presiding.

Grand Lodge was opened in ample form, then followed the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, after which a hearty welcome was extended to distinguished visitors. Grand Lodge appears to have then gone into recess for luncheon and did not resume until the afternoon.

26 Active Lodges with a total membership of 4293—net gain of 176. One new Lodge was added to the roster during the year

Grand Lodge extended official recognition to the following Grand Lodges:—The Grand Orient of Italy, The Grande Loga Simbolica do Rio Grande do Sul, of Brazil, and The Grande Loja de Minas Gerias, of Brazil. (The Grand Lodge of New Zealand does not recognise any of these Jurisdictions.)

Several new Laws and Regulations were adopted.

The Grand Master opened his address to Grand Lodge by warning the brethren assembled of the perils of Communism. On this subject he said in part: "It is the duty of every Mason—nay, my brethren, it is the duty of every freedom-loving man and woman in this country to combat in every possible way this atheistic form of government, devouring free-people after free people, and is now knocking without and within the doors of our beloved land while we idly argue over a word or two of our ritual. The time is at hand to gird ourselves as the warriors of old to fight a battle of self-preservation. Let us carry the fight for the preservation of this democracy from within our sacred walls to our homes, our clubs, our churches, our service organisations, our unions, everywhere, by words of counsel to those who doubt, and praise for those who believe as we do—in one Union, undivided, with liberty and justice for all. Failing in this, let us be prepared for the alternative—to sacrifice our fortune and our very lives, if necessary, in our country's defence, to preserve this Union in its present form for our posterity."

The Grand Orator, W. Bro. Richard H. Cowles, Jun., delivered a short but telling address on what one could well epitomise as "The Spirit of Freemasonry."

Our 1947 Book of Proceedings is adequately reviewed.

Grand Master: M.W. Bro. Walton T. Baker, Hawthorne.

Grand Secretary: R.W. Bro. E. C. Peterson, Carson City.

Grand Representative of N.Z.: Bro. Robert A. Drake.

Grand Representative at N.Z.: R.W. Bro. G. R. Henderson, P.Prov.G.M., Dunedin.

OBITUARY.

DR. JOSEPH FORT NEWTON.

[Extract from Grand Lodge Bulletin, Grand Lodge of Iowa, February, 1950.]

A pall of grief fell over Iowa Masons when on January 24 the radio announced that Joseph Fort Newton had died. Next only after T. S. Parvin he had been the brightest star which had ever shown on this Grand Jurisdiction. Only the Muse of History can tell which meant the most to the other: whether he had meant most to Iowa Masonry, or Iowa Masonry had meant most to him.

In his "River of Years," which is already a classic among American autobiographies, Dr. Newton states that he was made a Mason in 1902 in Friendship Lodge, No. 7, in Illinois. He affiliated with Mt. Hermon Lodge in Cedar Rapids in 1909, demitting therefrom in 1944. He served as Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Iowa in 1911, 1912, and 1913. He removed to Cedar Rapids to become pastor of the Universalist Church, the name of which, and upon his insistence, he changed to the Liberal Christian Church, and now known as the People's Church.

It so happens that in those days Brother Luther Brewer Was owner and editor of the "Cedar Rapids Republican," and at the same time was famous throughout America for the excellence of his printing—the Grolier Club has exhibited his work.

After Brother Brewer had heard a number of Dr. Newton's sermons and lectures, he asked permission to publish them each week in his newspaper. The ultimate result was that for a term of years a bound volume of these sermons and lectures was issued each year, and it is impossible to tell how many clergymen, Protestant and Catholic alike, shaped their art on them; they were such masterpieces of pulpit oratory as seldom appear. The fame of these volumes went abroad, a fact which, as the sequel was to prove, was to shape Dr. Newton's career for years to come.

When the health of Dr. R. J. Campbell, pastor of the City Temple in London, began to fail, and when his great congregation began to look about for a successor to him, the editor of the "Christian Commonwealth" chanced to come upon a copy of one of the volumes of Dr. Newton's lectures and sermons which Brother Luther Brewer was publishing. The result was that the officials of the City Temple in London invited Dr. Newton to become the pastor of the largest Protestant church in the world. This was during the First World War.

In the meantime a number of developments had been shaping themselves among Masons in the Grand Jurisdiction of Iowa. For a period of years the Grand Masters, line officers, and Trustees of the Grand Lodge of Iowa had discussed the need for a simple and intelligible book, or booklet, to be presented to each

candidate, for the purpose of giving to candidates a reasonable understanding of the Freemasonry into which they were entering.

During those same years Dr. Newton was delivering many speeches to Iowa Lodges. His own favourite was a brilliant oration to which he gave the title of "The Men's House."

Brother Louis Block, who at the time had not yet become Grand Master, chanced to hear this brilliant speech, and, when he did so, he exclaimed to himself, "Here is the man to write that book for candidates," and as soon as possible made a recommendation to Grand Lodge. The result was that the Grand Lodge of Iowa commissioned Dr. Newton to write the volume which later was published under the title of "The Builders."

After only a few years this book became, as one reviewer described it, "the Blue Lodge Classic." It sold in the thousands. Tens of thousands of American Masons read it. It was issued in an edition published in England, and not long after was published in a number of other languages.

Now that the author of it has passed to the Grand Lodge above, Iowa Masonry has a just right to feel that it had a share in the career of a Mason whose work was epochal. In the years to come another may write a greater book than "The Builders," but it can be doubted, if any other American Mason will ever write a book out of which—and the words are written in sober earnestness—such great developments will follow as the organisation of the National Masonic Research Society and the Masonic Service Association.

MASONRY IS MORAL GEOMETRY.

(By Bro. Rev. Dr. J. Fort Newton.)

Masonry is moral geometry; its truths are a part of the order of nature. Take a snowflake and look at it under a glass and you will find it to be an exquisite example of the geometry of God—squares, circles, triangles, pentagons, hexagons, parallelograms, more exact and delicate than the deftest hand could trace.

Such is the structure of nature, and it is no wonder that Pythagoras saw in these signs and designs, everywhere present, the thought-forms of the Eternal Mind—else they would not be the natural self-sought forms of matter. One of his sayings that has floated down to us is: "All things are in numbers; the world is a living arithmetic in its developments—a realised geometry in its repose."

From Pythagoras this insight passed to Plato, whose genius gave eloquent expression to the doctrine of numbers. When asked by a pupil what God does, Plato replied: "God geometrists continually." Over the porch of his academy at Athens he inscribed the words: "Let no one who is ignorant of geometry enter my doors, meaning that all his teachings rested upon the science of numbers. Science confirms his doctrine, as we may read in the last chapter of the study of the spider, by Henri Fabre.

"Geometry—that is to say, the science of harmony in space—presides over everything. We find it in the arrangements of the fir-cone, as in the arrangement of the spider's web; in the spiral of the snail's shell, in the chaplet of a spider's thread, and in the orbit of a planet; it is everywhere as perfect in the world of atoms as in the world of immensities. And this universal geometry tells us of a Universal Geometrician, whose divine compass has measured all things."

No wonder, then, Robert Southey spoke of the spider as "the old Free Mason." For when we try to think the thoughts of God after him, we find ourselves thinking in terms of law, order, number; and no doubt that was what Plato meant when he said that by the art of measurement the soul is saved. Aristotle said that "man is the measure of all things," and Ovid added that "our measure is in our immortal souls." So all the mighty thinkers agree that the human mind is made in the image of the Eternal Mind; that we can follow the thoughts of God—which means that our faith is not a mere guess, that truth, justice, beauty in man is of the same nature as truth, justice and beauty in God, however they may differ in degree.

There is also a moral geometry, tested by long and often sorrowful experience. Every evil way has been often tried. No prophet is needed to predict the final issue; it is a problem in geometry. Moral idealism is not the musings of a visionary; it is the calm geometry of life. The moral life is as logical as Euclid, and result follows cause—defeat follows evil—as surely as suns rise and set. The wit of man cannot outwit the moral law.

Thus Masonry deals in a practical way with the geometry of manhood, its proportions and dimensions seeking to give us symmetry, of character—poise, balance and beauty also of soul. It tries to build the character of man after the pattern of the City of God in the Book of Revelation—a city whose length and

breadth and height are equal. How seldom one meets a symmetrical character. Most of us are lop-sided or unevenly developed, in one way or another. Often enough the mind of a philosopher is attached to the appetite of a pig, or the faith of a saint with the sneer of a snob.

The basis of the triangle of character as we are taught in the First Degree of Masonry is righteousness. Purity is the first dimension of a man. Morals are ever the boundaries of liberty and the first measure of manhood. Honesty, purity, truthfulness—nothing can take their place, and without them, religion is either a superstition or an empty form.

But, strangely enough, a man may be moral and yet mean. He may be clean but cruel; honest but uncharitable; truthful but narrow, bigoted, hard. He may throw a poor family out of his house for lack of rent and be perfectly honest—and inhuman! If there is anything worse than the wrongs wrought by wicked men it is the evil done by good men. That which gives breadth, mellowness, and loveliness to character is sympathy. And so to purity we must add pity. Justice runs lengthwise of life, but mercy is width and is an evidence of nobility and refinement of spirit. No matter how righteous a man may be, unless he carries in his heart an alabaster box of sympathy, pity, pathos, he lacks much of being a man. Blest be a broad and sunny sympathy in which bigotry and cynicism melt away; it is the second dimension of character "according to the measure of man that is, of the angel."

But there is another dimension of manhood too often forgotten in our day, which we may call piety. Some think it a kind of fourth dimension—a thing which you may argue exists, but which we never can realise. Not so. It is a natural, normal development of man, without which his life lacks sympathy and is a temple without a tower. Man must seek the heights of life, must be tall of soul as well as broad—tall enough to see over walls of sect, party, nation and race. Altitude of soul shows us that many things that men wrangle about are insignificant, and that other things, like a cup of water given to a brother with a gesture of kindness, are of eternal moment.

It is when we add this third dimension that we see that man, measured by the Angel in him, is immeasurable. Everywhere in Masonry—from the moment when we first enter its temple as a pilgrim seeking light to the day when it lays us to rest, and deposits its little white apron in our tomb—we are taught to pray, for wisdom and light, for ourselves and for each other, each praying for all and all for each one. Yet how little men realise the power and worth of prayer to lift us out of a narrow, self-centred, restless life into the large, serene, joyous "life which moves and cannot die."

No wonder our sums do not work, and we never find the answer to the riddle of life, because we are trying to build the House of Life in only two dimensions. It cannot be done, and it will not stand when the winds blow and the floods beat upon it. Let us dare to judge our own life and the lives of our fellows by what is highest, so that, at last, when we are tested by the "measure of the Angel"—that is by the Angel of Death—we may be found to have attained in some degree to the measure of the stature of a true, upright, brotherly Mason. And by as much as we have failed, by so much let us trust the mercy of God which is without measure and knows no end.

—"Freemasons' Chronicle," London, England.

MASTERSHIP.

A Mason's laudable ambition should be the Mastership of his Lodge, for it is a great honour to be a ruler in a Masonic Lodge. The individual who fails to gain some useful lesson as a result of serving a term as a Master is indeed strange. We know of no better position than that of a Mastership of a Lodge for a person desirous of becoming acquainted with the proper conduct of meetings.

The Master who DIRECTS his Lodge rather than rules it is far more likely to be successful than he who attempts to govern it. It may be possible to do both, but it would be well for the newly installed Master to endeavour to direct his Lodge before aspiring to rule it. In the former case the personal element of the Master comes much more to the front than in the latter. We can say with confidence that the members of the Lodge will be far more ready to fall in with the directions of their Worshipful Master than to obey the dictates of a Brother who over-estimates the power with which he is invested, and thus makes himself an autocrat.

A Master cannot afford to be too autocratic in his bearings. If he is genial in his conduct towards his brethren, and sincere in his work, he will doubtless win their approval, and by so doing is bound to have both a successful and harmonious year of office.

—"Victorian Craftsman."

**THE LATE R.W. BRO. COLONEL SIR A. HENRY
McMAHON, G.C.M.G., Etc.**

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WONDERFUL RECORD OF SERVICE.

From many Masonic spheres will have come hearty congratulations to R.W. Bro. Colonel Sir A. Henry McMahon, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., C.S.I., upon the celebration on Monday, 28th November, 1949, of his 87th birthday, and for his unabated Masonic zeal as a veteran of the Craft and a leader.

On the 8th of the same month he reached the 48th anniversary of his entry in the Craft, which took place in Lodge Bolan, No. 691, under the Scottish Constitution, at Quetta, South Afghanistan, where he was stationed as a Political Officer, and six years later he occupied its Chair. He has, since then, joined many other Lodges under the English Constitution, in India and in England, notably among the latter the Lodge of Antiquity, No. 2, of which he was Master in 1922, occupying the Chair of Jubilee Masters, No. 2712, in 1919; Royal Alpha, No. 16, in 1925; Old Haileyburian, No. 3912, as first Master, in 1919; McMahon Lodge, No. 3262 (bearing his name and of which he was a Founder), in 1908; Red Triangle, No. 4000 (Y.M.C.A.), in 1920; Imperial College, No. 4536, in 1924.

He heads the list of the District Grand Masters, having been appointed for Malta, as far back as November, 1924, thus 25 years to date, and has been a Grand Lodge Officer of England since 1911, when he was appointed P.G.D., and promoted four years later to the past rank of Senior Grand Warden. He was Grand Superintendent under the Scottish Constitution of Northern India, 1908-15, and appointed Past Grand Master Depute of Scotland in 1913. He was also for a time Grand Master of Egypt, in 1917, a Jurisdiction which, later, failed to receive the recognition of Grand Lodge.

Prominent in his activities in most other Masonic spheres and degrees, it is, however, in the Ancient and Accepted Rite, 33°, that he has achieved most prominence, and since the death of the late Earl of Donoughmore, in 1948, he has succeeded as M.P. Sovereign Grand Commander, after being since 1929 Lieutenant Grand Commander, and since 1917 member of the Supreme Council, 33°.

The oldest surviving son of the late Lieut-General C. A. McMahon, F.R.S., he was educated at Haileybury, from which he entered the Royal Military College, where he gained the Sword of Honour in 1882. After joining, in the following year, the King's Regt., he transferred, soon after, to the Indian Staff Corps, joining the 1st Sikhs, Punjab Frontier Force in 1885. Some few weeks later he joined the Indian Political Department, and thereafter was engaged in a career of brilliant success in various important political posts of trust he filled, involving often delicate negotiations and much administrative acumen.

Among the later important positions he occupied were Chief Officer in charge of the visit of the Amir of Afghanistan to India in 1907, in recognition of which he was made Afghan Sardar of the First Class; agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner of Baluchistan, 1905-11; Foreign Secretary to the Government of India, 1911-14; Master of Ceremonies to H.M. King George V during his visit to India; British Plenipotentiary for the Treaty regarding Tibet, between the latter, China, and England; first High Commissioner for Egypt, as a British Protectorate, 1914-16, and British Commissioner on Middle East International Commission (Peace Conference), in 1919.

He was Chairman of Management Committee and member of the Board of the British Empire Exhibition, 1920-25; Chairman of Fellowship of British Empire, since 1923, and President of the National Council of the Y.M.C.A., since 1928, taking also an active part in the management of Foot Hospitals, in London, Liverpool, and Manchester. Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries, on its Council and former Chairman; Fellow of the Zoological Society, on its Council and Vice-President; Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society; Fellow of the Geological Society, etc., and a Knight of Justice of the Order of St. Jerusalem.

Surely, it must be agreed, a very full life of service to the community and displaying the most amazing variety of activities and interests.

—"Freemasons' Chronicle."

GRAND MASTER OF NETHERLANDS MADE ROYAL ARCH MASON.

What is said to have been an event of far-reaching Masonic importance was the conferring of the degree of Royal Arch Mason on Dr. L. J. J. Caron, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the Netherlands, at an Emergency convocation of Anglo-Dutch Chapter No. 5868, in London, England, on October 6, 1948.

The event is said to have been without parallel in the annals of English Freemasonry, especially in Royal Arch Masonry, for it anticipates the eventual introduction of Royal Arch Masonry into the Netherlands.

For several years there has existed in London an Anglo-Dutch Lodge; a few months ago (May) a Chapter attached to Anglo-Dutch Lodge was consecrated and given the name and number, "Anglo-Dutch, No. 5868."

Dr. Caron is a distinguished Freemason, a distinguished citizen, and a former Governor-General of the Island of Celebes, largest of the Netherlands East Indies Group. He was made a Freemason in 1915 in The Hague.

Present at the Exaltation ceremony were the Third Grand Principal, V. Rev. A. T. A. Naylor, Dean of Battle, and Honorary Chaplain to the King; Sydney White, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge; Brig. Gen. W. H. V. Darell, Grand Master of the Mark Grand Lodge, and many others. Dr. Caron received the Mark degree earlier on this same day.

Toasts to the King of England and to Queen Juliana of the Netherlands were honoured.

R.W. Bro. S. A. White, M.V.O., P.G.W., Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of England, during an address referred to the historical background of Royal Arch Masonry as set forth from the beginning when it was declared in the "General Laws and Regulations of the Craft" that, pure ancient Masonry consists of three degrees and no more, viz., those of Entered Apprentice, the Fellow Craft, and the Master Mason, including the supreme order of the Holy Royal Arch.

During the last quarter century a revival of interest in Royal Arch Masonry was noted, not because petitioners desired to enter another degree of Freemasonry, but because men were seeking the great moral values and were finding in Royal Arch Masonry that something needed to complete the teachings of the Craft on a higher spiritual plane, and these were found in the Holy Royal Arch, thereby making it in the fullest sense the coping stone of the whole Masonic structure.--"R.A. Mason."

WAIKATO NOTES.

Ohinemuri Rose Croix Chapter, No. 394, is making good progress. At the meeting held on 11th April there was a fine attendance of members and visitors, amongst the latter being representatives from Rotorua and Hamilton Chapters. The M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. S. J. Hedge, assisted by his officers and some of the visitors, conducted the ceremony in an impressive manner. A very pleasant hour was spent in the refectory at the close of the meeting.

Lodge Te Aroha, No. 52, was honoured at its Installation meeting on 16th Mardi by the presence of the M.W. the Grand Master, Sir Stephen Allen, who was welcomed by a splendid attendance of members and visitors from sister Lodges in the District. The ceremony of installing Bro. C. Bertelsen as W.M. and the investiture of the officers was conducted by the Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. C. N. O'Neill, assisted by G.L. officers, in a most dignified and impressive manner. The addresses by the Grand Master in the Lodge room and the refectory were much appreciated by all.

At the Installation meeting of Lodge Karioi, No. 165, on 10th March, the ceremony was conducted by R.W. Bro. G. Gilchrist, P.Prov.G.M., assisted by G.L. officers, in consequence of the Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. C. N. O'Neill, being engaged on Masonic duties in another part of the District. There was a good attendance of members and visitors from sister Lodges to witness the ceremony of Bro. H. H., Wallis being installed as W.M. and the investiture of his officers. At this meeting W. Bro. F. H. Ibbotson, a member of the G.L. Board of Benevolence, gave an interesting address on the administration of the W. and O. and Aged Masons' Fund, which was much appreciated. He also made a strong appeal to the brethren to continue their support to the Fund.

On the 25th March an official visit was paid to Lodge Pukemiro, No. 301, by the Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. C. N. O'Neill, accompanied by M.W. Bro. C. L. MacDiarmid, P.G.M., R.W. Bro. A. Bullock, P.Prov.G.M., and several other G.L. officers, who all received a most hearty welcome. This visit was indeed an inspiration to

the brethren of Pukemiro Lodge and greatly appreciated. The ceremonial work of the evening was conducted by the officers of the Lodge in a most impressive manner.

A splendid attendance was present at the Installation meeting of Lodge Piako, No. 160, to witness the ceremony of the Installation of Bro. C. G. Hammond as W.M. and the investiture of officers on 1st March. The M.W. the G.M. Sir Stephen Allen was in attendance, this being his Mother Lodge, in which he was W.M. in 1912-13, and received a very warm welcome. The ceremony was conducted by R.W. Bro. C. N. O'Neill, assisted by G.L. officers, in his usual efficient manner. Many of the Lodges in the District were represented, fifteen of them by the sitting W.M. During the evening a presentation was made to Bro. J. W. Jackson, who for 26 years had served the Lodge faithfully and well in the position of Tyler. A most enjoyable hour was spent in the refectory at the close of the ceremony.

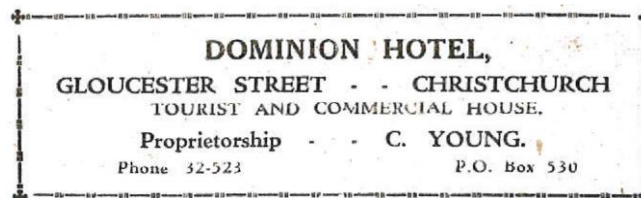
HAWKES BAY NOTES.

On the 18th March Services Lodge, No. 313, received an official visit from the Ohakea Services Lodge, No. 309, Palmerston North, when W. Bro. G. Nash, W.M., with 32 of his brethren, attended and initiated a candidate. Prior to the meeting the W.M. returned the ashlar which No. 313 presented to the Lodge on their visit last year, and at the conclusion of the meeting W. Bro. Fippard returned the gavel which Ohakea brought to No. 313 last year. A very pleasant evening was spent, both in the Temple and in the refectory, where the customary toasts were proposed and honoured.

TARANAKI NOTES.

On 15th March Bro. W. W. Lonsdale, S.W., was installed as W.M. of Lodge Stratford, No. 75, by R.W. Bro. A. M. Niblock, Prov.G.M., and his officers were invested by Bro. Lonsdale and a number of G.L. officers. There was a representative gathering of brethren from a large number of Lodges. In welcoming visiting brethren, W. Bro. H. E. Lawrence made what he called an unusual plea on behalf of unpunctuality. He said that in business punctuality is a virtue to be practised by Masons, and late arrival at a meeting deserved an apology. But in matters of pleasure we do not insist on a time schedule. Masonry is not a business, and we meet for pleasure. Those few minutes before tying are of great value to Masonry, for it is at that period that many brethren from a distance have the only chance of the evening for a friendly chat and the revival of old friendships. On behalf of the visitors, therefore, he appealed to Masters and Directors of Ceremonies to reflect on the old Roman saying that Time was made for slaves," and to consider whether it would not be beneficial to Masonry to waive the rule of punctuality in tying.

Lodge Moa, No. 110, held its Installation meeting on 20th March, when Bro. H. R. Bracegirdle was installed by R.W. Bro. A. M. Niblock, Prov.G.M., and the officers were invested by the W.M. The Annual Report states that the past year was a successful one, made so by the ready cooperation of one and all. A Lodge library has been set on foot. Letters of thanks for food parcels sent to Britain continue to arrive, and it is worthy of note that one Lodge has begun a regular monthly levy for this purpose.



RUAPEHU NOTES.

The last Saturday in March saw the Installation of Bro. Henry Brooks as W.M. of Lodge Awatea, No. 258, by R.W. Bro. J. A. Nash, P.D.G.M. assisted by R.W. Bro. F. C. Jennings, Prov G.M., and several Grand Lodge officers. There were 26 G.L. officers present, including a surprise visit from the M.W. the Grand Master, Sir Stephen Allen. On 11th April R.W. Bro. F. C. Jennings, Prov.G.M., installed Bro. E. H. Clifton as W.M. of Lodge Oroua, No. 215, Apiti. There were representatives from Lodges at Wanganui, Palmerston North, and Raetihi, several of whom took some part in the ceremony.

The Ohakea Services Lodge, No. 309, still continues to progress and W. Bro. G. N. Nash has had some very fine meetings.

W. Bro. G. T. Griggs, the W.M. of Lodge Pakama, No. 319, entertained the Manawatu Kil. Lodge at the March meeting, when a Masonic drama (for Master Masons only), entitled "Greater Love Bath No Man," was presented and produced by W. Bro. A. V. Pizzey, P.G.D.

Feilding Lodge, No. 41, under the Mastership of W. Bro. D. L. Hendra, is at present very busy with Degree work judging by the candidates offering.

The April meeting of Ruapehu Lodge, No. 128, W.M. W. Bro. R. M. Palmer, was well attended to witness an initiation ceremony.

The Ven. Preceptor, W. W. Jones, of Manawatu Preceptory, had a visit from Napier Preceptory at the April meeting, and as a result one of the largest attendances of visitors eventuated.

The Feilding Rose Croix Chapter, just recently consecrated, will have the best wishes of the members of the A. and A. Rite throughout the Dominion, and if the first meeting is any indication then the success of this Chapter is assured.

In an endeavour to visit each Royal Arch Chapter in the District before its Installation meeting, the following are the proposed official visits of R.E. Comp. L. Wood, Grand Supt.:—April, Oroua, Manawatu, Waimarino; May, Otaihape, Wanganui; June, Ruapehu.

SOUTHLAND NOTES.

The Principals, officers, and a number of Companions of Iwikatea R.A. Chapter, No. 33 (Balclutha), paid an official visit to Southern Cross R.A. Chapter, No. 3, on 15th April and Exalted two Companions.

R.W. Bro. Jas. Stobo, Prov.G.M., attended the Installation meeting of Lodge Orepuki, No. 137, on 13th April and conducted the ceremony of Installation and the investiture of officers. He was accompanied by V.W. Bro. Wm. Kelman, G.D.C., and a number of Grand Lodge officers.

W. Bro. C. Anderson, W.M. Lodge Waihopai, No. 189, accompanied by a good following of his officers and brethren, paid a fraternal visit to Lodge Winton, No. 108, on 4th April.

The Installation of E. Comp. L. H. Jones as T.I.M. of Southern Cross Cryptic Council was held on 29th April in the presence of a fine attendance of members and visitors. The ceremony was conducted by R.E. Comp. H. R. Mitchell, G.Supt. of Otago, and Grand Council officers. R.E. Comp. R. P. Boyne, G.Supt. of Southland, was also in attendance with his officers.

Bro. E. Matheson, who has served Lodge Wallace, No. 129, as Secretary for a period of about 45 years, recently answered a call to the Grand Lodge above, after a long life of useful service to Masonry and to the community at large.

E. and P. Bro. J. N. McKinlay, M.W.S., and officers of Murihiku Rose Croix Chapter, No. 36, Perfected a well-known member of Lodge Southland, No. 273, at the meeting last month.

Four Mark Masters were acknowledged at the March convocation of Southern Cross R.A. Chapter, No. 3, by W.E.M. L. H. Jones and his officers.

Bro. E. T. Eastwood was installed W.M. of The Lodge of Remembrance, No. 318, at the regular meeting on 22nd April in the presence of a good attendance of members and visiting brethren, including R.W. Bro. J. Stobo, Prov.G.M., who was the Installing Master.

At the March meeting of Lodge Waikaka, No. 151, a number of interesting articles were read from some recent issues of "The Craftsman" in lieu of ceremonial work. Officers for the coming year were nominated at this meeting.

V.E. Comp. G. H. Gibbs, Z. Southern Cross R.A. Chapter, No. 3, has been laid aside with illness for several weeks.

V.E. Comp. F. J. Logan, P.Z. of Southern Cross R.A. Chapter, No. 3, is at present visiting Australia. Bro. A. B. Paterson, of Lodge Waihopai, No. 189, is also across the "Tasman" on a holiday. W. Bro. Wm. Robison, P.G.S., and his wife are away on an extended visit to Britain and the Continent.

Bro. Leslie Waldie was installed W.M. of Lodge Harvey, No. 49, on 19th April by the Prov. G.M. in the presence of a large attendance of members and visitors.

W. Bro. A. Fox and P.Ms. of Lodge Southern Cross, No. 9, conducted the Third Degree at the April meeting. In spite of a change of meeting night occasioned by the Easter holidays there was a good attendance.

Lodge Victoria, No. 147, conducted the ceremony of "Raising" on 11th April. The Ceremony of Initiation was worked by Lodges Gordon, No. 320, Fortitude, No. 64, Southland, No. 273, and Wairaki, No. 145, during the past month.

Full appreciation of the work of the P.Ms. of Lodge Orepuki, No. 137, over a long period of years was voiced at the recent Installation meeting by R.W. Bro. J. Stobo, Prov.G.M., and R. W. Bro. Alex Derby, P.D.G.M., when speaking at the refectory proceedings.

At the April meeting of Lodge Waihopai, No. 89, special reference was made to the "pioneer" members of the Lodge, members who had served for a period of 30 years or over.

OTAGO NOTES.



A number of members of Otakou Conclave, No. 53 (Order of the Secret Monitor), visited Christchurch on 15th April to pay a fraternal visit to the sister Conclave, Otakara, No. 54. The S.R., W. Bro. S. Marshall, and his officers conducted the Ceremony of Induction for three candidates, while a team of Grand Council and District Grand Conclave officers, led by R.W. Bro. R. H. Cleland, P.G.V., installed Otakara's new S.R., Bro. W. G. Cooper.

The members of Otakara Conclave are very appreciative of the visit of Otakau Conclave, which will do much to assist the rehabilitation of that Conclave.

The Installation meeting of Lodge Taharangi, No. 235, took place on 14th March, when Bro. C. A. Bain was installed as Master and his officers invested by R.W. Bro. R. C. Rutherford, Prov.G.M., assisted by G.L. officers. An enjoyable evening was spent by a large attendance of brethren. An excellent attendance of members and visitors greeted the First Principal, V.E. Comp. C. J. L. Matheson, at the March Convocation of Celtic R.A. Chapter, No. 42, when the W.E.M., W. Bro. T. J. Tate, and his officers Acknowledged a candidate. Speaking to a toast in the refectory, R.E. Comp. Axel Newton, Past G.Lec., gave an interesting outline of some of the early incidents associated with the degree.

R.W. Bro. R. C. Rutherford, Prov.G.M., conducted the ceremonies of installing Bro. C. R. McNab as Master of Lodge Owaka, No. 180, on 24th March. and Bro. J. O. Lucas as Master of Lodge St. Thomas Kil., No. 83, on 25th March, and investing their officers. He was assisted in the ceremonies by M.W. Bro. W. Lishner, P.G.M., V.W. Bro. W. McKenzie, G.D.C., and other G.L. officers. It is especially worthy of mention that in connection with Lodge St. Thomas W. Bro. J. Richardson, re-elected Chaplain, entered upon his 28th year in that capacity, and W. Bro. R. D. Welch, re-elected Treasurer, has served his Lodge as Treasurer for 39 years without a break.

W. Bro. Ernest Syrett, P.G.P., was installed Master of the Research Lodge of Otago, No. 161, and his officers invested on 29th March, the ceremony being carried out by R.W. Bro. R. C. Rutherford, Prov.G.M., assisted by officers of Grand Lodge. Members of the District Grand Lodges of other Constitutions were also present.

Lodge Otago, No. 7, has very generously given the loan of its Masonic Library to the Research Lodge of Otago, and the collection is now housed along with the library of the Research Lodge in the Hiram Temple.

CHRISTCHURCH NOTES.



Recently Bro. Andrew Knudsen, of Lodge Kaikohe, No. 255, passed away in Christchurch, where he was a comparative stranger. His funeral was attended by a number of the Christchurch brethren, including the Hon. Sec. of the Canterbury Almoners' Association, W. Bro. P. A. Le Brun.

Corinthian Lodge, No. 321, paid the biennial visit to Lodge, N. 325, Ashburton, on 11th March, when the Second Degree was worked, 36 brethren making the trip with W. Bro. M. V. Dodd, W.M. The Prov.G.M., R.W. Bro. F. N. Kerr, was present, as well as the P.M. Group for 1946-47, the year when Harmony was founded. A high standard of work was carried out in the lodgeroom, and a very enjoyable time was spent in the refectory afterwards.

The proposed new Addington Lodge has now been advanced a stage, and reports suggest that it will not be long before Foundation members are enrolled.

Members of Lodge Shirley, No. 263, attended Church Service at "St. Matthew's." Colombo Street, on Sunday, 16th April, when a considerable number of brethren, their wives, and families were present.

R.W. Bro. G. F. Allen. P.G.W., of Civic Lodge, leaves this month for a short visit to Australia. It is hoped that on his return his Masonic experiences will again be made available to the brethren, who extend their best wishes and hope that his trip will be a pleasant one.

United Forces Lodge, No. 245, held its Annual Commemoration Service on 12th April, to pay tribute to the Masonic Brethren who made the Supreme Sacrifice in World Wars I and II. A very large number of brethren attended and the Masonic Hall was packed to capacity. Grand Lodge was represented by M.W. Bro. Charles Flavell, P.G.M., and Prov.G.L. by R.W. Bro. F. N. Kerr, Prov.G.M. R.W. Bro. John F. Hutchison, District G.M.. E.C., gave a very fine address which was listened to with considerable interest. It was a highly successful gathering and one which received full honour from the brethren.

Lodge Riccarton, No. 276, held its meeting on 18th April, when the Master, W. Bro. G. H. W. Gale, initiated his business partner, Bro A. C. Winter.

Prince of Wales R.A. Chapter, No. 31, held its bi-monthly meeting on 19th April, when V.E. Comp. R. C. Hamilton, P.Z., occupied the chair and worked the Excellent Degree. The quarterly meeting of the Royal Canterbury Preceptory of Knights Templar was held on 21st April, when the Em. Preceptor, Bro. Knight John F. Hutchison installed two Companions as Knights of the Temple. This was. Em. Kt. Hutchison's last night in the Chair.

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NORTH CANTERBURY NOTES.

The big news in North Canterbury is the preparations now being made to welcome the M.W. the Grand Master at a combined meeting of the "Big Eight," to be held in May at Waikari under the Charter of Acacia Lodge, No. 209. Details will be reported next month.

Southern Cross, No. 6, worked a Second Degree in April in its usual efficient manner under the direction of W. Bro. Les. Anderson, with the assistance of his officers. This Lodge has sufficient work on hand for the remainder of the year.

Ashley Lodge, No. 28, worked a most impressive Third Degree ceremony in April. W. Bro. Fincham is setting a high standard for his team of officers to emulate.

Kaikoura Lodge, No. 60, has suffered a severe loss in the transfer of its Master to Nelson. W. Bro. W. A. Stephens was recently installed for a second term and impressed all with the capable manner in which he discharged his duties, which are now being carried out by the P.Ms. of the Lodge. In April W. Bro. Carl Jensen took the chair and "Raised" a brother in a most inspiring manner.

R.W. Bro. F. N. Kerr, Prov.G.M., with a good team of Grand and Prov.G.L. officers, visited Cheviot in April for the purpose of installing Bro. William Bainbridge as Master and investing his officers. Visitors were present from far afield and enjoyed thoroughly the happy atmosphere the Prov.G.M. engenders at these meetings.

Bro. William Beckett was also set off on his "journey" as W.M. under the same happy auspices in Mairaki Lodge later in the month. This small Lodge has work in hand for some time.

Amuri Lodge, No. 184, had no degree work in April. The brethren held a most profitable discussion on matters of importance to the Lodge. One encouraging item was the question of renovating and extending the Lodge building.

Tawera Lodge, No. 188, "Passed" two brethren in April. W. Bro. Dailey and his officers conducting a very impressive ceremony.

Acacia Lodge, No. 209, worked an Initiation ceremony in April. As host Lodge for the combined meeting to welcome the Grand Master, consideration was also given to the arrangements for that occasion. W. Bro. Galletly and his brethren are determined to make this gathering the success its importance warrants.

NELSON-MARLBOROUGH NOTES.

The two principal Temples in the Nelson-Marlborough territory, located respectively in Nelson and Blenheim, have both lately been renovated and re-decorated, with eminently satisfactory results. In the case of the Nelson Temple, however, the brethren went one better—they turned to and themselves painted the outside of the building. Members of Victory and Southern Star Lodges formed an industrious working bee which completed an excellent job.

R.W. Bro. Jas. Baird, P.Prov.G M, is absent on a trip to the Old Country. Before his departure the members of Victory Lodge, No. 40, presented him with a travelling outfit and their good wishes. W. Bro. C. S. Beechey was also the recipient of a useful gift from the brethren on the occasion of his departure for England.

W. Bro. Bradley was recently installed as W.M. of Lodge Murchison in the presence of a large assemblage. At the March meeting of Lodge Victory the Marlborough Lodge of Unanimity, No. 106, Blenheim, paid an official visit and gave a particularly smooth rendering of the 2nd Degree, a very considerable portion of the work being given by "Floor" members.

At the April meeting of Victory Lodge a double Third Degree was worked and the election of officers for the ensuing year saw the appointment of Bro. J. W. Riddle, the S.W., as W.M.

Golden Bay Lodge, No. 2194, E.C., "Raised" two brethren in March, and in April had the pleasure of a visit from Southern Star Lodge, who brought two candidates, who were "Passed" in a ceremony that met with general approval.

Lodge Motueka, No. 117, recently suffered a loss in the death of W. Bro. J. G. Wilkinson, an old and highly-esteemed member.

Blenheim's "baby" Lodge-Eckford, No. 334-continues to thrive. Recent degrees have been a "Raising" and "Passing, with a good deal of work in the offing. The contact made with Lodge Motueka, with whom official visits are now exchanged, is warmly appreciated.

Brethren of the Marlborough Lodge of Unanimity, No. 106, have given W. Bro. H. V. C. Cox good support in official visiting, especially on two long trips—one to William Ferguson Massey Lodge, Wellington, the other to Lodge Victory, Nelson. "P.M's Night" was a signal success, with W. Bro. Norman Forbes in the chair to conduct a Third Degree ceremony.

Wairau Lodge, No. 42, in March performed a "Raising" and in April officially visited the sister Lodge of Unanimity, when the same Degree was conferred on a member of that Lodge.

Since the Past Zs. of the Marlborough R.A. Chapter, No. 14, had their annual "refresher" working an Exaltation, the Chapter's regular officers have been engaged in a series of Mark Degrees.

This correspondent is still not hearing from a number of Lodges in the Territory. If these Notes are appreciated at all, or serve any useful purpose, it seems that they should be supported by all Lodges. The writer would like any items of news added to the notices, which should be sent after, not before, meetings.

WELLINGTON NOTES.

Tamahine Lodge, No. :332, although among the younger Lodges in the Wellington District, is now well established, which was clearly demonstrated at the Installation of the Lodge's third Master, W. Bro. C. L. Partridge. The Temple at Donald McLean Street was well filled on Monday, 20th March, for the Installation and Investiture of Officers, and the harmony and goodwill in the refectory later in the evening was very apparent. The Installation was conducted by the Prov. Grand Master, R.W. Bro. C. N. Cathie, assisted by Grand Lodge officers, V.W. Bro. M. Macdonald was G.D. of C., and M.W. Bro. Geo. Russell, P.G.M., delivered the Address to the W.M. On the Wednesday evening prior to the Installation the officers and some of the members met for the usual rehearsal, and later held an informal discussion on Lodge matters generally. The Master-elect, in expressing appreciation of the support already accorded him expressed the hope that this support would be continued during the coming year. Practical support for the Lodge, which has been forthcoming from many sources, was again in evidence when W. Bro. J. W. Heinemann, W.M. of Herbert Teagle Lodge, No. 300, and a foundation member of "Tamahine," presented an inscribed ballot box to the Lodge.

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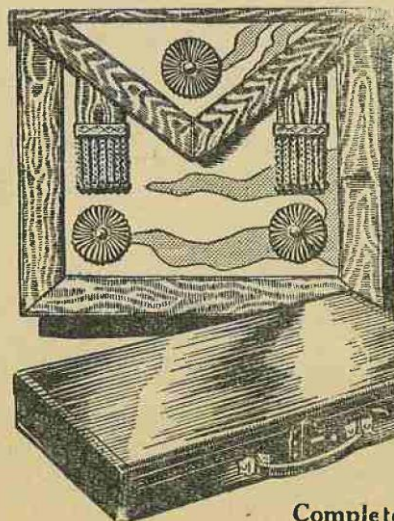
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Papakura, 56:—Founded 1885; meets Masonic Hall, Papakura, first Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., A. E. Stewart; S.W., F. R. Halliwell; J.W., N. MacDougall; Sec., D. McR. Jameson, Kelvin Road, Papakura.

Franklin, 58:—Founded 1885; meets Masonic Hall, Pukekohe, second Mon., 8 p.m., except Jan. Install. Nov. W.M., E. W. Austen; S.W., T. S. Marshall; J.W., K. A. Liddle; Sec., F. O'Hara, P.M., Manukau Road, Pukekohe.

Hokianga, 69:—Founded 1891; meets Masonic Hall, Kōhukohu, on 1st Thursday, 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., G. Cooper; S.W., A. E. Wagener; J.W., M. W. Armstrong; Sec., C. G. Armstrong, Motukaraka, Hokianga, Northland.

Mangonui, 78:—Founded 1892; meets Freemasons Hall, Kaitiaki, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., A. W. Bird; S.W., A. E. Foster; J.W., I. McKinnon; Sec., E. N. Matthews, Avaniui Road, Kaitiaki.

Auckland, 87:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., O. T. Wilson; S.W., J. A. Morton; J.W., G. A. Moss; Sec., C. C. Turner, P.G.P., 72 Alberton Ave., Mt. Albert, Auckland, S.W.2.

United Waiuku, 90:—Founded 1903; meets 4th Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., W. J. Barker; S.W., C. W. Ross; J.W., M. A. Aldred; Sec., J. F. Doel, P.M., Box 77, Waiuku.

Ohaeawai, 101:—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Hall, Ohaeawai, third Tuesday, 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., C. R. French; S.W., E. C. H. Galbraith; J.W., R. J. Harrison; Sec., F. G. Dibble, P.G.S., Remuera Estate R.D., Kaitiaki.

Whangarei, 102:—Founded 1876; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, second Mon., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. April. W.M., E. T. Armstrong; S.W., J. G. Whiteman; J.W., F. C. Gower; Sec., P. Campbell, G.Std.B., 10 Stanley St., Whangarei.

Hobson, 120:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Aratapu, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Jan. 29th. W.M., H. J. Branwell; S.W., S. Luch; J.W., T. Newport; Sec., A. Dickson, Te Kopuru.

Hikurangi, 140:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Hikurangi, first Friday, 7.30. Install. April. W.M., E. W. Rickard; S.W., W. D. Thomas; J.W., A. C. Stanbridge; Sec., H. Thomas, P.G.S., Hikurangi.

United Masters, 167:—Founded 1909; meets fourth Thurs., February to October, in Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., C. G. Herdman, P.M.; S.W., W. G. Wray, P.D.G.W., E.C.; J.W., W. H. V. Talne, P.M.; Sec., R. F. Newton, P.M., Plecton St., Howick, Auckland.

Maungahao, 168:—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, 5 Woodside Rd., Mt. Eden, third Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.), Dec. second Thurs. Install. Nov. W.M., F. A. L. Bellamy; S.W., E. T. Waterworth; J.W., F. J. Taylor; Sec., G. W. A. Clark, P.G.Std.B., 129 Balmoral Rd., Mt. Eden, Auckland, S.2.

Marsden, 169:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Maungaturoto, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., A. E. Lacey; S.W., C. W. Foote; J.W., J. Lindsay; Sec., W. J. Dell, P.G.S., P.O. Box 5, Maungaturoto.

Waitakeri, 170:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Henderson, 3rd Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., C. W. Dickinson; S.W., H. O. Barnhill; J.W., G. Melvin; Sec., W. H. Roberts, P.M., Te Atatu Rd., Henderson.

Waipu, 179:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Waipu, third Tues., 7.45. Install. April. W.M., L. B. Finlayson; S.W., J. L. Murdoch; J.W., G. K. McGregor; Sec., J. C. Paterson, P.M., Ruakaka, Waipu.

Onewa, 182:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Northcote, last Mon. (Dec. and Jan. excepted), 7.30. Install. last Mon. May. W.M., W. G. Ungemuth; S.W., R. F. Farget; J.W., O. J. Wadham; Sec., J. F. Potter, P.A.G.D.C., 46 Seaview Ave., Northcote, Auckland, N.4.

Takapuna, 202:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Hurstmere Rd., Takapuna, third Monday, 7.30, except Jan. and Feb. Install. Nov. W.M., J. S. Yarnon; S.W., V. St. C. Jones; J.W., E. G. Shepherd; Sec., A. R. Smith, Box 2240, Auckland, C.1.

Pono, 203:—Founded 1915; meets Masonic Hall, Hokianga Rd., Dargaville, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., W. Montgomery; S.W., G. V. Simpkin; J.W., C. F. Witten; Sec., H. Mawson, P.M., Edward St., Dargaville.

Titirangi, 204:—Founded 1915; meets Masonic Hall, Rosebank Road, Avondale, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., R. A. Lincoln; S.W., A. H. Andrews; J.W., A. H. Anderson; Acting Sec., G. R. Law, P.M., 47 Canal Road, Avondale, Auckland, S.W.3.

Ruawai, 207:—Founded 1917; meets Masonic Hall, Ruawai, first Wed., 7.30. Install. Jan. W.M., H. F. Shepherd; S.W., L. G. R. Laing; J.W., J. Wilson; Sec., W. J. Tanner, P.M., Ruawai.

Manurewa, 222:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Manurewa, first Thurs., 7.30 (Jan. 3rd Thurs.). W.M., P. F. McAnally; S.W., W. M. Phillips; J.W., F. V. Hirstich; Sec., F. G. Cooper, P.M., 24 Arthur Road, Manurewa.

Papatoetoe, 227:—Founded 1921; meets third Thurs., 7.30, except Jan., Masonic Temple, Papatoetoe. Install. 2nd Thurs., Dec. W.M., C. H. D. Handisides; S.W., D. Kirk; J.W., J. E. Hardie; Sec., A. H. Boulter, Wilunay Ave., Papatoetoe.

Morningside, 228:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, third Thurs. (except Jan. and Feb.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., G. P. Bairstow; S.W., A. Jackson; J.W., H. A. Marks; Sec., W. H. Keatley, P.G.S., 4 New Bond St., Glenmore, Auckland, S.W.1.

St. James, 244, Drury.

Arapohue, 248:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Mititai, second Mon., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., T. C. Gant; S.W., R. W. Ryder; J.W., P. N. Derbyshire; Sec., H. R. Johanson, Mititai.

Hauraki Plains, 249:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Ngatea, first Thurs., 7.45. Install. April. W.M., E. Hazledine-Barber; S.W., S. W. Parfitt; J.W., F. L. Davis; Sec., A. Walters, P.G.S., Kaihore R.D., Ngatea.

Calliope, 252:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Apia, Thurs. nearest full moon, 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., W. H. Wiggle; S.W., G. R. Powles; J.W., C. W. Whonsbon-Aston; Sec., G. E. Burton, Apia, Western Samoa.

Kaikohu, 255:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall on fourth Wed. except Dec., 7.30 p.m. Install. April. W.M., E. N. Baker; S.W., G. W. A. Peterson; J.W., H. W. Douglas; Sec., G. G. McNickle, P.M., Box 63, Kaikohu.

Arakanui, 264:—Founded 1924; meets Freemasons' Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland, 2nd Tues., except Jan. Install. May. W.M., W. P. Glasgow; S.W., R. A. Henshaw; J.W., W. T. Moore; Sec., W. L. J. Cahill, P.M., 140 Mt. Albert Road, Auckland, S.W.2.

Arawhiti, 267:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, first Wed. (except Jan. and Feb.), 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., W. H. V. Talne; S.W., H. Sharples; J.W., H. G. St. V. Beechey; Sec., H. C. Duthie, P.M., Box 165, Auckland.

Parahaki, 269:—Founded 5th September, 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Thurs. (except Jan.). Install. first Thurs. Aug. W.M., A. M. Brierley; S.W., J. L. S. Horrell; J.W., R. E. Johnston; Sec., S. C. Begley, P.M., 1 Deveron St., Whangarei.

Orakei, 270:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, third Mon. (except Jan. and Feb.), 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., E. L. Sibun; S.W., C. F. Morgan; J.W., A. C. Bridle; Sec., G. Rowbottom, 10 Rewiti St., Orakei, Auckland, S.E.2.

Selwyn, 274:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Hanene St., St. Heliers, first Wed., 7.15. Jan. and Feb. excepted. Install. Oct. W.M., H. E. Goldbro; S.W., E. Pitcher; J.W., E. F. Laslett; Sec., W. C. Glenny, P.M., 4 Brilliant St., St. Heliers, Auckland, E.1.

Tuakau, 278:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Hall, Harrisville Rd., Tuakau, 2nd Thurs. (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., H. R. Smeed; S.W., D. R. Hudson; J.W., S. E. Belcher; Sec., H. L. Richards, P.G.S., Schoolhouse, Pokeno.

Kumeu, 279:—Founded 1926; meets Masonic Hall, Kumeu, third Tuesday (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. Oct. W.M., A. T. Gore; S.W., E. P. L. Cooke; J.W., G. A. Rosevear; Sec., F. W. Jeffers, P.M., Kumeu.

Rongomau, 280:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, second Thurs., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., P. L. Dennerly; S.W., A. I. Harrison; J.W., H. Emmott; Sec., H. W. Lindsay, P.M., 10 Seddon Road, Birkenhead, Auckland, N.5.

The Combined Forces Lodge, 284:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, second Tues. (Jan. excepted). Install. March. W.M., H. A. Gichard; S.W., N. V. Le Petit; J.W., D. H. C. Wilson; Sec., V. Dunne, P.G.D., 23 Cleveland Rd., Parnell, Auckland.

Owairaka, 294:—Founded 1928; meets Methodist Hall, Mount Albert, third Thursday, 7.30, except Jan. Install. March. W.M., L. E. Cantell; S.W., H. W. Deal; J.W., S. E. Chappell; Sec., C. D. Wallace, 9 Grande Ave., Mt. Albert, Auckland, S.W.2.

Ararangi, 297:—Founded Sept. 3, 1928, meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, first Mon. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Sept. W.M., J. M. Craig; S.W., A. C. Goodare; J.W., J. W. Coney; Sec., R. F. Bishop, P.M., P.O. Box 884, Auckland, C.1.

First Temple, 302:—Founded August 29, 1930; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, second Mon., except Jan., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., H. S. Somers; S.W., I. Stormont; J.W., T. R. Bird; Sec., P. Ellis, P.M., 6 Wilton St., Grey Lynn, Auckland, W.2.

Chevalier, 303:—Founded September 29, 1930; meets Masonic Temple, Target St., Point Chevalier, Auckland, last Tues., 7.30 p.m. (December 2nd Tues.). Install. Oct. W.M., Jas. S. Matthews; S.W., C. L. K. Gillam; J.W., R. A. Hall; Sec., C. H. O'Callaghan, P.M., 68 Islington St., Herne Bay, Auckland, W.1.

Kororareka, 304:—Founded 25th Sept., 1931; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Russell, second Thurs. (except Dec.), 7.30 p.m. Install. Sept. W.M., H. F. Clifford; S.W., E. L. Broberg; J.W., C. E. Earle; Sec., T. J. V. Dunlop, P.D.G.W. (E.C.), Box 45, Russell.

Wellsford, 305: Wellsford, Auckland.

Howick, 314:—Founded Sept., 1945; meets Lodge Room, Wellington Street, Howick, fourth Wed., except Dec., at 7.30 p.m. Install. Oct. W.M., T. T. Craig; S.W., J. C. Ashcroft; J.W., J. Steele; Sec., W. V. Smith, P.M., c/o P.O. Box 16, Auckland, C.1.

The Lodge of Peace, 322:—Founded September, 1946; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, last Monday (except Dec., Jan., and Feb.), 7.30 p.m. Install. Sept. W.M., Rev. A. E. Orr; S.W., H. Andersen; J.W., E. H. Tyler; Sec., T. G. Messer, 29 Egremont St., Belmont, Auckland, N.2.

Epsom, 324:—Founded 1946; meets St. George's Hall, Ranfurly Rd. East, first Monday, except Jan. and Feb. Install. Nov. W.M., E. G. Fuller; S.W., W. Traill; J.W., W. R. Teape; Sec., R. L. Thompson, 14 Otahuri Cres., Remuera, Auckland, S.E.4.

The Oliver Nicholson, Lodge, 326:—Founded 1947; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, fourth Thurs. (except Dec. and Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. May. W.M., A. M. Woodham; S.W., F. J. Gwilliam; J.W., C. H. Linden; Sec., J. Allison, P.M., P.O. Box 940, Auckland.

Rawene, 327.

Tamaki, 328:—Founded 1947; meets Masonic Temple, Hanane Street, St. Heliers, Auckland, third Mon. (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. Oct. W.M., F. E. Gichard; S.W., C. Pryce Jones; J.W., R. Campbell; Sec., S. H. Thompson, 20 Tarawera Tce., St. Heliers, Auckland, E.1.

Mangere, 330:—Founded December, 1947; meets Mangere East Hall, Massey Rd., Mangere East, second Monday (except Jan.). Install. Dec. W.M., J. A. P. Sissons; S.W., R. O. Kirk; J.W., S. Tricklebank; Sec., H. M. B. Orsborn, Vine St., Mangere East, Auckland, S.E.7.

Tairua, 331:—Founded March, 1948; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, third Wed. (except Jan.), 7.15 p.m. Install. May. W.M., H. R. Jacques; S.W., D. B. G. Stubbings; J.W., W. R. Toetill; Sec., A. R. Wheeler, P.M., 6 Donegal St., Avondale, Auckland, S.W.3.

Westmere, 333:—Founded 1948; meets Freemasons' Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland, third Wednesday (except January), 7.30. Install. April. W.M., W. D. Adams; S.W., D. A. Macdonald; C. A. Aldritt; Sec., Chas. Graham, P.M., 38 Wapiti Ave., Epsom, Auckland, S.E.3.

Belmont, 335.

Birkenhead, 337.

Herne Bay, 340:—Founded 1948; meets All Saints' Hall, Cowan St., Ponsonby, 4th Monday, 7.30 p.m. Install. September. W.M., T. G. de Clive-Lowe; S.W., J. F. Y. Schichka; J.W., C. Atkinson; Sec., R. D. Cox, P.M., Box 1214, Auckland.

Northland, 341:—Founded 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, fourth Wed., February to October inclusive, November and December second Thursday, 7.30 p.m. Install. November. W.M., J. E. Williams; S.W., W. R. Atchison; J.W., J. A. W. Wilton; Sec., A. V. Taylor, Box 31, Whangarei.

Anglia, 342.

Browns Bay, 346:—Founded 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Takapuna, 3rd Wednesday (except Jan.). Install. June. W.M., H. K. McDermott; S.W., D. Nicholson; J.W., A. D. Ward; Sec., A. S. Oldham, 55 Browns Bay Road, Browns Bay, Auckland.

DISTRICT OF WAIKATO, 32 Lodges.

(R.W. Bro. C. N. O'Neill, Prov.G.M.)
(R.W. Bro. F. Pridaux, Asst.Prov.G.M.)

Beta-Waikato, 12:—Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, Hamilton, second Mon., 7.30. Install. Mon. on or after 24th June. W.M., L. T. Smith; S.W., R. E. Conradi; J.W., A. C. Watkins; Sec., F. H. Ibbotson, P.M., P.O. Box 316, Hamilton.

Te Aroha, 52:—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Hall, Te Aroha, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., C. Bertelsen; S.W., T. E. Austin; J.W., C. A. Sharpe; Sec., G. H. Nicholls, P.G.C., P.O. Box 63, Te Aroha.

Abercorn, 76:—Founded 1886; meets Masonic Hall, Ormond Road, Gisborne, first Tues., 8 p.m., except Jan. Install. Oct. W.M., J. D. Martin; S.W., R. O. Bull; J.W., L. R. Stichbury; Sec., E. A. Muls, P.G.Std.B., 64 Ormond Road, Gisborne.

Alpha, 81:—Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, Cambridge, second Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. May. W.M., W. N. Morse; S.W., A. A. Lockett; J.W., K. C. Dodd; Sec., V. R. Renai, Box 17, Cambridge.

Ohinemuri, 107:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Paeroa, third Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Nov. W.M., V. A. Laurent; S.W., J. M. Craig; J.W., H. P. Wyde; Sec., L. C. Cane, P.M., 11 Corbett St., Paeroa.

Waihi, 112:—Founded 1898; meets Masonic Hall, Waihi, first Mon., except Jan., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., A. Carlyon; S.W., A. J. Butler; J.W., R. Aitkenhead; Sec., A. E. Waite, P.M., Seddon Ave., Waihi.

Tauriri, 118:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Huntly, third Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., J. W. Shaw; S.W., C. Siddle; J.W., J. F. Baird; Sec., N. Greenwell, P.M., P.O. Box 14, Huntly.

Waipa, 119:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Te Awamutu, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., E. W. B. Dodd; S.W., H. Bent; J.W., A. H. Sutherland; Sec., D. T. B. McArthur, P.G.S., P.O. Box 14, Te Awamutu.

Tauranga, 125:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, First Ave., Tauranga, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., S. H. Wilson; S.W., H. A. Gardner; J.W., K. I. Jones; Sec., J. K. B. Lusk, P.G.D.C., Bank Chambers, Wharf St., Tauranga.

Rotorua, 153:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Fenton St., Rotorua, second Tues., 7.30. January third Tues. Install. Aug. W.M., D. G. Stockwell; S.W., T. A. Turner; J.W., T. Dorricott; Sec., S. Smith, P.M., P.O. Box 24, Rotorua.

Piako, 160:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Morrinsville, first Wed., 7.30, except Jan. Install. March. W.M., C. G. Hammond; S.W., N. H. Smith; J.W., R. T. Scott; Sec., L. D. Blomfield, P.M., 261 Thames St., Morrinsville.

Puketapu, 163:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Te Kuiti, 2nd Thursday, 7.30. Install. April. W.M., R. Wood; S.W., R. F. Wood; J.W., A. C. Wesley; Sec., Jas. Henderson, P.G.S., King St., Te Kuiti.

Kariki, 165:—Founded 17th Nov., 1909; meets Masonic Temple, Raglan, second Friday, 7.30 p.m. Install. March. W.M., H. H. Wallis; S.W., G. Gilmore; J.W., R. Pearce; Sec., W. Harold, Raglan.

Tawhiri, 166:—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, River Road, Hamilton, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., D. W. Thomas; S.W., G. Purves; J.W., N. E. G. Dahi; Sec., W. Storry, P.M., 67 Grey Street, Hamilton.

Nau Mai, 177:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Hakaia St., Taumarunui, first Wed., 8 p.m. Install. Nov. W.M., G. R. McLennan; S.W., G. L. Fisher; J.W., E. M. Coker; Sec., G. H. G. Campbell, P.M., Box 30, Taumarunui.

Te Marama, 186:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Temple, Ngaruawahia, first Monday, 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., A. R. Lambert; S.W., R. T. Cowie; J.W., L. D. Spragg; Sec., H. J. Sampson, P.G.S., Ngaruawahia.

Tirau, 193:—Founded 1913; meets Masonic Hall, Tirau, third Wed. Install. May. W.M., R. F. Schwarz; S.W., C. I. Shrimpton; J.W., J. D. Reid; Sec., A. Begbie, P.G.S., Prospect St., Putaruru.

Whakatane, 198:—Founded Aug., 1914; meets first Wed. Install. Aug. W.M., J. W. Wilson; S.W., W. G. Kenyon; J.W., L. H. Brown; Sec., C. A. Suckling, P.M., Box 35, Whakatane.

Maniapoto, 206:—Founded 1916; meets Masonic Hall, Otorohanga, on third Tues. Install. Oct. W.M., A. G. Sanders; S.W., W. L. Johnston; J.W., G. W. L. Palmer; Sec., H. J. F. Downard, P.G.Std.B., Te Kuiti.

Taneatua, 220:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Taneatua, second Thursday, except Jan. Install. Aug. W.M., C. K. Carpenter; S.W., T. A. Gee; J.W., A. R. Burgess; Sec., G. I. Middlemass, P.M., Box 41, Taneatua.

Uawa, 232:—Founded 1922; meets Freemasons' Hall, Tolaga Bay, second Tues., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., L. G. Watson; S.W., H. R. Horton; J.W., F. J. Herbert; Sec., O. G. James, Senr., P.G.S., P.O. Box 26, Tolaga Bay.

Gisborne, 233:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Childer's Rd., Gisborne, fourth Tues., 8. Install. 4th Tues. in April (subject to alteration). W.M., T. A. McCallum; S.W., J. Turbitt; J.W., J. Wilson; Sec., P. Schwabe, P.G.S., 106 Russell St., Gisborne.

Waipatu, 241:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Tokomaru Bay, third Thursday, 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., P. W. C. McCallum; S.W., V. G. H. Rickard; J.W., G. MacDonald; Sec., K. Mackay, P.G.S., P.O. Box 7, Tokomaru Bay.

Te Puke, 261:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Oxford St., Te Puke, fourth Thurs., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., J. B. Cawte; S.W., G. D. May; J.W., D. Cosson; Sec., T. D. Wills, P.M., P.O. Box 51, Te Puke.

Matamata, 265:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Matamata, last Thursday. Install. August. W.M., G. R. Desmond; S.W., S. E. G. Harriman; J.W., W. J. C. Smeaton; Sec., T. H. Eddy, P.G.Std.B., Box 50, Matamata.

Otake, 283:—Founded 1925; meets in Masonic Hall, Pio Pio, first Thurs., 8 p.m., except Jan. Install. Sept. W.M., J. R. Allen; S.W., C. S. Taylor; J.W., E. W. Larsen; Sec., J. A. Trust, P.M., P.O. Box 32, Pio Pio.

Hamilton, 291:—Founded 22nd Sept., 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Hamilton East, third Mon. Install. Aug. W.M., N. A. Mitchell; S.W., J. F. W. Hurrell; J.W., John Russell; Sec., A. B. Boswell, P.M., 9 Mason Ave., Hamilton.

Kati Kati, 295:—Founded 25th May, 1928; meets Masonic Hall, Kati Kati, second Tues., 7.30. Install. May. W.M., H. B. Capamagian; S.W., O. Booten; J.W., J. E. B. Warn; Sec., D. F. D. Wickham, P.M., Box 92, Kati Kati, Bay of Plenty.

Pukemiro, 301:—Founded 1930; meets Masonic Temple, Pukemiro, every fourth Saturday (commencing 2nd July, 7.30 p.m. Install. 3rd June, 1950. W.M., E. Tait; S.W., J. Seddon; J.W., J. Cleaton; Sec., W. Williamson, P.M., Glen Massey P.O.

Te Papa, 316:—Founded 1945; meets Masonic Temple, First Ave., Tauranga, last Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. (except Dec.). Install. March. W.M., N. Sinclair; S.W., M. J. Eagles; J.W., T. D. Murray; Sec., G. B. Murray, P.M., P.O. Box 15, Tauranga.

Tokoroa, 344:—Founded April, 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Old Cambridge Road, Tokoroa, fourth Tues., 8 p.m. Install. March. W.M., J. C. McEwen; S.W., F. R. Bentley; J.W., G. C. Dunham; Sec., H. A. Clatworthy, R.D. No. 2, Putaruru.

Rangiaohia, 350:—Founded September, 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Te Awamutu, fourth Monday, 8 p.m. Install. September. W.M., W. Menforth; S.W., R. W. Greenough; J.W., H. J. D. Lambert; Sec., C. D. C. Cummins, P.O. Box 9, Te Awamutu.

DISTRICT OF HAWKES BAY, 20 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. Robert W. Carpenter, Prov.G.M.)

Scinde, 5:—Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Church Lane, Napier, third Tues., except Jan. Install. third Tues. in June. W.M., D. D. Twigg; S.W., E. S. Burdick; J.W., P. Arnold; Sec., R. E. H. Pison, P.M., P.O. Box 227, Napier.

Victoria, 21:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Munro St., Napier, first Tues. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. first Tues. in June. W.M., W. E. Cockroft; S.W., W. G. M. Buckley; J.W., S. D. Faulkner; Sec., A. J. M. Kilpatrick, P.M., 34 Latham St., Napier.

Bedford, 25:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Waipukurau, first Wed., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., C. L. Williams; S.W., C. A. Wadman; J.W., A. S. Annand; Sec., J. A. Walker, P.O. Box 75, Waipukurau.

Abercorn, 30:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Waipawa, 3rd Mon., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., T. W. Holt; S.W., G. R. J. Harvey; J.W., W. M. Murray; Sec., F. Holt, P.G.S., Domain Road, Waipawa.

Rawhiti, 66:—Founded 1890; meets Freemasons' Hall, High St., Dannevirke, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. last Wed. in May. W.M., S. H. Petherick; S.W., E. A. Westlake; J.W., A. E. Hendy; Sec., T. H. Pickard, P.M., P.O. Box 137, Dannevirke.

Heretaunga, 73 (formerly No. 1812, E.C.):—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Temple, cnr. Market and St. Aubyn Sts., Hastings, second Tues., 7.30. Install. second Tues. in July. W.M., J. A. M. Ferguson; S.W., A. F. Flack; J.W., D. A. McLeay; Sec., Henry de Denne, P.A.G.D.C., P.O. Box 113, Hastings.

Ruahine, 80:—Founded 1886; meets Masonic Hall, Woodville, fourth Tues., 7.30 (except Dec. third Tues.). Install. third Sat. June. W.M., J. T. Horne; S.W., N. C. Wylie; J.W., D. T. Mabey; Sec., R. Bly, P.G.D.C., Box 3, Woodville.

Lion, 114:—Founded 1899; meets Masonic Hall, Ormondville, second Mon., 7.30. Install. third Wed. in April. W.M., G. G. Fothergill; S.W., E. G. Port; J.W., E. M. Cload; Sec., K. Port, P.O. Box 6, Ormondville.

Puketoi, 149:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Pongaroa, 3rd Monday, 8 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. fourth Wed. in March. W.M., W. Lunt; S.W., R. N. Cooper; J.W., F. C. Palmer, P.M.; Sec., S. W. Eunson, P.M., P.O. Box 50, Pongaroa.

Waikaremoana, 158:—Founded 1909; meets Masonic Hall, Wairoa, H.B., second Tues., 7.30. Install. second Tues. in March. W.M., S. Horton; S.W., F. G. Hankin; J.W., F. Scherp; Sec., E. M. Halstead, Box 2, Wairoa, H.B.

Ruataniwha, 172:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Takapau, last Wed. (except Dec.). 7.30. Install. fourth Wed. in Aug. W.M., A. J. Norris; S.W., A. F. Finch; J.W., W. G. Jackson; Sec., C. H. J. Pease, P.G.D.C., P.O. Box 106, Takapau.

Omarunui, 216:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple, Taradale, second Wed. Install. March. W.M., C. E. Maney; S.W., E. C. Watt; J.W., H. R. Grant; Sec., W. Pollock, P.M., Osier Road, Greenmeadows.

Napier, 268:—Founded 1924; meets Scinde Temple, Church Lane, Napier, fourth Thurs. (except Dec., second Tues.). Install. Sept. W.M., E. B. Jenkins; S.W., J. P. Wrightson; J.W., K. N. Porter; Sec., V. T. Rouse, P.M., 2A Kinross White St., Napier.

Haeata, 272:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Market Street, Hastings, 4th Monday, 7.30 (except Dec.). Install. 4th Mon. Sept. W.M., C. B. Spinner; S.W., P. Barcham; J.W., D. J. McNair; Sec., H. A. Baird, P.O. Box 174, Hastings.

Porangahau, 296:—Founded 19th Sept., 1928; meets Masonic Temple, Abercromby St., Porangahau, fourth Mon., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., A. C. E. Cammock; S.W., G. M. Harris; J.W., J. Bassett; Sec., B. G. White, P.M., Mangarapa, Porangahau.

Te Mata, 298:—Founded 3rd July, 1929; meets Masonic Temple, Joll Rd., Havelock North, 3rd Wed., 7.30. Install. 3rd Wed. Sept. W.M., C. J. Cushing; S.W., G. C. Thornton; J.W., C. E. Rapsey; Sec., J. W. Douglas, Box 29, Clive.

Hawkes Bay Research Lodge, 305:—Founded August 1, 1933. Meets Hastings (or elsewhere) first Monday, August, Nov., Feb., and May. Install. Aug. W.M., A. H. Sivewright, P.M.; S.W., A. K. Johnson, P.M.; J.W., J. T. Duck, P.M.; Sec., C. F. Thomas, P.M., Joll Road, Havelock North.

Tauhara, 307:—Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, Roberts St., Taupo, first Sat. (Jan. second Saturday), 7.45 p.m. Install. first Sat. April. W.M., G. S. Anchor; S.W., J. W. Woodward; J.W., E. P. Taylor; Sec., Jas. Murray, Senr., P.M., P.O. Box 72, Taupo.

The Services Lodge of H.B., 313:—Founded Oct., 1945; meets Masonic Temple, Market St., Hastings, 7.30 p.m., second Thurs., monthly, except Jan., April, July, and Oct., when second Saturday. Install. Oct. W.M., N. B. Pippard; S.W., G. Pell; J.W., H. G. Apperley; Sec., C. Carrell, P.M., 410 Tomoana Rd., Hastings.

Kennedy, 329:—Founded Oct., 1947; meets Victoria Masonic Temple, Munro St., Napier, second Mon., 7.30 p.m. Install. October. W.M., W. B. Spence; S.W., B. M. Bennett; J.W., Peter Tait; Sec., G. B. Young, P.A.G.D.C., 77 Georges Drive, Napier.

DISTRICT OF TARANAKI: 18 LODGES. (R.W. Bro. Rev. A. M. Niblock, Prov.G.M.)

Patea Kil., 18:—Founded 1870; meets Masonic Hall, Patea, second Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., G. J. Broker; S.W., A. J. Alexander; J.W., B. Waterland; Sec., U. Walker, P.M., P.O. Box 28, Patea.

Hawera, 34:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Temple, Union St., Hawera, first Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., I. W. Gerand; S.W., C. M. Bathgate; J.W., V. F. Howell; Sec., L. C. Storm, G.P., 49 Disraeli St., Hawera.

Ngamotu, 48:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Temple, Liardet St., New Plymouth, 4th Wed. (except Dec., second Thurs.), 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., F. V. Morine; S.W., T. L. Hall; J.W., R. Ingles; Sec., A. G. Johnson, P.G.S., Box 231, New Plymouth.

Stratford, 75:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Stratford, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., W. W. Lonsdale; S.W., H. Summerfield; J.W., G. R. Stagpoole; Sec., H. E. Lawrence, P.G.S., 5 Fenton St., Stratford.

St. John's, 95:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Eltham, third Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., T. E. Drake; S.W., L. S. Murray; J.W., M. R. Ritter; Sec., S. E. Carson, P.M., Box 55, Eltham.

Moa, 110:—Founded 1896; meets Freemasons' Hall, Inglewood, third Monday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., T. H. Dickson; S.W., H. R. Bracegirdle; J.W., A. H. Lee; Sec., L. G. Kohn, P.M., P.O. Box 7, Inglewood.

Ikaroa, 115:—Founded 1899; meets Masonic Hall, Opunake, fourth Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. Install. Nov. (Saturday prior to G.L.); Dec. second Tues. W.M., R. S. Rookes; S.W., B. Young; J.W., R. E. C. Penwarden; Sec., F. J. Young, P.M., Oronui R.D., Opunake.

Kaponga, 208:—Founded 1918; meets Lodge-room, Kuri St., Kaponga, first Mon., 7.30 p.m. Install. Aug. W.M., J. A. Carbis; S.W., J. Ingram; J.W., E. D. Field; Sec., J. G. Green, P.M., Box 15, Kaponga.

Ohura, 214:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple, Ohura, third Sat. Install. Feb. W.M., R. W. Dench; S.W., G. Swan, P.M.; J.W., A. K. Margan; Sec., N. W. Wilkie, P.M., P.O. Box 5, Ohura.

Whangamomona, 234:—Founded 1922; meets Coronation Hall, Toko, first Sat., 8 p.m. Install. Feb. W.M., P. C. Walton; S.W., H. P. P. Cook; J.W., W. Gower; Sec., D. H. Proffit, P.G.S., Huinga.

Taranaki, 240:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Union St., Hawera, third Thurs., 7.30 p.m. Install. May. W.M., J. S. MacRae; S.W., H. J. Laureni, V.C.; J.W., A. G. MacRae; Sec., R. A. Wilton, P.M., 8 Union St., Hawera.

Te Henui, 281:—Founded 1925; meets The Temple, Darnell St., Fitzroy, New Plymouth, second Tues. Install. Sept. W.M., K. R. I. Gray; S.W., J. B. Johnston; J.W., J. T. Farquhar; Sec., J. H. Johnston, P.M., 35 Fitzroy Road, New Plymouth.

Mania, 286:—Founded 1927; meets in the Temple, Mania, second Mon., 8 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. second Monday in May. W.M., L. H. W. Parsons; S.W., S. W. Bailey; J.W., C. E. Taylor; Sec., H. Betts, Box 31, Mania.

The Research Lodge of Taranaki, 323:—Founded October, 1946. Meets Masonic Temple, Liardet St., New Plymouth, 3rd Tues., March, May, August, Oct. Install. Oct. W.M., C. G. White, P.M.; S.W., D. A. Young, P.M.; J.W., A. L. Herdman, P.M. Sec., A. R. Carley, P.M., P.O. Box 231, New Plymouth.

Tainui, 336:—Founded 1927; meets in the Temple, Darnell St., Fitzroy, New Plymouth, fourth Monday (third Monday in Dec.). Install. October. W.M., A. McKenzie; S.W., S. Mills; J.W., H. J. Batten; Sec., J. H. Johnston, P.M., 35 Fitzroy Rd., New Plymouth.

Serenity, 347:—Founded 1949, meets Masonic Temple, Liardet Street, New Plymouth, first Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. August. W.M., L. M. Moss; S.W., J.W., W. E. Donald; Sec., H. G. Wilson, P.M., 170 Powderham St., New Plymouth.

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DISTRICT OF RUAPAHU: 23 LODGES. (R.W. Bro. Frederick C. Jannings, Prov.G.M.)

Rangitikei, 38:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Bulls, third Tues., at 7.30 p.m., April to Sept., and 8 p.m. Oct. to March. Install. Oct. W.M., G. C. Abraham; S.W., F. J. Thorby; J.W., R. A. B. Harris; Sec., T. Carson, P.M., Box 36, Bulls.

Feilding, 41 (formerly 1940, E.C.):—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Feilding, second Mon., Install. July. W.M., D. L. Hendra; S.W., R. F. Berg; J.W., H. V. Hubbard, P.M.; Sec., M. Hausmann, P.M., P.O. Box 123, Feilding.

Manawatu Kil., 47:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston North, 2nd Thurs., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., J. W. Moxon; S.W., E. A. Robinson; J.W., R. A. Hopwood; Sec., W. E. Anderson, P.M., 74 Limbrick St., Palmerston North.

Otagaki, 70:—Founded 1891; meets Masonic Hall, Ashhurst, fourth Wed. (except Dec. third Wed.), 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., W. J. Jenkins; S.W., J. T. Moar; J.W., W. G. Ranson; Sec., C. S. Pees, P.A.G.D.C., 353 College St., Palmerston North.

Rangitira, 71:—Founded 1891; meets Masonic Hall, Huntville, third Wednesday, (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. March. W.M., W. A. H. Williams; S.W., J. H. Powell; J.W., W. G. Holder; Sec., L. Shepherd, Box 28, Huntville.

St. Andrew Kil., 79:—Founded 1868; meets Freemasons' Hall, Wanganui, second Thursday, 7.30 p.m.; first Thursday, Dec.; no meeting Jan. and Feb. Install. second Thurs. July. W.M., H. G. Doig; S.W., I. B. Fleming; J.W., F. C. Wight; Sec., W. H. Rowe, P.M., P.O. Box 100, Wanganui.

Kimbolton, 123:—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Hall, Kimbolton, first Thurs., 8. Install. Feb. W.M., G. W. Beard; S.W., J. H. Williamson, P.M.; J.W., F. H. Goodall; Sec., D. W. H. McKay, P.M., Box 15, Kimbolton.

Ruapehu, 128:—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Hall, Marton, second Thurs., 7.30. No meeting in Jan. Install. Feb. W.M., R. M. Palmer; S.W., E. J. Street; J.W., N. L. Shelton; Sec., C. E. Fogelberg, P.G.D.C., Kensington Rd., Marton Junction.

Te Awahou, 133:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Liddell St., Foxton, 2nd Tues., 7.30. Install. Sat. following 2nd Tues. in May. W.M., J. T. Smith; S.W., H. A. Hannay; J.W., B. S. Pedersen; Sec., S. I. Walden, P.M., Foxton.

Otaihape, 142:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Taihape, second Tues., 8 p.m. Install. first Tues. Nov. W.M., H. D. Gray; S.W., G. W. Ryan; J.W., S. H. Barnes; Sec., A. J. Kelly, P.O. Box 129, Taihape.

Rongotea, 146:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Rongotea, second Wed., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., R. W. Sinclair; S.W., N. T. Fisher; J.W., T. H. Doherty; Sec., R. E. Clevely, Bunnythorpe.

Huia, 171:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston North, first Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., C. A. Driver; S.W., L. Gold; J.W., E. Whitehead; Sec., C. H. McMillan, Box 214, Palmerston North.

Waimarino, 175:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Ward St., Raetihi, second Mon., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., H. D. Sandford; S.W., T. F. Ward; J.W., L. J. Hancox; Sec., W. H. Sandford, P.G.Lec., Duncan St., Raetihi.

Manga-te-Weka, 178:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Mangaweka, second Mon., 8. Install. 1st Mon. in Oct. W.M., J. F. Waugh; S.W., C. M. McDonald; J.W., I. A. McIntyre; Sec., T. W. Fairman, P.A.G.D.C., P.O. Box 2, Mangaweka.

Moutoa, 195:—Founded 1913; meets Masonic Hall, Gonville, fourth Thurs. Feb. to Nov. inclusive, third Thurs. Dec. Install. fourth Thurs. April. W.M., C. J. Bradley; S.W., E. R. Anderson; J.W., A. R. Byres; Sec., S. Hanton, P.O. Box 305, Wanganui.

Ngauruhoe, 205:—Founded 1916; meets Masonic Hall, Miro St., Ohakune, third Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., E. M. Hurley; S.W., I. F. E. Carter; J.W., S. C. Gregory; Sec., Nelson Ranger, P.G.S., P.O. Box 29, Ohakune.

Oroua, 215:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Apiti, second Tues., 7.30. Install. April. W.M., C. M. Stanley; S.W., E. H. Clifton; J.W., C. W. McKay; Sec., W. Hogan, P.G.S., Box 44, Apiti.

Whanganui, 219:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Bell St., Wanganui, fourth Mon. (Dec. and Jan. excepted). Install. May. W.M., H. E. Blight; S.W., B. E. A. Williams; J.W., J. A. Spurdle; Sec., G. A. Campbell, P.M., 3 Oakland Avenue, Wanganui.

Awatea, 258:—Founded Jan., 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston North, last Saturday, except Dec., second Sat. Install. last Sat. in March. W.M., F. C. Jones; S.W., H. Brooks; J.W., E. Boniface; Sec., Percy W. Morris, P.G.D.C., P.O. Box 145, Palmerston North.

Manchester, 287:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Hall, Feilding, fourth Tues., except Dec. third Tues. (No meeting Jan.). Install. May. W.M., N. M. Ingram; S.W., J. G. Darragh; J.W., R. G. Linklater; Sec., A. C. Buist, P.A.G.D.C., P.O. Box 34, Feilding.

Ohakea Services, 309:—Founded 31st May, 1941; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston North, third Mon., 7.30 p.m. Install. June. W.M., G. N. Nash; S.W., L. W. Richardson; J.W., J. A. McBride; Sec., G. R. B. Boswell, P.G.Std.B., 340 Featherston St., Palm. North.

Waverley Kil., 311:—Founded Oct., 1944; meets Masonic Temple, Waverley, first Mon. (except Jan.). Install. Oct. W.M., J. J. Johnston; S.W., R. Fraser; J.W., D. R. Milne; Sec., E. C. Dallison, Box 42, Waverley.

Pakama, 319:—Founded July, 1946; meets Masonic Hall, Church St., Palmerston North, fourth Thurs., 7.30 p.m. Install. July. W.M., G. T. Griggs; S.W., J. T. Plizze; J.W., R. W. Browning; Sec., G. N. Hawken, 44 Manapouri Crescent, Palmerston North.

DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON: 52 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. C. N. Cathie, Prov.G.M.)

(V.W. Bro. Robert Page, Asst. Prov.G.M.)

N.Z. Pacific, 2:—Founded 1842; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Mon., 7.30 (no meeting Dec.). Install. March. W.M., H. H. Richards; S.W., T. M. Pacey; J.W., A. Anderson; Sec., W. A. Ramsay, P.G.Std.B., 44 Duncan Terrace, Kilbirnie, Wellington, E.3.

Waterloo, 13:—Founded 1866; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, second Mon., 7.30 (Jan. and Feb. excepted). Install. Sept. W.M., T. C. Warner; S.W., F. A. Woodcock; J.W., M. T. Holm; Sec., W. A. Parton, P.G.P., 53 Bidwell St., Wellington, S.1.

Masterton, 19:—Founded 1873; meets Masonic Temple, Chapel St., Masterton, second Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. 2nd Wed. in May. W.M., S. V. Sharman; S.W., Ven. Archdeacon H. S. I. Kenney, P.G.C.; J.W., R. Whyborn; Sec., F. Shearer, Asst.G.D.C., P.O. Box 65, Masterton.

St. Andrew, 32:—Founded 1879; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Mon., 7.30 (January excepted). Install. Nov. (St. Andrew's Day). W.M., C. G. A. Smith; S.W., W. A. Reid; J.W., D. D. Griffin; Sec., J. R. Houston, P.M., Box 661, Wellington.

St. John, 37:—Founded 1873; meets Masonic Hall, Wakefield St., Featherston, second Mon., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. Oct. W.M., J. D. Wilson; S.W., C. Bargh; J.W., W. J. Pope; Sec., H. R. Pascoe, P.G.S., Fox St., Featherston.

Leinster, 44:—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, first Mon., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., L. S. Durey; S.W., R. A. J. Ashby; J.W., T. C. A. Lafrentz; Sec., A. McN. Clark, P.M., 30 West Road, Northland, Wellington, W.2.

St. Mark's, 53:—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Hall, Carterton, second Tues., except Jan., 7.30. Install. 2nd Tues. April. W.M., R. J. Wilson; S.W., N. C. McKay; J.W., C. R. Porter; Sec., W. Gregor, P.G.S., 11 Wakelin St., Carterton.

Ulster, 62:—Founded 1887; meets Masonic Hall, Petone, third Wed., 7.30. Install. third Sat. in June. W.M., T. R. M. Wallace; S.W., W. J. Dixon; J.W., R. Cox; Sec., C. R. Nottingham, P.G.S., 4 Hinaiu St., Lower Hutt.

Taranua, 67:—Founded 1890; meets Masonic Hall, Pahiatua, Thurs. nearest full moon, 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., F. G. Woods; S.W., J. L. Terry; J.W., R. J. Carruthers; Sec., R. H. Taylor, P.M., 5 Julia St., Pahiatua.

Otaki, 72:—Founded 1891; meets Masonic Hall, Otaki, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., T. L. Mansell; S.W., A. N. Jenkins; J.W., L. Knight; Sec., R. Payne, Tasman Beach, Otaki.

Greytown, 74:—Founded 1877; meets Masonic Hall, Greytown, fourth Tues., 8. Install. 24th June (St. John's Day). W.M., J. R. Reid; S.W., F. S. Snell; J.W., R. W. Bew, P.G.S.; Sec., W. W. Tully, P.Ast.G.D.C., P.O. Box 14, Greytown.

Eketahuna, 92:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Bengston St., Eketahuna, third Tuesday, 7.30. Install. May. W.M., J. Davis; S.W., W. J. O'Neill; J.W., W. Astwood; Sec., R. Dickson, P.G.S., Eketahuna.

Hinemoa, 122:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, second Thurs. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., T. F. White; S.W., G. H. Anderson; J.W., J. E. Craig; Sec., C. J. Trott, P.M., 4B, Boulcott Terrace, Wellington.

Coronation, 127:—Founded 1902; meets Masonic Hall, Brook St., Johnsonville, first Sat. each month (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. Nov. W.M., H. A. Kessler; S.W., R. D. Angell; J.W., A. R. Mildenhall; Sec., C. H. B. Bishop, 3 Mysore St., Ngaho, Wellington, N.5.

Brooklyn, 132:—Founded Oct., 1903; meets Masonic Hall, Brooklyn, first Wed., except Jan., 7.15. Install. Oct. W.M., J. H. Simons; S.W., —; J.W., T. C. B. Wrighton; Sec., Harold A. Smith, P.G.Tyr., 38 The Terrace, Wellington, C.1.

Horowhenua, 135:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Temple, Stanley St., Levin, first Wednesday, 7.30, except Jan. Install. first Saturday Sept. W.M., H. J. Henderson; S.W., P. W. Anderson; J.W., H. J. C. Dumbell; Sec., W. G. Benning, P.M., The Avenue, Levin.

Waihenga, 150:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Martinborough, first Wed., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. 1st Thurs. Oct. W.M., W. J. Busch; S.W., D. Hackston; J.W., G. S. Johnston; Sec., W. J. Kitching, P.M., Venice St., Martinborough.

Tutanekai, 156:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Adelaide Rd., Berhampore, first Thurs. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. 1st Sat. May. W.M., A. G. New; S.W., J. H. Milne; J.W., D. J. Cooke; Sec., K. D. Elliott, 66 Maupia Rd., Miramar, Wellington, E.4.

Waiwhetu, 176:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, second Wed. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., A. M. Williams; S.W., T. G. N. Carter; J.W., J. D. T. McFadzean; Sec., T. H. Sherwood, P.G.Std.B., 42 Hautana St., Lower Hutt.

Otari, 190:—Founded 1912; meets Freemasons' Hall, Ngatoto St., Khandallah, second Tues., 7.30. No meeting January. Install. July. W.M., E. J. Bills; S.W., R. E. Hester; J.W., D. J. Currie; Sec., W. A. Tanner, P.G.B.B., 56 Jubilee Road, Khandallah, Wellington, N.5.

Research Lodge of Wellington, 194:—Founded 1912; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, second Thurs., Feb., April, May, July, Sept. Install. Oct. W.M., F. G. North, S.G.D.; S.W., Rev. H. R. Fell, P.G.C., P.G.Lec.; J.W., G. Maclean, P.M.; Sec., W. D. Dobson, P.G.P., 12 Maurice Tce., Wellington, C.2.

Whetu Kairangi, 201:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, second Sat., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Oct. W.M., H. R. Wallace; S.W., H. B. Hornbrook; J.W., H. J. Miller; Sec., H. A. Snelling, G.S., 13 Ludlam St., Seatoun, E.5.

Mokoia, 213:—Founded 1919; meets Mokoia Hall, Fifehire Avenue, off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, fourth Tues., 7.15 p.m. (January excepted). Install. first Sat. in Dec. W.M., E. J. Wilson; S.W., G. M. F. Jackson, P.M.; J.W., G. J. Harding; Sec., J. D. Eves, P.M., 54 Lavaud Street, Wellington, S.1.

Eastbourne, 217:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Muritai Rd., Eastbourne, fourth Wed., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. fourth Sat. August. W.M., Rev P. A. Stanley; S.W., J. W. Miller; J.W., D. J. McIlraith; Sec., R. L. H. Jones, P.M., 36 Tuatoru St., Eastbourne.

Renown, 218:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. third Sat. Nov. W.M., W. F. A. Rathbone; S.W., S. A. Day; J.W., R. H. Pritchard; Sec., R. Laurie, P.G.Supt. Wks., 99 Sefton St., Highland Park, N.2.

Raukawa, 224:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, first Wed. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. July. W.M., O. G. Thomas; S.W., T. A. Barrow; J.W., R. G. Conner; Sec., A. P. O'Shea, P.M., P.O. Box 715, Wellington.

Empire, 225:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Wellington Terrace, Wellington, second Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Aug. W.M., R. D. Greenwood; S.W., W. D. P. Norris; J.W., R. T. Shanks; Sec., A. H. King, P.M., 13 Calabar Rd., Rongotai, Wellington, E.4.

Taia, 229:—Founded 1921; meets Taia Masonic Temple, Bay Road, Kilbirnie, first Tues. (except Jan.), 7.30. Install. April. W.M., H. E. Stoupe; S.W., A. D. Edginton; J.W., A. A. Savory; Sec., H. J. Sweeney, P.M., 8 Manley Tce., Wellington, S.1.

Mangahao, 231:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Shannon, third Mon., 7.30. No meeting Jan. Install. May. W.M., K. Mitchell; S.W., C. A. Elvines; J.W., W. A. Bond; Sec., J. H. P. Liggins, P.M., P.O. Box 6, Tokomaru.

Wairarapa, 238:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Chapel St., Masterton, 4th Wed., 7.30 (3rd Wed. in Dec.). No meeting in January. Install. 4th Wed. in March. W.M., B. F. C. Savage; S.W., A. A. Fantham; J.W., R. E. Chamberlain; Sec., H. J. Jameson, P.M., 6 Rimu Street, Lansdowne, Masterton.

Island Bay, 243:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Clyde St., Island Bay, first Tues., 7.30. Install. July. No meeting Jan. W.M., R. H. Thorburn; S.W., J. C. Cull; J.W., A. O. Melville; Sec., P. N. Williams, 14 Mersey St., Island Bay, S.2.

Karori, 247:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Standen St., Karori, last Thurs. (except Dec.). Install. May. W.M., G. I. B. Thomas; S.W., R. M. Smith; J.W., Ed. Harris; Sec., J. Robson, P.O. Box 1168, Wellington, C.1.

Waitangi, 251:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, first Mon., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. May. W.M., T. W. Winstanley; S.W., J. S. Belcher; J.W., H. V. Batten; Acting Sec., J. J. Delahunt, P.O. Box 304, Te Aro, Wellington, C.2.

Tawera o Kapiti, 253:—Founded 1923; meets Paraparaumu, third Tues., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., W. S. Eastwell; S.W., Thornhill Cooper; J.W., J. R. Crawford; Sec., W. H. Potts, P.G.D., Box 16, Paraparaumu.

Russell, 254:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, first Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Sept. W.M., N. N. Hill; S.W., G. A. Burtenshaw; J.W., S. G. Colley; Sec., H. Hitchins, P.M., 22 Derwent St., Island Bay, S.2.

Jellicoe, 259:—Founded 1924; meets Freemasons' Hall, Fitzherbert St., Petone, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., S. V. Bargh; S.W., F. G. Davison; J.W., C. W. Warren; Sec., W. B. Reesby, P.M., 47a Victoria St., Petone.

Trentham, 262:—Founded 5th April, 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Islington Rd., Trentham, third Thurs., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. third Sat. in April. W.M., G. E. Tatham; S.W., R. A. Goodman; J.W., N. J. Grigg; Sec., A. E. Browne, P.M., cnr. Main Rd. and Islington St., Trentham.

William Ferguson Massey, 282:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, second Wed., except Jan., 7.30 p.m. Install. August. W.M., L. Moffitt; S.W., H. H. Morris; J.W., I. L. Thomsen; Sec., J. L. Dyson, G.P.O. Box 238, Wellington, C.1.

Hataitai, 285:—Founded 1926; meets Taia Masonic Temple, opp. P.O., Kilbirnie, third Wed., except Dec. and Jan., 7.15. Install. June. W.M., S. A. Matheson; S.W., A. H. Buchanan; J.W., G. C. Broad; Sec., A. Webster, 23 Hinaiu Rd., Hataitai, Wellington, E.2.

Charles Fergusson, 290:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, first Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. Sept. W.M., F. L. Talley; S.W., K. Bolton; J.W., C. Geere-Watson; Sec., C. D. Bell, P.M., 12 Medway St., Island Bay, Wn., S.2.

Aroha, 293:—Founded 1928; meets Mokoia Masonic Temple, Fifehire Ave., off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, first Mon. (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., G. L. Wolland; S.W., G. McCallum; J.W., W. J. Thomas; Acting Sec., E. Ketko, P.M., Box 1585, Wellington, C.1.

Lower Hutt, 299:—Founded 1929; meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, third Friday, 7.30 (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. June. W.M., E. F. Rothwell; S.W., E. H. Alington; J.W., E. McCarroll; Sec., F. Lumb, 83 High Street, Lower Hutt.

Herbert Teagle, 300:—Founded 1929; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Thurs., except Jan., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., J. W. Heinemann; S.W., W. F. C. Balham; J.W., M. W. E. Shore; Sec., J. P. Lomas, 14 Napier St., Seatoun Heights, Wellington, E.5.

Westminster, 308:—Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Friday, 5.30 p.m., except Dec., Jan., and either March or April, according to Easter. Install. Sept. W.M., W. A. Simpson; S.W., J. S. Barton; J.W., D. A. Robertson; Sec., Joseph Norrie, P.G.S., 66 Kainui Rd., Hataitai, Wellington, E.2.

Zetland, 312:—Founded 1945; meets Mokoia Hall, Fifehire Avenue, off Cambridge Terrace, Wellington, fourth Wed., except Jan. (third Tues. Dec.), 7.15 p.m. Install. third Tues. in March. W.M., F. J. Manson; S.W., J. T. Weir; J.W., J. J. Laursen; Sec., H. Scott, P.M., 70 Hankey St., Wellington, C.2.

Te Puni, 315:—Founded Sept., 1945; meets Masonic Hall, Hula St., Lower Hutt, first Wed., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. Sept. W.M., T. H. Norris; S.W., E. H. F. Windley; J.W., T. L. Gordon; Sec., Wm. A. McNab, P.M., Howard Rd., Lowry Bay, Eastbourne.

Miramar, 317:—Founded 1946; meets Whetu-Kairanga Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, third Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. fourth Tues. March. W.M., B. Ginger; S.W., D. Molesworth; J.W., O. Goddard; Sec., S. Holm, P.M., Worsley Bay Heights Wellington, E.S.

Yamahine, 332:—Founded March, 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, third Mon., 7.30 (Dec. second Wed.), no meeting Jan. Install. March. W.M., C. L. Partridge; S.W., G. Glover; J.W., O. A. Gunderson; Sec., E. A. Eyres, P.M., 8 Liffey Cres., Island Bay, Wellington, S.2.

Ngaiaawa, 345:—Founded 1949; meets Mo-koia Masonic Temple, Firestone Ave., off Cambridge Tce., Wellington, first Wed., (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. June. W.M., R. Binns; S.W., R. H. L. Wood; J.W., R. W. Miles; Sec., E. Ketko, P.M., Box 1585, Wellington.

Sincerity, 351:—Founded 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Hula St., Lower Hutt, second Monday (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. September. W.M., J. D. Fletcher, P.G.D.; S.W., N. O. Russell; J.W., J. O'Brien; Sec., A. W. Egan, P.M., 22 Hewer Crescent, Naenae, Lower Hutt.

Mana, 352:—Founded 1949; meets Paremata Hall, Paremata, first Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. (except January). Install. first Tues. Dec. W.M., Rev. P. Wiltshire; S.W., A. Reith; J.W., E. J. Purvis; Sec., F. H. Mayman, P.M., Schoolhouse, Porirua.

Friendship, 353:—Founded October, 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Trentham, fourth Wed. (except December). Install. October. W.M., C. R. Nottingham, P.G.S.; S.W., R. B. B. Cooper; J.W., L. S. Davis; Sec., H. D. Double, Gower Street, Trentham.

SOUTH ISLAND

NELSON AND MARLBOROUGH: 13 LODGES.
(R.W. Bro. Robert A. Craighead, Prov.G.M.)
(V.W. Bro. F. C. Brown, Asst.Prov.G.M.)

Victory, 40 (formerly No. 1927, E.C.):—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood Street, Nelson, second Thurs. (except May, fourth Thurs.), 7.30. Install. May. W.M., E. J. Champtaloup; S.W., J. W. Biddle; J.W., W. H. Heslop; Sec., H. W. Simpson, P.M., 122 Kawai St., Nelson.

Wairau, 42:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. June. W.M., R. C. S. Bush; S.W., H. W. J. Waters; J.W., K. Waters; Sec., Harold Neal, Middle Renwick Rd., Springlands, Blenheim.

Havelock 104:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock, third Saturday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., T. J. Horton; S.W., J. A. Harwood; J.W., J. Dalziel; Sec., R. N. C. Wratt, P.M., Box 10, Havelock.

Marlborough Unanimity, 106:—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., H. V. C. Cox; S.W., R. H. McKay; J.W., G. R. Cole; Sec., Geo. Mitchell, P.M., Box 46, Blenheim.

Waitohi, 111:—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Temple, Devon St., Picton, fourth Thurs., 7.30 p.m. Install. April. W.M., R. W. Wyber; S.W., D. A. Irving; J.W., J. Sutherland; Sec., E. T. Burroughs, P.G.D., York Street, Picton.

Forest, 116:—Founded 1874; meets Masonic Hall, Wakefield, second Wed. Install. Nov. W.M., M. F. Lusty; S.W., H. S. Sigley; J.W., D. B. Walker; Sec., S. E. O'Hara, P.G.D., Waimea West, R.M.D., Brightwater.

Motueka, 117:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Motueka, fourth Wed. (except Dec.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., S. W. Low; S.W., W. V. Robinson; J.W., H. D. Paynter; Sec., S. Stables, P.O., Box 12, Motueka.

St. Cuthbert's, 144:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Collingwood, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., J. E. Vaughan; S.W., D. Holgeron; J.W., C. R. G. Masters; Sec., J. P. Cottier, P.Ast.G.D.C., Commercial St., Takaka.

Waimea, 266:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, 1st Wed., 7.30 (except Jan. and Nov.). Install. 1st Sat. in Nov. W.M., F. Reeves; S.W., A. F. Wiechern; J.W., G. M. Toms; Sec., R. C. Sanders, P.O. Box 167, Nelson.

Murchison, 257:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Murchison, second Tues., 7.45 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. first Sat. Feb. W.M., D. Bradley; S.W., P. Bradley; J.W., D. R. Conway; Sec., T. B. Merson, P.M., Waller St., Murchison.

Nelson, 288:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, third Wed., 7.30 p.m., except Dec. 2nd Wed. No meeting Jan. Install. Sept. W.M., A. Jones; S.W., E. R. Coote; J.W., G. D. Cameron; Sec., J. H. Brunt, P.M., P.O. Box 8, Port Nelson.

Awatere, 292:—Founded 5th Dec., 1927; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon, third Thurs. Install. May. W.M., M. E. Hammond; S.W., B. T. Housley; J.W., D. Sowman; Sec., G. A. Gunn, P.M., P.O. Box 36, Seddon.

Eckford, 334:—Founded 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, first Tues. (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., K. L. Hammond; S.W., C. F. Hester; J.W., R. H. Jenkins; Sec., A. R. Tait, 26 Eltham Road, Blenheim.

DISTRICT OF WEST COAST: 13 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. S. Braithwaite, Prov.G.M.)

Robert Burns, 50:—Founded 1883; meets Burns Masonic Hall, Kelly St., Reefton, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. and January meeting, nearest Sat. to Jan. 25th W.M., J. C. Sullivan; S.W., W. G. Bissett, P.M.; J.W., C. E. Jensen; Sec., C. C. Mosley, Buller Road, Reefton.

Advance, 61:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Hall, Taylorville, Brunerton, first Wed., 7.30. Install. second Sat. Feb. W.M., L. J. Wicks; S.W., D. R. Steers; J.W., R. W. Murdoch; Sec., A. J. Lewis, P.M., Dobson, Brunerton, Westland.

Kumara, 65:—Founded 1889; meets Freemasons' Hall, Seddon St., Kumara, third Tues., 8. Install. Feb. W.M., P. Stewart; S.W., Geo. Ryan; J.W., W. Evenden; Sec., E. J. Rose, P.M., Kumara.

Westland Kil, 88:—Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, South Revell St., Hokitika, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., E. W. Taylor; S.W., R. W. Conning; J.W., A. J. A. D. Smith; Sec., G. Anderson, Box 42, Hokitika.

Aorangi, 89:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Denniston, first Wed., 7.30 p.m. Install. 2nd Sat. in Dec. W.M., J. Crawford; S.W., T. Glendenning; J.W., J. D. Meek; Sec., W. C. E. McDonald, P.M., Denniston, via Westport.

Mokihinui, 96:—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Hall, Seddonville, first Sat. Install. Dec. W.M., D. McFarlane; S.W., W. J. Mumm, Jr.; J.W., H. Fox; Sec., H. Prosser, St. Helena, via Westport.

Torea, 121:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Granity, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. S. Blyth; S.W., G. Kerr; J.W., R. M. Green; Sec., A. G. Dowgray, P.M., Granity.

Mawhera, 136:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Tainui St., Greymouth, 2nd Thurs., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., N. F. Bruhn; S.W., D. Hardie; J.W., T. S. L. Dumbleton; Sec., O. W. Eastwood, P.G.C., P.O. Box 13, Greymouth.

Kawatiri-Westport, 152:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Russell St., Westport, second Mon. Install. May. W.M., S. S. Lowther; S.W., G. H. Burrow; J.W., J. M. A. Bryce; Sec., C. Ballantyne, P.M., 133 Queen Street, Westport.

Runanga, 159:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon St., Runanga, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., R. A. Sharp; S.W., J. P. Richmond; J.W., J. Almond; Sec., A. G. Campbell, P.M., 20 Nelson St., Greymouth.

Waro, 173:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Hart St., Blackball, second Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., Geo. E. Logie; S.W., M. A. Aynsley; J.W., G. Jones; Sec., T. Maguigan, P.M., Hilton St., Blackball, West Coast.

Connaught, 187:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Karamea, 3rd Wed., 8 p.m. Install. 2nd Sat. March. W.M., G. J. Gillbank; S.W., P. S. Geaves; J.W., P. W. Anderson; Sec., B. J. H. Simpson, P.M., Box 11, Karamea.

Ross, 339:—Founded July, 1948; meets Lodge Room, Gay St., Ross, third Saturday. Install. July. W.M., E. N. Fahl; S.W., L. H. Jackson; J.W., J. V. Conning; Sec., H. A. Smyth, Ross.

PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY (49 LODGES).

(R.W. Bro. Frederick N. Kerr, Prov.G.M.)
(V.W. Bro. John W. Hutton, Asst.Prov.G.M.)

Unanimity, 3:—Founded 1851; meets Masonic Hall, Sumner Rd., Lyttelton, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. Willan; S.W., J. B. Collett; J.W., R. T. Brown; Sec., H. P. McIver, 7 Roosevelt Ave., St. Albans, Christchurch, N.I.

St. Augustine, 4:—Founded 1852; meets Masonic Hall, Christchurch, second Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., H. W. Dollan; S.W., A. V. Bedwell; J.W., M. W. Murnane; Sec., V. Bedwell, P.M., Box 363, Christchurch, C.I.

Southern Cross, 6:—Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Kaiapoi, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., L. J. Anderson; S.W., E. W. C. Hillier; J.W., G. R. Robinson; Sec., C. Kitson, 33 Hilton St., Kaiapoi.

Caledonian, 16:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Temple, Bank Street, Timaru, first Mon., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. June. W.M., A. A. Q. Solomon; S.W., J. S. G. Forrest; J.W., E. J. Preen; Sec., R. P. Carter, P.M., 16 Wai-iti Rd., Timaru.

Progress, 22:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Southbridge, second Monday, 7.30. Install. Nov. No meeting Feb. W.M., H. D. Marshall; S.W., C. Tod; J.W., R. G. Allan; Sec., F. E. Smith, P.M., Police Station, Southbridge.

Canterbury Kit, 23:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Canterbury St., Lyttelton, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., J. G. Henderson; S.W., J. W. Ruddy; J.W., R. F. Stenson; Sec., D. Loader, P.M., 121 Hawford Road, Opawa, Christchurch, S.E.I.

Geraldine, 27:—Founded 1890; meets Masonic Hall, Southbridge, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., G. R. Tagg; S.W., R. W. Geddes; J.W., A. H. W. Smith; Sec., Jas. Kernohan, Raukapuka, Geraldine.

Ashley, 28:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Temple, Rangiora, second Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., L. C. Fincham; S.W., L. D. J. Smith; J.W., D. G. Sutherland; Sec., E. N. Blackett, "Norwood," 50 Good St., Rangiora.

St. George, 29:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Wilkin St., Temuka, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., D. C. Clark; S.W., W. Galbraith; J.W., A. G. J. Smith; Sec., A. J. Blackmore, P.M., 141 King St., Temuka.

South Rakaia, 31, Rakaia.

Lincoln, 33:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Lincoln, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. No meeting January. W.M., I. McL. Watson; S.W., W. S. Hartnell; J.W., L. G. Copp, Sec., W. L. Morgan, P.G.D., Tai Tapu.

Concord, 39:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Hall, Papanui, fourth Wed. (Dec. third Wed.). Install. May. W.M., K. A. White; S.W., E. Law; J.W., J. G. M. Hamilton; Sec., E. Wilson, P.M., 218 Springfield Road, St. Albans, Christchurch.

Phoenix, 43:—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Hall, Jollie St., Akaroa, second Fri., 7.30 in winter, 8 p.m. in summer. Install. Sept. W.M., H. Rankin; S.W., S. J. McP. Stewart; J.W., A. McKay; Sec., P. G. Riches, P.M., P.O. Box 10, Akaroa.

Methven, 51:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Methven, second Wed., 7.45. Install. May. W.M., L. R. Mangin; S.W., A. S. Milne; J.W., W. J. Currie; Sec., F. G. Mangin, P.G.D., P.O. Box 52, Methven.

Kaikoura, 60:—Founded 1887; meets at Masonic Hall, Kaikoura, second Thurs. Install. Feb. W.M., W. A. Stephens; S.W., R. P. McLoughlin; J.W., I. D. Lilley; Sec., C. A. Jensen, P.M., Kaikoura.

Christchurch, 91:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. fourth Tues. in April. W.M., G. F. Masey; S.W., D. M. Lane; J.W., F. R. C. Rogers; Sec., H. Gamble, P.G.D., 352 Manchester St., Christchurch.

Mackenzie, 93:—Meets Masonic Hall, Fairlie, second Thursday, 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., K. G. Gray; S.W., H. G. Shanks; J.W., T. K. Clarke; Sec., Rev. T. G. Calder, The Manse, Fairlie.

St. Augustine, 99:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Leonard St., Waimate, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., G. B. Richardson; S.W., J. Forsyth; J.W., J. Barrie; Sec., J. M. King, P.M., 94 Shearman St., Waimate.

Thistle, 113:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock St. W., Ashburton, third Wed., 7.30. Install. third Wed. in Nov. W.M., A. W. Holland; S.W., Ben. Eastwood; J.W., I. Walker; Sec., J. K. Mather, P.M., 28 Nelson Street, Ashburton.

Cheviot, 124:—Founded 1902; meets Cheviot 3rd Thurs. Install. 1st Sat. April. W.M., W. R. Bainbridge; S.W., A. W. Leaman; J.W., P. Jackson; Sec., F. D. Childs, P.M., Gore Bay, R.D., Cheviot.

Masters and Pastmasters, 130:—Founded 1902; meets third Wednesday, January, March, May, July, Sept., and Nov., 7.15 p.m., Masonic Hall, Gloucester Street, Christchurch. Install. Jan. W.M., M. J. Barnett; S.W., W. J. Bowman, P.Prov.G.I.G.; J.W., T. G. B. Candy, P.Prov.G.S.; Sec., Dr. Ross Hepburn, P.G.Lec., 7 Rimu St., Riccarton, Christchurch, W.I.

Te Puni, 315:—Founded Sept., 1945; meets Masonic Hall, Hula St., Lower Hutt, first Wed., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. Sept. W.M., T. H. Norris; S.W., E. H. F. Windley; J.W., T. L. Gordon; Sec., Wm. A. McNab, P.M., Howard Rd., Lowry Bay, Eastbourne.

Miramar, 317:—Founded 1946; meets Whetu-Kairanga Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, third Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. fourth Tues. March. W.M., B. Ginger; S.W., D. Molesworth; J.W., O. Goddard; Sec., S. Holm, P.M., Worsley Bay Heights Wellington, E.S.

Yamahine, 332:—Founded March, 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, third Mon., 7.30 (Dec. second Wed.), no meeting Jan. Install. March. W.M., C. L. Partridge; S.W., G. Glover; J.W., O. A. Gunderson; Sec., E. A. Eyres, P.M., 8 Liffey Cres., Island Bay, Wellington, S.2.

Ngaiaawa, 345:—Founded 1949; meets Mo-koia Masonic Temple, Firestone Ave., off Cambridge Tce., Wellington, first Wed., (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. June. W.M., R. Binns; S.W., R. H. L. Wood; J.W., R. W. Miles; Sec., E. Ketko, P.M., Box 1585, Wellington.

Sincerity, 351:—Founded 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Hula St., Lower Hutt, second Monday (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. September. W.M., J. D. Fletcher, P.G.D.; S.W., N. O. Russell; J.W., J. O'Brien; Sec., A. W. Egan, P.M., 22 Hewer Crescent, Naenae, Lower Hutt.

Mana, 352:—Founded 1949; meets Paremata Hall, Paremata, first Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. (except January). Install. first Tues. Dec. W.M., Rev. P. Wiltshire; S.W., A. Reith; J.W., E. J. Purvis; Sec., F. H. Mayman, P.M., Schoolhouse, Porirua.

Friendship, 353:—Founded October, 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Trentham, fourth Wed. (except December). Install. October. W.M., C. R. Nottingham, P.G.S.; S.W., R. B. B. Cooper; J.W., L. S. Davis; Sec., H. D. Double, Gower Street, Trentham.

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Victory, 40 (formerly No. 1927, E.C.):—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood Street, Nelson, second Thurs. (except May, fourth Thurs.), 7.30. Install. May. W.M., E. J. Champtaloup; S.W., J. W. Biddle; J.W., W. H. Heslop; Sec., H. W. Simpson, P.M., 122 Kawai St., Nelson.

Wairau, 42:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. June. W.M., R. C. S. Bush; S.W., H. W. J. Waters; J.W., K. Waters; Sec., Harold Neal, Middle Renwick Rd., Springlands, Blenheim.

Havelock 104:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock, third Saturday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., T. J. Horton; S.W., J. A. Harwood; J.W., J. Dalziel; Sec., R. N. C. Wratt, P.M., Box 10, Havelock.

Marlborough Unanimity, 106:—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., H. V. C. Cox; S.W., R. H. McKay; J.W., G. R. Cole; Sec., Geo. Mitchell, P.M., Box 46, Blenheim.

Waitohi, 111:—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Temple, Devon St., Picton, fourth Thurs., 7.30 p.m. Install. April. W.M., R. W. Wyber; S.W., D. A. Irving; J.W., J. Sutherland; Sec., E. T. Burrough, P.G.D., York Street, Picton.

Forest, 116:—Founded 1874; meets Masonic Hall, Wakefield, second Wed. Install. Nov. W.M., M. F. Lusty; S.W., H. S. Sigley; J.W., D. B. Walker; Sec., S. E. O'Hara, P.G.D., Waimea West, R.M.D., Brightwater.

Motueka, 117:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Motueka, fourth Wed. (except Dec.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., S. W. Low; S.W., W. V. Robinson; J.W., H. D. Paynter; Sec., S. Stables, P.O., Box 12, Motueka.

St. Cuthbert's, 144:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Collingwood, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., J. E. Vaughan; S.W., D. Holgeron; J.W., C. R. G. Masters; Sec., J. P. Cottier, P.A.S.T.G.D.C., Commercial St., Takaka.

Waima, 266:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, 1st Wed., 7.30 (except Jan. and Nov.). Install. 1st Sat. in Nov. W.M., F. Reeves; S.W., A. F. Wiechern; J.W., G. M. Toms; Sec., R. C. Sanders, P.O. Box 167, Nelson.

Murchison, 257:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Murchison, second Tues., 7.45 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. first Sat. Feb. W.M., D. Bradley; S.W., P. Bradley; J.W., D. R. Conway; Sec., T. B. Merson, P.M., Waller St., Murchison.

Nelson, 288:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, third Wed., 7.30 p.m., except Dec. 2nd Wed. No meeting Jan. Install. Sept. W.M., A. Jones; S.W., E. R. Coote; J.W., G. D. Cameron; Sec., J. H. Brunt, P.M., P.O. Box 8, Port Nelson.

Awatere, 292:—Founded 5th Dec., 1927; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon, third Thurs. Install. May. W.M., M. E. Hammond; S.W., B. T. Housley; J.W., D. Sowman; Sec., G. A. Gunn, P.M., P.O. Box 36, Seddon.

Eckford, 334:—Founded 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, first Tues. (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., K. L. Hammond; S.W., C. F. Hester; J.W., R. H. Jenkins; Sec., A. R. Tait, 26 Eltham Road, Blenheim.

DISTRICT OF WEST COAST: 13 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. S. Braithwaite, Prov.G.M.)

Robert Burns, 50:—Founded 1883; meets Burns Masonic Hall, Kelly St., Reefton, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. and January meeting, nearest Sat. to Jan. 25th W.M., J. C. Sullivan; S.W., W. G. Bissett, P.M.; J.W., C. E. Jensen; Sec., C. C. Mosley, Buller Road, Reefton.

Advance, 61:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Hall, Taylorville, Brunerton, first Wed., 7.30. Install. second Sat. Feb. W.M., L. J. Wicks; S.W., D. R. Steers; J.W., R. W. Murdoch; Sec., A. J. Lewis, P.M., Dobson, Brunerton, Westland.

Kumara, 65:—Founded 1889; meets Freemasons' Hall, Seddon St., Kumara, third Tues., 8. Install. Feb. W.M., P. Stewart; S.W., Geo. Ryan; J.W., W. Evenden; Sec., E. J. Rose, P.M., Kumara.

Westland Kil, 88:—Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, South Revell St., Hokitika, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., E. W. Taylor; S.W., R. W. Conning; J.W., A. J. A. D. Smith; Sec., G. Anderson, Box 42, Hokitika.

Aorangi, 89:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Denniston, first Wed., 7.30 p.m. Install. 2nd Sat. in Dec. W.M., J. Crawford; S.W., T. Glendenning; J.W., J. D. Meek; Sec., W. C. E. McDonald, P.M., Denniston, via Westport.

Mokihinui, 96:—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Hall, Seddonville, first Sat. Install. Dec. W.M., D. McFarlane; S.W., W. J. Mumm, Jr.; J.W., H. Fox; Sec., H. Prosser, St. Helena, via Westport.

Torea, 121:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Granity, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. S. Blyth; S.W., G. Kerr; J.W., R. M. Green; Sec., A. G. Dowgray, P.M., Granity.

Mawhera, 136:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Tainui St., Greymouth, 2nd Thurs., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., N. F. Bruhn; S.W., D. Hardie; J.W., T. L. Dumbleton; Sec., O. W. Eastwood, P.G.C., P.O. Box 13, Greymouth.

Kawatiri-Westport, 152:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Russell St., Westport, second Mon. Install. May. W.M., S. S. Lowther; S.W., G. H. Burrow; J.W., J. M. A. Bryce; Sec., C. Ballantyne, P.M., 133 Queen Street, Westport.

Runanga, 159:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon St., Runanga, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., R. A. Sharp; S.W., J. P. Richmond; J.W., J. Almond; Sec., A. G. Campbell, P.M., 20 Nelson St., Greymouth.

Waro, 173:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Hart St., Blackball, second Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., Geo. E. Logie; S.W., M. A. Aynsley; J.W., G. Jones; Sec., T. Maguigan, P.M., Hilton St., Blackball, West Coast.

Connaught, 187:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Karamea, 3rd Wed., 8 p.m. Install. 2nd Sat. March. W.M., G. J. Gillbank; S.W., P. S. Gieves; J.W., P. W. Anderson; Sec., B. J. H. Simpson, P.M., Box 11, Karamea.

Ross, 339:—Founded July, 1948; meets Lodge Room, Gay St., Ross, third Saturday. Install. July. W.M., E. N. Fahl; S.W., L. H. Jackson; J.W., J. V. Conning; Sec., H. A. Smyth, Ross.

PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY (49 LODGES).

(R.W. Bro. Frederick N. Kerr, Prov.G.M.)
(V.W. Bro. John W. Hutton, Asst.Prov.G.M.)

Unanimity, 3:—Founded 1851; meets Masonic Hall, Sumner Rd., Lyttelton, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. Willan; S.W., J. B. Collett; J.W., R. T. Brown; Sec., H. P. McIver, 7 Roosevelt Ave., St. Albans, Christchurch, N.I.

St. Augustine, 4:—Founded 1852; meets Masonic Hall, Christchurch, second Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., H. W. Dollan; S.W., A. V. Bedwell; J.W., M. W. Murnane; Sec., V. Bedwell, P.M., Box 363, Christchurch, C.I.

Southern Cross, 6:—Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Kaiapoi, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., L. J. Anderson; S.W., E. W. C. Hillier; J.W., G. R. Robinson; Sec., C. Kitson, 33 Hilton St., Kaiapoi.

Caledonian, 16:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Temple, Bank Street, Timaru, first Mon., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. June. W.M., A. A. Q. Solomon; S.W., J. S. G. Forrest; J.W., E. J. Preen; Sec., R. P. Carter, P.M., 16 Wai-iti Rd., Timaru.

Progress, 22:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Southbridge, second Monday, 7.30. Install. Nov. No meeting Feb. W.M., H. D. Marshall; S.W., C. Tod; J.W., R. G. Allan; Sec., F. E. Smith, P.M., Police Station, Southbridge.

Canterbury Kit, 23:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Canterbury St., Lyttelton, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., J. G. Henderson; S.W., J. W. Ruddy; J.W., R. F. Stenson; Sec., D. Loader, P.M., 121 Hawford Road, Opawa, Christchurch, S.E.I.

Geraldine, 27:—Founded 1890; meets Masonic Hall, Southbridge, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., G. R. Tagg; S.W., R. W. Geddes; J.W., A. H. W. Smith; Sec., Jas. Kernohan, Raukapuka, Geraldine.

Ashley, 28:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Temple, Rangiora, second Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., L. C. Fincham; S.W., L. D. J. Smith; J.W., D. G. Sutherland; Sec., E. N. Blackett, "Norwood," 50 Good St., Rangiora.

St. George, 29:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Wilkin St., Temuka, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., D. C. Clark; S.W., W. Galbraith; J.W., A. G. J. Smith; Sec., A. J. Blackmore, P.M., 141 King St., Temuka.

South Rakaia, 31, Rakaia.

Lincoln, 33:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Lincoln, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. No meeting January. W.M., I. McL. Watson; S.W., W. S. Hartnell; J.W., L. G. Copp, Sec., W. L. Morgan, P.G.D., Tai Tapu.

Concord, 39:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Hall, Papanui, fourth Wed. (Dec. third Wed.). Install. May. W.M., K. A. White; S.W., E. Law; J.W., J. G. M. Hamilton; Sec., E. Wilson, P.M., 218 Springfield Road, St. Albans, Christchurch.

Phoenix, 43:—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Hall, Jollie St., Akaroa, second Fri., 7.30 in winter, 8 p.m. in summer. Install. Sept. W.M., H. Rankin; S.W., S. J. McP. Stewart; J.W., A. McKay; Sec., P. G. Riches, P.M., P.O. Box 10, Akaroa.

Methven, 51:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Methven, second Wed., 7.45. Install. May. W.M., L. R. Mangin; S.W., A. S. Milne; J.W., W. J. Currie; Sec., F. G. Mangin, P.G.D., P.O. Box 52, Methven.

Kaikoura, 60:—Founded 1887; meets at Masonic Hall, Kaikoura, second Thurs. Install. Feb. W.M., W. A. Stephens; S.W., R. P. McLoughlin; J.W., I. D. Lilley; Sec., C. A. Jensen, P.M., Kaikoura.

Christchurch, 91:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. fourth Tues. in April. W.M., G. F. Masey; S.W., D. M. Lane; J.W., F. R. C. Rogers; Sec., H. Gamble, P.G.D., 352 Manchester St., Christchurch.

Mackenzie, 93:—Meets Masonic Hall, Fairlie, second Thursday, 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., K. G. Gray; S.W., H. G. Shanks; J.W., T. K. Clarke; Sec., Rev. T. G. Calder, The Manse, Fairlie.

St. Augustine, 99:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Leonard St., Waimate, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., G. B. Richardson; S.W., J. Forsyth; J.W., J. Barrie; Sec., J. M. King, P.M., 94 Shearman St., Waimate.

Thistle, 113:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock St. W., Ashburton, third Wed., 7.30. Install. third Wed. in Nov. W.M., A. W. Holland; S.W., Ben. Eastwood; J.W., I. Walker; Sec., J. K. Mather, P.M., 28 Nelson Street, Ashburton.

Cheviot, 124:—Founded 1902; meets Cheviot 3rd Thurs. Install. 1st Sat. April. W.M., W. R. Bainbridge; S.W., A. W. Leaman; J.W., P. Jackson; Sec., F. D. Childs, P.M., Gore Bay, R.D., Cheviot.

Masters and Pastmasters, 130:—Founded 1902; meets third Wednesday, January, March, May, July, Sept., and Nov., 7.15 p.m., Masonic Hall, Gloucester Street, Christchurch. Install. Jan. W.M., M. J. Barnett; S.W., W. J. Bowman, P.Prov.G.I.G.; J.W., T. G. B. Candy, P.Prov.G.S.; Sec., Dr. Ross Hepburn, P.G.Lec., 7 Rimu St., Riccarton, Christchurch, W.I.

Te Puni, 315:—Founded Sept., 1945; meets Masonic Hall, Hula St., Lower Hutt, first Wed., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. Sept. W.M., T. H. Norris; S.W., E. H. F. Windley; J.W., T. L. Gordon; Sec., Wm. A. McNab, P.M., Howard Rd., Lowry Bay, Eastbourne.

Miramar, 317:—Founded 1946; meets Whetu-Kairanga Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, third Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. fourth Tues. March. W.M., B. Ginger; S.W., D. Molesworth; J.W., O. Goddard; Sec., S. Holm, P.M., Worsley Bay Heights Wellington, E.S.

Yamahine, 332:—Founded March, 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, third Mon., 7.30 (Dec. second Wed.), no meeting Jan. Install. March. W.M., C. L. Partridge; S.W., G. Glover; J.W., O. A. Gunderson; Sec., E. A. Eyres, P.M., 8 Liffey Cres., Island Bay, Wellington, S.2.

Ngatiawa, 345:—Founded 1949; meets Mo-koia Masonic Temple, Firestone Ave., off Cambridge Tce., Wellington, first Wed., (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. June. W.M., R. Binns; S.W., R. H. L. Wood; J.W., R. W. Miles; Sec., E. Ketko, P.M., Box 1585, Wellington.

Sincerity, 351:—Founded 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Hula St., Lower Hutt, second Monday (except Jan.), 7.30 p.m. Install. September. W.M., J. D. Fletcher, P.G.D.; S.W., N. O. Russell; J.W., J. O'Brien; Sec., A. W. Egan, P.M., 22 Hewer Crescent, Naenae, Lower Hutt.

Mana, 352:—Founded 1949; meets Paremata Hall, Paremata, first Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. (except January). Install. first Tues. Dec. W.M., Rev. P. Wiltshire; S.W., A. Reith; J.W., E. J. Purvis; Sec., F. H. Mayman, P.M., Schoolhouse, Porirua.

Friendship, 353:—Founded October, 1949; meets Masonic Hall, Trentham, fourth Wed. (except December). Install. October. W.M., C. R. Nottingham, P.G.S.; S.W., R. B. B. Cooper; J.W., L. S. Davis; Sec., H. D. Double, Gower Street, Trentham.

SOUTH ISLAND

NELSON AND MARLBOROUGH: 13 LODGES.
(R.W. Bro. Robert A. Craighead, Prov.G.M.)
(V.W. Bro. F. C. Brown, Asst.Prov.G.M.)

Victory, 40 (formerly No. 1927, E.C.):—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood Street, Nelson, second Thurs. (except May, fourth Thurs.), 7.30. Install. May. W.M., E. J. Champtaloup; S.W., J. W. Biddle; J.W., W. H. Heslop; Sec., H. W. Simpson, P.M., 122 Kawai St., Nelson.

Wairau, 42:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. June. W.M., R. C. S. Bush; S.W., H. W. J. Waters; J.W., K. Waters; Sec., Harold Neal, Middle Renwick Rd., Springlands, Blenheim.

Havelock 104:—Founded 1896; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock, third Saturday, 7.30. Install. March. W.M., T. J. Horton; S.W., J. A. Harwood; J.W., J. Dalziel; Sec., R. N. C. Wratt, P.M., Box 10, Havelock.

Marlborough Unanimity, 106:—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, second Tues., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., H. V. C. Cox; S.W., R. H. McKay; J.W., G. R. Cole; Sec., Geo. Mitchell, P.M., Box 46, Blenheim.

Waitohi, 111:—Founded 1884; meets Masonic Temple, Devon St., Picton, fourth Thurs., 7.30 p.m. Install. April. W.M., R. W. Wyber; S.W., D. A. Irving; J.W., J. Sutherland; Sec., E. T. Burroughs, P.G.D., York Street, Picton.

Forest, 116:—Founded 1874; meets Masonic Hall, Wakefield, second Wed. Install. Nov. W.M., M. F. Lusty; S.W., H. S. Sigley; J.W., D. B. Walker; Sec., S. E. O'Hara, P.G.D., Waimea West, R.M.D., Brightwater.

Motueka, 117:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Hall, Motueka, fourth Wed. (except Dec.), 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., S. W. Low; S.W., W. V. Robinson; J.W., H. D. Paynter; Sec., S. Stables, P.O., Box 12, Motueka.

St. Cuthbert's, 144:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Collingwood, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., J. E. Vaughan; S.W., D. Holgeron; J.W., C. R. G. Masters; Sec., J. P. Cottier, P.Ast.G.D.C., Commercial St., Takaka.

Waima, 266:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, 1st Wed., 7.30 (except Jan. and Nov.). Install. 1st Sat. in Nov. W.M., F. Reeves; S.W., A. F. Wiechern; J.W., G. M. Toms; Sec., R. C. Sanders, P.O. Box 167, Nelson.

Murchison, 257:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Murchison, second Tues., 7.45 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. first Sat. Feb. W.M., D. Bradley; S.W., P. Bradley; J.W., D. R. Conway; Sec., T. B. Merson, P.M., Waller St., Murchison.

Nelson, 288:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Collingwood St., Nelson, third Wed., 7.30 p.m., except Dec. 2nd Wed. No meeting Jan. Install. Sept. W.M., A. Jones; S.W., E. R. Coote; J.W., G. D. Cameron; Sec., J. H. Brunt, P.M., P.O. Box 8, Port Nelson.

Awatere, 292:—Founded 5th Dec., 1927; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon, third Thurs. Install. May. W.M., M. E. Hammond; S.W., B. T. Housley; J.W., D. Sowman; Sec., G. A. Gunn, P.M., P.O. Box 36, Seddon.

Eckford, 334:—Founded 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Seymour St., Blenheim, first Tues. (except Jan.). Install. July. W.M., K. L. Hammond; S.W., C. F. Hester; J.W., R. H. Jenkins; Sec., A. R. Tait, 26 Eltham Road, Blenheim.

DISTRICT OF WEST COAST: 13 LODGES.

(R.W. Bro. S. Braithwaite, Prov.G.M.)

Robert Burns, 50:—Founded 1883; meets Burns Masonic Hall, Kelly St., Reefton, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. and January meeting, nearest Sat. to Jan. 25th W.M., J. C. Sullivan; S.W., W. G. Bissett, P.M.; J.W., C. E. Jensen; Sec., C. C. Mosley, Buller Road, Reefton.

Advance, 61:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Hall, Taylorville, Brunerton, first Wed., 7.30. Install. second Sat. Feb. W.M., L. J. Wicks; S.W., D. R. Steers; J.W., R. W. Murdoch; Sec., A. J. Lewis, P.M., Dobson, Brunerton, Westland.

Kumara, 65:—Founded 1889; meets Freemasons' Hall, Seddon St., Kumara, third Tues., 8. Install. Feb. W.M., P. Stewart; S.W., Geo. Ryan; J.W., W. Evenden; Sec., E. J. Rose, P.M., Kumara.

Westland Kil, 88:—Founded 1865; meets Masonic Hall, South Revell St., Hokitika, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., E. W. Taylor; S.W., R. W. Conning; J.W., A. J. A. D. Smith; Sec., G. Anderson, Box 42, Hokitika.

Aorangi, 89:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Denniston, first Wed., 7.30 p.m. Install. 2nd Sat. in Dec. W.M., J. Crawford; S.W., T. Glendenning; J.W., J. D. Meek; Sec., W. C. E. McDonald, P.M., Denniston, via Westport.

Mokihinui, 96:—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Hall, Seddonville, first Sat. Install. Dec. W.M., D. McFarlane; S.W., W. J. Mumm, Jr.; J.W., H. Fox; Sec., H. Prosser, St. Helena, via Westport.

Torea, 121:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Granity, third Sat., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. S. Blyth; S.W., G. Kerr; J.W., R. M. Green; Sec., A. G. Dowgray, P.M., Granity.

Mawhera, 136:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Tainui St., Greymouth, 2nd Thurs., 7.30. Install. Nov. W.M., N. F. Bruhn; S.W., D. Hardie; J.W., T. L. Dumbleton; Sec., O. W. Eastwood, P.G.C., P.O. Box 13, Greymouth.

Kawatiri-Westport, 152:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, Russell St., Westport, second Mon. Install. May. W.M., S. S. Lowther; S.W., G. H. Burrow; J.W., J. M. A. Bryce; Sec., C. Ballantyne, P.M., 133 Queen Street, Westport.

Runanga, 159:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Seddon St., Runanga, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., R. A. Sharp; S.W., J. P. Richmond; J.W., J. Almond; Sec., A. G. Campbell, P.M., 20 Nelson St., Greymouth.

Waro, 173:—Founded 1910; meets Masonic Hall, Hart St., Blackball, second Sat., 7.30. Install. Oct. W.M., Geo. E. Logie; S.W., M. A. Aynsley; J.W., G. Jones; Sec., T. Maguigan, P.M., Hilton St., Blackball, West Coast.

Connaught, 187:—Founded 1911; meets Masonic Hall, Karamea, 3rd Wed., 8 p.m. Install. 2nd Sat. March. W.M., G. J. Gillbank; S.W., P. S. Geaves; J.W., P. W. Anderson; Sec., B. J. H. Simpson, P.M., Box 11, Karamea.

Ross, 339:—Founded July, 1948; meets Lodge Room, Gay St., Ross, third Saturday. Install. July. W.M., E. N. Fahl; S.W., L. H. Jackson; J.W., J. V. Conning; Sec., H. A. Smyth, Ross.

PROVINCE OF CANTERBURY (49 LODGES).

(R.W. Bro. Frederick N. Kerr, Prov.G.M.)
(V.W. Bro. John W. Hutton, Asst.Prov.G.M.)

Unanimity, 3:—Founded 1851; meets Masonic Hall, Sumner Rd., Lyttelton, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Feb. W.M., J. Willan; S.W., J. B. Collett; J.W., R. T. Brown; Sec., H. P. McIver, 7 Roosevelt Ave., St. Albans, Christchurch, N.I.

St. Augustine, 4:—Founded 1852; meets Masonic Hall, Christchurch, second Tues., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. March. W.M., H. W. Dollan; S.W., A. V. Bedwell; J.W., M. W. Murnane; Sec., V. Bedwell, P.M., Box 363, Christchurch, C.I.

Southern Cross, 6:—Founded 1858; meets Masonic Hall, Kaiapoi, first Thurs., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., L. J. Anderson; S.W., E. W. C. Hillier; J.W., G. R. Robinson; Sec., C. Kitson, 33 Hilton St., Kaiapoi.

Caledonian, 16:—Founded 1871; meets Masonic Temple, Bank Street, Timaru, first Mon., 7.30 p.m. (except Jan.). Install. June. W.M., A. A. Q. Solomon; S.W., J. S. G. Forrest; J.W., E. J. Preen; Sec., R. P. Carter, P.M., 16 Wai-iti Rd., Timaru.

Progress, 22:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Southbridge, second Monday, 7.30. Install. Nov. No meeting Feb. W.M., H. D. Marshall; S.W., C. Tod; J.W., R. G. Allan; Sec., F. E. Smith, P.M., Police Station, Southbridge.

Canterbury Kit, 23:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Canterbury St., Lyttelton, third Thurs., 7.30. Install. July. W.M., J. G. Henderson; S.W., J. W. Ruddy; J.W., R. F. Stenson; Sec., D. Loader, P.M., 121 Hawford Road, Opawa, Christchurch, S.E.I.

Geraldine, 27:—Founded 1890; meets Masonic Hall, Southbridge, third Wed., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., G. R. Tagg; S.W., R. W. Geddes; J.W., A. H. W. Smith; Sec., Jas. Kernohan, Raukapuka, Geraldine.

Ashley, 28:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Temple, Rangiora, second Thurs., 7.30. Install. March. W.M., L. C. Fincham; S.W., L. D. J. Smith; J.W., D. G. Sutherland; Sec., E. N. Blackett, "Norwood," 50 Good St., Rangiora.

St. George, 29:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Wilkin St., Temuka, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Dec. W.M., D. C. Clark; S.W., W. Galbraith; J.W., A. G. J. Smith; Sec., A. J. Blackmore, P.M., 141 King St., Temuka.

South Rakaia, 31, Rakaia.

Lincoln, 33:—Founded 1880; meets Masonic Hall, Lincoln, first Tues., 7.30. Install. Oct. No meeting January. W.M., I. McL. Watson; S.W., W. S. Hartnell; J.W., L. G. Copp, Sec., W. L. Morgan, P.G.D., Tai Tapu.

Concord, 39:—Founded 1881; meets Masonic Hall, Papanui, fourth Wed. (Dec. third Wed.). Install. May. W.M., K. A. White; S.W., E. Law; J.W., J. G. M. Hamilton; Sec., E. Wilson, P.M., 218 Springfield Road, St. Albans, Christchurch.

Phoenix, 43:—Founded 1882; meets Masonic Hall, Jollie St., Akaroa, second Fri., 7.30 in winter, 8 p.m. in summer. Install. Sept. W.M., H. Rankin; S.W., S. J. McP. Stewart; J.W., A. McKay; Sec., P. G. Riches, P.M., P.O. Box 10, Akaroa.

Methven, 51:—Founded 1883; meets Masonic Hall, Methven, second Wed., 7.45. Install. May. W.M., L. R. Mangin; S.W., A. S. Milne; J.W., W. J. Currie; Sec., F. G. Mangin, P.G.D., P.O. Box 52, Methven.

Kaikoura, 60:—Founded 1887; meets at Masonic Hall, Kaikoura, second Thurs. Install. Feb. W.M., W. A. Stephens; S.W., R. P. McLoughlin; J.W., I. D. Lilley; Sec., C. A. Jensen, P.M., Kaikoura.

Christchurch, 91:—Founded 1893; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, fourth Tues., 7.30. Install. fourth Tues. in April. W.M., G. F. Masey; S.W., D. M. Lane; J.W., F. R. C. Rogers; Sec., H. Gamble, P.G.D., 352 Manchester St., Christchurch.

Mackenzie, 93:—Meets Masonic Hall, Fairlie, second Thursday, 7.30. Install. Sept. W.M., K. G. Gray; S.W., H. G. Shanks; J.W., T. K. Clarke; Sec., Rev. T. G. Calder, The Manse, Fairlie.

St. Augustine, 99:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Hall, Leonard St., Waimate, second Wed., 7.30. Install. Aug. W.M., G. B. Richardson; S.W., J. Forsyth; J.W., J. Barrie; Sec., J. M. King, P.M., 94 Shearman St., Waimate.

Thistle, 113:—Founded 1878; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock St. W., Ashburton, third Wed., 7.30. Install. third Wed. in Nov. W.M., A. W. Holland; S.W., Ben. Eastwood; J.W., I. Walker; Sec., J. K. Mather, P.M., 28 Nelson Street, Ashburton.

Cheviot, 124:—Founded 1902; meets Cheviot 3rd Thurs. Install. 1st Sat. April. W.M., W. R. Bainbridge; S.W., A. W. Leaman; J.W., P. Jackson; Sec., F. D. Childs, P.M., Gore Bay, R.D., Cheviot.

Masters and Pastmasters, 130:—Founded 1902; meets third Wednesday, January, March, May, July, Sept., and Nov., 7.15 p.m., Masonic Hall, Gloucester Street, Christchurch. Install. Jan. W.M., M. J. Barnett; S.W., W. J. Bowman, P.Prov.G.I.G.; J.W., T. G. B. Candy, P.Prov.G.S.; Sec., Dr. Ross Hepburn, P.G.Lec., 7 Rimu St., Riccarton, Christchurch, W.I.

Remuera, 1710, Auckland.

Rodney, 1711, Warkworth.

United Manawatu, 1721, E.C.:—Founded 1877; meets Masonic Temple, Broadway, Palmerston North, first Wed. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. 23rd Oct. W.M., A. A. Coles; S.W., B. R. Brown; J.W., C. Shann; Sec., H. W. Mul-laney, P.O. Box 314, Palmerston North.

Winchester, 1737, Winchester.

St. George, 1801, Dargaville.

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Northern Light, 1878, Kawa Kawa.

Conyers, 1916, E.C.:—Founded 1879; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester Street, Christchurch, second Thurs. Install. March. W.M., B. G. Drewett; S.W., W. F. Hames; J.W., E. A. Tur-land; Sec., Ernest Peek, P.M., 82 Moncks Spur, Redcliffs, Sumner, Christchurch.

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Ara, 348, I.C.:—Founded 1842; meets Masonic Temple, Alredale St., Auckland, 1st Monday (Jan. and Feb. excepted), 7.30 p.m. Install. June 24th (St. John's Day), high noon. W.M., N. W. Jones; S.W., James Brotherton; J.W., A. A. Jarvie; Sec., E. Ashby, P.P.S.G.W., P.O. Box 561, Auckland, C.I.

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NORTH ISLAND.**NORTHLAND DISTRICT (7 CHAPTERS).**

(R.E. Comp. W. J. Dell, Grand Supt.)

Whangarei, 27:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Tues. (except Jan.). Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. S. C. Hegley; H., E. Comp. L. G. Thomson; J., E. Comp. G. Cross; S.E., E. Comp. R. E. Sissons, 14 Walker Cres., Whangarei.

Bay of Islands, 65:—Founded 1927 meets Masonic Temple, Kawakawa, second Saturday, install August. Z., V.E. Comp. E. Doel; H., E. Comp. Geo. Williamson; J., E. Comp. A. E. F. Williams; S.E., R.E. Comp. T. J. V. Dunlop, P.G.J., P.O. Box 45, Russell.

Kaipara, No. 66.

Kaitiaki, 67:—Founded 1927; meets Masonic Temple, Kaitiaki, second Tues., 8. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. C. S. Wood; H., E. Comp. J. K. Meredith; J., E. Comp. E. I. Panther; S.E., V.E. Comp. F. B. Mitchell, Dominion Road, Kaitiaki.

Hokianga, 71.

Northern Wairoa, 73.

Mahurangi, 80, Warkworth.

AUCKLAND DISTRICT (11 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. A. Addison, Grand Supt.)

Auckland Provincial, 9:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, third Wed. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. W. Weaver; H., E. Comp. C. K. Wigglesworth; J., E. Comp. J. B. M. Allison; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. J. Wilson, P.G.Chan., 28 Ponsonby Terrace, Auckland, W.I.

Rangitoto, 52:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Hall, Devonport, first Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. S. L. Armstrong; H., E. Comp. R. C. Wheatcroft; J., E. Comp. D. T. Hallam; Sec., R.E. Comp. F. W. Herbert, P.G.H., 61 King Edward Parade, Devonport, Auckland, N.I.

Ara, 53:—Founded 1923; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, last Tues., except Dec., Jan., Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. W. G. Webster; H., E. Comp. F. G. Ashley; J., E. Comp. C. G. Herdman; S.E., V.E. Comp. E. M. J. Litt, P.G.Soj., P.O. Box 844, Auckland, C.I.

Akarana, 58:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's St., Auckland, first Thurs. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. J. L. Ellis; H., E. Comp. J. A. Elliott; J., E. Comp. J. E. O. Matthews; S.E., R.E. Comp. C. C. Turner, P.G.Treas., 72 Alberton Ave., Mt. Albert, Auckland, S.W.2.

Manukau, 59:—Founded 1924; meets Masonic Hall, Princes St., Onehunga, second Wed. Install. May. Z., V.E. Comp. W. W. Murray, P.Z.; H., E. Comp. A. E. Overden; J., E. Comp. A. E. Hayman; S.E., E. Comp. R. J. L. Thompson, 14 Otahuri Crescent, Remuera, S.E.4.

William Ferguson Massey, 61:—Founded 1926; meets in Masonic Temple, Pukekohe, on third Mon., except Jan. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. F. O'Hara; H., E. Comp. H. L. Richards; J., E. Comp. W. T. Cheeseman; S.E., V.E. Comp. F. H. Barnard, P.Z., Roose Ave., Pukekohe.

Ellerslie, 68:—Founded 1928; meets Masonic Hall, Ellerslie, on first Monday, except Jan. and Feb. Install. May. Z., V.E. Comp. H. R. Betts; H., E. Comp. H. Nutt; J., E. Comp. J. Forbes; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. G. Phelps, 15 Wairua Rd., Remuera, Auckland, S.E.2.

Karangahape, 69, Auckland.

Waitemata, 72, Northcote.

Titirangi, 79:—Founded 1945 meets Masonic Hall, Rosebank Rd., Avondale, Auckland, second Thurs. (except Jan. and Feb.). Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. S. W. Lathrop; H., E. Comp. J. R. Smyth; J., E. Comp. W. P. Traill; S.E., V.E. Comp. Chas. Graham, 38 Wapiti Ave., Epsom, Auckland, S.E.3.

Papatoetoe, 81.

HAURAKI DISTRICT (8 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. S. J. Hedge, Grand Supt.)

Ohinemuri, 17:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Paeroa, fourth Thurs. in Feb., April, June, Aug., Sept., and Oct., second Thurs. Dec. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. B. Carnahan; H., E. Comp. A. G. Davis; J., E. Comp. R. W. Smith; S.E., V.E. Comp. L. C. Cane, 11 Corbett St., Paeroa.

Waikato, 22:—Founded 1905; meets Masonic Hall, Hamilton, fourth Tues., 7.30, except Dec. and Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. L. Webster; H., E. Comp. R. R. Atkinson; J., E. Comp. J. K. Irwin; S.E., V.E. Comp. F. P. Bynon, Powell, P.G.D.C., 38 Wellington St., Hamilton.

Rotorua, 44:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Rotorua, fourth Thurs. (Dec. and Jan. excepted). Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. H. F. E. Ryde; H., E. Comp. R. G. Webb; J., E. Comp. W. S. Wallis; S.E., V.E. Comp. G. H. French, P.G.D.C., Rotorua.

Piako, 48:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Hall, Morrinsville, third Monday of Feb., April, June, August, Sept., Oct. and Nov. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. L. W. Osborne; H., E. Comp. V. C. Pollard; J., E. Comp. C. G. Lowe; S.E., V.E. Comp. R. B. Morton, G.D.C., P.O. Box 12, Morrinsville.

Te Marama, 54:—Founded 31st March, 1924; meets in Masonic Temple, Ngaruawahia, fourth Mon. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. A. A. Carlton; H., E. Comp. E. Taft; J., E. Comp. W. Williamson; S.E., R.E. Comp. G. Jamieson, P.G.J., Great South Rd., Horotiu, Waikato.

Bay of Plenty, 57.

Waitomo, 75:—Founded 1937; meets Masonic Temple, Te Kuiti, fourth Mon. (except Dec.). Install. May. Z., V.E. Comp. R. Wood; H., E. Comp. G. Brierly; J., E. Comp. W. L. Johnston; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. McRae, P.G.Soj., Box 94, Te Kuiti.

TARANAKI DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. J. Christoffel, Grand Supt.)

Paritutu, 5:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Temple, Lizard St., New Plymouth, first Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. F. J. Aldous; H., E. Comp. S. J. Hird; J., E. Comp. C. H. Strombon; S.E., E. Comp. E. Wright, 107 Lizard St., New Plymouth.

Taku-Hoa, 32:—Founded 1912; meets Masonic Temple, London St., Eltham, last Thurs. in each month, except Dec. and Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. H. C. Sanderson; H., V.E. Comp. M. Beattie; J., E. Comp. I. E. Lewis; S.E., E. Comp. R. H. Allan, Rawhitiroa R.D., Eltham.

Egmont, 37:—Founded 1915; meets Masonic Hall, Stratford, 7.30 p.m., first Mon., except Jan. and Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. A. Orton; H., V.E. Comp. W. Sheriff, P.Z.; J., E. Comp. N. S. Deare; S.E., E. Comp. A. Ferguson, 8 Hamlet Street, Stratford.

Turuturu, 55:—Founded 5th May, 1924; meets Masonic Temple, Hawera, third Monday. Install. May. Z., V.E. Comp. A. F. J. Ross; H., E. Comp. C. W. Crutch; J., E. Comp. D. M. Holmes; S.E., E. Comp. T. E. Drake, Box 202, Hawera.

Carlyle, 74:—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Temple, Patea, fourth Wed., except Dec. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. R. Fraser; H., V.E. Comp. J. H. Barnard, P.Z.; J., E. Comp. W. Berridge; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. R. Hunger, P.Z., Box 22, Patea.

Opunake, 78:—Founded 10th June, 1944; meets Masonic Temple, Opunake, second Saturday. Install. June. Z., V.E. Comp. A. Raynor; H., E. Comp. E. J. Wallis; J., E. Comp. H. J. Meharry; S.E., V.E. Comp. L. A. Young, P.G.Swd.B., Allison St., Opunake.

RUAPEHU DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. L. Wood, Grand Supt.)

Manawatu, 11:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Palmerston North, third Thurs. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. W. G. Ranson; H., E. Comp. W. N. W. Leech; J., E. Comp. Geo. Webb; S.E., V.E. Comp. Len. Wood, P.Z., 9 Kowhai Ave., Palmerston North.

Ruapehu, 19:—Founded 1902; meets Masonic Hall, Marton, first Tues., 7.30, except Dec. and Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. D. B. Sladden; H., V.E. Comp. W. A. Winstanley; J., E. Comp. G. A. Rasmussen; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. W. Gibson, P.G.Soj., 7 Oxford St., Marton.

Wanganui, 23:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Temple, Bell St., Wanganui, first Thurs., except Jan. first Tues. Dec. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. E. Anderson; H., E. Comp. W. Coles; J., E. Comp. C. Bradley; S.E., V.E. Comp. E. Lind, Ridgway St. (P.O. Box 20), Wanganui.

Otaihape, 43:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Taihape, fourth Thursday, except Dec. Install. third Tues. Aug. Z., V.E. Comp. T. W. Pairman, P.Z.; H., E. Comp. D. H. Gray, P.Z.; J., V.E. Comp. H. S. March, P.Z.; S.E., V.E. Comp. H. Hayman, P.G.D.C., Kaka Road, Taihape.

Oroua, 49:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Feilding, 3rd Mon., except January. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. T. Tricklebank; H., E. Comp. R. E. Hepworth; J., E. Comp. F. Mills; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. M. Sargisson, 112 West St., Feilding.

Waimarino, 50:—Meets Masonic Temple, Raetihi, fourth Mon., except Dec. Install. Jan. Z., V.E. Comp. T. G. McCullough; H., E. Comp. W. F. Willisroft; J., E. Comp. S. G. Gregory; S.E., M.E. Comp. W. H. Sandford, P.G.Z., Duncan St., Raetihi.

HAWKE'S BAY DISTRICT (6 Chapters).

(R.E. Comp. A. K. Johnston, Grand Supt.)

Victoria, 4:—Founded 1879; meets Scinde Buildings, Church Lane, Napier, 4th Tues. (except Dec.). Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. E. I. D. Bull; H., E. Comp. S. Williams; J., E. Comp. R. H. Davis; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. Newton, P.G.D.C., 30 Kennedy Road, Napier.

Rawhiti, 30:—Founded 1908; meets Masonic Hall, Dannevirke, first Mon., 7.30 (except Jan.). Install. first Sat. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. A. A. Stewart; H., E. Comp. J. R. McLaren; J., E. Comp. S. H. Petherick; S.E., M.E. Comp. W. Dobson, P.G.Z., P.O. Box 69, Dannevirke.

Gisborne, 36:—Founded 1914; meets Abercorn Hall, 2nd Mon. (except Jan.). Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. P. R. Schwabe; H., E. Comp. J. D. Martin; J., E. Comp. T. E. Gresham; S.E., V.E. Comp. L. Rhodes, P.G.Sid.B., 54 Huxley Rd., Kaiti, Gisborne.

Heretaunga, 38:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Lodge room, corner Market and St. Aubyn Streets, Hastings, first Thursday, 8. Install. first Thurs. in May. Z., V.E. Comp. T. C. Crawford; H., E. Comp. C. H. Goffin; J., E. Comp. J. Logan; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. K. Johnston, P.G.D.C., Box 50, Hastings.

Bedford, 39:—Founded 1916; meets Masonic Hall, Waipukurau, fourth Thursday. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. A. Johnston; H., E. Comp. R. H. Walters; J., E. Comp. L. W. C. Le Comte; S.E., E. Comp. J. G. Clarkson, Waipukurau.

Waikaremoana, 76:—Founded 1940; meets Masonic Hall, Wairoa, H.B., 4th Monday (except Dec. Install. February. Z., V.E. Comp. T. H. Hall; H., V.E. Comp. M. B. Svensen; J., E. Comp. F. G. Hankin; S.E., E. Comp. R. A. Peetz, P.O. Box 84, Wairoa, H.B.

WELLINGTON DISTRICT (11 Chapters).

(R.E. Comp. J. R. Robertson, P.D.P.G.Z., Grand Supt.)

Waterloo, 2:—Founded 1875; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, fourth Wed. (except Dec. and Jan.). Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. G. E. Cox; H., E. Comp. E. M. Cohen; J., E. Comp. C. M. Bowden; S.E., V.E. Comp. T. G. Cox, P.Z., 59 Maida Vale Rd., Roseneath, Wellington, E.I.

Wairarapa, 10:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Masterton, first Thurs. (except Jan.), Oct. first Tues. Install. first Sat. in Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. E. G. Hart; H., E. Comp. R. H. Webster; J., E. Comp. W. E. Knowles; S.E., R.E. Comp. T. A. H. Dixon, P.G.J., 38 Pownall Street, Masterton.

Brooklyn, 24:—Meets Mokoia Masonic Hall, Fifeshire Ave., off Cambridge Tce., Wellington, third Mon. (except Dec. and Jan.). Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. H. P. Thompson; H., E. Comp. H. J. Johnson; J., E. Comp. G. M. F. Jackson; S.E., R.E. Comp. A. McLaren, P.G.Treas., 126 Austin St., Wellington, C.4.

Hinemoa, 25:—Founded 1906; meets Masonic Hall, Donald McLean St., Newtown, third Thurs., except Dec. and Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. B. B. Kuch; H., E. Comp. R. W. Cawthorn; J., E. Comp. G. Anderson; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. A. Cooley, 39 Norway St., Wellington, W.I.

Hutt Valley, 41:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Huta St., Lower Hutt, fourth Tues., except Dec. Install. March. Z., V.E. Comp. G. L. Judd; H., V.E. Comp. A. V. Stamp; J., E. Comp. E. A. Owles; S.E., E. Comp. A. B. Oliver, 5 Kauri St., Lower Hutt.

Russell, 51:—Meets Mokola Masonic Hall, Fifehire Avenue (off Cambridge Terrace), Wellington, second Monday (except January). Install. Aug. Z., V.E. Comp. C. Flockton; H., E. Comp. K. O. Thomson; J., E. Comp. S. T. Barnett; S.E., E. Comp. G. L. Wolland, 576 Broadway, Wellington, E.5.

Whetu Kairangi, 60:—Meets Masonic Hall, Dundas St., Seatoun, first Wed., except Jan. and Feb. Install. April. Z., V.E. Comp. S. Barnett; H., E. Comp. F. W. Page; J., V.E. Comp. A. S. Barr; S.E., E. Comp. G. G. Usher, 78 Rakau Road, Hataitai, Wellington, E.2.

Wellington, 62:—Founded Oct., 1926; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, first Thurs., except Jan. and Feb., 6 p.m. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. Robert Hogg; H., E. Comp. J. W. Howes; J., E. Comp. F. H. Bustin; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. N. Morriss, N.Z. Insurance Bldg. (P.O. Box 1533), Wellington, C.1.

Horowhenua, 63:—Founded Nov., 1926, meets Masonic Temple, Levin, fourth Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., except Dec. Install. third Wed. in Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. J. R. Alexander; H., E. Comp. J. F. Bryce; J., E. Comp. C. A. Elvines; S.E., V.E. Comp. H. J. C. Dumbell, 26 Sussex St., Levin.

Bledisloe, 77:—Founded June, 1941; meets Masonic Temple, Fitzherbert St., Petone, first Mon., 7.30 p.m. Install. last Sat. in June. Z., V.E. Comp. C. M. Hill; H., E. Comp. H. J. Poole; J., E. Comp. L. H. Burridge; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. R. Nottingham, P.G. Chan., 4 Hinau St., Lower Hutt.

McVilly, 85:—Founded January, 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Trentham, second Sat., 7.30 p.m. Install. March. Z., V.E. Comp. J. Millson; H., E. Comp. G. A. Ferris; J., E. Comp. E. M. Gibbs; S.E., E. Comp. W. S. Gillbanks, 62 Ararino Road, Trentham.

SOUTH ISLAND.

NELSON AND MARLBOROUGH DISTRICT (3 Chapters).

(R.E. Comp. A. W. Wanden, Grand Supt.)

Victory, 12:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Nelson, fourth Thurs., as required. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. N. W. Moorhouse; H., E. Comp. R. J. Simpson; J., E. Comp. G. V. Swafford; S.W., V.E. Comp. H. W. Simpson, 122 Kawai St., Nelson.

Marlborough, 14:—Founded 1892; meets Masonic Hall, Charles St., Blenheim, third Tues. Nov., Feb. April, June, Aug. and Sept. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. George Falk; H., E. Comp. F. Mogridge; J., E. Comp. F. C. Brown; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. R. Tait, P.Z., 26 Eltham Rd., Blenheim.

Tasman, 84:—Founded 1947; meets Golden Bay Masonic Hall, Takaka, and St. Cuthbert's Masonic Hall, Collingwood, fourth Sat., bi-monthly. Install. July. Z., V.E. Comp. J. H. Gardiner; H., E. Comp. W. S. Birdsall; J., E. Comp. G. C. Jones; S.E., E. Comp. J. C. Bradley, Takaka.

WESTLAND DISTRICT (4 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. A. R. Hamill, P.G.J., Grand Supt.)

Inangahua, 18:—Founded 1901; meets Burns Masonic Hall, Shiel St., Reefton, first Monday. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. G. I. Dick; H., E. Comp. W. Mitchell; J., E. Comp. I. Crossman; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. Dobson, P.Z., Reefton.

Kawaitiri, 21:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Hall, Westport, third Tues., except Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. A. Openshaw; H., E. Comp. R. R. Dawber; J., E. Comp. A. Holder; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. H. Johnston, 306 Palmerston St., Westport.

Westland Kil., 29:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, South Revell St., Hokitika, last Sat. each month (except Dec.). Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. W. H. Thompson; H., E. Comp. J. Gleeson; J., E. Comp. E. C. Langdon; S.E., V.E. Comp. H. Lawn, 106 Park St., Hokitika.

Whanake, 70:—Founded 1928; meets Masonic Hall, Tainui Street, Greymouth, fourth Wed., except Dec. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. C. N. Gunn; H., E. Comp. H. N. Pyne; J., E. Comp. L. Rhodes; S.E., R.E. Comp. J. Neilson, P.G.H., 14 Fox Street, Cobden, Greymouth.

CANTERBURY DISTRICT (11 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. A. B. Christensen, Grand Supt.)

St. Augustine, 1:—Founded 1869; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, last Monday, bi-monthly (January, March, etc.), 7.30. Install. Feb. Z., V.E. Comp. S. E. Clements; H., E. Comp. S. C. Sherrard; J., E. Comp. R. S. McCleary; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. Hunter, 33 Chancellor St., Shirley, Christchurch, N.1.

Albert Edward, 6:—Founded —; meets Masonic Hall, Lyttelton, second Wed. in Sept., Nov., Jan., Mar., May, July and Aug. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. R. N. V. Nicholls; H., E. Comp. D. Wallace; J., E. Comp. J. J. F. Geayley; S.E., E. Comp. Gordon C. Taylor, P.O. Box 30, Lyttelton.

Timaru, 15:—Founded 1900; meets Masonic Temple, Bank St., Timaru, first Wed. each month, except Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. R. Panton; H., E. Comp. G. J. Steven; J., E. Comp. G. E. Davies; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. J. Smith, P.Z., 18 Seaview Terrace, Timaru.

Waimate, 16:—Founded 1901; meets St. Augustine's Masonic Hall, Waimate, fourth Wed., bi-monthly. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. F. McRae; H., E. Comp. D. G. McDonald; J., E. Comp. J. Forsyth; S.E., V.E. Comp. T. T. Eade, P.Z., 64 Mill Road, Waimate.

Prince of Wales, 31:—Founded 1895; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, third Wed. in Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct., Dec. Install. Aug. Z., V.E. Comp. A. J. Hendry; H., E. Comp. T. G. B. Candy; J., E. Comp. N. J. G. Speary; S.E., V.E. Comp. H. E. Jarman, P.Z., 37 Straven Rd., Riccarton, W.1.

Rose and Thistle, 35:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock St., Ashburton, fourth Wed., except Jan. and Dec. Install. last Sat. in Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. E. G. Sherborne; H., E. Comp. C. Dawson; J., E. Comp. N. W. Corbett; S.E., V.E. Comp. A. T. Saunders, P.Z., 73 Kermod St., Ashburton.

Ashley, 48.

Crown, 56.

Selwyn, 82:—Founded 1946; meets Masonic Hall, Dunsandel, 2nd Sat., Oct., Dec., Feb., Apl., June and Aug. Install. Oct. Z., V.E. Comp. W. Shearer; H., E. Comp. H. D. Marshall; J., E. Comp. D. F. H. White; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. J. Wright, P.Z., R.D., Dunsandel.

Temuka, 83.

Shirley, 86:—Founded 1948; meets Masonic Temple, Shirley, Christchurch, first Wed. in Feb., April, June, July, August, Oct., Dec. Install. July. Z., V.E. Comp. S. E. Holland; H., E. Comp. H. A. Steel; J., E. Comp. E. R. McDonald; S.E., E. Comp. P. A. Syers, 115 Bristol Street, St. Albans, Christchurch, N.1.

OTAGO DISTRICT (6 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. H. R. Mitchell, Grand Supt.)

Otago, 7:—Founded 1892; meets Hiram Hall, Cargill Road, Dunedin, fourth Thurs. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. E. F. Allen; H., E. Comp. A. Harris; J., E. Comp. H. Smellie; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. O. G. Reid, P.Z., 25 Claremont St., Roslyn, Dunedin, N.W.1.

Waitaki Kil., 8:—Founded 1901; meets Masonic Hall, Wansbeck St., Oamaru, fourth Wed. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. R. J. Wright; H., E. Comp. W. D. Neill; J., E. Comp. H. C. Lightwood; S.E., V.E. Comp. J. Y. Rushton, P.Z., 12 Foyle St., Oamaru.

Cromwell—Coronation, 20:—Founded 1902; meets Masonic Hall, Cromwell, third Thurs. Install. 4th Sat. October. Z., V.E. Comp. D. Grant; H., E. Comp. J. S. Ritchie; J., E. Comp. T. M. Ellis; S.E., E. Comp. H. J. Webb, P.O. Box 35, Cromwell.

Maori, 28:—Founded 1907; meets Masonic Hall, St. Kilda, first Thurs., except Jan. Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. J. F. Glass; H., E. Comp. R. M. Ross; J., E. Comp. W. C. Foley; S.E., V.E. Comp. C. H. Bissland, P.Z., 759 King St., Dunedin, N.1.

Iwikatea, 33:—Founded 1912; meets Masonic Hall, Balclutha, last Monday, except Dec. Install. Nov. Z., V.E. Comp. J. H. Stevenson; H., E. Comp. S. D. Patterson; J., E. Comp. A. S. Marshall; S.E., E. Comp. G. L. S. Moffat, c/o Box 62 Balclutha.

Celtic, 42:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Moray Place, Dunedin, 3rd Wed., except Dec. and Jan. Install. June. Z., V.E. Comp. C. J. L. Matheson; H., E. Comp. T. J. Tate; J., E. Comp. H. Pithe; S.E., E. Comp. G. L. Austin, 70 Aberdeen Rd., St. Clair, Dunedin, S.W.1.

SOUTHLAND DISTRICT (3 CHAPTERS).

(R.E. Comp. R. P. Boyne, Grand Supt.)

Southern Cross, 3:—Meets Masonic Hall, Invercargill, fourth Wed. (Dec. third Wed.) except Jan. Install. Sept. Z., V.E. Comp. G. H. Gibbs; H., E. Comp. L. H. Jones; J., E. Comp. Geo. D. Sutton; S.E., R.E. Comp. Sydney C. K. Smith, P.Z., "Sherwood," 24 Mitchell St., Invercargill.

Wallace, 34:—Founded 1913; meets Masonic Hall, Otautau, fourth Thurs., except Dec. Install. first Wed. in October. Z., V.E. Comp. E. J. Edie; H., E. Comp. A. G. MacKay; J., E. Comp. F. R. Insall; S.E., V.E. Comp. F. H. Hill, P.Z., Otautau.

Huira, 47:—Meets Masonic Temple, Gore, second Wed., except Jan. Install. second Wed. in August. Z., V.E. Comp. J. E. Gibson; H., E. Comp. A. Gregory; J., E. Comp. W. R. J. Pollock; S.E., V.E. Comp. W. H. Marshall, P.Z., 154 Main St., Gore.

CRYPTIC COUNCILS OF R.S. AND S.E.M.

St. Augustine, 1:—Founded 1937; meets Masonic Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, February, May, August, and November as arranged. Install. May. T.I.M., Ill. Comp. G. E. Grover; D.M., Ill. Comp. A. F. Baker; P.C.W., Ill. Comp. F. Newlove; Recorder, Ill. Comp. C. T. Brown, 83 Cashmere Road, Cashmere, Christchurch, S.2.

Southern Cross, 3:—Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, 5th Tuesday. Install. April (date to be arranged). T.I.M., Ill. Comp. F. J. Logan; Depute, V.E. Comp. Geo. F. Hoffman; P.C.W., E. Comp. L. H. Jones; Recorder, Ill. Comp. S. C. K. Smith, P.T.I.M., "Sherwood," 24 Mitchell St., Invercargill.

Taku-Hoa, 32:—Founded 1947; meets Masonic Temple, Eltham, last Sat., Jan., April, July and Oct. Install. Jan. T.I.M., V. Ill. Comp. A. Ferguson; D.M., Ill. Comp. A. S. Hone; P.C.W., Ill. Comp. J. H. Anderson; Rec., V.E. Comp. W. Berridge, P.O. Box 63, stratford.

Celtic, 42:—Founded 1936; meets Masonic Temple, Cargill Road, Dunedin, quarterly, 5th Thursday, March, June, August. Install. Oct. T.I.M., Ill. Comp. Wm. Sowerby; D.M., V.E. Comp. J. F. Sutherland; P.C.W., V.E. Comp. F. S. Chalmers; Recorder, Rt. Ill. Comp. W. R. McKenzie, 35 Grove St., St. Kilda, Dunedin, S.2.

Russell, 51:—Founded 1946; meets Masonic Temple, Fifehire Ave., Wellington, 2nd Thurs., March, June, Sept., and Dec. T.I.M., Ill. Comp. C. R. Nottingham; D.M., Ill. Comp. R. F. McCartney; P.C.W., Comp. T. G. Cox; Recorder, Comp. O. G. Thomas, P.O. Box 715, Wellington.

Ara, 53:—Founded 1936; meets as required Masonic Temple, 22 St. Benedict's Street, Auckland. T.I.M., Ill. Comp. H. G. K. Adamson; D.M., Comp. J. Dorman; P.C.W., Comp. W. M. Duncan; Recorder, Ill. Comp. C. J. Wilson, P.T.I.M., 28 Ponsonby Terrace, Auckland, W.1.

SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF ENGLAND.

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North Island: D. B. Patterson, 1939, Auckland.
South Island: John Simpson, 1939, Dunedin.

CHAPTERS.

North Island.

Mt. Egmont, 670, New Plymouth.
Auckland, 1338, Auckland, S.E.2.
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St. George, 1801, Dargaville.
Chapter of Harmony, 2180, Auckland, S.E.7.
Te Awamutu, 2221, Auckland, C.4.
Aorangi, 2300, Wellington, C.1.

South Island.

Otago, 844, Dunedin, C.1.
Port Chalmers Marine, 942, Port Chalmers.
St. John, 1137, Timaru.
Greymouth, 1233, Greymouth.

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District Grand Master.

Auckland—D. B. Patterson, 1945, Auckland.

LODGES.

Union, 154, Auckland, C.1.
Newton, 230, Auckland, C.2.
St. George, 579, Dargaville.
Concord, 580, Whangarei.
Mt. Egmont, 948, New Plymouth.
Sir Donald McLean, 1064, Waitara.
Aorangi, 1101, Wellington.

SUPREME GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF IRELAND.

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Ara, 348, Auckland.

Hauraki, 454, Thames.

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Dist. Grand Supt.: H. F. Garland, Auckland.

Dist. Grand Scribe E.: E. J. Clayton, Teachers' Training College, Epsom, Auckland.

CHAPTERS

Zealandia, 197, Gisborne.

Ponsonby Kil., 394, S.C.:—Meets Masonic Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland, second Mon. monthly, 7.30 p.m. (except Jan., Feb.). Install. Sept. Z., M.E. Comp. J. S. Palmer; H., M.E. Comp. J. S. Brown; J., M.E. Comp. J. W. Odell; S.E., E. Comp. A. G. Johnstone, P.O. Box 894, Auckland, C.I.

Tauranga Kil., 515, S.C.:—Meets Masonic Hall, First Avenue, Tauranga, second Mon. Feb., April, June, Aug., October (Install.) and Dec., 7.30 p.m. Z., M.E. Comp. F. G. Gresham; H., M.E. Comp. J. K. B. Lusk; J., M.E. Comp. H. M. Thompson; S.E., E. Comp. H. W. de Castro, Te Puna R.D., Tauranga.

St. Andrew Kil., 564, S.C.:—Meets Masonic Hall, Princes St., Auckland, 2nd Wed., each month, 7.30 p.m. Install. Oct. Z., M.E. Comp. H. N. Jacobs; H., M.E. Comp. C. H. Rosenfeldt; J., M.E. Comp. J. W. L. Buchanan; S.E., M.E. Comp. H. W. Landon-Lane, Bank of New South Wales, Box 53, Auckland.

Hinemoa Kil., 601, S.C.:—Meets Masonic Temple, Broadway South, Stratford, third Sat. monthly, 7.30 p.m. (except Dec.). Install. Sept. Z., M.E. Comp. G. H. Avery; H., M.E. Comp. J. R. Pennial; J., M.E. Comp. A. F. More; S.E., E. Comp. D. L. Carey, Box 63, Stratford.

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CHAPTERS

Kilwinning Otago, 116, Dunedin.

Canterbury Kil, 136, Christchurch.

Trafalgar, 157, Nelson.

Bruce, 381, Milton.

Kilwinning Peninsula, 573, Dunedin.

Kilwinning St. John, 609, Dunedin.

A. and A. RITE.**ROSE CROIX OF H.R.D.M.**

Inspector-General for Northern District of New Zealand, V. Ill. Bro. Colonel Sir Stephen Allen, 33.°.

Southern Cross, 88:—Meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, third Friday, March, May, July, Sept., and Nov. Install. March. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Rev. A. Everil Orr; Recorder, Ill. Bro. S. Irwin Crookes, 32° 76 Power Board Building, Queen St., Auckland, Auckland, 266.

Taranaki, 272:—Meets Hawera Masonic Temple, fourth Mon. in Feb., April, Aug., Sept. (Install.) and Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. N. H. Mitchell; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. D. McCormick; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. H. D. Caplen, P.Sov., Box 125, Hawera.

Pukekura, 304:—Founded 1925; meets Masonic Temple, Liardet St., New Plymouth, third Tues., Feb., April, June, Sept., and Nov. Install. April. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. E. L. Iye; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. W. P. Okey; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. Walter Jones, P.M.W.S., 12 Barriball St., New Plymouth.

Maungakiekie, No. 314:—Onehunga.

Rotorua, 319:—Meets Masonic Hall, Fenton St., Rotorua, first Sat. March, June, September, December. Install. December. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. E. Gillam; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. J. Nicholson; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. P. A. Kusabs, P.O. Box 123, Rotorua.

Waimarino, 321:—Founded 1938; meets Masonic Temple, Raetihi, third Sat., Feb., April, Sept. and Nov. Install. April. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. H. S. Marsh; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. R. D. T. MacRae; Recorder, Ill. Bro. W. H. Sandford, 30°, Duncan St., Raetihi.

Hamilton, 332:—Founded 1939; meets Masonic Temple, Hamilton East, fourth Wednesday in February, April (Install.), June, August, and October. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Verne Towers; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. James Purdie; Recorder, Ill. Bro. Peter Hunter, 31°, 58 Naylor St., Hamilton.

Tawera, 361:—Meets Masonic Hall, Devonport, Auckland, fourth Wed., April, June, August (Install.), and October. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. S. Reid; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. Wm. R. Bayne, Auckland Savings Bank, Devonport, Auckland, N.I.

Ohinemuri, 394:—Founded February, 1948; meets Masonic Hall, Paeroa, second Tues., Feb., April, June (Install.), and Oct. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. S. J. Hedge; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. R. W. Smith; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. W. F. Faber, Box 18, Paeroa.

Inspector-General for Central District of New Zealand: V. Ill. Bro. Harry Hatch, 33°.

Wellington, 91:—Meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, third Tues. in Feb., May, Aug. and Nov. Install. Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. G. E. Cox; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. J. R. Smith, P.M.W.S.; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. A. Izatt, P.M.W.S., Woodland Road, Johnsonville.

Latham, 93:—Meets Masonic Hall, Gonville, Wanganui, first Mon. in April, May, Oct., Nov., and Dec. (Installation alternate years only.) M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. T. R. Clancey; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. W. P. Jones; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. G. H. Trott, 47 Matai St., Wanganui.

Hawke's Bay, 199:—Founded 1918; meets Masonic Hall, Hastings, fourth Wed., Jan., April, July, and Oct. or as near those dates as possible. Install. 4th Wed. Jan. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. G. H. Roach; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. Rev. K. F. Button; Recorder, Ill. Bro. A. W. Parkinson, 31°, 307 Prospect Rd., Hastings.

Taranaki, 219:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Chapel St., Masterton, third Wed. May (Install.), Aug., Nov. and first Wed. Feb. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. S. G. Grant; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. Ven. Archdeacon H. S. I. Kenney; Recorder, Ill. Bro. T. A. H. Dixon, 30°, 38 Pownall St., Masterton.

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Hinemoa, 226:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Newtown, fourth Thursday, March, June, September, and first Wed. December (Install.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. R. W. Cawthorn; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. H. R. Fell, P.M.W.S.; Recorder, Ill. Bro. A. E. Wells, 30°, 21 Crawford Rd., Wellington, E.3.

Lower Hutt, 279:—Warrant dated 5th December, 1929; meets Masonic Hall, Huia St., Lower Hutt, first Tues., March, June, Sept. and Dec. Install. March. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. T. N. Sherwood; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. J. C. Davies; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. J. Stonehouse, P.M.W.S., High St., Lower Hutt.

Seinde, 302:—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Hall, Church Lane, Napier, first Wed., Feb., May, July, Oct. (Install.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. A. B. Davis; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. C. N. Mitchell; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. R. E. H. Pilson, P.O. Box 227, Napier.

Wellflesley, 303:—Founded 1934; meets Masonic Hall, The Terrace, Wellington, C.I., third Tues., March, June, Sept. Install. second Thurs. Dec. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. J. Norrie; Prelate, Rev. and P. Bro. Canon D. B. Malcolm; Recorder, Ill. Bro. C. D. Morpeth, 30°, Box 857, C.P.O., Wellington, C.I., or 246 The Terrace, Wellington, C.I.

Monekton, 315:—Founded 1937; meets Masonic Hall, Levin, last Sat. Feb., May, Aug., Nov. Install. Feb. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. W. H. Walker; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. J. A. Chapman; Recorder, Ill. Bro. W. H. Potts, 30°, P.O. Box 16, Paraparaumu.

Rangitikei, 338:—Founded 1940; meets Masonic Temple, Wellington Road, Marton, third Sat. March, June, September, and November (Install.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. K. L. Vile; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. T. W. Fairman; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. K. N. Glasgow, P.O. Box 79, Marton.

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Excelsior, 78:—Founded 27th March, 1878; meets Masonic Temple, Christchurch, Feb., May, Aug. (Install.), Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. R. T. McMillan; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. F. J. Shanks, P.M.W.S.; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. R. T. Staden, P.M.W.S., P.O. Box 823, Christchurch, C.I.

Beckett, 135:—Founded 1895 meets Masonic Temple, Christchurch, June, Sept., Jan., and March (Install.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Alex. Prentice; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. W. Copeland; Recorder, Ill. Bro. S. K. Bassett, 15 Richmond Hill, Sumner, Christchurch.

Marlborough, 206:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Charles St., Blenheim, first Tues. March, June, Sept. (Install.) and Nov. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. H. V. C. Cox; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. O. R. Marshall; Recorder, Ill. Bro. F. Mogridge, 30°, Box 17, Blenheim.

Nelson Provincial, 221:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Collingwood Street, Nelson, four times a year as arranged. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Rev. Canon F. J. Daynes; Prelate, Ill. Bro. E. L. Morley, 30°; Recorder, Ill. Bro. P. Thomson, 30°, 199 Trafalgar St., Nelson.

North Otago, 238:—Founded 1922; meets Masonic Temple, Wansbeck St., Oamaru, Sept. Dec., March and June (Install. Sept.). M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Thos. Perry; Prelate, Ill. Bro. G. G. Wallace, 30°; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. L. L. McCallum, Thames St., Oamaru.

Kawatiri, 269:—Meets Masonic Hall, Russell Street, Westport, first Tuesday, June, Sept., Dec. and March. Install. Sept. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. R. R. Dawber; Prelate, Ill. Bro. H. Campbell, 30°; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. J. H. Johnston, P.M.W.S., 306, Palmerston St., Westport.

Dunedin, 317:—Dunedin.

Clifton, 324:—Founded 1938; meets Masonic Hall, Havelock Street, Ashburton, March, June, September (Install.) and December, as arranged. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. D. F. C. Milne; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. A. T. Smith; Recorder, E. and P. Bro. H. B. Brown, Box 49, Ashburton.

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Waikato, 37:—Founded 1920; meets Masonic Hall, Claudelands, third Monday, Feb., May, Aug. and Nov. Install. Shrove Tues. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. B. S. Marshall; S.W., E. and P. Bro. N. H. Ibbotson; J.W., E. and P. Bro. D. H. Ballantyne; Sec., Ill. Bro. S. B. Sims, 31°, 4 Knox St., Hamilton.

Rose and Thistle, 41:—Gisborne.

Kintore, 51:—Founded March, 1929; meets Masonic Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland. Dates for 1950: 15th May, 31st July, 13th Sept., 20th Nov. Install. March. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. T. R. Gray; H.P., E. and P. Bro. J. W. Jenks; S.W., C.A. Jarman; J.W., C. H. A. Kean; Sec., E. and P. Bro. E. J. Clayton, P.M.W.S., Teachers' Training College, Epsom, Auckland.

Unity, 60:—New Plymouth.

Northland, 63:—Founded 1936; meets Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Saturday June, September and December. Install. March. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. J. A. Inkster; H.P., E. and P. Bro. W. T. Surman; S.W., E. and P. Bro. L. R. Hegley; J.W., E. and P. Bro. F. G. Ross; Sec., E. and P. Bro. F. McDermott, P.O. Box 272, Whangarei.

Tauranga, 64:—Tauranga.

Te Kuiti, 65:—Te Kuiti.

Coronation, 66:—Founded Nov., 1939, meets Masonic Temple, Princes St., Auckland. Dates for 1950: 4th March (Install.), 3rd April, 5th June, 7th August, 2nd October, 4th December. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. Chas. Graham; S.W., E. and P. Bro. A. I. Harrison; J.W., E. and P. Bro. T. W. M. Ashby; Acting Sec., E. and P. Bro. C. J. Curtice, 42 King Edward St., Mt. Eden, Auckland, S.2.

CONSISTORY—

Rangimarie, No. 19:—Founded 18th March, 1944; meets Masonic Hall, Princes St., Auckland. Dates for 1949: 3rd Dec. G.C., Ill. Bro. C. J. Bush-King; G.S.W., Ill. Bro. R. J. Allingham, 31°; G.J.W., Ill. Bro. A. J. Prescott, 31°; G.Sec., Ill. Bro. J. J. Laws, 32° Box 1349, Auckland, C.1.

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CHAPTERS—

Sphinx, 23:—Founded under Egyptian Rite in 1876; instituted under Scottish A. and A. Rite in 1897; meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, Dunedin, third Mon. March, June, Sept., Dec. Install., Shrove Tues., M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. A. F. de Haro; S.W., E. and P. Bro. E. F. Anderson; J.W., E. and P. Bro. J. R. Wedder- spoon; Sec., Ill. Bro. W. J. Davidson, 30°, 57 Bird St., Dunedin, S.2.

Zealandia, 30:—Founded 1914; meets Masonic Hall, Gloucester St., Christchurch, first Wed., March, June, Sept., and Dec. Install. March. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. S. E. Buchanan; S.W., E. and P. Bro. A. S. Ward; J.W., E. and P. Bro. F. Newsome; Sec., E. and P. Bro. J. B. Elliott, 25 Frankleigh St., Spreydon, Christchurch, S.W.1.

Nelson, 35:—Nelson.

Murihiku, 36:—Founded 1919; meets Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, four times a year (fifth Wed.). Install. Shrove Tues. M.W.S., E. and P. Bro. A. G. McNaughton; Prelate, E. and P. Bro. J. N. McKinley; S.W., E. and P. Bro. J. C. Sefton; J.W., E. and P. Bro. Geo. F. Hoffman; Sec., Ill. Bro. Syd. C. K. Smith, 32°, "Sherwood," 24 Mitchell St., Invercargill.

Aorangi, 42, Timaru.
Mawharanui, 43, Greymouth.

CONSISTORY—

Zealandia, 10:—Founded 1904; meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, Dunedin, third Sat. May and Nov. Install. Nov. G.C., Ill. Bro. C. M. Saunders; G.S.W., Ill. Bro. J. M. Kennedy; G.J.W., Ill. Bro. W. A. Johnstone; G.Sec., Ill. Bro. W. J. Davidson, 57 Bird St., Dunedin, S.2.

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Otago Preceptory:—Meets Masonic Temple, Moray Place, Dunedin, third Monday, Feb., May, Aug., Nov. (Install.). Preceptor, Ven. Frater G. R. King; Sub-Preceptor, Frater A. D. Kerr; Registrar, Frater A. Brown, 55 Douglas St., St. Kilda, Dunedin, S.2.

Wellington Preceptory:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Temple, Donald McLean St., Wellington South, fourth Thurs., Jan., April, July and Oct. (Install.). Preceptor, G. Glover; Sub-Preceptor, R. W. Cawthorn; Treas. and Sec., A. McLaren, P.P., 126 Austin Street, Wellington, C.4.

De Molay Preceptory and Priory:—Founded 1921; meets Masonic Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland. Preceptor, Ven. Frater C. A. Jarman; Sub-Preceptor, Frater W. Weaver; Sec. and Reg., Frater T. Gordon Short, 4 Fern Ave., Epsom, Auckland.

St. Augustine Preceptory and Priory.
Nelson Preceptory:—Nelson.
Marlborough Preceptory:—Blenheim.

Taranaki Preceptory:—Meets third Sat. March, May, August. Install. third Sat. November. Preceptor, Ven. Frater W. A. Dean; Sub-Preceptor, Frater W. M. Snaile; Registrar, Ven. Frater A. G. Johnson, 115, Avenue Rd., New Plymouth.

Charles Fergusson Preceptory:—Founded 1928; meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington, second Thursday March, June, August, Nov. (Install.). Preceptor, Ven. Frater L. W. Kiloh; Sub-Preceptor, Frater F. B. Aburn; Sec., Ven. Frater J. W. Jack, P.P., P.O. Box 334, Wellington.

Manawatu Preceptory and Priory:—Founded Jan., 1947. Meets in Masonic Temple, Church St., Palmerston North, first Saturday April, July, October (Installation), and December. Preceptor, Ven. Frater W. W. Jones; Sub-Preceptor, Frater T. B. Worrall; Sec., Frater L. Wood, 9 Kowhai Ave., Palmerston North.

Southern Cross Preceptory:—Founded 1931; meets Masonic Temple, St. Benedict's Street, Auckland, third Friday April, June, August and October (Install.). Preceptor, Ven. Frater W. G. Phelps; Sub-Preceptor, Frater A. Williamson; Sec. and Reg., Ven. Frater R. King, P.P., Box 634, Auckland.

Tairāwhiti Conclave, 72:—Gisborne.

Northland Preceptory:—Meets in Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Saturday April, July, and October (Installation). December, 2nd Saturday. Preceptor, Ven. Frater P. W. G. Macdermott; Sec., Ven. Frater L. R. Hegley, Box 23, Kaitiaki, Northland.

Waikato Preceptory:—Hamilton.

Southland Preceptory:—Meets in Masonic Temple, Forth St., Invercargill, second Thursday in March, May, August and November (Install.). Preceptor, Ven. Frater G. D. Sutton; Sub-Preceptor, Frater G. G. Webb; Sec., Ven. Frater E. McK. Lyon, P.P., P.O. Box 235, Invercargill.

Hawke's Bay Preceptory:—Meets Victoria Masonic Temple, Munro St., Napier, first Saturday, September, December, March and June. Install. September. Preceptor, Ven. Frater J. B. Meachen; Sec., Frater E. J. Elliott, 69 Douglas McLean Ave., Napier.

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New Zealand Tabernacle, No. 7:—Meets Masonic Hall, The Terrace, Wellington, March, May, August and November (Install.). High Priest, E. Sir Knt. T. G. Cox; VII. Pillar, Sir Knt. J. W. Jack; Sec., Em. Sir Knt. S. T. S. Martin, P.H.P., 11 Millward St., Wellington South, S.1.

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Royal Canterbury Preceptory, 246:—Meets in Chapter Room of the Temple, Gloucester St., Christchurch, on St. Swithin's Day, in July (annual) and in Sept., Dec., and March. Preceptor, Em. Kt. John F. Hutchinson; Registrar, Em. Kt. E. J. Woolf, P.G.M.B.B., Box 551, Christchurch.

Waitemata Preceptory and Priory, 254:—Auckland.

St. George Preceptory and Priory, 285:—Auckland.

Royal Taranaki Preceptory, 287:—Patea.
Aotea Preceptory and Priory, 291:—Hawera.

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Aotearoa Conclave, 44:—Meets Masonic Temple, The Terrace, Wellington. Dates for 1949: June 30th, August 30th, October 31st. S.R., A. Ackroyd; Counsellor, C. E. Townsend; Guide, A. Burgess; Sec., F. E. Hall, P.S.R., P.G.V., 66 Donald St., Karori, W.3.

Otagou Conclave, 53: Meets Oceanic Temple, Prince Albert Road, St. Kilda, Dunedin, last Wed. Feb., April, June, Aug. (Install.), Oct. S.R., S. Marshall; I.P.S.R., W. Sowerby; Counsellor, H. L. Boock; Guide, L. A. Doonan; Sec., G. L. Austin, 70 Aberdeen Rd., St. Clair, Dunedin, S.W.1.

Otakara Conclave, 54:—Meets Masonic Temple, Christchurch. Dates for 1950: June 29th, August 31st, November 9th. S.R., W. G. Cooper; Counsellor, A. P. Godart; Guide, N. R. Speary; Recorder, E. J. Woolf, P.S.R., Box 551, Christchurch.

Arawa Conclave, 55:—Meets Freemasons' Hall, Upper Queen St., Auckland. Dates for 1950: March 7th, May 2nd, July 4th, Sept. 5th, October —, November 1th (Install.). S.R., J. J. Ellison; Counsellor, E. J. Clayton; Guide, C. G. Long; Sec., E. P. Wright, 9 Woodbine Ave., Ellerslie, Auckland.

Tairāwhiti Conclave, 72:—Gisborne.

Invercargill Conclave, 73:—Invercargill.

Northland Conclave, 82:—Meets in Masonic Temple, Albert St., Whangarei, first Saturday Aug., Nov., Feb. and May. Install. Nov. S.R., H. R. Holdaway; Sec., L. R. Hegley, P.S.R., Box 23, Kaitiaki, Northland.

Waikato Conclave, 90.

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Auckland Conclave, 187.